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THURSDAY, . . . DECEMBER 24, 1904.

"Uncle Tom," who writes for Mrs. Grundy, of Tracy, is a sensible old fellow as the following paragraph witnesseth:

Young people, open air exercise is conducive to your health and you should all take daily exercise and be strong and rosy. Girls better retain your freedom and play base ball and run foot races than surrender your health to modern ways and ideas. You can be a lady and retain your beauty much better by following the above suggestions than by resorting to cosmetics. I have known girls, "way back in the '50's and '60's" to dance every set throughout a long winter night and many of those girls are living today, and stout, healthy old ladies they are, too. It was exercise and their manner of living that gave them such a splendid constitution. There is a great difference between the times of then and now. Fashion has got in its deadly work and cut off much of the real pleasures of life. Parents ought never to curtail the playful disposition of their daughters nor their rollicking qualities, for it is not unlady like, neither does it do any harm. Do not harness them to the heavy wheel of fashionable dignity, but let them be jolly girls all their lives.

Mrs. Grundy, of Tracy City, is "pating herself on the back" as she expresses it, over the fact that the merchants of her town are waking up to the fact that they have a good advertising medium, and are buying "space" of her liberally. The News is decidedly of the opinion that they will never lose anything by investing money in space in such a neat, attractive looking journal as is now printed in their town.

When it comes to attendance at Sunday school why is it that it increases at Christmas time, is a question which we hear asked quite often. If the Sunday school can attract at Christmas time, why does it not attract the same the year around. It would seem that some folks are erratic in their actions.

The Southern Turf poolroom raid seems to stirred up a stink at Nashville. —Dunlap Tribune.

"Southern Turf." Seems to us we have heard that name before. Wasn't it connected with a whisky advertising proposition to Tennessee publishers.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses of from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A One-eyed Panel. (New York World.)

"Jack" Steel used to be Sheriff down in Representative Dougherty's district in Missouri and Mr. Dougherty tells this story on him:

"The County Judge was a man weighing 300 pounds. Steel, who kept the local hotel, summoned a jury for a term, and not one of the jurors weighed less than 250 pounds. On the first case called Steel fed the jury on a dinner consisting of plenty of onions, buttermilk and other soporific foods, with the result that in the afternoon all of them and the judge went to sleep.

"Sheriff," said the Judge, on awakening, "this court is here for business. In the future I want you to select a jury with a single eye to justice."

"Yes, your honor," answered Steel. "The next panel summoned consisted entirely of one-eyed men."

Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by dyspepsia now, but it will be if neglected. The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker.

Dyspepsia is such a miserable disease that the tendency to it should be given early attention. This is completely overcome by

Hood's Sarsaparilla which strengthens the whole digestive system

EDUCATIONAL RALLY.

An educational meeting will be held at South Pittsburg, Tennessee, on Friday, January 23, 1904.

Every teacher in Marion county is earnestly requested to be present, and all who feel an interest in the cause of public education are cordially invited to attend.

The State Superintendent, S. A. Mynders, has accepted invitation to attend this meeting, and will deliver an address on Friday evening in the chapel of the public school building.

The following is the program for the day, the evening program will be printed later:

- 1.—The Study of Arithmetic, Its Culture and Utility. Opened by Prof. B. O. Dugan. Discussed by H. C. Adkins. Miss Etta Rankin and Miss Bettie Pryor, each five minutes. Voluntary discussion, fifteen minutes.
2.—Public School teaching as a Profession. Opened by Henry E. Tate. Discussed by Thomas E. Hackworth, Miss Birdie Raulston and David C. Martin, each five minutes. Voluntary discussion, fifteen minutes.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

- 1.—The Public School Library and how to Use it. Opened by Edgar L. Payne. Discussed by Miss Mary Smedley, James Wells and Miss Estelle Coffelt, each five minutes. Voluntary discussion, fifteen minutes.
2.—Is the Daily Newspaper desirable as an Educational Factor? Opened by H. R. Gilliam. Discussed by Miss Ellen Donaldson, Miss Rena Raulston, Henry C. Grayson, each five minutes. Voluntary discussion fifteen minutes.

The program will be interspersed with music and songs.

Let everybody attend.

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A sure sign of approaching revolt and serious trouble in your system is nervousness, sleeplessness, or stomach upset. Electric Bitters will quickly dismember the troublesome causes. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the Kidneys and Bowels, stimulate the Liver, and clarify the blood. Run down systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches, vanish under its searching and thorough effectiveness. Electric Bitters is only 50c, and that is returned if it don't give perfect satisfaction. Guaranteed by Whitwell Drug Co.

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CHURCHES.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev W Billingsley, pastor; Meeting every 3rd Sunday at 11 am, and 7 pm. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7 pm. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30 am., O. W. Chastain, Supt.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH—M. J. Butcher, pastor; preaching every Sunday at 11 am., and 7:00 pm; Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30 pm., C. C. Shirley, Supt.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—J. R. Johnson, Pastor. Meetings Saturday before 4th Sunday at 7 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 am.

