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COAL JURY CALLED TO INVESTIGATE THE COAL BUSINESS

Judge Instructs Them to Look Into Criminal Violation of Law by Miners, Operators, Dealers

WOULD EXTEND CONTROL OVER ROADS 2 YEARS

Delegations Representing Farmers and Labor Make Demands on Senator Cummins

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Demands that government control of the railroads be extended for two years were made today by two delegations...

Prices, Profits, Alleged Combination of Operators and Collusion of Miners and Operators to Be Probed—Cautioned to Make Investigation Thorough

WILL COVER ENTIRE PERIOD FROM BEGINNING OF WAR DOWN TO DATE

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 17.—With instructions to make a thorough investigation of this "criminal violation of the law of this country" the special federal grand jury...

"Let your investigation be thorough and searching, and let your answer be a full answer to the question uppermost in the minds of the citizens," cautioned Judge A. B. Anderson...

Charges that the operators and miners were in league with each other and that the operators maintained a combination among themselves will be probed by the jury...

Full investigation of the "defiant violation of the criminal law of the country" by the miners in ignoring the injunction issued against the miners' leaders was ordered by Judge Anderson...

"In form only the order to cancel the strike order was complied with and for a whole month the injunction was ignored and defied" by the union leaders...

"The people should be presented to them the question as to whether the roads should be continued under government control."

Speaking of the anti-strike clause, Cummins said: "I think the roads should not be extended the way that men should not be extended the right to quit their employment..."

"The injunction and restraining order in the miners' case has not made one ounce of sense. Experience shows these injunctions do not make men work when they feel they have a just grievance..."

"It is charged that since the passage of the act (the Lever act) the mine owners have been profiting by a combination in restraint of trade..."

"It is charged not only that the mine workers' union conspired and tried to monopolize the coal business..."

"There are occasions when you can help YOURSELF through an Ad In The Times Classified Columns."

Ridicule Report of Massacre of British

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The wireless report from Moscow Tuesday stating that 1200 British soldiers had been massacred by the hostile population was ridiculed as a fake report by the war office today.

STATESMANSHIP QUALITIES MAY BE DEVELOPED IN JUNG AS ON BLOODY BATTLEFIELD

PALM, Dec. 17.—Georges Carpentier, heavyweight champion of Europe, will enter politics. Carpentier said today that he was considering a proposition to become a candidate for the governorship of Louisiana.

CHARLES MATHEWS. GREAT COMEDIAN ONCE. PAID TRIBUTE IN SPEECH to the man who must afford him to his success. After dwelling at length on the personal qualities and virtues, he revealed that the man who most helped him was himself.

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TARIFF SPLITS REPUBLICANS UP INTO FACTIONS

Standpatners Think Country Should Not Concern Itself With Foreign Markets

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The divergence of opinion among the members of the Republican party has become a subject of discussion in the House today...

The standpatners in the House are opposed to any change in the tariff. They believe that the country should not be concerned with foreign markets...

PRIZE COURT TERMS FINAL

British Ready to Release Goods Seized During War on Her Own Conditions

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The British foreign office has advised the American embassy in London that the British government is now prepared to release American owned goods seized during the war...

Lloyd George Will Amplify Statement

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Premier Lloyd George is planning to make an important statement upon the European situation in the House of Commons tomorrow...

LANE DENIES RESIGNATION

Says He Does Contemplate Leaving Cabinet, but Waits During President's Illness

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Secretary of the Interior, Franklin K. Lane, is anxious to leave the cabinet...

Bill Continues Sugar Board for One Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Continuation for one year of the United States sugar equalization board is authorized in a bill reported out today...

Doleful Whistle Sets Hoosiers on Edge for Wind-Up of Affairs

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 17.—Not a few persons here realized that hence today in evident fear of the "end of the world" and one who whistle is largely responsible for the current state of affairs...

Search and Seizure Law Is Held Valid

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 17.—Constitutionality of the Illinois search and seizure act was upheld in part by the supreme court today.

ASSURANCE OF ELIMINATION OF GARFIELD BROUGHT SETTLEMENT

Opposition to Acceptance of President's Proposal Vanished With Lewis' Announcement Fuel Administrator Would Be Let Out

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—A special convention of the United Mine Workers held today to elect a new president...

DEBATE TURNS INTO UPROAR

Italian Chamber of Deputies, to Promote Domestic Tranquility, Has Stormy Session

ROME, Dec. 17.—The session of the Italian Chamber of Deputies today was an uproar while Premier Nitti was attempting to make a statement on the plague situation...

TRANSPORT HITS UNKNOWN OBJECT

Advices Declare Great Northern Is in No Danger, but Will Go Into Dry Dock

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—A cable report to the chamber of commerce here today declared that the Great Northern had struck an unknown object 125 miles out of Vladivostok...

New Evidence Develops in Dansey Murder Case

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 17.—The Dansey murder case took a new turn today when it was announced that new evidence had been discovered...

Freight Train Sprung Leak on Way to Coast

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 17.—Liquor trains leaving this city with whiskey and champagne from American ports are all protected by heavily armed guards, it became known today...

Playing With Treaty for Political Effect

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—As announced by Senator Knox of Pennsylvania to secure action on the peace treaty was blocked in the senate today...

Five Killed in Two Automobiles

ATLANTA, Dec. 17.—An automobile accident here today resulted in the death of five persons...

MEXICO TO TRY JENKINS CASE ON ITS MERITS

Cannot Accept Simple Belief of U. S. Lacking Impartiality, as Proof of Innocence

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# How You Can Usually Tell

## A Christmas Story

Cynthia Wainwale sat at her desk, the kindly glow from a reposed lamp lighting her rather plain features into positive prettiness. Before her was an open rosewood box, its contents scattered in hazy array on the desk top.

There were two worn letters which she had read for the tenth time that evening, as if she had not known them by heart for years. They were just common-place letters, one of them not having been written to her until her summer, the other a frank admission that writing letters was not one of his best accomplishments. There were no declarations of undying love or admiration in either of them, nor anything of moment to cause Cynthia to blush, to shine, in Cynthia's clear, gray eyes.

Then there was a handwritten note, she smiled, she remembered the day he had loaned it to her, when she had cut her finger on an olive bottle at a picnic. "Dear dearest," it began, "I wish you could see me and give me those olive those days?" She smiled a tremulously laugh.

The other souvenir was a cheap paper fan, one which had been left at her place at a summer hotel dinner and which his autograph had made precious beyond words. She snatched it to and heard the foolish little knock together, placing them carefully inside the little box.

"You foolish old woman," she said to herself, walking to the long mirror at the end of the room. "Can't you let bygones be bygones? Are you going to keep these things for the sake of sentimental rot forever? You are clinging to an ideal which will never amount to anything. You have no right to be so miserably attached to life, so, so satisfied. Now, your hair is graying at the temples already, and you will soon be another where you are now. Why not give up the near love affair once, now grow old gracefully and leave love for the young?"

Glancing at her left hand, Cynthia smiled and removed from the fourth finger a ring which she always wore. A curious twisted thing of old gold, supposed to smelt of an antique, carved design. Inside was the inscription, "You can usually tell, Dec. 26, 1911." Turning to the mirror, she was about to administer another stern rebuke to her attractive reflection, when she heard her nephew's key in the lock.

"Hallo there, Aunt Cynthia," was his breezy greeting. "I missed you from the office for a bit, I had good news to tell you, and I was glad I had clapped his strong young arms about her waist.

"Oh, well, never mind. I'm so full of it, I can't take time for you, I have three guesses. I have landed the job at the company's lumber mill in Louisiana. Leave in the morning, wonderful chance, cut the little quarters, big chance for advancement and everything." He finished in breathless eagerness.

His loving aunt's eyes filled with tears, a proceeding unfamiliar to her fond nephew. To him she had always been the personification of success and wealth, and he was so ever sympathetic and the best understanding a fellow could have, seeing the conformation in his face she made quick to explain.

"Forgive your old auntie, boy, I am just a bit moony tonight, a privilege I do not often allow myself. I am so glad I could explain the life for you. Only it is near Christmas, and I rather hate to leave you. It is different from the day you left for the trading camp. There was a pride and sort of date that helped that parting along. But this seems so sort of permanent. No, don't mind, it isn't so far away and you can come home often."

"Don't stiffen his shoulders and throw back his eyes as if I were reminding Cynthia forcibly of his father, her only brother, whose untimely death some years back had placed the boy in his aunt's care.

"I reckon I am about grown, auntie old dear, but we mustn't get sentimental here, when I have only a few hours left by the way, your worthy nephew has a toshy favor to ask of you. Do you mind?"

"Shoot, dear," answered his fond aunt, with a twinkle of her fine eyes.

"That ring you wear—" he stopped at the expression that crossed her face.

"Yes, boy, she managed to say, "Do you like it?"

"Well, you have worn it ever since I can remember, and if you don't mind, I should like it for a full-time to start out with. It is the nearest to you I could have about me."

With an effort he could not fault, Cynthia removed the circlet and placed it on his finger.

"I will wish it on for luck, boy, dear," she had made years ago, and there is an inscription inside which I had just as leave not explain. It is nothing of any moment, just the reminder of one of the silliest things I ever did. Not a word from you, dear, and do not remove it now that I have wished it on, until your happiest dress comes true."

The next day a little rosewood box was placed in a safe vault, with a pledge from its owner never again to indulge in foolish retropections and to discard certain things from her mind. All of which was proof positive that it could not be done.

A hurried trip to New York helped

pass the first ten days of the boy's absence. Upon her return she found two letters from him, one mostly about the place and the tangle where he was to "hang out" and the country round about. The second was made of the same, with but short space near the close that the Southern hills were so-called heaters, which led her to write him to search that there was some of the species right near her thoughts were confirmed within a few days, when a wildly enthusiastic, moonstruck letter arrived, containing a description of said girl and boys in her praise.

"I liked her first when I learned her name was Cynthia," he wrote. "Then she does things like you do, like you do, like you do. She is full and slim and her eyes twinkle. She understands everything. I say, whether she answers or not. She never lets me know by word or glance that she does not approve of everything I do, yet I know every time I do something just a little off, that she knows, and knows I know she knows, but, by the way, her business, down here, is with the Y. M. C. A. welfare board. She made such a good record in France that she is in demand for more work than she can do. She never seems to tire, and pop, they had no time to let her go."

Cynthia did more than her usual amount of writing for the next week, loath to admit even to herself what a name of happiness and glory the boy's new happiness caused her. As Christmas came nearer, she made arrangements for the day, for the night, for an afternoon or evening when she would have time to miss him so desperately.

