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From Nearby Towns

Forks of the Creek.

Dec. 14—Mrs. E. Taylor Norton left last Friday for her home in Miami, Fla., the land of sunshine and flowers.

Mrs. Wm. Marshall and daughter Mildred spent several days last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence O'Hara, and her brother at Cazenovia.

Mrs. Geo. Austin and Miss Effie Labor were in Syracuse Monday and Tuesday. They also were in Auburn the last of the week.

You are cordially invited to attend the Christmas entertainment of the Forks of the Creek school, which will be held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22, at 8 o'clock, in the hall at schoolhouse with a community Christmas tree.

Mrs. Stephen Austin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shaw, at North Lansing.

Mrs. Geo. Holden, who had the misfortune to break her ankle a few weeks ago is doing as well as can be expected. She is at the home of her brother, Jay Boyer.

Mrs. O. C. Sill and two children visited her sister, Mrs. Keefe, at Ithaca last Friday.

Merle Holden of Lansingville called to see his mother at his uncle's, Jay Boyer, Monday.

Mrs. Ruby Sharp and little son Myron are visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ellison.

Miss Edith Boyer was home from Ithaca over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Breed and daughter Hilda visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Breed, Sunday.

Ensenore Heights.

Dec. 14—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pickens and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lovejoy and daughter of Groton were recent guests of C. A. Pickens and family.

Mrs. H. V. Sawyer has made several trips to the Auburn City hospital, during the last three weeks, to visit her sister, Mrs. Grace Harter, who underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Sarah Barnes' brother, Harlow Taber, died recently at Willard State Hospital where he had been a patient for fifteen years. His funeral was held in Auburn and the remains were placed in the receiving vault in Scipio Rural cemetery.

Miss Laura Lester has returned to Watkins, after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lester.

Several from this place will attend the variety shower at Mrs. Edith Culver's at Poplar Ridge today given in honor of Miss Martha VanLiew, sister of Mrs. Culver.

Venice Center.

Dec. 13—Mrs. Patrick Shea and son Leo visited relatives in Auburn last week.

A. M. Sisson is quite ill. Dr. Hoxsie is attending him. Chas. Clark is taking Mr. Sisson's place at the creamery.

Mrs. Clarence Smith and daughter are at her parents' home, during her father's illness.

Chas. W. Heald is home from the Great Lakes for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Streeter were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Whyte, in Syracuse last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wallace and Mrs. Wm. Heald and son Dorr were in Auburn for the day last Friday.

Geo. Crawford was a week-end guest of his daughter, Mrs. Lucy Coddington, in Syracuse.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark and children were Sunday guests of his uncle, Byron Williamson.

W. H. Hoskins of Genoa called on A. M. Sisson last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillespie of Genoa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sisson on Sunday.

Lansingville.

Dec. 13—The Christmas tree and exercises will be held at the Lansingville church, on Saturday night, Dec. 25. An offering will be taken at the close of the exercises for the benefit of the suffering children of Central Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Tucker and family.

Merton Reynolds of Fulton is spending a few days here. His mother, Mrs. Alida Reynolds, is not so well.

Mrs. Sarah Sweazey and Ray and Jay Gallow are spending a few days at Locke and Groton.

Wm. Tait went to Ledyard Sunday to see his brother-in-law, John Corey who is very ill.

The diphtheria quarantine has been removed from the home of George Inman, after 8 weeks.

Herbert Batcheller and family have moved into the Albert Baker house and Grant Gere and family have moved to Ludlowville for the winter.

The telephone which was in Alida Reynolds' house has been placed in Wm. Baker's residence and the one which was at Wilmer Stout's has been put in the home of George Stout, as W. Stout and family have gone to Ludlowville for the winter.

Robert Fox of Battle Creek, Mich., is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baker.

School district No. 3 will hold a Christmas entertainment and social at the home of Wert Dates on Thursday evening, Dec. 23.

Ledyard.

Dec. 14—Cornelius Cahalan returned from Auburn last week where he underwent an operation for appendicitis some time ago. His condition is improving and friends are glad to welcome him home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Avery and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Plested, motored to New York where they spent a week visiting relatives. They returned Dec. 5, and Mr. and Mrs. Plested left for their home in Trinidad, Colorado, the day following.

Katherine Wilbur, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wilbur, was taken to a hospital in Auburn for an operation last week.

The date of the Christmas entertainment at the Methodist church has been changed from Christmas Eve to Thursday night, Dec. 23. A little play, "The Spirit of Christmas" will be given, in which Mildred Holland, Beatrice Bowen and Leon Haines take the leading parts.

The Ledyard Boys' club enjoyed their monthly stunt night in the barn at the W. W. Minard home on Saturday night. Next Friday night the regular weekly meeting will be held at the church with a special educational program.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyette of Auburn are spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Avery.

Ledyard Church Notes.

REV. I. F. LIVINGSTON, PASTOR.
Notices for Sunday, Dec. 19, 1920, Ledyard and West Genoa churches.
Hours of service: Ledyard 10:30, Sunday school 11:30. West Genoa, Sunday school 1:15, preaching at 2.

Subject—"The Kneeling Christ."
"That soul which is left for you to fill."
Far hidden from human sight,
May be a sepulchre of ill,
Or a temple of delight,
Oh! keep it till earth and time shall cease,
For thoughts that are good and pure,
A sanctuary of love and peace,
In a citadel secure."
Merry Christmas to everybody!

100 Tons of Wool Stored.

About 200,000 pounds of wool are now in storage in the federation warehouse at Syracuse. It is expected that the state pool will reach 600,000 pounds. There is no market for wool at present. The annual meeting of the state federation of wool growers' associations will be held in January.

When in the woodlot, be on the watch for a trim little evergreen for the Christmas tree.

North Lansing.

Dec. 14—Glenn L. Bacon and Miles D. Lane attended the Dairy-men's League meeting in Utica Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. F. J. Allington and Archie Hockman attended the funeral of A. M. Palmer at Five Corners Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Robinson of Ithaca spent Wednesday with Mary Robinson and her mother.

Delco electric lights have been installed in the "Central" telephone office.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weeks of Delta, Colo., are visiting relatives here.

Karl Tarbell spent last week in Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard J. Edsall and children have moved to Ithaca.

Mrs. C. J. Miller, who has been quite ill, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Tarbell spent Friday and Saturday in Syracuse.

Miss Lucy Carson has returned from a week's visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Carson in King Ferry.

Mrs. Hattie K. Buck has been quite ill with throat trouble the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Woodruff spent one day last week with friends in Ithaca.

The church fair and supper held at the hall Friday night, was well attended, \$41 being cleared.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ross and daughter attended the funeral of Mrs. Ross' cousin, Jay Conger, in Groton Sunday.

Merrifield.

Dec. 14—School will close on Friday next for a two weeks' vacation. The Baptist Sunday school will have a tree with appropriate exercises on Christmas Eve.

Mrs. Sarah Wood entertained the Universalist Ladies' Aid Saturday afternoon at a cash shower in honor of her cousin, Miss Martha VanLiew, who is to be a mid-winter bride.

Mrs. F. H. Loveland spent Friday and Saturday with friends in Auburn.

Warren Loyster has returned to Syracuse University after spending the Thanksgiving recess with his parents.

Miss Mildred Bishop of Auburn was a Sunday guest of her mother and sister.

The funeral of Miss Adeline Smith was largely attended from the home of Mrs. Charles Hoskins last Thursday. Rev. Mr. Weaver, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Scipioville, officiated. The remains were placed in the receiving vault in Scipio Rural cemetery.

