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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Bob Cummings spent Sunday in Rives. T. H. Puryear has returned from Memphis. Webe Hawes went to Obion Tuesday. E. C. Hawes is in Helena, Ark., this week. John Dahnke and wife spent the holidays in St. Louis. Mrs. Reuben Green has returned from a visit to Mayfield. Miss Katy Flack visited her father in Tiptonville last week. Miss Mattie Hancock has returned from a visit to Obion. Mrs. R. Thompson is the guest of her son, Arnet Thompson. Robt. Lewis is now engaged as salesman at Niles Drug Store. Oce Harris, of Hickman, spent Sunday in the city with friends. Miss Genevieve Nailling is confined to her room with lagrippe. Mrs. Layburn Burton, of Fulton, visited her parents here Sunday. Mrs. Annie Harris is occupying the Smoot cottage on Ury street. Miss Lotta Pleasant spent part of the holidays with Obion friends. Stanley Brown begins the new year as salesman at Dahnke's Cafe. Miss Mary Emma Catron attended a dining at Harris last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Gambill are visiting relatives near Lane's Ferry this week. General D. J. Caldwell spent a few days in Nashville this week on business. Arthur Fletcher is absent from his place of business this week, being quite ill. Mrs. Wallace Moore and sister, Miss Chottie Harrison, are visiting in Memphis. Misses Bess and Ruth Whitson visited relatives in Gardner during the holidays. D. Keller has returned from New York where he spent Christmas. He remembered that the...

Mr. Chas. Roberts, of Missouri, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Roberts. Miss Polly Green, of Martin, was a visitor in the city Wednesday en route to Dyersburg. Mr. Paschal Harrison and family, of Kennett, Mo., spent the holidays with relatives here. Mrs. Mary Lou Moody has been very ill for several days, but is reported a great deal better. Mrs. E. B. Little entertained a company of friends on Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock dinner. John Wilhelm, of the Paducah Register, was in the city Tuesday spending the day with friends. Mrs. R. Green visited the family of Mrs. Amanda Hareison Friday at their country home, Longview. Miss Eula Dickers, after a visit to relatives in the city, has returned to her home in Clarksville. Vernon Verhine will entertain a company of young friends at the Verhine home on Church street tonight. Robert Dangberty was in the city Tuesday visiting his sister, Mrs. Herman Scates, while en route to Cairo. The Review Club met with the Misses Robinson last Tuesday. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. H. Swiggart. Miss Alice Garner of West Point, Miss., was in the city this week as a guest of her brother, L. P. Garner, and wife. Attorney George R. Kenney and little daughter, Martha, have returned from a trip to Bell Buckle and Nashville. Miss Pearl McDaniel returned to her home at Dyer Wednesday, after spending several days visiting friends in this city. M. W. Earney, the whip man, spent the holidays with his family at home and will return to his territory, leaving next Monday. Supt. A. C. Nute was, during the holidays, presented with a magnificent cutglass bowl by the faculty of the High School. The present is a considerable one, and we will look...

Mrs. Ella Britton and Miss Bertie Harbison have returned from Newbern, where they spent Christmas with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Will Luman, of Murphysboro, Ill., were in the city this week as the guests of Mrs. J. C. R. ... John C. ... Mrs. ... C. E. Deist ... Mrs. ... W. W. Mays and family will move to the city and to the residence now occupied by I. W. Stone as soon as Mr. Stone and family move to their farm at Pleasant Valley, Pleasant Valley is growing to be almost a town within itself. The tomato and cabbage industry is developing there perhaps more than in any locality in the county, and if it continues that community will continue to grow.

County Court convenes next Monday and the subject of taxes and county revenues will probably receive considerable attention. It is more than likely that the county tax rate will be increased in order to meet contingencies.

W. N. Waggoner, of Obion, who succeeds A. R. Pace as agent of the I. C. R. R. Co. at Gibbs, has moved to this city, accompanied by his wife, and they are located in a cottage near the corner of Home and Grove streets, northeast.

Attorney Rice A. Pierce was in Nashville this week in behalf of Lee Holder. The time of the hanging is drawing near, and Mr. Pierce, as Mrs. Holder's attorney, is doing everything he can for his client to stay the judgment of the court.

Otis Freeman, a well known young man of Martin, will be with Morgan-Verhine Co. this year as salesman. Mr. Freeman comes among us as a man of business character and reputation, and no doubt his services will be very valuable to the house.

E. M. Henning left this week for Alexandria, La., to manage the interior marble works of a two hundred thousand dollar hotel which is being built at that place. Mr. Henning expects to be back Feb. 1 to take his place with O. E. Milliken Marble & Granite Co.

