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Church Notices.

Announcements for Sunday, Jan. 1, 1911.

HUSTONTOWN, M. E. CHARGE, L. W. McGarvey, Pastor. Dublin Mills—Sunday School 9:30. Preaching 10:30. Clear Ridge—Sunday School 1:30. Preaching 2:30. Hustontown—Sunday school 2:00. Epworth League, 6:30. Preaching 7:00. Services at Wesley Chapel, Saturday, Dec. 31, 1910, at 7:00 p. m.

The Ladies' World.

The Ladies' World for January starts off with an excellent table of contents and the promise of another very interesting year. The remarkable articles on The Day of the Boy, which have been running for a few months, are brought to an end with one on The Work of the Y. M. C. A.—a really wonderful work of saving goes on quietly, persistently and effectively under the wise guidance of the managers of these institutions. Such articles as these are well worth while. Florence Morse Kingsley's story of Francesca moves rapidly, and brings the family to the gate of the new world, where the new home is to be made. The plot thickens and there is a hint of tragedy in the future chapters. We are sorry to part with A Melody in Silver, which is one of the prettiest novelettes we have read for a long time, but the ending was very satisfactory. The short fiction is good, particularly the school house story of the Mexican boy Pedro, and Clara Morris's How our Engagement was Sealed. The departments of this magazine are always excellent, because always practical. In The Household you are sure to find some information you want, and there are besides excellent fashions, instructions in dressmaking, needlework, the Ways of Society, Health, Good Looks, the Care of Children, etc., etc.—[New York; Fifty Cents a Year.]

Wants to Help Some One.

For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help some one now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from Backache, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, Lassitude and Kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for Liver Trouble, Dyspepsia, Blood Disorders, Female Complaints and Malaria. Try them. 50c. at Trout's drug store.

Mr. Edward D. Stevens and family have moved from this place to the John D. Cutchall farm in Taylor township. We hope they may find their new home pleasant.

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Long to be Remembered.

The sons, daughters, grandchildren, and invited guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Carnell, of Dott, will not soon forget the Christmas day just past. For years it has been the custom of the family to gather at the old home-stand one day in each year, and Christmas day was chosen for this year. Of course, the dinner was one of the main features of the occasion, and it was truly a credit to the culinary skill of Mrs. Carnell and her daughters. Turkey, with all the concomitants, chicken, and all that goes to make up a most excellent Christmas dinner, was served. The decorations of the parlor and dining room were all in keeping with the day and the beautiful tree, standing in one corner of the parlor was simply a delight to the little children. Numerous gifts were given and received, and as we saw the gifts presented to our hostess—among them a reclining Morris chair, a black dress pattern, a beautiful set of furs including a fur hood, hand painted china and Japanese ware and innumerable smaller gifts, we thought that, that lady could not question the devotion of her children.

Those present to enjoy the day were: James R. Sharpe, wife (Laura) and four children—Thurman, Verdie, Ada and Stanley; Jas. A. Truax, wife (Mollie) and daughters, Flore and Madeline; John Hess, wife (Florence) and daughter, Thelma; John Carnell and wife; Wm. Carnell wife and children, Pearl, Hazel, Della, Frank and Blanche; Bert Carnell, Miss Maye Carnell, a grand-daughter and our enterprising merchant Samuel M. Carnell. The friends invited were Mrs. Maria Spencer, Rev. Jesse Kauffman wife and little daughter Alberta; D. Garland, wife and son Maoshall; Milton B. Hill, wife and daughters, Kittle and Vivian; Misses Belle Mellott and Nannie Spencer, Roy Rice of Union and Nathan Truax of Pleasant Ridge.

A GUEST.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contains Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Clay Charlton, of Dawson City, Can., has a three months' leave of absence and is visiting his father, Wm. H. Charlton, at Warfordsburg, and other friends and relatives in this county. As it takes about fifty-four days on the road to make the round trip, Mr. Charlton does not have a big lot of time to spend at home. He is far enough north to be in the "land of the midnight sun" and as at this time of the year the sun is down south on a vacation, leaving Dawson City in midnight darkness during twenty-four hours each day, Mr. Charlton thought it a good time to come down south on a vacation, too.

