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GENOA, N. Y., FRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 15, 1911.

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From Nearby Towns.

Ludlowville.

Dec. 11—A number from this place attended the concert given by the band in Sibley Dome, Ithaca, last week.

Last Saturday, an auction was held at the home of the late Mrs. Margaret Benjamin to dispose of a quantity of household goods. All these not being disposed of then on account of lack of time, the auction will be continued tomorrow.

The Lead-a-Hand met with Mrs. Swift last Wednesday afternoon.

The local teachers spent Thanksgiving vacation at their various homes with the exception of Miss Adelaide Krotts, who spent hers with Mrs. C. M. Shangle at Ithaca.

D. D. Winn and wife of Aurora, were recent visitors in town.

The "Spinster's Convention" was repeated last Saturday night.

Walter VanAukon of Binghamton is visiting friends and relatives here. Morris DeCamp and Fred Davis each lost a horse recently.

F. N. Howell of Ithaca, visited his brother, C. D. Howell last Monday.

Mrs. Harriet Buchanan has returned to her son's home after visiting in Trumansburg.

Mrs. Newton D. Howell of Buffalo, was operated on for appendicitis a week ago yesterday. At the latest report she was getting along nicely. She is well known, being a former resident of this village. She was then Miss Marie Keyes.

Miss Lizzie Knottles spent last week visiting in Ithaca.

Charles and Herbert Chittenden of Toledo, Ohio, visited A. J. Sperry last Monday and attended the funeral of their cousin, Charles Chittenden.

A call has been extended to the Rev. Mr. Evans of Atlanta, to occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church next pastor.

Miss Minnie Myers entertained Mrs. Agnes Townley on Thanksgiving day.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. M. L. Ford last Thursday.

Mrs. Leonard Austin of Jamesville, visited friends and relatives here recently.

Frank Gallagher and Mrs. Edwin Woolley are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ford spent a few days last week in Seneca Falls and Syracuse.

Quite a little excitement was caused here last week by two alarms of fire. The first was started in the home of Howard Mosher, by some clothes being thrown against a hot stove pipe. The clothes, a curtain, and a portion of the carpet were burned before it was extinguished.

The second started among some waste papers in a shed back of Lyon's store, but was luckily discovered by neighbors and extinguished before much damage was done. The fire is thought to have been caused by some one carelessly throwing a cigarette stub among the papers.

Mrs. Clifford Townsend attended the concert at Wells college last week.

The bass solo which Dr. O. H. Swift sang at the Thanksgiving service was enjoyed very much.

Rev. and Mrs. Winkworth and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas King Thanksgiving day.

The Misses Belle Howell, Julia Krotts and Louise Storms spent their Thanksgiving holiday at their respective homes.

Charles Barnes of Syracuse visited his sister, Mrs. Ella Drake, recently.

Nelson Holden is again able to be out of doors.

Mrs. John Raebach entertained her mother, Mrs. Henry Turner, last Thursday.

Fred Ford has been spending a few days in Peruville.

Work is rapidly progressing on John Orlin's new house, which will soon be enclosed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown spent the week-end visiting friends in Ithaca.

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"Sir," says the inventor to the capitalist, "I have invented a corkscrew that will sell on sight to every woman in this land. I want you to back me."

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Five Corners.

Dec. 12—We surely have had our Indian summer and we all have appreciated these beautiful days like spring.

Mrs. Ella Algert recently spent a few days in Auburn with her sister, Mrs. Ward Groth.

Mrs. Rachel Sanford has been quite ill but is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mrs. Walter Hunt and daughter Ethel recently visited relatives in Ithaca.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Lick of Peruville are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Will Ferris and he has been assisting Ferris & Ferris with their barn. They have raised the roof and done lots of other repairing which makes it very nice and convenient.

Laesle Palmer visited friends in Summerhill, Cortland and Groton a few days last week returning on Monday of this week.

Miss Florence Stevenson is spending this week with Mrs. Clarence O'Hara near Lansingville.

Harry Curtis was at A. J. Brink's at North Lansing last Saturday afternoon on his way to Groton, not on a business trip but one of pleasure.

The remains of Mrs. Maria Dimmick, widow of Warren Dimmick, were brought here from East Genoa Tuesday for burial.

Mrs. Mary Beardsley and Mrs. Erwin Snushall and two daughters are spending a few days at Nelson Parr's before going to Trumansburg.

Mrs. Clyde Mead has returned to her home here after visiting her parents for a week in Auburn.

We forgot to mention last week when speaking of the marriage anniversary of George Atwater and wife, that Mr. Atwater's response to Jerome Barger's remarks was right to the point and was made in an appreciative manner.

Mr. Pyle, with his men are getting along nicely placing the steam heat in S. S. Goodyear's residence and when completed will be a fine arrangement.

No services were held at the Belltown church last Sunday as Rev. H. E. Crossley officiated at a funeral near King Ferry.

The bazaar of the Ladies' Aid of Five Corners which was held at G. M. Jump's hall last Thursday evening was largely attended. A bountiful supper was served and the evening was enjoyed by all, especially the young people. About \$50 was taken in. The ladies have worked hard to make the bazaar a success and we congratulate them on doing so well.

Miss Effie LaBarr is at Mr. Herring's near Ludlowville for the winter.

Old Santa will soon be here. We wonder why old Mrs. Santa does not appear with him? Perhaps she will this time, so all great and small hang up your stockings.

The supper which was given by the ladies of the O. E. S. last Saturday evening at the Masonic hall at King Ferry was a success financially as well as socially. We learned over \$58 were the proceeds of the evening and the supper was fine.

Will Knox has finished threshing and pressing hay.

Oh, yes, we almost forgot to mention that the kitchen cabinet and chair which were purchased for Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Atwater by their many friends, arrived at their home last Tuesday by Miss Cora Goodyear. We hope they may live many years to enjoy them. We know Mr. Atwater will enjoy the chair while Mrs. Atwater will the cabinet.

Daniel DeRemer is recovering from his surgical operation and will soon be with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Breed, at the Forks of the Creek to remain for a time.

Frank Corwin suffered from rheumatism last week. He is somewhat improved.

Lee Swartwood of Trumansburg is spending a few days with his parents.

John Palmer had a very sick horse Monday but is better at this writing.

Frank Algard spent a few days with Chas. Osman and Osman Howser last week.

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Venice.

Dec. 12—Mr. and Mrs. Beach have returned home from Elmira Heights, where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Decker and family.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Ladies' Aid society was held in the church last Wednesday night at which the following officers for the coming year were elected: Pres., Mrs. Joseph Streeter; 1st vice-president, Mrs. J. P. Northway; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. George Spore; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. Fred Hicks; Sec., Mrs. John Misner; treasurer, Mrs. Nelson Stevens.

John Misner and family visited relatives near Odessa, Schuyler Co., recently.

Mr. Austin died at the home of his nephew near East Venice and the funeral was held Monday at his late home. Rev. O. D. Moore officiating. Burial at Lansing.

Mrs. Hicks entertained relatives from Auburn over Thanksgiving.

Christmas exercises will be observed in the Venice Baptist church, but the date has not been decided on yet.

Lizzie Armstrong is under the doctor's care.

Forks of the Creek.

Dec. 5—Mrs. Geo. Breed has been staying a few days at Five Corners helping to care for her brother, who has had an operation.

O. C. Hill and wife entertained relatives from Ithaca over Thanksgiving.

Calvin Krutzer and family visited relatives in Groton last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Starner spent a few days in Ithaca last week visiting their son Eimer and other friends.

A. S. Reeves and wife visited at H. C. Powers' Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Carrie Bethel and daughter Lazel, visited at Geo. Ellison's a few days.

Burt Breed and family visited at Geo. Breed's Saturday, also Bruce Snover and bride visited there Saturday night and Sunday.

Dec. 12—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ellison visited their brother, O. Ellison, on the Lake Road.

Earl Baker was in Ithaca from Friday until Sunday.

Wm. Starner and wife visited at Charles Hill's Sunday. Mrs. F. H. Terbell and daughter Gladys, also Oliver Hill and family called at the same place.

George Austin and wife and Mrs. Wm. Boyer were called to Fred Austin's at East Venice on account of the serious illness of their uncle, Willard Austin.

David Snyder has improved from his illness so he is able to walk out.

Aurora Reeves and wife with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powers were in Auburn last Friday.

Poplar Ridge.

Dec. 11—The Philathea class of Poplar Ridge Sunday school met at the home of Angelina Fritts Monday evening, Dec. 4. The following officers and committees were appointed: President, Laura E. Battey; vice-president, Elizabeth Mosher; secretary, Angelina Fritts; assistant secretary, Mabel Sherman; treasurer, Clara Ward; reporter, Josephine Guindon; volunteer committee, Mabel Sherman, Elizabeth Mosher, Marie Guindon, Henrietta Ely, Pearl Sprague; social committee, Clara Ward, Elizabeth Briggs, Blanche Wilsheer, Iva Mosher, Minnie Sherman; missionary committee, Josephine Guindon, Lora Armistead, Blanche Wilsheer, Harriet Pyle, Iva Mosher. It was voted that the class should meet at the home of Blanche Wilsheer the following Saturday evening to dress dolls to send to the Cayuga county Orphan Asylum for the children's Christmas.

Auction.

The subscriber will sell at public auction at Masonic hall, King Ferry, Saturday, Dec. 16, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp, the following described property: Bedroom suit, mahogany extension table, work table, sofa, rockers, dining room chairs, feather beds, sewing machine, carpets, shades, dishes, etc., good Howe Ventilator coal stove, some canned fruit, and many articles not mentioned.

REBECCA MEAD.

J. A. Greenfield, Auct.

North Lansing.

Dec. 12—Mrs. Olive DeCamp has been entertaining relatives from Cuba, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Alson Karn left on Saturday for a visit in Skaneateles.

Mrs. Olive DeCamp visited in Peruville last week.

Many friends will sympathize with Mrs. Ella Parkhurst of Greenville, Mich., in the death of her husband, Mrs. Parkhurst was Miss Ella Bower.

Mrs. May Darling has been sick at the home of her parents, but is improving.

The W. O. T. U. meets this week with Miss Emily Boyer.

Mrs. Benton Brown, Mrs. Andrew Brink, Mrs. Frank Beardsley and Mrs. Will Sill, were in Auburn one day last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Allington spent Thanksgiving in Bardett where he preached the Thanksgiving sermon. Dana Singer was out to church last Sunday, the first since his sickness.

Atwater.

Dec. 12—Chas. Snyder and wife spent a part of last week in Auburn visiting their daughter Mary.

George French of Sayre, Pa., is visiting at C. Chaffee's.

N. J. Atwater and wife attended Pomona Grange in Auburn last week Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. F. Lewis and daughter Emma, who have been visiting at her father's since Thanksgiving returned to their home in Auburn, Friday morning.

The cellar is all dug for the furnace in the Belltown church and two men from Treman & King's came this morning to put it in, so it will be in running order for the Christmas tree which we are planning to have on Friday evening, Dec. 22, for the Sunday school.

Ledyard.

Dec. 11—We are still enjoying the springlike weather and hope it may continue as it will help to shorten the winter.

Mrs. H. M. Purdy was in Auburn over Sunday to attend the funeral of a cousin.

H. C. Willis is in Syracuse to-day.

Mrs. Lisk and Miss Anna were guests at B. J. Brightman's in Genoa over Saturday and Sunday.

The funeral of Mrs. Twining was held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. N. Oon, on Sunday.

Bert Pierce, wife and son Clifford, of Moravia, were guests at Frank Main's over Sunday.

King Ferry.

Dec. 12—Mrs. Phebe Twining died at the home of her daughter, at Ledyard Friday, Dec. 8. The funeral was held at the house Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. Burial in King Ferry.

Born, Saturday, Dec. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Dempsey, a son.

Arthur Counsell and mother and Miss Mary Townley and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Counsell spent Sunday at Five Corners with George Snushall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Shaw were home from Ithaca over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bower attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Maria Dimmick, which was held at East Genoa on Tuesday of this week.

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Death of A. Q. Watkins.

Amasa Quincy Watkins, one of Cayuga county's pioneer citizens, died Wednesday, Dec. 6, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O. B. Swayze, 82 1/2 North street, Auburn, of senile debility. He was in his 86th year and in his life long residence in this county had seen many changes take place. He was born in Sciopville and for over 35 years had conducted a carriage business in that place, besides overseeing his farm.

He was a strong Democrat, but had never held public office. He took a great interest in all public affairs in his home village. He was for many years trustee and treasurer of the Presbyterian church in Sciopville, which he helped to establish about 10 years ago he went to Auburn to live with his daughter. His wife died in 1894. He leaves two daughters, Mrs. O. B. Swayze of Auburn and Mrs. Frank H. Barnes of Ensenore.

The funeral was held from his late home in Auburn, at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. The Rev. Charles G. Richards, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated at the house, after which the remains were taken to his former home in Sciopville, where services were conducted by the Rev. W. B. Jorris of Moravia, his former pastor, at 1 p. m. Interment was made in the family plot in the Oak Glen cemetery at Aurora.

Relatives in attendance at the funeral were Mrs. Margaret Watkins Davis and R. D. Watkins, King Ferry; Jacob Dills and daughter, Mr. Truesdale and daughter, Union Springs; Roy DeShong, Mrs. Will DeShong and son, E. C. Hillman and wife, Levanna; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cook, Venice.

Grand Jurors.

The list of grand jurors was presented to the Board of Supervisors Friday last. The following are those from the south part of the county:

Fleming—Harry Bisgrove, George Nickason, Jerry Crowley, George Willis, George R. Babcock, Henry D. Bowen.

