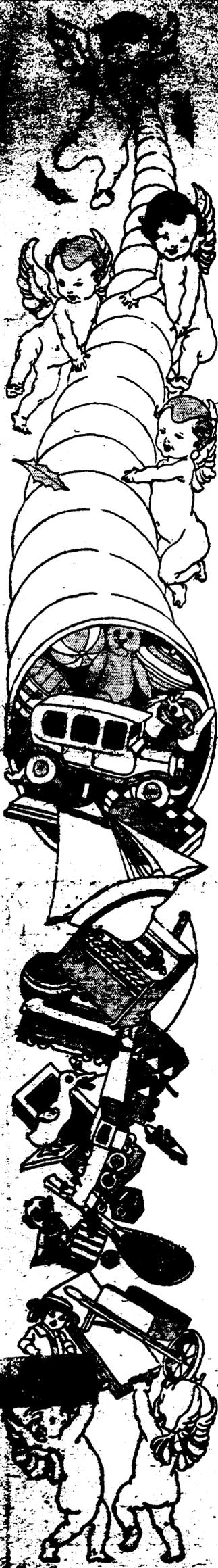


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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gaffney spent the first of the week in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel entertained friends Sunday.

The progressive pedro club meets with Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoisel Friday evening.

Miss Claudis Hinchey spent the week end with her sister in East Marion.

North Lake

Mrs. Mary Gilbert spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. J. Dunbar near Pinckney.

Mr. Earl Scouten left Monday for Niagra Falls where he will spend the winter.

The following were entertained at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hanked Wednesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilbert, Hazel and Eleanor Eisenbeise and Laura Hudson, Messrs. Fred and Hudson and Ralph Glenn of Chelsea.

Mrs. L. T. Lamborne of Iosco spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. F. Hinchey.

Mr. Elmer Lindermann of Ann Arbor and Miss Aileen Mohrlak of Dexter visited at the home of Henry Gilbert Sunday.

F. Hinchey delivered a load of Cattle at Detroit last week.

Miss Grace Fuller returned to her work in Chelsea after spending some time with her parents here.

North Hamburg

Clayton Carpenter has gone back to work for the railroad company trading cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. VanHorn visited friends at Chicago last week.

Mr. John Williams of Fowlerville was an over Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Haddock.

Clyde M. Bennet is home for a short visit.

The men's annual oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nash last Friday evening considering the inclemency of the weather was well attended and everybody appeared to enjoy themselves.

The supper was served with neatness and dispatch. The men are getting to be experts at the business. All goods at apron sale were quickly disposed of at a fair price.

West Marion

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maycock this week Thursday for dinner. Every one invited.

Mrs. Wellman was called from her case of nursing near Chilson, to the bedside of her little granddaughter in Lansing.

The Ever Welcome class will hold their annual banquet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Webb, Tuesday for dinner.

Evangelist Heart from Orono is visiting Mr. Gilbert in special meetings at this place.

Vance Miller is visiting his parents for a few days.

All Have First This Week and Next

In order to receive the best Christmas gifts, we are making the Dispatch all at home this week and next. If you are looking for bargains in the line of Christmas Gifts, be sure and read all of the ads and all in the ads. As the merchants have gone to considerable trouble and expense to bring special bargains to your attention, it will be much to your advantage to take notice of the same.

Remember to renew your subscription to the Dispatch before Jan. 1st, and get the 25 cent discount. We are giving all who wish to pay a year in advance a chance to do so at the old dollar rate, and will be glad to have anyone take advantage of this offer.

Ask for prices on magazines, we can save you money.

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A Real Surprise

Monday evening, Dec. 11th, about eighty people from North Homburg, Brighton and vicinity entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleton, Mrs. Appleton was formerly Miss Grace Nash, to assist them in celebrating their Fifteenth Wedding Anniversary. They had celebrated the day by washing, butchering, etc., and the boys had gone to bed, but not to sleep. After a social time and music by Mrs. Pitkins and Rolison and a number of songs by the house, the ladies gave out numbers to be matched for partners for supper. Refreshments were then served, after which Mr. Arthur Schoenhals, by a few well chosen remarks, presented them with a beautiful rocker with the compliments and best wishes of the community.

Christmas Eve

By ROSE B. VAN SPELCE

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There is a holy hush in the twilight gray
That shrouds in the Christmas day;

There's a solemn look in the stately trees
And a strange restraint in the winter breeze.