Mrs. Martha Eaker has gone to Moravia to remain two weeks or more.

The Scipio branch of the Red Cross held a meeting at E. J. Morgan's last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Dempsey, father of Mrs. E. J. Byrnes, is ill and under the care of Dr. Hoxsie.

Poplar Ridge.

Dec. 14—The electric lights are in use at E. B. Mosher's store and residence, J. F. Calihan, barber shop and the garage. Wiring is being done as fast as possible and others hope soon to enjoy the lights.

Everett Cook went to Florida last week.

Rev. L. K. Painter and A. E. Simkin made a trip to Poughkeepsie and New York last week.

Scipioville.

Dec. 13—The Missionary society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James King Friday afternoon.

Tuesday evening a social for the members of the congregation of the Presbyterian church will be held at the manse.

Several cases of the mumps among the children in the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brewster of Auburn were in town last week and found Mr. Baker, Mrs. Brewster's father, quite ill. They took him home with them. Irwin Baker is also in Auburn caring for his father.

Miss Mary E. Hoxsie has returned from East Rochester where she spent some time with her sister.

Miss Martha Bancroft expects to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Anthony.

Miss H. A. Phelps and brother Cecil entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wells of Auburn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Casler and Mrs. C. A. Berkenstock took a trip to Geneva Thursday last to attend a funeral.

Thomas Dwyer received notice of the death of his sister in Rochester Sunday. His little daughter Margaret has been staying with his sister and was very ill with diphtheria. She was improving when her aunt became ill and died of the same disease. The little girl is still critically ill.

Mrs. H. A. Ward spent a part of the past week in Auburn.

Mrs. Willard Anthony is ill this week. Her two sons, Raymond and Kenneth, did not return to school in Genoa this week on account of having symptoms of the mumps.

Mrs. Kind was called home from Pulaski Friday morning on account of the sudden illness of Mr. Kind, who suffered a slight shock of paralysis.

John W. Corey of Ledyard passed away at his home Monday afternoon after an illness of some time.

Mrs. D. H. Gray spent a part of the past week in Syracuse.

Mrs. O'Connell with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel O'Herron have moved into the house with Michael O'Herron for the winter.

Arthur Snushall is critically ill. His brother Dan from Ledyard is spending some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Casler attended Pomona Grange in Auburn last Friday and Saturday.

East Venice.

Dec. 14—Mr. and Mrs. Fred V. Lester spent a part of last week in Auburn, Mr. Lester attending the teachers' conference there.

Hiram Finch is spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Dean.

L. A. Lester and Raymond Cross visited Ithaca and Cornell one day last week.

Clark Whitten has been quite sick the past week.

Charles Stanton has been elected master of the Pomona Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cross who have been visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Lester and Mrs. Geo. Signor, have returned to their home at Wadhams, N. Y.

Miss Frances Taylor has been quite sick with jaundice. She is better at this writing.

Alfred Sisson was in Venice Center one day last week to visit his brother Arthur who is very sick.

King Ferry Church Notes.

REV. S. C. PAGE, PASTOR.
All branches of the church are busily engaged in preparing for the Christmas services. Sunday, Dec. 26, will be observed as Christmas Sunday.
On Sunday a special offering will be taken to defray expenses of presents for the children.
The Ladies' Aid bazaar and supper were a great success. The proceeds amounted to \$160.
Sunday services:
11 a. m., sermon by the pastor on "Love." This is the concluding sermon of a series on the "Marks of Faith."
7 p. m., the fortnightly prayer-meeting.

Venice.

Dec. 14—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sherman came Saturday to spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Whiting.

Mrs. Frank Fowler is spending some time in the West visiting relatives in Illinois and California.

Rev. B. C. Clausen of Syracuse First Baptist church gave an interesting talk Friday evening at the Baptist church to the Christian Endeavor members.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark and daughter Lillis and Mrs. Vine Williamson were Sunday guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. Wm. Penn Purdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Trapp were callers Friday evening at Howard Streeter's.

Miss Vera Fish spent the week-end in Auburn visiting Mrs. Mary Hoagland.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bennett spent Sunday evening at Howard Streeter's. Mr. and Mrs. John Streeter were also Sunday guests at the same place.

Miss Marie Stevens spent the week-end in Syracuse visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ruby Sharp and son were guests of her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Ellison at Forks Creek last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Downing and son Leon of Groton were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. R. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dandridge were Sunday guests at Henry Purdy's.

The Sunday school of the Baptist church are planning on having Christmas exercises and tree on Friday evening, Dec. 24.

Ellsworth.

Dec. 14—Mrs. Clarence Parmenter spent Thursday and Friday in Auburn and attended the teachers' meeting. Mr. Parmenter also spent Friday in Auburn.

Jay Myers spent Wednesday in Auburn.

Quite a number of friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Longstreet gave them a surprise Friday evening at their home. A bountiful supper was served and all enjoyed the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Parmenter spent Sunday afternoon with their son, William Jr., and family of King Ferry.

We are very sorry to learn of the death of John W. Corey of Venice. He has a brother here and many friends to mourn his loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Streeter and Millard Streeter spent Monday in Auburn.

While husking corn on the Myers farm the tractor of George Hoag was blown to pieces. Much damage was done.

Mrs. William Parmenter is visiting in Auburn.

Miss Frances Jackson spent the week-end with her parents near King Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Streeter entertained the Grange Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Callahan and son Alton of Poplar Ridge and Mr. and Mrs. Ray White and daughter Lucille of Auburn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry White.

Five Corners.

Dec. 14—The many friends of Lawrence O'Daniels, who is at Saranac Lake in the Adirondack mountains, will be glad to learn that he is enjoying himself and likes it there very much. Although he has been there only about six weeks, he has already gained over seven pounds in weight, and all hope to see him back in the spring fully recovered.

Miss Hazel Howell of North Lansing was a guest of Miss Jane Hollister over the week-end.

Mrs. Maria Kelly is at the home of Elwood Stoughton for a time. Forty-eight tickets were sold at the Rebekah dance Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith visited relatives at Lansingville on Sunday. Lonson Barger of Scranton, Pa., Frank Barger of New York and Henry Barger of Ludlowville visited their father, Charles G. Barger, on Sunday. Donald Aigard has the whooping cough.

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Twenty-One Days to Florida.

Orlando, Fla.,
Dec. 4, 1920.

On Nov. 2, we came by way of Elmira and stayed there the first night, only making 60 miles the first day. The second day we ran about 90 miles and camped at night on the land of the president of the Pennsylvania railroad. His caretaker opened the gates and let us camp there. He has 2000 acres of land and a hunting lodge at a place called Trout Run. The stream beside which we camped was full of trout and other fish and right back on the hills the caretaker showed us 31 deer in a bunch which they have fed and cared for so they will stay on the farm, and over on the other hill there were 10 deer in sight. We found very bad hills in Pennsylvania and narrow roads. We went to Washington and saw the Capitol and other large buildings. In Maryland where we camped one night we went to a corn husking bee. There were about 30 of the natives out and they husked about 120 bushels of corn. We had a lot of fun and they served supper to all. The women held the lanterns and the men did the husking. We saw acres of tobacco that was not harvested. We passed acres of cotton. They did not care whether they picked it or not. In Maryland there are thousands of acres that the State owns that are not worth much. The roads were very rough in that state. In North Carolina there were lots of places where we went through water 1 1/2 ft. deep. They do not fix the bridges—they ford the stream. Every one down South rides horseback. You will see more horseback riding in one day down here than you will in Cayuga county in a year. In South Carolina the roads are very good but narrow. The colored people all take off their hats to you in this state, but in Georgia look out for them as there are seven colored people to one white. I will tell you a little experience we had. After we left Atlanta we had to detour for 90 miles and we came to a place where the water covered the road for about 20 rods and 2 feet deep. I started through it with Mr. Sprague following me. I got within about two rods of the end and the coils got wet and stopped my engine. There was a man and mule at the end who made a business of drawing the autos out. It cost me \$2 to get pulled out and in a few minutes there were two autos came back and said their advice was to go back as it cost one of them \$15 to get pulled through. Just then a white man with a team of mules came along and I hired him to pull me through for \$2.50 and when he was hitching on to the car a "nigger" came along and said for him to take his chain as he said my rope was not strong enough. He took the chain and pulled me through and when we got through the nigger wanted \$1 for use of chain. The white man would not pay it. They had an argument and I said I would pay it rather than to have trouble. The white man said no and would not let me. We afterwards learned that they settled the dispute with firearms, and that three colored men were killed.