Genoa—Glenn King, James I. Young, George Curtis, Thomas C. McCormick, Harvey Smith, Cornelius Leonard, Bert R. Smith, Delos Niles, O. C. Sill, George Breed, D. C. Hunter.

Ledyard—Arthur C. Wardwell, Charles M. Youngs, Fred VanLiew, Hugh Parcell, William Marshall, David W. Armistead, Carter Husted, John Fox, William B. Avery.

Locke—William Stone, John Halliday, H. M. VanBenschoten, Horton Metzgar, A. E. Sabin.

Moravia—J. Arthur Fulmer, Clark Rathbun, Frank Folts, John Church, Charles Cuykendall, John Hall, John Toomey, C. J. Arnold, Willis Kilbourne, Charles Miller, George Stardevant.

Niles—Junius Reynolds, Henry Harter, Thomas Church, Albert Badman, Silas Pennell, Hugh Prine, Horace Rosecrans.

Owasco—William J. Peacock, W. R. Bodine, Adelbert Devos, Joseph Hill, Curtice Smith.

Sciopville—M. L. Strong, Edgar Cope, George Parker, Jeremiah Murphy, James Cotter, Fred Wood, Thomas Costello, Thomas Heffernan.

Sempronius—John Horan, Albert Rynders, Arthur Perry, Cortland Lawrence, Daniel McConnell.

Springport—Frank Hertzorn, Earl C. Waldron, Walter Webb, Ernest Barnes, Thomas S. Hammond, W. R. Van Sickle, Robert Counsell, Charles J. Schenck.

Summerhill—Dwight Harris, Geo. Branch, Frank Snell, Earl Champlin, Frank Smith.

Venice—Arthur Leader, L. A. Taylor, Charles Wood, D. R. Kimball, Lowell Mason, Lewis Lester, Frank Saxton, N. G. Arnold.

Annual Church Fair.

The annual church fair and chicken pie supper, given by the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church of Ledyard, N. Y., will be held at the home of Fred W. Avery, Tuesday evening, Dec. 19, commencing at 6 o'clock. A general invitation is given. Come and bring your friends.

By order of committee. Mrs. ELIZA COBET, Sec.

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ALL DRUGGISTS

11-12

A Christmas Morning

On Which a Bride Gives Her Husband a Present

By Martin Stringfellow

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"I am sorry, Ella, that we are not able to celebrate this our first Christmas together," said Tom Wentworth to his bride, "but the fact nevertheless remains true."

"And why not?" asked the young wife, with surprise written on every line of her face.

"Let me tell you." He took both her hands in his and drew her down on to a seat beside him. "I have something to impart that I have kept to myself for years. You know Shuster?"

"Yes, I know the old curmudgeon."

"Well, I am indebted to him to the amount of \$1,000."

"Why, Tom! And you never told me!"

"I told you before we were married that I had barely enough income from my own profession to procure for us the necessities of life, with not a cent for pleasures. The celebration of Christmas comes under the latter head. You remember that when I finished my four years at college my father failed and I had not the wherewithal to attain my profession. Then suddenly I told you that I had obtained the means, but was pledged to tell no one whence I received it."

"Yes, I remember that."

"One day while I was lamenting my hard fate in being obliged to go into business after expecting to become a lawyer I met old Shuster on the street. Shuster, as you know, lends money at a high rate of interest. He asked me what I proposed to do now that I had been graduated. I was full of my disappointments and told him about it. To my surprise, he offered to lend me the money required to study for my profession."

"But, I said, 'you only lend money on security, and I have no security.'"

"I want no better security than the word of an honorable man, he replied. 'I know when it is safe to lend money and when to refuse to lend.'"

"But you will require a high rate of interest."

"Not in this case. Six per cent will do."

"He agreed to furnish the money as I needed it and declined to take any notes for the amounts loaned. I borrowed a little over three hundred a year from him for three years, earning myself as much besides. On getting my degree I insisted on giving him two notes of \$500 each, one note to be paid each year. Now, you know that my salary with Busby and Busby is \$1,500 a year. Of this amount \$500 must go to Shuster, leaving us \$1,000 on which to live; consequently for two years we have absolutely nothing for pleasures."

While the husband was speaking the wife drew closer and closer to him and when he had finished looked up into his face and said:

"I will help you all I can in the matter of giving up pleasures till the debt is paid."

"I knew you would, sweetheart. You see, I shall not only wish to show myself worthy of Shuster's confidence"

"His confidence!"

"Yes. Did he not prove it in lending me the money on my bare promise to repay him?"

"Oh, certainly—yes. I suppose so."

"Well, then, it is understood that we give no presents on Christmas. We can tell every one beforehand that we intend to make nothing of Christmas this year, and next year we'll tell them the same."

"No, we won't."

"But dear, I shall have another note"

"Never mind next year. I will agree to all you suggest for this one except one thing. There shall be one gift between us, and only one. That will be from me to you."

"Well, be it as you wish. But let it be some trifling article made with your own hands. I shall prize it all the more if you make it yourself."

This dialogue occurred previous to Tom Wentworth's departure for his office. With the last words he kissed his bride and went out. She appeared at a window, and he threw her a kiss.

Unknown to her husband, Ella Wentworth made such preparations for Christmas as she chose to make. She was the financial manager of household expenses and was not required to make an accounting. As to the subject of her conversation with her husband, it must be confessed that she violated his wishes. She purchased such gifts as she would have bought had he not signified a desire that she should not do so. But she maintained absolute secrecy in these matters, bringing home the articles herself when she knew Tom was at the office and storing them away where he would not stumble upon them. She provided for an elaborate breakfast for Christmas morning, inviting every one of her own and her husband's families to join them on the occasion.

Tom saw Christmas approach with something of displeasure—that is, the Christmas of his own household. Holidays we do not celebrate ourselves are not only irksome, but at times unpleasant. Tom knew what he had asked of his wife in suggesting that she give up entering upon the pleasures of Christ-

mas in order to pay, as he expressed it, "for a dead horse." He told her when he went to his office the day before the holiday that he would be obliged to spend the evening there working over the papers of a case that had been referred to him to put in order to be used at an approaching trial. His purpose was to furnish an excuse for spending Christmas eve, which they could not afford to make a joyous occasion, away from home. He expected that she would demur at this, but she made no objection whatever. Indeed, since she was intending to celebrate Christmas morning with considerable profusion and fearing that he would notice some indication of the coming event, she was glad to have him away from the house.

Tom came home late Christmas eve, heaving a sigh as he turned his latch key. Ella was waiting for him upstairs and, instead of re-echoing his sigh, received him with a smile.

"What a treasure you are, sweetheart," he said, embracing her. "to give up so much for me."

There was a twinge of conscience on the wife's part at this undeserved encomium, but she threw it off and began to speak of other subjects. We are but human, and it is not best to put too great a strain on one another. To deny a woman or a child all participation in celebrating Christmas is assigning a task without giving adequate strength for its performance. Tom lay awake that night brooding over having to deny his young wife what he knew she so eagerly desired and awoke late the next morning. Ella had dressed and gone below. Tom arose and was completing his toilet when he heard voices downstairs. Since the pair kept no servant he was surprised. Going downstairs he was astonished to see his mother and his father and his sister, while his wife's parents were just coming in at the front door.

"Merry Christmas!" all shouted at once.

Tom looked at Ella with a half astonished, half reproachful glance, which melted into a smile under the ringing salutation.

Then came others of both families, every one bringing a package. Tom was surprised to see the breakfast table drawn out to thrice its usual length, with a card bearing a name on each plate, packages piling up on each card. Ella in passing him took his hand and gave it a squeeze, looking into his eyes with an expression which might mean almost anything, but which Tom took as a pleading for forgiveness. Then the breakfast was brought in and all sat down to the table.

Neither Tom nor Ella made any reference during the meal to Ella's violation of her agreement as to celebrating Christmas. But Tom did not act disagreeably about it, after the first few moments entering into the spirit of Christmas with a hearty good will. Ella was unusually merry, showing no trace of fear at a scolding after the celebration was over. When breakfast was finished it was agreed that the presents should be handed to the bride's father, who would read aloud the names of the donor and receiver written on them and hand them to the latter to be opened.

And so the process began, the minor articles being first distributed. Even though the gifts are trifling there is something delightful in the expectation attending these Christmas distributions. A name was read and the package handed to the receiver, who with a smile for the donor, opened it and, no matter how unimportant the gift, expressed unbounded delight. Half an hour was taken up before the last present came up to be delivered.

"Ella to Tom," was read out in a sonorous voice.

Tom, seeing a little package no heavier than an ordinary letter, felt relieved, thinking that Ella had kept her word at least in this one item, giving him some trifle—a bookmark, perhaps—that she had made with her needle. The package was handed to him amid silence, all eyes turned upon him to discover what her gift would be. He broke the string and took out two bits of rectangular paper. It gradually dawned upon him that they were the two notes for \$500 each he had made to Shuster. On their face was stamped in large red letters the word "Canceled."

Tom looked up at Ella, whose eyes were dancing with delight. For a few moments he did not seem to understand the matter or at least did not know what to do. Then he arose from his seat and, going to her, took her in his arms amid a united shout of "Merry Christmas!" from the others, who by this time had gained an inkling of the meaning of the bride's gift.

Calls for an explanation coming from all sides, it was given by the bride's father:

"About the time Tom was graduated from college and needed money for his studies for a profession Ella received a legacy of about \$1,200. She desired to give it to Tom for educational purposes, but feared he would not accept it. She went to Shuster, a money lender, and hired him to propose to furnish Tom with the required means at a moderate interest, and it was through Shuster that Ella lent Tom the money, the notes for which on this blessed Christmas morning she as his wife cancels."

All leaned forward to catch every word of this brief explanation. When it was finished every one felt moved to say something, yet no one seemed to know what to say. The silence was broken by Ella's little brother, aged six, who wildly shouted "Merry Christmas!"

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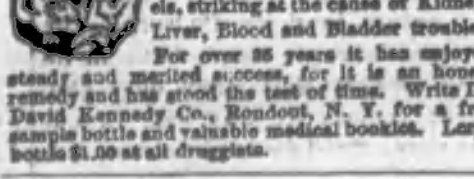
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What Has Happened On Christmas Day

How many know that Christmas day was first celebrated in the year 98, although not as a Christian festival until forty years after that date? It was not until the fifth century that it was permanently celebrated on Dec. 25. Many interesting events have occurred on Christmas, and many traditions cling to that day. They make entertaining and instructive reading for old and young alike, so a few are jotted down here as we linger over the "walnuts and wine."

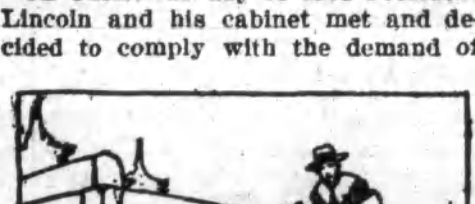
When Christmas comes on Sunday it is considered a most lucky day. It means a good winter and an unusually fine summer. Should a child be born on a Christmas Sunday it will be favored by good fortune all its life.

Two notable coronations occurred on Christmas day—that of Charlemagne as emperor of the west in the year 800 and that of William the Conqueror at Westminster abbey in 1066. Clovis, the first Christian king of France, was baptized on Christmas day, 496.

The pilgrims, who condemned all church festivals, spent their first Christmas in America working hard all day long amid cold and stormy weather and commenced the building of the first house in Plymouth, 1620.

It is a significant fact that no great battles were fought on Christmas day. They have occurred on the 24th and the 28th of December, but the anniversary of the advent of peace on earth has ever been observed by a cessation of hostilities. A notable exception, however, is that of the battle of Okchobee, Fla., in which Zachary Taylor defeated the Indians in 1837.

On Christmas day of 1861 President Lincoln and his cabinet met and decided to comply with the demand of



Palace Andes

Great Britain for the release of Mason and Silldell, who had been captured while on their way to England and France as representatives of the confederacy.

In 1868 President Johnson made Christmas day memorable by issuing a proclamation granting full pardon to every one who had taken part in the rebellion.

Sir Isaac Newton, whose grand discovery of the law of gravitation resulted from the simple fact of his seeing an apple fall to the ground, was born on Christmas day, 1642.

William the Conqueror was crowned king of England Christmas, 1066. Christmas night, 1776, Washington crossed the Delaware, fought the battle of Trenton the next day and defeated the British.

King John of England was born Christmas day, 1166.

Christmas day begins in the middle of the Pacific ocean on the one hundred and eightieth parallel of latitude, and there is where Santa Claus starts and ends his great and only journey of the year.

In Russia Christmas day comes on Jan. 6, for its calendar is the old style. Santa Claus in that country is pictured and thought to be by the children an old fellow very much like a big-bearded peasant, who flies around with a small pack on his back, his team a span of small horses.

Bees in southern countries are believed to sting in honor of Christ's coming. Reverence for the manger is shown by the cattle, which kneel on Christmas eve, while sheep in pastoral regions, according to the shepherds' tales, march in procession to commemorate the visit of the angel herds.

In the rural districts of England if a cock should crow during the stillness of a December night one might hear a peasant say, "He is scaring away the evil spirits from the Christmas holy day."

In Austria and parts of northern Germany food is prepared with great delicacy on Christmas eve and placed upon tables in order that the Virgin Mary and the angel, in passing during the night, may not be compelled to fast. A light is placed in a window in order that the Christ child, in traversing the streets, may not fall.

Countrymen in Poland assert that upon Christmas night the heavens open and the scene of Jacob's ladder is re-enacted. To the saints alone, however, is it visible.