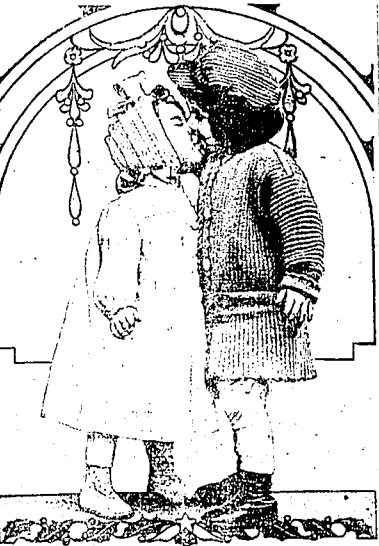
She arose early on the day before Christmas and tied up some gifts for friends in the city. As she finished her last knot and sat down to wash off some Christmas decorations, she was summoned to the telephone.

"Shoreport calling two, Wainwale," chirped the operator. "Soon Cynthia heard a warm, girlish voice, almost as gay as ever. "What, why how did you hear now? What are you doing to get me disconnected?"

"My dear aunt, don't you know your heart? Cynthia is my adopted daughter. When my best friend died he left her, another little lady in my living room, which you look at as a friend of mine, and I gave her the address of the same, and I could never have known where to find you, after that. Then we had years ago if it had not been for her. She came home two weeks ago with a severe attack of rheumatism, and while she was ill at the hospital she gave me this to keep."

She turned to greet him, that man who had been but a dream for so many years. He was a big, healthy, little bald, and there were a few lines across his forehead. But the same old look was in his eyes. Tears

# A Christmas Kiss



her feet quivered as she reached the hospital, her own, she held out her hand to see, then she took the book. "I had almost said that an act over you." "What, why how did you hear now? What are you doing to get me disconnected?"

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# GERMAN "PLOT" IS AMUSING

### Dark Secret Told of How British Labor Heads Promised to Fix Treaty if Huns Signed

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Mr. Datasay Mac Donald, the hero of many lost causes, has provided the political world with amusement once more.

Mr. MacDonald, in the current issue of *Forward*, a journal of the most extreme views, published in Glasgow, makes the blood of his fellow patriots creep with the telling of this dark secret, following his meeting with German delegates at the "Ficht the Family" conference.

One thing I have been told is particularly disquieting. Some prominent men in the labor movement here took it on themselves to advise the German government to sign the treaty and pledged themselves that the party would amend it. The pledge seems to have been circulated broadcastly in Germany, as the government naturally wished to take as much responsibility for signing as it could from its own shoulders. The pledge was evidently given without due consideration of what it meant.

"\* \* \* So one of the German delegates to the "Ficht the Family" conference whom I happened to meet asked me when was labor to make good its pledge, and when I replied that the pledge was not mine and in any event, probably never contemplated, he said, "If you do not understand how any one could possibly misinterpret the position of the labor party on the question," he said, "The party has declared from the beginning its view that the treaty is in some essential respects inconsistent with the Fourteen Points and with the declaration made by organized labor at national international and inter-allied conferences. I myself, publicly stated that it was impossible for Germany to sign the treaty, and to rely upon it that the German government will sign the treaty will avail itself of every opportunity

it therefore calls on the labor movement to join with the international movement to denounce a vigorous campaign for the signing of popular support to this policy as a first step towards the renunciation of the people and the inauguration of a new era of international co-operation and good will.

This seemed to bear a striking likeness to the pledge, but this resolution was moved by Mr. Macdonald. So it could hardly be the "one thing I have been told." The plot, therefore, Mr. Philip Snowden informed a representative of the International News Service that the river of the "Ficht" was Mr. Arthur Henderson—

In an Amsterdam interview published broadcast six months ago, and confirmed by the Labor Party resolution which was moved by Mr. Macdonald. This interview also hardly seemed to be the "one thing I was told," for Mr. Macdonald was in Amsterdam with Mr. Henderson when he refused to be the mist of Germany in Entente countries, and added: "The best policy for Germany is to remove the strong distrust by accepting the treaty and to rely upon it that the denunciations of the western powers will be strong enough to secure her just demands. By signing the peace treaty Germany will give workers in Entente countries an effective weapon for energetic action in Germany's favor, and it will be regarded as the best proof that unity in Germany have really radically broken with the past."

That, with the Macdonald resolution, was the suddenly discovered "pledge." Mr. Henderson told me he did not know what was meant by the "pledge" and to rely upon it that the denunciations of the western powers will be strong enough to secure her just demands. By signing the peace treaty Germany will give workers in Entente countries an effective weapon for energetic action in Germany's favor, and it will be regarded as the best proof that unity in Germany have really radically broken with the past."

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### of securing the necessary revision.

Finally Mr. Macdonald was found and the first thing he said was that the whole matter was "a mere next" and that he was "not interested" and felt inclined to "despair" that "such a non-sensational note" had been fished over what was "no mystery at all." He maintained that the American statement was a piece and said he thought it was foolish, "because I saw some of the most important clauses in the treaty, and that their effect would be had, and that it would be only after experience of that effect we should be able to find out how people in our country had established something like civilization in Europe, and that we could not allow it to go into the hands of the bootlegger, and thus have a worse state of chaos than before."

What he was afraid of, he added, had happened. According to his information the German government had published the "pledge" broadcast, and people believed the revision was going to take place at once. If he did not see it hardly seems likely that the German government omitted to publish broadcast Mr. Macdonald's South-pers resolution, which by the way was seconded by Mr. J. H. Clynes, M. P.

### Urges Bill for Pulp Wood Survey

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Immediate passage of the bill of Senator Dexter calling for a survey of pulp wood lands and looking to means for settling the new paper situation, is urged today by the American Forestry association. Members of the organization are urging publishers to get behind the measure as a means of increasing the available supply of paper manufacturing materials.

### BASEBALL ADMISSIONS GO UP

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 17.—The Southern Association of Baseball Clubs which has just closed a meeting here, voted to increase the admission price to forty cents and grandstand seats to sixty-five cents for next season. He will include the war tax.

### MAKE PROGRESS ON LEAK PROBE

### Department of Justice Continues Investigation, but Officials Have Nothing to Say

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Additional witnesses were examined today by the officials of the department of justice in its probe of the alleged "leak" of supreme court decisions. While it is known that progress was made towards a solution of the case, officials desire they prefer to await developments before making further statements.

### Would Investigate Soviet Ambassador

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Investigation of I. C. A. K. Martens, who claims to be ambassador to the United States from Russia's "soviet government," is provided in a resolution introduced in the senate today by Senator Kenyon, Republican of Ohio.

The investigation would be made by the senate committee on foreign relations. A probe of his activities in alleged spreading of propaganda is provided for.

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Assistant Attorney General C. D. Ames and Captain Frank Burke of the bureau of investigation, assisted by several secret agents, are gradually here of which claimed they had not. Just how long it will be before determining a conclusion, it is said, and valuable information on supreme court action is taken by officials here with the arrival here of Chief William J. Flynn of the investigation bureau this afternoon, and of Attorney General Palmer tonight, added his arrival from Chicago, his first step to bring in additional witnesses before on a tour which was to have taken in the whole truth can be known. This Little Rock and Oklahoma City, and work may require several days.

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### THE LAST DAY FOR ALL THINGS

Today, Wednesday, December 17, is the last day for all things. It is a fine thing to be alive today, to await the great smash-up. True, the same kind of a smash-up was due to come many times before, or smash-ups something like the present one, and at sunset the world was still wagging on.

But this "last day" is different from all others in that this was figured out along scientific lines, by an astronomer, whereas all the preceding "last days" were the product of the fertile minds of the theologians. This one, having the sanction of "science," might lack some of the picturesqueness of any former "end of the world," but what it lacks in picturesqueness it will make up in effectiveness.

The editor rolled out of a warm bed at the usual hour this morning, with the thought uppermost in his mind to get the fires stirred up, and second, to get breakfast. Somehow, the greatest feat in the world—that today was the last of the struggle—did not obtrude itself upon the editorial mind. The sun was breaking through the morning's fog, mist as it has done on many previous occasions. The gentle winds whispered in the cornices, busy pedestrians hurried down the street, apparently oblivious of the most important thing in the world—the fact that today is the "last day."

One disappointing thing about a "scientific" rather than a "theological" last day is that nobody seemed to pay much attention to what was about to happen. Folks seemed to be dressed up in their every-day clothes and going about their business, instead of wrapping themselves in white garments and seeking horse tops or hilltops to get a better view of the great doings. Even the shops were open, as if the prophet Ezekiel had not said "Thou hast taken money and increase, and thou hast greedily gained of thy neighbors by extortion, and hast forgotten me, saith the Lord God." (Ezekiel 22:12).

In fact, up to the hour of going to press nothing of an unusual character had happened to indicate that anything unusual was about to happen. Cables from the far east (before Wednesday, the 17th, had grown quite old before the day was born in Twin Falls, told nothing that would lead one to believe that the end had come on the other side of the earth. It's about 10 o'clock at night in London as The Times goes to press, and it's tomorrow, the 18th, thirty degrees of longitude east of Greenwich, so it is evident that all things are being got to smash on the 17th, or else the news gathering agencies have neglected their opportunity.

But there is hope for the western world to see this "last day" through in the fact that the far east has got by the calamitous prediction and the people are at this very hour going about their business and affairs tomorrow, the 18th. It seems almost probable that the dire consequences to follow to the earth because some of the planets impudently chose to get on one side of the sun will have to await further developments. But science ought to be wary about invading fields heretofore held exclusively by theologians, and almost given up by the litter on account of so many disastrous disappointments of their hopeful predictions.

The ransom price for American cattlemen and lumber company representatives fixed by Mexican bandits is \$10,000, while they demand only \$500 for wealthy Englishmen and Mexicans. If they can collect, is it any wonder those grasers refuse to live otherwise than as the lilies of the valley?

"Community singing is the cure for social unrest," says a public man. There's a fine idea. Get all the bolsheviks together and make them sing the poison out of their systems.

They've been having fist-fights in the French and Italian parlaments. Germany has doubt enjoyed the spectacle, just as she has enjoyed the row at Washington.

Hooley! Herbert Hoover says a lot of food speculators who bought and hoarded huge quantities of stuff to sell abroad are going to get stuck.

They say you can buy a good suit of clothes for \$11 in Paris. But it's worth more than that for a he-American to wear French clothes.

The recent increase of drunkenness in Scotland is attributed to that country's heavy importation of Scotch whisky from America.

Having sown her wild oats, does Germany repent? Not at all. She seems to be feeling her oats more than ever.