While I am writing this, the flies and mosquitoes are eating me up. The thermometer stands at about 85. We are camping out as house rents are from \$75 to \$150 a month. If I ever get back to Ellsworth (that homelike place in the town of Ledyard) I will stay there.

Elmer L. Dillon.

Geographical Calculations.

The geographical survey has completed some interesting calculations about areas and distances in the United States. The gross area of the United States it finds to be 3,926,789 square miles. The boundary and coast lines are as follows:

- The Canadian boundary is 3,898 miles long.
- The Mexican boundary is 1,744 miles.
- The Atlantic coast line is 5,560 miles.
- The Pacific coast line is 2,730 miles.
- The Gulf of Mexico coast line is 5,640 miles.
- The shortest distance from Atlantic to Pacific is 2,152 miles considerably less than the Pacific or the Gulf coast line. The most easterly point is Quoddy Head, near Eastport, Me., and the most westerly, Cape Alva, Washington, and the distance between them 2,807 miles.

A window pane is a lot better than an old hat to keep out the cold wind; and the cost of the glass or setting it prohibitive.

Best Christmas for a Boy

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

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AS ONE boy, to another—for I have never gotten over being one, although I am getting as gray as a billy-goat around the ears—I want to give it as my opinion that a Christmas anywhere but in the country is no Christmas at all!

A city Christmas is a make-believe, a hollow make-believe, an imitation. I have tried both kinds, and so I know. A city Christmas has all the tin and tinsel, and that is all. By the time you get as old and feel as young as I am, you find most of the plate worn off.

Honestly, boys (and girls), I don't think Santa Claus himself ever feels very much at home except on a rural route! He has a mighty poor job in a big town, with flues instead of chimneys, and everything. And it is hard to see where he gets room to turn a sleigh and eight reindeer around, tiny reindeer though they may be. He'll be pretty certain to bump into a hydrant or tip over on a curb.

And with twenty families all using one flue (and, what is worse, a soft coal flue at that) how in the world is the most experienced Santa going to find which is Brown's and which is Smith's, and where the Greens live? Even if he dared rap and ask (which no Santa Claus is ever supposed to do) nobody could tell him. For perhaps the Browns and the Smiths have never "met," and the Greens might live across the hall for a month before anybody thought to inquire their name.

For that is one thing you don't get much of in the city—neighbors. Sometimes when the woman across the road keeps running in just when your mother is canning, or baking, or treating a shirt-bosom kindly but firmly with a flat-iron, your mother may almost wish that they weren't quite so plentiful in the country—but she wouldn't. She would miss them, just the same as you would miss having the same boys to play with year after year.

For in the city you are always getting a fresh lot of playmates—and sometimes they are a mighty fresh lot, too. Of course there are some good kids, also; but it always seems that just when you get to liking some fellow up the street or across the alley, the landlord boosts the rent and his folks have to move, and you never see him again. He may move only from one side of the city to the other, but it might as well be to another state. It is five or ten or twenty miles—miles of houses, no, miles of flats, and streetcar tracks, and railroads, and factories—and you never see him again or any of his folks.

The boys you know this Christmas probably won't be around at all next Christmas, if you live in the city. That is a funny thing about city folks: they are always going somewhere and never getting anywhere. Why, even if the landlord didn't raise the rent October 1 or May 1 or whenever the lease expires, they might move anyway! People who live in flats instead of homes are always looking for something better and getting something worse. They have the most wonderful collection of rent receipts, but not a foot of ground, not a roof or rafters, they can call their own.

Now, I don't know what you think, but I think that every family ought to have a house of its own, a house it lives in year after year. That is, of course, unless the father has some sort of job that makes it necessary for him to move to some other town every other year or so. But it is a great thing to live in a home, not just a house, and that is about the best place, and the only place, to have a Christmas, a real, sure-enough, honest-to-goodness Christmas.

Most of you boys who live on the farm and in the small town have that kind of home, and I wonder if you know how lucky you are? Wouldn't you hate to wake up Christmas morning and look at the ceiling and realize that someone else owned it, and then get up and go out in the front yard and realize that someone else owned that, too—why, you'd get so after awhile that, everything you saw, you would wonder who owned it!

I tell you, boys, it's a great satisfaction to have a back yard and to know it's yours, and that you can invite people into it, or invite people to stay out of it, just as you please. Why, that is what brought the Pilgrim Fathers to America—they wanted a spot they could call their own. I don't say that it was exactly a back yard they wanted, but what they wanted was some place they could play ball and no landlord of a king could come along and tell them to stop because they might break some of the royal windows. You know old King George did come along and try to make them stop—and you know what happened to the royal windows. Zan!

And then there is this matter of snow. You know some people don't think it is much of a Christmas without snow. Now, I know quite a lot about snow because I've been acquainted with a lot of it. I have tramped through it up in the Hudson Bay country, and I've wallowed around in it in the summertime on top of the Rocky mountains. And I want to tell

you that there is a great difference between country snow and city snow.

We may not have snow this Christmas, but we'll just suppose we do. Isn't a good, old lively snowstorm treat? Perhaps it is one of these lazy snowstorms, with the big, white flakes just floating down like feathers and slowly turning the roofs and roofs to white, like a coat of good white paint. Maybe there will be enough of it to make good coasting on the hills and good sleighing on the roads.

And, by the way, do you know there are boys in the big cities who have never seen a sleigh? Because a sleigh is getting to be a scarce article in the cities. You see, as soon as a little snow comes the street-cleaning department gets busy and sweeps it up, before it gets a chance to melt into slush.

In the country the winter wheat needs it, and the ground takes care of it. But in the city it just means stop and wash. So they sweep it up and carry it away and uncover the ugly pavement as soon as they can.

But they let you keep your snow in the country. When a warm wind comes along it will pack fine, and you can have your snow-men and your snow forts, and your snowball battles. (Only please don't use your artillery on older folks, or girls, or me.)

Or perhaps this snowstorm is one of the blizzard kind, with the wind zipping around the house and piling



Snowballs Through Royal Windows.

the snow up in the corners—why that kind of snow doesn't seem to come down at all, but just goes slanting by until it runs up against something it can't pass.

I remember being on a night train one time; and when we woke up in the morning, and the train was running over the smooth prairies, a little girl from a big city in western Pennsylvania (I won't tell you what city it was but maybe you can guess) exclaimed as she looked out of the window:

"Look, Mamma! The snow out here is white!"

I don't need to say much about the Christmas dinner. But if you have your Christmas dinner in the country, the turkey perhaps is one your folks raised, or that was raised in the neighborhood—anyhow, it is pretty likely to be a native, and not a resident of a cold storage plant somewhere. Or maybe you'll have a goose or a brace of chickens. Anyway, you'll know their pedigree, and that they're fresh and good.