Dr. J. F. McMichael returned last week from a business trip to Amarillo, Tex. The Doctor informs us that he has never intended leaving Union City, as was suggested in the paper. He expects to open an optical office as early as practicable in the city and to resume his work in that profession, giving it his entire time and attention.

W. P. Davis and W. B. Bramham of the Davis, Bramham Insurance Co., were down in the southern portion of the county this week in the interest of the company. Two insurance lines in Union City are in thorough, live and progressive hands, and there is not a more wide-awake and reliable company in the county than Davis, Bramham & Co.

All the schools opened last Monday. So far this has proven the best school year, as far as numbers are concerned, of any in the history of Union City in our knowledge, and we have no reason to doubt that they are developing along the lines of advancement in educational standards as well. Last Monday the register at the Public High School building showed an enrollment of 760 pupils.

The superintendent and teachers of the First Christian Church Sunday school ask us to state that next week begins six months study of the testament and every parishioner in the church is invited to start into the Sunday school with the children with whom they are connected with some other person in the church. School. Every child should be in school.

Mr. Richard Hicks, of Paris, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Clive Lannon. Miss Katie Carter was the guest of Misses Effie and Ivie Corum near Woodland last week. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scott entertained 35 of their friends to a fine dinner during Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Love and two sons, Everett and Beecher, of Crutcheff, Ky., were welcome visitors in Southside during the holidays.

We had the pleasure of a call and becoming acquainted with Mr. H. L. Davis, who is in the city representing the interest of the Perfect Pantry Co., of St. Louis, Mo., a firm engaged in the manufacture of a household article that is rapidly becoming a necessary part of a good housekeeper's kitchen. In invent-

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ing the Perfect Pantry the manufacturers have succeeded in combining the extremely useful with the ornamental, which is indeed a happy combination, and of course it must be seen to be appreciated. The gentleman is located at Nailling-Godwin Drug Co., where the Perfect Pantry is on display and the merits and convenience of the article will be fully demonstrated. A cordial invitation is extended to call and be convinced, but if inconvenient to do so he will take pleasure in sending one out to your house for inspection. Merchants are taking stock this week, the banks will have their stockholders meetings next week and then business will open up in earnest for the new year. Already the signs are more hopeful than has been expected, and it is confidently predicted that by the middle of this month business of all kinds will resume its normal shape, not the kind which has produced artificial values, but on a rational, safe and sensible basis.

SOUTHSIDE.

Miss Zella Moss entertained a few friends Tuesday night. Miss Siddle Lewis has returned from a pleasant visit to Obion. Mr. and Mrs. Knox Everett entertained their friends at dinner last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jackson spent Saturday night and Sunday at Woodland. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCorkle and children spent a few days at Newbern last week. Mr. Richard Hicks, of Paris, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Clive Lannon. Miss Katie Carter was the guest of Misses Effie and Ivie Corum near Woodland last week. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scott entertained 35 of their friends to a fine dinner during Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Love and two sons, Everett and Beecher, of Crutcheff, Ky., were welcome visitors in Southside during the holidays.

Mrs. Jim Mays, of Eton, passed through the city Sunday en route to Waverly to visit her brother.

Rev. L. H. Mills and wife, of Glass, spent Saturday and Sunday with J. W. McCorkle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cloar spent a few days with Mrs. Will Hammond, near Clayton during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Mattie Martin entertained quite a number of their friends at dinner Christmas day.

Mrs. Willie Wilkerson and children, of Troy, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cloar this week.

Mr. Charlie Kirk and family have moved to Southside from Walnut Log. We welcome them to our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wallace and children, from Samburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Martin during the holidays.

Miss Mary Love will leave soon for her home at Alexandria, La., after a visit of a few months to relatives in and around Union City.

Miss Nora Jackson and her cousin, Miss Pokie Harris, of Columbia, who has been her guest for the past ten days, went to Obion Christmas eve to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Rev. Freed, of Henderson, will begin his year's work at Exchange Street Church the second Sunday. Services at 11 o'clock and at night every second and fourth Sunday. Everybody is cordially invited.

The old year has passed out and the new year has rolled in. Of course it is welcome, but oh how we love the old year. We know what it had in store for us, but who knows what the new year will bring? So let us all be up and doing and try to make the year 1908 the best year of our lives. Let all the cousins come each week with a long newsy letter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cloar spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cole. Uncle Jerry and Aunt Ann were in fine spirits, as they always are. Both have enjoyed the holidays from start to finish. They have entertained several of their friends and have been highly entertained at several different homes during the holidays. As everyone knows, it certainly is a treat to have Uncle Jerry and Aunt Ann be their guests, as they are the finest and best people.

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