## ATTACKS DRY AMENDMENT

State Starts Action to Test Constitutionality of Constitutional Prohibition

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The state of Rhode Island today brought action before the United States supreme court to test the constitutionality of the national prohibition amendment to the constitution.

Attorney General Rice, acting for the state, appearing before the court asked for injunction and restraining order against United States Attorney General Palmer and Commissioner of Internal Revenue Daniel C. Roper from enforcing the Volstead act enforcing national prohibition, and filed the briefs on behalf of the state of Rhode Island attacking the constitutionality of the national prohibition amendment to the constitution, the prohibition amendment.

The motion of Rhode Island's attorney and the briefs submitted were taken under advisement by the court. In this formality the great final battle of the state to prevent this country from going dry was opened formally. The retail liquor dealers' association of New Jersey has instituted similar proceedings before the supreme court.

From Chicago comes the announcement that the whiskey distillers, through their counsel, Levy Mayer, are about to take similar steps to get their attack on the prohibition amendment into the supreme court.

Rhode Island bases its attack on the constitutionality of the prohibition amendment on the grounds that congress erred in not submitting the amendment to the people because it embraced a matter not recognized under the constitution and therefore excluded by action of framers of the constitution and congress exceeded its constitutional powers in the enactment of the enforced legislation known as the Volstead act.

### Sinn Fein Coup Is Executed in Cork

CORK, Ireland, Dec. 17.—A daring Sinn Fein coup was executed here early today when two hundred men surrounded the railroad station and ejected the engineers from their cars. The train and station staffs were locked up while the men searched all the railway cars in the crowd. They tried to catch all the consignment of munitions which was expected to pass through here.

### Public Forum

#### THOUGHTS OF THE WEEK

"Gosh Henlock," says old Daddy Burns,  
"The end of the world is nigh."  
Yet he lit his pipe and sat down to write.  
(He is sure old enough to die.  
"Lord but I hate to leave my friend's,  
My home and the soothing fire,  
It's cold outside and I hate the ride  
To find my old grand-ire!"  
Did he go up to Heaven,  
Er' down to that strait'n'—?  
An' I followed (the brinstone I had)  
small.  
I'd never a' been cold,  
But he was a saint, gosh! It makes me fain.  
To toot the end of the ride on high (in a pair)  
But I'll look back and smile, at the end of each mile.  
An' I think of my home in the sky,  
You ought to be glad you're livin' today.  
An' you got a chance to reform.  
You're lucky, my wife, if you can—  
An' what's the socks there'll be no one to mourn.  
But don't take it hard, young fellow, my pard,  
I'll come but once and no more;  
I think it's a freak you lit'e at the gosh!  
The state's forgot it an' live as before.  
—MUCH WISER.

#### HOW YOU CAN USUALLY TELL

(Continued from page 2)  
Whereupon he took from his pocket her beloved ring, and placed it in her palm.  
"I have a more fitting one for you here, if you care to wear it. I took the chance because I knew you must have cared a little to have had this one made and have worn it all these years. What a young fool I was to have such silly pride about a grammatical error."  
She placed her hand over his mouth  
"And what a fool I was to have corrected you; to have known no better, in those days such ticklish things meant more to me than any one thing. I was trying to be such a bigbow, and it lost me you."  
"You surely know by now that what I stated to say that night was something which was making me stutter and flounder, because it meant so much to me."  
"Well," said Cynthia, rather breathlessly for her, "fish it."  
"Not starting out that way, for I can't be sure but that I would say it again. But you know, dearest, that—"  
Cynthia put up her hand. "That you can usually tell," she said, and if you had been looking into Cynthia's eyes, you could have

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80 AORES south of Hansen, house, barn, deep well, alfalfa, red clover. \$365 per acre, good terms.

65 AORES, near Twin Falls on highway, 5-room house, barn eastern, deep well. \$375 per acre, \$2,800 cash.

40 AORES, house, barn, granary, orchard, alfalfa and red clover, \$335 per acre.

20 AORES, new house, barn, orchard, very choice location, an ideal home. \$650 per acre, \$300 cash.

20 AORES E1-2 SE of SW 6-10-18, 10 acres alfalfa, \$390.

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6 AORES, small house, barn, chickenhouse. A good bargain, \$2,500, \$1,000 cash.

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### DEPORTATION OF REDS TOO EASY

Commissioner of Immigration Says "International Outlaws" Should Be Jailed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Tightening of our laws dealing with anarchistic aliens is urged in the annual report of the Commissioner of Immigration, made public today.

"It is well to be mindful of the tenderness with which the law acts when it has established the fact that an alien is an anarchist," said the report. "Deportation is not a punishment for crime. It is merely removed from one field of activity to another, where he may continue his work.

"It is hoped that in this new spirit of law to be made, the lot of the anarchist will not so continue, but by the common consent of civilized nations something more may be done to provide for his adequate punishment as an international outlaw."

The commissioner pointed out that those who most insist on denouncing every form of government in existence are the most persistent in claiming every technical and other right under the laws of the country they are in.

During the fiscal year up to the time of the report a total of ninety-two aliens were ordered deported on the grounds of being anarchists, of which number thirty-seven were expelled and fifty-five are awaiting deportation.

The year just closed saw an increase in immigration from 1928 to 141,332, while 123,522 emigrant aliens have left the country for permanent residence. Owing to the doubly exact examination of persons necessary to prevent anarchists and other undesirable from entering the country the work of the bureau was not diminished.

The commissioner pointed out that the apparent excess of immigrants was due to cause for alarm, and such conditions always followed a period of disturbance such as has existed in the past few years.

It was revealed that lately a vast underground system for the smuggling of Japanese into the country from Mexico and South and Central American countries has been uncovered. As a result thirty-seven persons, several of whom were Japanese ranchmen, were arrested and some have already been convicted and given

### SEPARATIONS FROM AUSTRIA NOT ALLOWED

Supreme Council Will Maintain Frontier Fixed by Treaty—Cuts \$100,000,000 Request

PARIS, Dec. 17. Chancellor Renner of Austria was informed by the supreme council today that it would not allow the separation from Austria of any territory within the frontier fixed by the treaty of St. Germain.

The chief object of the treaty was to bring about a permanent settlement of the movement to merge Austria and Tyrol with Germany in order to prevent the dismemberment of Austria's financial capacity for making reparations. A similar article was included in the treaty of Versailles.

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There was a discussion of the possibility of a discussion of the reparations in an annual meeting which Germany is willing to make for the making of the reparations. The German fleet at Scapa Flow and the amount of the reparations. The reparations must be worked out satisfactorily before the final formalities of signing the protocol of ratification.

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# Christmas Edition



**A** CHRISTMAS GREETING  
 "Come to us, Christmas, good old day,  
 Soften us, cheer us, ease your way  
 To hearts which thrill, too eager, keep  
 In hands, while fellow-festive sleep  
 Good Christmas, whom our children love,  
 We love you too! Lift us above  
 Our cares, our fears, our small distresses,  
 Open our hearts and stir the fires  
 Of helpful fellowship within us,  
 And back to love and kindness  
 Win us."  
 — Edward Southford Martin

Reading the above little poem leads us to wonder if we need not indeed ask that we have returned to us more desire to make of Christmas a real day of kindness to others and sweet, old-fashioned observances such as our grandparents knew. When we stop to think about our last few years, we are bound to admit that we have not been overly blessed with the spirit of the day. True, for four dazed years whatever spirit any of us had was a borrowed kind, a bravado we had for the sake of our morale. And last Christmas we

recked not of other problems, but had what might be called a continuance of peace-day celebrations. Our long months of forbearance and grin-and-bear-it being at an end, we just let go, and those of us whose hearts had not been touched by sorrow were rather prodigal in our fun and giving. Problems of grave nature, involving personal and national honor, are at our minds' doors for solution; social unrest is gnawing at our vitals; men who see only their own glory and gain are seeking daily to sacrifice the good of their fellow men for their selfish ends. Everywhere there are heart-rending sights and plights to sadden our

hearts. Surely now if ever is the time to recall the kindly, unruffled spirits of our ancestors to help us through the rough seas of the times. We must remember that they, too, had their problems which were seemingly insurmountable, their days of darkness before the dawn, their intriguing statesmen and even their bolsheviks. They did not always come out victorious, but they kept the faith and did the levellest best, and we must admit they did rather well so far as we can see. So we must grasp the helm of our own particular little ship of state, be it ever so insignificant, and with the real spirit, carry

on to the best of our ability. No caviling, no dodging issues, no slanderous talk, but just honest, day-to-day living. Next week is the time for new resolutions, but this week is the time for action. Let us start now and try by doing for others and keeping a stiff upper lip, to see this epoch through. It is just up to us, that is all. We can never hope to return to the good old days as depicted above; we would not want to. But who knows but that with our best efforts we may not arrive at something even better and more to be desired? There are lots of miserable folks around you, maybe very close. Look them up, if you cannot do more, shake them firmly by the hand and wish them "Merry Christmas." Dig deep and find for yourself and those you love a well of unfailing human kindness. You will be glad for the rest of your life.

MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM THE TIMES

**XMAS SALES OF U.S. SECURITIES WILL BE HEAVY**

**Government Aids Savings to Give War Savings Stamps as Gifts**

Sale of War Savings Stamps now... the banks of the Twelfth Federal Reserve District... in anticipation of a heavy holiday demand... Treasury Secretary McAdams... to the banks of the Twelfth Federal Reserve District... that date is on November 30...

**TOMMY MAKES AN APOLOGY**

The work of Art Was Not Appreciated... His Endavor to Do Matters Right.

The New York Times in responsible for the following:

Dear Teacher: My mother says I built an apology for... you are not to blame... my mother says I'm a little off... I am so glad to see that you are not to blame...

**ANSWER HER LETTER**



**Modern Gallantry.**

I shall be ever disposed to bank it on the salary fiction... when in polite circles I shall see the same attention paid to the young women... to create confusion as to clear... to the woman as she is a woman...

**Baked Pear.** Peel and core pears and fill the cavity with sugar, butter and a bit of grated lemon rind... **Corn Flakes Dinner.** Take two cups of corn flakes... **Shelled Peas.** Boiled in a bit of butter and dusted with a dash of paprika...

**MEMBERS' OVERCROWD**  
**QUARTERS AT SING SING**

OSBORNING, N. Y., Dec. 15.—The jail house at Sing Sing prison is crowded to capacity... to use an emergency room... to be arrested. The premier was unharmed.

**There's No Need for Tears**



The invitation for the party has arrived. Mrs. Brown is in tears because she hasn't a new dress or time to get a new one. Really, there's no need for her to feel that way when we are as close to her as her phone...

