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\$1.50 PER YEAR, IN ADVANCE.

## ENCOURAGE THE CHILDREN TO SAVE

Are you puzzled what to get for John and Mary which would make suitable and acceptable Christmas gifts?

Have you ever thought what an appropriate gift a Savings Book at this bank would be? Make a small deposit—a dollar will do for a start—and encourage the children to save their pennies and their nickies, and you will soon discover that they will quickly acquire the saving habit after they get the account started.

The plan is surely worth trying. Saving is a matter of habit. And the habit grows just like the savings.

To acquire the habit when young with small sums is to practice the habit when older with larger sums.

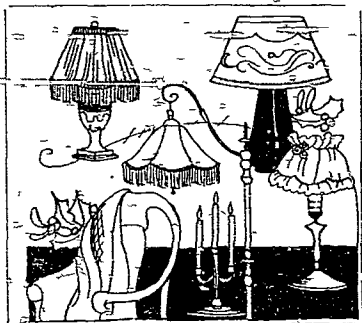
So encourage the little fellows to start a savings account with us at once, and watch the habit grow.

**We Pay 4 % Interest**  
**The Northville State Savings Bank**

### OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

L. A. Babbitt, President. Chas. H. Coldren.  
R. C. Yerkes, Vice-President. Don P. Yerkes.  
T. G. Richardson. C. W. Wilber, Cashier.  
Carrie E. Litsenberger, Asst. Cashier.

## MAKE AN ELECTRICAL GIFT



Something for the home—something that every member of the family will enjoy—that is what we offer you in our array of Electrical Appliances. We have an endless variety of articles which will prove a valuable addition to the equipment and furnishings of any home, and a visit here will reveal them.

We have the largest and most handsome assortment of Lamps ever shown in Northville to which we invite your special attention. You will find them priced most reasonable, and of sufficient range of prices to meet any purse.

Why not buy something useful  
buy Something Electrical?

**SHAFFER ELECTRIC SHOP**

Phones: Office, 137. Res., 136. Northville.

### FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

135 Acre Farm—3½ Miles east of Walled Lake. Good buildings and fences. This is a very productive piece of land and the owner is desirous of selling, or trading for a smaller property.

**MILO N. JOHNSON**

Room 6—Lapham Bank Bldg. Phone 241

Northville, Michigan.

## FAIR ASSOCIATION IS PROSPEROUS

### Annual Meeting Held Thursday Night An Enjoyable Affair

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northville Driving Club and the Northville Wayne County Fair Association was held at the office of Secretary E. L. Smith last Thursday night with a good representation present. The meeting was presided over by President James A. Huff and after the minutes of the last annual meeting had been approved and several matters pertaining to the fair were discussed the meeting proceeded to elect ten directors who will serve for two years. The following were chosen, Messrs. T. E. Mardock and F. A. Northrop acting as tellers: C. A. Ponsford, T. G. Richardson, H. R. Richardson, F. A. Northrop, M. R. Sealey, G. E. Richardson, C. A. Altman, E. E. Brown, F. W. Lyke, Albert Eberle. The directors then proceeded to elect officers for the ensuing year and the following were chosen: President, H. R. Richardson; vice-president, T. E. Mardock; secretary, E. L. Smith; treasurer, James A. Huff. The following superintendents were appointed, each one to select their own assistants: Speed, M. H. Sloan; finance, James A. Huff; horses, H. B. Clark; concessions and attractions, N. C. Schneider. Also, the following sheep, W. R. Johnson, poultry and pet stock, A. E. Fuller, automobiles, Roy M. Temill, space rentals, main hall, F. S. Neal; agriculture, Ralph C. Carr; horticulture, E. J. Verduyn; boys' and girls' club work, J. W. Wagner, buildings and tents, T. G. Richardson, education, A. J. Helfrich, publicity, Charles A. Altman, police and forage, S. Montgomery, grounds, M. R. Sealey, woman's department, Mrs. F. S. Harmon, better babies, Mrs. Flora Larkins.

The report of the secretary and treasurer revealed that the total receipts for the past year, including cash on hand February 26th, 1922, were \$21,964.13, and that there was expended for new buildings and permanent improvements, chairs, poultry coops, premiums, amusements, labor and insurance, rent of tents, taxes, races, hay and straw, advertising, rain insurance, the sum of \$19,970.35, leaving a balance on hand of approximately \$1,900, with a few outstanding accounts yet to be paid.

The figures presented were most gratifying to the officers and stockholders as they will be to the general public, who have made the fair possible by their hearty co-operation. Plans for the future were discussed and it was the expressed wish of all present that the fair for 1923 might surpass any previous effort. It is very likely that we will have a five-day fair this year with some great automobile racing on Saturday.

Mr. Huff, who had served as president since the organization of the fair association, declined a reelection and realizing that he had devoted a great deal of time to the enterprise the directors finally acceded to his request, but they did not permit him to go on the retired list by no means. He was elected treasurer by acclamation. Mr. H. R. Richardson has served the association for the past two years as treasurer and he is familiar with its needs and he will make a splendid official. Mr. Smith served as secretary during the past year and although he endeavored to be excused the directors would not listen to his plea at all.

The monthly meetings of the directors will continue during the coming year, as they have proven of great benefit to the association.

Preceding the meeting the officers and superintendents and their wives enjoyed a bountiful five course dinner at the Ambler House and a more appetizing or satisfying feast could not have been desired. The meal was delightfully served and in all its appointments the hotel management left nothing undone which could have added to its pleasure in any way. The High School orchestra gave a delightful program during the dinner hour. Some of the ladies of the party attended the Alseum theatre while others enjoyed the manual training exhibition at the High school gym.

Miss Emeline Lapham, who has been ill for the past three months at the home of her niece in Ypsilanti, remains in about the same condition as when taken ill.

Do your Christmas shopping in

## MASONS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Northville Lodge, F. & A. M., held a very enjoyable meeting Monday evening, the occasion being the annual convocation for the election of officers for the ensuing year. At seven o'clock about one hundred members partook of a bountiful roast pork dinner and at the conclusion of the feast cigars were passed and a short impromptu program was given. The retiring worshipful master, Elmer E. Perrin called upon E. E. Brown to officiate as tastermaster and he in turn brought Rev. Wm. Richards, Rev. E. V. Balles, Fred Fry, C. R. Horton and J. A. Huff to the platform to make remarks. Shortly after eight o'clock lodge convened and after transacting the regular business of the meeting the following officers were elected and they were later installed by Past Worshipful Master James N. VanDyne. The officers chosen were as follows: W. M.—C. R. Horton; S. W.—William Edwards; J. W.—George Gloth.

Secretary—Fred Hedge; Treasurer—B. A. Wheeler; J. D.—Ralph Hay; J. D.—Harold White; Stewards—Levi Eaton and A. Barber; Chaplain—E. V. Balles; Marshal—J. D. Dickerson; Tyler—Dean F. Griswold.

### RUDOLPH JACKSON DEPARTS

The friends and neighbors of Rudolph Jackson were greatly shocked to learn of his sudden death at his farm west of the village on Friday last. He had not been ill and his unexpected death was a great surprise. He was stricken with heart disease and all efforts to revive him were futile.

The deceased was born in 1887 at Providence, Rhode Island, and came to America thirty-five years ago. He became a citizen two years after his arrival on these shores and for thirty years resided in Detroit, coming to Northville five years ago. He had been married 44 years and his home life was a happy one. Besides his wife he is survived by seven children—Mesdames Carl Dupernell, P. H. Willard and J. Deeds of Detroit; Harvey, Walter, Helen and Arnold, who reside at home. To the bereaved widow and children the tenderest sympathy of the community is extended.

Funeral services were held at his late home on Monday afternoon and burial took place at Grand Lawn cemetery at Redford. By his death a good husband, a devoted father and a kind and obliging neighbor has passed to his reward. Rev. A. Klieber, pastor of the Third M. E. church of Detroit conducted the services.

### L. F. MEISNER BUYS INTEREST IN GARAGE.

L. F. Meisner, who is well and favorably known to the people of this section, has purchased a half interest in the garage business of Ralph L. Richardson and the business will be conducted under the firm name of Meisner & Richardson. In addition to doing a general garage business the firm will continue to handle the full line of Dodge Brothers' motor vehicles and will also maintain a service station for Dodge cars.

Before moving to the farm Mr. Meisner was a resident of this village for a number of years, and he graduated from the Northville schools. The Record wishes the new firm unbounded success.

### WIXOM WHISPERING.

Mrs. F. W. McDonald was in Detroit Tuesday.

W. R. Abrams was home from Flint over Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Sine was a Pontiac and Clarkston visitor, Tuesday.

Edward Dunkel of Ovid is visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. A. Kitson.

V. M. Spencer left Sunday for Los Angeles, Calif., where he will spend part of the winter.

Rev. H. F. Sayles left for his home in Chicago, Monday, after two weeks of evangelistic work here.

C. A. Hopkins and wife and Mrs. R. Chamberlain of Pontiac were Wixom callers, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovid McDonald of Northville spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDonald.

B. C. Decker and wife and W. M. Chambers and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Morris in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kitson and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Kitson and daughter, Geraldine of Williamston, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Morris in Detroit.

—EVERY PENNY A VOTE—

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### APPROPRIATE GIFTS FOR EVERYBODY



Cut-out, use below free Complimentary Coupon with any of below listed items.

Sporting Goods.	Vacuum Cleaners.
Food Choppers.	Tor Automobiles.
Silverware.	Cutlery.
Coaster Sleds.	Percolators.
Kiddie Cars.	Child's Velocipedes.
Razors.	Butcher Knives.
Razor Hones.	Skates.
Auto Fires and Tubes.	Auto Accessories.
Washing Machines.	Clothes Wringer.
Axe and Saw.	Thermos Kits.
Flashlight and Batteries.	Thermos Bottles.
Toy Wheelbarrows.	Class Shears.
Wagons.	Bicycles and Sundries.
Granite and Aluminum Ware.	"Pyrex" Glassware.
Guns or Rifles.	O-Cedar Dustless Mops.
Jack Knives.	Stoves and Ranges.
Sad Irons.	Paints and Brushes.
Thermometers.	Automobile Goods.

All Seasonable Goods.

## NOTICE!

DO NOT HOLD UP PENNY VOTE TICKETS ISSUED AT OUR STORE. EXPIRATION DATE IS STAMPED ON BACK. THEY ARE GOOD ONLY UNTIL 5 DAYS FROM DATE OF PURCHASE.

### FOURTH OFFICIAL VOTE

Any contestant, properly registered may enter Penny Vote contest at any time during the continuation of same.

Your vote tickets and complimentary voting coupons entitle you to vote for both cash prize and pony.

Two whole votes for 1 penny—goods purchased or paid on account.

#### STANDING CASH PRIZE CONTESTANTS.

St. Mary's Catholic Church	51,044	Joe McCordle	72,550
Lodge of Foresters	49,176	Earlene Walker	61,680
American Legion	25,203	Chuck Ely	19,744
N'ville Pres Church	19,009	Teddy Watts	17,681
Boy Scouts, Troop 1	12,380	Arthur Hills	9,697
N'ville M. E. Church	11,871	Ted Cavell	9,185
N'ville Baptist Church	9,305	Margaret Safford	5,975
Novi M. E. Church	8,397	Willie Allen	1,772
N'ville German Church	5,940	Arch Bradner	1,647
King's Daughters	4,630	Elsworth Cramer	1,510
Novi Baptist Church	4,342	Brent Munro	1,319
Salem Cong. Church	2,100	Arthur Sessions	856

#### SPECIAL 100 VOTES. SPECIAL.

This Coupon good for an Additional 100 Votes, both Cash and Pony Prizes, when presented at our store with \$1.00 or more purchase of any item of this Special Announcement, or for any Special order item paid for in advance.

I Vote for \_\_\_\_\_ Cash Prize

I Vote for \_\_\_\_\_ Pony Prize

This Coupon must be presented with your purchase at our store and receive the necessary O. K.

#### SPECIAL 100 VOTES. SPECIAL.

### CASH---\$ 190 --- CASH

#### One Live Saddled Pony

Will be distributed in Eight Grand Prizes—1st, \$70.00; 2nd, \$40.00; 3rd, \$25.00; 4th, \$15.00; next two, \$10.00 each; next two, \$5.00 each.

One Live Saddled Pony for some Boy or Girl, in compensation for the live interest our young generation extend in local, civic and business affairs.

This is no Scheme to deceive the Public. Our intentions are purely Business, and expect service rendered for the time and money invested.

### The Purpose of This Penny Vote Contest

Every Penny paid on account and every penny's worth of merchandise sold between November 25th and time of closing contest, December 23rd, will help to reduce our stock, inspire quicker interest in the matter of accounts receivable and make 1922 one of the banner years of our business existence.

The cash capital we expend for this contest is no more than the employment of professional sales service (our plan, the cash and pony remain in the community. We do not mean that our customers will have a depleted stock to select from, seasonable goods will be carried in stock at all times as near as possible.

This is strictly a home contest and we reserve the right only, to qualify any contestant or customer account within our usual trade jurisdiction, and to equally disqualify, if necessary should (unlikely), require. Get in line early. Write, phone or call at the store for information. Watch this space each week. Official result of vote in next week's issue of this paper.

THIS STORE WILL BE OPEN EVENINGS.

**JAMES A. HUFF, NORTHVILLE**

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FROM 122

MARK 122

Especially Then,  
Spence is golden—especially when  
you know you will not be in-  
factory to your wife—Boston Evening  
Transcript

**WE BUILD**  
Anything, Anywhere  
Any Time, for  
Anybody

We will help you plan and  
build your home. It will  
cost you nothing for us to  
give you an estimate.

**FRY & BOILLAT**  
Northville, Michigan.

## CHRISTMAS GROCERIES

For the happy Christmas  
season we will have a good  
assortment of Fresh Fruits  
and Vegetables—Oranges,  
Bananas, Apples, Celery,  
Lettuce, Choice Cabbage,  
Nuts and Candies.

We have some Odds and  
Ends of Dishes which we  
will close out at cost. You  
may be able to find just  
what you want in this as-  
sortment.

**Smoked Meats and Some  
Fresh Meats.**

Let us have your orders  
for Christmas Groceries as  
early as possible and we  
will be able to serve you  
promptly.

**E. A. KOHLER**  
Northville, Mich.

## CHRISTMAS

and Every day you  
can get

Something good to eat

Good smokes

and

Confections

at this restaurant and at rea-  
sonable prices. We special-  
ize in regular meals and  
short orders.

**Special Meal Tickets**  
for the week.

Buy your Christmas Ci-  
gars here—we have a good  
assortment.

**RED ARROW RESTAURANT**

M. Sassanelli, Propr.



## RADIO

Our Tube Set—the dependable Farm  
Special Radiophone which we have  
persistently kept before you through-  
out the summer season, with very  
modest claims for detection, has more  
than proved itself. Our radio log  
book is open for inspection. It  
shows together with any demon-  
strations we have ever made that an 800  
mile range is easily obtained and  
more distant points outwitted picked  
up. We believe that the lectures,  
musical entertainments, etc., from  
Newark, Schenectady, New York City,  
Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Indianapolis,  
Chicago, Louisville, St. Louis, Day-  
ton, Minneapolis, Kansas City, would  
hold your attention, with an occasional  
surprise from Atlanta, Fort Worth and  
Dallas, Texas, and Los Angeles, Calif.  
These are big claims. But our Ma-  
chine is Different. They are being  
placed rapidly and we shall soon enter  
production in volume. Get your set  
before the rush comes.

Our price is \$50.00 and this carries  
our guarantee.

Manufactured and distributed by  
**R. A. BROOKS CO.**  
NORTHVILLE, MICH.

## 'Bout Christmas

**T**HE kindling's all cut, and the base-  
ment swept,  
And everything is where it should  
be kept.  
In Jesse's he's most expected,  
Does other things least expected:  
That's my Son,  
On the run—  
For his dad,  
'Bout Christmas!

I have never to look for coat or hat.  
Neither to wonder where's this or that:  
At times I feel "Almost a King."  
So petted o'er, and everything:  
That's my Wife,  
Bet your life,  
"Dear Old Dad!"  
For her dad,  
'Bout Christmas!  
Woodward-Pemberton.

My slippers I find beside my chair,  
Kind attention for me, there—  
At times I feel "Almost a King."  
So petted o'er, and everything:  
That's my Wife,  
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## A TUNE for a PENNY

by Martha E.  
Thomas

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**I**n a dark old whistling  
man with the tin whistle  
felt a little discouraged? It  
it any wonder when the  
pavements were so cold, the  
wind so keen and his coat  
so thin? It seemed, on this  
shivery Christmas Eve, as  
if everything was trying to  
make life as dreary as possible,  
instead of as merry. It would not even  
snow. A fine, sharp drizzle, swept in  
under the bridge where the man with  
the tin whistle stood, and managed to  
get inside the tops of his boots and  
his collar and up his coat sleeves; it  
was very disappointing indeed.

Holiday season was usually a jolly  
one for pennies. Either people had a  
great deal more at that time, or they  
were bent on getting rid of those they  
had. The man with the tin whistle  
kept a little cup that possessed a most  
remarkable appetite for coppers! It  
could hold as many pennies as one  
gulf as a boy eating raisins out of a  
plum pudding; and that's saying a  
great deal! But today the little cup  
was almost empty. Nobody had time  
to stop and dig around in pockets for  
loose coins; it was too cold and then  
gloves bothered and they wanted to  
get home, where their children were  
waiting to clap their hands over the  
packages from the stores. The man  
with the tin whistle wanted to get  
home, too. He did not have any chil-  
dren waiting for him, and they would  
have had no bundles to squeal over if  
he did, but there was a funny, ragged  
dog that always expected something  
and danced around in a dizzy, delight-  
ful way that was very cheerful. But  
how could the man with the tin whis-  
tle go home when his fingers brought  
him nothing but numb fingers and a  
feeling in his feet as if they had  
turned to wood?

However, he screwed up his mouth,  
took a long breath, pretended that pen-  
nies were making his little cup ring  
like sleigh bells and played the gayest  
little tune you ever heard! It laughed  
its way up the windy stairs into the



station; it chuckled along the cold  
stones on the gray wall; it capered  
about the pavement like an elf doing  
a polka and was altogether the merri-  
est piece of business in that particular  
spot that had happened for years. The  
man with the tin whistle was thinking  
about Ravelings, his dog at home, and  
I'm convinced it put something into  
his tune that was irresistible. For let  
me tell you! In two minutes who  
should come running down the steps  
in front of him but a young lady with  
the pinkest cheeks and the laugh-  
ing eyes he had ever seen. She was  
smiling at him as though she had  
known him all her life.

"I love that tune!" she said. "It al-  
ways makes me want to skip my feet.  
You can't think how nice it is to hear  
it this miserable night. Thank you!"  
And the little cup had the surprising  
mouthful of a quarter.

"There's supper for me and Ravel-  
ings," thought the man with the tin  
whistle, as he tipped his hat.

And before he could decide whether  
it would be hot dogs or soup, some-  
body else was smiling at him. This  
time it was a quiet man with gray  
hair.

"I always look for you when I come  
down the stairs," said the man. "and I  
like to hear those rollicking little  
tunes you play. It cheers a man up  
after a long day's work. Merry  
Christmas!" And, if you'll believe me,  
the quiet man with the gray hair  
tossed in half a dollar! The little tin  
cup rattled importantly and gave every  
indication of being ready for anything  
after this.

On went the frolicking melody. On  
came the pennies. The man with the

## Week's News in Brief

**Kilauea Volcano Again Active.**  
Honolulu, T. H.—Kilauea volcano  
awakened from an inactivity  
which has lasted since May. Great  
flows of lava are pouring forth in  
the crater, in some places hurling  
molten flow 10 to 15 feet in the

**Hughes Goes Up Smoking.**  
Washington—Secretary of State  
Hughes, although a smoker for 35  
years, has given up the use of tobacco  
for all time. He made the fact known  
in acknowledging the gift of a huge  
box of choice cigars from El Mundo,  
leading Cuban newspaper.

