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## From Nearby Towns.

**Ellsworth.**  
Dec. 16—A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to the editor of THE TRIBUNE and all its readers.

John Stewart and son Robert of Danby, New Hampshire, have moved here and expect to make their home on their farm. The remains of Mrs. Stewart were brought here and laid to rest in the cemetery at Ledyard.

Clifton Dixon, Clinton Smith and Edmond Locke are working in Auburn.

Fred Ellis has a new five-passenger Maibohm automobile.

Elmer Dillon and son Theodore spent last Monday in Auburn.

Mr. Kratcher spent Sunday near Atwater.

Mrs. William Parmenter spent Monday in Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Linane spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buckley of Venice.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parmenter and son spent Sunday with her parents in Ledyard.

Mr. and Mrs. Burdette Streeter and family spent from Saturday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas near Ithaca.

Clinton Smith spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winters have moved in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Judge and daughter Harriet spent last Monday in Auburn.

Ray White of Auburn and Dayton Atwater of King Ferry were in town last Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Berralls of Auburn spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gould.

Mrs. Winters is quite ill.

No school to-day (Tuesday) on account of the teachers' meeting in Auburn. Mrs. Clarence Parmenter (teacher) will attend.

## Merrifield.

Dec. 16—Rev. Edmund Lafferty of Bible School Park, who has preached in the Baptist church the past two Sundays, will occupy the pulpit next Sunday. A full attendance is desired as matters of importance are to come before the church. Rev. and Mrs. Lafferty are spending the week in town, visiting the members of the church and congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Loyster spent the week-end with relatives in Auburn.

The funeral of Mrs. Katherine Kanaly, who died at the home of her son Patsy, was held from St. Bernard's church at 10 o'clock today, with burial in St. Bernard's cemetery.

Mrs. Satie Carter and children have returned from a few days' visit with friends in Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wyant and daughter Rowena have returned from a four days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wyant and other relatives in Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Coral Brewster and children spent Sunday with P. T. Donovan and family in Venice.

The pupils in this district with Mrs. Marie Loyster teacher, will give an entertainment in the school house on Friday evening, Dec. 19. There will be a Christmas tree and a short program.

Mrs. Hobart Loyster is in Union Springs with her father who is in failing health.

## Civil War Memorial.

Last week Thursday, the Board of Supervisors voted unanimously in favor of an appropriation of \$15,000 for the selection of a suitable memorial to civil war heroes of the county.

The resolution provides that \$7,500 be included in the next tax budget and the remainder will be borrowed by the county treasurer at the proper time to make prompt payment of claims audited. A committee of five from the board, of which Chairman Pethybridge is to be a member, will act with a committee from the Civil War Veterans' association in the matter of site, design of memorial and other details.

## Five Corners.

Dec. 15—Clarence Boles is quite ill at his home near Lansingville.

A genuine surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hunt last week Thursday evening in honor of their 25th marriage anniversary. About 50 of their neighbors and friends were in attendance. The evening was pleasantly spent with games, and music by Frank Corwin and daughter Mildred. J. M. Corwin, in behalf of the company, presented them a set of beautiful sterling silver teaspoons and a dessert spoon.

His remarks were just to the point and all enjoyed them. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt were so overcome but responded with many thanks to their neighbors and friends. All too soon the time came for the guests to depart wishing their host and hostess very many returns of the day. The beauty of the whole affair was its being a perfect surprise. A fine supper was served.

Mrs. Homer Algard and son Donald have both been very ill with tonsillitis. They are however both improving.

Homer Algard has had the misfortune to lose two cows and now has a horse that got kicked quite badly.

Mrs. Maria Kelley is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Davis near Freeville.

Your scribe wishes the editor and readers of this paper a very Merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year.

Thomas O'Neil is in quite poor health.

We learn Mrs. George Breed is slowly recovering from her severe illness.

Lester Boles and daughter, Mrs. Gordon Gosbee spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boles near Lansingville.

Mrs. Lester Boles is suffering from a severe cold.

Mrs. Walter Hunt spent last Saturday in Ithaca.

The Belltown Ladies' Aid society fair, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mann last Friday night, was largely attended and was a success financially, about \$80 being realized.

E. C. Corwin and his family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Coon of Lansingville. The Misses Mabel and Elberta Corwin of Ithaca also were guests over Sunday at the Coon home.

Mrs. G. L. Ferris and Mrs. Harry Ferris and her daughter Doris attended a birthday dinner at the home of Mrs. Fred Stilwell last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith spent Sunday at the home of Floyd Gallow of Lansingville.

Geo. Atwater and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ferris motored to Auburn Friday to attend Pomona Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snushall entertained 27 relatives on Dec. 7 in honor of their 23rd marriage anniversary. Mrs. Snushall's mother of King Ferry and also her brother Ben and family of Ludlowville were unable to be present. It was also the birthday of Mrs. Warren Counsel. A very fine dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Snushall received some very nice presents, and wishes were expressed for many returns of the day.

## King Ferry.

Dec. 16—Wishing a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to the editor and readers of the GENOA TRIBUNE.

Miss Rebecca Mead has been visiting friends and relatives in Ithaca.

Miss Adena Goodyear is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. W. G. Ward at Auburn.

Mrs. Floyd Davis and sister, Miss Mary VanMarter of Ithaca were guests several days last week of Mrs. Fred Stilwell.

Miss S. E. Atwater spent last week with her brother, Milo Atwater and wife at Auburn.

William Baker and family of Scipioville have moved to the farm of Fred Atwater, which he will work the coming year.

New furnaces have recently been installed in the homes of Mrs. Molly Davis and J. E. Burgett.

## King Ferry School Notes.

[Elizabeth Bradley, Editor.]

This month the contest between the two sides, green and orange, of the Algebra class has been very exciting. As a result the orange side won, and celebrated their victory by a supper, making the green serve them. The green side won last month. Mrs. Glenn, teacher of the Algebra class, acted as chaperone.

There was a box social in the school building Wednesday night for the benefit of the Athletic association.

The boys' team expects to play a game of basket ball Friday night.

There was a Grange meeting held in the school building Monday night. Refreshments were served. There is quite a large class to be initiated soon.

There was no school on Thursday on account of the teachers' conference at Genoa.

The Homemaking I class is serving hot lunches to those who carry their dinners.

Miss Hughes met with an accident last week. When closing a door she caught her finger and seriously hurt it.

Last May there was organized by Fred R. Walkley of the Farm Bureau, a pig club in King Ferry Vocational school. It was intended that pupils from the surrounding districts should become members, but for some reason there were no members from outside the school. The principal was made district leader, Leo Britt was elected president of the club and Elizabeth Bradley was made secretary. The purpose as might be expected was to arouse interest in the agricultural side of the boys' and girls' education. The club has accomplished its purpose in this respect. The judges have passed on the work of the boys and girls and are now ready to make their report. First it is well to explain that there were four considerations which entered into the project contest and the distribution of points were as follows: Best hog 20%, greatest daily gain in weight 30%, lowest cost of production 30%, best kept records 20%. Hence it may be seen that the boy or girl who had the best hog was not necessarily the winner as the results show. Five prizes totaling \$10.50 were offered. The awards were as follows: First prize, Emily Bradley; second prize, Eunice Slocum; third, Stanley Bower; fourth, Elizabeth Bradley; fifth, Leo Britt. Herman Bartnik received honorable mention. It is understood that these prizes were offered by the Auburn Chamber of Commerce. The judges of the contest were E. S. Fessenden, H. W. Smith and Supt. Gordon Springer.

The Public Service Commission has no authority to suspend operation of the new rates but it can, upon complaint as provided by the Public Service Commission Law, investigate and determine a reasonable rate for the service.

The fifth degree was conferred in full form Saturday afternoon, a large number of candidates receiving the degree. E. C. Weatherby, manager of the Cayuga County Farm Bureau, made a report on the work of that organization. Prof. Wright of Cornell and County Deputy Pitts made addresses of interest to the Grangers. A. L. Hemingway of Auburn sang several solo numbers.

The following were elected delegates to the State Grange: Mrs. Walter W. Anthony, Union Springs; Judson Olmstead, Port Byron; Mrs. Mary Searing, Venice Center; Harry C. Powers, Atwater; Mrs. Rose Tanner, Weedsport; J. Charles Dayton, Auburn.

Truman Brackett of Victory was selected as representative of the Pomona Grange to the County Farm Bureau. R. C. Wiley of Owasco Lake Grange was elected to the Executive Committee of Pomona Grange.

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## Sees College at Best.

"It is hard not to wax enthusiastic when talking about Farmers' Week at Cornell," said a member of the extension staff of the state college at Ithaca this week in speaking of the coming session which is scheduled for Feb. 9 to 13, inclusive.

"To me, it is perhaps the best part of the college year because all those connected with the college are on their toes to try to make every one of the thousands who visit the college at that time feel that the college has just one big purpose—to be of service to HIM.

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## Pomona Grange.

About 50 members of Pomona Grange were present at the opening session of the Grange in Osborn hall, Auburn, last Friday. Nearly every one of the Granges in the county was represented, and a new one at King Ferry was reported, making a total of 25 in the county. It was reported that there were 1,953 members in good standing in the county. The officers of the Grange gave their annual reports, and every Grange in the county either had a delegate present to give its report, or sent in a written report for the year's work.

E. B. Rounds of Niles, former assemblyman for this district, gave a stirring address for half an hour on the Good of the



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Selecting the right Gift for the right party is food for thought. Choose without delay, before the rush, when you have the assortment to choose from. We will reserve your selection until Christmas. Twenty years of square dealing goes with our guarantee.

- Diamond Rings and Diamond Jewelry**
- Gold Jewelry of every description**
- Ivory and Silver Toilet, Manicure and Military Sets**
- Watches in all Leading Makes**
- Silverware and Cut Glass in the Newest Designs**

**I. M. Liberman**      70 GENESEE STREET      **Auburn.**

**We Suggest for Christmas**

Crowley Neckwear	Prices \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 up
Beads including all Novelty Chains	50c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$5.00
Petticoats	\$5.00, \$5.98 to \$15.00
Blouses	\$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.98 to \$25.00
Gordon Hosiery	75c, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50
<b>ALL SUITS REDUCED</b>	<b>1-3 Per Cent</b>
<b>ALL COATS REDUCED</b>	<b>1-3 Per Cent</b>
<b>ALL DRESSES REDUCED</b>	<b>1-3 Per Cent</b>

Alteration charged for during this sale. All new garments of this season only.

**QUINLAN'S**

145 Genesee St.

AUBURN, N. Y.