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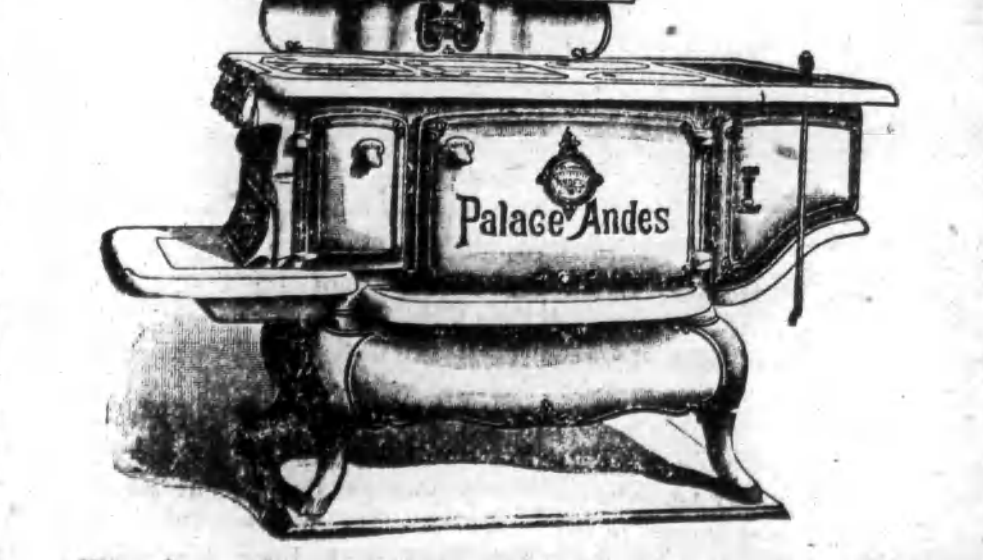
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 This office is well equipped to do first class printing of every description at moderate prices.

Friday Morning, Dec. 15, 1911

The Stepmother in the Classics.
 The ancients were as bitter on the subject of the stepmother as any modern could be. Their metaphorical uses of these words for a stepmother are cruelly significant. Thus the Romans had an expression "to complain to a stepmother" (noverca), meaning to complain in vain, and "novercae," beginning no doubt as slang, came to be a recognized term for rough pieces of land or for ditches which drained off the water imperfectly and slowly. The Greeks were as bad with their word "metrix." Hesiod spoke of lucky and unlucky days as "mother and stepmother days," and Aeschylus brands a dangerous sea-coast as "a stepmother to ships."—London Chronicle.

A Terrible Blunder
 to neglect liver trouble. Never do it. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills on the first sign of constipation, biliousness or inactive bowels and prevent virulent indigestion, jaundice or gall stones. They regulate liver, stomach and bowels and build up your health. Only 25c at J. S. Banker's Genoa, and F. T. Atwater's King Ferry.

Saw the Whole of It.
 Alexander weeping because the world was so small has a counterpart in an old inhabitant of Luss, a pretty little village on Loch Lomond side, Scotland, who at last has been persuaded to climb the mountain which has filled so large a part of his horizon all the days of his life. In Luss he has lived, as his fathers lived before him, and from Luss he has never had the ambition to journey, even as far as Glasgow. But some one got him to the top of Ben Lomond the other day.

"Eh, mon," said he, with great self congratulation, "but the world's a big place when ye come to view the whole of it!"—Dundee Advertiser.

Ends Winter's Trouble.
 To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost-bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold-sores, red and rough skins, prove this. But such troubles fly before Bucklen's Arnica Salve. A trial convinces. Greatest healer of Burns, Boils, Piles, Cuts, Sores, Bruises, Eczema and Sprains. Only 25c at J. S. Banker's Genoa, F. T. Atwater's King Ferry.

CHRISTMAS TOWN.
 I t leth sweet as a little street
 That sweeps to a good green
 valley.
 It leth clean, with no squalor
 seen.
 No dark and loathsome alley.
 It leth there in the golden air,
 A town of song and gleaming.
 With childhood's chatter and bu-
 gles' clatter
 And the make believe of dream-
 ing.
 It leth still on a little hill,
 By a brook and a strip of wild-
 wood.
 Oh, let's go down to Christmas Town
 Just as we did in childhood!
 Its streets are bright with merry
 light.
 And all day armies wander
 All to and fro, with golden glow,
 From childhood's way back yon-
 der.
 Each laughing face wears smiles of
 grace
 And trust and all undoubting,
 And or the throng the voice of
 song.
 Swells into silvery shouting.
 It leth calm as isles of balm
 Far off from hate and wrangle.
 Oh, let's go down to Christmas Town
 With all its glow and spangle!
 Its hills are toys for girls and boys,
 Its vales are candy icing.
 Its lanes and lake are gingercake
 And bonbons most enticing.
 While always there a fragrant air
 Of orange bloom is blowing.
 And on the trees green memories
 Of childhood days are growing.
 It leth far, but love's sweet star
 Eternal watch is keeping
 To guide us down to Christmas
 Town
 Through little paths of sleeping.
 Ah, it may seem a foolish dream
 That I should see it lying
 So still and sweet, its every street
 With some fond vision vying.
 But yet I know that long ago
 They built it there who love us,
 And many a day we've spent in
 play
 With its blue sky above us!
 It leth near for those, my dear,
 Whose eyes have fairy enances
 To help them see, though aged they
 be.
 The gleam of childhood's presence.
 —Benttown Bard in Baltimore Sun.

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 Many Novelties in the Art Section stamped—others ready.

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 Children's Silver Sets, knife, fork and spoon, 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00
 Sterling Silver Fancy Spoons, 1.00, 1.50, 2, 2.50
 Solid Brass Candlesticks 50c, 1.00, 1.50

Toys
 Hundreds of Dolls, dressed and undressed 25c to \$5
 Building Blocks, Trains, Animals, Planes, Doll Furniture, Doll Trunks, Grocery Stores, Rocking Horses, Games, Black Boards, Tool Chests, Sleds, Flexible Flyers, etc.

Books
 Hundreds of Picture Books for children. Full line of Boys' and Girls' Books 45c
 Splendid assortment of the popular Fiction Copyrights.

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 Men's Bath Robes from special blankets 3.39 to 6.00
 Men's House Coats, handsomely tailored 5.00 to 6.00
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Jewelry Section
 Gold and Pearl Necklaces 25c to 3.50
 German Silver Mesh Bags \$1 to 7.50
 Great value in a Silver Mesh Bags at 3.50
 Suede, Velvet and Bead Bags 89c to 3.90
 Leather Bags, all shapes and styles 50c to 17.50

Toilet Section
 Toilet Sets 1.90 to 6.50; Shaving Sets 1.25 to 3.00,
 Manicure Sets 50c to 3.90; Military Brushes 1.25 to 2.50
 Perfumes in fancy boxes 10c to 4.50
 Colgate's Toilet Waters, nicely boxed 25c and 50c

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The Christmas Pudding

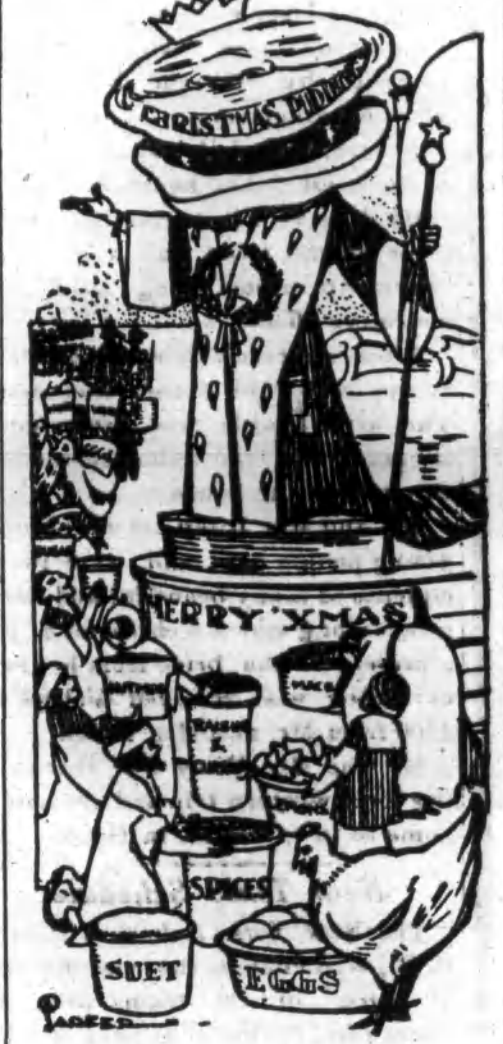
Let misers boast their hoarded gold
 And put their treasure by.
 Not half the coin that e'er was told
 Is half so rich as I.

For me the nations all combine
 Their choicest gifts to send.
 Jar raisins, currants, eggs and wine
 All in my service blend.

The homely suet not at all
 The knife of chopper dreads,
 But lets them cut it into small
 Bits, particles or shreds.

The raisin and the currant both
 With fellow feeling view it.
 A pound of each is nothing loath
 To join a pound of suet.

The loaf to my assistance comes,
 Though in proportion mean,
 Yielding four ounces of its crumbs
 To all the rest's sixteen.



ALL IN MY SERVICE BLEND.
 The western Indies don't refuse
 Their most appropriate boon,
 But with their sugar aid my views,
 Giving two pleasures.

The nutmeg, lemon peel and mace
 Each its proportion brings.
 For every one I find a place
 With fifty other things.

The modest ginger, all too shy
 Boldly to make advance,
 Sends a mere teaspoon just to try
 My flavor to enhance.

The generous fowls with eager haste
 Their tender eggs bestow
 To firmly bind the luscious paste,
 As ev'ry cook must know.

With such ingredients rich and rare—
 Matters 'twere vain to mince—
 With me no other can compare.
 Of puddings I'm the prince! —Punch.

Why We Hang Up Stockings.
 The custom of hanging up the stocking on Christmas eve arose from an incident in the life of the good St. Nicholas. One day, when he was overtaken by a severe storm, he took refuge in a convent, and the next day being Christmas he preached a sermon to the nuns which they liked so much that they asked him to come the next year and preach to them again.
 On his second visit, which was also on a Christmas eve, before going to bed he asked each of the nuns to lend him a stocking, and he filled the stockings with sugar plums in return for their hospitality.
 In the making of mince pies—which form a part of a regular Christmas feast—mutton was the only meat formerly used, as a commemoration of the flocks that were watched on the holy night by the shepherds of Bethlehem. The spices were supposed to be suggestive of the wise men from the east—the land of spices.

The Christmas Star.
 A little star, all undismayed,
 Stepped down the dusky ways of night,
 White footed, smiling, unafraid,
 It passed the orbs of greater light.
 It held its slender taper high.
 The tiny splendors piercing far,
 It knew its time to shine was nigh.
 For, lo, it was the Christmas star!

A little child knelt in the dark,
 With clear eyes raised and lifted face.
 She saw the tiny traveling spark
 Move on from its appointed place.
 The tears welled so she scarce could see.
 Its orb of brightness grew a bar.
 "Mother," she cried, "it comes to me!
 'Tis kessed my eyes, the Christmas star!"

God knows that both these things are one—
 The star that shines, the eye that sees.
 The answer to the prayer is shown
 Unto the sinner on his knees.
 On the long lanes of splintered light
 Descends the shining avatar,
 But only tears of pure delight
 Could bring the holy Christmas star.
 —Grace MacGowan Cooke.

What a Little Boy Says.
 Dear Santy, you needn't trouble this year
 To bring me any more toys that are queer
 And dolls with eyes that open and shut
 Or a patent swing that goes up and up
 Till you most touch the sky; but, Santy, I say

I want to have fun in another way
 At Christmas this year, and it can't be done
 Unless you can put a wee bit of fun
 In the hearts of mamma and papa, too,
 And make them bright and jolly like you.
 I guess it's two years since Brother Fred died,
 And now all day Christmas mamma has cried,
 And papa sends me off to play with my toys,
 For 'mamma's too nervous to bear any noise.
 So, really, dear Santy, you can easily see
 In planning for Christmas you needn't count me.
 —Marie Golden.

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A Great Christmas Sermon.

In the December Woman's Home Companion, Dr. Charles E. Jefferson, pastor of the Broadway Tabernacle in New York, writes a great Christmas sermon. One of the eloquent passages in it follows:

"It is worth remembering that Christmas is the birthday of Jesus, the Man who never gave the world a dollar. He bestowed upon mankind not a solitary material gift. He carved no statue, painted no picture, wrote no poem, composed no song, fashioned no piece of jewelry, built no edifice, founded no city, erected no triumphal arch; but He stands in history as the great Giver. Silver and gold He had none, but such as He had He gave to men, the gentle touch of a sympathetic hand, the golden glow of a genial mind, the healing love of a generous heart, the bracing energy of a courageous spirit. Paul calls Him God's 'Unspeakable Gift.' The best thing God is able to give us is not gold or silver, or costly stones, but Himself.

"It is when we give of the things of the spirit that we escape from the realm of embarrassments and burdens. Into a spiritualized Christmas we everyone can enter, the rich and the poor, the high and the low, the small and the great.

"In preparing, then, our Christmas presents, let us get ready to give some of the things which Jesus gave. Along with the many gifts which have prices, let us give a few which are priceless. Let us give thought to someone who needs it, sympathy to someone who craves it, praise to someone who deserves it but does not get it, kindness to someone whom the world has overlooked, affection to someone who is starving for it, inspiration to someone who is fainting because of the lack of it. One's Christmas does not consist in the abundance of the things which he receives or gives away, but in the spirit of good will which fills his heart."