**STRATTON'S French Dry Cleaners**  
"FOR PARTICULAR PEOPLE"  
312 Shoshone St. E. Twin Falls

**XMAS THRIFT PLEA ASKED OF GOVERNOR**

**U. S. Wants Everyone to Give Savings Stamps for Christmas Presents.**

The Federal Government has asked the Governor of the State to appeal to the people of the State to give the Government the Christmas Savings Stamps as Christmas presents this year...

**LABOR HEADS WILL CONSIDER SAVINGS PLANK**

**Conference Called by Congress May Ask Continuation of Thrift Policy.**

Portland, Ore.—Hoods of the International Union of America opened a special conference in Washington December 12 at the call of Samuel Gompers... The letter was signed by O. R. Hawks...

**THINK HIGHLY OF LANTERNS**

Chinese Make Them in Many Attractive Forms, and Pay Big Prices for Them.

The shops of the lantern vendors in the Chinese cities are usually very gay and attractive. All varieties of lanterns are made...

**JUDGES INVOKE U. S. PLAN TO HELP ACCUSED**

**Guilty Will Have Chance to Invest Money Instead of Paying Fines**

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**F. and A. M. Lodge Back Thrift Work**

The full session of all 134 lodge members will be held in the government building... to back the Thrift and War Savings Stamp campaign...

**BASIC ECONOMICS**

The schools are the medium which will give the most effective results among the American people in the matter of thrift... to reach the pupils the function of a bank and where the interest comes from...

**WYOMING TRAPPERS EXPECT RICH HARVEST THIS SEASON**

LAMBERT, Wyo., Dec. 15.—A rich harvest for Wyoming trappers. The high prices for fur and skins of all animals has resulted in an unusually large influx of trappers into the hunt...

**Sutton Plans on Date**

Certain hats are not to have fairs these holiday weeks... to be the most successful of the season...

**First Fake Beards**

The first fake beard was made for the first time in the world... to be the most successful of the season...

**Cats Many Proposals**

London.—The Exchange board of jubilation has been suggested to by an American... to be the most successful of the season...

**A Few Christmas Suggestions**

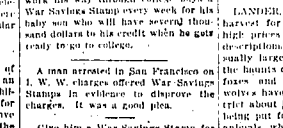
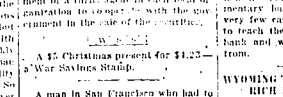
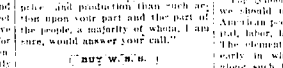
Pyralin Ivory Sets, Manicure Sets, Jewelry, Infants Sets, Fountain Pens, Music Rolls, Ladies' Purcass, Safety Razors, Perfumes, Toilet Waters, Xmas Cards and Booklets, McDonald's and Johnston's Chocolates.

Come in and enjoy our LUNCHEONETTE and delicious HOT DRINKS.

We Wish You All a Merry Xmas and Prosperous New Year

**Rogerson Hotel Pharmacy**  
ROGERSON HOTEL

**TOILET ARTICLES**  
**CAMERAS**  
**CANDIES**  
**STATIONARY PHOTOGRAPHS**

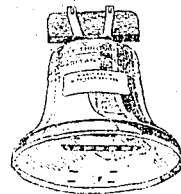


# THE BIG WHITE STORE

## THE STORE of EVERYTHING for EVERYBODY

### FREE LIBERTY BELL BANK

The Big White Store through the courtesy and co-operation of the Twin Falls National Bank will give a Liberty Bank Bell Free to any purchaser of \$10.00 or more in any of the following departments: Dry Goods, Ready-to-Wear, Men's Clothing and Shoes. With the bank will be given a deposit book with a credit of one dollar, which is placed to the purchaser's credit in the Twin Falls National Bank. Thus you will be given a start of \$1.00 in the savings department of the Twin Falls National Bank, will receive a discount thereby equal to 10 per cent on your purchases and a Liberty Bell Bank.



**START A SAVINGS ACCOUNT TODAY**  
by making your Christmas purchases at the Big White Store and see how much you can save thereby. We open the account for you with an initial deposit of \$1.

**Dainty Camisoles**  
And Other Silk Underthings for Gifts  
**Camisoles at \$1.50**

Made of pink satin they are prettily trimmed with lace and ribbons.

**Camisoles at \$2.50**

A great many of dainty styles of satin are trimmed with lace, ribbons and embroidery. Other styles, and there are many, many dainty ones, are priced from

**\$3.00 to \$6.50**

**Lovely Pink Silk Envelope Chemise \$5.00**  
More than a dozen styles. Soft satin and crepe de chine, sometimes trimmed with lace, and others are simply, hence, styled. Most of them have ribbon sash or straps.

**Santa Claus Must Surely Include Furs**



Who is there that wouldn't want a nice set of furs this Xmas? Hardly can we think of a more pleasing gift than furs. For the women who have none, this gift will prove very acceptable. Fox, Cooney, Lux, Mink and Beaver in sets or single pieces. Priced at

**Scarfs \$32.50 to \$95.00**  
**Sets \$45.00 to \$155.00**

**"Dear Santa, Please Send Me One of Those Pretty Hand Bags"**

is what quite a number of women would write if they sent their lists to St. Nicholas. Leather hand bags—  
**\$6.00 to \$20.00**

**Men Should Ask For White or Flesh Pink**

when they are buying Gougeotte shirtwaists. Either is becoming. We will take care that they get something suitable. Some good ones have just come in.

**\$7.50 to \$20.00**

**To Grace Her Dressing Table**

**A Set of Parisian Ivory**

The loveliest of all gifts for the woman who is shy a few pieces of Toilet articles, is a set of genuine Parisian Ivory. Parisian Ivory is the premier in toilet ware and the showings here is particularly complete. Included in this showing are:

- Hand Mirrors,
- Combs,
- Trays,
- Hair Receivers,
- Brushes,
- Manicure Sets

in either individual pieces or in sets. See our extensive display and you will find the answer to the problem of what to give.

These pieces are all heavy ivory and are very well made and are not to be confused with the inferior grades that are made to imitate the genuine article.

**Men's Handkerchiefs**

of pure linen with a narrow hem. The kind that reflects on the giver as well as the receiver. Gisting only

**\$6.00 for a Dozen**

**Christmas Special**  
**MEN'S SILK HOSE**

Something special are these silk hose for men. They are of fine pure silk thread, in the fancy stripes, clock work and plain colors, and priced at

**\$1.00 to \$1.50**

### TWENTY-THREE YEARS IN BED

and a little over—if you spend eight hours out of every twenty-four in sleep, and live to 70, as you have a perfect right to.

The way you spend twenty-three years is bound to have an effect on your life—on your health and temper.

Quilts have a lot to do with it. They minister to the natural craving for rest and comfort, just as the commonest covering will do, but they also impart a subtle feeling of satisfaction which acts soothingly upon the temper, promotes serenity of mind and inevitably brings the "sleep that knits up the ravaged sleeve of care."

Nice quilts have a better effect than shabby comforts. We have some especially beautiful and delightful quilts for Christmas giving.

### Heaps of Gay Color

Women's Christmas handkerchiefs are piled high in all their glory.

They are of many grades up to the finest linens and in all kinds of colors and styles of borders  
**at 10c, 25c and up to \$1.25**



### "DAD"

It's all very well to say how good he has been about it all—but what are you going to give him for Christmas?

Be sure of one thing—he wants something a MAN wants—and we need not have met a man who really in his secret soul carried a dagger for something hand painted on his face or dressed in a wild beard on it.

Of course, to appreciate it, it should be well chosen, and you, and you showed the spirit of the thing, and that's what we didn't want it. He was kind of being a little bit of a snob, and worth the notice.

We have been a long time looking out for something like this. We found out that was by watching to see what the kind of things people were buying.

Please see what a collection we have started for him—suits, shirts, sweaters, slippers, hats, caps, gloves, neckties, and all such good available things.

Our men's wear department knows what a man wants. All they need is your "Dad." You will be surprised at how quickly they can get you these. And it will be the best of your good.

**Handsome Handwear**

That definitely absorbs our showing of men's fine dress gloves, whatever your preference, mocha, ruffs, camel or silk. We have them in a large assortment. Prices range from \$1.50 to \$5.00. Automobile Gloves: From \$6.50 to \$12.00

**Gentleman's Hosiery**

It must be precise in fit, rich in quality and correct in fashioning. Our most particular patronage choose Wilson Bros. fancy silk stripes, with clocks and plain colors. At \$1.00 to \$1.50 Others at 40c to 75c

**A Hat That Is Right**

Getting fitted in a hat is a small matter. Finding a hat that looks right and looks right is another problem. Our customers like Stetson's, particularly, because they are "right," a matter of superior quality. \$5.00 to \$10.00

**Wilson Bros. Underwear**

We recommend the quality because our experienced judgment tells us we're recommending the best. We submit the prices as the very utmost for the season in value giving—\$3.00 to \$12.50

**Make Your Muffler Selection Here**

We have a splendid assortment of the finest mufflers obtainable. You'll find all of the desirable silks, satins and knitted fabrics—Priced at \$1.50 to \$5.00

**It's a Thoughtful Santa**

who puts some usefulness in his pack—even rubber hoods and arctics for children and girls. Find them in our shoe department.

**Good Surroundings**

Just another way of calling attention to all the smart hats which we are now showing for your Christmas shopping. Priced at 50c to \$3.00

**Sweater Coats**

We have a large assortment of all the desirable styles, colors and weaves in men's and boys' sweaters and jerseys, at prices ranging from \$2.50 to \$12.50

**For "Dad"**

Dad should receive a Christmas remembrance of the Lesson of Grand Fraternity. Usually Santa Claus leaves him nicely trimmed. He'll appreciate a useful gift, one that he can wear. Come in and we will show you a nice home outfit for Dad. Priced at \$5.00 to \$10.00

**Fashionable Neckwear**

For the man who appreciates the dress aid of a smart scarf, good looking, good wearing, good style. They are here in all the wanted styles, fabrics and colors. Priced at 50c to \$3.00

**Are You Ready For "Heavys"**

You have noticed Jack Frost is doing his best these days to make you uncomfortable. We're ready to help you frustrate his efforts with a great assortment of men's sleeping garments. All of the desirable fabrics and styles of heavy night gowns, pajamas and one-piece sleeping garments. Priced at \$2.50 to \$3.50

**Shirts De Luxe**

You'll find them here, and finding them is a distinct acquisition—your assurance of high grade fabrics, fast colors, satisfying fit, enduring service. A pleasing collection on display here in curls, madras, fibers, silk mixtures and silks—Priced at \$1.50 to \$12.50

### XMAS CANDIES

Stick candy, jelly beans, caramels, candy hearts, mixed hard candies, all 40c candy at

**32c POUND.**

Mixed Nuts 35c Pound—Other Nuts 40c Pound  
Oranges, Bananas, Grape Fruit, Dates and Fig

# CHARGES COURT DECISIONS LEAK TO WALL STREET

Department of Justice Investigates at Instance of Chief Justice White

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The investigation was made today that a disclosure of the contents of the department's decisions on the Supreme Court for speculative purposes in Wall street has been conducted by the department of justice—Nov. 22.