**A CHRISTMAS WALK**

In silvery softness the anthem closed  
Like a slowly silenced bell;  
The sacred calm of a peace divine  
Like a benediction fell;  
And out on the morning light that spread  
A glimmer of amber gray,  
I walked with Margery home from church  
On an old, old Christmas Day.

A bland, mild day—for the rugged month  
Had chosen a kindly mood,  
Like a wonderful mellow aftermath  
From the Autumn's plenitude.  
With scarcely a tang of wholesome cold  
Did the Winter's breezes blow,  
As Margery walked from church with me  
On a Christmas long ago.

The earnest words that had touched our hearts—  
The warnings, kindly and wise—  
Had left a shadow of tenderness  
In Margery's violet eyes;  
The merry, boyenish maid I'd known  
For a twelvemonth's flying space,  
Had taken on that old Christmas Day,  
A new and womanly grace.

As through the tremulous opal clouds  
That shifted and swayed apart,  
A sun ray lighted the rosy face,  
The wish was born in my heart  
That down the trail of the unspent years,  
Whatever their trend might be,  
The soft-eyed maiden beside me then,  
Might walk to the end with me.

Absently watching the velvet flakes  
By the white gale set a-wing,  
I breathe the spirit of other years  
While the bells of Yuletide ring;  
And near me, smiling with happy eyes  
At our children's romping play,  
Is the girl who walked from church with me  
On that old, sweet Christmas Day.  
—Harriet Whitney Durbin, in People's Home Journal.



**LESSON OF CHRISTMAS DAY**

Example of Christ Should Inspire Unselfishness and Make Us Try to Remedy Faults.

Christmas should inspire a world of unselfishness. The example before us is almost too perfect, for it rather frightens us to attempt such divine heights of self-abnegation, but we can try. It will at least take us from the depths of selfishness, where most of us now are. Each Christmas day should teach us something of the lesson of the Holy Child's life.

If we could learn from Christmas, today and in the succeeding years the serious lessons of self-betterment and ennoblement it has to offer, how infinitely better it would be than just to look on it as a holiday for gifts and feasts, for extravagance and foolishness.

So take an hour or two off on Christmas day and give it up to retrospective and self-inspection. You will each find faults, if you judge yourself impartially, for no one is perfect. Then make a serious determination to try to overcome those faults, for only trying to improve is there any growth in character. If you are satisfied with yourself you stay just as you are with all your faults and virtues. But if you try hard to remedy the faults your character is constantly growing broader. This is the lesson which Christmas day has for each of you.

**CHRISTMAS**

Sparkling snow on the ground  
—an invigorating tang to the air—  
the mouth-watering smell of cooking from the cozily-warm kitchen—  
our boy safely home from overseas with brave stories to tell and all the manhood crystallized in him—  
relatives and old friends gathering at the festive table—  
holly wreaths at the windows and a crackling fire in the open hearth—  
the hilarious laughter of kiddies as the new toys make them bubble over—  
mistletoe nailed mischievously above the door for the kiss you mean to give bustling, unsuspecting mother—the silvery, tranquil peal of church bells across the soft-snowed open places—  
an amazing forgetfulness of the dour anticipations and business worries of only yesterday—a sudden re-better that love is life—  
That is Christmas!

**NEEDLESS PRECAUTION.**



Hubby—It's all rot and nonsense to try to make children believe there's such a character as Santa Claus. They ought to be taught better.  
Wifey—Our children don't need to be taught better. They know there's no Santa Claus in this house.

**The Day We "Ate."**

In other words, Christmas is the day where we shall celebrate, magicians and bicarbonates, and the next day we shall medicate.

Exquisite Gifts of  
**IVORY PY-RA-LIN**

Like beautiful old ivory—  
a really delightful present  
for old or young.

Complete sets or separate  
pieces; everything for the  
toilet table.

Manicure sets in Roll-up  
and square boxes. White  
and Pearl fillings, stylish,  
handsome patterns in a wide  
range of prices. All colors.  
Just the thing for Milady's  
Christmas.

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126 E. STATE ST.,

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**Make Our Store Your Store  
While in Ithaca**

An extensive stock of beautiful Holiday Goods on display now for your inspection and approval.

**DON'T DELAY**

Select your Gifts at once, as shipping conditions are very uncertain. Your purchases carefully packed and mailed free of charge.

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The Store of Useful Gifts

Ithaca

New York.

**Practical Gifts for  
Christmas**

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| Overcoats         | Shirts         |
| Suits             | Hose           |
| House Coats       | Ties           |
| Robes             | Initial Belts  |
| Bath Robes        | Traveling Bags |
| Sheep Lined Coats | Suit Cases     |
| Mackinaws         | Hats           |
| Sweaters          | Fur Caps       |

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5 State St., Auburn.

**BUY HIM  
SOMETHING  
TO WEAR**

As you and thousands of others know from practical experience, we never offer to Christmas shoppers anything but what will uphold the reputation for value giving this store enjoys in this community.

This year, more than ever before we have insisted upon quality, for we feel that at the price of merchandise today, our customers are entitled to the very highest standard of quality.

This store is filled with things that will make acceptable gifts to the men folks and at prices you can afford to pay.

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## The Ideal Gift for every member of the family

### HERBERT BROS.

1-3 OHL STREET  
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AUBURN, N. Y.

The time when you will find Xmas suggestions that are bound to be appreciated. Make yours a furniture gift. We have many useful and beautiful pieces of furniture which will surprise you at the price.

Davenport and easy chairs, in Sewing Cabinets  
Leather and tapestry coverings  
Wardrobe Chests in Case and apart  
Wood Rockers in all finishes  
Ladies Desks  
Piano and Table Lamps  
Lobby Tables  
Children's Sleighs, Coaster Carts, Blockboards, Hobby Horses, Doll Carriages, Amuseables, Child's Rocking Chairs, Kiddie Cars, Velocipedes and a thousand and one other articles which can be found at our store.

Come in and we will be pleased to assist you with your gift problem.

**HERBERT BROS.**  
DON'T WAIT  
SHOP NOW!  
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### Why Pay More!

When you can buy genuine diamonds, solid gold watches - Waltham, Elgin, Hamilton and other standard makes at 20 or 30 per cent discount.

### Aaron's Special Christmas Sale

am not charging you for giving you the best merchandise at a lower price to build up a reputation for the future, so you will know where to come and do your jewelry buying.

**Wrist Watches**  
\$7.50 value, silver on leather, \$4.50  
\$10.00 value, silver on silk ribbon, \$6.25  
\$15.00 value, gold filled, \$9.95  
\$18.00 value, gold, \$11.95  
\$25.00 value, 15 jewel, movement, gold filled, \$17.50  
\$30.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$22.50  
\$40.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$28.00  
\$75.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$52.50  
\$100.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$70.00  
\$125.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$87.50  
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\$200.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$140.00  
\$225.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$157.50  
\$250.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$175.00  
\$275.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$192.50  
\$300.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$210.00  
\$325.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$227.50  
\$350.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$245.00  
\$375.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$262.50  
\$400.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$280.00  
\$425.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$297.50  
\$450.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$315.00  
\$475.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$332.50  
\$500.00 value, 17 jewel, watch, \$350.00

**Solid Gold Rings**  
\$1.98 to \$25.00  
\$1.98 to \$15.00  
\$1.98 to \$10.00  
\$1.98 to \$5.00  
\$1.98 to \$2.50

**French Ivory Manicuring Sets**  
Automatic Strippers, two styles, \$2.50  
Big values in Safety Razors, Hair Clippers and Stroppers  
25 per cent discount on all other goods  
Big values in Pocket Knives  
20 cents to \$2.50

**Headquarters for Traveling Goods**  
Trunks, Suit Cases, Bags and Leather Goods  
Big values in Traveling Goods  
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### LIFE'S PARTNER EASILY WON

How Business of Courtship and Marriage is Practiced Among Uncivilized Peoples.

The Azandi, a tribe living in the northeast of the Belgian Congo sell wives amazingly cheap. A knife, costing about 75 cents, will procure a bride, and a life's partner.

Another "marriage market" exists in the mountainous district of the M'atules, in New Guinea. The price of each girl is one pig, augmented with "dog teeth" (teeth) and so on, according to the wealth of the girl's parents.

The proposal is usually made by proxy, the boy sending a female relative to the lady of his choice.

The preliminaries to courtship among the M'atules are rather picturesque. When a young man wishes to marry, goes out to seek his "bride" (the girl's flower), he will light a fire on a still day, in a bush in an open place outside his village, and wait till a slight breeze carries the flame or smoke in one direction or another. He then takes that point of the compass as an indication of the wind to blow to the next village, to find his "bride".

**How Novel Ships are Built**  
A most remarkable 9,000-ton ship, destined to make but one voyage of 3,000 miles being built in a British Columbia shipyard, is described and illustrated in Popular Mechanics Magazine. Its purpose is to carry 6,000 tons of lumber to England, but when it arrives at its destination, instead of being unloaded, it will simply be taken apart and turned bodily into a light lumber pier. For the new vessel is built in sections, and the large forms the vessel.

The method of construction is to lay down the keel and ribs and set cross timbers, complete a skeleton bottom, mount derrick engines on the structure and then launch that portion of the vessel. The derrick is used to hoist the heavy timbers aboard for the completion of the ship.

### Why Called Leap Year?

Leap year is a year which leaps over, as it were, one day more than an ordinary year; a year which contains 366 days, as distinguished from 365 ordinary days. Every year the number of which is divisible by four is a leap year (except when it happens to be any number of hundreds not divisible by four). Thus 1896 was a leap year, but not 1900, this omission of leap years, if such centuries being necessary to correct the error which arises from the excess of the addition of one day every year (24 hours) to the year over the true length of the year, i.e., 365 days 5 hours 48 minutes.

### How Aphids Destroy Plants

That it is a matter of real importance, as well as interesting, is a possibility will be realized when it is known that in the Pacific Northwest there are 100 species of aphids, and that they are capable of destroying 100 species of plants.

### THE YOUNG'S COMPANION

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### Santa Starts Off

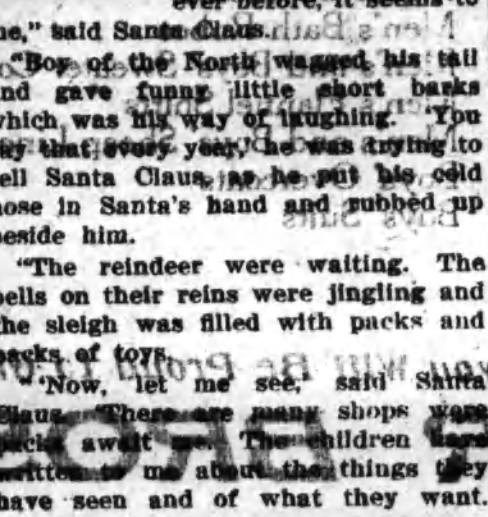
SANTA CLAUS' dog, Boy of the North, was barking, "for there was great excitement up North."