All nature's thrill with a great amazement
On the threshold of this day of days.

The shy agleam with its myriad stars
The clouds were more glorious at sunset's bars.

The faces of men have a tender glow;
Their voices in cadence are soft and low.

And heaven is a little nearer earth
On the evening that heralds the Saviour's birth.

What's in a Name?
A large steamer was once wrecked because one of the sailors was named West. The vessel was outward bound from Rotterdam, and the sailor was on deck polishing some brasswork. Suddenly the captain called him and told him to go below. The second officer on the bridge heard the captain call out the man's name and thought it was an order to change the course of the vessel to west. He did so, and the result was that the ship ran on to a dangerous shoal. That name cost the owners of the vessel the sum of \$2,000,000.

The man who can fly with a straight razor is generally regarded as a Philistine.

More States Swing Into Line

The Prohibition candidate for secretary of state in Minnesota received 84,000 votes, the candidate for U. S. Senator 78,462, and the candidate for railroad and warehouse commissioner, 63,000.

A prohibition victory was won in the state of Wyoming on November 7th. The U. S. senator-elect is absolutely for prohibition. The legislature elect is dry, and is sure to submit a statewide prohibition amendment at the next legislature, if it does not enact a statutory prohibition at once.

New Mexico lined up on the prohibition side at the recent election. Previously both Republican and Democrat parties had declared in favor of submitting statewide prohibition through the legislature which meets in January. All are now committed to the Anti-Saloon League program. Governor-elect E. C. DeBaca, Lieut. Gov. Lindsey, Secretary of State Lucero and practically all the state officers elect are dry. New Mexico may follow the course of Idaho in passing a statutory prohibition act and submit a constitutional amendment at the same time.

Our store will be open evenings for your convenience. Adv. Wm. H. Porter, Howell, Mich.

School Notes

The girls of the Literary Society are practicing a play to be given at their next meeting.

Edward Bennett is absent from school this week on account of a broken arm.

Vincent Stackable visited school this week Tuesday and Wednesday.

The tenth-grade English have completed the study of Ivanhoe.

The two lower rooms are preparing for a Christmas program.

Notice to Tax Payers!

The Tax Roll is now in my hands for collection, and will receive taxes at Murphy & Jackson's store on Saturdays. ALGER J. HALL, Township Treas.

Look at our Ad on inside page it may interest you. Adv. Wm. H. Porter, Howell, Mich.

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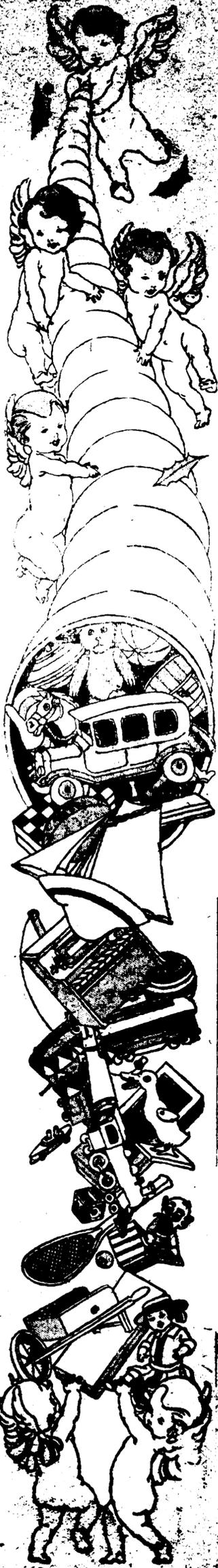
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One day a gentleman gave half a crown to a "deaf and dumb" beggar, who, quite taken off his guard by such unusual munificence, exclaimed: "Bless you, sir! Bless you!" "Hello!" said the gentleman. "I thought you were deaf and dumb." "So I was, sir," replied the beggar, "but your extraordinary generosity was such a shock—such a pleasant shock—to the system that it has restored my speech and hearing. Bless you again, sir, a thousand times!"—London Tit-Bits.

When a man says two can live as cheaply as one it means he is not married, but thinking about it.—Franklin D. Roosevelt.



The Standard Union.
The heart of a Greenbacker is made of securities and a few blue chips.



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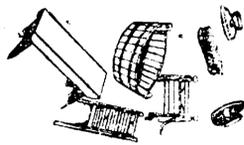
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LIQUOR BARS EFFICIENCY

High Catholic Churchman Says Country Suffers From Use of Intoxicants.