The investigation was at the instance of Chief Justice Edward Douglass White in the city for the purpose of clearing up rumors that advance information of supreme court decisions would be used for speculative purposes.

Chief William J. Flynn of the investigation bureau of the department of justice, acting in cooperation with the department of justice.

Chief James H. McLaughlin of the International News Service today that he had interrogated at Washington that night two men who are connected with the government and that he talked with a Washington lawyer in New York.

It is known that this lawyer went to New York yesterday for the purpose of speculating by a certain stock which would be affected by the supreme court decision in the case of dry cases and according to the lawyer's admission to Chief Flynn today.

Chief Flynn said he had not anticipated that the disclosure of the decisions would uphold the constitutionality of the dry law.

There has been an investigation of a rumor that supreme court decisions were being leaked to Wall street and this investigation.

No arrest has been made, but three men have been interviewed. It is said that two lawyers will be brought before the court on disclosure proceedings.

It is also true, according to the investigation, that the department of justice has been an actual leak of the decisions of the supreme court and they set up the claim that for some time they have been conducting a system of forecasting supreme court decisions.

By a process of legal detection, the department of justice has employed by the department of justice. Another man interviewed at Washington that night is a young attorney who is connected with the department of justice.

It is a proof that the court attorney does nothing wrong or that he did participate even in the profits of an alleged system of forecasting decisions of the court, our investigation has disclosed a relationship between the department of justice lawyer and another man.

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# SUGAR ONE OF MOST ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIES—CO-OPERATION IS FOUNDATION OF LOCAL COMPANY

Idaho Co-operative Beet Sugar Company Plans to Benefit Both Producer and Consumer—Great Field for Operation Seen

Sugar is one of the greatest and most essential industries in the world. The world is consuming over 100,000,000 tons of sugar every year. Sugar is the staple food of the tropics for which there is no substitute, and it is necessary in the manufacture and preservation of other food products.

There is no other article of food which enters into the daily consumption of the human family except sugar, but what we have a substitute. We have a substitute for sugar in the form of various different kinds of sweeteners, but only one sugar.

Sugar is derived from two sources—cane and beets. Cane is a tropical plant which grows in the tropics and in the southern part of the United States. Beets are grown in high altitudes under partial shade.

Beets are grown in high altitudes under partial shade. The very nature of the beet industry requires that the cane field be planted in rows, and the rows be spaced so that the soil, requiring constant attention, with the result that the cost of growing the cane sugar is about 100 percent more than the cost of growing the beet sugar.

This is the only reason why the beet industry is so profitable. In fact, the average cost per ton of sugar produced, this shows from 1924 and 1931 to 1930 and 1931 that the cost of producing a hundred percent, while the cost of beet was only about thirty-five per cent.

Sugar beets have a very wide field and the area in which they can be successfully grown is very much more extended than cane. Given in relation with other crops, the beet is the most valuable crop in the case of cane and does not require commercial fertilizers, therefore, the beets can be produced cheaper than cane.

Prior to the great war forty-five per cent of the world's sugar came from beets. The United States alone produced one-fourth of the sugar consumed in the world, but production only one-fourth the sugar as compared with the rest of the world.

It is a fact that the sugar industry is one of the most important in the world. It is a fact that the sugar industry is one of the most important in the world. It is a fact that the sugar industry is one of the most important in the world.

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# LINDLEY SCORES ABNORMAL TIMES

Says People Must Solve Problems Directly Due to People's Own Activities

MOOREHEAD, Dec. 15.—(Special) Lindley scores "thoughtful and realistic" the new national affluence which evidence the post-war state of mind, according to opinion expressed this morning by President Edwin H. Lindley of the University of Idaho in an assembly address.

"Americans this year seem to be demanding the privilege of getting out of their money as expensively as possible," said President Lindley. "Never has the country known such extravagant expenditures for luxuries as every day. Daily enough these expenditures mean that reserves and future earnings are being depleted along with present earnings."

Dr. Lindley vigorously scored the abnormal attitude recently assumed by those who have been responsible for this country, declaring that the public must assume the duty of deciding what the solution of industrial problems shall be.

"Who will lead the public? It is not the government, the bankers, the men who bear the battle scars of the war, but they are cheap politicians who will follow the ripple, but who cannot see the waves or will they be public opinion men in politics and other spheres of the who have received their high education affluence. The answer must be returned by the people themselves."

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# A Victrola for Christmas!

If you want your family and friends to hear the greatest music by the greatest artists exactly as the artists themselves sang or played it, the Victrola is the only instrument for you. The most famous artists of all the world make Victor Records—and the Victrola is the only instrument specially made to play Victor Records.

Any style Victrola you select will play perfectly any of the more than 5,000 records in the Victor Record Catalog—will play for you the superb interpretations of the world's greatest artists exactly as they heard and approved their own work.

Get a Victrola! Get it this Christmas! On easy payments, if desired. The ideal Christmas gift—more than a Christmas gift—a source of pleasure for the entire family throughout the years to come.



LOGAN MUSIC CO. "Victor Specialists" Opposite Perrino Hotel Twin Falls OPEN EVENINGS

NEEDS CLOSING OF FACTORIES UNLESS CONDITIONS CHANGE  
COLUMBIA, O., Dec. 15.—Unless present conditions are stabilized within six months, many factories throughout the country will be forced to close, predicted Dr. W. G. Thompson, president of the Ohio State University. Dr. Thompson is a member of the President Wilson's non-industrial conference.

The law of supply and demand has broken down, and an artificial law substituted, Dr. Thompson said, disorganizing causes of unemployment. He called men great responsible for existing industrial conditions, he said that "labor, capital, employe and entrepreneur" must be responsible to settle them.

In the opinion of Dr. Thompson, solution of current needs with "men who have hearts and are willing to listen to reason."

"Only our federal banking system failed us from a panic," declared Dr. Thompson. "It is a question how long the system can stand the test."

"Something on the agricultural situation," he said.

"Farmers cannot be operated on an eight-hour basis. They should be conducted on a cost-plus basis, with a reasonable profit."

Old papers 10¢ a bundle at The Times.

## The TOGGERY

A Man's Store That Caters to Men's Wants

### Xmas Shopping Made Easy

Just before Christmas there comes a period of uncertainty of what to give him, you can easily avoid that worry by buying at this man's store—buy where a man would go to buy for himself—we sell men's wear that men wear—

### Warwick and Fashion Park

Suits and Overcoats — we're showing the supreme creations in all the new models and fabrics—Crisp, snappy styles and unequalled values

Come in and look 'em over—

### You Will Add Much to His Pleasure if Your Gift Bears Our Label

Neckwear	50c, 75c, \$1.50, \$2 to \$6.00	Silk Shirts	\$5.00, \$10.00 to \$13.50
Gloves	\$1.50, \$2.00 to \$4.00	Hosiery	25c, 50c, \$1.00 to \$1.50
Auto Gloves	\$5.00, \$6.00 to \$20.00	Bathrobes	\$7.50, \$10.00 to \$12.50
Belts	50c to \$2.00	Shoes	\$5.00, \$10.00 to \$15.00

### Men's Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes

132 Main Avenue South

# THE SEASON'S GREETINGS

## The Idaho Co-operative Beet Sugar Co.

### OUR FAIRNESS TO THE BEET GROWER

#### Sliding Scale of Prices for Beets Based on the Price of Sugar

When the Whole-sale Price of	The Price of Beets Shall Be
8c per lb.	\$10.00 per ton
9c per lb.	\$11.25 per ton
10c per lb.	\$12.50 per ton
11c per lb.	\$13.75 per ton
12c per lb.	\$15.00 per ton

The above scale is fixed in the contract signed by the farmers.

Over 250 farmers have signed up for beet acreage under the above plan. Others are coming in each day. The farmer is coming to his own and he appreciates it. This plan while fair and equitable to the farmer takes nothing from the investor but on the other hand will add to his profits by reason of a larger tonnage. Untiedly will the man with the soil and the man with the money work out the sugar problem.

Incorporated Under the Laws of Idaho	General Offices, Twin Falls, Idaho
TOTAL AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	\$1,500,000
30,000 Shares, 8 per cent Cumulative Preferred Stock, Par Value \$100 per Share	\$3,000,000
30,000 Shares Common Stock, Par Value \$25	\$750,000

#### OFFICERS

OSWALD WILSON, President.	COL. P. H. CROW, Secretary-Treasurer.
JAMES M. KELLY, Vice President.	A. E. ANDERSON, Traffic Manager.
HENRY SCHWARZ, Consulting Engineer.	CAPT. JAMES W. PORTER, Counsel.
STONE and WEBSTER, New York City, Contractors	

### Our Profit Sharing Plan

8 per cent on the par value of his stock goes to the holder of preferred and common stock in the order named.

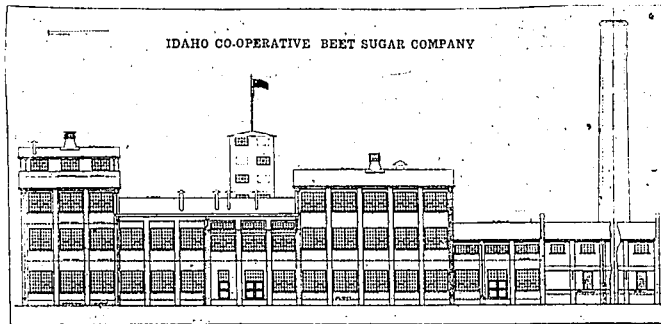
### Of the Remainder

40 per cent goes into a reserve fund which increases the value of all stock.

25 per cent to the beet grower who is a stockholder, thereby furnishing an additional incentive to grow more and better beets.

10 per cent goes to the factory employee which will insure efficiency in service and freedom from waste.

25 per cent of the net earnings is distributed among the common stockholders. In as much as a share of common stock is given as a bonus with each two shares of preferred stock purchased the holder of preferred stock will come in for his share.