**Legless "Beggars" Fined \$500.**  
New York—Frederick Hammill,  
legless peddler, who was found to be  
the owner of a specially built \$5000  
automobile when he was arrested last  
week, was convicted of disorderly con-  
duct by Magistrate Ryanberg and  
fined in \$500 bail, pending sentence.

**Tennessee Wants Woman Senator.**  
Washington—An appeal for the ap-  
pointment of a woman to succeed  
Senator Shields of Tennessee in the  
U. S. Senate, following the death of  
Senator Shields, was made to Gov.  
Taylor of Tennessee by the Na-  
tional Woman's Party.

**Sanctuary Leaves Victims Shivering.**  
Kansas City, Mo.—A new type of  
cold-up man, who strips his luckless  
victims and leaves them shivering in

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tin whistle stood, and managed to get inside the tops of his  
boots and his collar and up his coat sleeves; it was very  
disappointing indeed.

**African Wives Cost More.**  
Chicago—The price of wives in Af-  
rica has jumped from five head of  
cattle to seven according to Rev. R.  
Taylor of Nairobi in an address  
before the congregation of the  
Central Baptist church of the city.

**Head Rewards Loyal Employees.**  
Little Rock, Tenn.—President Faw-  
cett of the Southern Railway  
has given a letter to every employ-  
ee of the company during the  
strike expressing appreciation  
and offering a gift of either  
a year's vacation or prefer-  
ential treatment.

**Club Elects "Baby Tender."**  
Little Rock, Tenn.—The women's  
club here voted to add  
an office of "Baby Tender." The  
club elected Mrs. J. L. Aubrey for  
the term, and instructed her that  
her duties will be to watch the in-  
crease while the mothers deliver in-  
fants. Provisions for the establish-  
ment of a baby check room were  
also voted.

**Co's Marries Third Time.**  
New York—Jerome Uhl, painter  
and opera singer is to be married  
the third time to the woman he  
married in 1904—then Miss El-  
len Morris, daughter of Henry E.  
Morris of Philadelphia. The  
marriage will be solemnized in Rome.  
Uhl said, the former Mrs. Uhl and  
her daughter, having sailed for Eu-  
rope October 5.

**Over Eating Hard on Buttons.**  
Chicago—American men are getting  
fatter to the detriment of vest but-  
tons and longevity, according to a sur-  
vey just completed by the National  
Life Insurance company. The expan-  
sion of the waist line according to  
this survey, is due to over eating and  
indulgence in sweets. Always leave  
a little hunger, is a motto sug-  
gested to offset the conditions.

**23rd Child Born to Couple.**  
Lynchburg, Va.—Mr and Mrs. Fred  
O. Shaner, residents of Madison  
heights a suburb of this city, are re-  
ceiving congratulations on the advent  
of their twentieth child, a boy weigh-  
ing 10 pounds and being larger than  
any of the previous 19. Seventeen of  
the 20 children are living, and all of  
them have been born singly save one  
of twins. Mr and Mrs. Shaner  
have been married 25 years.

**Cal's Profiteers "Dirty Murderers"**  
Washington—War profiteers were  
placed in the category of "dirty mur-  
ders" by Dr. George P. Horst, of Chi-  
cago, in an address before the sixty-  
seventh annual session of the Synod  
at Baltimore. Dr. Horst excoriated  
the practice of certain lawyers, who,  
he said, pretending to help ex-servic-  
emen pierce the red tape surrounding  
effortment of the claims but appropri-  
ated the entire amount after it had  
been obtained for counsel fees.

**Nervous Prostration Hits Rich.**  
Chicago—Nervous prostration is a  
disease of the "luxurious tribe," Dr.  
Francis G. Peabody, dean of Harvard  
University, declared. Speaking on the  
subject "Work and Rest" he declared  
that where one scrub woman has a  
nervous breakdown, there are 100 of  
the idle rich with the same ailment.

**Gov. Blaine Dares Mellon.**  
Madison, Wis.—Gov. John J. Blaine,  
of Wisconsin, progressive Republican,  
who was criticized in an interview by  
Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the  
Treasury, has replied in a telegram  
daring Mr. Mellon to make public the  
names of certain corporations and  
millionaires, and the amount of taxes  
refunded to them. "This no doubt  
would explain why there is a loss to  
the Federal Government in tax reve-  
nues, in 1922, of over a billion dol-  
lars," Gov. Blaine's telegram said.

## Week's News in Brief

**Town Hall, Built in 1797, Burns.**  
Norfolk, Mass.—The town hall here,  
built in 1797 and used as a church  
until 1870, was burned. Valuable  
records were destroyed by the fire.

**Newberry to Visit India.**  
New York—Former Senator and  
Mrs. Truman H. Newberry will sail  
for India on the liner Majestic, Janu-  
ary 6. They will be gone six months.

**Justice Pittney's Retirement Ok'd.**  
Washington—The retirement of  
Associate Justice Mahlon Pittney of  
Morristown, N. J., from the United  
States supreme court was finally ap-  
proved by congress.

**Six Aviators Die in Crash.**  
Langley Field—Six army aviators  
were killed here when a Martin bomb-  
ing plane carrying four enlisted men  
and an officer, and a Pottier plane,  
which had just taken off the ground,  
collided about 200 feet in the air.

**More Aid for War's Crippled.**  
Washington—Armless, legless or  
blind veterans of the World war would  
receive \$50 a month to hire attend-  
ants instead of \$20 as heretofore un-  
der a Senate bill passed by the  
House and sent to the President.

**Exams for Marriage Applicants.**  
Angora—Rules laid down by the  
Turkish Nationalist government pro-  
vide that all persons intending mar-  
riage must submit to medical exam-  
ination. Violations will result in se-  
vere punishment and annulment of  
the marriage.

**Uggs: Old Fashioned Spanking.**  
New York—An old-fashioned spank-  
ing week, with a "careful, prayerful  
spanking" administered to the boys  
and girls of today will enable them  
to become better citizens, Mrs. Smith  
Altoid told the meeting of the Big  
Brothers and Sisters.

**Court Upholds School Fraternities.**  
Jefferson City, Mo.—High school  
fraternities scored a great victory in  
the Missouri supreme court when the  
court held that students have the  
right to become members of secret  
societies and enjoined school boards  
from enforcing the rule against such  
organizations.

**Chained Prisoner Jumps Train.**  
San Francisco, Cal.—Wearing a  
ball and chain and bare-footed, Wil-  
ham Kuhn, 22 years old, en route to  
Pomero, Wash., where he broke  
jail some time ago, while serving a  
sentence for larceny, leaped from a  
moving train at Willows and escaped  
from a deputy sheriff taking him  
back.

**Praises U. S. Yanks on Rhine.**  
Coblenz—The American forces in  
Germany are the best troops ever  
seen, said Lieutenant Colonel W. B.  
Causey, technical adviser to Austria,  
upon his repatriation for Vienna. He  
said the United States should be proud  
of the way in which the force is car-  
rying out the occupation of German  
territory.

**Has Third Set of Teeth.**  
London—Harry Gardner turned his  
88th year Dec. 5, possessed of a third  
set of teeth and rejuvenated eyesight.  
A year ago Mr. Gardner was forced  
to eat soft foods and wear glasses,  
but the only defect from which he  
now suffers is poor hearing. Physi-  
cians say that he is beginning to de-  
velop new tissue.

**Judge Would Bar Klansmen.**  
Philadelphia—Ku Klux Klansmen  
should be barred from juries, accord-  
ing to Judge William M. Lewis, of the  
municipal court here. "Bigoted ju-  
rors such as klansmen would not give  
a square deal to persons of certain  
races and creeds," the judge said.  
"Either the oath of the Klan or the  
oath of the juror would have to be  
violated."

**Farmers Told to "Shoot First."**  
Philadelphia—"Shoot first," ask  
questions afterward," is the order  
that has gone out to farmers of  
Montgomery, Delaware and Chester  
counties following what now appears  
to be a definitely planned series of  
burn burnings during the last few  
weeks. A total of 26 barns have  
been destroyed with an estimated loss  
of more than \$175,000.

**Bargain Marriages for 39 Cents.**  
Kingsley, Iowa—Marriages were  
performed here at the bargain price  
of 39 cents. Spinster and bachelors,  
who admitted their classification, were  
wed for nine cents per couple by May-  
or Wormley. Three couples were  
united at the bargain rate. The first  
day of a general bargain day sale  
being put on by merchants of the  
town. Banks shaved 11 off notes.

**Governor Blaine Dares Mellon.**  
Madison, Wis.—Gov. John J. Blaine,  
of Wisconsin, progressive Republican,  
who was criticized in an interview by  
Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the  
Treasury, has replied in a telegram  
daring Mr. Mellon to make public the  
names of certain corporations and  
millionaires, and the amount of taxes  
refunded to them. "This no doubt  
would explain why there is a loss to  
the Federal Government in tax reve-  
nues, in 1922, of over a billion dol-  
lars," Gov. Blaine's telegram said.

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**LADIES** are given SPECIAL invitation to the  
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from 8:00 to 10:30.

**PROGRAM.**

**Monday—Business Men's league, 7 to 9:30 p. m.**  
Detroit Big Five vs. German's Specials  
follow league for \$25.00 prize.

**Tuesday—Business Men's league, 7 to 9:30 p. m.**  
Carleton Bus. Men vs. Macomb Co. Boys  
follow league.

**Thursday—Trolley League at 8:00 o'clock.**

Jiff's Bears vs. Plymouth Games.

**Wednesday—Ypsilanti Stars vs. Northville at**

8:00 o'clock. Something adding.

**Friday—Junior League at 8:00 o'clock.**

Dr. Snow's Tigers vs. High Rollers.

**Saturday—Always something doing.** Three

alleys to bowl on, hot dog, sandwiches and

candy to eat on and good seats to sit on

while you visit, smoke, etc.

3 kinds sandwiches, hot dog, cheese and ham.

2 kinds of five and ten cent bar candy.

25 brands of best American and imported Cigars

6 kinds of American and Turkish Cigarettes.

5 brands best and popular Chewing Tobacco.

6 brands of most popular Smoking Tobacco.

10 kinds of best Soft Drinks, just off the ice.

Well, I guess you had better drop in and see

what is going on, anyway. Then you can say

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### BARGAINS IN HOMESITES

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It offers unexcelled advantages. High bluffs,  
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**Poison Gas is Solidified.**  
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**Rare Brand of Pigeon.**  
The Belgians are great pigeon breeders, and one of the choicest birds of this kind is the true Antwerp carrier, which is comparatively rare.

**Whole Meat is Jap Delicacy.**  
The Japanese consider salted whale meat a delicacy. The whales are caught off the coast of Korea and the flesh and blubber are cut up and sent to Japan for sale as food.

**Famous Roman Highway.**  
The Appian way is the oldest and most famous of the Roman military highways. It was begun by Appius Claudius Caecus in 312 B. C. and originally extended from Rome to Capua, about 120 miles.

**Coal Output in United States.**  
Existing coal mines in the United States can produce from 700,000,000 to 900,000,000 tons a year.

**Old-Time Wedding Custom.**  
In Tudor times women went bareheaded to be married, with bagpipes and fiddlers before them, and they entered the church by the great door only. In some places they carried wheat sheaves on their heads and corn was cast in their faces, with shouts of "plenty! plenty!"

**"Put" and "Call."**  
A "put" is a contract which gives its possessor the right to deliver to the party signing the same a certain amount of stock at a named price during the time stated in the contract. A "call" is a contract which gives its possessor the right to demand from the party signing the same a certain amount of stock at a named price during the time stated in the contract.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Items taken from The Record files of 1897, for the week corresponding to this week.

Mrs. T. J. Perkins is in town for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Beal arrived home last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Murdoch will spend Christmas in Ypsilanti.

Miss Harvey Root is spending two weeks among Jackson friends.

The marriage of Mrs. Melissa Fox to Charles Dingman took place this week.

Mrs. Grace Allen, who is at Harper hospital, Detroit, is slightly improving.

Miss S. Little Johnson will spend Christmas with her mother in Ypsilanti.

Miss Helen Harper of Milford, was the guest of Miss Nina Clark over Sunday.

Mrs. M. J. Murphy of Peoria, Ill., has been among Northville relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Holcomb's little girl who has been ill for five weeks, is convalescent.

The days of the better part of the week were enlivened by the merry jingle of sleighbells.

Miss Jennie Barley and brother, Will, leave tomorrow for a ten days' visit in the Queen's land.

Twelve little girl friends of Lona Murdoch gave her a surprise after school last week on the occasion of her birthday.

Arthur Nichols, a Northville boy was in the Normal oratorical contest at Ypsilanti Saturday, and was awarded the \$30 gold prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Edwards and daughter, Vergie of Drayton Plains, are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Roberts.

Fred Larkins, formerly of this place, left last week to accept a position as head book-keeper for the Southern Lumber Co. of Junction City, Ark.

Married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wingard Tuesday noon of this week by Rev. Ward, Mr. George Biggs of Denton to Miss Corwin of Grayling.

Dr. Thomas Henry of this place and Miss Mae Heisington of Detroit were united in marriage in one of the Methodist suburban churches of Detroit on Wednesday. They will make their future home in Mr. Adams' residence.

Donna, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Yerkes of Milford, died Monday evening. The funeral occurred from the Milford Baptist church yesterday noon, and the remains were brought here for burial in Rural II.

Preston A. Per was shot in the arm while hunting rabbits Monday. Fortunately no bones were shattered or arteries severed and Preston will receive his Christmas presents with his old time vigor, though obliged to carve the family turkey with one hand.

On Tuesday evening the ladies of the Maccabees elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Alice Whitaker, Past Commander, Jennie McCullough, Lady Commander, Jennie Nevison, Lieutenant Georgia Tinnam, Record Keeper, McGee Evans, Finance Keeper, Mae McCullough, Sergeant, Nettie Ely, Mistress-at-Arms, Catherine Wing, Sentinel, A. Garfield, Picket, Sarah Palmer, Chaplain.

## Novi News.

John Green is now the proud possessor of a new Ford car.

Mrs. Clarence Smith and children visited Detroit friends last Friday.

Mrs. D. Donelson spent last Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Lyon, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Root are in attendance at the State Grange held in Kalamazoo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Woodruff left for Wandula, Florida, last Thursday evening to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris and Wesley Rosenberg of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Flint, recently.

Mrs. Will Melow had charge of the grab-bag at the Ladies' Aid bazaar, at the German church at Farmington last Wednesday.

The Cheerful Workers realized about \$30 from their bazaar held in the town hall here, last Friday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Lizzie Coates, has purchased the John Green place east of Frank Deer's store and will remodel it in the spring after her return from the west.

The people of the Baptist church are encouraged over the increase in attendance and interest in the Sunday school and are planning to do more community work than ever before.

All will be welcome to any and all of the church services.

Mrs. Jessie Clark is entertaining her daughter and family of St. Paul, Minn., and after spending a week in Novi and Detroit Mr. and Mrs. Mothersill and daughter will spend a few days in St. Louis, where Mrs. Clark will join them and accompany them home for the winter.

Novi certainly has its attractions for even diamonds return after many days. About six years ago a young man working for E. J. Verduyn took French leave, taking with him Mrs. Verduyn's diamond ring. A week ago this same young man returned and hired out to Jim Lapham, and was there recognized. After being taken into custody, confessed the theft and to the selling of the ring in Jackson to a young lady who had had the ring reset, but upon proof surrendered it and Mrs. Verduyn is much pleased to again have it in her possession.

The Woman's Mission Band closed its contest by a very pleasant afternoon spent at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Osborn last week, Wednesday.

The blue team won, having earned \$75. The pinks not far behind, turned in nearly \$65, and owing to the previous decision the losing side furnished the eats, which they did to perfection, giving their guests a bountiful spread, which was much enjoyed and appreciated by the winners, who were served at a table by themselves in the parlors.

At the close of the dinner hour they arose from their places, passed into the dining room and surrounding the table where the pinks sat, gave their yell, following with the Novi Mission Band.

Team "That's All-Right."

Capt. "Who's All-Right?"

Team "The Blues, yes also the Pinks, for they gladly furnished the eats and drinks."

This was followed by applause by the pinks. In the afternoon their experiences were given, some having been given in verse which will be published later by request of the society.

Mrs. Lizzie Coates left Tuesday for California, where she will spend the balance of the winter with relatives and friends. She has promised to write a letter regarding her trip which will be published in The Record.

There's a stir among the trees,  
There's a whisper in the breeze,  
Little ice-points dash and clank,  
Little needles nod and wink,  
Sturdy fir-trees sway and sigh—  
"Here we lie! Here we lie!"

"All the summer long I stood  
In the silence of the woods,  
Tall and tapering I grew;  
What might happen well I knew;  
For one day's little bird  
Sang, and in the song I heard  
Many things quite strange to me  
Of Christmas and the Christmas tree.

"When the sun was hid from sight  
In the darkness of the night,  
When the wind with sudden fret  
Pulled at my green coronet,  
Staunch I stood, and hid my fears,  
Weeping silent, fragrant tears,  
Praying still that I might be  
Fitted for a Christmas tree.

"Now here we stand  
On every hand  
In us a hoard of summer stored,  
Birds have flown over us,  
Blue sky has covered us,  
Soft winds have sung to us,  
Blossoms have hung to us,  
Measureless sweetness,  
Now in completeness  
We wait."

—Mary F. Butts.

THEY brought their gifts to grandma:  
A good gray flannel sack,  
A neat little bag for her spectacles,  
And a cushion for her back.  
Mother had bought some slippers,  
The very best she could find,  
And father had bought a rocking-chair  
Of the good grandmotherly kind.

Aunt Nancy had made a night-cap,  
With bands of tucking and lace,  
And cousin had brought her an apron,  
And Jenny a kerchief and vase;  
But the things that she sat and fondled  
Till the Christmas lights burned low,  
Till her cheeks grew pink and dim her eye  
You never could guess, I know.

A card with a wreath of holly,  
And a jolly old Santa Claus,  
A cunning kitten cushion  
With a gray ball in his paws,  
A bottle of rose perfumery,  
And, oh, such a funny thing!  
The baby's gift of peppermints  
Tied up with a crimson string.

—M. M. Huey.

Ancient Superstition.  
Dancing was considered essential at weddings in early times, and if a youngest daughter married before her elder sisters they must dance at the wedding without shoes. This would counteract the ill luck and procure them husbands.

## To Take Out Creak.

If shoes squeak saturate the soles with linseed or sweet oil or melted lard. Let the shoes stand in one of these lubricants overnight. Many punch a small hole through the sole and the inner lining above it and say this will effectively stop the creak or squeak.

## Herrick's Daffodils.

Herrick was the true flower poet, however, and he has the most beautiful thoughts and fancies about them. He hated them to fade, even to close, and his verses "To daisies—not to lose so soon" are charming. He wrote of the primrose, the tulip, the violet, of "strawberry beds," "hands-of-cowslip" and "crowns of honeysuckle." His lines "To Daffodils" are among the best of English literature. From "Flowers in Literature" by John O'Sullivan's Weekly.

## The Public School.

The public school is more than the intellectual expression of democracy; it is the hope, the strength, the beauty of democracy; its way and truth, and life.—Dallas Lare Sharp in Harper's Magazine.

## Australian Gold.

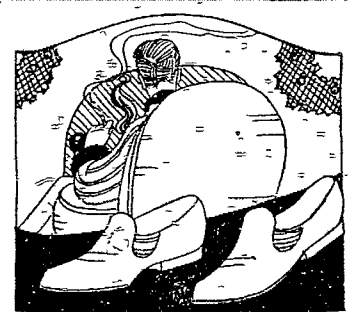
It was in 1851, two years after the finding of gold in California, that the precious metal was discovered in Australia. In 65 years two and one-half billions of 96 per cent pure gold were produced there.