Washington, D. C.—The work of "identifying religion and sobriety," in the words of the Very Rev. P. J. O'Callaghan, formerly a resident of Chicago, was continued here with the opening of the forty-sixth convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union, with 600 delegates in attendance. The chief address of the day was that of Archbishop Keane of Dubuque.

"The country is suffering from inefficiency induced by intoxicants," he said. "We have too much crime, poverty, misery, and sin as the consequence of liquor. The per capita consumption of alcoholic liquors steadily increases notwithstanding all our efforts."

"We know that if every man in America would become a total abstainer the most serious social problem would be no more. Then the most threatening menace to our posterity would be almost negligible. This is not rhetoric it is cold truth."

WHAT DO THE WETS MEAN?

There Seems to Be a Diversity of Opinion Among Them.

"Does prohibition prohibit?" It seems to, according to the wets, says the American Issue, and quotes:

"Many mail order houses say that they will retire from business if the Webb-Kenyon law is declared constitutional by the Supreme Court of the United States. These men say there is no money selling liquors under the drastic limitation laws that many of the states have adopted and that others will adopt—they think—if the Webb-Kenyon law is valid.

"It is our opinion that the drastic limitation laws will cause a return to the license system, and we hope that they will be made more drastic than at present."—Bonfort's Wine and Spirit Circular.

The above is a sample of wet logic which shows how hard it is to please the liquor interests. On one page of almost any liquor journal we find some official of the liquor interests exulting over increased dry territory and drastic prohibition law, because "it means increased sales." We turn over a page or two and find some other liquor publicity man complaining because "Prohibition laws are so drastic that liquor men can no longer make a living."

It has been suggested that these fellows get together and agree on one line of argument to be used in explaining the decline of the liquor trade.

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HOW PROHIBITION WORKS

Some Very Interesting Facts Gathered By a Michigan Editor.

Port Huron, Mich.—Louis A. Well, editor of the Port Huron Times-Herald, returned recently from a trip to the Pacific coast, bringing several interesting incidents which show that prohibition is taken very seriously in Oregon.

"They told me," said Mr. Well, "that few people in Oregon believed the lumber camps could be run without booze, on account of the wild and irresponsible nature of the working men. Since January 1 it has been proved that a lumber camp in Oregon not only can retain its full force of men under prohibition methods, but that much greater efficiency and general content is the result of saloon abolition."

"A striking incident in Portland came to my attention from the social welfare department. A day nursery was established some time ago in which mothers could leave their babies while they went out to work. Since prohibition went into effect this nursery has practically lost its patronage. The mothers do not have to work because their husbands now have jobs."

"The prohibition people are not unimportant. In Seattle I found one of the leading hotels managed by a man who had been prohibition hard. He had been conducting dances for the public and as a result there were considerable financial losses. When I stepped into the hotel the people were dancing in the evening and having a thorough good time, though without the attendant inspiration of alcoholic beverages and without the other objectionable results which frequently follow public dances.

"Altogether the dry regime seemed to be thoroughly welcome wherever I went in Washington and Oregon."

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STATES' RIGHTS PRESERVED

Principles Which Railways Hold Should Govern Regulatory System in Interests of Public and the Roads—Compulsory System of Federal Incorporation Favored.

Washington, Dec. 4.—That the interests of national defense require that control of railway lines should rest with the federal government and not with the states was the claim advanced by Alfred P. Thom, counsel to the Railway Executives' Advisory Committee, in concluding his preliminary statement of the case for the railways before the Newlands Joint Committee on Interstate Commerce.

"We must be efficient as a nation if we are to deal successfully with our national emergencies," said Mr. Thom, "and we must appreciate that efficient transportation is an essential condition of national efficiency. If we are to halt and weaken our transportation systems by state lines, by the permanent imposition of burdens by unwise regulation, we will make national efficiency impossible."

States' Rights Would Not Suffer.

Mr. Thom cited many instances in which shippers in one state were injuriously affected by selfish regulations imposed on the railroads by neighboring states. He pointed out that federal regulation would be no invasion of the rights of the states but would be the means of preserving the rights which they acquired when they entered the Union, one of which was the right to the free movement of their products across state boundaries.

What the Railroads Advocate.