**A** NOTHER year, filled with many new strides of progress has been added to the history of Idaho. Now that the year is about gone, and we have emerged from the drouth, from the crop shortage, and from the hardships that all people are certain to encounter, we are thankful to the utmost. And while yet giving thanks we see a new era knocking at our Door. Within the past few months some of our greatest beet sugar experts, and some of our most progressive farmers have associated themselves together for the purpose of building up one of the Nation's most necessary industries—the Beet Sugar Industry, in the Great Snake River Valley. Here we have some of the richest soil in the world. Here we have some of the most intelligent and progressive farmers in the world. Here we have the largest area of proven suger beet land in one body, in the country. And here we have people who know how to raise sugar beets, and people who are willing to raise sugar beets, and people who will raise sugar beets under the plan of the Idaho Co-operative Beet Sugar Company.

## MEANS PROSPERITY

The plan of this Company, outlined above, is one of equity and justice—for the farmer, because he shares in the profits of the products of his land; for the laborer, because he shares in the profits made by the "sweat of his brow;" for the investor, because he shares in the profits earned by his investment, and made larger by having satisfied beet growers, and satisfied employees in the factory; for the general public, because harmonious efforts of the farmer, the employee and the investor builds such an organization that will bring into the country, and will create millions of dollars in new wealth every year, thereby enhancing property values, building good roads, schools, etc., and making a more prosperous country in general.

## NO INVESTMENT SAFER

Out of all the beet sugar factories in the United States, statistics show that 95 per cent of them have paid. In no instance has there been one that did not pay where beets could be successfully grown, or the factory could get sufficient beets. In this case we are assured of sufficient beets, having the climate, the soil, and satisfied farmers, directly interested in the factory, all necessary for success.

## EXCELLENT PROFITS

Statistics show that other beet sugar factories have paid for themselves in one to three years, running, in some instances, to only about 60 per cent to 70 per cent capacity. According to their own statements, some of our largest sugar companies earned over 50 per cent on the capital invested last year, besides millions of dollars increase in property value.

# The Great Western Mortgage & Loan Company

F. & M. BANK BUILDING, IDAHO FALLS,

FISCAL AGENTS

TWIN FALLS, IDAHO, BOX 472

# Is There a Santa Claus?

## Classic Answer of a New York Journalist Affirming a Little Girl's Belief

ONE of the finest things ever written about Christmas was the editorial printed 20 years ago by the New York Sun in answer to the earnest appeal of a little New York girl to be told whether Santa Claus really exists. Its author, Frank P. Church, was an renowned journalist and wrote much on many subjects, but his fame will rest chiefly on this beautiful setting forth of an eternal truth. With Dr. Clement Clarke Moore's "A Visit From St. Nicholas" it is one of the great classics of the Christmas season.

The answer to the eternal question as printed in the Sun follows:

"We take pleasure in answering at once, and thus promptly, the communication below, expressing at the same time our great gratification that its faithful author is numbered among the friends of the Sun:

"Dear Editor—I am eight years old. Do you believe in Santa Claus? I don't see it in the Sun's list. Please write to the truth there, a Santa Claus? VIRGINIA O'HANLON, 114 West Broadway Street."

"Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All kinds of Virginia, whether they be men or children, are little. In the great universe of our man is a more insect, an ant, in his intellect, a creature with the headless work about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole truth and knowledge."

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! How dreary would the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no childhood, no fairyland, no magic, no poetry, no romance, no make terrible this confession. We should have no enjoyment except in seeing and sight. The eternal light which childhood fills the world would be extinguished."

"Not believe in Santa Claus? You might as well not believe in faith. You might as well get your papa to hire men to watch in all the churches on Christmas eve, to catch Santa Claus, but you might as well not see Santa Claus, and you might as well not have faith. The most vital things in the world are these things which cannot be seen or touched. Did you ever see faith, or catch it in a net? Of course not; but that's the

proof that they are not mere. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders that are packed up and unscattered in that box that comes every year. You may tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes it rattle, but you cannot tear apart the Christmas. It is the magic of the Christmas season that gives the world its beauty and joy. It is the magic of the Christmas season that gives the world its beauty and joy. It is the magic of the Christmas season that gives the world its beauty and joy.

"No child, don't think that, he is not to be feared. A thousand years ago, the Virginias had their time to make glad the heart of a child."

### CRAB HAS STRANGE GROWTH

Discovery of Bizarrely Shaped Ticks on Feet Three Times During "Infancy" of Crustacean

The crab, a crustacean, is a very interesting animal. It has a very strange growth on its feet. This growth is a tick, and it is very rare. The crab has three ticks on its feet during its infancy. These ticks are very small and they are very hard to see. The crab has a very long life span. It can live for many years. The crab is a very interesting animal. It has a very strange growth on its feet. This growth is a tick, and it is very rare. The crab has three ticks on its feet during its infancy. These ticks are very small and they are very hard to see. The crab has a very long life span. It can live for many years. The crab is a very interesting animal.

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# Telling the Story of His Life



ALSO INTERESTING NEWS... THE TWIN FALLS DAILY TIMES... WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17, 1910

### Youth and Purpose.

It is not youth alone that thinks it "knows it all"—most of its older people could with distinct advantage take our A's over again. How differently we would map out our lives and how much less erroneous we would be in the future and uncertainties of others. Statistics prove that most of our own suffering and the suffering of the world is the outcome of ignorance, bearing in its wake error and stupidity—a trilogy that harks back to every form of evil.

### PERFECT IMAGE OF HIMSELF

Japanese Wood Worker Credited With Production of Really Marvelous Work of Art.

The most marvelous wood workman in the world is Hamanuma Masakichi of Tokio, Japan, who has carved a figure in wood so like himself that when the two are placed side by side it is hard to be almost impossible to tell which is him and which is the other. By several measurements it is found that this wooden figure has been produced the most perfect and human image of man ever made. Masakichi has faithfully reproduced every vein and wrinkle to be seen on his body. The figure is composed of 2,000 pieces of wood dovetailed and joined with such skill that no sound can be detected.

The holes were drilled for the reception of hairs, and the wooden figure has glass eyes and eyelashes in which no dissimilarity to Masakichi's own can be detected.

The Japanese artist posed between two mirrors while modeling this figure and for some time after its completion he posed frequently beside it to the confusion of spectators, who were often led astray by a loss as to which was the artist. The figure stands with a little mark in one hand and an instrument for carving in the other; the figure's eyes are apparently by looking at the mask, and the face wears a look of intense absorption.

### Flying in Franklin's Day.

Benjamin Franklin, who closely inspired the aerial experiments he viewed in France in 1782, wrote:

"The improvement in the Construction and Management of the Balloons had already made a rapid progress; and one cannot say how far it may go."

# Different Now, But Christmas Just the Same

By De Lyle F. Cass

In often days they used to bring a horse's head and stick into the street and drag the half-grown yellow to the great fireplace with special ceremony.

And years afterwards the custom was for bands of sweet-toothed boys to go from house to house on Christmas morning, standing grouped in the street and singing carols of joy to the mistle-rose of bells.

And in grand old time folks made up jolly, boisterous sleigh parties, where all muffled up snugly and let out the horses, with the harness gliding swiftly over the hard-packed snow.

But Mistle and I live in a little house in town where the sanitary department keeps the streets swept clean of snow; where there are municipal rinks against chopping down trees and no fireplaces in which to burn the logs, even if we had them; where the policeman on the beat probably would arrest the Christmas children if they came around and stole up the neighborhood by singing early in the morning.

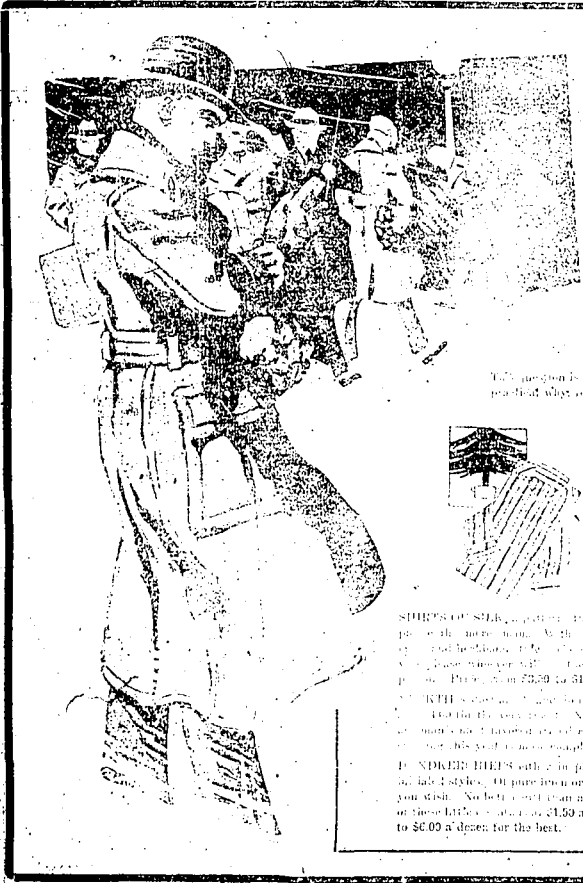
Mistle and I just wake up the kids and let them tumble downstairs to see the tree we trimmed the night before, and then let them litter up the parlor, while she sits quietly on the arm of my chair and I smoke, watching them most of the day afterwards.

But, let me tell you, friends, it's Christmas, just the same!

### A CHRISTMAS SUPERSTITION.

In the west of England it was once firmly believed that anyone who visited a cattle shed on Christmas eve would hear the beasts conversing. But such a visit was considered perilous—the irreverent eavesdropper being likely to hear words of ill omen, as in the legend of the farmer who heard his oxen comparing painful notes of a certain hard day's work that lay before them in the future: "It is long way up the hill to the churchyard, and our master is heavy." Brand speaks of a west country peasant who told him that he had himself seen cattle fall on their knees at the Holy Euchar, and heard them utter a groan "like Christmas creatures."

Movable. "Where is Mr. Philibud humping to-day?" "Well, he may be at the next corner or he may be a couple of blocks down the street." "I thought his habits were very regular. Can't you tell me where he is humping?" "No, no, no, he humps at a bit, but it moves around."



# The Spirit of Christmas Is Expressed in Our Fine Clothes

Men will want to dress-up for Christmas as they have never before. This year more than ever the spirit of Christmas will be in the land and the man who does not "act well his part" will be sadly outclassed.

## To Give a Man

THE question is not of the best of these suits to wear and we have solved this problem in a mighty practical way, you can have a suit that will please the donor and reflect credit on the giver.

- YOUNG MEN'S SUITS OF STYLE \$35.00
- OLDER MEN'S SUITS OF DIGNITY \$45.00
- OVERCOATS for the Young Men of Style \$40.00
- MEN'S OVERCOATS \$40.00

### Alco Clothes Shop

WEST MAIN TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

HOUSE SLIPPERS  
HOUSE SLIPPERS are most always needed by the man of the house and this lot will make the giving of a gift a little easier. See the number of pairs in stock. Priced \$2.50 to \$3.50.