Umbrellas Considered Effeminate.  
The umbrellas were first introduced into America in the latter part of the 16th century, their use was so rare almost exclusively to women as it was regarded as very effeminate to carry one.

# Christmas Suggestions

## Shoes Slippers Golasches

Make the most desirable Christmas Presents you can select. We carry a line of reliable goods at prices that please.

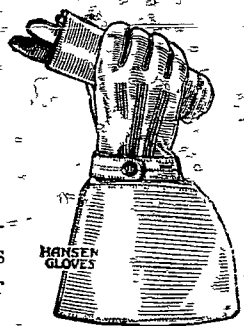


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—none better made.  
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1 Set of Bob Sleighs. 1 Hay Rack and Box. Stoneboat.  
1 5 h. p. Gasoline Engine and Feed Mill.  
1 Cider Press. 1 King Cream Separator.  
1 Water Cooled Separator. 1 Hand Spray.  
1 Feed Cutter. 1 Large Caldron Kettle.  
175 ft. Hay Rope, Fork and Pulleys. 1 Double Harness.  
1 Single Harness. Hames, Collars and Other Articles.  
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## GRANDMOTHER'S CHRISTMAS

THEY brought their gifts to grandma:

A good gray flannel sack,

A neat little bag for her spectacles,

And a cushion for her back.

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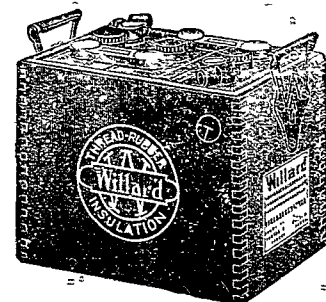
A bottle of rose perfumery,

And, oh, such a funny thing!

The baby's gift of peppermints

Tied up with a crimson string.

—M. M. Huey.



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## NORTHVILLE SCHOOL NOTES.

Northville High school won its first debate last Friday evening when our team met the Farmington team at that place. Our team is composed of the following members: Ada Ely, Starr Northrop and Raymond Watts. Miss Altha Yakes is coach. A teacher for the Birmingham High school acted as judge. It was a well prepared debate. The members worked faithfully and conscientiously in its preparation and the results reflect credit upon both coach and pupils. About fifty people were present from Northville to boost our team, outnumbering the Farmington rooters by three to one.

Last week was a very eventful week for Northville High school. The week was devoted to the cause of education and no one can deny the success of the plan as observed by the Northville High school. One of the outstanding events of the week was the physical training exhibition given by the boys and girls of the High school. Any one who saw the demonstration will vouch for its success. It was one of the most interesting and helpful programs ever put on by the school, and reflects much credit upon the instructors in charge, Mrs. Cooke and Mr. Ensing. Another exhibition will be given after the holidays in order to give more people a chance to see just what is being done in our school along this line.

Miss Churza of Detroit, is giving an extension class in nutrition to some of the teachers of the Northville schools once per week. The course lasts fifty-two minutes and gives promise of being a very helpful and interesting course.

The class games in basket ball commenced Wednesday night and will continue through next week. The results will be announced later.

The Northville school radio will be used for a radio sermon to be given in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening.

The High School orchestra met at the home of Milton Schulte last Monday evening for rehearsal. A large number of new pieces have been purchased which makes the rehearsals more interesting. The next practice will be at the High school next Monday evening from 7 to 9.

Friday Northville meets Walled Lake for the first basket ball game of the season. It is expected a number from here will go with the team.

Miss Whipple is busily engaged in drilling a play which will be given at the Christmas exercises one week from Friday. It is also expected that the play will be given before the patients at the Sanitarium.

Mrs. Babbitt of the Sixth grade is working with her pupils on a play which will be given before the patients at the Sanitarium sometime next week.

## PERSONAL.

Re. E. J. Ball's will spend Sunday at Keweenaw.

Mrs. Helen Kidd is visiting her son in Detroit and will remain several weeks.

Mrs. Clara Rice is spending a few days with her son, Frank Rice, and family in Novi.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Simmons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ditz in Detroit.

Mrs. C. C. Yerkes visited Mr. Yerkes at Mt. Clemens Sunday and found his condition somewhat improved.

Mrs. Howard Hall was brought home from Detroit Sunday, where she had been in a hospital receiving treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Perkins will leave today for Chicago and points in the south and will be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Simmons of the Base Line and Dr. and Mrs. Switzer of Farmington were guests of Mrs. J. M. Simmons, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tewksbury and children spent Sunday in Romeo. John Tewksbury of Cass City, who spent part of the week with his brother, accompanied them.

Mrs. H. M. White left this week for Washington, D. C., where she will visit her niece for a couple of months. Many Northville friends wish her a pleasant visit and a safe return.

Mrs. Ida Joslin of Detroit, was in Northville a couple of days last week. She left Detroit this week for California, where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Ball.

## SANTA CLAUS IN PERSON COMING.

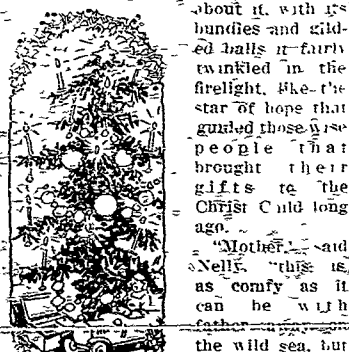
As we closed our forms yesterday afternoon a wireless message announced that Santa Claus will appear in person in Northville on Saturday night of next week. We cannot at present give any details regarding his visit except to say he will surely be here. Particulars next week.

## The Lighted Candle

By Christopher G. Hazard

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"I'M SORRY for anyone who has to be out tonight," said Mrs. Gentle, as she drew down the window shades and stirred the hearth fire, shutting the light in and the darkness out and sending a host of sparks up the chimney to scare away the storm. The disappointed wind howled in its rage and shook the house, the snow whirled about and heaped itself up the cold tried to get in at every crack and crevice, but Nelly and her mother were as snug and safe as any Christmas eve could wish to find them. The Christmas tree looked all ready for the youngsters who were fast asleep upstairs and dreaming about it with its bundles and kitted balls in the twilight, like the star of hope that guided those wise people that brought their gifts to the Christ Child long ago.



"Mother," said Nelly, "this is as comfy as it can be with the wild sea, but I don't quite like to have the outside of the house all dark. I like to think of friendly highhouses when it storms and of our house as a kindly guide in the darkness."

"Well," answered her mother, "suppose we do as they did in that lovely story we read the other day and put a candle in the window to guide the Christ Child through the storm, and you can hang up another stocking, in case he should come."

So the four stockings by the chimney corner became five, a shade was lifted a little to give a glimpse of the pleasant room, and the lighted candle sent its beams out into the stormy night looking for any little wanderer who might be astray. The cheering cry played with the snowflakes and they seemed to feel invited in as they pressed upon the window panes.

While they sat there listening and looking there came a step on the stairs and there was Tommy, in his nightgown and peeking through the half-opened door. "Eating to see Santa Claus he was about to flee up to his room again but Nelly caught him and said that he must sing them a song first as a punishment for his untidiness. Tommy had just learned a new song so he was willing enough and this was it:

"The little brothers set out together to journey the feting day in a curio carting all made of leather they hurried away away from the brother and three quite small they were fellow no size at all."

The carriage was dark and not too roomy. They could not move about. The five little brothers grew quite gloomy. The wee one began to pout. "What do you say?"

"Let's leave the carriage and run away."

So off they scampered the five together. For away they sped. Nelly somebody found the carriage of the little brothers.

"Oh, my! How she shook her head!"

"That's a little boy's shoe as everyone knows."

The five little brothers were five little boys.

"I was with a boy named Tommy who was a little boy."

The fire was burning low and so the candle sent its beams out into the stormy night looking for any little wanderer who might be astray.

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So off they scampered the five together. For away they sped. Nelly somebody found the carriage of the little brothers.

"Oh, my! How she shook her head!"

"That's a little boy's shoe as everyone knows."

The five little brothers were five little boys.

"I was with a boy named Tommy who was a little boy."

## LOCAL.

Messrs. Starr Root of Detroit and A. Drew Hook of this village left Monday for Florida, where they will remain several weeks.

Several new books for children will be put in the Library at Christmas time. Why not buy Library cards for the children's Christmas gift? C. F. S. Hall will be in his office in The Record building on Saturdays and Mondays to assist those who desire to make application for automobile licenses.

Northville friends will be pleased to learn that Harold Belles is a member of the University of Michigan which took part in the Detroit News radio concert last week Thursday night. The quartet will sing at the Strand theatre in Lansing next week, being engaged for three concerts daily. The quartet is one of the most popular organizations at the University and are in great demand.

## Walled Lake Warbles.

H. S. Wheeler of Pontiac, suggests that every property owner in Oakland county plant a few climbing rose bushes along fences and near their buildings. The cost would be only a few cents for each bush, the growth is very rapid and in two or three years we would have a county of beautiful lakes and roses, and if properly advertised, would be known throughout the United States as the "County Beautiful." Nature has been good to Oakland county and we should help all we can, in his advice.

L. V. Benknap, county highway engineer, declares that the work done this past year by the inmates of the mission was more than satisfactory. The commission could not have had the work done as cheaply any other way, and unless unforeseen circumstances arise before next spring the commission will probably want to continue the experiment next year.

This evening preceding the basket ball game between Walled Lake and Northville High school teams, Dr. Richert will give an address on "Teeth and Health."

An art sale will be conducted by the members of the art and science club of the High school this Friday afternoon, when hand painted articles made by the members will be offered for sale.

Do your Christmas shopping in Northville.

## RECORD LINERS PAY TRY ONE.

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WANTED—To buy a 12-coil hot water radiator 30 inches high, in good condition. J. G. Alexander, Northville. 22w1c

Have a proposition to offer a good, live salesman, full or part time. See Mr. Bachelder, Allison-Bachelder Motor Sales, Plymouth, Mich. 22-1c

WANTED—Representative to sell our "automobile insurance in Northville and vicinity. Exclusive territory. Please reply fully, giving any information which may assist us in deciding upon your qualifications for position. Central Mutual Auto Insurance Company, 155 W. Congress street, Detroit, Mich. 22-1c

AUTO LICENSES—I will be glad to assist any one in making out their application for 1923 auto licenses; full assortment of blanks on hand. G. H. Baker. 22-25

FOR SALE—Walnuts; also R. I. Reds. Earl Baughman, 2 miles south of Northville, out Center street. 22-1p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply at E. A. Kohler's, Plymouth avenue. 22w1p

LOST—Last week Wednesday, a Jap robe, on the streets of Northville. Finder please leave at this office. Reward. 21w2c

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank The King's Daughters, members of the Sophomore class and the many other friends for the kind messages sent me and the beautiful flowers contributed during my illness. Beverly Terrill. 21w2c

CARD OF THANKS—We desire to express our sincere thanks to the kind neighbors and friends for their assistance during our great bereavement in the sudden death of our beloved husband and father, especially Mr. Schrader for his kindness and for the service he rendered and to Mr. Benedict for the beautiful flowers furnished. Mrs. Rudolph Jaska and Family. 21w2c

## MRS. ALBERT SESSIONS DIED MONDAY.

Mrs. Albert Sessions died at her home in Salem Monday after an illness of a year or more. She was born in Germany and came to this country and to Northville with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Brassow. She was born September 28th, 1883. She was survived by a sister and brother, William and Elsie Brassow. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the church in Salem. Besides her husband she leaves three children. Interment took place at Rural Hall cemetery.

## NOTICE TO NOVI TAXPAYERS.

Beginning Tuesday, December 19th, I will receive taxes at the following time and places: Tuesdays, at Frank Deger's store, Novi; Saturdays at the Northville State Savings Bank, Northville. Fridays, December 22nd and January 5th, at People's Bank, Walled Lake; Friday, December 29th, at Pearsall's store, Wixom.

FRANK D. CLARK, Treasurer Novi Township.

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## FORESTERS OF AMERICA

Dec. 23rd, Election of Officers. Wm. K. Green, Louis Lanning, Flin. Secy. Chief Ranger.

## NOTICE TO MASTER MASONS.

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## Community Christmas Booth

Santa Claus will Appear in Person  
Place--Band Stand Corner  
Time--Saturday Evening, Dec. 23d

Under Direction Northville Exchange Club

## HOW A FRAYED TEMPER MADE A BETHANY DINNER PARTY NOTABLE

The spot-light of history has been focused upon many people and these folks stand out forever as types.

The two sisters of Lazarus of Bethany came into prominence one early spring day when they were having an honored guest for dinner.

One sister spent a great deal of time in conversation with the visitor, in fact, the talk was so interesting that part of the work was delayed and the other sister complained about it.

Criticism of sister and guest worry over the unfinished work—a temper frizzled and worn—a real family explosion.

This human picture of a housekeeper who tries to entertain but cannot see the use of doing all the work all alone is the incident for study Sunday.

Recall how a case of nerves has disarranged many a fairly good day. Put yourself in the place of Martha or Mary and see what you think of the situation.

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After the trees have been stripped of their gifts and the stockings have been rifled of their contents—after Merry Christmas has been acclaimed in all the homes of this section—after the family have all been gathered around the hearthstone for a joyous celebration—then is the time you will be glad you ordered your

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Will M. Maupin

THE years may come, the years may go, with seasons drear or fair,  
And winters add their graying touch till snow white is my hair;  
The cares of life may bear me down through long years' busy days,  
And fainter grow the sunset's glow before my dimming gaze.  
But naught can take away the joys that Christmas brings to me—  
When I can board the rushing train that's pulled by Memory  
And travel back to youthful days to take new heart of grace.  
While wraiths of Childhood's friends troop round the Christmas fireplace.

I see the old school house that stood beneath the swaying oaks,  
Whose supple limbs oft worried me with luscious downward strokes;  
I see again the star-eyed maid whose face illumed with smile  
Made Fortune's road to wealth and fame of that old school-house aisle.  
The swimming hole, the big nut trees, the berry thickets wide  
All come to me on Memory's train when falls the evening tide.  
And gazing in the fire I see each youthful, smiling face  
When wraiths of Childhood's friends troop round the Christmas fireplace.

The years may come, the years may go, but while life's given me  
I'll sit before the Christmas blaze and live in Memory  
The long-gone days of childhood joys and be a boy again  
To live again the old, old days in Memory—and then  
Cast off the years with all their load and with the girls and boys  
Have fullest part with youthful zest in all their Christmas joys.  
An easy chair, the briar pipe with smoke wreaths curling grace,  
While wraiths of Childhood's friends troop round the Christmas fireplace.

### FARM CLUB WORK HELD SUCCESSFUL.

The first year of specialized boys' farm club work in Oakland county, even when measured on a commercial basis alone, has been a great success, according to George H. Kimball, Jr., county boys' club leader, who is now preparing his annual farm club report for the government.

Boys' clubs which had commercial projects this year were able to produce excess livestock and produce worth \$2,600, according to Mr. Kimball. Three potato clubs have \$1,000 worth of certified seed potatoes for sale. One pig club was able to raise surplus pigs for breeding and pork worth \$1,000. One sheep club raised surplus sheep, lambs and wool worth \$600. Although cost figures that are accurate are not available, Mr. Kimball believes that the margin and profit was sufficiently large to enable the farm boys to call their ventures financial success in the strictest sense of the term.

The value of the work from the educational and character building standpoint he believes are beyond estimation.—Pontiac Press.

### POSTOFFICE MADE ATTRACTIVE.

The interior of the postoffice has been newly painted and decorated during the past week, making Uncle Sam's headquarters in this village very attractive, but much too small. If the department at Washington desired to give Northville people the service the town deserves, at least one additional clerk would be provided. The business of the office is too large to be cared for by the postmaster and one clerk which is now allowed by the department. There are a lot of third class postoffices throughout the country that need just as much help as many of the second class offices and the Northville office is one of them. Owing to departmental red tape Postmaster Tatham is compelled to do the best he can. If the fellows down at Washington who sit in swivel chairs most of the time were compelled to work under difficulties which daily confront Mr. Tatham and his efficient assistant they would cry aloud for an additional appropriation for more help and for larger and better quarters.

### FARMINGTON BOY KILLED BY TRUCK.

Hillard Fisher, Jr., 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hillard Fisher, Grand

ington, was instantly killed at 7:30

Thursday evening when he leaped from a motor truck driven by William Stephenson, of South Lyon, and was crushed beneath one wheel.

The accident, according to Stephenson, who made a statement to Coroner O. C. Farmer, occurred in front of the boy's home. Hillard was walking along the road when Stephenson drove along from Detroit. The boy held out his hand and asked for a ride, Stephenson says, and rode the short distance to his home on the running board. Stephenson applied the brakes, to stop the truck in front of the Fisher home as the boy asked him to do, but instead of waiting for the machine to stop, Stephenson says he leaped from it while it was moving slowly.

Stephenson says he then started again and was horrified to feel the truck pass over the boy's body. When he stopped he found that the lad's head and chest were crushed.

After thoroughly investigating the accident, Coroner Farmer decided that he would hold no inquest.

The parents, who live on the C F Smith farm and are employed there and one brother, aged seven years, survive.

The truck is the property of C S. Cole of South Lyon.—Pontiac Press.

### OAKLAND TO ACQUIRE NEW SITE FOR COUNTY FARM.

Sealed offers on farm property in Oakland county that would be suitable for permanent location of a county farm, tuberculosis hospital and juvenile home, will be received by a special committee of the board of supervisors up to December 19. The committee met at the county building last week and discussed what action should be taken on the matter of obtaining a new location for the county infirmary and decided to ask for bids.

At the October session of the board a large number of offers on farm property were obtained but members of the board feel that they can perhaps do better by asking for tenders from the public. The committee hopes to be able to report in January on what can be done in the way of selling the present farm and buying another.

Members of the committee are Fred Dernberger, A. W. Spencer, Howard H. Hillman, M. B. Armstrong, John Voorhels, S. D. Adams, A. W. Wilson and Frank J. Malcolm.—Pontiac Press.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE.  
Charles A. Dubuar, Plaintiff

vs.  
L. D. Williams, Defendant.  
(whose given name is unknown)

No. 94297  
To whom it may concern:  
Take notice that on the 27th day of October, 1922, a writ of attachment was issued out of said court in the above entitled cause as commencement of suit for the recovery of one hundred eighty-three and 91-100 dollars due the above named plaintiff from the above named defendant on express contract, which writ was returnable on the 27th day of November, 1922.  
Dated: December 15, 1922  
G. C. Yerkes,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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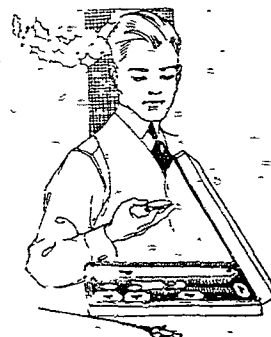
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## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

**Lansing**—The bonus division of the state adjutant general's department has paid 147,919 World war veterans \$30,072,945, it was announced.

**Ann Arbor**—The annual flower show of the Michigan State Florists society will be held here, Nov. 10 and 11, in Barbour gymnasium, on the University of Michigan campus.

**Ironia**—Byron L. Smith, local florist has sold to the Vaughan seed company, of Chicago, 37,000 canna bulbs, the largest sale ever made from this city. Smith will harvest 300,000 bulbs.

**Kalamazoo**—Miss Ruth Verburg, sophomore at Western State Normal school has been elected to the national student council of the Y. W. C. A. She is the only undergraduate representative from Michigan.

**Alpena**—The road commissioners have asked the supervisors for funds to pay the county's share of paving state street, which is the route of M-10 into the city. The city is building sewers preparatory to this paving.