Stockholders' Meeting

of First National Bank of Genoa. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Genoa will be held on Tuesday, January 9, 1912, in the Banking rooms at 2 o'clock p. m. 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. The election of Directors will be held and such other business will be transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

A. H. KNAPP, Cashier.

Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GENOA,

No. 9921.

at Genoa, in the State of New York, at the close of business, December 5, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$55,481.14
Overdrafts, secured & unsecured	483.33
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	302.80
Bonds, Securities, etc.	36,317.58
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures	4,748.77
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	3,374.13
Due from approved Reserve Agents	9,287.96
Checks and Cash Items	1.88
Notes of other National Banks	195.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents	36.47
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	3,653.45
Legal-tender notes	3,460.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circul'n)	1,250.00
Total	\$143,392.51

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus fund	1,250.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	1,697.20
National Bank Notes outstanding	23,640.00
Individual deposits subject to check	88,596.18
Demand certificates of deposit	2,709.13
Reserved for Interest	500.00
Total	\$143,392.51

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Cayuga, s.s. I, A. H. Knapp, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. H. KNAPP, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of Dec., 1911.

William H. Sharpsteen, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: Arthur N. Close, J. D. Atwater, E. H. Sharp, Directors.

Useful and Practical Gifts for Men

"SOMETHING USEFUL" seems to be the keynote to the buying of Christmas Gifts this season and those in quest of gifts of this nature, will find our store full to overflowing with exceptional values.

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C. R. EGBERT,

The People's Clothier, Hatter and Furnisher

75 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.

Riley—Sullivan.

The wedding of Miss Elizabeth Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan of Genoa, and Thomas Riley which took place Wednesday, Nov. 29, was a very pretty affair. The ceremony was performed at Our Lady of the Lake church at King Ferry by Rev. J. B. Doran, assisted by Rev. Francis Moffett, the nuptial mass being used. A large number of the friends and relatives of the couple were present.

The bride wore a gown of light blue silk trimmed with pearls and old lace and carried an arm bouquet of white chrysanthemums. She was attended by her sister, Miss Mayme Sullivan as bridesmaid, who wore a gown of blue silk with lace trimmings and carried a bouquet of pink chrysanthemums. The groom was attended by William Bruton who acted as groomsmen.

A reception followed at the home of the bride. The house was beautifully decorated in a green and white color scheme, ferns, smilax and white chrysanthemums being used with charming effect.

After congratulations were extended, an elaborate dinner was served. The bride's table was decorated in keeping with the color scheme used throughout the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley are well-known young people here and were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts among which a check for \$1,000, a present to the bride from her father. They also received a check for \$500 from Mr. and Mrs. Nolan.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley left that evening for a western trip and are now at home to their friends in Genoa.

New Time Schedule.

The New York, Auburn & Lansing R. R. will change the running time of three of its trains over the Short Line between Auburn and Ithaca, beginning Sunday, Dec. 17. These changes are to be made for the better accommodation of passengers, and especially those wishing to make connections at Auburn and Ithaca.

No. 23, which now leaves Auburn at 1:40 p. m., will leave at 1:45 o'clock, arriving in Ithaca at 3:25 p. m. Train 24, which leaves the Ithaca station now at 3:25 o'clock, will leave hereafter at 3:15 p. m. reaching Auburn at 4:59 p. m., instead of 5:09 o'clock.

The other change is for Train 28, which now leaves Ithaca at 7:05 p. m. This train is to leave five minutes later, or at 7:10 p. m., in order to accommodate passengers arriving in Ithaca late in the afternoon and desiring to go to Auburn or to their homes along the Short Line route.

Farmers' Institutes.

The following is a list of places, dates and local correspondents for Farmers' Institutes to be held in Cayuga county during January, F. E. Gott of Spencerport conductor: East Venice, Jan. 31, Herman Taylor, Moravia, R. D. 19; Five Corners, Jan. 30, N. J. Atwater, Atwater; Scipio Center, Jan. 29, H. E. Woodward, Ea. senore; Union Springs, Jan. 26-27, D. P. Hardy, Union Springs.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Will pay 12c for ducks, 10c for geese, 18c for turkeys, 8c for chickens, delivered Monday, Dec. 18, at Thos. Brogan's, Genoa.

20w1 SEYMOUR WEAVER.

Beef for sale by the quarter by J. LEON MACK, Genoa. 20w2

Meat accounts not settled by Jan. 1, 1912, will be put into other hands for collection.

19w2 Mrs. THOS. SILL, Genoa.

Poultry wanted at the Carson House, Genoa, Tuesday morning, Dec. 19, 1911. Turkeys, 17c, ducks 11c to 12c, hens and chickens 4 pounds and over, 9c; under 8c, geese, 10c. Young pigs wanted.

S. C. HOUGHTALING, R. D. 5, Auburn.

Residence in Genoa village, east of Banker's drug store, Main St., for sale at very low price. For particulars inquire at Genoa mill. 19w2

FOR SALE—At bargain prices, platform wagon, top carriage, harnesses, robe, grapple fork, etc.

A. J. HURLBUTT, Genoa, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Hard maple wood, stove length, delivered for \$2 per cord.

E. J. SMITH, Atwater, N. Y.

19w4

FOR SALE—Watkins wagon and route, two good horses, new double harness. Inquire of H. B. HARD, 18w4 Genoa, N. Y., R. D. 24.

Seventy-five farms and other pieces of real estate for sale, mostly in Cayuga county, N. Y. Write for new catalogue.

C. G. PARKER, Moravia, N. Y.

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The People's Cash Store
Our aim is to satisfy our customers



Dry Feet

You are sure of keeping your feet warm, dry and comfortable when you wear the famous



Boots or Arctics We sell them

WARM FEET

It is just as essential to keep the feet warm as it is to keep them dry.

Try a pair of those good felt or fleece lined shoes for the ladies or a 12 inch felt shoe for the gentlemen.

They are all right.

George S. Aikin,
KING FERRY, NEW YORK.

TRY WAIT'S FIRST.
It is THE Christmas Gift Store of Auburn.

Splendidly stocked from top to bottom, we are prepared more thoroughly than ever before to furnish attractive Christmas Gifts for all.

In the very front of the store may be seen our

Brilliant and Extensive Display of Japanese Chinaware

Chafing Dishes and Teapots
Vantine's Candies & Perfumes
Articles in Brass for the writing desk and library table

Jardinieres and Fern Dishes
Convenient articles for the Smoker

Good Looking Waste Baskets
Turkish Slippers
Attractive Lamps
Pictures and Mirrors

And in the Furniture Department you will find cheering furnishings of all kinds.

MORRIS CHAIRS--\$8.75 UP

So restful and comfortable throughout the year as well as adding remarkably to the furnishings of a room.

PLANT STANDS--60 C UP

For the little girl with her first plant or the grandmother with her favorite one.

LITTLE ROCKERS AND MORRIS CHAIRS FOR CHILDREN--22 C UP

In mission, golden oak, willow and red painted. Any little tot would love a chair for his or her very own.

MISSION ROCKERS--6.50 AND UP

In the living room are most substantial and very good looking.

MUSIC CABINETS--\$7.75

Nothing could be nicer for the music lover, than an attractive cabinet in which the music could be kept in order and unrumpled

LIBRARY TABLES--\$10 UP

The very centre-piece of a library or living room that all the family can use and enjoy

RUGS

All kinds from small Smyrnas to the beautiful Orientals. In every house there is always a place needing a new rug—then why not put it on your list for some o. e.

FUR BABY ROBES

Such a nice gift for the baby are these pretty white fur robes and warm and sensible for the winter days.

We deliver everything to your town free of charge.

THE H. R. WAIT CO., 77 GENESSEE ST., AUBURN, N. Y.

Christmas Sale

Of Jewelry Gifts for Every Member of the FAMILY

The best value and the largest selection at the lowest price in the city.

Diamonds mounted in all styles from \$5.00 up.

Elgin and Waltham watches. Guaranteed 20 and 25 years, all sizes and styles from \$15.00 up. A choice line of JEWELRY in GOLD and GOLD FILLED and SILVER novelties of popular prices.

A share of your patronage will be appreciated. Kindly favor me with a call when you are in the City.

J. B. Liberman,
JEWELER AND BROKER,

Colonial Building. 109 E. State St., Ithaca, N. Y.

Christmas Gifts

Are Here in Great Variety.

You can find something here suitable for every member of the family.

Books for the Boys and Girls, Children's Toys, Handkerchiefs for men, women and children, Scarfs, Mufflers, Neckties. Brush, Comb and Mirror Sets, Brushes, Work Boxes, Stationery, China, &c.

MRS. D. E. SINGER,
GENOA, N. Y.

CHRISTMAS GOODS

—AT—

Genoa Clothing Store

I made a special trip to wholesale markets and have selected very useful articles to wear suitable for every member of the family. Anyone receiving such useful presents will greatly appreciate them and take pleasure in wearing them.

I would consider it a great pleasure for you to call and look over the beautiful goods awaiting your inspection.

The articles are too numerous to mention but your time will be well spent in looking over our goods before buying elsewhere.

Just received—A shipment of Fur Coats at very reasonable prices.

M. G. SHAPERO,

Outfitter for Man or Boy.

Now is the Time to Buy Men's Christmas Gifts

Every Man, Young Man and particularly a Boy likes these things which add to their personal appearance, and this money-saving store, just outside the shopping center has prepared its Holiday Stocks with the view of furnishing those most sought for Christmas Gifts for Men, at prices which are within easy reach of any purse, no matter how weary it may be, from other demands made upon it this Christmas season. No matter what age the man is, whether he be 4 or 70 years, you'll find gifts here to satisfy all, and especially yourself as to price.

As a few suggestions we quote:

Give to Men	Give to Men	Give to Boys
Sweaters	Neckwear	Caps
Umbrellas	Hose	Knicker Pants
Trousers	Scarf Pins	Shirts
Raincoats	Cuff Buttons	Neckwear
Caps	Garters	Underwear
Suit Cases	Suspenders	Stockings
Traveling Bags	Shirts	Sweaters
Mufflers	Wool Gloves	Mittens
Kid Gloves		Suspenders

SUITS OVERCOATS SUITS
Of course if its to be a Suit or Overcoat for yourself, you surely will buy it here. **SATURDAY BIG SPECIAL.** For Saturday selling only, just one day at this price. Men's and Boys' Dress Shirts, sizes 12 to 17. Regular 50c quality 35c

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Special Sale of Trimmed Hats.

All Gage Hats at Just Half Price

\$20 Gage Pattern Hats, now	\$9.98
18 " " " " " " " " "	8.98
15 " " " " " " " " "	7.50

Other Gage hats as low as \$3.98 each

\$3.00 soft felt shapes now **98c**

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THE BIG MILLINERY STORE,

129 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.

Our Special Notice Column Brings Results—Try One.

SIMPLE CHRISTMAS MENU.

Oyster Cocktail.
Olives. Salted Almonds.
Cream of Tomato Soup.
Roast Turkey.
Boiled Dressing.
Cranberries. Celery.
Potato Croquettes. Spinach.
Creamed Onions.
Cabbage Salad on Lettuce Leaves.
Plum Pudding, Hard Sauce.
Vanilla Ice Cream in Glasses.
White Mountain Cake. Bonbons.
Crackers. Cheese.
Coffee.

A CHRISTMAS IN WAR.

"Fighting Bob" Evans' Story of the "Presents" to Fort Fisher.
"On Christmas morning," said Rear Admiral Evans, U. S. N., retired, "I thank God that he made three times as much water as land. No true sailor would exchange Christmas at sea for one on shore."
"Of all the Christmases spent at sea the one that rises before me most vividly is that of 1865, when the Federal army and the gunboat fleet were trying to capture Fort Fisher. The only presents we received, and they came fast and furious, were solid shot and shell from the guns of the enemy. But this didn't destroy our sense of humor. The boys would write on each solid shot or shell before placing it in the gun, 'Presented by,' and add the name of the vessel from which it happened to be fired. Mighty few hurried at the fort that day lacked this Christmas greeting. All the gunners caught the spirit of the grim jest, for the fighting line is no place for serious faces."
"Despite the excitement of the fierce combat we managed to have the mastheads of all the ships trimmed with Christmas greens, even though the sailors had to risk their lives in going ashore to get them, and you may be assured the sentiment of the day was not wasted."

No nation provides more plentifully for the Christmas cheer of its sailors than does Uncle Sam. Each of the battleship crews has a dinner of roast turkey, plum pudding, pumpkin pie and all the trimmings that go with it. The men are served in messes of twenty at 12 o'clock, and each man is allowed one snifter of grog as an appetizer in celebration of the occasion.
The officers dine at 6 o'clock and, as is the custom when spending the holiday at sea, are guests of the commanding officer.

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WHO IS SANTA CLAUS?

A Query Prompting One of the Pretty Legends of St. Nicholas.
History says St. Nicholas, the patron saint of Christmas, was bishop of Myra, in Lycia, and that he died about 326.
Tradition fills in the meager details with a number of legends. Among his flock—so runs one—was a nobleman with three daughters. From being rich he became so poor there remained no way of obtaining food for the maidens, who, having no bread to eat, wept continually, while their father grew more and more desperate. St. Nicholas heard of the family's plight, and, taking a handful of gold, he repaired to the nobleman's house one night while the maidens slept and the father sat alone weeping.
A cloud showed St. Nicholas an open window in the nobleman's home. So he threw in the gold, and it fell at the feet of the nobleman, who, when he found it, returned thanks and presented it to his eldest daughter as her wedding portion.