And it will be the same way all down the line—vegetables, and pies, and everything. And cooked!—cooked to a turn—just long enough—just short enough—just right.

And you will more than likely have one thing that they won't have at the Christmas dinner in the city, because you know the cost of living just now is mighty high, in town especially, for both rich and poor. So you will have one thing that the city boy probably will not have—

Enough!

So I could go on and show you a dozen other ways in which a Christmas in the country puts it all over a Christmas in the city, but I am going to mention just one thing more: the Christmas tree.

Of course they have Christmas trees in the city. In New York trainload after trainload come down every season from the Adirondacks, and in Chicago boat loads come from Michigan's upper peninsula. You can buy them for fifty cents or a dollar, and they make very good Christmas trees indeed.

I don't know what you think about this either—but I have always thought that things I did myself and for my self were just twice the fun of things I bought myself or hired myself. And I think that especially about a Christmas tree. If you are lucky enough to be able to go out and pick your own tree, and chop it down, and bring it in—well, that's what I call a real Christmas tree!

Because that is really and truly your Christmas tree. You selected it with your own eye and chopped it down with your own axe and brought it home with your own muscles. The Christmas tree—that is your job:

- Bringing in the Tree
- Father gets the turkey.
- Mother makes the pie—
- Each one has a Christmas job
- To do, and so have I.
- Mother strings the popcorn
- To decorate—but, gee!
- I have got the biggest job—
- Bringing in the tree!
- Turkey is important.
- Pie and such are great.
- Popcorn strings you have to have
- When you decorate.
- But I guess a Christmas
- Christmas wouldn't be
- If you didn't have a boy
- Bringing in the tree!

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Pomona Grange.

The session of Cayuga County Pomona Grange opened Friday morning in the parlors of the Woman's Union building with about 125 Grangers in attendance. The meeting was called to order by John Van Dorn of Cato, master, who introduced A. J. Parker of Auburn. Mr. Parker spoke on matters of general interest to the farmers.
An invitation was received from the Weedsport Grange to hold the session of Pomona Grange in Weedsport next summer. The invitation will be accepted, it was stated. A communication from the Chamber of Commerce was read extending an invitation to the State Grange to hold its 1922 session in Auburn. The County Grange endorsed the invitation and will present it to the State Grange at its meeting in Utica in February.

The delegates named to represent Pomona Grange at State Grange at Utica are: John Van Dorn, delegate-at-large, Cato; Mrs. J. B. Simmons, Fair Haven; Arthur J. Wallace, Auburn; Mrs. Charles Fitts, Dresserville; Albert H. Battey, Sherwood; Mrs. Anna Davis, Springport, and V. J. Ott, Weedsport.

William E. Davis, manager of the Cayuga County Farm Bureau, was the speaker at the afternoon session. He outlined the work planned for the Farm Bureau for next year, including the junior project work among the boys and girls of the county. Mr. Davis emphasized the need for co-operation between the Grange and the Farm Bureau to accomplish the best results.

An address on home economics work in New York State and a report of the National Grange session held in Boston were given by Mrs. George P. Yawger, chairman of the State Grange Home Economics Committee. The afternoon session closed with a solo by A. L. Hemingway.

Jay Conger Dies Suddenly.

Jay Conger, one of Groton's best known business men, died suddenly Friday morning last at his home in Groton. He had been in his usual health and worked all day at his store. The cause of death was stated to be heart disease. He was 66 years old.

Mr. Conger had conducted a general store in Groton many years, having begun with his father while he was still little more than a boy. The firm was known as C. W. Conger & Co. After Mr. Conger's father died about 20 years ago, he continued the business under the same firm name. He was president of the Groton Bridge Company more than 15 years, and was a director of the Corona Typewriter Company, and was known as a clear-headed, sterling business man.

Besides his wife Mr. Conger leaves a son, Jay Conger, Jr.; a daughter, Mrs. E. J. Watrous of Groton, and a brother, Benn Conger.
The funeral was held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the Congregational church in Groton. Rev. W. W. Schumaker officiated. Interment in Groton Rural cemetery.

Death of Warner Greenleaf.

Samuel Warner Greenleaf of Groton died Thursday at his home in that village, after a brief illness from meningitis. He was 26 years old.

Besides his wife and a 4-year-old son, he leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Day Greenleaf of Cortland, and a sister, Mrs. Henry Boyce also of Cortland. Mr. Greenleaf was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church. He had been employed at the Corona Typewriter company the last four years.

The funeral was held at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the home and at 2 o'clock from the Methodist church. Rev. C. F. Dopps officiated assisted by Rev. F. T. Crumley of Freeville. The Odd Fellows had charge of the services at Bird cemetery, where interment was made.

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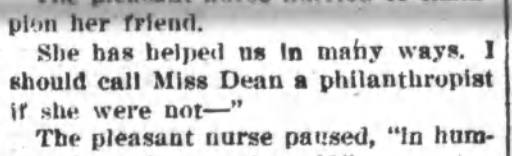
By Mildred White
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ESSIE LOUISE was making a great deal of trouble. From the time her invalid mother had brought Tessie to the city hospital to be treated for her spine, the golden-haired baby had been the pet of the nurses. And as her stay was prolonged, partly because the mother was too ill and too poor to yet understand the care of her child.
"What in the world," asked the autocratic young house doctor, "does that child want?"
"Tess-essie wants a Nora Christmas doll," the nurse said eagerly.
Doctor Bruce wrinkled his brow.
"What does she mean?" he asked.
"Miss Nora Dean," the girl answered, "is a young woman who visits the children's ward and has been much interested in them. She lives in a cottage out on the lake shore, and last summer she came in and took two of our little convalescents for a month's stay there. Tessie Louise was one, and she so fell in love with Miss Dean at the time that we could hardly



coax her back. But it was necessary that she should come. Yesterday, Miss Dean came to the hospital with a basket of Christmas cakes, made like dolls, with currant eyes, and colored frosted dresses. The kiddies were so pleased; they call her the Cake Lady.
Doctor Bruce frowned.
"That's bad practice," he complained, "allowing women to come in here and feed our patients. I did not suppose—"
The pleasant nurse hurried to champion her friend.
She has helped us in many ways. I should call Miss Dean a philanthropist if she were not—"
The pleasant nurse paused, "in humble circumstances herself."
"The young woman you speak of lives on the lake shore?" the doctor asked.
"The nurse nodded.
"Her uncle was an old sea captain," she told him. "Miss Nora made her home with this uncle and aunt when she was as small as Tessie here.
"Now she lives on in the house at the water's edge to take care of her aunt, who is old and crippled. And still that girl—"
The pleasant nurse choked up unaccountably.
"Well, she's always trying to do things for others," she finished; "that is the way Nora Dean finds happiness."
"Great Scott!" interrupted the doctor. "there goes Tessie again; that noise must be stopped. She must not disturb the sick ones."
The prettiest nurse came hastily.
"Tessie says she won't stop until she is taken to Miss Nora. I really wish we had made arrangements yesterday to have her driven out to the lake shore for over Christmas."
"How far out is it?" Doctor Bruce asked briskly.
"I'll take her in my car," he explained. "It's closed and comfortable."
Donald Bruce sighted the cottage as he brought his car to a stop in the



roadside. Then he gathered his small charge in his arms and made his way to the white door.
"Come in," Nora greeted cheerily, "the nurse phoned me of your coming. There's a new Christmas doll for Tessie Louise in the oven, and a lot more—to take back."
It was a broad, white kitchen, redolent of sugar and spices, and an old lady in a rocking chair near the window relieved Tessie of her wrappings.
"You must give the doctor a cup of coffee, Nora dear," the old lady said, "before his cold drive back to the city."
But Donald Bruce seemed in no hurry to return.
"This," he said musingly, "smells like my grandmother's kitchen. Used to spend our Christmas with grandmother when I was a boy."
"We are going to have a roasted chicken for dinner," the old lady suggested tentatively—"I wonder if it might not seem just a bit like being at grandmother's—if you'd stay and eat with us?"
I was remarkable how swiftly the afternoon hours flew in the lakeside cottage.
"I'm so glad," the old lady whispered at parting, "that you decided to wait to take Tessie back with you. It has been a happy Christmas for Nora. I can see it in her eyes; and usually happiness is only Nora's through the giving. She's the dearest girl in the world!"
"She is just that!" Donald Bruce answered solemnly.
His eyes were on Nora, as he clasped the old lady's hand.