**Kalamazoo**—The Gull road, leading out of Kalamazoo to Gull lake and places northeast, will be paved in 1924, Frank F. Rogers, state highway commissioner, has promised. The road is one of the principal routes out

**Grand Rapids**—Co-operative canneries, increased storage facilities and a national demand for Michigan fruits will do much to eliminate fruit waste in Michigan in the future, fruit experts declared in announcing vast quantities of apples, plums and other fruits rotted on the grounds this year.

**Grand Rapids**—Recalling a June night in 1921, when a masked band of men and women forced their way into the bedroom of Nina D. Bennett, dragged her into the open, partially undressed and pelted her with eggs, the while calling her vile names, a motion to set aside a verdict of \$2,000, awarded Mrs. Bennett, was filed in circuit court.

**Flint**—Experimenting with a strange appearing copper tube he found near a local factory, resulted in the maiming for life of Louis Banchette, 45 years old. Banchette found the tube on his way home from work. He attempted to clean it of some substance clogging it. As he probed in the tube, it exploded, tearing both of his hands.

**Petoskey**—Twelve thousand square miles of Michigan's 2,000 of inland waters have been robbed and polluted until they now are technically known as "barren," James Oliver Curwood, author and conservation advocate, declared at a meeting of conservation delegates here. Eighty per cent of our streams, he declared have become useless except as disease laden and life destroying sewerage channels.

**Kalamazoo**—James Wilson, a farmer, is in a critical condition at the hospital where he was taken after he was gored by a bull Wilson was walking to the barn when the animal which had never before shown any traces of violence, suddenly charged upon him, knocked him to the ground and gored him. Wilson undoubtedly would have been killed but for the help of two passing boys who set their dog upon the bovine.

**Ann Arbor**—The annual report of Sheriff A. C. Clark, presented to the board of supervisors showed that prisoners in the Washtenaw jail had been fed at an average cost of eight cents a meal, during the last year. Fearful lest supervisors should feel the men had been starved, the sheriff made mention of the fact that some of the prisoners had gained as high as 30 pounds on that fare, after they had been in jail for some weeks.

**Battle Creek**—Delegates to the Michigan state convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution, in annual session here, were augmented by the presence of a new arrival, a real daughter of the Revolution, Mrs. Helen Barrett, 90 years old, of Richland, whose father was a soldier in Washington's time. Reports show that there are 19 other women in Michigan whose fathers served in the Revolution. Mrs. Barrett was given an ovation but was not strong enough to make response.

**Bay City**—Sensational movies of black hand operations, were blamed by Frank Sedlar, of Owosso, for his trouble when he was sentenced to three years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., by Judge Arthur J. Tuttle, for sending black hand letters through the mails. Sedlar pleaded guilty to sending a letter demanding \$10,000 to C. D. Bell, general manager of the Owosso Sugar company. The letter made threats against the life of Bell in case the money was not left at the place named, and was signed, "Iron Hand Gang."

**Grand Rapids**—Beginning a six-year cruise in a 16-foot canoe, L. H. Smith has left here for the Panama canal, where he expects to arrive in 1923. Hundreds turned out to see Smith launch his canoe on the waters of the Grand River and embark on his long voyage. The first leg of the journey will end at Grand Haven where Smith will ship his 55-pound craft overland to Chicago. There he will put the canoe in the water again and paddle to the south. Smith left practically without money and intends to earn his living en route.

**At Was Quiet.**  
At a church service when all was quiet and the congregation had been asked to pray silently, his little niece said in a loud and anxious tone when she noticed my closed eyes: "Don't go to sleep, Uncle John."—Chicago Tribune.

**Was Trying for Chances.**  
Phil was entertaining his cousin Jack while Jack's parents were away. One day while passing candy he gave Jack a small piece and when asked why he did not give him more, he said: "I don't want a sick child on my hands."

**Peculiar Church Services.**  
There is more than one men's church service held in the east end of London where visitors are told to take off their coats if they are too warm, and to fill up their pipes and get them started before the text is announced.

## For Holiday Shoppers

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We have an especially attractive assortment of Electric Lamps. One of these would make a gift long to be remembered.

### WHY NOT A RADIO SET?

You have, doubtless, enjoyed Radio entertainments at your neighbors. Why not have a set installed in your home so you may enjoy with your family the wonderful programs that are being broadcasted nightly. Come in and let us talk the matter over.

Then we have Electric Washing Machines and Electric Stoves, Electric Fixtures. Come in and look around and you will be happily surprised at the extent of our Electrical Fixtures and Appliances.

## NORTHVILLE ELECTRIC SHOP

C. B. Turnbull, Proprietor

Northville, Michigan.

**Ford**  
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

## Does He Drive a Car?

If he does we can solve your problem of the Christmas Present. It will be something he is sure to like.

### MAKE IT BE A

MOTOMETER.  
DASH LAMP.  
CAN OF MOBILOIL.  
CUP GREASE.  
INNER TUBE.  
RADIATOR EMBLEM.  
WINDSHIELD WIFERS.  
BUMPER.  
ELECTRIC HORN  
FLASHLIGHT.

PARKING LAMP.  
STOP LIGHT.  
SPOT LIGHT.  
TIRE CHAINS.  
SPARK PLUGS.  
PLIERS.  
CAR JACK.  
HEATER.  
HOOD COVERS.  
TIRE COVER.

If he or she do not drive a car why not a Ford, Touring, Coupe, Roadster or a Sedan. These the practical gifts and they will be appreciated. We shall be pleased to serve you at any and at all times.

**D. B. BUNN,**

Lincoln—Fords—Fordsons

Authorized Sales and Service.

Phone 54.

Northville, Mich.

Genuine Ford Parts.

## ADVANCED JANUARY SALE OF COATS

Why not reap the benefit and give a gift which will assure the utmost of Christmas happiness? We are closing out our entire line. Come in before they are all gone.

Our hygiene toilet goods make a very desirable gift and we will box to suit purchaser. Our flower-in-the-bottle toilet water is unsurpassed for quality and attractiveness.

We carry a nice line of Misses' and Small Women's Dresses, also Corsets, Hose, Fancy Work, Embroidery and Crochet Thread, Embroidery Hoops, Needles, etc.

Visit our store and make your selections early.

**The Northville Fashion Shop**  
Phone 262-J. CLARA BEARD, Prop.

## Auction!

HARRY C. ROBINSON, Auctioneer.

Having sold their farm, the undersigned will sell at Public Auction, to the Highest Bidder, on the farm known as the William Simmons farm, located 1 Mile North and 1 1/2 Miles East of Novi, or 1 1/2 Miles West of the West Farmington School House, on—

**Thursday, December the 21st**

At 10.30 o'clock Sharp, the Following

**HOT LUNCH AT NOON**

**14 HEAD OF CATTLE.**

- 1 Holstein Cow, 6 yr old, Fresh Sept. 27.
- 1 Black Cow, 8 yr old, Fresh September 2.
- 1 Holstein Cow, 9 yr old, Fresh November 12.
- 1 Holstein Cow, 2 yr old, Fresh September 2.
- 1 Holstein Cow, 3 yr old, Fresh October 27.
- 1 Holstein Cow, 9 yr old, Fresh Dec. 3. Calf by side.
- 1 Holstein Cow, 6 yr old, Due January 12.
- 1 Holstein Cow, 11 yr old, Due January 24.
- 1 Jersey Holstein Cow, 10 yr old, Due January 6.
- 1 Guernsey-Holstein Cow, 10 yr old, Due June 21.
- 1 Holstein Cow, Fresh Oct. 27, with Calf by side.
- 1 Holstein Cow, 5 yr old, Fresh August 15.
- 1 Holstein Heifer, 1 year old.
- 1 Grade Holstein Bull, 19 Months old.

**T. B. TESTED AND NO REACTORS.**

This Herd will be Milked Dry Morning of Sale.

### FARM TOOLS.

- 1 McCormick Grain Binder
- 1 McCormick Corn Binder
- 1 Walter A-Wood Mower
- 1 Nisco Manure Spreader
- 1 John Deere 2-Horse Cultivator, nearly new
- 1 1-Horse Cultivator
- 1 1-Horse Cultivator
- 1 Syracuse Walking Plow, No. 403
- 1 David-Bradley Sulky Plow, nearly new
- 2 2-Section Spring-Tooth Drags
- 1 3-Section Spike-Tooth Drag
- 1 3-Section Steel Land Roller
- 2 1-1/2 Farrow's with Tongue-Triples
- 1 Patent Marker
- 1 2-Horse Dump Wagon
- 1 Handy Wagon with Adjustable Tongue
- 1 1-Shovel-Pole
- 1 Narrow Tire Wagon with Box
- 1 Power Pulley
- 1 Compressed Air Hand Sprayer
- 2 Jack Screws
- 1 Set of Cravel Boards
- 1 5-ft. Rock Yoke
- 1 Spring Seat
- 21 Set 3-Horse Everters
- 1 Fanning Mill
- 1 Moine Lime Sower
- 1 Gundstone
- 1 Wheelbarrow
- 2 Springs Wagon Tongues
- 1 Set of Bobs
- 1 Top Bar
- 1 Set of Runners for Buggy or Spring Wagon
- 1 1 1/2 h p Fairbanks-Morse Gas Engine
- 1 Pump Jack
- 1 1 1/2 h p Jumbo Gas Engine
- 1 Friction Surface Rubber Belt, new
- 1 Quantity of Berry Boxes
- 1 Cider Barrel
- 1 Bolt Clipper
- 1 12-Gallon Meat Crock
- 1 Pipe Vice
- 1 Dinner Bell
- 1 Quantity of Silo Staves and Spleens
- 1 Lawn Mower
- 1 Quantity of Harness Oil
- 1 Quantity of Linseed Oil
- 1 Quantity of Red Ochre
- 1 Iron Beach Vice
- 1 Lawn Swing
- 1 Coasting Sled
- 6 Horse Collars
- 1 Third Horse Work Harness
- 1 Milk Harness
- 1 Come-Along for Stretching Barbed Wire
- 1 Lisk Water Cooler Cream Separator
- 8 Single Pulleys
- 1 194 1/2 1 1/2-Inch Rope
- 1 Pair Tripple Pulleys
- 1 Pair Steel Pulleys
- 1 5-Gallon Crock Churn
- 1 3-Burner Oil Stove, in good shape, with Shelf and Oven
- 1 Perfection Oil Heater, in good shape
- 1 Kalamazoo Heater, No. 13
- 1 Work Table
- 1 Kalamazoo Heater, No. 16, new
- 1 Cupboard.

### HAY AND GRAIN.

About 12 Tons of Alfalfa Hay. Some Oat Straw.  
About 12 to 15 Tons of Clover Hay. 18-ft. Ensilage, 12-ft. Silo.  
About 25 Barred Rock Pullets.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

- 1 Heavy Log Chain.
- 2 Crosscut Saws
- 2 Meyers Hay Cars with 70-ft. Track and Hangers.
- 1 Automatic Chain Lift Litter Carrier with 180-ft. of Track.
- 16 Loudon Cow Stanchions.
- 2 Sets Buffalo Scales
- 1 60-Gallon Oil Tank.
- 1 55-Gal. Galvanized Stock Tank
- 1 Wooden Stock Tank.
- 1 Tubular Milk Cooler, new.
- 1 Tank Heater.
- 5 Milk Cans, One New
- 1 Milk Aerator.
- 1 140-Egg Incubator.
- 1 Small Pail.
- 2 Sanitary Strainers with Two Boxes of Pads
- 1 Green Bone Grinder.
- 1 50-Chick Brooder.

**TERMS OF SALE:** All sums of \$20 and under. Cash; over that amount, 9 Months' Credit will be given on Good Approved Bankable Notes bearing 7% interest Payable at Farmington State Savings Bank.

**MRS. H. H. ROBINSON,  
E. H. ROBINSON, PROPS.**

## ALLIES LOOK TO U.S. TO SAVE EUROPE

HINTED THAT CANCELLATION OF  
FRENCH DEBT WILL BE  
OFFERED BY BRITAIN.

U.S. EXPECTED TO ENTER PARLY

Latest Conference of Allied Premiers  
Again Adjourned in Hope  
America Will Act.

London—The Allied powers seem to be looking to the United States as a last hope of preventing a definite break in the Entente over reparations following upon collapse of the London reparations conference. Despite official explanations, and the decision to continue the discussions in Paris, the Allied premiers after three days' conversations find themselves in what appears to be complete disagreement over reparations. Adjournment to January is an effort to delay a little longer the apparently inevitable split in Allied unity.

The British government submitted no general plan to solve the deadlock; it practically offered to cancel France's debt to Great Britain as an inducement for scaling down the amount of the monetary demand upon Germany.

A suggested certain statement see advantages in the present break down, as they may lead the United States to take some action compatible with the policy of that country, which would save the situation.

The moratorium granted the Germans expires January 15, and the next payment on account of reparations, which Germany protests she is unable to meet, will be due on that date.

Another futile round-table session of diplomats would seem to mean only fulfillment of French plans for independent action which British opinion believes would spell calamity for the tottering edifice of European prosperity and sow the seeds for a future great war.

The agreement to disagree only temporarily the diplomats assert was consummated in three days, embracing four meetings of Allied premiers. The rock on which harmony foundered was the British refusal formally to countenance the French project for partial occupation of the Ruhr and taking charge of important German industries.

Britain is expected to offer to cancel the French debt, provided France accepts reasonable indemnity and gives up the idea of measures of force. It is thought possible in French quarters that the British might approach President Harding's administration between now and January with the purpose of ascertaining if the United States would be willing to make possible European settlement of reparations by cancellation of the French debt or at least entering a conference in which such a step would be considered.

### IONIA PRISON WARDEN QUILTS

Deputy Warden At Jackson Appointed to Fill Vacancy.

Lawrence Thomas C. Burns, warden of the Michigan Reformatory at Ionia since September 1921 resigned Monday. The State Prison Commission, sitting with Gov. G. O. Sweeney, appointed Charles Shean, deputy warden of the State Prison at Jackson to succeed Burns.

Patrick Ryle, chief assistant deputy at Jackson, will succeed Mr. Shean as chief deputy there. Shean is 43 years old and had been four years a deputy sheriff and four years sheriff of Kalamazoo County when appointed chief deputy at Jackson, directly after the appointment of Harry L. Fulbert as warden a little more than four years ago.

Burns, when appointed warden 15 months ago, was production manager of a manufacturing plant at Jackson. He had never been active in politics. He assigned his present nervous condition, resulting from the strenuous efforts he had made to bring conditions at the reformatory back to normal, as the motive for resigning.

### PONTIAC PERILED BY ELAZE

Worst Fire in 16 Years Threatened Section of City.

Pontiac—The worst fire here for 16 years destroyed more than \$100,000 worth of property and threatened the entire southeastern section of the city late Monday night when a blaze broke out in the yards of the Pontiac Lumber company. The fire was seen for a distance of 10 miles, and was finally controlled by the combined work of the fire departments of four cities. One man was injured.

The Detroit fire department was called upon for aid, and, shortly before midnight, Engine companies Nos. 35 and 44 left the city for Pontiac, but one was stalled at Royal Oak, when a bearing burned out. The Highland Park and Ferndale departments both came and aided in fighting the blaze.

U. S. Supreme Court Adjourned  
Washington—Chief Justice Taft announced that the supreme court after delivering opinions on Dec. 4 would recess until January 2.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Northville Wayne County Fair Association, Northville, Michigan.

(Organized under Act No. 80, of the Public Acts of 1855, August 23, 1919.)  
Balance Sheet—Last Annual Report.

**ASSETS**  
Value of Real Estate \$5,000.00  
Value of Buildings 2,500.00  
Cash on Hand 1,933.78  
Total \$9,433.78

**LIABILITIES**  
Stock None  
Bonds None  
Accounts Payable None  
Premiums Payable None  
Other Liabilities None  
Total None

### Statement of Receipts and Expenses.

**Receipts**  
Gate Receipts \$7,062.40  
Grandstand and Bleacher Receipts 321.06  
Receipts from Concessions 3,807.61  
Receipts from Rentals of Space in Buildings 716.50  
Entry Fees 369.00  
Stall Rents 15.00  
Total \$12,991.51

**Expenses**  
Salaries and Labor \$2,094.90  
Expenses of Judges and assistants 94.90  
Amusements 2,857.10  
Miscellaneous 307.00  
Premiums 2,030.43  
Races (including purses offered and expenses) 1,899.60  
Other Expenses 2,936.78  
Total \$12,339.21

### Total Premiums Paid Last Year.

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### Number of free admission tickets issued.

250

### Premiums Paid 1922

(Michigan Products)

Horse Department \$162.50  
Cattle Department 297.00  
Swine Department 215.00  
Sheep Department 364.50  
Horticultural Department 191.25  
Agricultural Department 160.75  
Poultry Department 174.75  
Needlework and Fine Arts Department 243.25  
School Exhibit 45.00  
Dogs 32.50  
Junior Department 153.43  
Total \$2,030.43

James A. Huff and Elmer L. Smith

being duly sworn depose and say they are respectively the President and Secretary of the Northville Wayne County Fair Association, and that the foregoing statements signed by them are true.

JAMES A. HUFF, President.  
ELMER L. SMITH, Secretary.  
Subscribed and sworn before me this 9th day of December, 1922.  
E. H. LAPHAM, Notary Public, Wayne County, Michigan.  
My Commission expires July 13, 1923.

### COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

A regular meeting of the Village Council was held in the Village Hall Monday, December 4th, 1922. Present—Charles A. Dolph, President; Trustees, Filkins, Blackburn, VanAtta, Ely.

Quorum present.

Minutes of meeting of November 6th, 1922, were read and approved.

The Finance committee audited the following bills:

Ernie Lyke, traffic and Supt. \$120.00

Water Works 32.50

Wm. Smith, labor, highway 67.50

Wm. Smith, labor, w. w. 890.59

Foss & Powell, w. w. 122.37

Northville Lumber & Coal Yard, account of Foss & Powell 49.44

Federal Petroleum Co., account of Foss & Powell 42.11

Lyke & Lang, account of Foss & Powell 33.35

Lester Stage, night watch 4,697.95

Denton & Johnson, sewers 120.00

Barl Montgomery, inspector 122.50

Mr. R. Seelye, inspector sew. 125.00

Lyke Alexander, inspector sew. 102.50

Mr. R. Perrin, inspector sew. 150.00

John Scipio, team work 451.20

The Weston, sidewalk 90.00

Wm. Tait, filling trench, sand main 44.00

Edgar Lyke, labor w. w. 6.59

D. B. Bunn (Weston) 18.02

J. A. Huff, labor, highway 83.00

Lou Hake, gravel, highway 47.50

Leo Lawrence, gravel 4.57

Northville Milling & Lumber Co., highway 99.75

Fire Department 44.50

S. Latenser, sewer 13.00

Northville Drug Co., w. w. 8.50

Globe Furniture Co., w. w. 7.40

P. S. Palmer, highway 15.00

Northville Record 19.43

F. S. Neal and M. N. Johnson 410.00

D. B. Bunn, supplies, auto 4.00

C. W. Hubbell 2,363.71

Shull Construction Co. 256.23

C. W. Hubbell 238.00

Detroit Edison Co., streets 157.23

Detroit Edison Co., power 9.58

Detroit Edison Co., hall, clock, rest room 135.59

C. L. Dubuar 4.95

Mich. State Telephone Co.

Lyke & Lang 3.80  
C. R. Ely 385.86  
Moved by Filkins and supported by Ely that bills be allowed and ordered paid.  
Yeas—Filkins, Blackburn, VanAtta, Ely. Nays—None.  
On motion council adjourned.  
THOMAS E. MURDOCK, Village Clerk.

### MEATS THAT MEET WITH YOUR APPROVAL



Our motto is—The Public be pleased. Our entire attention is directed toward furnishing our patrons with the best meats to be found on the market and in serving them in a manner that will win their praise.