"The excitement was, as perhaps you may be able to guess, that Santa Claus was about to start his trip and I have more things to do this year than ever before, it seems to me," said Santa Claus.

Boy of the North wagged his tail and gave funny little short barks which was his way of laughing. "You say that every year, he was trying to tell Santa Claus, as he put his cold nose in Santa's hand and rubbed up beside him."

"The reindeer were waiting. The bells on their reins were jingling and the sleigh was filled with packs and packs of toys."

"Now, let me see," said Santa Claus, "there are many shops you must visit. The children will be waiting for me about the things they have seen and of what they want."



"Good-Bye," Shouted Santa.

That is why I like the stores to have so many of my toys. The children get a good idea of what they want.

"Then they write me letters, the precious dears! They write of what they want and how much they care for me and how much they love their sisters and brothers and mothers and daddies and playmates and dogs and other pets."

"But I must stop to think on all these letters for I must get started for I've a long way to go."

"He knew he had to start soon for the reindeer could hardly wait any longer and were trying to hurry him."

"I won't be late," said Santa Claus. "I have never been late yet—and I've been doing this trip—this trip to the lands where there are children—for a good many years."

"And the reindeer made queer sounds and jingled their bells again for they knew Santa Claus was tight, but still they were in a great, great hurry!"

"They were thinking of the roofs they would dash across. Oh how anxious they were to start."

"And Boy of the North was anxious too for them to start, for although he didn't go with them, he longed to see them come back and hear about the trip."

"Yes," continued Santa Claus, "I must get the packs from the different shops. I know just what all the children want."

"Then I must keep a good many engagements I've made—promises to appear at some big Christmas trees, although I never let the children see me when I'm arriving with my pack. Oh no, that's my fan—to keep all that a great, great secret."

"And they love secrets, the little dears! Now let me see—have I the nuts and raisins, the bright new pen-knives for some of the stockings and the big oranges, too? Yes, we're ready and truly ready at last!"

"When Santa Claus said 'we're ready,' the reindeer pranced, Boy of the North barked and Santa Claus sprang into the sleigh.

"Off went the reindeer with Santa Claus and the boys' games and countless other things for Christmas indulgence."

"Good-bye," Boy of the North shouted Santa Claus. "Good-bye, dear old North home, good-bye everyone and everything."

"I'm off on my big trip of the year."

"And as he shouted this the reindeer were almost out of sight and the last that could be seen of Santa Claus was as he waved his red cap with the red tassel.

"Now," said Boy of the North, "I will have everything ready for him when he gets back."

"So, the dog, got Santa Claus slipper and his heavy, warm winter wrapper which his master wore, when he wasn't working. He put them near the fire, but not too near, for he knew Santa Claus would be gone quite a long time and when night had passed and the next day had come, eyes though it was not bright, he would then move them very near the fire and have them ready."

"And Boy of the North fell asleep and dreamed, and his dreams were happy as his life always was, for you can imagine how happy the dog of Santa Claus must be."

### SQUARE DEAL CLOTHING STORE

Special Prices on Suits and Overcoats for CHRISTMAS

We can save you \$5.00 to \$15.00 on your Suit or Overcoat and can prove it. See us before you buy.

Full line Furnishing Goods, Shoes, Rubber Boots, Sheep Skin Coats, Underwear, Hosiery, etc.

Shop early before the assortment is broken.

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PURE CROSBY, INC.  
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### LOUIS JEWELRY STORE

Diamonds, Watches, Rings, Clocks, Silverware, Cut Glass, Ivory, Gillette Safety Razors, Waterman Fountain Pens, Leather Goods, Umbrellas.

Large Assortments - Best Quality. Many other goods at low prices for Christmas.

LOUIS  
250 State St., Auburn, N. Y.

### ROTHSCHILD'S

Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry

Make your selection now for Christmas. Our assortment is complete. Better values than any other store can offer.

One great reason we can undersell any of our competitors, because we do not depend upon our jewelry sales for our daily expenses. We sell other merchandise in connection with this mammoth jewelry department.

You will find our prices 25 to 50% lower than any other store for the same grade of merchandise.

Every article bears our guarantee. New, clean, fresh merchandise.

ROTHSCHILD'S  
100 State St., Auburn, N. Y.

### Wrist Watches

20 year guaranteed Elgin, \$25 grade	\$17.50
20 year guaranteed Elgin, very small size, \$30 grade	\$22.50
20 year guaranteed Elgin, smallest size, sold by every jeweler \$55 up	\$30.00
14-K Solid Gold, smallest Elgin Watch made, 15 jewel	\$42.50
15 jewel, 20 year guaranteed, smallest Wrist Watch \$25.50 grade	\$28.00
Elgin 20 year guaranteed, very special	\$27.50
Hamilton, 20 year guaranteed, 17 jewel works	\$35.00
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### Gents' Watches

Elgin 20 year guaranteed, very special	\$27.50
Hamilton, 20 year guaranteed, 17 jewel works	\$35.00
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### Rings

Large variety to choose from, with gold only.

Elgin Rings, large variety: Pink Sapphire, Opal, Diamond, Ruby, Emerald, etc.

Diamond Jewels: 17 jewel, 15 jewel, 14 jewel, 13 jewel, 12 jewel, 11 jewel, 10 jewel, 9 jewel, 8 jewel, 7 jewel, 6 jewel, 5 jewel, 4 jewel, 3 jewel, 2 jewel, 1 jewel.

Others \$3.00 to \$10.00

Solid Gold Cuff Links, Manicure Sets, Ivory Sets, Community Silverware.

8-day Mahogany Clocks—values \$10.50 to \$22.00

Before you buy a Diamond come in and get our prices. Engraving Free.

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100 State St., Auburn, N. Y.

### JOB PRINTING

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# CHRISTMAS NEWS

Every item in our entire stock is here because we are certain it will please some one on Christmas morning. The splendid service it will render long after Christmas is past, will serve as a constant and pleasant remembrance of you and your good judgment in buying him something to wear.

Men's Silk Ties 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1, 1.50, \$2  
 Men's Hose 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1, 1.25, 1.50  
 Men's and Boys' Wool Gloves 50c to \$1.50  
 Men's Dress Leather Gloves, lined or unlined  
 Men's Working Gloves or Mittens 25c to \$2.75  
 Children's Scarf Sets \$1 to \$4.50  
 Men's and Boys' Mackinaws \$9 to \$15  
 Pajamas and Night Shirts \$1.25 to \$2.75  
 Men's and Boys' Caps \$1, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50  
 Garters and Arm Bands 15c to \$1  
 Boys' Shirts and Blouses 50c to 1.50  
 Suit Cases and Bags \$2.50 to \$15  
 Suspenders and Belts 50c to 1.25  
 Men's Handkerchiefs 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c  
 Combination Sets 50c and upwards

**Men's Dress Shirts**  
 Arrow, Triangle, Avondale and Queen City.  
 price \$1, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00

**Men's Union Suits**  
 Stephenson, Chalmers and Springtex.  
 price \$2, 2.50, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00  
 Men's Chalmers Ribbed Shirts and Drawers \$1  
 Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers \$1  
 Boys' Union Suits \$1, 1.50, 2.00  
 Men's Suits \$20, to \$40  
 Men's Overcoats \$18 to \$38  
 Men's Bath Robes \$6, 7.00, 8.00, 10, 12  
 Men's and Boys' Sweater Coats 1.50 to \$12  
 Men's Flannel Shirts \$1.50, 2, 3, 4, 5  
 Men's and Boys' Sheep Lined Coats \$12, \$20  
 Boys' Overcoats \$7 to \$20  
 Boys' Suits \$6 to \$16.50

Everything of a Quality you Will Be Proud to Give

## GARDNER BROS.

Corner Clark and State Streets,

Auburn, N. Y.

Buy your Overcoat for Christmas  
 This Week

And Save \$10 to \$20

Hundreds of Dowd-Leo

### OVERCOATS

at prices \$10 to \$20 lower than to-day's market prices

We paid last year low prices for these good coats; while they last we're selling as we bought, exceptional coats at \$20, \$25, \$30, \$35

### Useful Gifts for Men and Boys

Sweaters	\$2.75 to \$14.00	House Coats	\$6.00, 8.00, 10.00
Neckwear	\$1, 1.50, 2.00	Bath Robes	\$6.00, 7.00, 8.00
Wool Gloves	75c, \$1.00, 2.00	Lisle Hose	25c, 35c, 50c
Gloves	\$2.50, 3.00, 4.50	Silk Hose	\$1, 1.50, 1.75
Shirts	\$1.50, 2.00, 3.00	Handkerchiefs	25c, 50c

### SHOP EARLY

## DOWD-LEO CO.,

127 Genesee St.,

Auburn, N. Y.

### Ithaca-Auburn Short Line

Central New York Southern Railroad Corporation.

In Effect Oct. 19, 1919.

SOUTHBOUND--Read Down					STATIONS					NORTH BOUND--Read Up				
27	23	421	21	31						32	422	22	24	28
Daily	Daily	Sunday Only	Daily Except Sun.	Daily Except Sun.						Daily Except Sun.	Sunday Only	Daily Except Sun.	Daily	Daily
7:40	1:40	8:35	8:30	6:52	AUBURN	9:22	11:05	11:32	5:07	9:10				
6:57	1:45	8:52	8:45	7:09	Mapleton	9:07	10:50	11:19	4:54	8:55				
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7:55	2:41	9:50	9:38	8:05	South Lansing	8:12	9:55	10:31	4:01	8:00				
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Trains No. 21 and 23 going South, and No. 22 and 24 going North are the motor cars and do NOT stop at Flag stations. Sunday trains No. 422 and 421 are the motor cars and these stop at all stations.

Additional Trains between Ithaca and Rogues Harbor leave Ithaca 10:00, (daily except Sunday) 1:00 and 4:40 p. m. daily and 9:30 p. m. (Saturday only). Also leave Rogues Harbor at 10:40 a. m. (daily except Sunday), 1:35 p. m. and 5:15 p. m., daily, and 10:05 p. m. Saturday only.

THE GENOA TRIBUNE  
 and N. Y. World \$2.25

### NEW YORK NEWS

#### ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Paragraphs of Interest to Readers of Empire State.

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

Barre Center is raising funds to purchase a grange hall.

Many sections of new road is to be built in Steuben county.