The principles which the railroads believe should be incorporated in any just system of regulation were summarized by Mr. Thom as follows:

1. The entire power and duty of regulation should be in the hands of the national government, except as to matters so essentially local and incidental that they cannot be used to interfere with the efficiency of the service or the just rights of the carriers.

2. As one of the means of accomplishing this, a system of compulsory federal incorporation should be adopted, into which should be brought all railroad corporations engaged in interstate or foreign commerce.

3. The Interstate Commerce Commission should be reorganized, has too much to do and is hampered with conflicting functions, including the investigation, prosecution and decision of cases. The latter duties should be placed in the hands of a new body which might be called the Federal Railroad Commission. Regional Commissions should be established in different parts of the country to assist the Interstate Commerce Commission by handling local cases.

4. The power of the Commission should be extended to enable it to prescribe minimum rates and not merely maximum rates as at present. This would increase their power to prevent unjust discriminations.

Justice to Public and Roads.

5. It should be made the duty of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in the exercise of its powers to fix reasonable rates, to so adjust these rates that they shall be just at once to the public and to the carriers. To this end the Commission, in determining rates, should consider the necessity of maintaining efficient transportation and extensions of facilities, the relation of expenses to rates and the rights of shippers, stockholders and creditors of the roads.

6. The Interstate Commerce Commission should be invested with the power to fix the rates for carrying mails.

7. The federal government should have exclusive power to supervise the issue of stocks and bonds by railroad carriers engaged in interstate and foreign commerce.

8. The law should recognize the essential difference between things which restrain trade in the case of ordinary mercantile concerns and those which restrain trade in the case of common carriers. The question of competition should not be the only fair criterion.

9. The law should expressly provide for the meeting and agreement of traffic officers of railroads in respect to rates or practices. This agreement, however, be safeguarded by requiring the agreements to be filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission and to be subject to be disapproved by it.

"My legal proposition," Mr. Thom said, "is that the Constitution as it now is gives full authority to Congress to regulate the instrumentalities of interstate commerce in all their parts. If the power of regulation is to reach the public requirements, it must be co-extensive with the instrumentalities of commerce."

Mr. Thom explained that the roads are not asking either of the Committee or of Congress any increase in revenues, but that they are merely asking the perfection of a system which will be responsible to any need that may arise.



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PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Miss Nellie Gardner spent Monday in Jackson.
 Mrs. Floyd Reason is spending the week in Detroit.
 Miss Florence Cook is visiting relatives at Williamston.
 Mrs. Agnes Harris is visiting relatives at Eaton Rapids.
 C. G. Meyer was in Ann Arbor on business Wednesday.

Mrs. N. Vaughn spent the last of the week with relatives at Jackson.

Mrs. Roy Merrill and daughter are visiting her mother, Mrs. Nettie Vaughn.

Mrs. Walter Chapman of Pontiac spent last week at the home of Michael Dolan.

Will Moran and daughter Madeline were Detroit visitors the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Doble were entertained at L. G. Deveraux's over Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Artz and son of Detroit spent the first of the week at the home of her brother, M. J. Reason.

Mrs. Blice King of Jackson spent a few days the past week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Barton.

L. E. Richards installed a Bell furnace at Jas. Gibney's near Stockbridge the first of the week.

Edward Bevel had the misfortune to break his arm Saturday night while cranking an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rane and daughter of Whitmore Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Artz and son, Helen Reason and Nick Burns of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of F. Reason.

H. D. Brown and family have moved to Detroit.

C. J. Sibley was in Howell on business Saturday.

Miss Ruth Frost was an Ann Arbor visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Roche and daughters spent Saturday in Howell.

Be sure and attend Dancer's big fur sale. Adv. on another page.

Mrs. M. J. Reason spent a few days the past week at Whitmore Lake.

Dr. H. F. Sigler and Mrs. C. L. Sigler were Ann Arbor callers Friday.

Mrs. Pearl Smith and son of Stockbridge were callers here last week.

Mrs. E. W. Martin visited her son Geo. M. Martin of Howell the past week.

Mrs. H. Mowers and Mrs. Gene Campbell spent several days last week in Ann Arbor.

Miss Heley Dolan spent a few days the past week with relatives at Pontiac and Detroit.

Mrs. Frank Reynolds and children of Owosso spent Monday with Alden Carpenter and wife.

Mrs. Walter Chapman of Pontiac is spending a few days at the home of her father, M. Dolan.