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VILLAGE AND VICINITY NEWS

—Mrs. Clarence Allnut spent the day in Auburn Friday.

—Lawrence Leonard was a recent guest of friends at Sennett.

—A. H. Knapp returned from Syracuse Saturday evening last.

—Leon Mack was in Syracuse several days last week, attending the beekeepers' convention.

—Only one more week to Christmas. Don't put off selecting your gifts until the last day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Close and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fulmer spent Saturday last in Groton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy LaFave and son spent a few days in Auburn, returning the first of the week.

—Every page of this paper is filled with Christmas suggestions. Have you decided on all your gifts yet?

Poultry wanted Saturday morning, 22
Close & Hagin, Genoa.

—Genoa stores are filled with Christmas offerings. If you have not yet visited them, come soon.

—Mrs. James Mulvaney of Auburn spent a few days in town this week, returning home Wednesday night.

—C. A. Smith is convalescing from his recent illness and operation. He is able to walk about the house a little.

—Mrs. Chas. G. Miller is on the sick list. Mr. Miller and mother, Mrs. Jane Miller, who have also been ill, are better.

—Thomas Armstrong returned Tuesday to Rochester where he will spend the winter with his son, Fred Armstrong and family.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David R. Nettleton of Genoa, Dec. 7, 1920, a son—George D. Mrs. Minnie Close is caring for mother and son.

—Mrs. D. L. Glover of Delavan, Wis., is expected to-day for an extended visit with Mrs. S. A. Haines and other relatives in this vicinity.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Exton of West Groton spent the day with Mrs. Exton's brothers, Lawrence and Howard Leonard last week.

—A Holiday dance will be held in Genoa rink hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22. Music by Christman's orchestra. Bill \$1.50 including supper.

—Mrs. Fred Dean of South Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong of Sempronius were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steele.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clare of Ontario, N. Y., at the home of Mrs. Clare's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sullivan in Genoa, Dec. 14, 1920, a son—John Robert.

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—Mrs. A. T. VanMarter spent the week-end in Syracuse after attending the teachers' conference in Auburn last week. Mrs. Lowell Mason was a guest of Mrs. S. A. Haines the latter part of last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weeks of Delta, Colo., who are spending some time in this vicinity, were guests at J. W. Booker's a few days last week, and all were guests at the home of W. R. Mosher on Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clark entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fritts of Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark and daughter Genevieve and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foster and daughter Edith, it being their 32nd wedding anniversary.

—After a vigorous campaign of four days, the agricultural committee of the board of supervisors submitted its resolution for an appropriation to the Home Bureau, which was tabled last Friday, with a compromise figure of \$2,000, instead of the \$2,800 asked. The \$5,000 appropriation for the Farm Bureau is still under consideration.

Send in orders for Christmas oysters and chickens, early.
21w2 Geo. D. Nettleton, Genoa.

—What has she done? Nothing at all except choose a name at random and pass herself off as the widow of the owner of it. The little typist becomes the pet of the smart set and is about to get a real husband—when her fictitious spouse comes to life. What happens then is told in Madge Kennedy's Goldwyn production, "The Fair Pretender," at Genoa Gem theater Saturday evening, Dec. 18.

Genoa Presbyterian Church Notes

The theme for Sunday morning's sermon will be "The Anticipation of Christmas." Sunday school at usual time.

The union service Sunday evening will be a service in honor of Christmas, with some beautiful Christmas anthems sung by the choir, Christmas hymns sung by all, and the Christmas story, presented by the pastor.

The committees of the Sunday school have prepared for a splendid celebration of Christmas to be held in the church Christmas Eve. A fine program has been arranged which will include music by the orchestra, the singing of Christmas hymns by everybody, recitations by the children, reading by Miss Ford, a quartet number "Holy Night," violin and banjo selections, and a playlet, "The Christmas Idea" by five girls.

It has been suggested that the children and any who wish to do so bring baskets filled with articles which will be given to poor and needy children.

Mid-week service this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, preceded by choir rehearsal.

An opportunity will be presented next Sunday morning to give to the fund for the starving children of Europe when a special collection will be taken for this purpose.

Genoa Baptist Church Notes.

R. A. FARGO, PASTOR.

Remember the Christmas exercises to be held Thursday evening, Dec. 23. Those wishing to put presents on the tree are requested to bring or send them early. In the afternoon if possible.

An appeal has come to the pastors of the churches to urge the people to give as much as they can to the starving children of Europe. \$10 will supply one child with coat, boots and stockings and one meal a day this winter. The pastors have decided to take up these gifts at the close of the Christmas program at this church. While you are buying Christmas presents for your friends don't forget the starving children "Over There" and lay by a good sum for them. If you cannot possibly be at the Christmas exercises Thursday evening, hand your gift to Mr. Clark or Mr. Fargo. Every man, woman, boy and girl in the community should have some part in this, for while we are living in luxury they will starve if we don't help them.

11 a. m., children's message. 11:15 message, "Review of the Book of Hebrews." Sunday school at 12.

7:30 p. m., union service at Presbyterian church.

Memorial Resolutions.

Stellar Rebekah Lodge, No. 535, I. O. O. F., have adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to remove from our midst our beloved sister, Lillian Armstrong; and while we bow in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well, and

Whereas, We realize human sympathy is insufficient, and we can but point the bereaved to Him who has always been an ever ready comforter in time of trouble; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of Stellar Rebekah Lodge, No. 535, extend to the bereaved husband our heartfelt sympathy in this his hour of grief, and be it further

Resolved, That our charter be draped for thirty days and that a copy of these Resolutions be forwarded to the bereaved husband, and a copy be spread on the minutes of the Lodge.

Resolutions Com. { Minnie Wright, Edythe Myer, Mae H. Smith.

—Any man who is on his feet and able to work should have no cause to worry. It has been said that any man who is actually willing to work never has much difficulty in finding some sort of a job.

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—John W. Corey, aged 54 years, died at his home near Ledyard on Monday, after an illness of several weeks. Surviving are his wife, a son, Julian, and a daughter, Mary. Funeral services were held at the Ledyard M. E. church on Thursday at 2 o'clock with burial at King Ferry. The bereaved family have the sympathy of many friends in this vicinity.

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Died in Pennsylvania.

The death of Mrs. Stewart W. Frost, formerly Miss Anna M. Jenks, occurred Sunday morning at her home in Arendtsville, Pa., after a short illness. Death was caused by heart failure. She is survived by her husband, her father, Anson L. Jenks, of Genoa; two sisters, Mildred and Eileen Jenks of Genoa; two brothers, Lee William Jenks of Binghamton and Lloyd B. Jenks of Freeville.