Westfield will fight attempt to raise price of gas in that village.

The New York State grange will meet in Rochester on Feb. 3.

It is rumored in Batavia that a stockyard will be built there.

A number of red foxes have been caught in the vicinity of Ellicottville.

Buffalo Aero club wants the council to establish an aviation field for the city.

The Lockport Paper company is planning to build two large additions to its plant.

Steuben county's budget will be approximately \$310,000, or \$10,500 more than last year.

Pasteurized cider was the main beverage at the farm bureau dinner in Medina last week.

Hobart college, Geneva, is to have a French 75 m. m. gun presented to it by the French government.

Canandaigua Masons have purchased the Hallenback building and will convert it into a Masonic Temple.

Livingston county will have to stand a big boost in the tax rate this year to meet the supervisors' budget.

Orrin F. Simmons of Eagle Harbor, Orleans county, sold \$5,500 worth of cabbage off seven acres of land.

Efforts are being made to form a post of the American Legion in Lewiston, which had 66 men in the World War.

Salamanca, which spent \$100,000 in municipal improvements this year, expects to spend a still greater sum next year.

During the last six months 538 people were reported missing to the Buffalo police and 46 are still unaccounted for.

Before the Cattaraugus supervisors adjourned the annual session they raised the pay of court attendants to \$6 a day.

Livingston county's farm bureau objects to the injection of politics into economic questions and has endorsed the work of the Dairyman's League.

Hunters and trappers in the vicinity of Cassadaga captured 40 muskrats in a single day in the Cassadaga swamps, the largest single day's catch in many years.

The New York travelers' aid society made public a report showing that there are more strangers in New York city at present requiring help than ever before.

Lockport and 10 of the towns of Niagara county will get heavy raises in assessed valuations of property while Niagara Falls and North Tonawanda have been cut.

Supervisors of Niagara county hesitate in regard to paying \$800 an acre for nine acres of the Moody farm for an entrance and driveway to the tuberculosis sanitarium.

More hay is being sold this year by Orleans county farmers than in many years past, the high price of steers and lambs holding many farmers back from winter feeding.

Steuben county supervisors recommend a general increase in the salary of all county officials and employees and special legislation will be urged to accomplish the result.

Chautauque supervisors want the board of commissioners of elections abolished, alleging that having the work done by the county clerk will save the county \$3,000 a year.

Representatives of the Northern Chautauque Fish and Game club propose the establishment of a state bird farm in Chautauque. The plan is to devote 200 acres and raise pheasants and mallard ducks.

Slater Brothers, operating a 50-acre apple orchard in the town of Greece, sold three-quarters of their year's apple crop for \$19,000. They got \$8.50 for grade A, \$7.25 for grade B and \$7.25 for all Baldwins, tree run.

Establishing of community health centers and the grouping of all existing health and relief agencies in one building, is urged in a report to be sent to Gov. Smith by the committee on public health of the state reconstruction commission.

It would cost Livingston county from \$125,000 to \$150,000 to build its proposed tuberculosis hospital, and from \$18,000 to \$25,000 a year to maintain it, according to a report made to the board of supervisors by its special committee on that project.

The Wilson unit of the Niagara Canner Crop association was formed in Wilson and consists of canner crop raisers. The association will set the price of tomatoes, peas, corn and other canner crops and the members agree by contract to let the association deal with the canning factories in establishing a price. The association asks for a price of \$20 a ton for tomatoes, an increase of \$5 over last year; \$21 a ton for sweet corn, an increase of \$7 a ton; \$78 a ton for peas, an increase of \$15 a ton. The farmers have agreed not to sell their crops for less than these prices.

Albert B. Sheldon, former assessor and a member of the Chautauque county board of supervisors for years, has given 6 1/2 acres near union school building to the village of Sherman to be used for park purposes and to be known as Sheldon park.

Niagara Falls' new city directory contains 26,015 names. Applying the method of computing a city's population of five persons to every name in the directory the estimated population of Niagara Falls is placed at 65,033, an increase of 3,604 over last year.

Robert Mulroe, superintendent of the Olney canning factory at Olney, will go to Brockport to manage a canning factory and milk condensing to be established there by E. Cady Roy in the properties of the Dairy, Udell company and the Monitor works.

J. J. O'Malley, New York city commissioner of public markets, has turned over to Mayor Hylan \$300,000, representing the surplus remaining over and above the amount due to the United States government from the sale of army stores at reduced prices to the people of the city.

Daylight saving will probably be invited at 50 or 60 Syracuse manufacturing plants next May. The success of the plan and the approval it received from both heads of industries and employees, is responsible for the move by the manufacturers' association of Syracuse for its retention.

James Faucett, Jr., treasurer of the Steuben County Agricultural society, announces that when the society will avail itself of its share of the state money next July the society will not only be free from debt for the first time in many years, but will have a cash balance of \$1,400 in its treasury.

Women of New York state were urged to combat the legislative bill designed to limit the working hours of women because they will not give them an equal opportunity to market their labor in competition with men in an announcement sent out by the Women's League for Equal Opportunity.

Judge William Farmer, grandmaster of Masons in the state of New York, has issued an edict to all Masonic lodges in the state forbidding the admission to any lodge of a person owing obedience to any other grand jurisdiction or Masonic authority, who himself does not profess belief in a supreme being.

As a result of recent actions against Geneva nurserymen the growers will in the future refuse to give a guarantee that stock will come true to name. No matter what precautions are taken, they say, seedlings will get in with the budded stocks and in many instances the appearance of the stock will grow will puzzle an expert.

Three "welfare" measures for women—the eight-hour day bill, minimum wage bill and health insurance bill—which provided much discussion in the state legislature last winter, will be introduced again next session and pressed for passage, Miss Mary Deane, chairman of the women's joint legislative conference, announced.

As a means of stopping automobile thefts, Major George Chandler, superintendent of the state police, urged the New York State Motor Federation to convene at Utica to back a law requiring the secretary of state to issue an owner's card which would serve the purpose of a deed. Failure to issue this card should be made a felony. Gov. Smith approves this plan.

Purchase of Britton field as a municipal aviation station was authorized by the Rochester council. The field, which has been declared by army officers to be one of the best for the purpose in the country, will, according to promises made to the city by the United States government, be equipped with hangars and other aviation terminal facilities as an air mail station and as a station for other aerial uses.

The mystery in regard to the killing and carrying off of a cow belonging to farmers south of Ithaca in the towns of Albion and Seneca was solved when a large coyote was caught in a steel trap which had been set by William Carr, whose sheep had been raided by the thief and owner of his Western lambs killed. The belief is that the animal wandered north from Northern Pennsylvania into this part of the state.

The closing session of the New York State Motor Federation was held in Utica and the following officers were elected: Glen R. Shriver of Watertown, president; Fred W. Sessions of Utica; B. H. Anglen, Albany, and D. Knight, Seneca Falls, vice presidents; I. J. Kent, Richfield Springs, treasurer; Geo. C. Donahue of Richfield Springs, secretary.

President Shriver, Buffalo, was elected as the place for the next convention.

Grape growers are meeting to perfect plans for self-protection and better marketing in the Westfield grape belt. The second meeting was held last week in the C. & E. Grape company office at Westfield. Large delegations from the several towns in the belt attended. The meeting was full of termination and the entire grape growing the present feeling among grape growers toward the grape manufacturers was carefully expressed.

Supreme Court Justice Irving DeWendorf has granted a temporary injunction restraining the Utica Motor club and the New York State Automobile association from displaying the insignia of the American Automobile association. The injunction also restrains the state association and the Utica Motor club from creating signs with "A. A. A." appearing thereon and from using the insignia of the association in any advertising or printed matter and

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

Friday Morning, Dec. 19, 1919



**JUNIOR RED CROSS HAS NEW PLANS OF HELPFULNESS**

Membership Campaign to Be Held in the Schools—Program Prepared for Relief of Child Sufferers Abroad

The enlarged scope of the plans of the Junior Red Cross, whose campaign for a greatly increased membership will be conducted in the schools at practically the same time that the Third Roll Call is in progress—November 1 to 11, Armistice Day—are described in a report of the Department of Junior Membership, which has just been made public.

Although there are thousands of children holding regular memberships in the Junior Red Cross in the Atlantic Division, there are other thousands who, through the Junior Red Cross, are helping our weary children of foreign lands. A survey of those European activities of the Junior Red Cross reveals the splendid aid to the children of France, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Italy, Spain, Palestine, Roumania and other once Balkan countries and Poland with the pennies and dollars of the Junior department are making possible.

During the summer months hundreds of children in the industrial districts of France were sent out into the countryside where they might regain their health. War orphans and mutilated children were cared for in large numbers in homes and clubs, and in eastern Europe clothing and food were supplied to hundreds of boys and girls who were experiencing misery.

Establishing a Nursery. Yet through the winter months that are ahead there is even greater need of the aid of the Junior Red Cross, for with the coming of the cold weather there will be a great degree of suffering among those who are living in the cold along the old battle lines of Belgium, France and Italy.

To assist that suffering the Junior Red Cross is preparing to take 1000 orphans from those districts into the southern climates, where they may be cared for during the winter. At Belgium, a "nursery" is to be established. A "nursery" is an institution somewhat similar to a day nursery, where the young children are cared for during the hours that their mothers are at work, where the older children may be recreation under proper supervision out of school hours.

In Belgium and in Serbia hundreds of school children and youngsters who are without parents or homes are being cared for while the workers of the Junior Red Cross are planning assistance that must be had to repair and re-equip the schools which have been destroyed or stripped of all furnishings during the war.

Investigators are at work in other parts of the Balkans and in Poland, determining how the work of the Junior Red Cross in those countries will be adjusted to reduce as much as possible the untold suffering that the winter months will bring to the thousands of children who are without homes and shelter.

Major General O'Ryan, commander of the twenty-seventh Division and chairman of the Red Cross Roll Call Committee of the Atlantic Division, has with his co-workers in the organization of 500,000 volunteers which is being organized into a state of organization for the drive in November to help the Junior Red Cross will conduct its membership campaign, it is coincident in many communities the drive of the parent or grandparent and deserves every assistance that any organization can extend.

The work in the interest of the Junior Red Cross will continue.

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**CHRISTMAS**

Give your Boy or Girl a Kodak or Brownie Camera for Christmas.