S. H. Can was in Howell Saturday to secure ice, his supply here having become exhausted.

Mrs. Jennie Brown left last week for Adrian where she will make her home with her daughter Mrs. Maude Newton.

The first division of the Ladies Aid society of the Cong'l Church will serve supper at their hall Wednesday, Dec. 20th. The members are requested to be present at the business meeting as there will be election of officers at that time.

Some party or parties, with more nerve than principle, drove up to George Taylor's barn last Sunday night and helped themselves to some twenty bushel of oats. They had a team of well shod horses and a light wagon. He has no clue to the identity of the thieves further than that. A short time ago J. C. Newman lost a quantity of husked corn out of the field. E. L. Hynes had a number of bushels of apples stolen from a pile in his orchard—Brighton News.

Evading the Issue.

"Ma. Mrs. Gable asked me what your annual income was, and I evaded her question, as you told me."
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Wolf	\$5, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10

Scarfs

Marten	\$20 to \$25	Hudson	\$30 to \$35
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ANCIENT YULETIDE CUSTOMS

The Druids and Romans Both Used Evergreen Decorations.

The use of evergreens at Christmas comes from the Romans, who thus ornamented their temples during the feast of Saturn, while Ivy was universally used in feasts in honor of Bacchus. The ancient Druids hung green branches and mistletoe over their doors as a propitiation to woodland sprites; they used also to cut green trees and carry them into their houses to protect the spirits of the forest and to ward off evil influences. The Druids would cut from the spruce to decorate the forests with holly, ivy, and mistletoe.

The custom was found among the English peasantry not more than 200 years ago. They hung evergreens in their cottages in the belief that they would attract sprites and that the hedges would remain unrippled by the frosts and furnish a shelter for the woodland deities. "Standard trees" in the city were originally "nailed full of holly and ivy," showing that the external aspect of Christmastide was a public concern in the days of our ancestors.

"Ethel is taking viola lessons."
"She is? Why, the poor girl hasn't the slightest ear for music."
"I know, but she has beautiful elbows."

A child takes Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets without thinking of "medicine."

MAKE YOUR OWN CHRISTMAS HAPPY
DO YOUR GIFT BUYING HERE

Toilet Goods

Make practical, useful gifts. The selection of such presents betokens good judgement on the part of the giver and are sure to please the recipient. Brushes, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets and other staple lines are being sold at our regular everyday prices.

Cameras

A camera will extend Christmas cheer throughout the entire year. It will provide pleasure for every member of the family. A camera teaches love of nature. It means instruction, amusement and recreation now and satisfaction in the years to come.

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She will always welcome Manicure Goods. We carry an unusually fine line of such goods, and during the holidays we show them in attractive cases. Files, Buffers, Scissors, Cuticle Knives, Nail Enamel, Nail Bleach, Orange-wood Sticks, Etc. We can make up a set including any number of pieces and preparations.

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Fine Box Papers are always in demand as Christmas Gifts. Our stock of Stationery is rendered still more suitable as gifts because of the beautiful packages in which the goods are shown. We have a superb line of Box Papers.

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No matter what else you buy for the children, remember that their happiness will not be complete without a few of the new Games, Toys, etc. Every member of the family will enjoy an interesting game. Let the children come to our store and see the new games.

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We handle the goods to help make it so. Come and See. Its worth a long drive to look over our splendid assortment.

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS to us all, my dears! God bless us! God bless us every one, said Tiny Tim the last of all. CHARLES DICKENS.

MEN cannot live isolated; we are all bound together. No higher man can separate himself from the lowest. CARLYLE.

EVERY day is a fresh beginning. Listen, my soul, to the glad refrain and, spite of old sorrow and older sinning, take heart of the day and begin again. SUSAN COOLIDGE.

ROUGH going, ardent and sincere earnestness—there is no substitute for them. CHARLES DICKENS.

REALIZE that doing good is the only certainly happy action of a man's life. SIR PHILIP SIDNEY.

YET to have gently dreamt pre-udes low ends. JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL.

CHRISTMAS time I have always thought of as a good time—a kind, forgiving, charitable, pleasant time. CHARLES DICKENS.

HEAP on more wood, the wind is chill, but, let it whistle as it will, we'll keep our Christmas merry still! SIR WALTER SCOTT.

REJOICE, O young man, in thy youth and let thy heart cheer thee. THE BIBLE.