M. E. CHURCH—S. P. Angel, pastor; preaching 1st Sunday at 11:00 a. m., and 4th Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30 a. m. T. P. DUFF, Supt.

C. P. CHURCH—M. A. Hunt, pastor. Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday in each month. Sunday school every Sunday, W. B. Ketter, Supt.

LODGES

UNITED MIN WORKERS OF America, No. 287, meets every Thursday night at 7 p. m. M. T. Tipton, President; J. J. Hooper, Vice President; J. H. Harris, F. Secretary; W. L. Sanders, C. Secretary; Mart Creek, Janitor.

MONROE CONCLAVE, No. 32, Regents of the White Shield; Meets every Friday at 7:00 p. m. R. Burgess, R. C.; J. W. Barwick, V. P. E.; A. Frimell, P. R. E.; R. Birsby, R. Chaplain; Thos. Williams, R. R.; R. Abraham, R. T.; R. Reeves, B. Ad.; Sam Colson, R. J. A. M. E. Reeves, R. Q.; W. M. Morrison, L. L.

WHITWELL LODGE, No. 563, F. & A. Masons meets 1st and 3rd Saturday at 7 p. m.; N. N. Rush, W. M.; H. P. Bryant, S. W.; T. M. Walker, J. W.; E. H. Barker, Treas.; B. C. Grayson, Sec.

OLIVE BRANCH LODGE, No. 52, I. O. O. F., meets every Friday night at 7:30 o'clock; C. C. Cantrell, N. G.; W. B. Cross, V. G.; N. N. Rush, Sec.; T. P. Duff, Treas.; L. S. Baumgartner, D. G. M.

POWHATTAN TRIBE, No. 24, Independent Order of Red Men meets every Tuesday night at 7 o'clock; Pat McCoy, Sachem; Walter Coppinger, S. S.; Will Duke, P. R.; J. D. Skinner, J. S.; John Carlyon, C. of B.; H. H. H. Turner, K. of W.

LAUREL LODGE NO. 98, K. of P., meets every Monday night at 7:15. W. I. Barber, C. C.; S. B. Alley, V. C.; John Ballard, P.; J. R. Morgan, M. H.; W. A. Levan, K. of R.; E. P. Taylor, M. E.; T. P. Duff, M. F.; Lee Bryant, I. G.; D. T. Layne, O. G.; George Smith, Janitor.

3 PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

Whitwell Department. GEO. W. LEWIS Agent.

The public school closed Friday. James Alder, of Oak Grove, was in the city Friday.

Prof James Wells, of Oak Grove, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mitchell of Inman, were in the city Thursday.

A. K. Pryor, postmaster at Victoria, and James Thompson, were in the city Thursday.

William Lee, of Sequachee, was in the city last Friday night attending a meeting of the I. O. O. F.

Misses Vera Shirley and Hazel Ashburn, are home from Centenary College, spending the vacation.

T. M. Morrison, of Dunlap, was in the city the first of last week doing some work for Col. J. W. Norwood.

L. B. Jones, U. S. Claim Agent, of Soddy, was in the city Thursday in the interest of the Volunteer Life Insurance Co.

Misses Lula Angel and Nona Duff, who have been attending school at Athens, are at home spending the holidays.

Cupid got in good work last Sunday. There were four weddings and an equal number are expected next Sunday.

Married last Sunday, Mr. Lon McCullough, of Tracy City, and Miss Phoebe Ables, Rev. S. P. Angel officiating.

Married Sunday at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. Lee Bryant, Mr. Gus Duke and Miss Myrtle Bryant, Rev. M. J. Butcher, officiating.

There will be a Christmas tree or its representative at the M. E. Church, south on the night of the 24th. Of course Santa Claus will be there and on the night of the 25th he will visit the C. P. Church.

It is said that Santa Claus will be in town tonight with his famous team of reindeer, distributing presents to the children if they hang up their stockings. We expect so many presents ourselves that we will be troubled to find a place to keep them.

On Wednesday of last week we made a trip to Sequachee and found that little city all right. Having on a previous occasion offended the senior editor of the News by calling him the "venerable editor" we had to put on our studying cap to get up a suitable apology, so we thought to call him the "youthful editor" on this occasion, which proved to be the panacea and set everything in statu quo.

Not having much time to spend with the Major we left by private conveyance for Victoria. We found on the way that the little Sequachee was frozen over above the county bridge. I have seen the big Sequachee and Tennessee rivers frozen over but never before seen or heard of the little Sequachee being frozen over, but cold as it was we made the trip to Victoria safely and then took the train for Whitwell.

Miss Pope is visiting Miss Chastain here.

Prof. Moore, of Jasper, was here Wednesday.

B. L. Arledge was here from Hill City Wednesday.

Miss Ellen Anderson is visiting relatives in town.

Jas. P. Hayron is confined with a severe spell of sickness.

Dr. and Mrs. Hembre are in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Raulston.

J. T. Raulston was called to Battle Creek on professional business Tuesday.

John Pryor, who is attending school at Hartselle, Ala., is at home to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Maud Keys, of Crossville, is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Pryor.