- Fancy Strip Bacon 26c
- Creamery Butter 55c
- Boiling Beef 12c
- Choice Beef Roast 16c
- Liberty Steak 16c
- Young Beef Hearts 10c
- Lean Pork Roast 16c
- Fresh Side Pork 18c
- Pork Steak 20c

- Home-Made Pork Sausage 18c
- Stew Veal 16c
- Choice Veal Roast 25c
- New Sauer Kraut 7c

Fresh and Smoked Fish on Sale.

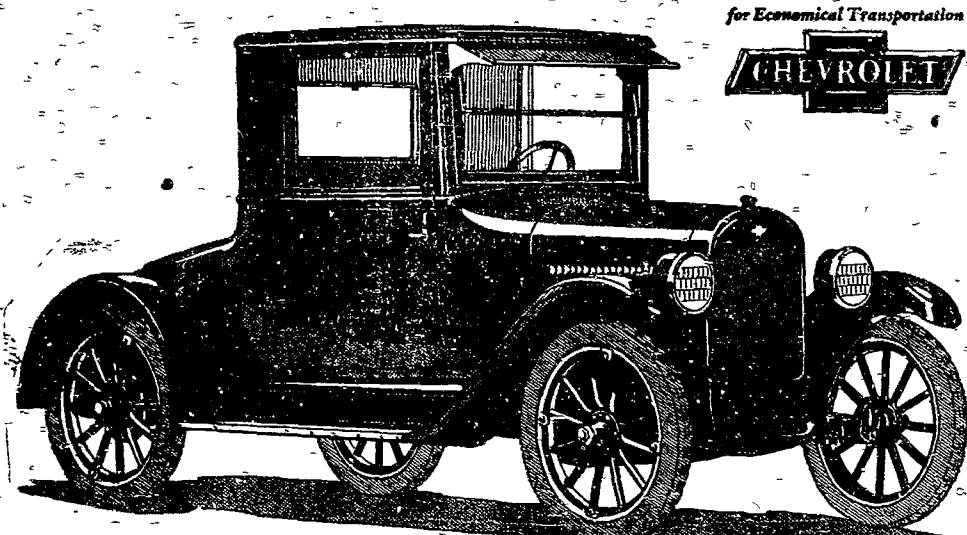
Order Your Christmas Fowl Early.

### CENTRAL CASH MEAT MARKET

S. D. MOASE, Proprietor.

Center Street

NORTHVILLE, MICH.



## The 1923 SUPERIOR Chevrolet Utility Coupe

## HIS GIFT TO HER AND THE FAMILY

A Mutual Christmas Gift That Provides Usefulness, Health and Happiness For Them All

Millions of dollars are spent annually for family Christmas gifts. The purpose is to express good will and bring happiness to all.

How better can this be accomplished than by pooling the family Christmas fund and applying it on the purchase of a Chevrolet automobile?

Here, for example, is illustrated the Utility Coupe; an ideal all-year car for the small family. Then there is the 5-passenger sedan or the 4-passenger Sedanette for the larger family.

If open models are preferred there remain the 2-passenger Roadster and 5-passenger Touring.

There is nothing the modern family needs so much as economical transportation. A quality car like Chevrolet delights every member of the family and makes Christmas joys last for years.

Think it over, consult the wife, then arrange with Allison-Bachelder Motor Sales to deliver your car on Christmas morning.

### CHEVROLET PRICES F. O. B. FLINT

- Two Passenger Roadster \$510
- Five Passenger Touring \$525
- Two Passenger Utility Coupe \$680
- Four Passenger Sedanette \$850
- Five Passenger Sedan \$860
- Light Delivery Truck \$510

## ALLISON-BACHELDOR MOTOR SALES

Phone 87.

331 Main Street.

PLYMOUTH.



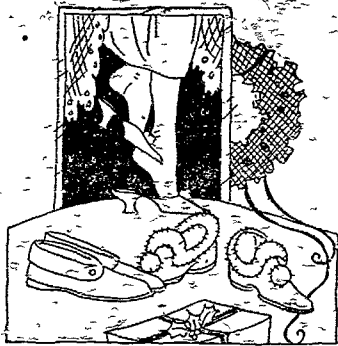
## GIFTS OF REAL VALUE

### CHRISTMAS SHOPPING MADE EASY

You will have no trouble to select useful and practical Gifts at this store—gifts that will give service as well and afford much pleasure to the recipient.

#### CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS.

We have them for every member of the family—for baby and for Grandfather and Grandmother. The warm, comfy kind, in leather and felt, in a variety of styles and patterns.



#### Shoes and Hosiery

Could anything be more practical than a pair of our Fine Shoes for a Christmas Gift? They are something every one needs and by making gifts of Shoes you render a double service—make a handsome present and at the same time give something that will be of real service.

Hosiery for Women and Men.

A Pair of Rubber Boots for the Kiddies.

Rubbers for all kinds of wear. Rubber Boots and Arctics.

In fact we FIT THE FEET with everything needed.

**MCCULLY**

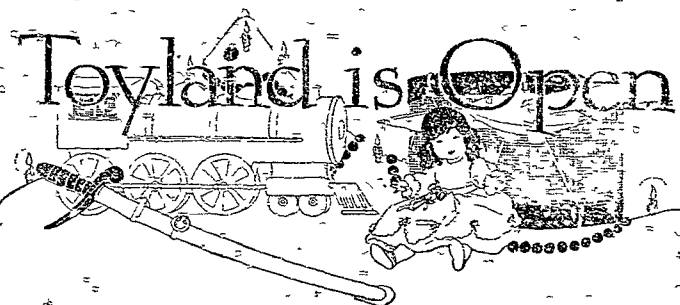
Main St., Northville. THE SHOEMAN.

CANDY! CANDY! CANDY!

### SPECIAL PRICES

#### ON CHRISTMAS CANDIES

We are making Special Prices on our Choice Candies to Churches, Sunday Schools, Schools and other Societies. Place your order now and save money. We can supply you with any quantity.



Santa Claus will leave us a new assortment of Toys every day from now until Christmas. Our entire stock is fresh and new and we invite your inspection.

### WOODWORTH'S

The Store with the Red Front, Main Street  
NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

CANDY! CANDY! CANDY!

### CHRISTMAS

Is the season when we strive to make everybody happy. We plan and work and plan again to bring happiness to members of our own household as well as to our neighbors and friends.

#### MAKE YOUR FEET GLAD

by having your Shoes and Rubbers repaired and made comfortable. A stitch in time in shoe repairing saves more than nine—very often they save the shoe, and that is real economy.

Bring your Shoes here and let us fix them. Our charges will be reasonable and our service will be prompt and satisfactory.

Northville Electric Shoe Repair Shop  
CHARLES HOLTZMAN, Proprietor.

## Christmas 1922

By Christopher G. Hazard

**UPON** deserted battlefields  
Where shot and shell all buried lie,  
Where war no more its weapons wields  
And men no longer meet to die;

On lonely seas where battleships  
Were wont to wander to and fro,  
To darken day with sad eclipse  
And turn an ocean's tears to woe;

The Christmas angels from the sky  
Look down with joy at last to see  
The answer to their ancient cry,  
The echo of their minstrelsy.

For men and nations meet to pray,  
They talk of peace, nor that alone,  
They put the tools of war away  
And set good will upon a throne!

### His Real Name

Young January being poor wears nothing but his skin.  
While February in a robe of ermine rare comes in.  
March shivers in a worn brown cloak, and April  
In a faded gown.  
Is folded in a rainbow scarf with saffron tips in her hair.  
May dons the apple blossom's pink and June the rose's red.  
July in faded overalls picks cherries for his bread.  
And August it reads the sunny fields a stately Indian queen.  
Apparelled like standing corn in silken gold and green.  
September, purple centured, bears a basket piled with grapes.  
Dark anemone globs from which a juicy dew escapes.  
October is a cavalier so flaunts a crimson plume.  
November, in long beads of rain, is couched in fog and gloom.  
But when December comes, behold! he's whiter than a sheet.  
His rattling laughter like the sound of merry bells is heard.  
His arms are filled with many gifts and bolls of wealth he bears.  
The little children know him first and named him Santa Claus.

### Christmas Land

OH Christmas Land is not so far,  
It's just across the hall  
Within the little living room  
Where holly decks the wall.  
Right in the middle stands a tree  
With crimson tinsel gay.  
And strange and wondrous is the fruit  
It bears on Christmas day.  
An apple and an orange grow  
Upon the same green bough,  
A wagon and a rocking horse,  
A sled and spotted cow;  
And nuts and sparkling sugar plums,  
And drums and skates and horns,  
And dolls with flaxen tresses drop  
Like pears on windy moors.  
But only little boys and girls  
(That always mind at school  
And know their daily lessons well,  
And try to keep each rule,  
And say their prayers every night,  
Can hope to join the band  
Of happy children 'round the tree  
That grows in Christmas Land.  
—Minnie Irving, in Kansas City Star.

### The Nativity

T WAS Christmas Eve, and bitter cold,  
The wind had ceased to blow;  
I saw a cottage by the road  
Half buried in the snow.  
An upper window showed a light,  
A joyous peal of bells announced  
The birth of Christ again.  
Lo, from the lighted window came  
A new-born baby's cry.  
And over the cottage roof, behold,  
A star shone in the sky.  
Perhaps the very same that stood  
Over Bethlehem of yore,  
For Christ in every little child  
Is born on earth once more.  
—Minnie Irving, in Munsey's Magazine.

### The Message of the Bells

RING, ring, O bells of Christmas tide,  
Your joyful message far and wide  
Through all the land proclaim  
This is the blessed Day of days  
When here, to walk earth's troubled ways,  
The Lord our Savior came!  
O not with pomp and splendor fire,  
But 'mongst the lowly sheep and kine,  
And cradled in the street,  
He came, and low the path He trod  
Always the greatest gift from God  
An erasing world e'er saw  
As in the dawn's eastern skies  
The Virgin Mary watched the Star arise  
That heralded His birth,  
Thus, we as at God's Kingdom come,  
If men men and all God's creatures dumb  
Shall dwell upon this earth  
In brotherhood, when war shall cease  
And Love and Universal Peace  
The banners shall be raised  
With tenderness and gentle sway,  
Then we'll herald "Merry" as it may  
Travel throughout the world  
Flung to your message O bells,  
Your cadence "Merry" forever is  
The gracious time to be  
When meet Companion, angel fair,  
O'er this our land and everywhere  
Shall brood perpetually!  
—Louella C. Poole.

### THE CHILDLESS ONES

IT IS at Christmas time we feel it most,  
When in the close packed stores  
The mothers, anxious-eyed, maybe of slender  
frame,  
Weigh this doll's hat against that box of  
dolls,  
Or choose a string of gorgeous, glittering balls  
To grace the Christmas tree.  
We press along the crowded aisles and eye  
The endless toys, the fascinating tiny sets  
Of tea things, the dolls' trunks, the furniture,  
Sometimes we even buy, why should we not  
pretend,  
Just for a little while, that there's someone  
at home  
Belonging to us—of our very own—  
Whose stockings must be filled?  
'Tis like enough we have worked hard to aid  
With many little gifts the lucky ones  
Whose garrets are too full,  
But in the glowing avenue's late afternoon,  
When swarms of past us of those busy folk  
Whose arms are piled with sleds and drums  
and such,  
Whose pockets bulge with candy,  
And we walk on toward home with empty  
hands  
Because we need buy nothing, nothing, nothing—  
It is at Christmas we feel it most!  
—Ethel Wolf, in New York Times.

## TOYS FOR THE CHILDREN

You will find here a very complete assortment of Toys gathered especially for the little ones:

### CANDIES and NUTS

You will do well to buy your Christmas Candies and Assorted Nuts here from our large, fresh stock.

### USEFUL GIFTS

Space will not permit us to enumerate all the articles we have which will make useful and acceptable Christmas Gifts, but a personal visit to our store will reveal to you an immense assortment of things, from which you may select gifts for every member of the family—from the youngest to the oldest. We have children's and misses' dresses, women's, misses' and children's Sweaters, Fancy Waists, Dress Skirts, Outing Flannel Garments, Underwear, Hosiery, Fancy Ribbons, Yarns, Laces, Jewelry, Cut Glass, Glassware, Dishes, Christmas Cards and Seals, Books, etc. Surely from such an assortment you can easily make your selections.

### CHRISTMAS GROCERIES

You will find here a very complete assortment of Fresh Groceries for your Christmas feast. Let us supply your needs.

### M. BROCK & CO.

NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

## Christmas Specials

During the past week many people have made a decided saving in their Christmas shopping by making their selections at this store. We still have a good assortment and we call your attention to the following:

- Men's Fancy Dress Shirts ..... \$1.25 to \$1.95
- Men's Silk Four-in-Hand and Knitted Ties ..... 50c to 95c
- Men's Leather Belts, with initial Buckles ..... 75c
- Men's Wool Work Sox ..... 25c to 50c
- Men's Wool Dress Sox ..... 50c to 75c
- Men's and Ladies' Handkerchiefs, in boxes from ..... 25c to 50c
- Ladies' Fancy Silk Boudoir Caps ..... 50c to 75c
- Ladies' Silk Camisoles, light and dark colors from ..... \$1.25 to \$1.50
- Ladies' Wool Hose ..... 50c to 95c
- Men's Fancy Suspenders, in boxes, ..... 35c to 50c
- Men's Fancy Garters, in boxes ..... 35c to 50c

## S. L. BRADER

Old Opera House Bldg., North Center St.  
Store Open Evenings. NORTHVILLE.

## MAKE YOUR CHRISTMAS

Sweet with

### Ambler's Candies

Full Line of  
BOX GOODS

MORSE'S  
LOWNEY'S  
BROOK'S



We can supply Ice Cream for your Christmas festivities in any quantity desired.

## Full Line of Buntie Hard Goods AND BEST BULK CHOCOLATES.

Advertise

your Auction Sales in  
The Record and The  
Farmington Enterprise

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## I Knew He Would Come



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## The First Christmas Tree

By Eleanor E. King

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IT WAS the Martins' pleasure every year at Christmas time to go to some orphan's home and bring back two or three little children to spend the holidays with them.

This year their choice had been two girls and a boy. Jean and Robert, brother and sister, and Souzette, a little, bright-eyed, winsome girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin (Daddy and Mother) they had asked the children to call them, and the three kiddies were busy trimming the tree.

"What beautiful ornaments," exclaimed Souzette.

"What pretty lights, you mean," corrected Robert, who was all eyes for electrical things.

"Well, I like the tree best," put in Jean. "It's wonderful. Did you have a tree when you were little, mother?"

He asked the child rather shyly.

"Yes, I had one every year, and I still have my tree, you see."

"Pears like they've always had them, don't they?" said Robert.

"They have had them a long, long years. Haven't you ever heard about the first Christmas tree?"

"No," burst forth Robert. "They don't have time to tell us a thing at



"What Beautiful Ornaments."

the home, but get up and go to bed."

"Well, a long time ago, there was a huge forest where the fairies and elves all lived. They had a fairy queen who was always planning surprises for them. One day she called a few of her favorites around her and gave them some orders. 'Now be sure and don't tell anyone,' she said, and off they went laughing and whispering to each other.

"Days passed, weeks passed, and then months, but still these little fairies were busy as bees, working at some big secret, from morning till night."

"I'll bet you couldn't keep a secret that long, Jean. You'd go and tell Souzette. You always do," put in Robert.

"Finally the fairy queen sent out her heralds and called all her subjects about her. When they were assembled she said: 'Tomorrow, come to this place at the same time. Put on your finest clothes and come happy as a lark, for I have a great surprise for you.'"

"Then the fairy queen sent out her heralds again, and this time had all the forest folk sent to her. When every bird and animal in the forest

was assembled before her, she told them what she had told the fairies and elves. They fairly scampered away, they were so eager to get ready for the morrow."

"Do you suppose they were more excited than we were when we got ready to come here?" piped up little Souzette. "I don't think they could be."

Mrs. Martin smiled at her and gave her a kiss. Brushing a tear from her eyes and steadying her voice, she went on:

"The morrow came, even though many of the little folk thought it never would come. They were all there early waiting, dressed in their grandest clothes. At the time set the queen came. She led them to a



"Well, a Long Time Ago."

large opening in the forest, and then the fairies and forest folk stopped in amazement. They had never seen anything like this sight before."

"What was it?" the children chorused.

"See! I almost dropped that great big ornament," said Robert excitedly.

"It was a great, huge pine tree, decorated with little packages. These little packages were wrapped in paper which looked like a spider's web, so fine, silky, and delicate was it. Then these were suspended from the tree by a string which shone in the afternoon sunlight like raindrops."

"Little stars had given their services for the surprise and they twinkled from among all the branches. It was too much for the little subjects and they sat down about the tree where they were to admire it."

"Then some of the fairies began taking the packages off and giving one to each member. There was honey for Mister Bear, cheese for Mister Mouse, corn for Mister Rat, berries and seeds for the birds. Just everything that they had wanted. It was a great success."

"You know Santa grew up with these fairies, and—"

"No, I didn't know it," broke in Jean and her eyes grew the size of saucers.

"So," continued Mrs. Martin, "when Santa began making toys for children he thought of this idea of the pine trees, and he took a tree for each child and hung their presents on it."

"By and by, though, his load grew to such a size that he found it was impossible to carry so many trees."

"Yes," said practical Robert, "they took up too much room, and he wanted to make toys."

Mrs. Martin nodded.

"So the mothers and fathers agreed to get the trees and trim them for him, which helped him a great deal."

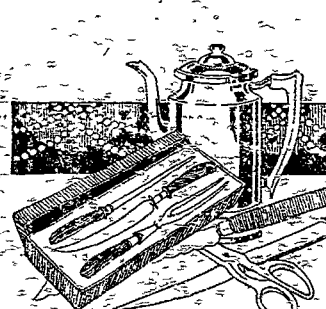
"That's how they thought of these ornaments, then," said Souzette. "This, the last one to put on, too."

"Come on; let's get to bed quick now, so Santa will come," suggested Robert.

"And they've been helping Santa all these years," said Jean dreamily. "Ever since," replied Mrs. Martin. "Now let's see who will be in bed first."

## WHERE and WHAT to BUY

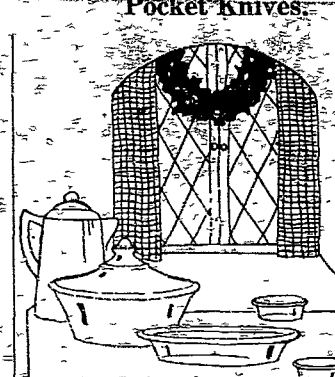
People very often fail to realize that a Hardware Store contains countless articles that will make useful and therefore acceptable Christmas Gifts. Just to direct your attention we mention a few of the things you will find at this store:



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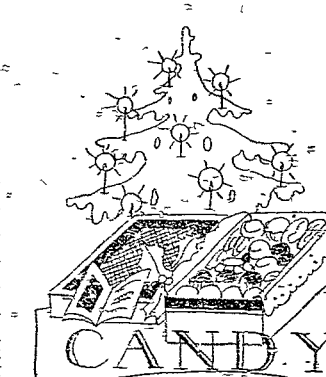
## TOYS TOYS TOYS

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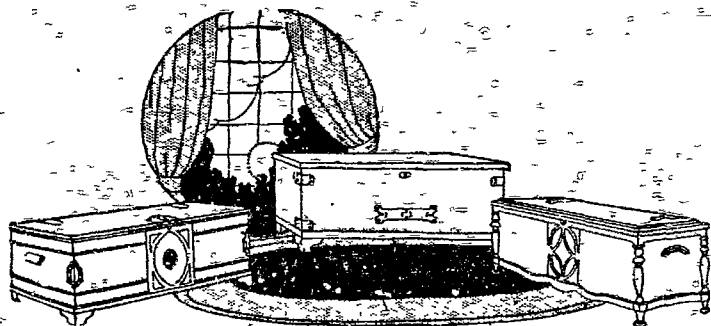
# PRACTICAL XMAS GIFTS

## FURNITURE Best for Christmas Gifts

Here's a big store, filled with the spirit of a sensible Christmas. There's a multitude of Christmas gift ideas here for everybody. In this space we can only hope to give you a very faint idea of the variety of sensible things—unforgotten gifts—that you will see here at Schrader Brothers. Just list the relatives and friends you want to remember—then come in and you are sure to find the very gift that will meet your ideas, and at the price you will want to pay. Let Schrader Brothers help you solve your problem of "what to give." You are welcome here, whether you come simply to look or with your mind made up to buy. Don't delay making your selections.