"I had been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by all dealers.

George M. Bender is a wholesale dealer in poultry, butter and eggs, and is doing business in Pearl City, Ill. In sending a dollar to renew his subscription to the NEWS, George says: "I receive the NEWS every Saturday, and in it I read the old familiar names I used to know; but I see many that are new to me, or that I have forgotten; and this is not to be wondered at, for I have been away from the 'old Burg' for 22 years. We are having fine weather, a little snow, but not enough for sleighing. The roads are fine, and the temperature runs about zero—which we regard as nice winter weather."

WHY HE WAS BASHFUL.

Asked Questions About Topeka That Were Not Tactful. A Hutchinson girl declares this story to be true. She was visiting at a small Kansas town recently, and while there her hostess gave a party in her honor, and invited the pick of the whole countryside. Among the guests was a boy who had been to Topeka, so she had heard. She had some acquaintance in Topeka and tried to draw him out, inquiring: "How did you like Topeka?" The young fellow blushed and looked down before he murmured: "Oh, pretty well." "Do you know many people there?" she continued, trying to get him interested, and attributing his reticence to bashfulness. "Why, not many," he said, tugging at his collar, as if it were strangling him. "I suppose you went to the park while you were there?" she asked. "No," he replied. "I did not attend any of the affairs at the park. She talked about other things, and later, when an opportunity came, asked the hostess why that boy had been so reticent about talking of Topeka. The hostess threw up her hands. "We simply had to invite him," she replied. "He belongs to a good family. As a matter of fact, he has just returned from Topeka, where he has been in the reform school!"

SHE WONDERED.



Gerald—Once I was strongly tempted to blow out my brains. Geraldine—Did you do it?

He Finally Wen Out. "Nettie," cried the enamored young man, "I love you, and would go to the world's end for you." "Oh, no, you wouldn't, James," retorted the sweet girl graduate. "The world, or the earth, as it is called, is round like a ball; therefore it has no end."

"Yes, I know," continued the s. r. m., "but what I meant was that I'd do anything to please you. Ah, dearest, if you knew the aching void!" "Now I am surprised, James," interrupted the s. r. g. "Nature abhors a vacuum, and there is no such thing as a void; but admitting that there could be such a thing, how could the void you speak of be void if there was an ache in it?" "Oh, well," rejoined the young man, "at least I've got cash and property amounting to nearly \$100,000, and I want you to be my wife. So, there!" "James," rejoined the fair one without a moment's hesitation, "since you put it in that light, I haven't the heart to refuse you. Let the wedding bells ring without unnecessary delay."—Chicago News.

An Old Fable. "Metaphysics," said Bishop Castle, of Oregon, at a dinner in Philomath, "is a subject that always makes one think of the cat and the owl."

"A cat, you know, once set forth in quest of happiness. She wandered up, she wandered down; she questioned this animal and she questioned that. Finally, wrapped in meditation in a tree, she perceived an owl."

"Owl!" said the cat, "tell me, most wise bird, where happiness is to be found!" "In meditation," the owl replied. "Meditation alone is the true secret of happiness."

"But," said the cat, "on what subject am I to meditate?" "On the subject," the owl answered, "which has occupied the race of owls since the beginning of time—namely: Which came first, the owl or the egg; for, while the owl comes from the egg, so also does the egg come from the owl!"—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Using the Drag. The split log drag, if used correctly, will round the road, but care should be taken not to make the angle too steep, as it is only necessary to have just slope enough to cause the water to flow through the ditches rather than through the middle of the road. It too long a time elapses after the rains before split-log drag is used so that the roads become thoroughly dried out, the efficiency of the drag is largely decreased.

Filling Bad Cuts. Any large holes or bad cuts that have been made in the road due to the excessive amount of water should be filled up, not with brush and a little dirt, but, where they are deep, filled in with rock and then covered with dirt.

