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Mr. James M. Capps and Miss Josephine Johnson, of Murphy, married on December 22 in the office of the Wilson Electric Shop, of which Mr. Capps is manager. Esq. W. N. Bates performed the ceremony.

Mrs. D. B. Kiker, E. C. Muse and Miss Herbert, and Misses Ora and Alwayne Anderson, Mrs. M. Moss, and Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were among the guests who visited to Murphy during the past week.

Mrs. G. P. Neal, Mark Cooper, Miss Herbert, W. T. Holland, C. Bailey, Miss Joy Bailey, and Mr. J. L. Arrowood, of Andrews, were here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Christopher returned to the holidays with Mrs. Christopher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dickey, at Washington, Ga. Mr. Christopher returned the first of the week while Mrs. Dickey will be several more days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. S. Brooks, of Columbus, Ohio, are spending several days at the Dickey House during the winter months.

Mr. S. P. Clay, of Young Harris, Ga., was a visitor in Murphy Sunday.

Miss Ella Simonds, a member of the faculty of the high school of Asheville, N. C., visited her brother, Mr. A. M. Simonds, during the holidays.

Miss Winona Barton, who is attending school here, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. A. T. Barton, at Birch.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mills left a few days ago for Winchester, Ky.

Miss Hattie Palmer and brother, entertained with a watch party Monday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Palmer. The decorations consisted of spruce, holly, mistletoe and holly leaves. Soft shaded lights added much to the attractiveness of the scenery. Assisting Miss Palmer in serving refreshments were Misses Rita Belle Palmer and Emma Deweese. Those present were Misses Gertrude and Carrie Hamlin, Helen and Elizabeth Hampton, Lucine Wells, Carmen King, Ed Ellis, Gillie, Pearl and Pauline Hamlin, Thelma Sneed, Christine Ann, Anne Margaret Axley, Hazel West, Edythe Dickey, Hattie Palmer, and Messrs. George Savage, Ed Moody, Bryan Martin, Evan Ross Lovingood, Porter Axley, Porter McCreary, Luther Ellis, L. Dobbs, Robert Alston, Mack Springer, Gaston Manceval, Frazier Akin, Harvey Akin, Harry Miller, B. Hall Paul McClure, Toby Fain, Ward Brendle, Frank Dickey, Tom Combs, Fred Beck, Glenn Bates, C. F. Burley.

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The ladies of the Presbyterian Church gave Mr. and Mrs. Clary a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening, and the men pounded them.

Mr. H. H. Ellis returned the first of the week after having visited relatives in Kentucky.

LOST a wrist watch. A reward will be paid for its return to Miss Mabel Ellis, Murphy, N. C.

Miss Elizabeth Brittain, who has been spending her holidays from school with home folks in Murphy, returned to Young Harris College, after having spent her holidays with their parents in the Junaluska.

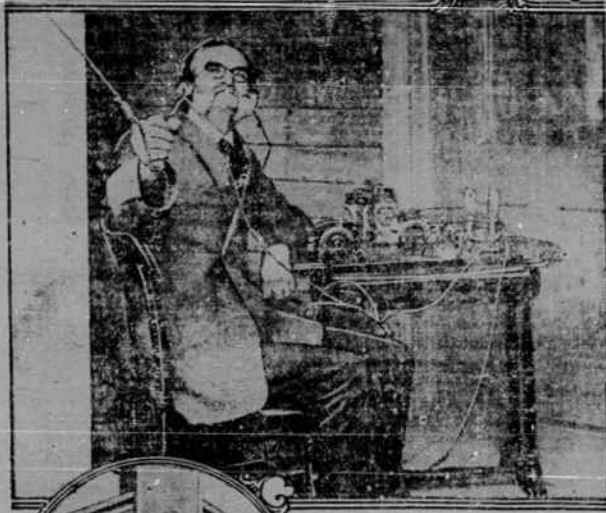
Miss Mary Ella and Mr. Charles stopped over in Murphy Wednesday on their return to Young Harris College, after having spent her holidays with their parents in the Junaluska.

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Residents of Medusa, N. Y., Get Noontime Signals by Unique Process.



Upper Picture—Church Bell Relays Radio Time Signals of WGY Every Noon to Farming Community. Below—C. J. Waldron at Door of Medusa, N. Y., Church.

Many stages of amplification and three different wavelengths are used to get Arlington time signals to the farmers in the vicinity of Medusa, Albany county, N. Y.

C. J. Waldron, a Medusa resident, lives next door to the church. He has added a few feet to the length of the bell rope and every noon, after tuning in WGY, the General Electric Company station at Schenectady, N. Y., he

sits on his porch with phone on hand and bell rope in hand, waiting for the long Arlington note which marks twelve o'clock. At the long note he pulls the bell rope, and the bell, which is a big one, heralds the time signal near around.

By the time the Medusa farmers get the signal it has passed through three different wavelengths. Arlington broadcasts on 2500 meters wavelength. WGY received the signal on a special apparatus and then amplifies the received signals and radiates them on 280 meters. Mr. Waldron again amplifies the signal for the farmers. The distance that the bell rope has not been measured.

Dining Table a Social Spot With Electric Lights in Hanging Dome

Home Lighting Specialists Declare Most Inviting Farm Dining Room Concentrates Light in Warm Glow on the Table.

If good cheer is to surround the evening meal, then, according to specialists in the art of lighting homes—farm homes as well as city homes—that there must be light. It must be the mellow, heart-brightening light that puts people in a complacent frame of mind.