I SAID it in the meadow path; I say it on the mountain stairs—the best things any mortal hath are those which every mortal shares. LUCY LARCOM.

SO the first dance told me there was no duty path in the world like dancing to be good and true myself, leaving the rest of things to the lead of show. ROBERT BROWNING.

THEN from a philosopher from the window on the night, and a voice with a cad: "Listen! Christmas can be over here!" CHARLES KINGSLEY.

MAY the fair goddess, Fortune, fall deep in love with thee! Prosperity be thy portion. SHAKESPEARE.

A GAIN at Christmas did we weave the holly round the Christmas hearth. The silent snow possessed the earth and calm; fell on Christmas eve. TENNYSON.

SO ever keep hope for this is strength, and he who possesseth it can work through typhoid. RUDYARD KIPLING.

The custom of handshaking dates back to the time of Henry II of England.

A Christmas Carol

By CHRISTINA G. ROSSETTI

Lo, newborn Jesus,
Soft and weak and small,
Wrapped in baby's bands
By his mother's hands,
Lord God of all!

Lord God of Mary,
Whom his lips caress
While he rocks to rest
On her milky breast
In helplessness.

Lord God of shepherds
Flocking through the cold,
Flocking through the dark
To the only ark,
The only fold.

Lord God of all things,
Be they near or far,
Be they high or low,
Lord of storm and snow,
Angel and star.

Lord God of all men,
My Lord and my God,
Thou who lovest me,
Keep me close to thee
By staff and rod.

Lo, newborn Jesus,
Loving great and small,
Love's free sacrifice,
Opening arms and eyes
To one and all!

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United Doctors Specialist Will Again be at

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Remarkable Success of Talented Physicians in the Treatment of Chronic Diseases
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The United Doctors Specialist, licensed by the state of Michigan for the treatment of all diseases, including deformities, nervous and chronic diseases of men women and children, offer to all who call on this trip, consultation, examination, advice free, making no charge whatever, except the actual cost of treatment. All that is asked in return for these valuable services is that every person treated will state the result obtained to their friends and thus prove to the sick and afflicted in every city and locality, that at last treatments have been discovered that are reasonably sure and certain their effect.

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Diseases of the stomach, intestines, liver, blood, skin, nerves, heart, spleen, rheumatism, flatulency, tapeworm, leg ulcers, weak lungs, and those afflicted with long standing, deep seated, chronic diseases, that have baffled the skill of the family physician, should not fail to call. Diseases that have been cured in sixty days.

According to their system no more operation for appendicitis, gall stones, tumors, gonorrhea, etc., as all cases accepted will be treated without operation or any form of anesthesia, as they were the first in America to earn the name of "Bloodless Surgeons," by doing away with blood and with all pain in the successful treatment of these dangerous diseases.

No matter what your ailment may be, no matter what others may have told you, no matter what experience you may have had with other physicians, it will be to your advantage to see them at once. Have it forever settled in your mind. If your case is incurable they will give you such advice as may relieve and stay the disease. Do not put off this duty you owe yourself or friends or relatives who are suffering because of your sickness, as a visit at this time may help you.

Wore-out or run-down men or women no matter what your ailment may be, call it costs you nothing.

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I will be at W. S. Morrow's place of business every Thursday of each week hereafter during the winter and spring, and will pay the highest market price for furs. Theo. Bell, Dexter, Mich.

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Christmas Comes When You Least Expect It.

THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW WILL SOON BE THE DAY BEFORE YESTERDAY.
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"We positively guarantee that if you can buy any article anywhere else for any less, we will gladly Refund your money"

Just about this time, every year, that same all-important question stares you in the face—what sort of presents shall I choose?

Why not decide THIS YEAR to buy USEFUL gifts—useful, yet decorative and beautiful—and above all, gifts that last, that remain through the passing years as a memento of your real thoughtfulness and "good will?" That's the kind of a Christmas present YOU prefer isn't it? Well so do your friends.

The Square Deal Store
GLENN H. BEURMAN
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CHRISTMAS

Morris Chairs

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\$9.00 to \$35

Vacuum Cleaner

\$5 to \$35

The Sentries' Christmas Dinner

Raymond P. Sanford, a robust and healthy undergraduate of Cornell, lived for scientific purposes on 85 cents a week, his food including buttermilk, lentils, peanuts, raisins, cabbage, peppers, oatmeal and apples.