PAPA'S PART.

Mother is in desperation, and so is sister Sue, For Christmas celebration Buying the presents due; Ann is a frazzled maiden Exhausted by shopping frays; Tom, with his arms o'erladen, Hangs to the strap and sways. Lurching—his bundles (both!) Around the car he spills. Everybody works but father. He simply pays the bills! —Lester Lestaire.

GET RICH MAKING TOYS.

Demand For Novelties Affords Good Workmen Profitable Employment.
New designs in toys are as eagerly looked for by toymakers as the new designs of a Paris dressmaker. Some of the best artists make small fortunes by designing new toys. A notable case of this kind is that of Carran d'Ache, the eminent French black and white artist. His physicians had ordered him to take a rest. Partly to amuse himself and partly to entertain some children he began to whittle some little toys out of wood. Out of these grew his famous toys showing King Edward bagging pheasants, Emperor William on a bear hunt, Carlos killing mountain sheep and President Roosevelt drawing a bead on a grizzly.
Paris is the only city that regularly holds toy exhibitions, and at these one may see every sort of toy made in the world. The United States keeps a permanent exhibition of the toys of all nations and times in the ethnological space in the national museum. From India, China, Africa, Alaska, Australia, from the remotest past down to the living present, these toys have been gathered.
An eavesdropper was tried in asylvania court in March, 1913, and found guilty.
—McLamburgh Wilson in Judge.

TO SEND WITH CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Calendars.
May all the days Throughout this year "Red letters" be To you, my dear.
May all the jeweled beads Upon Time's rosyary Be sold without alloy This is my prayer for thee.
Handkerchiefs.
Twelve bits of white stuff to my lady's boudoir— As many as months in the year. Here's hoping that never a month nor moucher Will hold for that lady a tear.
A Box of Cigars.
Goes up in smoke each year; But, being a woman, of course I can't see What dream chrysalides are here. —Delineator.

THE HAYESES' CHRISTMAS.

The President's Wife Herself Put Up Delicacies For the Sick.
Christmas at the White House with Mrs. Hayes as its mistress was a succession of Christian charities and joyful gatherings.
"William, I want you to buy forty turkeys, besides our own, and vegetables, pickles and fruit to go with them," she said to the steward one Christmastide.
The steward has told with pride how for four years he got the forty turkeys and how the madam came to the storeroom, rolled up her sleeves and filled bags with cranberries, lemons, crackers and small delicacies for the sick.
The Hayeses gave the home Christmas presents in an original way. All the gifts were taken to the family room, assorted for each person and laid on tables. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes distributed them. At the top of a bell some one was called, and, walking in, he received all his gifts. Each in turn came the same way.
The Tallest Holly Trees.
The American holly appears to attain its greatest size and perfection in southern Arkansas and Texas, where it is to be seen at times from forty to fifty feet in height. In much smaller form it grows naturally, however, along the south shore of Massachusetts among tupelos, black oaks, red maples, cedars, etc., but not much northward of Hingham and Quincy.
The Little Boy Who Moved.
The fairies missed him when they came To play their evening game. They searched the old red farmhouse through. They called aloud his name. They even looked inside the barn. But vain their questing proved. So they made up their elfin minds The little boy had moved. Kris Kringle missed him when he came Upon his reindeer ride. He hunted for him high and low. But not a trace he spied. But still he keeps a lookout sharp To find him if he can— The little boy who went one day To live inside a man. —McLamburgh Wilson in Judge.

Auburn's Shop for Women Christmas Suggestions

Gifts worthy of giving at the SIGNOR MFG. CO., Retail Shop, Opposite Court House.

We make our own garments which are exclusive styles and you have the benefit of buying here at wholesale prices. We are headquarters for Blouses, Kimonos, Dressing Sacques, Aprons, Waists, and Petticoats, which lines are the largest and finest to be found in any one shop.

NOTICE—We also make to your measure all styles and kinds of garments and if you prefer you may furnish your own materials. Work the best. Short notice. Fit guaranteed. Prices the lowest.

Special prices on garments at this season of the year. Coats and suits which were samples at 1-2 price. Visit our shop when in Auburn.

Signor Manufacturing Co.

149 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.

Town Audits--Town of Genoa.

COUNTY OF CAYUGA, } SS:
Town of Genoa

We, the undersigned, the Board of Town Auditors of said town, do hereby certify:

That the following is an abstract of the names of all persons who have presented to said Board accounts to be audited, the amounts claimed by each of said persons and the amounts finally audited to them respectively, to wit:

Supervisor, A. L. Loomis. Justice, Eugene A. Bradley.
Justice, Francis Hollister. Justice, Herbert C. Peck.
Justice, Wm. H. Sharpsteen. Town Clerk, A. B. Peck.

Dated Nov. 9, 1911.

1 F T Atwater, Poor bill	\$ 29.42	\$ 39.00
2 Genoa Lodge F. & A. M., Use of Hall	25 00	25 00
3 H W Smith Inspector of Election	31.32	31 00
4 S J Stearns Inspector of Election		
Payable to Mrs. F. A. Stearns	26 00	26 00
5 L C Hall Inspector of Election	24 00	24 00
6 Calvin Kratzer Ballot Clerk	4 00	4 00
7 John Cummings Ballot Clerk and Insp. of Election	5 00	5 00
8 J E Dempsey Inspector of Election	20 00	20 00
9 Earl Mann Poll Clerk	5 00	5 00
10 W W Atwater Poll Clerk and Inspector of Election	5 00	5 00
11 F L Stillwell Poll Clerk	5 00	5 00
12 Chas. Foster Poll Clerk and Inspector of Election	5 00	5 00
13 Genoa Tribune Printing Bill	47.22	47 22
14 R W Hurlbut School Director	5 75	5 75
15 Frank Gillespie Truant Officer	2 50	2 50
16 D R Nettleton Poll Clerk	4 00	4 00
17 Wm. Roe Ballot Clerk	4 00	4 00
18 W H Warren Inspector of Election	24 00	24 00
19 Florence Sullivan Services as Supervisor	15 00	15 00
20 R B Ferris Assessor's Bill	27 00	27 00
21 Burt R Smith Poll Clerk and Inspector of Election	24 00	24 00
22 Clarence Hollister Expenses as Highway Commissioner	63 00	63 00
23 Dr. T. L. Hatch Vital Statistics	14 00	14 00
24 Dr. T. L. Hatch Physician's Contract	25 00	25 00
25 Dr. M. K. Willoughby Reporting T. B. Case	1 00	1 00
26 Dr. M. K. Willoughby Physician's Poor Bill	5 00	5 00
27 Dr. T. L. Hatch Town M. D. Bill	81 20	81 20
28 D W Smith Poor Bill	2 50	2 50
29 Seymour Weaver Poll Clerk	4 00	4 00
30 Samuel J Hand Inspector of Election	20 00	20 00
31 Thos. Brogan Inspector of Election	24 00	24 00
32 Fred Fulmer Poll Clerk	4 00	4 00
33 Fred Fulmer Moving Town Safe	1 00	1 00
34 Chas. Carson Use of Hall	25 00	25 00
35 A B Peck Town Clerk Bill	50 00	50 00
36 Clarence Hollister Superintendent of Highways	381.00	381 00
37 George S Alkin Poor Supplies	4 20	4 20
38 C D Palmer Overseer of Poor Bill	17 00	17 00
39 J W & C D Palmer Town Burial	25 00	25 00
40 C D Palmer Cash paid out	11.85	11 85
41 G M Jump Poor Supplies	1 29	1 29
42 Mrs. Mary Brill Poor Bill	15 00	15 00
43 Wm. Breese Poor Bill	65 00	65 00
44 G M Jump Poor Supplies	7 00	7 00
45 Williamson Law Book Co. Town Clerk's Manual	6 50	6 50
46 Mathew Bender & Co Justice's Manual	10 00	9 50
47 Dr. J. W. Skinner Physician's Bill	32 50	32 50
48 F C Hagin Town Clerk's Bill 1910	20 10	20 10
49 Frank Sellen Constable Bill	6 75	6 75
50 Geo. Curtis Assessor's Bill	39 00	39 00
51 First Nat'l Bank of Genoa		
To satisfy certificate of Indebtedness	3908.27	3908 27
52 A L Loomis Supervisor Bill	90 00	90 00
53 Francis Hollister Justice Bill	28 00	28 00
54 Eugene A Bradley Justice Bill	12 00	12 00
55 Herbert Gay Justice Bill	24 00	24 00
56 Wm H Sharpsteen Justice Bill	26 00	26 00
57 Irving S Colwell Index Books	1 00	1 00
58 F C Hagin Damages to garden	5 00	5 00
59 Henry Stickle Assessor's Bill	36 00	36 00
60 Auburn Advertiser Printing Tax Sale	3 00	3 00
61 N Y Pasteur Institute Bill for treating three cases	300 00	300 00
62 S S Goodyear School Director	7 95	7 95
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Christmas Gifts.

Lady's and Gent's diamond rings in beautiful 14k settings from \$7.50 up.
Lady's and Gent's Elgin and Waltham watches warranted for 20 years from \$8.50 up.
Gold and silver mounting silk umbrellas from \$2.50 up.
Toilet, manicure, military, and smoking sets in beautiful cases from \$2.00 up.

Guaranteed solid gold baby rings from 50c up.
" " clocks \$1.00 up.
35 different pattern sterling silver tea spoons from 50c up, engraved with Bracelets, fobs, chains, lockets, stones and signet rings, link bracelets, brooches, belt pins, hat pins, back and side combs, silver wrist-bags, jewelry picture frames, pipes, match safes, cigarette cases, fountain pens, tracing cloth and hat brushes, coin holders, etc. Everything in silver, gold and steel.

We Can Save You At Least 20 Per Cent

on anything you want to purchase from a jewelry store. Come in and let us show you before you buy.

I. M. Liberman,

Under Town Clock. 70 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.

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HOLIDAY GOODS

If you don't want to waste time in hunting around for something that will just suit you, something nice enough to give and not too costly to get, come to our store first. It will save you time and worry, as well as money, to begin with us. We want your trade, but we want it on the solid basis of our deserts. We will try, in our fair treatment, fair prices and good bargains, to merit the patronage of all who visit us. See our stock first and you will be content.



Holiday Handkerch'fs

from 5c to 50c
Make your Christmas selections while the assortment is large. You will pay much more than we ask elsewhere.

Aviator Caps

in all good colors and two tone effects, all hand crochet, for Ladies and Misses. All colors in Eiderdown yarn for crocheting caps, &c.



Knit Goods for Christmas Gifts.



Useful and practical presents. Men's Sweaters, Boy's Sweaters, Children's Sweaters, Ladies' and Misses' Sweaters, Wool Shawls and Scarfs, Babies Knitted Jackets and Booties, Knitted Gloves and Mittens for Men, Women and Children.

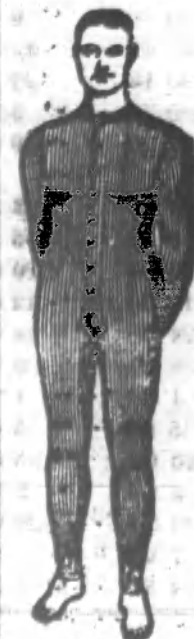
Flosfit and Chiffon Heatherbloom Petticoats

from 98c to \$2.00
Outing Underskirts 25 and 50c

Nice line of white Muslin, hamburg trim Underskirts \$1. Extra value in Men's, Women's and Children's Outing Night Garments.



Underwear



Men's heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers 47c ea
Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers \$1 and 1.25
Men's Union Suits from \$1 to 4.00
Children's Fleeced Lined Underwear
Children's Wool Underwear
Children's Union Suits in wool and cotton
Ladies' Fleeced Vests and Pants, extra quality 25c
Ladies' medium weight white Vests and Pants at 50c
Ladies' wool Vests and Pants



\$1.00 -and up
Ladies' Cotton and Wool Union Suits.

SILK HOSIERY



Ladies' silk Hose at 50c and \$1.00
Men's silk Hose at 50c
Men's fine Hose in Holly Boxes
Ladies' fine Hose from 10c to 50c
Men's cotton Socks extra value. 3 prs for 25c. Sold for 12 and 15c per pair



See Our Beautiful Christmas Display.



Christmas Gifts for Everyone.

Toys, Dolls, Books, Games, Fancy Goods, China, Glass Ware, in great profusion.

See Our Mammoth Ten Cent Counter

Many good things await those that come early.

A large table of Japanese goods, your choice 10c
A table of box paper, your choice 10c
A table of Toilet Soap, many kinds, 3 cakes in a neat box 10c

If Books are on your list you will find you can supply your needs nicely here.

BOOKS FOR BOYS	FICTION COPYRIGHTS	CHILDREN'S BOOKS
Algers Books	59c to \$1.08	Paper Covered Books
Ellis Books	Popular cloth cover	
Motor Boys' Books	novels at 25c	10c
Tom Swift Books	Prayer Books	
Out Doors Chums	Rosaries	

Christmas post cards 12 in an envelope for 10c. You will pay twice this elsewhere.
Christmas Letters 5c
Holly Ribbon 10c bolt
Ladies' House Slippers

Our Linen Assortment is of Much Interest to Holiday Shoppers.

Damask Lunch Cloths
Hand Embroidered Centerpieces
Battenburg Doilies
Fine large Napkins
Heavy Damask Towels
Round and square Doilies
Small and large Doilies
Crocheted Doilies

Christmas Candy only 10c pound.