Just light alone will not always produce this happy result. It must be well placed and well planned, for if it glares directly in the eyes, it annoys

and cheer. It affords an alluring picture when the supper horn sounds and the farmer and his family gather after the labors of the day.

To accomplish this happy effect, electric lights in a dome as shown in the upper picture, are the best method. The dome should be carefully hung, about two feet above the table. That brings it low enough to prevent the light from shining directly into the eyes of the people, yet high enough so that persons on opposite sides of the table can see each other's faces.

Although by far the most light is needed on the table itself, the rest of the room should not be left in twilight. To avoid this, side fixtures, preferably of the candle type, as



Above—Farmhouse Dining Room With Modern Lighting, Concentrated on the Table, Advocated by Specialists of the General Electric Co. Below—Old Style, Inefficient Dining Room Lighting.

Instead of pleasant, and if it is dim, it is apt to promote despondency, or accentuate peevishness.

The dining room, of all rooms, needs a social atmosphere at meal time. The group around the dining table is comparable only to the traditional fireside circle. Instead of the hearthstone as the center of cordial good feeling, however, it is, in this case, the dining table.

But if the dining table is dimly lighted, or glaringly lighted, most of all if it merely shares in the general illumination of the entire room, there is a distressing absence of that sense of comfortable geniality which makes the charm of a home—a home on a farm just as much as a home anywhere else.

The Cheer of Good Light
Lighting specialists have found that a central fixture which throws plenty of light on the dining table, and yet shades the light so that there is a mellow effect, without glare, is one of the best sorts of lighting for this room. The dining table then stands in an inviting glow of warmth

shown in the upper picture, are desirable. They give enough light to enable people to move about the room.

Old Style Hurts the Eyes
Poor, unsatisfactory light for the dining room is afforded by the sort of fixtures shown in the lower illustration. The central fixture is an old-style dome, combining electricity and gas. It is so high that the electric lights shine in the eyes of those at the table, while the gas jets, if used, would be still more unsatisfactory.

The brackets jutting out from the wall also give a glaring light, and are far from ornamental, compared to those used in the upper illustration.

The farmhouse that possesses electric lights need never have a cheerless, unattractive dining room for the evening meal. Greater things can be done with electric lights, it has been found, than with any other lights.

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN!

On January 10 I will open the biggest value sale ever held in Cherokee County.

Read the Circular which will follow; also next week's Scout.

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Father Time's Baby

FATHER TIME has called the New Year his Young Hopeful.

He presents him as a happyurchin with a smiling face.

Thus we welcome him. We always make new investments in hope on January first.

We are not disposed to criticize Time's new boy.

The criticism of a flower adds to our knowledge, but it spoils the flower.

Even if the future brings something of disappointment it will leave us something to still hope for.

The hope of a sail has sustained many a castaway upon this island of a world.

It is such a pleasure to hope that one could thank God for it, though he never realized it.

Christopher G. Hazard.
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New Year Skating

By Mary Graham Bonner

ON THAT crisp, cold, bright New Year's day they went skating. The children home for the holidays, the fathers home from business, the mothers who were having a glorious afternoon in the out-of-doors—all took part in the New Year skating party which was being given.

The ice was firm, hard and smooth. Never had it seemed so wonderful.

The air was invigorating. There was no wind. It was an ideal day for a skating party.

Afterward they would go back for a New Year's supper party and sit around a big fire telling stories. They would all be at the party. It would be for both old and young, for was not New Year's day a day that was young and yet so close to the oldest day of the year that had gone before?

And in the meantime they skated and laughed and sang songs and fell down and laughed some more and played games. All of them joined in.

And they looked about them at the frozen lake and at the hills surrounding with the glow of the first afternoon's rose light upon them.

It was a beautiful world and people in it were so beautiful, too.

Had it anything to do with the wishes for a Happy New Year which everyone had been wishing everyone else that day?

And not only that—but the wishes in the hearts of each which were sincere wishes for happiness in the gay, good, New Year just commencing?

UNCLE EBEN TOO BUSY
"I has a great respect," said Uncle Eben, "foh de man dat is too busy shovelin' snow to prance around wishin' everybody 'Happy New Year' when dey bumps on his sidewalk."

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There has been quite a lot of sickness through this section lately.

Most everybody seems to be enjoying the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dockery, of Murphy, spent Xmas with Mrs. Dockery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Voyles.

Ralph, the son of Zack Ramsey, has been very ill with pneumonia.

Three little children of Dennis Carroll have been very ill with pneumonia.

Alex Gibson says he hates to see it rain so much because it knocks him out of going to Murphy to get a shave.

C. L. and Hillman Stiles, of Birch, spent Christmas with their uncle, E. E. Stiles, of this place.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Ramsey, a fine baby boy, December 20th.

Miss Sallie Mingus, who is teaching at Pettibon Creek, is spending the holidays with home folks.

Miss Nina Ramsey, who has been visiting relatives at Murphy, returned home a few days ago.

Mr. James Stephens, of Knoxville, is visiting friends here this week. We were very sorry to hear of the death of Millard Johnson, of Bearpaw.

Little Lorena Johnson, of Ocreeta, is spending the holidays with her grandparents at this place.

We are all glad that Mrs. Nathan Dockery, who was sick so long, is almost well again.

Edythe Voyles, who has been seriously ill, is recovering now.

Rev. Charlie Hembree has been very ill with heart trouble for the last few days.

Attorney W. R. Voyles, of West Point, Miss., is expected home in a few days.

If this escapes the waste basket will come again soon.

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