Kodaks \$9.49 up  
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GET IT AT  
**MONAHAN'S.**

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Special Prices  
**THIS WEEK**

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- Men's 4-buckle Arctics 2.25
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- Men's Felt Boots---1 buckle 2.98
- Men's Felt Boots---2 buckle 3.48
- Men's Hip Rubber Boots 4.95
- Boys' Stormking Boots 2.98
- sizes 3 to 6
- Boys' Stormking Boots 2.48
- sizes 11 to 2
- Women's Rubbers 69c
- Men's Felt Slippers 1.25
- Women's Felt Slippers 1.15
- Boys' Rubbers 75c
- Girls' Rubbers 59c

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Remember as you do your Christmas Shopping that there is no gift more useful or acceptable than shoes or slippers, and here in this store you will find Footwear that bespeaks both your deep regard and excellent taste.

"Kreep-A-Wa" Slippers for  
**WOMEN**

"Kreep-A-Wa" slippers for  
**MEN**

The New Holiday styles in all  
the new shades  
\$1.25 to \$3.00

Khaki, Oxford, Grey and Black  
\$2.25 to \$4 00

**LIKLY LUGGAGE**

Nothing More acceptable in the way of a Holiday gift can be imagined than one of these beautiful Leather Bags. The material is the very best procurable.

**ONYX HOSIERY**

Onyx Hosiery, for Men, Women and Children. All the latest shades put up in Christmas boxes.

**The Dusenbury Co. Inc.**

95 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.

"Forget Your Size—We Fit You Correctly"

**URGENT RED CROSS SEAL DAY IN ALL SCHOOLS**

Surgeon General Blue Asks That Churches Also Join in Movement to Further Sale

Surgeon General Rupert Blue has issued an appeal to observe Christmas Seal Day in the schools and in all places of worship in the United States, December 5, 6 and 7. The appeal follows:

"Over one hundred and fifty thousand Americans die annually from tuberculosis. This is an appalling waste of life when we consider that tuberculosis is classed as a preventable disease. Moreover, because this loss of life occurs almost entirely in the ranks of the young adult population, health authorities the world over have come to consider the control of tuberculosis as still the most pressing health problem confronting them. Every year the National Tuberculosis Association, by selling Red Cross Christmas seals, raises a fund which is used in a nation wide campaign to combat tuberculosis. This year a special effort is being made to interest school children in this work and December 5th, 6th and 7th have been designated as days on which the seals are to be sold in the public schools, synagogues and churches. Because of the seriousness of the situation, I trust that the campaign this year will be particularly successful.

RUPERT BLUE, Surgeon General, United States Public Health Service."

**Turn Home When Trying to Exterminate Squirrel.**

Chico, Cal.—Fully prepared to write a testimonial to the destroying qualities of a squirrel exterminator, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hurspeth here mourn the loss of their home today.

Here's how it happened: A squirrel had tunneled under their home and the exterminator was purchased. It was poured into the hole, but it was an inflammable liquid. An oil tank and smudge pots caught fire and the house burned to the ground. It is not known what happened to the squirrel.

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Friday Morning, Dec. 19, 1919

### Meeting of Country Publishers.

A meeting of the publishers of weekly newspapers in this county and adjoining counties was held in the Chamber of Commerce building in Auburn Saturday last. Eighteen were seated at the luncheon in the dining room, which preceded the business meeting. Following the serving of the menu, during which the editors forgot their troubles and joined in the spirited singing led by different ones, addresses were made by several of the publishers. M. V. Atwood, editor of the Groton Journal, who is also publicity director of the Cornell college of agriculture, spoke of several important features connected with publishing a weekly newspaper.

Leonard Searing spoke a few words in the interests of the Finger Lakes association which is doing so much in attracting tourists to this part of the state. Mr. Searing thanked the publishers for their cooperation in the matter of publicity.

E. C. Weatherby, Farm Bureau manager, briefly thanked the editors for their assistance in promoting the Farm Bureau and its interests.

The principal address of the day was made by Hon. Charles S. Betts, editor of the Lyons Republican. In beginning Mr. Betts gave a toast to the flag (composed by himself) which was very fine and heartily applauded. After touching on Socialism and Bolshevism, Mr. Betts proceeded to give some reliable information to the publishers on the price of newspaper paper which as everybody knows has been soaring for some time. It was stated that there is no relief in sight and predictions by those in a position to know are that prices will go higher during the coming year. The address of Mr. Betts received much applause.

Following the luncheon, a business meeting was held up stairs and matters of the greatest interest to all publishers at this critical time were frankly discussed. As a result a resolution was adopted that conditions in the newspaper business warrant an increase in advertising rates, and that beginning Jan. 1 a minimum rate of 15 cents an inch be established.

The editors present were Messrs. Betts of the Lyons Republican, Stevenson of the Skaneateles Free Press, Keegan of the Skaneateles Democrat, Rathbun of the Moravia Republican-Register, Baggery of the Seneca Times, Bussey of the Catskill Citizen, Atwood of the Groton

Journal, Nash of the Weedsport Sentinel, King of the Port Byron Chronicle, Pollard of the Seneca County Courier, Stafford of the Seneca County Press, R. E. Fenton of the Cayuga County News, Emma A. Waldo of the Genoa Tribune, Charles D. Osborne, William O. Dapping and Herbert J. Fowler were present representing the Auburn dailies.

Guests were E. C. Weatherby, manager of the Cayuga County Farm Bureau; John M. Shetland, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and Leonard H. Searing of the Finger Lakes association.

### Special Notices.

FOR SALE—Three thoroughbred registered Jersey cows, one fresh, others soon due; one grade Holstein, 4 years old with calf by side; one mare 12 years, one colt coming four, eighteen choice grade Shropshire ewes, 3 tons Domestic cabbage, 50 bushels potatoes.

H. D. Hall, Atwater, N. Y., R. 25.

22w1

White tissue paper for wrapping those Christmas parcels, for sale at this office.

45 1 and 2 year old White Leghorn hens for sale.

Wm. Johnson, East Venice.

22w1

FOR SALE—Pair light bobs with pole and whiffletrees.

Fred Dodd, opposite hotel.

22tf

WANTED—At once, male and female help, between 21 and 40 years old, for the winter months. Married men preferred. Working conditions the very best and good wages. Men are for night work.

Columbian Rope Co., Auburn.

22w2

WANTED—Good man to work farm of over 200 acres in town of Genoa. Must come recommended.

Charlotte A. Green, 1 Westlake Ave., Auburn, N. Y. Bell phone 992-W.

20tf

FOR SALE—Good new milch Jersey cow, with calf by side.

17tf B. F. Samson, Genoa.

Skunk skins taken in six days in the week—none on Sunday.

17tf Seymour Weaver, Genoa.

Raw furs wanted.

Wilbur & Avery, Poplar Ridge.

16tf Tel. 21Y21 or 21F2.

TO RENT—Farm, 100 acres, 1 mile east of Genoa village. Inquire of W. M. Harris, 13 Perry St., Auburn, N. Y. 16tf

I am home for the winter. Will cry your Auction if you want me. Write me for dates or call Hand's Hardware Store, Genoa, on the Miller phone.

11tf L. B. Norman, Genoa.

—Mrs. Sarah Bernhardt, the great French actress, will celebrate the 60th anniversary of the beginning of her stage career next year.

## Come and See the Christmas Presents

### Presents for Men-Women

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carload of Pillsbury Flour,  
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THE GENOA TRIBUNE  
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## Genoa Gem Theater

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*Patriotism Penetrates Prison Walls*  
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Janns Distributing Corporation presents Tom Mix  
—IN—  
Comedy as "SLIM HIGGINS"

WEDNESDAY EVE., DEC. 24

Feature Picture Our old favorite Mary McLatin

---in---  
"THE UNPAINTED WOMAN"  
A Universal Special directed by Tod Browning

—ALSO—  
"THE LURE OF THE CIRCUS"  
"THE STOLEN RECORD"

PRICES—Adults 20c and war tax; Children under 12, 10c and war tax

## Holiday Attraction

Monday, Dec. 29

The Greatest Comedy in Six acts on the American Stage

"Yankee Doodle in Berlin"

MATINEE—15c and 25c—war tax included.  
EVENING—40c to all—war tax included.

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BRING YOUR BUCKWHEAT THURSDAY AND GET IT GRIND

POSITIVELY NO FEED GROUND ON THURSDAY

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GENOA, N. Y.



**Village and Vicinity News.**

—A Merry Christmas to every reader and patron of THE TRIBUNE.

Buy your sheep skin lined coats at lower prices than elsewhere at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's. 21w2

—Genoa High school will have a two-weeks' Holiday vacation, closing to-night.

—Just a few days to Christmas. Don't put off the final shopping until the last day.

—Miss Julia Wilson of Ludlowville is now caring for N. R. Sellen, Miss Green being obliged to leave.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Miller arrived Monday evening from Toledo, Ohio, to spend a few weeks in Genoa.

—Attorney F. A. Mohr with Mrs. Mohr and two children were Sunday guests at the home of A. T. Van-Marter.

—Surveyors have been at work for more than a week on the state and county road through the east part of the village.

—The Christmas exercises of the Presbyterian Sunday school will be given in the church Sunday evening at 7:30. All are invited.

Silk poplin dresses at Mrs. Singer's. 17tf

—Mrs. Arthur Landon and children of Poplar Ridge spent the week-end at J. W. Myer's. Mr. Landon also spent Sunday at the same place.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Nostrand of Palisades, Colo., left this week for their home, after spending some time among relatives in Moravia and vicinity.

—Mrs. Frances Taylor and Mrs. Nettie Teeter, who recently moved to Moravia, have purchased a double house, corner of Aurora and Grove Sts., in that village.

Boys' and Youths' Clothing at Smith's.

Plenty of Candy at Smith's.

—Locke residents will erect a memorial for the boys of that town who served in the recent war. A monument will be erected on the town lot in Main St. in Locke village.

—Basket ball, Genoa High school girls vs. Sherwood Select School girls, and Genoa Ramblers vs. S. S. S. boys, this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock at the rink. Admission to the two games, 25c. —adv.

—LaMott Close met with a big loss in his valuable herd of cows, eleven of them having been condemned as afflicted with tuberculosis and had to be killed. Five of this number were thoroughbred Guernseys.

Visit Smith's at least once before Christmas.

Bargains in Men's Overcoats at Smith's.

—During the past fiscal year, 60 tuberculosis patients have been cared for at the Tompkins county hospital at Taughannock Falls, the report of the board of managers shows. The operating expense was \$18,170.28 while the appropriation made last year was only \$16,000.

—Genoa High school basket ball teams went to Ludlowville last Friday night to play the teams of that school. Genoa won both games. The girls rounded up a score of 25 as against 3 by their opponents. The boys' teams seemed to be more evenly matched, the score being 27 to 23.