Negra Lingo. Senator Taylor, of Tennessee, tells of an old negro whose worthless son was married secretly. The old man heard of it and asked the boy if he was married. "I ain't sayin' I ain't," the boy replied. "Now, you Rastus," stormed the old man, "I ain't askin' you is you ain't; I is askin' you ain't you is."

The Limit. Would-be Hunter—Aw, me man, what's the game law limit in this locality? Guide (grimly)—Two deer and one guide.

PATENTS. Prize Offers from Leading Manufacturers. Book on patents. "Hints to inventors." "Inventions needed." "Why some inventors fail." Send rough sketch or model for search of Patent Office records. Our Mr. Greeley was formerly, Acting Commissioner of Patents, and as such had full charge of the U. S. Patent Office. GREELEY & McINTIRE PATENT ATTORNEYS WASHINGTON, D. C.

Jackson Hixson and wife, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Bethel township, have returned to their home at Pleasant Hill, O. They were accompanied by their Ohio home by Mrs. Hixson's mother, Mrs. S. Jane Hill. Mrs. Hill had been in frail health for some time, but word has been received stating that she stood the trip very well. It was Mr. Hixson's first visit to Fulton county for twenty-six years, and he enjoyed the stay very much, and his old friends were glad to see him again.

ROADS AND ROADMAKING. MUDDY ROADS ARE EXPENSIVE.

General Co-operation Among Farmers Needed to Secure Results. One thing needed in the country is more general co-operation among farmers to accomplish results which cannot be done single-handed. Every farmer in the country would approve of good roads, especially at this season of the year, when there is no bottom in some localities. But comparatively few farmers are willing to dig down in their pockets and pull up the necessary cash with which to pay for these good roads. There is a unanimous howl for hard roads, but no funds are available with which to build them. Owners in the big cities have to pay for the pavement in front of their property, even though they have no vehicles of any sort to wear them out. Farmers, of course, are not willing to stand a similar expense, but it does seem that some system of local taxation could be devised that would be fair and just to all. Cost of material is not great, but hauling and putting it down properly is the sticker. The cost of transportation has been figured out as follows:

By sea freights, one-tenth of one cent per ton per mile. By railroads, one cent per ton per mile. By good roads, seven cents per ton per mile. By ordinary country roads, 25 cents per ton per mile.

Ninety per cent of every load by steamship, railroad or express must be carried by wagon or truck over a highway. It costs the farmers of the United States nearly three times more than those of Europe to market an equal tonnage of farm products.

Cheap Dirt Road Roller. The frame of the roller is made of 4x4-inch scantling. The brace extending from frame to tongue is made from an old wagon tire. The drums are 3 1/2 feet in length and are made of old mower wheels on which are bolted 2x4 scantlings. An iron shaft extends the entire length of the two drums and is made stationary in the frame. The drums revolve on the

shaft. The box above the drums and in front of the seat is for extra weight when the weight of the roller is not sufficient to crush the clods in the road. The seat is an old mower seat bolted on rear end of the tongue so the weight of the driver will balance tongue and take weight off the neck of team.—John S. Pierce.

Revealed by Rains. One thing is shown by the heavy rains and that is, the natural course that the water will take; and where such courses are detrimental to the road, they should be changed so that they will not cut out the road bed. Where it is shown that an excessive amount of water is flowing along one side of the road, a drain should be put in to carry it under the road to the opposite side so that it can find its way down a hillside and away from the road.

On an ordinary dirt road, if the split log drag is used conscientiously and when necessary and if the proper drainage of the road is carefully looked after, it is possible to keep such a road in good condition, even with considerable rain. Of course in the winter during freezes and thaws, it is impossible to keep any dirt road from becoming heavy with mud.

A nursery for the children of patrons is connected with a Glasgow (Scotland) theatre.

Bob Magsam, who has been visiting his uncles George and John Magsam, left here last Saturday morning for Philadelphia and New York. After a short stay in those cities, he will return to his home in Huntingdon, where he will continue his studies in Juniata College.

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