The remains were brought to Ithaca and the funeral was held at 11 o'clock on Wednesday from the Gilbert undertaking parlors. Interment in East Lawn cemetery, Ithaca.

Genoa School Notes.

The teachers of the Genoa Union school attended a county conference held at Auburn on Thursday and Friday of last week. Many inspiring addresses were listened to including one by Percy M. Hughes, superintendent of Syracuse city schools, and one of general interest on the new pension law for teachers, given by Dr. DeGroat of Cortland Normal school.

School closes for the Christmas vacation Thursday, Dec. 23. Dr. Lester, superintendent of schools, visited the primary room Monday of this week.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Genoa will be held in the banking rooms of said bank at Genoa, N. Y., on Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m. Directors for the ensuing year will be elected and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting. You are requested to be present in person, if convenient, or at least be represented by proxy. You are entitled to one vote for each share of stock held by you.

A. H. Knapp, Cashier.
Dated Genoa, N. Y., Dec. 9, 1920.
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Card of Thanks.
Robert W. Armstrong wishes to express thanks to all the friends who sent flowers to Mrs. Armstrong during her illness and also on the occasion of her death. Thanks are also extended for all kindness rendered.

Will There Be

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Paragraphs of Interest to Readers of Empire State.

Interesting News of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points in the State and So Reduced in Size That it Will Appeal to All Classes of Readers.

There are 3,000 hives of bees in Rochester.

A Rotary club has been organized in Corning.

Sodus has been shipping out 17 tons of fish a day.

Skunks are reported unusually plentiful at Dundee.

Danville parcel post is now delivered by motor wagons.

Its costs Steuben county \$3.58 a week to care for its poor.

Wyoming county's budget for next year amounts to \$219,997.05.

Ground has been broken for the new Liberty theater at Corning.

Roads in the vicinity of Lockport are to be kept open this winter.

Dundee has been invited to membership in the Finger Lakes association.

There are 7,900,000 bushels of grain in Buffalo elevators and storage houses.

Corning may get more gas from a new well struck recently in Potter county, Pa.

William McNeeley has been elected president of the Dairymen's league at Akron.

Rochester is to hold a government food sale in charge of the Retail Grocers' association.

Rush hose and chemical company has purchased a motor combination engine and hose cart.

Floyd Gibson of Putney has been elected president of the Steuben county agricultural society.

The basket factory of the late Dexter N. Morse in Westfield will be purchased by grape growers.

Lockport is threatened with a raise of \$6,000,000 in its assessed valuation on the county tax rolls.

A penny school saving system is to be instituted in the Canandaigua grade schools early in January.

The Perry Herald, Guy Comfort, editor, has been enlarged from a six-column to a seven-column quarto.

A. Gordon Dye of Rochester has been elected president of the Western New York Beekeepers' association.

Steuben county supervisors have fixed the budget for the ensuing year at \$498,000, the largest in its history.

Mrs. Cora Van Valkenburg has been appointed matron of the state King's Daughters' home at Danville.

Henry W. Ware has been chosen master of Stafford grange, the largest subordinate grange in Genesee county.

Canandaigua is to have a playhouse to be erected next spring and summer by James and William MacFarlane.

The retail price of milk in Geneva will remain at the November level until Dec. 15, when it will drop 1 cent a quart.

Elmira has the distinction of being one of the few cities in the United States that is still paying 5 cent car fare.

Three bears roaring and prowling around the Chipmunk neighborhood, near Olean, were seen by a number of oil pumpers.

County Agent Smith of Lockport has reported that there are 164 dependent children under his care, 15 more than a year ago.

Sixteen arrests have been made at Penn Yan as the result of failure on the part of scholars to comply with the part-time school law.

Rochester milk dealers are now charging for bottles in order to stop the waste through breakage and neglect to return the containers.

Receipts of Wayne county for dog licenses amounted to \$8,420.67 and the losses paid out for the destruction of sheep amounted to \$1,236.65.

Scottsville's important industry, the paper mill, which has been shut down for some time, has resumed operations. The mill employs 75 men.

The managers of the New York state reformatories will ask the coming legislature for an appropriation of \$310,000 for the Elmira reformatory.

Business men of Prattsburg are regretting the passing of the Prattsburg News and there is talk that they propose to start another newspaper.

The sum of \$2,000 has been subscribed to the Christmas seal campaign of the Genesee County Tuberculosis association by residents of Batavia.

C. Herbert McClew, chairman of the Niagara county board of child welfare, petitioned the supervisors for an appropriation of \$15,000 for widows' pensions in 1921.

The farm bureau of Wyoming county is arranging for a series of community meetings and institutes.

A community meeting will be held in Union Springs on Dec. 15, with M. C. Foster of Rodman as the principal speaker.

Edwin Wildman of Elmira, formerly editor and owner of The Echoes, has sold the Forum magazine to G. H. Payne, a friend and associate of the late Theodore Roosevelt.

James Neien of Belfast, 73 years old, formerly a newspaper publisher, committed suicide by shooting because of despondency over poor health. He was buried at Genesee.

Oscar Woodruff of Dansville, 80 years old, editor of the Dansville Express, is anxious to see some of the old style dances revived, such as the Virginia reel and the old quadrilles.

Livingston is one of the 44 counties of New York state which is represented in the record-breaking enrollment this year at the New York state college of forestry at Syracuse.

Steuben county men and women who are interested in the reconstruction home for the treatment of infantile paralysis have contributed \$300 out of the \$500 that will be required.

Geneva officials are considering the advisability of asking the state tax commission to review the equalization adopted by the Ontario county board of supervisors on the grounds that it is unjust to Geneva.

The Allegany county farm bureau is making a careful study of the potato crop which suffered considerably from this year's blight. It is the intention of the organization to eliminate this destruction to the potato.

Earl J. Kingsley was named temporary receiver for the Bank of Rushmore, whose president, Carl J. Howden, absconded a few weeks ago, in an order signed by Justice C. R. Pooley. His bond was fixed at \$50,000.

Joseph T. Woolser, 73 years old, president of the National bank of New York of Herkimer county, and his wife were killed when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a train at a grade crossing near Herkimer. Their son was seriously injured.

Towns in Cattaraugus county are showing much interest in highway improvement, and in addition to the construction of county and town roads, more than \$150,000 will be spent by the various towns next year in connection with repair and maintenance of earth roads, bridges and removal of snow.

Farmers in the special fruit and potato service of the Genesee county farm bureau will form a pool next season for the purchase of spray materials, according to present plans being discussed. The fruit men will also form a pool for the purchase of barrels and the securing of storage space. Pruning demonstrations are to be conducted by the bureau in Oakfield and Bethany.

Many Allegany county farmers are contemplating selling their farms outright or cutting down 50 per cent on their production. This attitude has been caused by the milk situation and the low quotations on hogs and beef. They claim that they are operating their farms at a loss. Much cattle is being shipped to packers and the indications are that the number of dairy herds will be reduced.

A warning that the attack of the grape worm that feeds on the foliage of grapevines may be at its crest in 1921 has been sounded by Frederick Z. Hartzell, associate entomologist of the state experiment station at Fredonia. Growers are advised to be prepared. In other years the grape root worm has done great damage to the grape vines and has been the source of a heavy loss to the vineyardists of that section.

Changes in the fish and game laws were recommended at Ithaca at the annual meeting of the New York State Forest, Fish and Game league.

Among the resolutions which the legislature will be asked to approve is one which provides for a change in the bass season, placing its opening on July 1, instead of June 16. Another proposal would limit taking of wall-eyed pike to 20 daily. W. S. French of New Hartford was elected president of the league.