Bugs at rock bottom prices. All sizes at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's. 21w2

—Among those who attended a highway conference called by Governor Smith, in Albany, Wednesday, were Senator Charles J. Hewitt, James S. Pethybridge, chairman of the Board of Supervisors, Supervisors A. L. Loomis of Genoa and Jeremiah Fitzgerald of Auburn, with J. Charles Dayton, county superintendent, to act in the interests of the county.

—A. L. Jenks and Leslie Mason of Genoa were in Auburn Tuesday to attend a meeting of Cayuga County Breeders' association, in the interests of forming a Holstein-Friesian club. Forty were present from different parts of the county. Prof. Rider of Brattleboro, Vt., of the Extension department of the Holstein-Friesian association of America, was the speaker. The meeting was postponed to second Wednesday in January when an organization will be formed.

"Labor," says Carlyle, "rids us of three ills—tediousness, vice and poverty."

—Zero weather this week with some snow. As low as 5 deg. below was reported Thursday morning.

—Dr. J. F. Mosher and family are now occupying their lately purchased home, formerly the Mulvaney place.

—H. J. Upson of Tonawanda, N. Y., spent a few days this week at the homes of Chas. Upson and Geo. Main.

Get your wife a power washer for Christmas. Come in and see one at the Rink Garage.

—All advertising copy and all correspondence for THE TRIBUNE should be sent in a day earlier than usual next week, as Christmas comes on Thursday.

—East Genoa Study club met at the home of Bert Smith Saturday evening. There was a good attendance and a fine time for all. A tureen supper was served.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hunter were at Locke Wednesday and Thursday where they were called by the death of the former's brother, Frank Hunter. Mrs. Cora Green also attended the funeral.

Buy your sheep skin lined shoes at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's. 21w2

—David Purdy of Oxford, the elderly passenger who was so badly hurt in the Lehigh Valley wreck near Harford Mills last week, died on Monday at Harford Mills. The remains were taken to Oxford for funeral and burial.

—The two favorites in movie circles—Wm. Farnum and Mary McLaren—will be the attractions at Genoa Gem theater on Saturday and Monday evenings. Remember the big Holiday comedy "Yankee Doodle in Berlin" on Dec. 29. See adv. in this issue.

Big line slippers for Christmas gifts at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's. 21w2

Buy your Holiday goods at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's. 21w2

—The firemen of Genoa will hold a dance in Genoa Gem theater on New Year's eve, Dec. 31. "Happy Bill's" orchestra. The firemen are raising a fund to purchase a motor truck, and their efforts should be heartily seconded by every one in the vicinity.

—Louis Sellen was called to Shelby, Ohio, Saturday last by the serious illness with intestinal trouble of his little daughter, Millicent Sellen, who has been spending several months with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sellen. Mr. Sellen returned home Wednesday night, leaving the little girl much better.

Save from \$5 to \$10 by purchasing your suit or overcoat from M. G. Shapero, 34 North St. Auburn. 22w1

—Late Tuesday afternoon the fire bell called the department to the water tank belonging to the railroad company. The lower portion which supports the tank is enclosed and contains a stove. It is supposed that the blaze originated from the fire in the stove. Considerable damage was done, and in a short time the big timbers would have been burned through. The firemen did good work after they reached the place.

Ball-Band, Goodrich and Goodyear Footwear at Smith's.

Voile waists at Smith's.

Crepe de chine and Georgette waists at Smith's.

Men's Hats and Caps at Smith's.

—The First Presbyterian church of Cortland will make an extensive addition to their handsome edifice in that city. Plans have been made providing for a prayer meeting room, a meeting room for both men's and women's societies and a dining room that will seat 250 at one time with most modern and complete kitchen arrangements. Some changes will also be made in the auditorium. The estimated cost is about \$75,000. The members have also voted unanimously for free seats.

—Since Ithaca has been "dry" there have been few prisoners registered at the county jail as the result of intoxication, according to the annual report of Sheriff Green submitted to the Board of Supervisors. In 1918 there was a total of 122 prisoners confined in the county jail, most of them serving sentences for intoxication. The sheriff's report for 1919 shows that there was a total of 99 prisoners at the county jail, and only seven of them had been arrested on a charge of intoxication.

**Dies at Boonville.**

Olive Bower Smith, widow of Austin T. Smith, late of Genoa, died at 11:30 o'clock Friday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Lavis, in Boonville. A few years since Mrs. Smith suffered a shock, which left her somewhat infirm and last spring she had an attack of pneumonia from which she never fully recovered. She was able to come to Genoa last summer, remaining several weeks, and in September went from here to Boonville. She had seemed about as well as usual until last week when it is thought she suffered a light shock. She sat up on Thursday and Friday, however, and her passing away Friday night was unexpected.

The deceased was born in the town of Lansing in March, 1834, and the most of her life was spent in Genoa and vicinity. When a girl her parents lived at Weeks Corners and she attended the Genoa academy. After her marriage, her home was for many years in this village and her husband died here in 1910. She was a faithful wife, a devoted mother and had a wide circle of friends in this vicinity. She was a charter member of the Baptist church of Genoa.

She is survived by the daughter mentioned above and two sons—LaMotte Smith of Syracuse and J. Hanford Smith of Ithaca.

A short service was held in Boonville at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. H. Hunt, pastor of the Baptist church, assisted by Dr. D. C. Johnson of Watertown, district superintendent of the M. E. conference. The remains were brought to Genoa where further services were held Monday at 11:30 in the Baptist church, Rev. R. A. Fargo officiating. Burial was made in Genoa cemetery. The bearers were the two sons—L. M. and J. H. Smith, Rev. E. J. Lavis and F. E. Davis. There were a number of very beautiful floral tributes.

Those who came to attend the funeral were Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Lavis of Boonville, L. M. Smith of Syracuse, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. Douglas Pierce, Hanford Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davis, all of Ithaca, and Mrs. Alson Karn of North Lansing.

Magazine subscriptions received at Smith's.

**Census Enumerators.**

Supervisor John J. McGrath has announced the list of appointees for the enumeration in the census to be taken, beginning Jan. 2. Those who have received the appointment are summoned to a school of instruction to be held in the Federal Court chambers in the postoffice in Auburn on Saturday at 1 p. m.

Among those appointed are the following: Irene E. Mulvaney, Genoa; Marjorie McCormick, King Ferry; William P. Maloney, Aurora; John A. Payne, Union Springs R. D. 33; Philip J. Murphy, Moravia R. D. 3; Nettie Shaffer, Moravia; Jerry Murray, Owasco R. D. 1; Edward J. Byrnes, Merrifield; Stephen H. Murphy, Merrifield; Thomas J. Quinn, Moravia R. D.; Anna V. McGrath, Union Springs; Adelbert E. Stine, Summerhill; Madeline E. Hefnerman, Venice; Jerry Sullivan, King Ferry.

**Sudden Death in Locke.**

Frank Hunter, a farmer residing in the town of Locke, died suddenly Monday morning at the breakfast table. Mr. Hunter had been suffering from dropsy for a year past, but of late had been feeling unusually well, and his death was very sudden. Heart trouble is given as the cause.

The deceased was born in the town of Seipio about 65 years ago. For many years he lived in Venice and for several years in Locke. Surviving are his wife, formerly Mary Clark, and one daughter, Mrs. Clair Lick, of Summerhill. He also leaves four sisters—Mrs. Margaret Tobias of Fayette, Mrs. Frances Wilbur of Rochester, Mrs. John G. Law of Moravia and Mrs. Cora Green of Genoa, and one brother, D. C. Hunter of Genoa.

Funeral services were held at the family home on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Burial in Indian Mound cemetery, Moravia.

—A Geneva nursery company has just completed the shipment of 1600 elm trees which are to line a three-mile memorial drive at Minneapolis, Minn. The drive is 300 feet wide and each of the elms stands for one of the 1,600 sons of Minneapolis who met their death in the world war.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Genoa will be held in the banking rooms of said bank at Genoa, N. Y., on Tuesday, January 13, 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Directors for the ensuing year will be elected and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

You are requested to be present in person, if convenient, or at least be represented by proxy. You are entitled to one vote for each share of stock held by you.

A. H. Knapp, Cashier.  
Dated Genoa, N. Y., Dec. 9, 1919.  
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**Genoa Baptist Church Notes.**  
R. A. FARGO, PASTOR.  
Sunday services 11 a. m., Christmas message.  
Bible study at 12.  
Sunday evening we will unite with the Presbyterians for their Christmas exercises.  
Our Christmas program will be given Monday evening, Dec. 22, at 8 o'clock. Everyone welcome.  
There will be no prayermeeting next week as the pastor expects to be away.

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## IN PRINCESS GOWN

Favored Frock Not Affected by Downfall of Royalty.

Women Cling to Some Version of This Type of Dress—New Evening Style.

The general downfall of royalty seems to have affected not one whit the princess frock. Always there are women of fashion who cling to some version of this type of dress. This year there are quite a few New York



White Taffeta Evening Gown.

designers who are adopting the princess frock, states a fashion writer.

Of course, the princess of this year is a very different affair from that tightly molded dress which policed the figure some years ago. Very often the distinctive touch is confined to one side and draping is arranged so skillfully that the line is becoming to both slim and not so.

A new evening frock is of white taffeta embroidered in silver and combined with silver lace, which gives an echo of the princess mode on one side only. Like so many of the evening frocks at present, an ostrich plume is employed as the climax of trimming. Both are as familiar in dress scenery as they are in desert scenery.

## LONGER AND WIDER SKIRTS

Conservative Styles Are Predicted by the Fashion Art League at Chicago Convention.

Feminine styles the coming fall are to be much different from those now prevailing—much different.

Skirts will be longer—much wider—more conservative.

And in this connection there is a war just starting—a war by American women to make the style more conservative.

This was the news coming from within the Fashion Art League, in convention recently in Chicago. The doughboy is at the bottom of the whole thing. In France the Parisienne beauties wear extreme styles. When the doughboy struck that country he was dazzled. Styles became more and more extreme, and when he started home he was full of new ideas of styles, but the American girls rebelled—they went on a fashion strike, demanding new styles.

The correct skirt length, according to Madame Alla Ripley, president of the league, should be six to eight inches above the ground. Of course, the width will be built around the person, but generosity will be plentiful among the designers, it was pointed out. Forty-seven inches was agreed on as the average width for the slender person.

## FASHION BREVITIES

Yellow is introduced on navy blue serge frocks for the growing girl by means of wool embroidery or pipings.

Purple chiffon over red velvet in a negligee is almost exotic in its beauty. Cadet plaits are the means employed to acquire the popular ripple effect in a coat suit.

An imported overblouse of gold colored georgette has monkey fur about the sleeves and skirt hem.

Irish crochet blouses are new for fall.