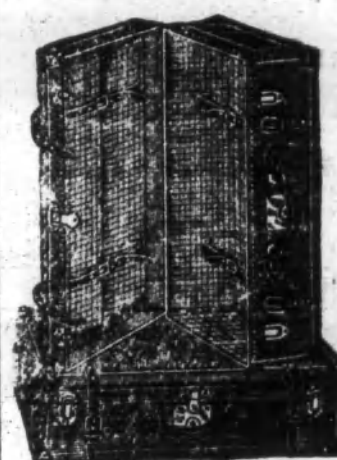


Men's and Boys' Hats & Caps



Men's House Slippers
Men's Gloves and Mittens

Suit Cases, etc.



Imitation Alligator \$1.47
Jap Matting Suit Cases, light and serviceable at 1.25
Genuine Leather Suit Case, large and well trimmed at 5.00
Steamer Trunks, strong canvas covered, brass clasps and corners, leather straps at 5.00
Ladies' Hand Bags at 50c, \$1, to 4.00

Silk Umbrellas, fancy handles, a nice Christmas gift
Men's Raincoats in the new tan cloth. Very popular at \$6.00

Lamps of Every Kind.



This big nickle lamp at \$1.47
This glass hand lamp at 39c
Night lamps, a good one 15c
Glass hand lamps 22c, 28c, 35c



Fancy Parlor Lamps from \$2.50 to \$5.00
Bracket lamp complete 75c
Lanterns 47c, 75c, 95c

Mirrors



white enamel frames, 12x16 in., excellent value at 25c
Big assortment of chair seats 10c
Decorated white granite cuspidors 25c
Wind chimes 10c
Crumb and brush tray 25c

Best quality cold blast lantern globes 9c
Common lantern globes 6c
A. & B. burners 7c
No. 2 etched chimneys worth 15c, now 10c
Heavy glass tumblers worth 50c 37c doz
A good 15c brush broom 10c
A good parlor broom 25c
Plain tumblers 29c doz

Holiday Groceries.



This department of our store will show you a good saving in the cost of your supplies, and offers you a larger assortment than ever.



Malaga Grapes 16c lb.
Mixed Nuts 18c lb.
Cranberries 10c qt.
Bananas 20c doz.
Dates 10c lb.
Figs 19c lb.
Onions
Celery
Lemons
Honey
English Currants
Salad Dressing
Worcestershire Sauce
Pepper Sauce

Yeast Foam 3c
A. & H. Soda 5c
6 lbs. Starch 25c
Seeded Raisins SPECIAL 10c
Oyster Crackers 7c
Canned Tomatoes, corn, plums, 10c
Succotash, Sour Kraut 10c
Quaker Corn Flakes 5c
Good Salmon 15c
10 cakes Snap Soap 25c
Ciscos, 6 lbs for 25c Mackerel 12c
Helms Catsup, Plum Pudding, Olive Oil, Gherkins, Tarragon Vinegar
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Village and Vicinity News.

—Bank report this week.
—Throat troubles are quite prevalent.

—Of course you will read all the advs. this week.

—See the Town Audits of the town of Genoa on the extra sheet.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. O'Hara are spending a few days in Auburn.

—Red Cross seals are on sale at Hagin's grocery and at Mrs. Anger's.

—Thomas Riley has purchased the Michael Nolan place on the Indian Field road.

—Miss Ella Litts, who has been assisting Mrs. D. E. Slinger, has returned to her home in Syracuse.

—Remarkably warm weather the first of this week. The temperature was over 70 deg. on Sunday.

—Mrs. C. T. Lisk and daughter, Miss Anna Lisk, of Ledyard were guests at B. J. Brightman's for the week-end.

—Mrs. Morell Wilson and Miss Lena Gilkey were guests of the Misses Montgomery in Auburn last Friday and Saturday.

—Fresh Malaga grapes 15c lb at Hagin's. 20w2

—The Junction House and contents at Freeville were totally destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. It is thought the fire was caused by the dropping of a lighted lamp.

—Genoa Lodge, I. O. O. F., conferred the third degree on a class of candidates on Wednesday evening. On Wednesday evening, Dec. 20, a class will take the initiatory degree.

—Sunday morning theme at the Presbyterian church, "The Greatest City." Evening, "The Master Man—Testimony before Pilate." Sunday school and C. E. meeting as usual. All are invited.

—A special train, leaving Auburn at 7:45, will bring a large number to the I. O. O. F. dance to-night in Armstrong's hall. Returning train will leave Genoa at 2:30 o'clock. It will stop at all stations.

—A Christmas tree and exercises by the Sunday school will be given in the Genoa Presbyterian church on Friday evening, Dec. 22. It is expected that Santa Claus will be present and all are invited to participate.

—George Eglehart, an old resident of Locke, died on Wednesday, Dec. 6, aged 79 years. He had worked at the trade of blacksmithing since he was 12 years old and it is said that he was the oldest blacksmith in the United States. He leaves one son as the only surviving relative.

—The tabernacle, which is being constructed for the Crabill evangelistic meetings in Moravia, will be finished so that the meetings will open Dec. 19, it is expected. The meetings are undenominational in character and the Methodist, Baptist and Congregational churches are uniting in the work.

—Fresh ground buckwheat flour at the Genoa Mill.

—Henry R. Manchester, son of former school Commissioner E. S. Manchester of Scipioville, will be married Dec. 16 to Miss Edith Andrews of Syracuse. Mr. Manchester now lives at Rosetown, Canada, where he has been very successful in accumulating valuable land and raising grain. The young couple will reside at Rosetown.

—Mrs. Leslie Underwood underwent an operation for appendicitis at her home south of this village on Tuesday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock. She was taken ill on Monday, and as this was the second attack, it was thought best to operate at once. Dr. Burr Besemer of Ithaca, assisted by Dr. Skinner of Genoa, and Mrs. Besemer performed the operation. Very favorable reports are received of the patient's condition. Miss Belle Norman is the nurse in charge.

—Ten pages this week.

—Read the Highway and Bridge report in this issue.

—Mrs. E. H. Tift of Ithaca has been a guest of Mrs. D. W. Gower this week.

—Mrs. Michael Nolan and Mrs. Thomas Riley visited at John Sullivan's on Friday last.

—You couldn't miss Smith's (Big Busy store) adv. on the extra sheet. It is full of attractive things.

—O. P. Hunter will take subscriptions to Syracuse Post Standard until Jan. 1, 1912 \$8 per year.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strong of East Genoa, Dec. 7, 1911, a daughter—Olive Louise. Weight 9 1/2 pounds.

—Did you notice the combination offer of the GENOA TRIBUNE and Rural Life for \$1.25? It may be found in this issue.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Beebe and daughter Elma spent the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives in Genoa, Lansing and King Ferry.—Union Springs.

—It had been announced that the Ladies' Aid society would meet at Mrs. J. F. Brown's to-day but for various reasons, it has been postponed until a later date.

—White tissue paper in large sheets for sale at the TRIBUNE office. Just what you want for doing up the Christmas gifts. 20w2

—Miss Blanche Webster, who is teaching at Ensenore and who makes her home with her sister, Mrs. G. B. Springer, spent the week-end at her home here.

—The school in the Sharpsteen district, Indian Field road, will have Christmas exercises on Friday evening, Dec. 22. Miss Ethel Wheat is the teacher. All are invited.

—Rev. Alfred J. Thomas, a student in Auburn Theological seminary, will act as pastor of Venice Center Methodist church. Thomas conducted his first service last Sunday.

—Silver Spray Flour at \$1.35 per sack at Genoa Mill.

—The New Astoria hotel at Union Springs has been sold to Geo. Whipple of Ithaca, who took possession this week. W. H. Miller, the former proprietor of the Astoria, will become the superintendent of the Home for aged People about to be established in Union Springs.

—Heinz Mince Meat for pies 20c lb. at Hagin's. 20w2

—Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Weeks of Delta, Col., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Weeks' parents, W. J. Young and wife, left Sunday night for Auburn and Syracuse, where they will visit friends before going back to Colorado.—Locke Courier.

—Big display of useful articles for Christmas gifts. Be sure and see them before you buy. 20w1 GENOA CLOTHING STORE.

—Mrs. Ellen Sullivan of King Ferry, aged 71 years, died Monday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Terrill, in Ithaca, where she had been visiting for a month. She leaves four daughters and four sons. One son, Dennis Sullivan, resides near Aurora, and a sister, Mrs. Patrick Cahalan lives near Genoa. The remains were taken to King Ferry, yesterday, where funeral services and burial took place.

—Mixed Nuts, Plum Pudding, Olives, and Dill Pickles, at Hagin's. 20w2

—Maria Bower, widow of Warren Dimmick, died at her home south of this village, on Saturday afternoon last. The deceased had been ill only a few days and was not considered in a serious condition. It was said that she had pneumonia, and it is also thought that she suffered a shock a few hours before her death. She was 79 years old and is survived by her brother, M. E. Bower with whom she lived, and a sister, Mrs. Austin Smith. The funeral was held at the East Genoa church on Tuesday at 1 o'clock, Rev. F. J. Allington officiating and burial was made at Five Corners. Mrs. Smith and son, J. H. Smith of Ithaca were in attendance at the funeral, the former having spent several days this week at the home of her brother.

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—Miss Anna Breen has returned from Moravia to her home near Genoa. It is expected that she will soon enter the training school for nurses in St. Joseph's hospital, Syracuse.

Just arrived, a carload of winter wheat bran, at Genoa Mill.

Amos J. Hurlbutt Dead.

The death of Amos J. Hurlbutt, a well known and highly respected resident of Genoa, occurred at 2:30 o'clock Monday morning, after a long illness. Although in poor health for several years, he had not been confined to the bed for any length of time, until during the past year at different periods. On Sunday, Dec. 3, he suffered a shock and gradually failed until the end came.



Amos J. Hurlbutt was born in the town of Genoa, March 28, 1845, at the Hurlbutt homestead in the east part of the town. His parents, Amos and Mary Hurlbutt, were among the early settlers in this section, coming from Connecticut. Mr. Hurlbutt was married Dec. 2, 1868, to Miss Emma A. Atwater of North Lansing, and they at once took up their residence on a farm in Venice. An only daughter, Cora J., was born in 1870 and died in 1876. In 1888, Mr. and Mrs. Hurlbutt purchased a fine residence in Genoa village and made their home here for several years, going from here to their farm near Cascade where they resided until nearly two years ago, when they returned to their home in Genoa.

Nine years ago last summer, during a severe thunder shower, Mr. Hurlbutt was struck by lightning in the yard at his home near Cascade. Since that time, he never had good health, having suffered several shocks of paralysis and was also a great sufferer from heart trouble. He bore his sufferings with remarkable fortitude and was never heard to complain of his condition.

The deceased served the town of Scipio as justice of the peace for several terms, was a member of East Scipio Grange and a director in the Cortland County Patrons' Fire Relief Insurance Co. He had a large acquaintance throughout this section. Surviving are his wife and a sister, Mrs. Ellen Close of Moravia, also a nephew, Arthur N. Close of King Ferry and a niece, Mrs. Wm. McAllister of Moravia.

Funeral services were held at the late home of the deceased on Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. J. Searls of Genoa officiating, making some very fitting remarks and closing with an appropriate poem. Three hymns were sung by Mrs. D. W. Smith, Miss Florence Norman and E. H. Sharp. Among the beautiful floral offerings was a wreath from East Scipio Grange.

Burial was in Genoa cemetery. Among those from out of town in attendance at the funeral were Mrs. Libbie Lester of Syracuse, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Woodward of Scipio, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McAllister of Moravia, Arthur Close and wife of King Ferry, Clark Booth of East Scipio, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith of Ithaca, Mrs. E. Tift of Ithaca, Thomas Welsh of East Scipio and Mrs. John Armstrong of Venice.

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Additional Trains between Ithaca and Rogues Harbor leave Ithaca 7:00 a. m., (daily except Sunday) 9:20, 11:15, (daily except Sunday) 12:15, (Sunday only) 2:00, 3:25, 5:15 and 7:05 p. m. 9:00 p. m. (Saturday only).
Returning leave South Lansing for Ithaca 9:50 a. m., 2:50 p. m. 3:55, 7:35 p. m. Also leave Rogues Harbor at 7:40 a. m., (daily except Sunday) 11:50 (daily except Sunday) 12:50, (Sunday only) 5:50 p. m. 9:35 p. m. Saturday only.

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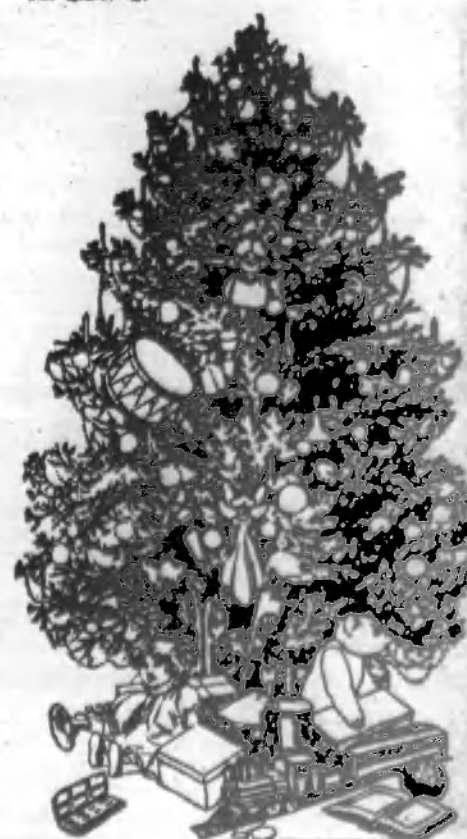
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Boston's Streets.