"I thrive on this fare," Mr. Sanford said. "I admit, however, that to stick to it takes will power. I have to govern my sylvan propensities. I must not fritter the young sentries."

"There was once a Christmas masquerade ball in a European palace, you know, and a squad of young sentries stood guard out in the snow.

"Well, as the ball progressed the conduct of a certain guest disguised as a Santa Claus astonished and perplexed everybody. This Santa Claus would dance with the prettiest women for fifteen or twenty minutes, and then, hurrying to the buffet, he would drink a bottle of champagne and eat lobster salad, ices, caviar sandwiches, truffled turkey—everything in sight.

"The host, after several hours of such gluttonous and intemperate conduct on the part of the Santa Claus guest, conferred with his butler and to his amazement learned that the offender had by actual computation devoured forty sandwiches, sixty ices and eight quarts of lobster salad, while he had drunk thirty-one bottles of champagne and ninety glasses of punch.

"It seemed incredible! Yet there he was, as vigorous and fresh and sober as ever, now whispering compliments in a pretty matron's ear, now rushing to the buffet for more wine and more lobster.

"Furious and vexed, the host took counsel by the arm and led him to your invitation card," he

"But Santa Claus, alas, had none.

"Then namask!"

"Dolefully the spurious guest obeyed.

"Why, you're one of the sentries?"

"Yes, sir."

"He was indeed one of the sentries—

one of the squad of sentries stationed outside in the snow.

"These young men had hired a cheap Santa Claus makeup and, donning it one by one, had each enjoyed a brief but delightful share of the Christmas festivities—the dancing and lobster and champagne in the ballroom."—Washington Star.

THE MEDICINAL MISTLETOE.

An "All-Healer" of the Ancients—Myth Concerning the Parasite.

"A monster in botany, a dryad in mythology, a panacea in therapeutics and a perennial Yuletide symbol" is the traditional character assigned to the viscum album, "hollyhock" or mistletoe, by Dr. John Knott in the New York Medical Journal. The mistletoe at Christmastide is hailed by doctors as an old acquaintance, the legend of whose healing virtues is still potent in the practice of some of that respectable profession. For at least twenty centuries its medicinal properties have penetrated with the mystic of their origin the popular make of romance and of benighted and medical literature. Suspended from the warty branches, the parasite was by its strange contrast of environment invested with awe and religious dignity by the Celtic Druids and immortalized in fable among the western nations the locus of the Magdalen. Verger compared its mysterious foliage and fragrance to the Sibyl's golden bough. The Sibyl of Scandinavia was awakened from Loki's iron sleep to prophesy the death by the mistletoe of the bright sun god Balder. Its flourishing amid the dead starkness of winter may account for the fatal qualities assigned to the evergreen by the nations, but also its wondrous growth made it a symbol of resurrection, peace and healing. Pliny in Plutarch Holland's quaint translation thus describes the herb in the quaint and ancient ceremony of the Druids:

"They call it in their language All-Healer (for they have an opinion of it that it cureth all maladies whatsoever), and when they are about to gather it, after they have well & duly prepared their sacrifices and festival cheers under the said tree, they bring thither two young bullocks milk white, such as never drew in yoke at plow or wain, and whose heads were then and not before bound by the horn, which done, the priest, anointed in a surplice or white vesture, climbeth up into the tree and with a golden hook or bill cutteth it off, and they beneath receive it in a white soldiers cascock or coat of arms. Then they fall to kill the beasts aforesaid for sacrifice, mumbling many orisons & praying devoutly; that it would please God to bless this gift of his to the good and benefit of all those to whom he had vouchsafed to give it. Now this persuasion they have of Mistletoe

Christmas Eve

The blacklog's flame has died away:

The embers into ashes drift.

Outside the snows are eddying, gray,

And piling fast in many a rift.

White robed is now the cedar tree

Where once the carbird nightly sang.

And from the eaves by two and three

The icicles like arrows hang.

The shadows on the somber wall

Flit, cross and dance amid the gloom,

And streaks of ghostly color fall

In changing hues about the room.

The spiders in the corners dim

Within their webs the closer cling

And from the mantle's oaken rim

A pair of children's stockings swing.

O'er field and forest, lane and road

Fast and still faster swirl the snows,

And in the barn loft snugly stowed

A drowsy rooster wakes and crows.

The clock strikes, twelve, and midnight wanes.

While winter skies stretch cold and drear.