Blouse coats are really becoming only to small women.

A little bag of fine gold-plated mesh is always smart.

The crown that combines pink and blue is decidedly French.

The blazer and trench coat are both in the vogue.

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**Hominy Gems.**—Pour one cupful of scalded milk over half a cupful of cornmeal, add one-fourth of a cupful of cooked hominy, a tablespoonful of sugar, the same of shortening; mix well, cool and add yolk beaten thick and the white stiff. Sift in one and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder and a little salt; beat well and bake in hot buttered gem pans.

**Hominy and Pecan Croquettes.**—Boil a half cupful of hominy with a half-teaspoonful of salt in two cupfuls of water five minutes, then put into a double boiler and cook two hours or over night in a double boiler. Add two tablespoonfuls of shortening, half a cupful of chopped onions and a teaspoonful of scraped onion. Cool and shape in cylinders. Beat one egg lightly, add two tablespoonfuls of cold water, roll croquettes in crumbs and egg, then in crumbs again and fry in deep fat. This makes one dozen croquettes.

**Scotch Oat Crackers.**—Put two cupfuls of rolled oats through the meat grinder, add one-fourth of a cupful each of milk and molasses, one and a half tablespoonfuls of fat, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of salt and one-fourth of a cupful of raisins or nuts cut in bits. Mix well, roll very thin and cut in fancy shapes. Bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven.

**Oatmeal Tomato Soup.**—Take half a can of tomatoes, one-third of a cupful of oatmeal, two cupfuls of water, one tablespoonful of sugar, half a small onion, pepper and salt to taste, a bit of bayleaf and two tablespoonfuls of peanut butter. Cook one hour; rub through a strainer, add seasoning, if needed, and serve hot.

**Corn Flour Griddle Cakes.**—Take one and one-half cupfuls of sour milk, the same of corn flour, three-fourths of a teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of salt and one well-beaten egg. Beat well with a wire whisk and bake on a hot griddle.

**White Taffeta Evening Gown.**—Take one and one-half cupfuls of sour milk, the same of corn flour, three-fourths of a teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of salt and one well-beaten egg. Beat well with a wire whisk and bake on a hot griddle.

## Nellie Maxwell The KITCHEN CABINET

It would be narrowness to suppose that an artist can only care for the impressions of those who know the methods of art as well as its effects. Art works for all whom it can touch.—Elliot.

### BALANCING THE MEAL.

We hear much about well-balanced meals these days and it is the desire of every home-keeper to have her meals well balanced, appetizing as well as attractive. When we speak of balancing a meal we mean giving all the food principals in their proper proportion in each menu, or getting the amounts in during the day; if lacking in one meal, make it up in the next, so that the day's meals will give the proper balance.

The amount of food to be taken by individuals differs so greatly that there is no fixed rule that one may follow. Age, climate, physical condition as well as occupation are important factors in determining the amount to serve, but it is safe to say that in the average dietary we may cut out one-third of the food we daily consume, masticate the two-thirds twice as long as is the habit and great benefit will be noted in one's health. This advice is only given to the well padded individual; those who are thin are so because even if good eaters, the food is not assimilated.

When serving a heavy main dish with the accompanying vegetable or two, the dessert should be light, one easy of digestion and with little bulk. If the main part of the meal is light, not preceded by a cream soup, let the dessert be a richer one.

The generous use of milk in desserts will give a better balance to the dinner in which only a small amount of meat is served, while at meatless meals more milk may be used as well as fish, cheese, beans and peas in order that there may be no lack of protein (the tissue building body) in the diet.

**Grape Juice Cream.**—Take one cupful of grape juice, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, sugar to sweeten and a pint of thin cream. Freeze by stirring in the ice cream freezer. When this is carefully made it is the most beautiful watermelon pink and tastes as good as it looks.

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Dated December 3, 1919.  
Florence Adell Smith,  
Willard D. Smith,  
Executors.  
F. E. Hughitt,  
Atty. for Executors,  
No 41 Genesee St.,  
Auburn, N. Y.

#### 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 Amy E. Sharpsteen late of the town of Genoa Cayuga County, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned, the Executor of, &c., of said deceased, at his residence in the town of Genoa, County of Cayuga, P. O. Address Locke, N. Y., (R. F. D. 22) on or before the 9th day of March, 1920.

Dated Aug. 20, 1919.  
Jacob D. Sharpsteen, Executor.  
Stuart R. Treat,  
Atty. for Executor,  
11 Temple Court,  
Auburn, N. Y.

#### 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 John Sullivan, late of the town of Genoa, Cayuga County, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned, the administratrix of, &c. of said deceased at her place of residence in the town of Genoa, County of Cayuga, on or before the 8th day of January, 1920.

Dated July 8, 1919.  
Catherine Sullivan, Administratrix.

#### 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 Mary Murray late of the town of Genoa, Cayuga County, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned, the Administrator of, &c., of said deceased, at his place of residence in the town of Genoa, County of Cayuga, on or before the 1st day of April, 1920.

Dated Oct. 1, 1919.  
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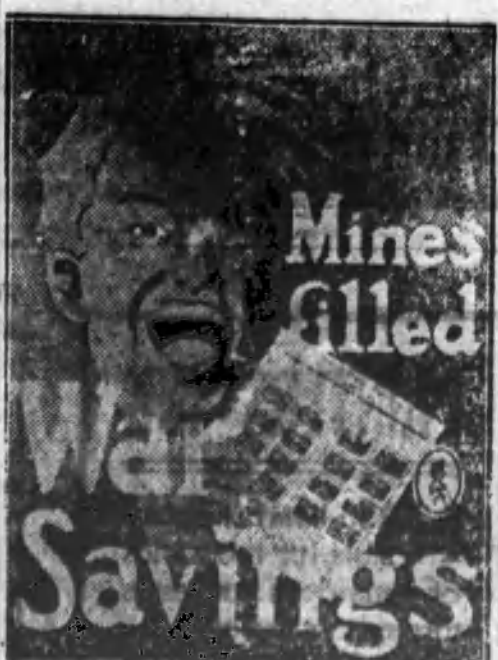
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+ and spending, you lose. +  
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+ But if you beat Foolish Spend- +  
+ ing, you start the next lap ahead +  
+ of the game. +  
+ If you keep up your saving +  
+ pace, you distance the Wolf. +  
+ Saving is training for Life's +  
+ race. +  
+ W. S. S. and Thrift Stamps +  
+ make you fit for the start. +  
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## A Liquid Investment That Prohibition Did Not Harm

Treasury Savings Certificates, which are in reality discount bonds of the United States Treasury, are very sound securities, with many attractive features. They carry valuable tax exemption privileges and cannot depreciate in value, as they are not subject to market fluctuations. They are a liquid investment, redeemable for cash upon ten days notice, when the owner will get back all invested, plus three per cent interest, and they yield a substantial income, actually more than four per cent if held until maturity, January 1, 1924.

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Snake Kills Cow.  
Waynesborough, Pa.—George Woodring, tenant on the Stone farm south of Waynesborough, lost a young cow as the result of the creature being bitten by a large copperhead snake. Notwithstanding that a veterinary surgeon from Waynesborough was summoned, he could not remove the effects of the poison. Copperheads are very plentiful.

## Christmas Morning

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER



CHRISTMAS comes but once a year. Christmas comes but once a year," shouted the children as they hurried down stairs on Christmas morning. Their daddy and mother followed and they sang too.

"Christmas comes but once a year!"

From the stairs they could see the library with the fire just started. There was a big tree all trimmed! And under and around it there were just the things they all had been waiting for, and a lot of other things they had never expected.

Oh, how beautiful it was. It looked to the children as if it couldn't be real and it seemed to them as if they must be dreaming—as if all this wonderful room, filled with presents and stockings and everything else that was fine, could not be real after all.

But they had thought this way on other Christmas days and they had not been dreaming on other Christmas mornings. To be sure they dreamed of Christmas before Christmas came but they didn't dream of anything nearly so wonderful as Christmas always was.

There were four children. Lucy and Betty and Robbie and Billy. There, in the center of the library, was the big tree. It was covered with candles and though it was daylight the candles were lighted and the shades pulled down so as to make the tree look its very best. And too, it wasn't so very bright at that hour, for they were always up very, very early on Christmas morning.

They began to see the things on the tree they had asked Santa Claus for, and then they looked to see if he had taken the notes they had written for him wishing him a Merry Christmas.

Sure enough! He had taken them. They wondered if he had been pleased



"Christmas Comes But Once a Year!"

and they hoped very much that he had.

All these thoughts went through their minds very quickly and then they began to say, "Ah," and "Oh," and "Isn't it wonderful," and "Look!"

"Well," said their daddy, "let us sit down and look at all our presents."

They sat down on the floor. And each one took a stocking which had been hanging in front of the mantel piece. Every stocking was well filled. And each stocking stuck out queerly so that no one could guess what was in it.

What a guessing match there was before they emptied the stockings—just to keep the surprise a little longer, for they had an idea that Santa Claus wanted them to be as surprised as possible. And when they did guess what was in some of the stockings it was such fun!

After the stockings had been looked at and the oranges and apples had rolled out of the toes, the presents were taken from the tree.

The candy canes and candy animals and the decorations were kept on, for the candy would be eaten later on and the decorations would be kept through the Christmas season.

There were many presents around the foot of the tree. And now they knew that they weren't really dreaming. They were really, really alive, and this was really, really Christmas.

Everything about it was real and their presents were real and they were wide awake and beginning to feel hungry, for they hadn't waited to have breakfast first. They ate Santa's wonderful oranges and mother said to daddy:

"Dear me, I wish I could find big juicy oranges like Santa Claus does. He's a better shopper than I am!"

And their daddy laughed and said, "He's a smart old fellow. It's hard to get ahead of him. And even if we can't find such good oranges we get them every year through his goodness!"

"He's the dearest soul in all the world," said Lucy, "except the family."

"He's wonderful," said Betty, "and oh, my dollie is so adorable. He gave me just the kind I asked for."

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## MIRACLE OF THE THORN STAFF

Pretty Legend of Ancient Britain That is Often Repeated in England at Christmas Time.

It is one of the prettiest legends of ancient Britain—the old Christmas story of the thorn of Glastonbury. William of Malmesbury, the chronicler, told it hundreds of years ago in his "Antiques of Glastonbury." It is repeated often at Christmas time in England.

The legend tells how Joseph of Arimathea, was so persecuted by Pontius Pilate, because he had laid away the body of Christ in his sepulcher, that he fled to Gaul, carrying with him under a cloth of mystical white samite, the Holy Grail. In Gaul he found the Apostle Philip, preaching to the heathen, and he rested with him a few days.

