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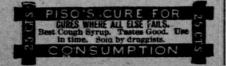
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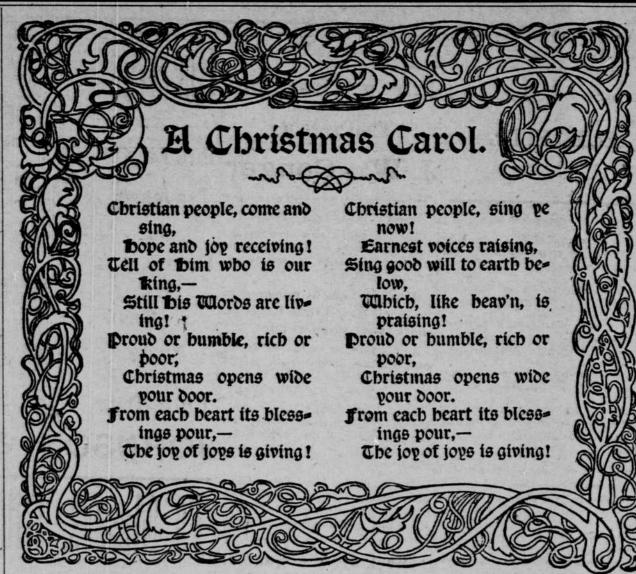
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CHRISTMAS MEMORIES

Christmas day encircling all our limited world like a magic ring, left nothing out for us to miss or seek; bound together all our home enjoyments, affections, and hopes; grouped everything and every one around the Christmas fire; and made the little picture shining in our bright young eyes, com-

Time came, perhaps, all so soon! when our thoughts overleaped that narrow boundary; when there was some one (very dear, we thought then, very beautiful, and absolutely perfect) wanting to the fullness of our happiness; when we were wanting too (or we thought so, which did just as well), at the Christmas hearth by which that some one sat; and when we intertwined with every wreath and garland of

our life that some one's name. That was the time for the bright visionary Christmases which have the Christmas hearth. long arisen from us to show

faintly, after summer rain, in the palest edges of the rainbow! That was the time for the beatified enjoyment of the things that were to be, and never were, and vet the things that were so real in our resolute hope that it would be hard to say, now, what realities achieved since, have been stronger!

What! Did that Christmas never really come when we and the priceless pearl who was our young choice were received, after the happiest of totally impossible marriages, by the two united families previously at daggers-drawn on our account? When brothers and sistersin-law who had always been rather cool to us before our relationship was effected, perfectly doted on us, and when fathers and mothers overwhelmed us with unlimited incomes. Was that Christmas dinner never really eaten, after which we arose, and generously and eloquently rendered honor to our late rival, present in ... the company, then and there exchanging friendship and forgiveness, and founding an attachment, not to be surpassed in Greek or Roman

story, which subsisted until death? | pearl, and married for money, and bereally know, now, that we should probare better without her?

That Christmas when we had recently achieved so much fame: when we had been carried in triumph somewere received at home in a shower of Christmas has not come vet?

In its prophetic sense Christmas be-

comes an annual review-day for the world, a time of stock taking, a mile-

stone in the march of human progress.

The angels sang of what was coming. not of what had come. The shepherds

worshipped a symbol of universal

peace and good will, of manliness, pur-

ity, gentleness and charity, a standard

And looking at Christmas in this light, it means perhaps more to this

century than it has meant to any preceding century for nearly 2,000 years.

This is a better Christmas than was

worth the loves and strivings that we crowd into it?

No! Far be such miscalled philos ophy from us, dear reader, on Christmas day! Nearer and closer to our hearts be the Christmas spirit, which is the spirit of active usefulness, perseverances, cheerful discharge of duty, kindness, and forbearance! It is in the last virtues especially, that we are, or should be, strengthened by the unaccomplished visions of our youth: for, who shall say that they are not our teachers to deal gently even with the impalpable nothings of the earth!

Therefore, as we grow older, let us he more thankful that the circle of our Christmas associations and of the lessons that they bring, expands! Let us welcome every one of them and summon them to take their places by

when our graves are old, other hopes than ours are young, other hearts than ours are moved; how other ways are smoothed; how other happiness blooms, ripens, and decays-no, not decays, for other homes and other bands of children, not yet in being nor for ages yet to be, arise, and bloom and ripen to the end of all!