### Here are Just a Few of the Many Useful Gifts at This Store

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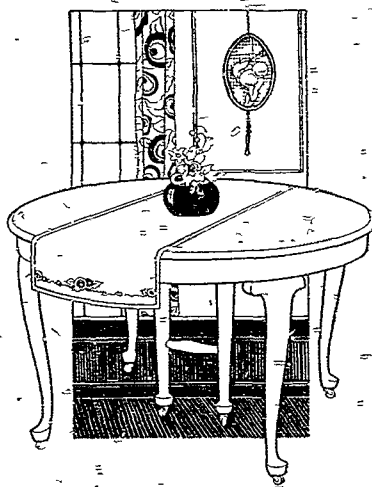


What could be more practical than a beautiful Cedar Chest that will not only serve as a protection for clothes and furs, but will act as a beautiful piece of furniture as well. You will be surprised when you see how reasonable they are.

#### SMOKING STANDS.

Like as not he has always wanted one, but never got around to it. Now is the time for you to please him with a beautiful little Smoking Stand, and he will appreciate your thoughtfulness and good judgment.

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We are especially proud of our showing of Dining Room Furniture both in the complete suites and in the single pieces. One of our handsome Tables, Buffets, a Serving Table or a set of our Handsome Dining Chairs would make a gift most acceptable.

#### RUGS—ROOM-SIZE AND SMALL.

How about a Rug for the living room, dining room, bedroom or parlor? We have a large assortment of high-grade Rugs and in many attractive patterns.

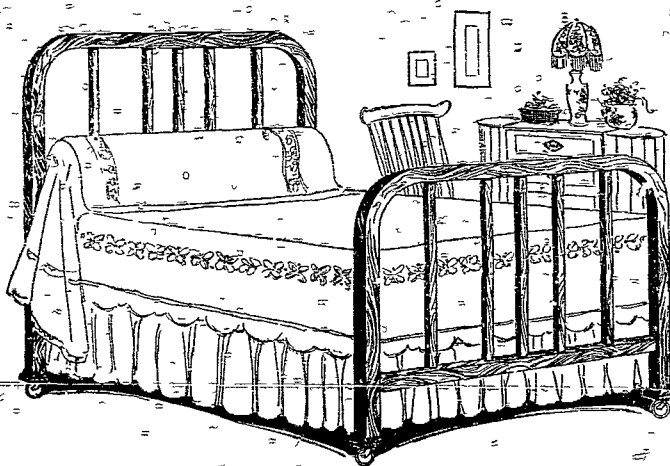
#### UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE.

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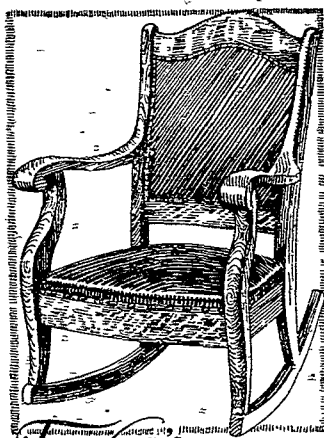


#### BEDROOM FURNITURE.



One of our Handsome Bedroom Suites would please mother, wife or the daughter. We have them in a variety of styles and patterns. We also have a fine assortment of Beds, Dressers, Dressing Tables, etc. Come and select something for the bedroom to be delivered just before Christmas.

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## STATE FAIR TO EXPEND \$275,000.

Approximately \$275,000 is to be expended for improvements at the Michigan state fair grounds during the 1923 season, according to the program outlined by George W. Dickinson, secretary of the State Fair association. The improvements will include:

A sheep and swine pavilion to house about 3,000 head of animals and costing upwards of \$100,000. An addition to the grandstand, doubling capacity of the structure and costing \$100,000.

## DETROIT HAS STOCK SHOW.

Detroit is staging a real livestock show this week at the stock yards in that city at Waterman and Dix avenues. The object of the show is to encourage state producers to finish their stock and bring them in ready for the butcher, rather than lean, scraggy animals that have to be turned out to pasture for weeks before being slaughtered.

There was on display 400 head of cattle, 1,000 lambs and 1,000 hogs.

practically all Michigan stock, and a special invitation was issued to the retail butchers to come and inspect them.

## DETROIT THEATRES.

At the Shubert-Michigan theatre next week the Bonstelle Company will offer a play of unusual human and emotional appeal, "Things That Count," by Laurence Eyre, author of "Miss Nelly of N'Orleans." During this week Marie Curtis will be afforded one of her best opportunities for the "real lead" of the play is a female "Grumpy"—that of an irascible, tyrannical, biting woman and the theme has to do with her sentimental undoing. In writing "The Things That Count," Mr. Eyre, measuring accurately the caliber of the average theatregoer, has injected an uncommon amount of human interest into the three acts that constitute the piece. The things that count are children—and one of them starts all the trouble.

So closely identified has George Arliss, who appears at the Garrick theatre one week beginning Monday night, December 18th, with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday, in "The Green Goddess," become with the life and personality of England's great statesman that he might well be called George Disraeli Arliss. And after "Disraeli" he painted on the stage quite a gallery of historical personages. Playgoers grew to expect each new production to represent further delving into historical lore, so that the announcement that with "The Green Goddess" he has turned his back on the pages of the text-book and sought the fanciful imagination of the storyteller is news indeed. Those who remember his Zukorff, with Blanche Bates in "The Darling of the Gods," will realize what possibilities there are in store in his representation of the suave, sinister, humorous but savage Raja of Rukh in the play of adventure fashioned by William Archer.

RECORD LINERS PAY TRY ONE.

## MOTHER SEES TWO SONS HIT BY TRAIN

ONE DEAD OTHER FATALY HURT WHEN AUTO IS WRECKED AT CROSSING.

## NO WARNING, SAY WITNESSES

Engineer Failed to Sound Whistle Acco. ng to Friends in Second Machine.

Detroit—Thundering over the crossing at John R street and 7-mile road at great speed, Grand Trunk passenger train No. 8 smashed into an automobile at 9:45 o'clock Sunday night and left in its wake two brothers, one dead and one seriously injured. Their mother witnessed the accident from another automobile.

The dead, David Hetzel, 16 years old, Detroit. Dying, Fred Hetzel, 20 years old, his brother.

The automobile was astride the tracks when the ponderous engine bore down, without warning according to witnesses, and smashed into the machine.

David was killed instantly. Fred, 20 years old, was caught in the wreckage and dragged 200 feet on the engine's track. He was before the train came to a stop. All curtains of the car were down and neither boy had a chance to escape.

A car containing six persons was following in the rear of the freight machine and its occupants narrowly escaped a similar fate. The driver of the second car barely had time to slam on the brakes and bring his car to a halt when almost upon the tracks.

The mother of the two victims, Mrs. Barbara Hetzel, witnessed the fatal accident from the second machine. She swooned and was removed to her home suffering from shock.

Others in the second car were Lyle Wakeman, brother-in-law of the Hetzels and his wife and the two Wakemans. Wakeman was driving.

Fred Hetzel was picked up by a passerby 200 feet down the tracks from the scene of the crash. He was found in a crazed condition when told his brother was dead. At Receiving hospital he recovered sufficiently to describe the details of the smash.

Witnesses assert the engineer did not sound his whistle as a warning as he approached the dangerous crossing.

## CEMENTED FATHER KILLS GIRL

Cuts Throat With Razor—Falls in Attempt at Suicide.

Saginaw—Walter T. Hubbard, 43 years old, credit manager of the Standard Oil company, in the Saginaw office, who is charged with murdering his 11-year-old daughter, Margaret, the only child in the family, with a razor after he had heard her prayers in the family home, Saturday night and then slashed his own throat with the same weapon will live.

Hubbard did not make a good job of using his own throat, he cut through the windpipe in two places and did not perceive the jagular vein. Margaret was a favorite in her school and she and her daddy were pals. It is the generally accepted theory that his mind broke under the strain of years of trying to breast the tide of events against him and that he "wanted to take with him out of the world what was dearest."

## 5 HELD FOR EXPRESS THEFTS

Employees Said to Have Taken \$75,000 From Packages.

Detroit—Arrests of four employees of the American Railway Express company, and a fifth man as a receiver of stolen property, have revealed an alleged gigantic plot to thievery of express packages on which police and express officials have been at work for more than two months. Police declare the thefts will total between \$50,000 and \$75,000.

The men under arrest are Walter Jones, "conductor" of an express wagon, John M. Reavey, his driver, Ralph A. Potter, a driver, Charles Arthur Lousgaan, a driver, and Harry M. Davis, 76 Alfred street, charged with harboring a receiver of the stolen property.

Police are looking for a sixth man, who is said to have been the ring leader of the gang.

## FRAUD CONVICTION IS UPHELD

State Supreme Court Approves Decision in Cass Drain Case.

Dowagiac, Mich.—The state supreme court has upheld the conviction by jury of C. J. McElheny and Abner Moon, charged with conspiracy in connection with the Dowagiac drain case. Judge Charles White, of St. Joseph, before whom the case was tried last January, announced that the pair will be called for sentence during the present term of court. The two were convicted by a jury January 27, but obtained a stay of sentence at that time.

## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Lansing—Leonard S. Cone, assistant attorney general of Michigan, resigned to be a "lawyer" for the Eastern District of Michigan.

Muskegon—Abraham Lote, tried on liquor charges and freed in every trial, was at last convicted of being a liquor law. He was found guilty after the jury deliberated 55 minutes.

Pontiac—Also present has been made here a matter of the proposed widening of Woodward avenue between Dearborn and Pontiac will be presented for the consideration of the legislature, which meets next month.

Monroe—Mrs. Marie Reinhardt, of Monroe, filed a \$10,000 claim with the city commission for injuries alleged to have been received by her in a fall into an unguarded and unlighted trench. Her husband, Walter Reinhardt, also put in a claim for \$10,000 for his wife's injuries and medical expenses.

Lansing—That the Grand Rapids Gas Light Co. has paid stockholders more than \$100,000 in dividends on \$1,000,000 of watered stock injected into the capitalization of the company, was charged by auditors of the Michigan Public Utilities Commission at the opening of the Grand Rapids gas rate hearings.

Charlotte—The hearing of the case of People vs. Benjamin Augustus, violation of the state blue sky laws, charged by the state securities commission, which was put over from the October term of circuit court here because of the absence from the state of Henry Goodrich, chief witness, has been set for January 15.

Dearfield—Workmen on the county road work, under the direction of Robert Darling, recently accomplished a difficult piece of bridge-building in erecting a bridge near the Charles Johnson farm the workmen encountered 15 feet of quicksand and it proved considerable of a task to dig deep enough to support the bridge.

Traverse City—By a majority of 171 James T. Milliken 35 years old, clothing merchant, was elected mayor of Traverse City over George Lavale, a produce dealer, in the municipal election. Milliken will succeed Dr. Lafayette Swanton, whose second term will be completed Jan. 1. George Shevold and Don Morgan were elected to the city commission.

Lansing—The conviction of Benny Randolph, found guilty in connection with the death of Fortuna Janetta, in Port Huron, was set aside by the State Supreme Court and a new trial was ordered. The court held that Randolph's conviction was obtained without actual proof of the location of the alleged crime or accurate evidence regarding the act. It also cited errors in the conduct of the trial.

Harbor Springs—Gordon Pfister, 13, is dead from a bullet wound accidentally inflicted by his companion, William Casper, 12, while the boys were hunting. Casper was walking through a swamp a few feet behind Pfister when his gun was discharged, the lead striking Pfister in the head. Casper, frightened, fled to Petoskey, but has been returned here. There will be no charge against him officially.

Wyandotte—With a vote in excess of 20 to one citizens of Wyandotte and Ford, at special election decided in favor of the annexation of Ford to Wyandotte, finally settling a question that has been placed upon the ballots of the two municipalities a half dozen times in the past decade. The annexation becomes effective immediately the certificates of election are filed with the county clerk and the secretary of state.

Lansing—A judgment of \$30,000, obtained in the lower court by Herman Clumfoot, an express company employee against the St. Clair Tunnel company, for personal injuries, was affirmed by the state supreme court. Clumfoot, while working in the tunnel, which the company operates under the river at Port Huron, came in contact with a high voltage wire, and was seriously injured. The court held the company guilty of negligence.

Traverse City—Near the spot in Benzie county where the blanching bones of the aged Mrs. John Mattice who disappeared about two years ago were found last month, workmen have uncovered the skeleton of a man. Dr. E. J. Cells, coroner, has decided against an inquest. It is not believed there is any disappearance to which the remains could be traced, but the quiet of the little community of Cedar Run has given way to excitement at the second mysterious skeleton, discovered within a month.

Lansing—Plans to bring the state income tax proposal before the coming session of the legislature were discussed here, during the meeting of the Michigan Association of Farmers' clubs. It was declared an income tax is absolutely necessary to save the farm population of the state from financial ruin. A resolution was proposed putting the conference on record as favoring the presentation of the question to the 1923 legislature. The association also went on record as favoring the amendment of Michigan's income tax.

## Christmas Violets

By Mary Graham Bonner

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HAROLD had been told by his mother, that big cities were full of designing women. Harold did not know whether his mother was right or not. But he did know that in his city boarding house there was one of the dearest little girls who had ever lived.

Harold was not selfish. He was far from being a miser. His idea of a miser was a chap he had known in his home town. He had never spent any money which he could possibly avoid spending. He always ate with his friends and rarely paid for a meal. He was always out of cigarettes and so smoked his friends' cigarettes.

He had made a good living and never failed to talk of his poverty.

He had been accused of worshipping money, and he had repudiated. "Not a bit of it," he had said. "I have great respect for money. That is the difference."

Harold despised that kind of a person. And yet, perhaps, wouldn't the dearest little girl think he was mean? He had never given her anything and he had lived in the boarding house for six months now. "Did she think he was mean?" That was what bothered him. She had told him of a person she had known whom she considered a miser. And she had told him of a joke upon this miser. For he had bargained with a little shop dealer and had obtained an article marked a dollar for fifty cents, and then had walked down the street a little further on and had seen the same article in another window for twenty-five cents. And finally he had seen it in a ten-cent store for a dime. Well, he had almost considered life useless, while everyone else had rejoiced that it had been a good one on the miser.

One of the reasons that made him feel that she thought perhaps he was mean was because he knew others who were generous. Or, at least, one other.

Every Saturday she had received flowers. She had taken a card out of the box as they had sat at the boarding house table at breakfast. The other boarders teased her about her admirer and she seemed to enjoy it. Only he felt uncomfortable and could say nothing.

And Helen, whom he called to himself the dearest little girl, had been receiving these flowers for quite a few weeks now.

Finally he could stand it no longer. His mother needn't tell him anything more about the city's designing women. He was not going to lose the dearest little girl, if there was yet a chance, because of his mother's warnings to keep to himself.

And, besides, Christmas was coming, and Christmas was a time of year when everyone felt happy. He was going to make a tremendous fight to be happy.

And he sent her violets, beautiful deep purple violets with a pink rose in the center.

Never had he seen her so happy as she was over his violets. How differently she acted about him than about the others. And then he asked her if she would take a walk with him. So far, they had had all their talks in the boarding house.

"I wonder," he said, "if you'd think it was awfully sudden if I made a little suggestion? I was thinking how nice a ring would look on that left hand of yours—as a Christmas present—and an engagement present, if I may be so bold, and if you've not already promised yourself to the other fellow? Or, maybe you could learn to like me better."

"What other fellow?" Helen asked.

"The one who has been sending you flowers all along."

"Oh," Helen said, "I'll have to tell you the truth. I sent them to myself. You were so shy, you seemed to like me and yet couldn't go about telling me or asking me out, and I thought maybe I'd make you curious or jealous or something."

"And you've cared for me all along as I have for you?" he queried.

She nodded. And then he told her the warnings he had been given by his mother.

"I don't know what she's right," Helen said. "I made designs for you, she could truthfully say."

But neither of them thought of the past, only of the glorious future ahead.

And Helen wore more violets on Christmas day and a ring with a stone which sparkled so beautifully. And they had dinner by themselves—a real Christmas dinner, for it was not only Christmas day—it was their wedding.

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"Oh," Helen said, "I'll have to tell you the truth. I sent them to myself. You were so shy, you seemed to like me and yet couldn't go about telling me or asking me out, and I thought maybe I'd make you curious or jealous or something."

"And you've cared for me all along as I have for you?" he queried.

She nodded. And then he told her the warnings he had been given by his mother.

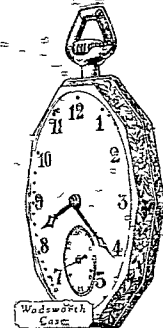
"I don't know what she's right," Helen said. "I made designs for you, she could truthfully say."

But neither of them thought of the past, only of the glorious future ahead.

And Helen wore more violets on Christmas day and a ring with a stone which sparkled so beautifully. And they had dinner by themselves—a real Christmas dinner, for it was not only Christmas day—it was their wedding.

## Jewelry for Christmas

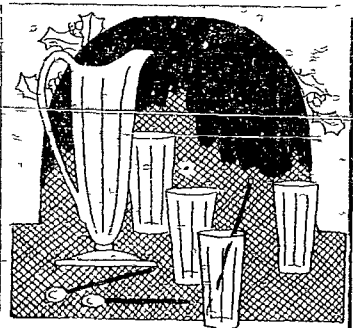
We make buying Christmas Presents the easiest problem in the Holiday puzzle. Don't worry about what to give. Come to our store and let's settle the matter. Buy Gifts that Last. We have many beautiful presents at such reasonable prices.



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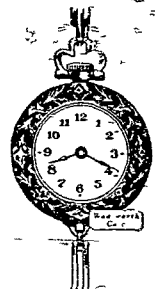
Selection will be put away for you if you wish. It is a pleasure to us, and will be a pleasure to you to look.

Elegant New Ivory—A pleasing variety of the newest productions in Ivory has just arrived. Come and get our prices before buying.

We also have

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NEARLY 300 KINDS SHOWING. COME IN  
AND LOOK THEM OVER.

A Good Pipe, priced at ..... 75c up  
Fountain Pens, Self-fillers with pocket clips or  
watch chain rings ..... \$2 to \$5  
Silver and Gold Automatic Pencils ..... \$1.00 up  
Safety Razors—all the popular makes in  
special cases ..... \$1.00 up  
Brushes—Shaving Brushes ..... 50c up  
Hair Brushes ..... \$1.00 up  
Special for the Kiddies: Rainbow Play Balls  
Large five-inch high bouncers. Regular  
price 75c. Special ..... 59c

Purchasing Holiday Gifts will increase your  
number of keys. You get one with each 50c  
purchase.

Original Saturday Chocolates—Regular price  
50c lb. box, Special for December ..... 39c

Maxixe Cherries—Whole large cherries in  
liquid cream, heavily chocolate coated. Reg-  
ular price 75c lb. December ..... 59c lb.

Liggett's Chocolates—always acceptable to  
"Her" whether she be mother, sister,  
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box with your card. Order now—we'll de-  
liver it whenever you want us to \$1, \$1.50 lb.