Frost flowers blossom on the panes,

The snows float by and disappear.

And then across the roof-tree swells,

Borne by the winds that fall and rise,

A sound of many hurrying bells.

A sound that ebbs and peals and dies,

And next adown the chimney creeps

The children's saint to all the lands,

And, true to all the trysts he keeps

White bearded on the hearthstone stands.

—Ernest McGaffey in Ladies' Home Companion.

thus gathered, that what living creatures sooner (otherwise barren) do drink of it, will presently become fruitful thereupon; also, that it is a sovereign counterpoison or singular remedy against all vermine. So vain and superstitious are many nations in the world and oftentimes in such frivolous and foolish things as these."

Sir Thomas Browne was a bit skeptical of its qualities as a panacea, and modern medical authorities almost universally scout its therapeutical pretensions. Strangely enough, the survival of its medicinal use in England is "as a popular remedy in cases of cardiac trouble." Affections of the heart, we doubt not, have been successfully treated by means of the mistletoe. But we venture a lay opinion that the patients were young, the plant was suspended above their heads and was efficacious only in the joyous Christmas season.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

TASTY FISH COURSES.

DRAILED CLAMS.—Steam some

little neck clams which have

been previously well washed;

keep out the best shells; chop the

clams and cut in dice an equal amount

of lobster, adding a little chopped

parsley, pepper, salt, a teaspoonful of

Worcestershire sauce, with enough

cream sauce to make a smooth paste

of the whole. Fill the shells with this

mixture, sprinkling a little grated

cheese on top, then put them in a hot

oven for a minute or two until they

are of a nice brown color and arrange

them on a napkin with some parsley

or watercress.

Just Scallops.—Make some large

shells of puff paste and have nice,

firm scallops; clean them and put in

milk for a few minutes. Roll them in

flour and fry in butter; when they are

cooked fill the shells with them. Put

a drop of white wine in the pan, add

ing a good sized piece of fresh butter,

chopped parsley, a drop of English

sauce and a little lemon juice; do not

let it boil, and pour over the scallops.

Serve at once very hot.

Molded Halibut With Brown Almond

Sauce.—A pound raw halibut, a pint

soft breadcrumbs, a cupful of milk or

cream, three egg whites, salt, celery

salt. Mince the halibut fine and cook

the crumbs and seasonings with the

cream till it makes a smooth paste.

Add to the fish, fold in the egg whites

beaten stiff, pour into a buttered bread

tin, set in hot water and bake three-

quarters of an hour in a moderate oven.

Clam Cocktails.—While the propor-

tions of the ingredients used for the

dressing to a clam cocktail vary ac-

cording to individual preference, a good

working standby allows to each plate

five or seven clams, a teaspoonful of

horseradish, a teaspoonful of tarragon

vinegar, a tablespoonful of tomato

ketchup, a teaspoonful of table sauce,

a teaspoonful of lemon juice, four

drops of tabasco sauce and a pinch of

salt. Mix all the seasonings thorough-

ly, add the bivalves, fill into glassed

or grapefruit halves filled with ice, then

set in the icebox to become thoroughly

chilled and blended before serving.

Chili sauce, grapefruit juice or some

of the clam liquid may be used in the

sauce if desired. Cream may be served

as a garnish.

Anna Thompson.

MAKING THE BEST OF IT.

To make the most of all the dull hours, to make the very best of dull people, to like a poor jest better than none, to wear the threadbare coat like a gentleman, to be outvoted with a smile on your face, to hitch your wagon to the old horse if no star is handy—that is wholesome philosophy.—Bliss Perry.

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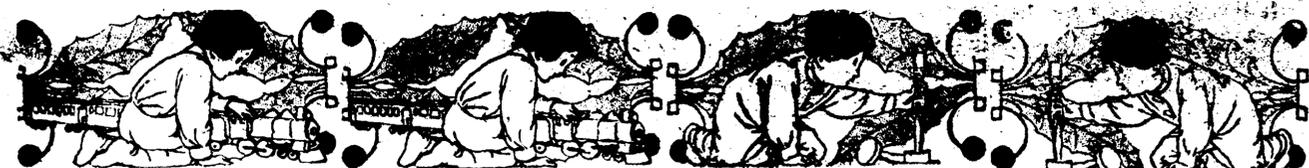
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25 lbs. Sugar	\$1.98
Oranges, per doz,	30c
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