# Life's Greatest Joy IS IN THE HOME

Good furniture will add a hundred fold to the joys of your home—likewise to your comfort. Make your wife happy by telling her to pick out that new set she has been wanting for so long a time. Then watch the change in her countenance—the joyous spring to her walk, to her every action. Try it. You'll feel better yourself.

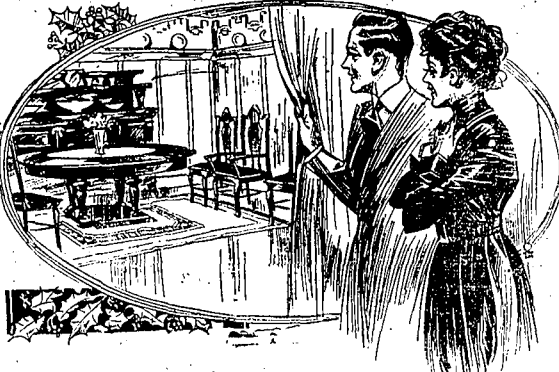
## TAKE A LOOK

At our prices on Furniture. They are a surprise to those who know the usual prices and values

We have the most serviceable furniture money can buy, and yet we are selling it at prices usually charged for inferior goods.

We are determined to convince you that we have the ONLY place in this community to buy furniture RIGHT—to effect a saving on every piece.

## TAKE A LOOK



# HERE IS HAPPINESS FOR YOU

## Get Her a Set of Furniture for a Christmas Gift

Do you need a new set of furniture for your home? Get it.

It will make you happy—it will make your wife proud and happy—and your children will be deliciously happy.

Now who wouldn't spend a few dollars to add that much joy to the home?

We are ready for the Xmas trade—are stocked right up to the limit—and have the finest selections in furniture ever offered in this community.

# An Easy Chair IS NOT EXPENSIVE

but it adds amazingly to the comfort of the wife at home, and to yourself when you reach home at the close of your labors of the day.

We have an excellent selection of Easy Chairs of various designs and prices; of exceptional durability, and each possessing that classy appearance which makes them an ornament to the home.

YOUR WIFE WANTS ONE. Why not give her a pleasant surprise by telling her to come around and make a selection? It would please YOU, as well as HER.

And just bear in mind that her first and last thought in making that selection will be of YOU, and of what will be conducive to YOUR comfort. That is the wife's way, and we are often too prone to forget it.

# REYNOLDS BROS. CO. Inc.

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## HINTS FOR NIMBLE FINGERS

(By Courtney Colquhoun)

Goodness gracious, here comes Christmas again!—and just as we are in the midst of our resolutions of former years, in spite of the Society for Prevention of Useless Givings which we have more or less conscientiously joined, find that our Christmas lists are about as usual. After all, it is hard for those who have the time and ability to make constructive gifts to refrain entirely from their fashioning. And it is really great fun to see just how far one can go on a little outfit of real money.

In mind one very clever girl, who, having moved to a distant city during the year, found herself rather put to it to make attractive gifts for her absent friends and relatives. So she sat herself down in front of her trunk, hauled out an evening dress which she seldom wore, and firmly tucked the skirt off. This she pressed and renovated. Then she rummaged until she found a few pairs of long gloves of former gay days. These she cut off to make new gantlet ones for street wear, and the tops she put with the satin under skirt.

A few scraps of colored ribbon, some green leaves and a piece of silver tinsel were made into flowers and pressed flat with a warm iron. The glove tops were covered with attractive foliage of red, satin and wreaths of the tiny flowers were put on the flaps. Result, twelve as dainty Jewel cases as one could want, costing nothing but the postage to send them. With the satin which was left, she made a few sachets for hat corners, tacked them with wool and worked a cross-stitch, nosegay in the center. This girl was not one with cleverer ideas than many who will read this article; her necessity simply helped her through them. It is a very good plan to stick to one kind of gift while, making a number, for one can get a remnant of goods, which made up in different styles, will do for several gifts. For instance, suppose one decided to make a number of table runners. A bolt of broad in dull gold, a short length of tapestry and a scrap of velvet will cost but a few dollars; and from all of this can be made three or four stunning covers. A yard of wide red will make six breakfast caps with twelve yards of narrow lace to trim them. Pleated ruffles of the net really cost less than lace, however, and in that case the net will make three caps, the other change used for trimming.

Small chifon flowers, velvet butterflies and shirred ribbons how knots are ways of trimming. A luncheon set of cream colored crepe would be very pretty hemmatted in rose or delft blue thread. The luncheon cloth should have a hem about two inches wide, and the six napkins may be hemmed wide or narrow to suit the designer. Japanese hemstitching, which is doubtless time-saving, is more effective than the regular kind, and also withstands laundering better. To explain more closely, one takes five or six threads when making the first row of stitches. The second time, instead of taking up the same threads, one takes half of one group and half of the next, thus making a crossed effect, which is very pretty. Ordinary button holes which cost only a few cents a dozen, may be cancelled in black and combined with rows heads of bright color for the children that the topsiders will probably be made of velvet, which are in every woman's work basket. Tiny bows of velvet ribbon, a flower or two of georgette crepe and designs of colored-headed pins are used with marvellous effect.

Covers for the lower part of the canary's cage are made of pale gray chifon with bound in black and fastened in wool of bright shades.

## Provides Deportation for Alien Anarchists

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Deportation for any alien member of any organization in this country that teaches or advises destruction of property or injury to persons, and for any alien who speaks or writes, or contributes funds to those who advocate such destruction and violence, is provided and made mandatory in an alien deportation bill reported today from the house immigration committee.

Representative Johnson of the committee arranged with House Leader Blount for a special rule to take up the bill in the house. It will be passed by the Christmas holidays. Representative Johnson said.

## Timely Toy Suggestions

Everything is taking such practical turns nowadays that even the dolls and fancy things which are supposed to be for young people's diversion are being shown in all manner of instructive dress and forms. We no longer see the old-fashioned array of paper dolls with wad of gauze, tissue paper fringes and trimmings which could be painted or radically trimmed with flowers of ribbon and tinsel sashes. Fewer and fewer are the old-fashioned rag dolls with feather between the ears which, we used to play with throughout our childhood, but which had no moral or instructive sides than a white has hips. It is probably true for the children that the topsiders have decided that they must be instructed as well as amused, for it is a bit hard on fond parents to attend for all these little details, when there is so much about the high cost of living to be worried over.

In one of the country's largest toy shops the art making a special study this year of numerous games for girls, and, of course, a few for boys who will sit still long enough to handle with them.

There are the most adorable boxes of clean, white wood, which when opened show an outfit for the small nurse, including a cap, a brass bed for her arm and a flower on the side for small corners, as well as all the medicinal properties, bandage and adhesive, all done up in little bottles with a red cross on top. What could delight a little girl's heart more, and think of the real good she could do, with a little help in interpreting the directions.

There are sewing sets, with silk wound on cards and scraps of gay cloth to practice on. Some of these sets have notions to be worked on. One has designed in punch-work, and all of them are instructive, no there you are.

Cunning are the little boxes of blocks, which, when put together with glue, make the most adorable sets of furniture. With a little colored enamel and a few lessons in painting, a small girl could evolve a whole household of furniture which, bought already finished, costs a pretty penny but most daddies can afford.

When one has made all these attractive articles, one has a perfect right to ask mother to write Santa Claus, as she first intended when

prattled on a charge of causing the child's death. Mr. Lantz Sander, the county physician, who has had charge of Mrs. Blake since her arrest, said today that she admitted walking out the pier here with the boy on Friday night. The boy's body was found off the pier floating in the water.

"She said: 'I know he must have fallen off the pier,' said the physician. 'I told her that she knew the floor of the laboratory was not true, and after crying a while she said: 'No, it isn't. I don't remember

what happened, Daddy and I went in the pier. He was carrying my purse, ahead of me. I guess he must have fallen off the pier.' A 'complete confession' the authorities said today, is expected from Mrs. Blake before night.

What a job! Try a 'Situation Wanted' ad in our want columns.

Our papers 10c a bundle at The Times.

Daily and Sunday Times, \$7 a year.

## Pandolfo Sentenced to Serve Ten Years

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—S. C. Pandolfo, former president of the Pan Motor company, charged with using the mails to promote a fraudulent sale of stocks, was sentenced to serve ten years in the Fort Leavenworth penitentiary by Judge Landis today. He was also fined \$4,000.

Daily and Sunday Times, \$7 a year.



Mechanical toys for the boys, dolls for the girls, and games for them both. Grizzly bears that make you grin with joy, trucks, autos, trains and fire wagons that run and that any boy could wish for. Character toys, boys' dolls and lady dolls that make the girls the happiest of the lot. Yes, the toys of all kinds are here. Bring the children and let them pick out what they want Santa to bring for them.

# Plain Price Store

218 South Main Avenue

# The Christmas Gift

by Merrill Malvath Burton

**T**HIS day before Christmas, why don't you try to be a good boy or girl and bring the best gift you can to your mother, father, sister or brother?

The best gift is the gift of love, and the best love is the love of a child for his or her mother and father.

There are many ways in which you can give your mother and father the gift of love. You can give them a card, a letter, a drawing, or a gift.

But the best gift is the gift of love, and the best love is the love of a child for his or her mother and father.

...I shall be only too glad to do it in a kind of protest for the sake of one of the children at home, a child of my own.

...I have been here for some time, and I have seen many things that I would not have seen elsewhere.

...I have seen many things that I would not have seen elsewhere.



"Poetry, Poetry, My" Replied Darius Dejectedly.