Two thousand farmers put their stamp of approval on the milk pooling plan of the Dairymen's League Co-Operative association at the meeting of stockholders of the Dairymen's league, incorporated in Utica. Resolutions adopted favored the plan and contract in their entirety. Twenty-four directors were elected and they will be formally approved and a resolution was adopted urging its repeal in New York state. Congress will be asked not to introduce any daylight saving measures, also.

Governor-elect Miller announced in New York the selection of J. Leslie Kincaid of Syracuse, former member of assembly and formerly lieutenant colonel in the national guard, for appointment as adjutant general. Mr. Kincaid served for 17 years in the New York state national guard. He was a member of the assembly in 1915 and 1916 and in 1917 was chief officer of the federal registration board. Later he served as judge advocate with the American troops in France.

Declaring that canned goods had touched the bottom price level, Walter J. Sears, president of the National Canners' association, told the New York State Canners' association at Rochester that the present stringent credit policy of the federal reserve banks should be relaxed to sustain the canners and manufacturers. Officers of the state association were re-elected: President, Charles H. Tugwell of Wilson; vice president, A. R. Hunt of Oswego; treasurer, Roy W. Hemmingway of Auburn.

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With "a table twenty-four miles long," and at least 200,000 starving children unable to find a place even at this long table, Near East Relief, through a special committee, has just issued a special Christmas appeal to the citizens of New York state in the form of an illuminated letter signed by Dr. John H. Finley, who recently resigned as Commissioner of Education of the State; Judge Abram I. Elkus, former Ambassador to Turkey, and Cleveland H. Dodge, treasurer of the organization.

The letter shows that more than 100,000 children, most of them orphans as the result of Turkish atrocities, are now being cared for by Near East Relief, either in its orphanages or at relief stations.

These children, with thousands of others who cannot be sheltered, are absolutely dependent upon Near East Relief, which, in turn, is supported entirely by voluntary contributions of the American people.

The letter as issued from the state headquarters at 261 Madison avenue where contributions may be sent, eloquently expresses the Christmas spirit. It is as follows:

Christmas Week, 1920.

Dear Friend: You are thinking of Christmas; of toys for the children, gifts for friends; of the glowing, tinsel tree; of merry shouts of little ones as they come trooping down the stairs on that glorious morn; of the Christmas feast of music, song, laughter!

You are thinking of these, yes—and of Him, that other little Child, whose Star the Wise Men sought as it shone over the humble manger of Bethlehem—Him, whose birthday so many earnest millions for centuries have celebrated.

And outside your door—the snow may be falling, the chill winds blowing — outside your door this very Morn, hungry and shivering and sad other little children stand, dumbly pleading!

Can't you hear them there, tapping timidly at your door? Pause a moment at this merry hour; draw aside the curtain and look out: there — there—at your door—see the wraiths of the little ones, the starving, homeless, helpless waifs of the Near East, thousands of them, perishing of cold and hunger—while you and yours, in the warm shelter of a happy home, feast and are gay.

Children of sorrow! Five dollars a month will feed one of these children; will mean LIFE ITSELF. Ten dollars a month will feed and clothe a child. Fifteen dollars a month will feed, clothe and educate one.

Near East Relief now has over 100,000 children in its care. Thousands more are waiting—outside the door. Only America can save them. Only you are their hope. Would you fail them? Must they knock in vain?

Already, see—your heart has opened its door! Let them in friend; let the children in!

Make your Christmas perfect by sharing your Joy even with the "least of these."

For Near East Relief,
Yours faithfully,

Cleveland H. Dodge
John H. Finley
Abram I. Elkus

COMMITTEE ON CHRISTMAS APPEAL



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Program.

- Organ solo—selected
- Elizabeth Atwater
- Kitchen Symphony—
- Piano and six kitchen utensils
- Vocal trio—Katherine Badger, Carmen Hatch, Jane McCormick
- Piano solo—
- Alberta Hollister
- Piano solo—
- Lois Wager
- Piano solo—
- Delphine Northcott
- Piano solo—
- Dorothea Mann
- Vocal solo—
- Carmen Hatch
- Piano solo—
- Mildred Corwin
- Vocal solo—
- Katherine Badger
- Harp solo—
- Mildred Corwin
- Vocal solo—
- Miss Edith Lee
- Piano solo—
- Lue King
- Vocal duet—

Katherine Badger, Carmen Hatch
Christmas Symphony—

Piano four hands, violin, trombone, castanets, cymbals, glockenspiel, nightingale, quail, sand blocks, rattle, sleighbells, tamborine, triangle, waldteufel, trumpet, whip snapper, gong, drum.

Piano eight hands—
Dorothy Fessenden, Carmen Hatch, Marion Smith, Elizabeth Atwater.
adv.

Lansingville Grange Officers.

The Grange Saturday evening, Dec. 4, at its annual meeting, elected the following officers: Worthy master, William Hamilton; overseer, G. M. D. King, re-elected; lecturer, A. D. Smith, re-elected; steward, Wilbur Boles; assistant steward, William Greene; chaplain, Mrs. G. M. D. King, re-elected; secretary, Lena Hamilton, re-elected; treasurer, Jerry Smith; gate keeper, Jonathan Scriber; Cores, Edith Greene; Pomona, Lillie Smith; Flora, Nellie Martin; lady assistant, Mildred Hunt; pianist, Lulu Gallow; executive for three years, Jerry Smith, re-elected.

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FOR SERVICE—The pure bred registered Duroc Boar Duke of Cedar Cliff No. 356941. Fee \$1.50 cash payable at time of service. Privilege of return.
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In America

*God rest you, merry gentlemen,
Let nothing you dismay;
Remember, Christ our Savior,
Was born on Christmas Day.
—Old Christmas Carol.*

Over Here, rejoicing:
Fast and sport and fun—
There, grim Hunger, voicing
Victories freshly won.

Over Here, a shelter,
Warm with love's own breath—
Over There, a welter
Of shame and tears and death!

*God rest you, merry gentlemen,
Be kindly, as you may—
Where He was born across the sea,
They plead for Bread today!*
—E. D. Owen.



In the Near East

A Christmas Stocking

By Bertha Esmond Ridgeley

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CHRISTMAS and the high cost of living do not make a very harmonious combination," observed Mrs. Ralston, in her quiet, patient way.

"I was just thinking of that, mother," replied her married daughter, Eunice Marsh, who sat with her work basket in her lap, her needle threaded with mending yarn, and rounding one of her husband's stockings at the heel.

"There! that is done, and I hope it will pass muster as half respectable pinned up to Aunt Mary's mantle."

Mrs. Ralston sighed, and Eunice did not act any too cheerful. They were lovable, generous souls, and until the past year or two had never known what it was to skip and watch the corners closely. The mother picked up the stocking Eunice had placed on the table.

"Come to look of it, Eunice," she said, "we can do better than that. Just run up to the storeroom. Here is the key. You'll find father's clothes and things as they were when he died."

The last years of John Ralston's life had been full of anxiety and struggle. There was a mortgage on the old homestead, and at one time it seemed a foreclosure could not be avoided. Then in some way he secured the money to pay it off, and fortunately it was clear of encumbrance when he died. That was just a month after Eunice married Randal Marsh.

Her heart warmed as she thought of the loyal, whole-souled man who had come into her life at a critical time. It had been generally supposed that Randal had some little means, for he was industrious and thrifty, but when Mr. Ralston died Randal stepped into his place, practical, hard working and self-sacrificing.