Buy Her Cara Nome Combination Sets; Indi-  
vidual Packages. Cara Nome, for the most  
fastidious. Exquisitely expresses the individ-  
uality of discriminating fashion. In elegantly  
cut crystal bottles.

Combination Sets	\$5.50 to \$10.00
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Sachet	\$2.00
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Jontee Extract (satin box)	\$3.00
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Holiday Special—\$1 package Dazira Extract  
free with each box of Dazira Face Powder.  
Regular price \$1.50. During December  
both for ..... \$1.50

"The Write Gift"—What more desirable gift  
could you offer than a beautiful papeterie  
cabinet of Symphony Charme, made for  
those who know and appreciate fine sta-  
tionery. In all sizes and tints \$1 to \$3 boxes

For My Lady's Dressing Table. Ivory gifts  
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Mother's Gift, for cold nights, Water Bottles  
are both useful and desirable. Guaranteed  
to give two years service. In an attractive  
box, each ..... \$2.00



#### Who Will Get This?

Someone will get this \$125 Solid Mahogany  
Chest of Community Plate Free! Will it be you?  
Guarantee for 50 years. See it in our window.  
Get the key that fits the lock and the prize is  
yours. A key given with every purchase of 50c  
and among the keys is one that opens the chest.  
Increase your chances of winning this prize—  
select your Holiday Gifts from our choice offer-  
ings.

C. R. HORTON

NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

#### LOCAL

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chase,  
on November 28th, a son, Philip  
Hayes

Mail your Christmas packages early  
See that they are securely wrapped and  
addressed.

N. A. Clapp is staying at 25 Math-  
ews street, Pontiac, where he desires  
his paper to be sent

Real winter weather arrived Mon-  
day night. Tuesday was cold with  
a strong, chilling wind.

The Alexander building, on Main  
street which was damaged by fire last  
Thursday morning, is being repaired.

Over in Oakland county, it is said,  
auto drivers are becoming so careless  
that they ran into an audiotaker's  
wagon.

Fry & Boullatt are erecting a steam  
heated garage for the Northville Con-  
dempsey. The new building will be  
26x32 feet in size.

Bishop Charles D. Williams of De-  
troit will speak at St. John's Episco-  
pal church at Plymouth tonight at  
7:30, when a class will be confirmed.

Redford's new water supply has  
been given an official O. K. by the  
state board of health. Detroit city  
water is being supplied to Redford  
people.

The Michigan State Grange is hold-  
ing its annual meeting, known as the  
golden jubilee, at Kalamazoo this  
week. More than 400 delegates are  
in attendance.

Mrs. Katherine Botsford, a former  
Holly resident, died last Saturday at  
the home of her daughter in Los  
Angeles, Calif. The remains were  
brought to Holly for burial.

Stewart Montgomery has written to  
friends here from Davila Beach,  
Florida, that the weather was bright  
and sunny down there, so warm in  
fact that the shade is comfortable.

The Northville Alumni association  
will give a ball at the high school  
gym this Friday evening. Music by  
Finzel's orchestra of Detroit. All  
who attend may be assured a good  
time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cook were  
called to Plymouth last week Thurs-  
day owing to the illness of the for-  
mer's brother, Ed Cook, who was taken  
to Harper hospital, Detroit, for treat-  
ment.

Burglars forced an entrance to  
Jacob Bentler's cigar store at Milford  
Saturday night and carried away  
nearly the entire stock of cigars and  
tobaccos and a mounted deer head  
which Mr. Bentler highly prize.

The King's Daughters will meet  
with Mrs. E. V. Belles on Tuesday  
evening next. All members who  
have not delivered their contributions  
of fruit for the home are requested to  
do so at this meeting.

Northville Commandery, Knights  
Templar, has been invited to be the  
guests of Pontiac Commandery on  
Tuesday evening next, the 19th. It  
is expected that an extra car will be  
chartered for the trip, to leave North-  
ville at 5:15, reaching Pontiac in time  
for dinner at 6:30.

Dr. Wickham, who recently pur-  
chased the Scotten property in this  
village, had the misfortune to be in  
an auto accident in Detroit, Sunday,  
and as a result of which he sustained  
a fractured rib. The injury is not  
considered serious and he will be able  
to be about again within a few weeks.

Any person or organization desir-  
ing to contribute something for the  
Christmas baskets to be distributed  
by The King's Daughters will please  
leave their donations at The Record  
office on Friday or Saturday morning  
of next week. The baskets will be  
packed on Saturday afternoon.

Read the announcements in today's  
paper and when making your Christ-  
mas purchases visit the stores which  
offer you a special invitation. You  
will find Northville stores are well  
supplied this year and by shopping  
a little you can find all you will need  
right here for Christmas gifts.

A good many Northville people at-  
tended the first annual ball given by  
the officers of the Detroit House of  
Correction farm at the Penniman-  
Allen hall in Plymouth last Friday  
night. The affair was a very enjoy-  
able one and those having the dance  
in charge are to be congratulated upon  
its success.

Persons having a supply of books  
or magazines that they do not desire  
to keep will confer a very great favor  
by leaving them at Eliott's hardware.  
The men over at the Detroit House of  
Correction farm find these long even-  
ings tiresome without something to  
read and they will be glad to receive  
a new supply of reading matter.

About fifty members of Northville  
Lodge, F. & A. M., attended services  
at the Presbyterian church Sunday  
evening, and listened to a very inter-  
esting and instructive address by  
Brother E. V. Belles, pastor. A  
choir of eight voices led the congre-  
gational singing and a number of  
familiar hymns were sung and Wayne  
VanDyne sang a sacred solo. Mr.  
Belles took for his theme "The Re-  
jected Stone" and in a very interest-  
ing manner sketched its history in  
both religious and Masonic history,  
making a final application and appeal  
that impressed all who were in the  
congregation.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Sim-  
mons, last Saturday, a daughter.  
Mother and baby are doing well.

E. A. Chapman, who is a student at  
the University of Michigan, has been  
awarded a sweater and numerals for  
work on the reserve foot ball team.

There is a real treat in store for  
the members of the Northville Wom-  
an's club and their friends this after-  
noon when Dr. Atkins, pastor of the  
First Congregational church of De-  
troit, will give an address.

The heaviest snow fall of the sea-  
son came Wednesday night and Thurs-  
day morning, covering everything with  
a white mantle. The snow shovel  
squad was very busy Thursday morn-  
ing cleaning away the "beautiful".

One of the tributes paid to the mem-  
ory of John Wanamaker, the great  
merchant prince of Philadelphia,  
whose funeral was held yesterday, was  
this commendation—"He was always  
to work on time." Up to the time of  
his fatal illness Mr. Wanamaker was  
at his desk and directed the affairs of  
his great enterprises, with as much  
zeal and earnestness as he did in the  
early years of his business career.

Several of the ladies are going to  
accept the invitation of Harry S. Ger-  
man to the bowling alleys next Mon-  
day and Tuesday nights to watch the  
business men roll down the maples in  
the league. There will be seats pro-  
vided for the ladies and it is hoped  
that these business men bowlers will  
have heart enough to bowl their best  
in the presence of their friends, wives  
of sweethearts. Mr. German has made  
an unusual good program for his  
alleys next week and the same may be  
found in this edition.

Alcohol 60 cents per gallon at State  
Tire Shop ..... 22w1c.

Several new books for children will  
be put in the library at Christmas  
time. Why not buy library cards  
for the children's Christmas gift? c

We will give you immediate credit in a Savings  
account at face value for

### War Saving Stamps

Due January 1, 1923

We will also receive

### Victory Liberty Loan Bonds

Called for payment December 15, and give im-  
mediate credit in a savings account at par  
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4% on Savings  
Accounts

### Lapham State Savings Bank

Northville, Michigan.

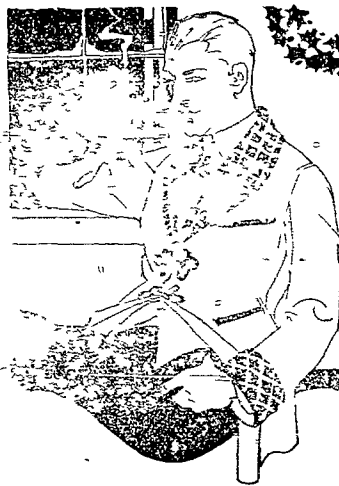
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## ACCEPTABLE PRESENTS

Ready at KILGOUR'S-- a great Men's Store full of

### Gifts HE prefers

They're things he wants;—things he'll have to buy for himself unless some  
good Santa Claus gives them to him;—things he'd rather you'd buy HERE for  
him—because he knows our standard of quality and satisfaction-giving.



#### SHIRTS AND TIES.

May rest assured he'll be well  
pleased; neckwear, 65c to \$3.50.  
Shirts, \$1.65 up; Silk, \$5.00 up.  
Handkerchiefs—always welcomed  
—at 15c up; initialled, 6 for \$1.50,  
and up. Hosiery is practical  
good to give—as low as 25c pr.  
fine hies at 35c to \$1.50; cashmere  
and worsteds at 50c to \$2.50; fine  
silk, 75c to \$2.75.

#### WARM GLOVES.

The man is unknown who isn't  
pleased when Santa hands him  
gloves. You'll find fine ones here.  
Fowles Silk Gloves, \$2.00  
Capes, Mochas, \$2.50-\$3.00  
Lined Gloves, Gauntlets, \$2.50 to  
\$3.50.  
Wool Gloves, \$5.00  
Fur and Fur Lined Gloves.

#### NIGHTWEAR.

A wonderful gift to husband,  
father, son or brother.  
Pajamas, \$2.00  
Night Shirts, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

#### Special

#### Xmas

#### Gift

#### Values

in



### SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Really no finer gift!—and no finer clothes than these made to order  
creations, wonderful big, fleecy Overcoats in all models.

Fine Plaidback Overcoats \$30-\$40

#### GOWNS-ROBES

for every leisure hour at home,  
soft wool; big variety, \$9.50 to  
\$12.50  
Lounging Robes, \$6.00

#### BELTS-JEWELRY.

Just the useful, necessary things  
men must wear—but the finest and  
most beautiful of each;—modest  
prices  
Belts and Buckles, in boxes, \$1.25  
to \$2.00.  
Belt Buckles Dress Sets  
Cuff Links Scarf Pins  
Beltograms.

#### NECKWEAR

of such refinement, quality and  
beauty that your selections will  
prove delightful.  
Silk Knitted Scarfs including im-  
ported novelties, 65c to \$3.50  
Shirts, \$1.50 up.  
REFINED GIFT BOXES  
with all purchases

#### MUFFLERS.

Cozy, warm, fluffy—the finest  
brushed wool and angora, \$2.00  
and \$3.00.  
Sweater Coats, \$4.50 to \$6.00.  
Winter Caps, \$1.00 to \$3.00

## KILGOUR'S

Cleaning. — Pressing. — Dyeing. NORTHVILLE, MICH.

## Season's Greetings

### Christ's Birthday

By Christopher G. Hazard

THE little children larger grown,  
With all the knowledge they have known,  
Remember when they first began  
To live the little life of man.

They live in childhood each birthday,  
With playthings long since put away,  
They sigh as they turn back again  
To daily tasks of toil and pain.

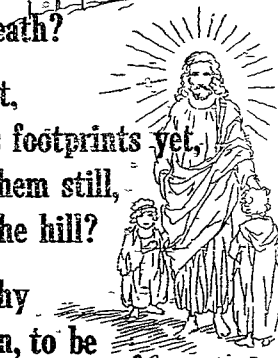
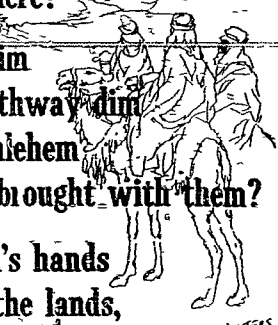
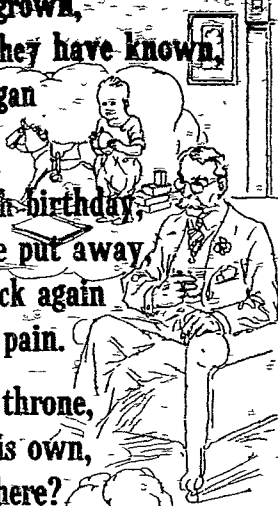
Does Christ, upon his Father's throne,  
With worlds and glories for his own,  
Look down upon this little sphere?  
Remember still his birthdays here?

Does he forget the Cherubim  
And wander down the pathway dim  
That leads to ancient Bethlehem  
And gifts that Wise Men brought with them?

And does he hold the children's hands  
As he still journeys through the lands,  
Far on his way to Nazareth,  
Beyond his painful cross of death?

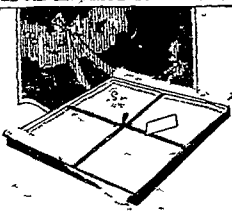
And, as he turns to Olivet,  
Where faith may find his footprints yet,  
Does he, ascending, hold them still,  
With tender guiding up the hill?

Sure a long strand of sympathy  
Runs all the way from heaven, to be  
In childlike hearts a pathway bright  
Up to a birthday into light!





## HANDKERCHIEFS



## OUR LEADERS

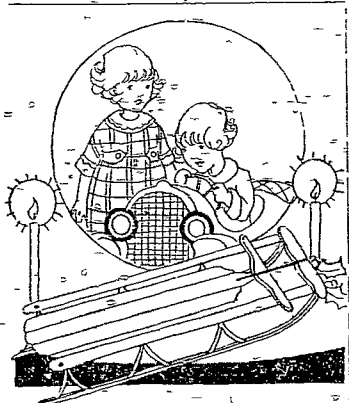
For This Christmas

## ARE LINENS

Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs, white and colored; good quality 15c  
 Ladies' Linen at 25c are exceptionally fine 25c  
 Half Linen Towels 50c  
 All Linen Towels 75c, \$1.25, and \$1.50  
 Linen Table Cloth, 70-in. wide at per yard \$1.98  
 Linen Napkins, 22-in. wide, the best value in years. We were fortunate in securing over 50 dozen of them—only a few left at, per dozen \$6.50  
 Ladies' Outing Gowns 98c, \$1.19, \$1.39  
 Closing out Slip-over Sweaters—very low price.  
 Turkish Towels—15c, 25c, 39c, 50c  
 Towel Sets, in boxes, \$1, \$1.10, \$1.50

Huck Towels, fancy borders 25c  
 Rag Rugs 50c, 79c, \$1.15  
 Axminster Rugs \$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.50  
 Japanese Table Cloths \$1, \$1.50, \$1.65, and \$2.25.  
 Comforters \$2.98 to \$4.75  
 Blankets \$1.75 to \$6.50  
 Sheets \$1.25 to \$2.25  
 Pillow Cases 29c to 60c  
 Dresser Scarfs 50c, 75c to \$2.50  
 Ladies' Gloves 35c to \$2.25  
 Ladies' Collars and Cuffs 50c, 75c, \$1  
 Handkerchiefs, Linen, in white and colored.  
 Silk Poplin, extra good value, black, navy, brown and taupe.

Edwin White, Northville, Mich.



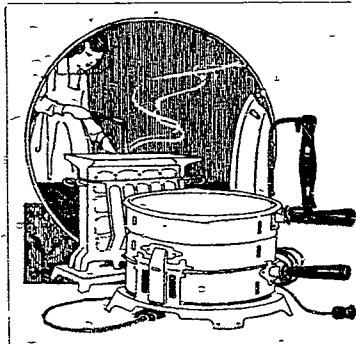
Merry  
 Christmas  
 To All!



## We Have Practical Gifts

In these practical days a gift to be really appreciated must be useful—must give some lasting service to its recipient if it is not soon forgotten or put aside. You will find here many articles which will make appropriate and at the same time useful and practical gifts—the kind that will give service.

Carving Sets.  
 Aluminum Dishes.  
 Nickel Casseroles.  
 Pyrex Baking Dishes.  
 Electric Irons.  
 Boys' and Girls' Skates  
 Flexible Flyer Sleds.  
 Wagons.  
 Kiddie Cars.  
 Skates.  
 Roasters



Icy Hot Bottles.  
 Jack Knives.  
 Christmas Tree Lights.  
 Safety Razors.  
 Clothes Wringers.  
 Bath Room Fixtures.  
 Coffee Pots.  
 Double Cookers.  
 Toasters.  
 Flashlights.  
 Oil Heaters.

## STORE OPEN EVENINGS

Come in and look over our assortment and make your selections. You will find here goods of high quality marked at reasonable prices.

Lyke &amp; Lang, Northville

STATE NEWS  
IN BRIEF

Irona—The Pere Marquette railroad has leased the east half of the local depot to the American Express company.

Ann Arbor—The University of Michigan has enough coal to properly heat its buildings until the first of next year. It was announced.

Pontiac—Beta Phi Sigma fraternity's club house at Wall Lake, one of the largest on the west shore of the Detroit river, causing \$20,000 damage.

Marquette—Marquette County will expend \$198,000 in 1923 for the construction of good roads. Of this amount, \$113,000 will be invested in new trunk line routes.

Detroit Creek—Brigadier General George V. H. Mosely, of Camp Custer, is in command of the Sixth corps area, pending retirement Nov. 30 of Major General Bell, Jr., now on leave of absence.

Graed Rapids—William Oakman, 70, had an arm crushed when he was caught between an elevator and a wall in the store of the Rademacher Dodge Grocery company where he is a "chman."

Owasco—Because regulars prohibited a postal employee from taking part in politics, O. J. Reynolds, Democratic candidate for sheriff, has resigned from the local postoffice force. He has served 12 years.

Pontiac—Charles Cross, former sheriff, must pay \$500 to Walter Szyrak of Detroit for liquor he seized in Szyrak's possession legally, the county board of supervisors has decided.

Flint—The Flint railroad is to be sold for an amount of \$1,000,000, which will be paid by officials on an inspection.

Huron—The Port Huron city council has passed an ordinance making it an offense for "lawyers and doctors for hire, busses and taxicabs to do business on the streets."

Ann Arbor—A judge before a local justice of the peace, Charles J. Monroe stood mute to the charge of having killed his wife, Lillian. He was bound over to the November term of the circuit court without bail.

Marion—A Waller Westenfeller, manager of a Standard oil company station facing the muzzle of a handgun's pistol, frustrated a robbery by calling to an assistant he never had. The gunman hastily pocketed his weapon and fled leaving \$500.

Huron—George C. 72, a farmer living just outside this village, was shot to death by a Jersey bull. Mr. C. had just sold the animal to a buyer and they were about to load him in a wagon when he suddenly stepped upon them giving no chance for escape.

Flint—Horace Maynard Chapter is the new name adopted by the Flint Chapter, No. 52, Royal Arch Masons. For many years the late Attorney Horace S. Maynard, Sr., of this city, was grand lecturer of the grand chapter and one of the best known Masons in the state.

Lapeer—In response to the expression of the community, Representative Canton named Gertrude Vonnat, of St. Louis, acting postmaster of that city. Jean Moffatt, 42 years old, had been appointed to the office and was to have taken it over October 16. He was stricken with typhoid fever and died October 17.

Port Huron—Two men comprising the crew of the tug Maude, were rescued by the steamer Wilpen, upon which when the tug sprang a leak and sank in Lake St. Clair Flats. The men were landed at Marine City, where they gave their names as James Richards, of Port Lambton, Ont., and C. F. Zink of Toronto.

Pontiac—Authority to enter into a contract for purchase of a new site for the county poor farm was voted, to a special committee of the board of supervisors. It had been recommended that the present farm be sold as it is too valuable for poor farm purpose lying on the edge of the city. No action was taken for the sale was voted.

Ann Arbor—The University of Michigan has graduated 42,186 students since 1815, a report compiled by H. L. Senesmann, director of the university catalog, shows. The college of literature, science and the arts led in number of graduates with 14,892. Law, medicine and engineering colleges are second, third and fourth. There have been 393 honorary degrees conferred by the university.