"Where can I get a car that will take me to the South station?" asked a lady of a Boston policeman.

"Right here, ma'am," he answered courteously. "Any one of these cars that passes will take ye."

"But the cars go both ways on this street. Which way does the car go that I must take?"

"Well, as to that, 'twill make no difference which way the car goes, 'twill take ye there just the same."—New York Press.

Saved His Wife's Life.

"My wife would have been in her grave to-day," writes O. H. Brown, of Muscogee, Ala., "if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery. She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchial trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, it's the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. S. Banker, Genoa, F. T. Atwater, King Ferry.

TRUE FRIENDSHIP.

The majority of men recognize nothing in human affairs as good unless it yields some return, and they love those friends most from whom they hope to obtain the most profit. Thus they lack that loveliest and most natural form of friendship which is sought for its own sake only, nor do they know from experience how beautiful and how lofty such friendship is.

Old newspapers, for shelves and putting under carpets, at this office, 5 cents a package.

A Christmas Flashlight

It was on a late October afternoon that he first drifted into the settlement house. He was not the type that usually seeks out such a place. There was nothing foreign about him—nothing suggestive of the immigrant. His silvery white hair was brushed back from a face of distinctive refinement, which even the marks of dissipation could not hide. He looked exceedingly frail, possibly tubercular.

He was selling ink and blotters, and, receiving a bit of financial encouragement from Miss Newton, the young woman on duty that morning, he called again in a fortnight and yet again. In the course of his visits Miss Newton, whom he always insisted upon seeing, gradually pieced together his reluctant story. He had come from a good old Massachusetts family, was educated at one of the eastern universities and had been an official in a big eastern bank. But the drink habit had fastened itself upon him.

He had married, but his wife had deserted him after two years. She was long since dead, as were all of his immediate family. He had gone through the indescribable experience that the man who is down and out sometimes suffers, though not always, thank God! It was almost twenty years ago that he had left the east.

And now he was in Chicago, cut loose from every old time tie, a derelict in the great city, living in one of the unspeakable west side lodging houses, broken in spirit, in ambirous and in health, too proud, in spite of everything, to go to the poorhouse, too weak to much more than earn the 10 cents necessary for a bed and the additional pittance for food.

A few days before Christmas the man appeared again at the settlement.

"If—if you had some shoes, miss, that would fit my big feet I'd be very glad to work for them. These are—well, they're pretty summy for walking the streets. I've put newspapers in the soles, but they're wet clean through."

Nothing in the right size could be found, and the man was told to return in a few days, when a pair would be awaiting him. Meantime Miss Newton procured from a friend some new heavy shoes, and, leaving them in the office on the day before Christmas, she said to the one in charge:

"Give these to my lodging house friend when he comes, please, and tell him I cannot see him today. I'm leaving for home tonight, and I have a hundred and one things to do besides packing. It's all right about the shoes. He needn't work them out. Tell him they're a—a sort of Christmas present and to come and see me after New Year's."

But when the man came that afternoon he insisted upon seeing Miss Newton. "It will take only a minute," he urged.

"I'm sorry to trouble you, miss," he apologized when she appeared. "I promise not to keep you long. But I thought to myself as I sat there reading in the public library" (he



H. MEYER. HE WAS SELLING INK AND BLOTTERS.

often "brushed up," as he would say, on his Latin and Greek history, and few men were better versed than he on matters of the day) "that it was pretty cold and stormy to walk away out here. But I said to myself, 'I'm not the one to break my word to the lady who has been my friend.' Besides, I wanted to give you a little something. I've brought you a few blotters, fancy ones. For your own desk, and here"—he reached down into his pocket—"is this little knife I thought you might use. It's silver all right—just needs a little polish. I've had it a long, long time, miss. . . . Thank you for the shoes. You are very kind to take this trouble for me."

Trouble! Miss Newton tried to think of the right words in reply.

The man wanted to work in payment for the shoes. He was sent on an errand or two, and later permission was obtained to give him something to eat. "There, miss," said he as he finished a second cup of coffee and his last piece of bread, "that will do for supper and tomorrow's breakfast too. Oh, but that was good coffee! . . . And so you're going home for Christmas! Isn't that fine? How I wish I had a home to go to! . . . Well, miss, goodbye and a—merry Christmas to you."

And he went out upon the avenue, its windows glistening with Christmas brightness, its stores crowded with eleventh hour shoppers.

When Miss Newton returned after New Year's she waited in vain to hear from her lodging house friend. He never came.

Perhaps—who knows?—perhaps he is at home this Christmas season.

MARY HUMPHREY.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice to Creditors.

By virtue of an order granted by the Surrogate of Cayuga County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Herbert L. Myers, late of town of Ledyard, Cayuga County, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned, the administrators of said estate, at his place of residence in the town of Genoa, County of Cayuga, on or before the 8th day of March, 1911.

Dated Sept. 8, 1911.

CHAS. UPSON, Administrator.

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Dated June 30, 1911.

FRANK F. DIXON, Administrator.

Notice to Creditors

By virtue of an order granted by the Surrogate of Cayuga County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Sarah A. Cobb, late of the town of Ledyard, Cayuga County, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned, one of the administrators of said estate, at his place of residence in the town of Ledyard, County of Cayuga, on or before the 1st day of January, 1911.

Dated June 30, 1911.

WALTER L. COBB, Administrator.

Amasa J. Parker, Attorney for Administrators.

STATE OF NEW YORK, SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF CAYUGA.

Iva C. Parker, Plaintiff, vs. Eliza H. Easterly, Eliza H. Easterly as sole surviving executrix and trustee of the last Will and Testament of John M. Easterly, deceased, Fred C. Easterly, Jay Easterly, Sheppard Gleason, Ozam Gleason, Arthur Gleason, Nellie Fry, Wilma Fry, Bertie Hughes, John Francisco, Nelson Francisco, Henry Francisco, Louisa Haller, Nina Underwood, Nettie Underwood, Lennie F. Rapp and John Flarity, Defendants.

To the above named Defendants: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and, in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Trial to be held in the County of Cayuga.

Dated this 23rd day of November, 1911.

AMAZA J. PARKER, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Office and P. O. address, 119 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.

To Fred C. Easterly, Jay Easterly, Sheppard Gleason, Ozam Gleason, Arthur Gleason, Nellie Fry, Wilma Fry, Bertie Hughes, John Francisco, Nelson Francisco, Henry Francisco, Louisa Haller, Nina Underwood, Nettie Underwood and Lennie F. Rapp.

The foregoing Summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. Hull Greenfield, Cayuga County Judge, dated the 27th day of November, 1911, and filed with the complaint, in the office of the Clerk of the County of Cayuga, N. Y., at Auburn, Cayuga County, New York.

AMAZA J. PARKER, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Office and P. O. address, 119 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK: To John McGordon, Giles McGordon, Abbie McGordon, Anastasia Andrews, Anna Thornton, Nellie Davis, Edward McMahon, Charles McGordon.

Whereas, Mary McGordon, has presented to the Surrogate's Court, County of Cayuga, her petition and account as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Andrew McGordon, deceased, praying that said account may be judicially settled and that you be cited to appear herein.

Therefore, you and each of you are hereby cited to appear before said Surrogate at a Surrogate's Court, to be held in and for the County of Cayuga, at the Court House, in the City of Auburn, in said County, on the 16th day of January, 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend the judicial settlement of the said account.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused the seal of our Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, Hon. Walter E. Woodin, [L. S.] in Surrogate of our said County, at the City of Auburn, on the 25th day of November, 1911.

WALTER E. WOODIN, Surrogate.

Amasa J. Parker, Attorney for Petitioner, Office and P. O. address, Auburn, N. Y.

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Dickens' Christmas

From Works of Yuletide Author Whose
Centenary Comes In February.

An angel, speaking to a group of
shepherds in a field; some travelers,
with eyes uplifted, following a star;
a baby in a manger.

Happy, happy Christmas that can
win us back to the delusion of our
childish days; that can recall to the old
man pleasures of his youth; that can
transport the sailor and the traveler,
thousands of miles away, back to his
own fireside and his quiet home.

After dinner Caleb sang the song
about the sparkling bowl. As I'm a
living man, hoping to keep so for a
year or two, he sung it through.

A merry Christmas and a happy New
Year to the old man, whatever he is!
He wouldn't take it from me, but he
may have it nevertheless.

But my song I trollop for Christmas
stout,
The hearty, the true and the bold.
A bumper I drain and, with might and
main,
Give three cheers for this Christmas old!
We'll usher him in with a merry din
That shall gladden his joyous heart,
And we'll keep him up while there's a bite
of sup,
And in fellowship good we'll part.

We're to be together all the Christ-
mas long and have the merriest time
in all the world.

He heard them give each other merry
Christmas as they parted at crossroads
and byways.

Yo ho, my boys! No more work to-
night. Christmas eve, Dick! Christ-
mas, Ebenezer! Let's have the shut-
ters up!

Christmas was at hand in all his
bluff and hearty honesty. It was the
season of hospitality, merriment and
open heartedness. The old year was
preparing, like an ancient philosopher,
to call his friends around him and,
amid the sound of feasting and reve-
ry, to pass gently and calmly away.

The tree was planted in the middle
of a great round table and towered
high above their heads. It was bril-
liantly lighted by a multitude of little
tapers and everywhere sparkled and
glittered with bright objects.

Upon your own hearth, in its quiet
sanctuary, surrounded by its gentle
influences and associations, hear her,
her me, hear everything that speaks
the language of your hearth and home.

We all come home or ought to come
home for a short holiday—the longer
the better—from the great boarding
school, where we are forever working
at our arithmetical slates, to take and
give a rest.

Holly, mistletoe, red berries, ivy, tur-
keys, geese, game, poultry, brown
meal, pigs, sausages, oysters, pies, pud-
dings, fruit and punch.

But hark! The waits are playing,
and they break my childish sleep.
What images do I associate with the
Christmas music as I see them set
forth on the Christmas tree?

And numerous indeed are the hearts
to which Christmas brings a brief sea-
son of happiness and enjoyment. * * *
How many old recollections and how
many dormant sympathies does Christ-
mas time awaken!

A Jolly Christmas Game.
For a rousing Christmas game pro-
vide a number of large, rosy apples
and as many trifling presents. Each
boy or girl in turn is given a broad
bladed knife, with which he or she
must scoop up one piece of fruit. Bal-
ancing the apple on the knife blade, he
must walk rapidly around the room.
All those who succeed in carrying the
fruit over the prescribed course are
allowed to select one of the prizes as a
reward, or a peanut may be carried
on the knife blade if the stage man-
ager prefers.

Christmas Long Ago.
Come sing a hale high-
ho
For the Christmas long ago
When the old log cabin burned us
From the night of blinding snow,
And the great joy held reign,
And the chimney roared again,
With the freight like a beacon
Through the frosty windowpane.

Ah, the revel and the din
From without and from within,
The blend of distant sleighbells
With the tinkling violin,
The muffled shrieks and cries,
Then the glowing cheeks and eyes,
The driving storms of greetings,
Gusts of kisses and surprise!

Sing in again the mirth
Of the circle round the hearth,
With the rustic Sindbad telling us
The strangest things on earth,
And the minstrel bard we knew,
With his "Love-lar so true,"
Likewise his "Young House-keeper"
And "Love-ad Henry" too!

And, forgetting near a thing,
Lift a gladder voice and sing
Of the dancers in the kitchen
Clean from start to "pigeon wing."
Sing the glory and the glee
And the joy and jubilee,
The twirling form, the quickened breath,
The sign of ecstasy.

But eyes that smile alone
Back into our happy own,
The leaping pulse, the laughing blood,
The trembling undertone!
Ho, pair us off once more,
With our feet upon the floor,
But our heads and hearts in heaven,
As they were in days of yore!

—James Whitcomb Riley.

The Minstrels Played Their Christmas Tune

The minstrels played their Christmas tune
Tonight beneath my cottage eaves,
While, smitten by a lofty moon,
The encircling laurels, thick with leaves,
Gave back a rich and dazzling sheen
That overpowered their natural green.

How touching when at midnight sweep
Snow muffled winds and all is dark
To hear and sink again to sleep
Or at an earlier call to mark
By blazing fire the still suspense
Of self complacent innocence!



THE MINSTRELS PLAYED THEIR CHRIST-
MAS TUNE.

The mutual nod, the grave disguise
Of hearts with gladness brimming o'er
And some unbidden tears that rise
For names once heard and heard no
more,
Tears brightened by the serenade
For infant in the cradle laid.

Hail, ancient manners—sure defense
Where they survive of wholesome laws,
Remnants of love whose modest sense
Thus into narrow room withdraws!
Hail, usages of pristine mold
And ye that guard them, mountains old!
—William Wordsworth.

The Spirit of Christmas

Long years ago Shakespeare put
some fascinating words into the mouth
of Hamlet, words full of old legend
and tradition, as when he refers to the
"cock crowing for Christmas," as it
is used to be called. The prince of Den-
mark says:

Some say that ever 'gainst that season
comes
Wherein our Saviour's birth is celebrated
The bird of dawning singeth all night
long,
And then, they say, no spirit can walk
abroad.
The nights are wholesome, then no plan-
ets strike,
No fairy takes nor witch hath power to
charm,
So hallowed and so gracious is that time.