William Patterson, who has been at Petros for some time is at home spending the holidays.

Mr. Craven Kilgore and Miss Annie Turner were married Sunday, Joe Arledge, Esq., tying the knot.

Joe Copeland, who has been in Alabama for the last year, returned home last week. He reports that some of the people are not civilized.

With the addition of Joe Templeton and Bill White to the democratic party there will be no trouble in carrying Tennessee in the coming presidential election if the democrats do not nominate a gold bug.

There were two accessions to the Democratic party last week, the venerable Joe Templeton and W. H. White, Atty-at-law. In the latter case the committee to whom his application was referred has not reported and he may be rejected.

J. F. Mitchell, of Inman, was in the city Monday morning. He reports that his father-in-law, Mr. Stephen Hicks, died Sunday night at his son-in-law, Henry Peck's. Mr. Hicks was one of the oldest men in the valley being nearly 90 years old.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

The Memphis park commissioners will make extensive improvements. The city finance committee reduced the 1904 budget at Nashville \$38,805.

Leslie Denny was killed by the accidental discharge of a pistol at Cookeville.

Nearly one thousand farmers attended the Middle Tennessee institute at Nashville.

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CONDENSED NEWS.

Mrs. Almond Rigby died at Pikeville

Canhon & Barker is a new merchandise firm at Dunlap.

The Dunlap Tribune "takes Christmas" this week, not publishing an issue.

L. W. Cordell and family who went to Texas recently, have returned to South Pittsburg.

Rev. Sims, a Baptist missionary from China, lectured at South Pittsburg about that country.

A blaze at the residence of J. M. Jenkins near South Pittsburg came near destroying several houses.

The Methodist and Baptist churches at Pikeville observe Christmas with Christmas trees.

The Campbell Coal & Coke Co., at Orme, Tenn., now have an output of 500 tons of coal per day.

Congressman Moon has been assigned places on two committees in congress, viz, territories, post offices and railroads.

Christmas will be observed at the M. E. church, South Pittsburg, with a distribution of gifts by Santa Claus

The Pikeville Banner hints that the subscriber who owes it money should not run the chance of getting bow-legged carrying it around too long.

The board of trustees of Pryor Institute made a favorable report regarding Pryor Institute. An increased enrollment is expected next year.

County Chairman Lambert of the Democratic Executive committee, calls a convention at Jasper, Monday, Jan. 4, 1904, to select delegates to judicial convention to be held in Chattanooga.

Mrs. W. F. Park died at Tracy City week. Her husband, Dr. Park, died last fall, while a sister, Mrs. Vira Ray Kelson, died only recently. Interment was made at the Stone cemetery near Bethany, Sequatchie county.

W. F. Curtis and sons of Van Buren county, were arrested in Sequatchie county, for wantonly killing hogs. The sons were remanded to next term of circuit court in that county. The evidence is reported entirely circumstantial.

Beautiful Calendar. We are in receipt of a beautiful calendar from the First National Bank of South Pittsburg, Tenn. The design is a beautiful reproduction by the 3-color process of the painting "The Fish Girls," by P. Tescher, which shows a typical French fishing scene with a couple of healthy young women carrying baskets of fish over the wet sands from some fishing boats dim in a misty background.

A Costly Mistake. Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel Troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c, at Whitwell Drug Co.

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Could Not Lie On Left Side.

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Mrs. H. R. Jobe, formerly of Birmingham, Ala., writes from Eldredge, the same state, as follows:

"It is with the greatest pleasure that I recommend Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure. I only wish that I could tell every sufferer how much good they have done me. Last winter I had a severe attack of La-Grappe, which left my heart in a very bad condition. I could not lie down for the smothering spells that would almost overcome me and the feeling of oppression around my heart. I had not been so that I could lie on my left side for a long time. I got your Heart Cure and took three bottles. I have no trouble now with my heart and can lie on my left side as well as my right. Formerly I had suffered for years with nervous prostration. I had tried so many remedies that I had got clear out of heart of getting anything that would help me. The nerves of my heart were so affected that sometimes it would lose beats so it would seem to stop altogether. It was on the advice of a lady friend that I tried your Restorative Nervine. I felt better after the first few doses and two bottles of Nervine and one of Heart Cure made me feel like a new person. My heart is all right and my nervousness is all gone. I never fail to recommend it to others afflicted as I was."

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free booklet on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

JASPER. Special to the News.

Measles is increasing here. Chas. Kelly, of Sparta, is spending Christmas here.

Miss Callie Simpson of Belmont College, is spending the holidays here.

Miss Vera Alexander, who is a student at a college at Macon, Ga., is home for Christmas.

Miss Grace Spears is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. D. Wright, in Knoxville. Vance Alexander, Andy Thach and Will Price, our Vanderbilt students, are spending the holidays here.

The boys are throwing boomerangs all around the town.

Rev. W. T. Dale and family have removed to Middle Tennessee.

Miss Norma Connally, of Trenton, Ga., is visiting here.

Will Bennett spent Sunday in Chattanooga.

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