The tears fell as Eunice reached the storeroom, and lifted the top of the fancy box she had herself covered, in which her father had been accustomed to store his extra clothing. Randal himself had made the receptacle, and together they had given it to Mr. Ral-

ston on his last birthday. Eunice removed some articles of apparel tenderly and with care, placed them on a chair, and discovered some handkerchiefs and three pairs of stockings rolled up neatly. She took the top pair, unrolled it and with satisfaction noted as it unrolled that it was new and whole.

"Why, what can this be!" she uttered, as an envelope fell from the released folds. Her wonderment increased as she picked it up and found it unsealed and inside a written page and a peculiar looking key. Then with staring eyes, breathless, stirred to the depths of her soul, she read:

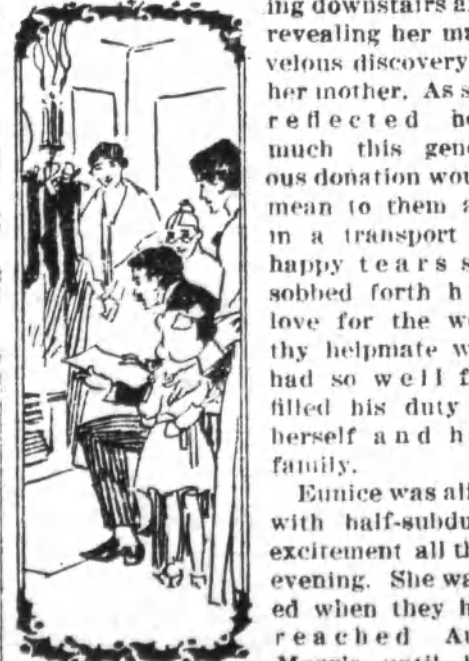
"After I am gone see that this letter and key are given to Randal Marsh. It has been a secret he made me promise never to divulge, that he gave me money to pay off the mortgage. Poor, noble hearted fellow! he had saved the \$2,000 to build a little home, and gave it freely to benefit us all. Month by month I have saved what I could, and have placed the money in a safety deposit box in the City bank, where there is nearly the amount he gave me."

Eunice with difficulty suppressed a great cry of joy. She could scarcely refrain from rushing downstairs and revealing her marvelous discovery to her mother. As she reflected how much this generous donation would mean to them all, in a transport of happy tears she sobbed forth her love for the worthy helpmate who had so well fulfilled his duty to herself and her family.

Eunice was alive with half-subdued excitement all that evening. She waited when they had reached Aunt Mary's until her mother and the others had placed their little gifts in the stocking bearing a card with Randal's name. All alone, she kissed the precious envelope and slipped it into the stocking.

"A necktie, gloves and a pen knife. That from aunt. Something always useful. A letter, no! a card of greeting, no! Why, what does this mean!" spoke Randal Marsh, and read it as they all gathered about the fire place, and then he knew. Unselfish man that he was, he actually blushed like a culprit detected at the revelation of a sleeping secret of years.

"It means that I have the dearest, most noble husband in the world!" cried Eunice, her arms about him, her lips raining kisses. "Oh, my brave one! my true one! And who in the world truly deserves the blessings of Christmas more than you!"



King Ferry School Notes.

[ELIZABETH BRADLEY, EDITOR.]

A very exciting game was played last Friday night between the High school team and Sherwood, resulting in a victory for the High school team. The score was 25 to 18. This makes our quintette the victors in three out of four games. They will play the East Genoa team at Genoa this (Friday) evening.

The school supper and exhibit was a success and Miss Lee, head of the Home Economics, was pleased with the co-operation of the people. The net receipts were \$46. The money is to be used in connection with the work in the Home Economics department. The people showed especial interest in the products of the school garden and Mr. Randall was kept busy answering question about them. The work of the grades was tastefully arranged and gave credit to the work of Miss Conaughty, Miss Bowness and Miss McCormick. The story of the "Skull" written by Miss Casey's 4th year English class attracted much attention. The exhibition was followed by a pleasing lecture by Mrs. Glenn.

After the holiday season hot lunches will be served by the pupils of the school under the auspices of the Red Cross. The serving will be done by the girls of the Senior class, to earn money for their New York trip.

Frank J. Patten Dead.

Frank J. Patten, 43, a prominent resident of Moravia, died early Sunday morning at his home there of cerebral hemorrhage. The funeral services were held from the house Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with burial in Indian Mound cemetery where the Masonic service was conducted.

On Thursday of last week Mr. Patten went to his office and returning home at 11 o'clock in the morning, was stricken on the street and with difficulty reached his residence. From that time until the end he was unconscious.

The deceased was born in Genoa, but went to Moravia when only an infant. He was associated with J. P. O'Hara & Co., Inc., produce dealers for 25 years and had been a member of the firm since Sept. 27, 1915.

On Feb. 14, 1916, he married Miss Adelaide Greenfield of Moravia, who survives him. He also leaves a mother, Mrs. Emma Patten Stone of Syracuse and three brothers, Arthur of Moravia, George L. of Syracuse and Bert S. Patten of Ithaca.

Mrs. William Jennings.

Mrs. Julia Manchester Jennings, wife of William Jennings, died at her home in Moravia Monday evening. Mrs. Jennings formerly lived in Venice but moved to Moravia with her husband five years ago, when they retired from farm work. Mrs. Jennings was 79 years old. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Fannie Aspell of Auburn, and two sisters, Mrs. Walter Divine of Union Springs and Mrs. Byron Tift, a twin, of Denver, Colo. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Rev. Plato T. Jones officiating. Burial in Indian Mound cemetery.

Auditorium Attractions.

The attraction at the Auditorium Saturday evening of this week will be "The Girl in the Limousine," the successful farce-comedy which kept New York audiences laughing for one year. It is an A. H. Woods production and that is enough to guarantee its excellence. A very reasonable scale of prices has been arranged and the sale of seats is on at the Auditorium.

The Christmas attraction at the Auditorium will be the Oberlin College Glee Club, an organization which enjoys a reputation second to none. They will be heard in a popular concert program at popular prices.

Agriographs.

Of interest to every one: "How the Plant Produces Seed," a bulletin the state college of agriculture will send you if you ask for F144.

Uncle Ab says: The man who knows what he needs and how to make it can do more with a jack-knife than an ignorant chap can do with a whole kit o'kools.

A bushel of nice rosy apples would make an acceptable Christmas present to many village and city folks. A little ad in THE TRIBUNE will let this community know you have apples to sell.

GENOA GEM THEATER

Saturday Eve. Dec. 18

Goldwyn Presents

The girl with the gorgeous smile--
MADGE KENNEDY
IN
'The Fair Pretender'
The romance of a beautiful young widow who never had a husband.
Comedy---"CLOSE TO NATURE."

Wedn'day Eve., Dec. 22

Goldwyn Presents

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EDDIE POLO
—IN—
'THE VANISHING DAGGER'
PRICES—Adults 20c and war tax; Children under 12, 10c and war tax

SOMETHING NEW

The Athenian Jazzbo Quintette will hold an entertainment and dance in
Venice Center Association Hall
THURSDAY EVE., DEC. 23, 1920
HALL OPEN AT 8 O'CLOCK

The entertainment will consist of a couple of first class vaudeville acts which will last about an hour. This is the first of a series of entertainments and dances which the quintette will hold providing that it is a success.
PRICE 50 cents

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Purina Scratch Grains	\$3.75	Big Q Dairy Feed	\$3.50
Purina Chicken Chowder	\$4.00	Shumacher Feed	\$3.00
Purina Pig Chow	\$4.00	Oil Meal	\$3.50
Purina Cow Chow	\$3.75	Brans	\$2.25

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