Kalamazoo—After two weeks, during most of which time he hovered between life and death John Loris, 43 years old was removed from a local hospital to his home in Sturgis. The little boy was almost entirely scalped, July 31 by the accidental discharge of a shotgun which tore away the top of his head. Two weeks ago he submitted to a difficult operation by which 12 square inches of skin was grafted from one of his legs to the top of his head. The boy is now in the best of health and is expected to return to school.

Old Henry's  
Wooing

By JUSTIN WENTWOOD

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"Hello, Hank!" Saying up to get married?"

Old Henry Dobson, who had been one of the members of the Friend company for nearly a score of years, looked up helplessly and thrust away the idea of it was counting.

"Better hurry up, not much time to lose, Hank!"

Henry Dobson must have been fifty, and he had been so long with the company and still retained a subordination of mind as not difficult to see. Honest, plodding, industrious, he had not the qualities that make for success. An elderly-looking man, unobtrusive, he went his way, the butt of mild wisecracks on the part of the younger men.

No one knew anything about old Henry, nor where he lived, and nobody cared.

The same applied equally to Miss Rowell, or the correspondence department. Miss Rowell had been there nine years, and looked just a plain, pale, rather faded old maid.

"Say, Miss Rowell, Hank Dobson reckons he's going to get married!"

Sadie, the telephone girl, said this, and waited for the quick blush to appear on Miss Rowell's face.

"Is he, really? Oh, isn't that nice?"

"Say," said Sadie to her friend, Agnes Stuart, "wouldn't it be a joke to make Amy Rowell (Hank Hank Dobson's) in love with her?"

"And to make him think she's in love with him?"

"How'll we do it?"

"Watch me!" said Sadie cryptically.

She found a neat little bunch of violets on her desk, with a scrap of pasteboard attached, bearing in waiting the words,

"With H. D.'s compliments."

Her agitation appeared plain. The girls, watching her, had many quiet giggles as they saw her surreptitiously bend to sniff the fragrance of the flowers.

"Say, Hank, that's a fine bunch of flowers you sent Miss Rowell."

I didn't send her any flowers. What I want to send her flowers for," protested Henry Dobson.

"Well, don't you let on, you didn't. She's coming to thank you."

Little Miss Rowell stopped at Henry Dobson's desk. "Thank you so much for your beautiful flowers, Mr. Dobson," she said in a quiet voice.

A few days later Henry Dobson found a pair of socks on his desk, bearing a card, "With kind remembrances from A. R." Examination disclosed the fact that the heels were gone.

"Say, Miss Rowell, Mr. Dobson's had such a lovely pair of socks from some one," said Sadie.

Little Miss Rowell raised her head inquiringly. "Who sent them?" she asked.

"Oh, Miss Rowell! Oh, Miss Rowell!" they teased her.

It was funny to see how nervously Miss Rowell avoided Henry Dobson's desk for several days thereafter.

The cream of the joke came a few days later. Miss Rowell opened a little cardboard box. Inside was a ten-year-old valentine, procured from some old dealer who had had it rotting on his shelf since the days when valentines remained in fashion. The lace-paper edge was torn and muddled. The picture represented an elderly spinster with a long red nose, and underneath was printed:

"I think you're out for marriage. As long as the world can see, I hope you'll find a man to your mind. As long as it isn't me."

The sender had scribbled out the last word and substituted "H. D."

Miss Rowell's right hand jerked convulsively. The valentine, torn in half, dropped into the wastebasket.

Twelve struck. Hank Dobson came slowly into the correspondence department, as the girls were getting on their hats. Miss Rowell rose up, smiling.

"On, Sadie, you know I'm not coming back on Monday?" she asked.

"Not coming back, Miss Rowell?" There was genuine regret. Then, impulsively: "Oh, Miss Rowell, if it's because we've bothered you so much, won't you overlook it. I—I'm really ashamed."

"My dear, you haven't bothered me at all," Miss Rowell smiled. "But my husband and I are starting a little poultry farm—the dream of our lives."

"Oh, Miss Rowell! I mean—why, Miss Rowell, you and Mr. Dobson have got married!"

"Ten years ago, my dear," smiled Amy Rowell.

The First Wallpaper in America.

Wall papers did not begin to come into this country until the second quarter of the Eighteenth century.

Even then they were specially ordered by the individual householders from their dealers in London and Paris, rather than carried from the general retail trade.

Thomas Hancock, for instance, ordered in 1737, a specially made paper from his stationer, Thomas Rowe of London, and in his letter giving the order speaks of another paper similarly imported by a friend of his, three or four years earlier.

By 1747, however, wall paper was in retail stock here, Charles Hargrave of Philadelphia advertising it in that year.

But certainly it was not in general use until 1750. By that time it had become enormously popular and a host of merchants in all the larger towns were carrying new importations with the arrival of every ship.

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## CHRISTMAS FEAST FOR BIRDS

Feathery Tribe in Bosnia Not Forgotten—Food Placed Near Nests, and Shelters.

CHRISTMAS is not merely a festival celebrated by and for man alone. Among the folklore of other countries are several quaint stories in which animals and birds give evidence of their adoration. A well-known Bosnian legend offers a version of world-adoration. They claim that on the holy day "the sun in the east bowed down, the stars stood still; the mountains and forests shook and touched the earth with their summits, and the green pine-tree bent; the grass was bedewed with the opening of blossoms; incense sweet as myrrh pervaded upland and forest; birds sang on the mountain tops and all give thanks to the great God."

In Bosnia on Christmas Day a sheaf of rice is put near birds' nests and bird houses for the birds' Christmas.

An old Indian legend says that on Christmas night all the deer in the forest kneel in adoration before the Great Spirit. Woe to him, however, who tries to spy upon them. He is punished with perpetual stiffening of the knees.

Many people of the Old World claim that on Christmas night animals are gifted with speech, but none must trespass or eavesdrop.

Many and many have been the tales which account for the robin's red breast. In great many parts of Europe he is called the Saviour's bird, and a story is told that when the Christ was crucified the robin, unable to stand his suffering, ventured to pluck the thorns from his head. In doing so, the blood stained the robin's breast, which sign he wears today.

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USE OF CHRISTMAS STOCKING

Custom Comes From Sunny Italy Where Poor First Used Long Knitted Purses.

THE custom of hanging up stockings on Christmas Eve comes to us from a land far across the ocean—from sunny Italy.

In the city of Padua long ago, good old St. Nicholas used to go about the streets after dark and throw through the windows of the homes of the poor people long knitted purses, tied at both ends and containing much needed coins. These purses were made of yarn, and when untied looked not unlike a footless stocking.

Finally, as time went on the poor people hoping thus to remind the more fortunate of their needs used to hang these empty purses out of the windows on the night before Christmas, so that a gift might be placed in them.

In the north country where the weather is cold at Christmas time, the purses were hung by the chimney place in the hope that St. Nicholas would drop his offering down the chimney.

When the purses went out of fashion stockings as the thing most like them were used in their stead and that is why we today still observe the practice and the custom.

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"COME AN' GONE!"

IN THE days before prohibition, an old, southern lady was wont to celebrate Christmas with a quiet and solitary bottle of liquor. Upon one occasion he was going home with his prize under his arm, when he stumbled on the curbstone.

The bottle slipped, fell and broke, spilling the contents all over the pavement.

The old lady regarded the catastrophe with gentle mournfulness.

"Dere, now," he murmured, "Christmas come an' gone!"

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CHRISTMAS DAY IN ICELAND

Natives Still Cling to Old Customs and Songs; Day is One of Great Happiness

SUCH a strong-winged thing is Christmas Cheer that it has broken itself even to that isolated island of the far north, where the shortest day is four hours long, and where at Christmas time the sun does not rise above the horizon for a week.

Christmas is a great day with the people of Iceland and they still cling to all their old customs and songs and the day to them is one of great happiness.

One of their favorite old songs is filled with sympathy that is touching and yet gives a glimpse of a philosophy of life that is pretty fine:

"When I go good and true, aright—At peace with man, resigned to God, Thou lookst on me with eyes of light, Tasting new joys in joy's abode."

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A HARD JOB.

For little children in a flat, Drawbacks are growing greater.

For how can Santa with his pack Crawl through a radiator?

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To Remove Chewing Gum.

Wet the material well around the gum with kerosene and rub lightly. This will promptly remove the gum. Then wash as usual.

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# Rent Receipts

## Wont Build A Home

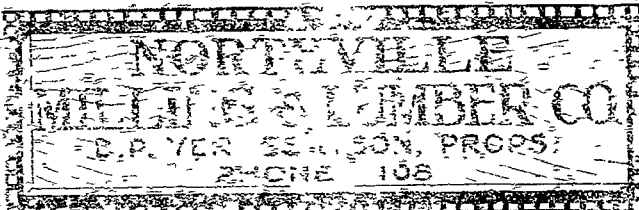
"The Rose is Red, The Violet's Blue,  
And so is a man when his rent falls due."

The Time to Provide for the Future is Now.

You will be well repaid for those sacrifices and denials you will have to make in order to build your own Home.

There will be reasonable time, after you have built that Home, to enjoy the pleasures on which the thoughtless ones are now wasting their money.

Where you will buy—bye and bye.



### METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

All services as usual for Sunday. Divine worship at 10.30 and 7.30. Sunday school at 12.00. Epworth League at 6.30. Prayer service Thursday at 7.30. Everybody is welcome.

### BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

Services will be held next Sunday both morning and evening. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. G. L. Winter of Detroit, will preach. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 11.45. Evening service at 7.30. Mid-week service, Thursday at 7.30.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTES.

Sunday morning service of worship at 10.30 o'clock. Dr. W. T. Jaquess of Detroit, will preach at this service in the absence of the pastor. Dr. Jaquess always brings a splendid message. Let us give him a good hearing.

Sunday school at 12.00 o'clock. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30. In the evening at 7.30 we are to have a radio service under the direction of Prof. A. J. Helfrich. Your daily paper on Saturday will indicate what the program is to be. But whatever else may be presented there is sure to be a worth-while message. Let us come not simply out of curiosity but for the purpose of worship and to secure the spiritual benefits of the service. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30.

### DETROIT THEATRES.

"Hungry Hearts" a story of European persecution with savage bands of soldiery and a family driven from its peaceful village home to seek se-

lue in the great democracy of America will be shown at the Broadway Grand opening Sunday. Bryant Washburn and Helen Feigson have the leading roles and the art of both is shown at its best in this presentation. Scenes in New York City show the little family, just arrived from across the seas, struggling for a livelihood and for happiness, with the mother and daughter stepping in to supply the deficiency caused by the father's inability to cope with the new conditions. A beautiful romance runs through the picture, and those who admire Bryant Washburn will find especial pleasure in this film.

### WALLED LAKE WARBLERS.

A number of young men from the Highland Park Baptist church will conduct services at the Baptist church at this place next Sunday. These young men have a real message and the young people of this section are especially invited to attend the services.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Church, who reside near Pleasant Lake, entertained a merry company of young ladies at their pleasant farm home over the week-end. Those who composed the party were Misses Bernice Castleton, Marjorie Crawford, Pearl Cisen, Madeline Bradley, Marian Alexander, Elmer Gold, Ann England of Pontiac, and Miss Beatrice Fox and Miss Marie Staught.

### Error in Education.

In trying to teach children a great deal in a short time, they are hurried on as though the race they were to run was for life but simply a three mile heat. —Horace Mann

### Nero Too Much Blamed.

Nero has received, it seems to us, more than his share of blame for burning while Rome burned, considering how many volunteer fire departments have frantically done the same thing on countless occasions since. —Kansas City Star.

### American Glassware Best.

According to tests of the bureau of standards, this country makes better chemical glassware than has ever been imported, with respect to resistance to chemical attack, power to withstand sudden cooling and mechanical strength.

## For Your

## Christmas Feast

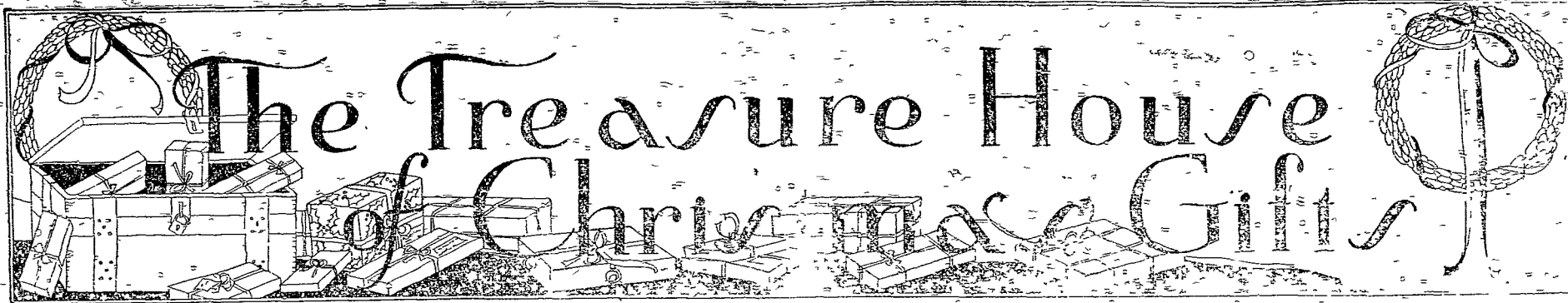
In planning your Christmas Feast just remember we will have a very complete assortment of the choicest meats, Beef, Pork, Veal, as well as the Best Poultry to be secured—Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, Chickens, and last but not least Select Oysters. The best is none too good for our patrons and we shall be pleased to serve you.

Let us have your Special Orders for anything you may desire early. We had some trouble to secure Turkeys for Thanksgiving, but as this market never fails to serve its patrons we had them.

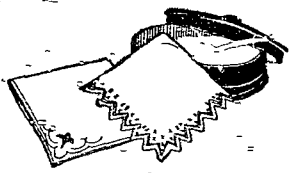
We want to assist you in making your Christmas a Merry one.

## Hills Bros.' Meat Market

NORTHVILLE, MICH.

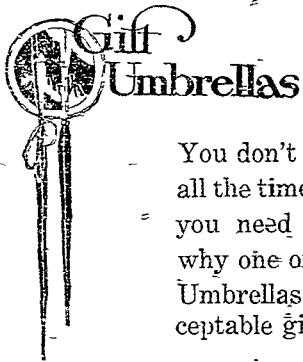


CHRISTMAS is Right Before Us. It calls for our early attention. There is no time to lose. Millions of people soon will feel its commanding spirit and overrun the stores of the country. Once again we ask gifts seekers to make selections early in the season and early in the day. The reasons are quite plain for comfort, ease and fresh stocks from which to choose their gifts await those who follow this advice. Our store is fully prepared for a bounteous Yuletide. It is crowded with the finest things to be had for holiday giving.



Here is an array of lovely merchandise from which you can pick pleasing gifts for any one. Colored Borders, Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Lace and every imaginable attraction is included in our assortment.

Genuine Walrus and Cow Hide Bags \$5.00 to \$18.00. Do you know that American people are beginning to carry better Traveling Supplies than in years past?



You don't need an Umbrella all the time, but when you do you need it bad. That is why one of our high-quality Umbrellas makes a very acceptable gift.

Glde Tyme All-Wool Sox—Nationally advertised

We feel sorry for the boy who gets only Stockings for Christmas. But what boy has a complete Christmas without a few pairs of Cadet Hose to gladden the day.

Fancy Hair Bow Ribbons  
(Two prices only)

All that run up to 45c Christmas Special 29c yd  
All that run up to \$1, Christmas Special 50c yd

### For BABY'S CHRISTMAS

BLANKETS.  
MITTENS.  
WOOL HOSIERY.  
RATTLES.  
TOILET SETS.  
BOOTEES.  
FUR TOP SHOES.  
CAB STRAP.  
BONNETS.  
COATS.  
BALLS.  
COAT HANGERS.  
RECORD BOOKS.  
TEETHING RINGS.  
HOT WATER BOTTLES.  
CAB TOYS.  
COMFORTS.

### For "HIS" CHRISTMAS

WOOL HOSIERY.  
SILK HOSIERY.  
LISLE HOSIERY.  
NECKTIES.  
PARIS GARTERS.  
HANRKERCHIEFS.  
PURSES.  
TRAVELING BAGS.  
UMBRELLAS.  
HEAVY SOX (Wool).  
TOQUES or CAPS.  
BELTS.  
SHIRTS.  
SOFT COLLARS.  
PAJAMAS.  
NIGHT SHIRTS.  
FANCY SHIRT-ING YARDAGE.

### Suggestions for "HER" Christmas

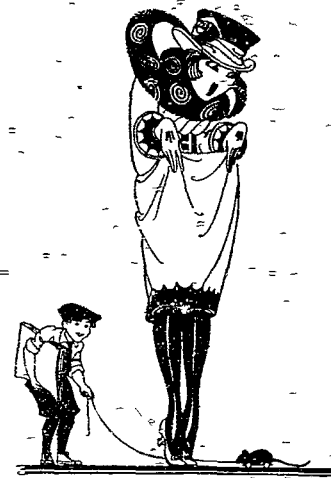
HAND BAGS.  
TRAVELING BAGS.  
BEADED BAGS.  
SHOPPING BAGS.  
UMBRELLAS.  
PARASOLS.  
SILK HOSIERY.  
WOOL HOSIERY.  
LISLE HOSIERY.  
SILK BLOOMERS.  
SILK PETTICOCKERS.  
MERCERIZED SKIRTS.  
KAYSER SILK GLOVES.  
KAYSER CASHMEREETTE GAUNTLET GLOVES.  
KAYSER GLOVES.  
SILK SKIRTS.  
BRASSIERS.  
SILK CAMESOLE.  
CORSET COVERS.  
FANCY TEA APRONS.  
BOUDOIR CAPS.  
BATH ROBES.  
BEADS.  
SWEATERS (all kinds).  
HANDKERCHIEFS.  
BAR PINS.  
NECKWEAR.  
IVORY COMBS.  
COMBINATION SUITS.  
NIGHT GOWNS.  
FANCY WAISTS.  
MIDDY BLOUSES.  
VESTES.

### FOR THE HOME

BED SPREADS.  
PILLOWS.  
BLANKETS.  
MATTRESS COVER.  
SHEETS.  
PILLOW CASES.  
COMFORTERS.  
FANCY TURKISH TOWELS.  
WASH CLOTHS.  
FANCY HUCK TOWELS.  
TOWELING YARDAGE.  
BLUE BIRD CLOTHS.  
TABLE DAMASK.  
DAMASKE SETS.  
NAPKINS.  
DRESSER SCARFS.  
PILLOWS, all shapes.  
PILLOW CASES.  
WHISK CROCKETS.  
SLUMBER ROBES.  
NET CURTAINS.  
PONGE CURTAINS.  
KIRSCH RODS.  
FANCY CRETONES (for draperies).  
COUCH COVERS.  
AUTO ROBES.  
BEAUTIFUL RUGS.

CHRISTMAS TAGS, CARDS AND SEALS.

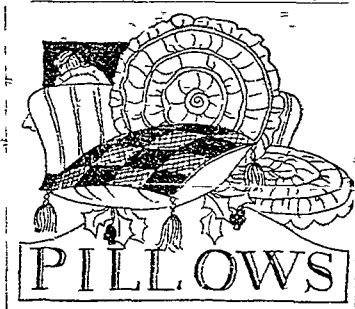
### Humming Bird HOSIERY



### GIVE HER HOSIERY.

One hundred million people of this country are racking their brains at the Christmas season, trying to decide what to give "Her." There is one way to solve the problem right—it is your opportunity.

"HUMMING BIRD HOSIERY."



Nothing goes farther to add to the beauty and comfort of a room than Pretty Pillows. We have them in all shapes and sizes with beautiful materials for covering.

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