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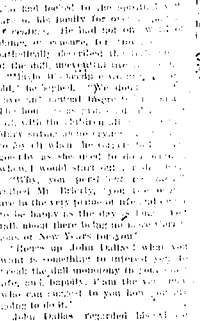
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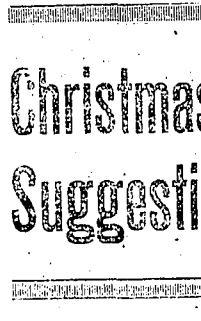
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# Christmas Suggestions

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| <b>NUTS</b>                    | <b>CANDIES</b>                   |
| English walnuts, pound.....40c | Xmas Ribbon mixed, lb.....40c    |
| Filberts, pound.....40c        | Fancy Cream candy, lb.....35c    |
| Almonds, pound.....43c         | Xmas Plain Mix, lb.....35c       |
| Peanuts, pound.....20c         | Pure Sugar Stick, wrapped 40c    |
| Brazil nuts, pound.....45c     | Rose City Cream Mix, lb.....40c  |
| Pine Nuts, pound.....45c       | Fancy Gum Drops, lb.....38c      |
| Chestnuts, pound.....43c       | Plain Gum Drops, lb.....30c      |
| Pecans will arrive soon        | Chocolates, per lb.....40c & 45c |
| Black walnuts will arrive soon |                                  |
- MIXED NUTS 40c POUND**
- A real buy—and only a few left
- Xmas boxes 4lb. net, Fancy Chocolates and Creams.....\$2.25
- ORANGES**
- Shaggs Stores have bought a car of Sunkist Oranges for Xmas trade.—Get Our Prices.
- We deliver orders to the amount of \$5.00

# SKAGGS

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# Comfy Slippers

The Practical Christmas Gift

Comfy slippers make ideal gifts for those who are appreciated by anyone. In a wide range of colors for Daddy, Mother, Sister and Brother; and in styles that make the gift giving an easy one.

For Mother For Sister For Brother

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| For Mother       | For Sister       | For Brother      |
| \$1.25 to \$2.25 | \$1.85 to \$2.25 | \$2.25 to \$2.75 |

**'TIS A FEAT TO FIT FEET**

# Shoe Market

SAVES YOU MONEY—TWIN FALLS, IDAHO.

139 Shophone Street North (Orpheum Theatre Next Door to Us)

## Witness Testifies in Detzer Court-Martial

NEW YORK, Dec. 16. When the court-martial of Captain Earl W. Detzer of Fort Myer, Ind., was resumed at Grand Army Island today, one of the former aide, was called to the witness stand. Detzer is charged with negligence in the death of a lieutenant in France during the war.

## Funds for War Risk Insurance Patients

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. An appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the purpose of providing funds for the care of patients was authorized today by the House appropriations committee. The appropriation was for the fiscal year 1920.

## BLAZE DOES \$150,000 DAMAGE

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 16. The fire department's report on the fire at the Anderson and L. G. Verdon building in downtown Indianapolis, which destroyed the building and caused an estimated \$150,000 in damage, was issued today.

## Court Leak Suspects Get Severe Gruelling

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. The principal witnesses in the trial of six judges court-declared "leak" were today subjected to a grilling of questions which lasted several hours. When it was over it was announced that no decision had been reached, but that the interrogation would be continued by the department of justice officials.

## \$1,000,000 Will Save Austrian Bankruptcy

PARIS, Dec. 16. The supreme court just voted in favor of a \$1,000,000 loan to Austria to save the country from bankruptcy. The loan is to be repaid by the Austrian government.

## Belgium Has Enough of Guaranteed Neutrality

BRUSSELS, Dec. 16. Premier de Broqueville is expected to make a formal statement to the effect that Belgium does not wish to retain her present neutrality, according to the Belgian press. The statement was made in the course of a debate on the subject in the Belgian parliament.

## Wood's Still Hunt Reaches Colorado

DENVER, Dec. 16.—Major General Leonard A. Wood has a busy schedule outlined for his visit to Colorado, what politicians term his still hunt for the Republican presidential nomination. The army officer will arrive in Denver late afternoon and will be tendered a banquet this evening by political friends. Tomorrow he will speak before the Colorado legislature in the Colorado legislature in Denver. General Wood will be accompanied on his official reception Thursday night by Governor Shoup.

## Trial Starts for Murder of Whisman

DANVILLE, Ill., Dec. 16.—Charles Heitz, his wife Bertha, and their son, were placed on trial in the circuit court today for the murder of Walter Whisman, husband of one of the defendants in the arrest of Heitz, his wife, and Mrs. Whisman followed.

## Lightweight Champ Will Meet Gilbert

DENVER, Dec. 16.—Carl Mackey, lightweight champion of the Rocky mountain states, was matched today for a ten-round bout with Pat Gilbert for the vacant title of champion of the Rocky mountain states. Mackey has come to the fore rapidly in the past few weeks and his manager, Jack Kerner of this city, is negotiating for a long distance bout with Farley White or Johnny Jacobs.

## MAY ANNOUCE SETTLEMENT 'HIS HOME TROUBLE TOMORROW'

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Epoch magazine said an Exchange "Gossip" dispatch from Rome today that Premier Nitti will announce a settlement of the Plams trouble in the Italian chamber of deputies tomorrow, said an Exchange "Gossip" dispatch from Rome today.

## LIFTS EMBARGO ON OIL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. The embargo on the movement of fuel oil from the west to the east which went into effect about two weeks ago was today removed by the railroad administration.

## NAME COMMISSION 'THURSDAY'

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. President Wilson will name the commission which will advise on the name of the new federal government on Thursday, Dec. 17, it was announced at the White House today. The president has decided on the three members of the commission, it was announced.

## BARBER'S CANDIDATE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Senator Warren G. Harding, of Ohio, late this afternoon formally announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for president. We will make statement of his platform tomorrow.





# The Christmas Gift

by Merrill Malvath Burton

THE day before Christmas, why don't you give it one of your best, and begin the new year with a good and merry one bright for the week before you?

The best gift you can give is your estimate better still with nothing to think of. It is to be a gift when he or she is not to be disappointed. There are the many children who have been the best of us, and some are still in need of a gift. I have been thinking of you, and you must know that you are to get the best of us for the year.

Who are the poor folks to get to take the gift? Mr. Henry, growing face and gentle.

"I shall trust you to send a gift to all the boys of the town, and you will certainly begeth by friends," answered Mr. Henry smiling.

Will undertake trying to induce some behavior of his kind or father's. With holiday cheer, wearing his honest heart, the best thing that father ever had started forth on his lifetime. Before doing so, however, he sat on the porch for a quarter of an hour compiling a list of possible "prospects." Through the village square, was among them, and he believed with apparent interest in the children's story of how four children had been left homeless and penniless through the death of their mother, a poor widow.

"Well you," said Mr. DeLaney, "my wife is an invalid and your charity in our regular life would be a great help."

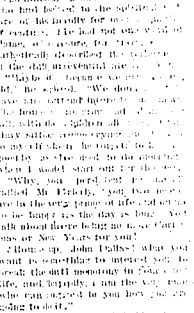


"Poorly, Poorly, Sir," Replied Dutton Correctly.

most of the town in spirit of No. 1 on his list, to find the object of his gift for the day. He was somewhat weary from his walk, and he was in the office of John DeLaney, who had been a friend of his since they were children. Mr. DeLaney was sitting at his desk, and he was looking at the man who had come in. He was looking at him with a certain interest, and he was looking at him with a certain interest.

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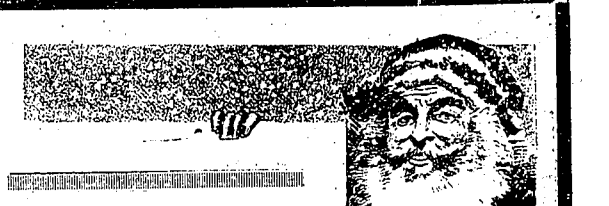
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"Bring along the list as soon as you can," he said. "I want to be sure that I don't have a pleasant surprise and I hope Mary will get the best of us."



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# Christmas Suggestions

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| <b>NUTS</b>                    | <b>CANDIES</b>                   |
| English walnuts, pound.....40c | Xmas Ribbon mixed, lb.....40c    |
| Filberts, pound.....40c        | Fancy Cream candy, lb.....35c    |
| Almonds, pound.....43c         | Xmas Plain Mix, lb.....35c       |
| Peanuts, pound.....20c         | Pure Sugar Stick, wrapped 40c    |
| Brazil nuts, pound.....45c     | Rose City Cream Mix, lb.....40c  |
| Pine Nuts, pound.....45c       | Fancy Gum Drops, lb.....38c      |
| Chestnuts, pound.....43c       | Plain Gum Drops, lb.....30c      |
| Pecans will arrive soon        | Chocotates, per lb.....40c & 45c |
| Black walnuts will arrive soon |                                  |
- MIXED NUTS 40c POUND**
- A real buy—and only a few left
- Xmas boxes 4lb. net, Fancy Chocolates and Creams.....\$2.25
- ORANGES**
- Sluggs Stores have bought a car of Sunkist Oranges for Xmas trade.—Get Our Prices.
- We deliver orders to the amount of \$5.00

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## Comfy Slippers

### The Practical Christmas Gift

Comfy slippers make ideal gifts for family members. In a wide range of colors for Daddy, Mother, Sister and Brother; and in styles that make the gift giving an easy one.

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For Mother \$1.85 to \$2.25

For Sister \$1.85 to \$2.25

For Dad \$2.25 to \$2.75

For Brother \$1.85 to \$2.25

**IT'S A FEAT TO FIT FEET**

# Shoe Market

SAVES YOU MONEY—TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

139 Shoshone Street North (Orpheum Theatre Next Door to Us)

### Witness Testifies in Detzer Court-Martial

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—When the court-martial of Captain Carl W. Detzer of Fort Wayne, Ind., was resumed at Camp Detzer Island today, one of the witnesses was called to the stand by the government's lawyers. He was a private in the 10th Cavalry, and he testified that he saw Detzer shoot at the prisoners under his charge during the attack on the island.

### Granddaughter of Premier

Little Miss Margaret Carey Egan, daughter of Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain, was in the city today. She is a young girl of four years of age.

### Funds for War Risk Insurance Patients

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—An appropriation of \$100,000 for the relief of war risk insurance patients was authorized today by the House of Representatives.

### Blaze Does \$2,000 Damage

BOVILLIE, Dec. 16.—The fire which broke out at the store of J. A. Anderson and L. C. Gordon today, and did the extent of \$2,000, is believed to have originated in a defective stove.

### Court Leak Suspects Get Severe Grueiling

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The principal witnesses in the alleged Supreme Court decision "leak" were today subjected to a grueling cross-examination which lasted several hours. When it was over it was announced that no decision had been reached, but that the interrogation would be continued by the department of justice officials.

### \$1,000,000 Will Save Austrian Bankruptcy

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The supreme council met today at Premier Clemenceau's residence and listened to an appeal from Chancellor Bauer of Austria in behalf of the starving people of Austria.

### Belgium Has Enough of Guaranteed Neutrality

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### Trial Starts for Murder of Whisman

DANVILLE, Ill., Dec. 16.—Charles Holtz, a wife beater and murderer, was placed on trial in the circuit court today for the murder of Walter Whisman, husband of one of the defendants, who was shot to death at the Holtz home August 9.

### May Announce Settlement of the Flu Trouble, Tomorrow

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 16.—The health department reports that the influenza epidemic in this city is being brought under control.

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