Every one feels in that subconscious
region of himself commonly known as
the heart that the time is really a hal-
lowed and a gracious one, but his mind
may tell him that to many the time is
not so gracious as it might be. Only
to the few perhaps has Christmas ever
been gracious, but there are newly
arisen classes who have not even at-
tained unto the merriment which was
a conspicuous feature of past Christ-
mas. These have never had it, and
even those born in more ample circum-
stances who would be expected to un-
derstand these things appear to have
lost somewhat of the art of Christ-
mas-time if not altogether its essential
spirit.

"Good will toward men" is even now
not of universal application, so that
there is still ample room for the exer-
cise of hope. Christmas is the one
day in the year when the whole world
seems to feel a simultaneous longing
for what might be. One who un-
derstands the meaning of modern thought
has written, "All this world is heavy
with the promise of greater things,
and a day will come—one day in the
unending succession of days—when
beings who are now latent in our
thoughts and hidden in our loins will
stand upon this earth as one stands
upon a footstool and laugh and reach
out their hands among the stars."
This longing for a distant ideal is the
same feeling which surges over one in
the presence of a splendid sea view
with wide, unknown horizons. It is a
feeling which will not be repressed at
the dawn of a beautiful summer's day.
This spirit of hope plays a great part
in not always fully recognized part in
a successful Christmas. The spirit of
Christmas is largely composed of
hope. Hope is, in fact, one of those
fundamental motive forces in man
which help to make Christmas possi-
ble to him, and a proper use of this
force will do wonders with Christmas.
A conscious effort to see the sparkle
of the candles rather than the pink
grease upon the floor is another won-
der worker, and the taking of delib-
erate thought for the morrow on the
part of those who play Santa Claus to
the young falls in this case to bring
any penalties in its train. Many have
wished after a visit to the toy fairy-
lands of Christmas:

Backward, turn backward,
O Time, in your flight!
Make me a child again
Just for to-night.



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Get any one of these valuable
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Candy, Nuts and Fruits of the Season
Notwithstanding the high price of sugar I am offering an unex-
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MERRY CHRISTMAS, BABY.

Merry Christmas, baby, with life just begun!
Years of rosy footsteps, blithely may they run.
Childhood yet beyond thee proffers fun and play.
Farther on the shadows lo—oh, so far away!

Sunlight shimmera o'er thee from the morning skies.
Heaven smiles before thee in thy mother's eyes.
Laughing in her arms, baby, in that light divine
Love, the sweetest life can give, is this moment thine.
—Helen Holt in Leslie's Weekly.

THEY ALL WORK FOR SANTA.

Fathers, Mothers, Grandparents and Children Who Make Toys.

Though Santa Claus begins getting ready for the next Christmas the minute he unharnesses his reindeer, yet he never could make enough toys to go around if he did not have a lot of people to help him.

In Germany there are several villages where everybody works at toy-making, not only the mothers, fathers and children, but even grandmothers and grandfathers. For generations these families have made toys—dolls, tin soldiers, doll furniture, little wooden wagons and wooden animals of all kinds. In many homes the children begin helping in this work when they are so small they can hardly sit at the common working table. Often a whole family will earn only 60 cents a day.

A Novel Christmas Gift.

Last Christmas I received a very unique and acceptable Christmas present from a friend who is a farmer's wife. A piece was cut out of the top of a very fine large pumpkin and the inside thoroughly scooped out. Into this cavity was put a dressed chicken (a duck could be used), some fresh eggs a pound of delicious sweet butter, some homemade sausages, a few nice apples, some cottage cheese, and a dozen ears of especially fine popcorn. Out of all my many handsome Christmas presents I really enjoyed this pumpkin the most. Almost anything fresh from the farm would prove a delight to a city friend.

A Christmas Hint—During the year whenever I see an article advertised, pictured or described that will be suitable for a Christmas present I cut it out and paste or pin it in an old magazine that says on its cover, "Christmas Hints." In this way I can look through it at any time and usually can find something worth sending for, or some article for which I have the material on hand.—The Ladies' World for December.

World's Production of Coal.

The total coal production of the world in 1910 was approximately 1,800,000,000 short tons, of which United States contributed about 39 per cent. This country has far outstripped all others, and in 1910, according to the United States Geological Survey, it exceeded Great Britain, which ranks second, by over 200,000,000 tons. Great Britain's production in 1910 was less than 60 per cent of that of the United States, and Germany's was less than half. The increase in both of these countries in 1910 over 1900 was comparative small, whereas the increase in the United States was nearly equal to the entire production of France and was more than the total production of any foreign country except Great Britain, Germany, Austria-Hungary, and France.

The United States has held first place among the coal-producing countries of the world since 1899, when it surpassed Great Britain. In the 11 years since 1899 the annual output of the United States has nearly doubled, from 253,741,192 short tons to 501,596,378 tons, whereas that of Great Britain has increased only 20 per cent, from 246,506,155 short tons to 296,007,699 tons.

Pomona Grange Meeting.

There was a large attendance of members of the Grange at the meetings last Friday and Saturday in Auburn. James A. Gould, master of Pomona Grange, delegate at large; Mrs. Hattie Ferris of Atwater; Clarence M. Post, Auburn; Mrs. Jennie Shank, Union Springs; B. E. Simmons, Sterling Station; Mrs. Jennie E. Goodrich, Auburn, and Sidney B. Frisz, Moravia.

The following were chosen delegates to the State Grange, James A. Gould of Merrifield, master of Pomona Grange, delegate at large; Mrs. Hattie Ferris of Atwater; Clarence M. Post, Auburn; Mrs. Jennie Shank, Union Springs; B. E. Simmons, Sterling Station; Mrs. Jennie E. Goodrich, Auburn, and Sidney B. Frisz, Moravia.

Must Pay for Paper.

Taking a paper out of the post-office makes the recipient liable for the bill. O. D. Austin, a Butler, (Mo.) publisher, sent his paper to Charles Burge. The latter paid for it twice and then refused to pay again. He said he ordered it stopped. But the court of appeals holds that mere acceptance of the paper created a liability. It adds:

"The preparation and publication of a newspaper involves much mental and physical labor as well as an outlay of money. One who accepts the paper by continuously taking it from the postoffice receives a benefit and pleasure arising from such labor and expenditure as fully as if he had appropriated any other product of another's labor, and by such act he must be held liable for the subscription price."

Sherwood.

Dec 11—This glorious weather giving the medical men plenty of business.

Saturday evening, Dec. 23, will be the third entertainment in the course. It is to be "Bip Van Winkle." We hope to see a crowded house.

Carrie Hoskins of Scipio was the over Sunday guest of Marie Fordyce. Mrs. Mary West, A. J. Mastin, Jesse Otis and John Morrison are all on the sick list.

The stores look very festive in their holiday dress. You need not go to the city for your Christmas presents. Perhaps you can find what you want at home.

Try a Special Notice in THE TRUBUNE They bring quick returns.

Highway, Bridge and Miscellaneous Report

Of the Town of Genoa, County of Cayuga, 1911.

For the repair and improvement of highways, repair and construction of bridges, purchase, repair and storage of machinery, removal of obstructions caused by snow, and other miscellaneous purposes.

HIGHWAY FUND—RECEIPTS	
Balance on hand from previous year	\$ 318 97
Highway Tax collected pursuant to Sections 90 and 91	1800 00
Received from State as State Aid pursuant to Section 101	900 00
Total receipts	\$ 3018 97

EXPENDITURES.	
For Labor and Team Work for the repair and improvement of highways	\$ 2145 04
For Rental of Machinery, pursuant to Section 59	5 00
For Materials for highways and bridges having a span of less than 5 feet	666 58
Total Expenditures for the repair and improvement of highways	\$ 2816 62
Balance unexpended Oct. 31, 1911.	202 35

BRIDGE FUND—RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand from previous year	\$ 202 72
Tax received from collector pursuant to sections 90 and 91	150 00
Received from certificates of indebtedness, pursuant to section 95	2903 27
Total receipts for repair and construction of bridges	4355 99

EXPENDITURES.	
Labor and Team Work for repair and maintenance of bridges	\$ 13 72
Materials for repair and maintenance of bridges	80 14
Construction of new bridges near King Ferry and Genoa village	156 90
Transferred to fund	2903 27
Total expenditures for repair and maintenance of bridges	4153 03
Balance unexpended Oct. 31, 1911.	202 96

MACHINERY FUND—RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand from previous year	\$ 45 09
Tax received from collector pursuant to Sections 90 and 91	78 00
Total receipts	\$ 123 09

EXPENDITURES.	
For purchase of machinery, tools and implements	\$ 36 00
For repair of machinery, tools and implements	2 50
Total expenditures	38 50
Balance unexpended Oct. 31, 1911.	84 59

SNOW AND MISCELLANEOUS FUND—RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand from previous year	\$ 81
Tax collected pursuant to Sections 90 and 91	900 00
Total receipts	981 00

EXPENDITURES.	
For removing obstructions caused by snow	\$ 57 50
For allowances for watering troughs	6 00
For other miscellaneous purposes	19 75
Total expenditures	83 25
Balance unexpended Oct. 31, 1911.	148 00

CONFIRMATION TO TOWN SUPERINTENDENT AND DEPUTY TOWN SUPERINTENDENT.

127 days at \$2 per day equals \$254 00
Amount allowed for expenses \$2 00

SUPERVISOR AND TOWN CLERK'S ALLOWANCE.

How much is allowed the supervisor pursuant to section 110 of the highway law? \$0 00

How much is allowed the town clerk pursuant to section 110 of the highway law? \$0 00

STATE OF NEW YORK,)
COUNTY OF CAYUGA,)

Arthur L. Loomis, Supervisor of the town of Genoa, being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the person mentioned as submitting the foregoing report; that the amounts stated therein to have been received by him as supervisor of such town are all that he has received as such officer for the purposes therein stated; that the expenditures specified therein have in fact been made for the purposes and to the persons indicated; that all of such expenditures were made in good faith, for value received and in the manner required by the highway law; that the balances therein specified are all the moneys remaining in his hands of the moneys received by him as provided by law on account of the highways and bridges of such town.

ARTHUR L. LOOMIS, Supervisor.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of November, 1911.
J. C. BAYTON, Notary Public.

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The bottom has fallen out of PRICES AT THIS STORE and until the entire STOCK IS SOLD you can buy most anything you want at your own price. We put on this Slaughter Price Sale because the Creditors must be paid. The Creditors demand their money and the entire stock is being sold at less than manufacturer's cost. These articles are all of good quality and the only thing that's cheap about them is the price.

- Fountain Pens worth \$1.50, sale price 29c
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- Guaranteed Alarm Clocks worth 1.25, sale price 59c
- Toilet Set, brush, comb and mirror worth \$6, 1.98
- Gold Filled Bracelets, worth \$5, 6 & 7, sale price 1.98
- Rogers Best Tea Spoons, worth 1.25 per set, 59c
- Fine Hat Pins, worth from 75c to 1.50, sale price 19c
- Sterling Silver Thimbles, worth 75c, sale price 19c
- Fine assortment 14K solid gold Brooches at half price
- Men's gold filled Watch Chains, worth \$4, sale price 1.98
- Gent's gold filled Watches, guaranteed 20 years,

- Waltham or Elgin movement worth \$18, for 6.98
- Ladies' Gold filled watches, worth \$15, sale price 4.98
- All gold filled watches worth \$10, 12, 15, sale price 4.98
- Very fine Bracelets, worth \$3 and \$4, sale price 98c
- Rogers best tablespoons, worth 3.50 set, sale price 1.48
- Gold filled Bracelets, guaranteed 25 years, worth \$8, 10 and 12, sale price 3.98
- Men's gold filled Watch Fobs, worth 3.50, sale price 98c
- Silver plated Nut Picks, worth 50c, sale price 9c
- Ladies' genuine Diamond Ring, worth \$25, price 12.98
- Ladies' " " " " \$18 price 9.98

A large assortment of DIAMONDS will be sold at Half Price. A thousand other Bargains too numerous to mention. It will pay you to come miles to buy your Christmas Gifts.

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GREAT REORGANIZATION SHOE SALE!

About January 1, we expect to form a stock company. This necessitates an immediate sale. Our stock which is now over \$16000. must be reduced to 6,000. Right in the heart of the shoe buying season we will give the public values that will accomplish our purpose. Never before was footwear—the very best of footwear—offered to the public at this season of the year and at such low prices.

Look for the Big Green Sign Over the Door
Hynes' Great Reorganization Shoe Sale!

It Will pay you, Santa Claus, to visit this Great Sale. Read these prices.

- Big Lot of Women's First Grade Rubbers, high heels, 29c
- Big Lot of Women's Red Felt Slippers, \$1.50 grade, 98c
- 300 pairs Infants Soft Soles, 50c Grade, 39c
- Shoe Polish, 25c kind 19c, 10c kind 7c, Viscol Oil, 25c size 19c
- Queen Quality, gun metal, high cut, button shoes \$1.90
- 3 Lots Men's \$4 Patent Shoes,
- Walk-Over, Korroct Shape, Florsheim \$1.89
- 1 Lot Youth's, Dark Tan, Two Buckle, High Cut Shoes, 9 to 13, \$2 25 Grade \$1 49
- Big Lot of Misses' and Children's Felt and Crocheted Slippers 19c
- Big Lot of Women's Gaiters tan gray and wine, 75c grade 29c, \$1 grade 49c
- 200 Pairs Scholl's Arch Props
- for Men and Women \$1.50 grade 98c
- Hosiery for Men, Women and Children, 50c kind 33c; 35c kind 29c; 25c kind 19c
- Foster's Shoes Patent, Button and Lace \$4 grade \$1.90
- 1 Lot Boys' \$2.50 Patent Colt Shoes, sizes 1 to 5 \$1 49
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