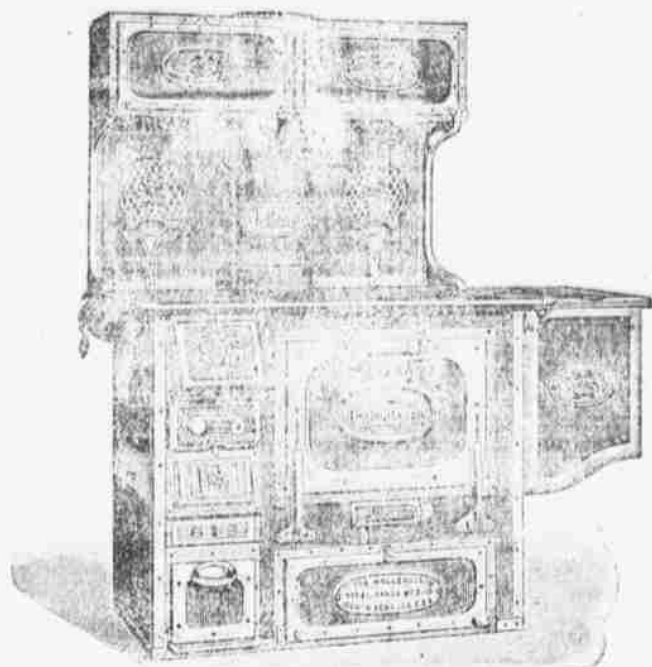


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Miss Pearl Vaught, of Hannibal arrived Saturday to visit Evan Smith and family.

Mrs. Alice Cookin, of Jonesboro, Tenn., has arrived and will pay her son, C. B. Cookin and family a nice long visit.

C. F. Dierks was with Shelbina friends Sunday.

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THURSDAY, DEC. 16, 1909

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Dear Santa Clause.

I thought I would write you a few lines to tell you what we want for Christmas. Patrick wants a train and a wagon with a little mule hitched to it. Leo wants a air gun and a drum. A toy horse, Gerres wants a Slead and a air gun, the baby wants a rocky horse and a rubber ring. Corene want a ring a pare of leagens, and hankerfish and that is all for this time and we all want some oranges and some Bannes and nuts and candy.

Good by
From Corene Tewell.

Furs.

I am in the market for all kinds of Furs and Skins and will pay the highest market price for them. Will receive the furs at home. Mutual Phone 116E; Postoffice Monroe City. 12-30 **JOHN WOOLFORK.**

Miss Margaret Huebsch, of Stouts-ville spent Saturday and Sunday with the homefolks and friends.

Indian Creek.

Wm. Riechoff took a car load of 2 year old steers to Chicago. Sunday.

Virgil Hamilton, of Lakenan was with friends at Indian Creek, Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Spalding who has been quite sick, is better.

Dr. J. B. Corley wears a big open face smile as the result of a big boy putting in an appearance at his home the 8th inst.

Sunday was Adolph Adams 20th birthday and a large crowd of the young folks gathered in to dinner to help him celebrate.

Corley and Spalding report the purchase of turkeys from the following: Thos. Lanham, W. T. Hays, Mrs. Susan L. Simms, Allen Paschal, Chas. Steele, Thos. Yaeger, Albert Lanham and Sidney Mudd.

In and Around Ely.

Man Scott shipped two car loads of cattle and one car of hogs. Sunday.

Miss Mary Yowell returned home Sunday after a few days in Palmyra.

Jeff Taylor made a business call to Monroe City, Thursday.

Mrs. J. F. Moss spent Saturday with Mrs. Jeff Taylor.

Peter Smith returned home Friday morning after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. H. T. Boone, of Midland, Texas.

J. F. Moss and son, Howard, were in Monroe City, Saturday on business.

Mrs. Robt. Scott was a Monroe City shopper one day last week.

Will Gosney and son, Everette were Monroe City callers Saturday.

Leny Turpin, of Brookfield is visiting his brother, Will Turpin.

Man Scott has bought a nice, large mule of Jim Brooks.

S. R. Emery's chicken house caught fire Tuesday night in a very mysterious way and burned to the ground, burning about five dozen chickens.

Scudder Maddox, of Monroe City was in the Ely neighborhood Saturday.

Fred Lane went to Quincy, Saturday, to visit his homefolks.

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