One night a radiant light awakened him, and an angel bade him go to Britain and preach the glad tidings to King Arvirgatus; and, where a Christian miracle should come to pass, there to build a church.

He and a band of followers followed the instructions of the angel, and Arvirgatus gave them the Isle of Avalon, and bade them erect an altar there to the new God. It was a beautiful gift. The tiny isle lay warm in a verdant valley. Sparkling waves softly lapped its shore. Soft breezes played in its trees, and nowhere was the sky so blue as over Avalon.

When they reached the top of the hill called Weary All, Joseph planted his thorn staff he had carried with him on his long journeys over land and sea, deep into the ground, and it took root, and immediately there blossomed a bush of beautiful white flowers.

"This is where we will build our church," the good man said, and so, at Glastonbury Abbey—for so Avalon is known today—the thorn bushes bloom white at each Christmas time, lend their fragrance to the frosty air, and remind all who see them of the Christmas miracle.

## THE CURIOUS MISTLETOE

Something Like 300 Varieties in the World—Pink Berries Found Only on Cedar Trees.

There are about 300 kinds of mistletoe in the world, and each variety grows on the branches of trees and has little white or pink berries, says St. Nicholas. But the pink berries are found on only the cedar trees. The mistletoe, unlike other plants, gets no food directly from the ground. Instead, it gets its nourishment from the trees on which it grows.

Another curious thing about the mistletoe is that though it blossoms earlier in the year than the tree on which it grows, yet the little berries do not ripen before December. Maybe that is because it has to steal its food from the trees, and therefore cannot ripen early. The very name "mistletoe" gives some idea of its insignificance. In the Anglo Saxon language "mist" means gloom, and it comes in mid-winter, the gloomiest time of the year.

The gathering of mistletoe was a very important ceremony among the ancient Druids. About five days after the new moon they marched in state procession to the forest and raised an altar of straw beneath the finest mistletoe-bearing oak they could find. The arch-Druid would ascend the oak, and, with a jeweled knife, remove the sacred mistletoe. The others stood beneath the tree and caught the plant upon a white cloth, for, if a portion of it touched the earth, it was an omen of misfortune to the land.

And this is doubtless the reason why it is still the custom to hang it from the ceiling and why it is supposed to lose its charm if it touches the floor.

## MY CHRISTMAS TREE.

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CHRIST  
mas morn-  
ing when I  
wake and  
sleep-dust  
from my  
eyes I shake,  
I see a light  
that makes me  
start and  
causes thump-  
ings in my  
heart; A Christ-  
mas tree—  
oh, pretty sight—  
with can-  
dles, bells and  
balls alight.  
With horns and  
dolls and sugar  
plums, and  
skates and  
trains and  
beating drums.  
And, oh, it is  
a wonder  
tree, with  
heaps of things  
for me to see.  
Rare gifts hang  
upon the  
side, which  
tinselled fairies  
cannot hide.  
A soldier doll,  
a doll horse,  
and strings of  
gold come  
to my view,  
and  
as I look  
I seem to  
hear sweet  
Christ-  
mas music,  
soft and clear.  
A merry Christ-  
mas, it seems  
to say,  
A merry, happy,  
holly day!

Squaring Himself.  
Last Christmas a young man was invited to dinner at the house of one of the leading men in the town. At the dinner table he was placed opposite a goose.

The lady of the house was seated on the young man's left. Seeing the goose, he remarked:

"Shall I sit so close to the goose?"

Finding his words a bit equivocal, he turned round to the lady and said, in a most inoffensive tone:

"Excuse me, Mrs. Blank, I meant the roast one."

Christmas Trivia.  
The Bible teaches that the first Christmas was on the 25th of December. The first Christmas tree was made in 1605. The first Christmas card was sent in 1843. The first Christmas tree was made in 1605. The first Christmas tree was made in 1605.



# The Big Sale Event of the Year

Hundreds of Christmas shoppers from Auburn and from all over the County are attending Klein's Annual Christmas Sale and are surprised to get such wonderful selection in Holiday Goods, all at a saving from 25 to 50 per cent. If you want to save money on Christmas merchandise, attend this sale.

OVERCOATS	SHIRTS	MEN'S HOSE	ODD PANTS
\$30 Overcoats, sale price \$22.50	\$2.50 Shirts \$1.65	35c Lisle Hose (all colors) 25c	\$2.50 Pants \$2.00
\$35 Overcoats, sale price \$25.00	3.00 Shirts 1.95	50c Silk Lisle Hose, black only, 3 pairs for \$1	3.00 Pants 2.50
\$40 Overcoats, sale price \$29.50	3.50 Shirts 2.45	Special Fibre Silk Hose, 3 pairs for (value 59c a pair) \$1	5.50 to 6.00 Pants 3.75
<b>SUITS</b>	4.00 Shirts 2.95	75c Silk Lisle Hose 45c	5.00 Corduroy Pants 3.50
\$25 Suits, sale price \$19.50	5.00 Silk Stripe Shirts 3.45	85c Heavy All Wool Hose 59c	6.50 Heavy Wool Pants 4.00
30 Suits, sale price 22.50	6.00 Silk Stripe Shirts 4.00	\$1 Silk Hose, all colors 69c	10.00 to 11.00 Pants 7.50
All Wool	7.50 Fibre Silk Shirts 4.95	Other Silk and Wool Hose 59c, 65c, to 1.50	
35 Suits, sale price 25.00	9.00 Fibre Silk Shirts 6.45		
\$40 to 42.50 Suits, sale price \$30 and \$2.50	3.50 Silk Front Shirts 2.25		
<b>NIGHT-SHIRTS AND PAJAMAS</b>	<b>UNDERWEAR</b>	<b>SWEATERS</b>	<b>FLANNEL SHIRTS</b>
\$2 Outing Flannel Night Shirts 1.19	\$1.50 Fleece Ribbed Shirts and Drawers 89c	\$2.50 Men's Sweaters 1.25	\$2.00 Outing Flannel Shirts 1.45
2.50 Outing Flannel Night Shirts 1.89	3.00 Wool Shirts and Drawers 1.89	3.50 Wool Mixed Sweaters 2.45	2.50 value 1.95
3.50 Faultless Pajamas 2.19	4.00 Wool Union Suits, a suit 2.95	5.00 Sweaters 3.50	3.50 Flannel Shirts 2.45
4.50 Outing Pajamas, 2.95	4.50 Wool Union Suits 3.45	Other Wool Sweaters 3.50 up to 6.00	3.75 2.65
<b>BELTS, SUSPENDERS AND ARM BANDS</b>	<b>HATS AND CAPS</b>	\$12 and \$15 hand made, All Wool Sweaters 8.45	5.00 Wool Flannel Shirts 3.45
50c Belts 35c	All \$1 Caps with or without ear lappers 50c	Sale on Slip On Sweaters	6.00 All Wool Khaki Shirts 4.50
75c Belts 43c	1.50 Caps, with ear lappers 95c		
\$1.00 Belts, with initial buckle 75c	2.00 Caps 1.50	<b>LADIES' STOCKINGS</b>	
1.50 Belts 1.00	2.50 Caps 2.00	35c Ladies' Stockings 25c	
50c Suspenders 35c	3.00 Caps 2.50	74c Buster Brown Silk Lisle Stockings, all colors, seam in back, a pair 59c	
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\$1.25 Neckwear 75c			
1.50 Neckwear \$1			
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**Agrigraphs.**

The spirit of Christmas is too big a thing to keep within your family. Help to spread Christmas cheer throughout your community. A community celebration, with a tree, will help.

Of course this is the best part of the state. Admit it; don't make others prove it to you. Of course, if you think it is not the best part, it is your duty as a citizen to help make it so.

The publications of the college of agriculture are free to farmers and homemakers in New York. If you desire information on any subject send to Ithaca, N. Y., for a list of the available bulletins.

Worn quilts may continue their usefulness as mattress pads if furnished with a washable cover. Opportunity awaits them also as pads for the window-seat or the ironing board.

Don't be afraid to leave undecorated spaces in your home. Those very spaces may serve to set off some beautiful article of furniture and give a restful and orderly atmosphere.

Why not form a study club in your community? Thrift is a good subject to study. The state college at Ithaca, N. Y., will send you a bulletin "Club Programs on Thrift." Ask for H. 130.

For your liver's sake drink plenty of water; six glasses a day are not too many; and eat plenty of fruit and vegetables. Pills may have a quicker effect, but their effect is not so beneficial or lasting.

**Christmas Attraction.**

Manager Hennessy of the Auditorium, Auburn, has just returned from New York City and while there booked some excellent attractions for the big play-house. The first of these will be Lottie Blair Parker's everlasting success "Way Down East" which will be the attraction at the Auditorium Christmas Day, matinee and. It is a brand new production of this favorite play and Manager Hennessy feels that he is giving his patrons a holiday attraction of more than ordinary merit.

—Wild pigeons are believed to be the most voracious eaters of the animal kingdom in proportion to their size. One consumed 1,000 grains of wheat in a day.

—Boston reports that prohibition has reduced the population of its penitentiary from 1,190 to 300 and effected a saving of \$25,000 in the cost of food and fuel for that institution.

—County Judge Hull Greenfield, whose term of office expires on Dec. 31, 1919, left the office in the County Building provided for the county judge on Dec. 1. He has opened law offices in the Cayuga County Savings Bank building.

—The certificate of incorporation of the World War Memorial association of Cayuga county has been filed in the county clerk's office. The association is formed for the purpose of raising funds for a monument or memorial building to perpetuate the memory of the Cayuga county soldiers and sailors who served in the recent war.

—During the last six months' season the Ransomville Poultry Farms have sold 450,000 day-old chicks and 16,000 day old ducks and have raised 15,000 broilers and pullets, most of which were sold. These poultry farms are the largest in the world as regards output and this is their biggest season to date.

—Amity Lodge, 335, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of Detroit, Mich., became the largest subordinate unit of that organization in the world when a class of 606 candidates was inducted into the mysteries of the lodge recently. The class was the largest initiated during the 100 years of the existence of the order.

—Miss Elizabeth Carpenter Blanding of Attleboro, Mass., the oldest school teacher in Massachusetts, started on her 75th consecutive year as a school teacher last month. She observed her 87th birthday anniversary on July 18. Despite her age she is hale and hearty. She lives alone, doing her own housework. She also finds time to be active in several social organizations. She expects to die in the harness.

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As the articles are too numerous to mention, I would be glad to have you call and see them before Christmas. There will be special reduced prices on Men's Suits and Overcoats for the Holiday trade.

I wish all my friends a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.