Welcome, everything! Welcome alike what has been, and what never was, and what we hope may be, to your shelter underneath the holly, to your places round the Christmas fire, where what is sits open-hearted! In yonder shadow, do we see obtruding furtively upon the blaze, an enemy's face? By Christmas Day we torgive him! If the injury he has done us may admit of such companionship, let him come here and take his place. If otherwise, unhappily, let him go hence, assured that we will never injure nor

ow that darkens the whole globe? Not the shadow of the City of the Dead?" Not even that. Of all days

in the year, we will turn our faces towards that City upon Christmas day, and from its silent hosts bring those we loved, among us. City of the

fully, among the living children by the fire, and can bear to think how they departed from us. Entertaining angels unawares, as the Patriarchs dia, the playful children are unconscious of their guests; but we can see them-can see

figures is one, a poor, misshaped boy loves, however, fleeting, to your nooks | whom his dying mother said it griev-

being such a little child. But he went thanks to Heaven! Do we build no quickly, and was laid upon her breast. where, for doing something great and Let our thoughts, fluttering like but far away, upon a burning sand beneath good; when we had won an honored terflies among these flowers of chilla burning sun, and said, "Tell them at and ennobled name, and arrived and dren, bear witness! Before this boy, home, with my last love, how much I there stretches out a future, brighter | could have wished to kiss them once, tears of joy; is it possible that that than we ever looked on in our old ro- but that I died contented and had mantic time, but bright with honor done my duty!" Or there was anoth-And is our life here, at the best, so and with truth. Around this little er, over whom they read the words, constituted that, pausing as we ad- head on which the sunny curls lie "Therefore we commit his body to vance at such a noticeable mile-stone heaped, the graces sport, as prettily, the deep!" and so consigned him to in the track as this great birthday, as airily, as when there was no scythe the lonely ocean and sailed on. Or we look back on the things that never | within the reach of Time to shear there was another who lay down to were, as naturally and full as gravely away the curls of our first-love. Upon his rest in the dark shadow of great as on the things that have been and another girl's face near it-placider forests, and, on earth, awoke no more, are gone, or have been and still are? but smiling bright-a quiet and con- O shall they not, from sand and sea If it be so, and so it seems to be, must tented little face, we see Home fairly and forest, be brought home at such we come to the conclusion, that life written. Shining from the word, as a time!-Charles Dickens.

Time was, with most of us, when | is little better than a dream, and little | rays shine from a star, we see how,

On this day we shut out Nothing!

"Pause," says a low voice. "Nothing? Think!" "On Christmas day, we will

"Not the shadow of a vast City where the withered leaves are lying deep?" the voice replies. "Not the shad-

Suicide in Europe. war in 1870-71.

Fatality Ran in Family. At an inquest at Nelson on James Guest, a chain boy, employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway, who was killed by a horse, it was stated that his father was killed on the railway two years ago, and that his grandfather was also killed by a

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ing very much through the failure of the kidneys to eliminate the system. My back was very lame

and ached if I overexerted myself in the least de- beaten by one in Australia. The railgree. At times I was weighed down with a feeling of languor and depression and suffered continually from annoying irregularities of the kidney secretions. I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. I three very slight elevations. found prompt relief from the aching and lamenes in my back, and by the time I had taken three boxes I was cured of all irregularities." Sold by all dealers, 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

gets an idea that her grocer cheats was continued this morning till 3 her because they don't belong to the o'clock, and it stopped at about the

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All a man has to do to take a gradknows how to fit a stovepipe into a chimney.

Last Moments of Great Men. Cuvier performed a delicate experiment on the day he died, and his last words (uttered to the nurse who was applying leeches) were: "Nurse, it was I who discovered that leeches have red blood." Wilson, the famous ornithologist, when told that he must give up working as his time was sing over my grave."

Queen Elizabeth Fond of Perfumes. In the time of Elizabeth perfumes were very rich and numerous. Civet, a scent taken from the civet cat, and musk are often mentioned in the literature of that time. Perfumed gloves were in vogue then, and the queen had her portrait scented with them. Even her shoes were made of leather steeped in scented oils, which permeated the skin.

into the wrong envelopes. The printer was quite surprised at receiving an order to print 10,000 copies of the love letter in circular form.

It is estimated that 70,000 people take their own lives every year in Europe, 11,000 of which fall to Germany. During the last ten years the number of self-murders in Germany has been 113,545. This is almost three times as many as there were soldiers killed outright in the Franco-Prussian

Different Views.

your neighbor and you speak of it as a flea bite, it seems very small," remarked the Observer of Events and Things: "but if the contribution comes from the flea itself-well, you don't consider it such an insignificant thing."

is taking the place of all others.

Most men who pay as they go are

Who Began It?

thropist, is credited with having been the first Englishman to make use of the umbrella. But DeFoe's "Robinson Crusoe" appeared some fifty years before, and it describes Crusoe's efforts to provide himself with an umbrella without giving any of the explainations that must have been needed if the people of England had never

tian desert which runs for forty-five miles in a straight line, but this is way from Nyngan to Bourke, in New South Wales, runs over a plain quite level for 126 miles, in a mathematically straight line. There is hardly an embankment, not one curve and only

Wedding Celebration Too Noisy. Residents of the vicinity complain of a Malay wedding which has been going on for four days and nights at the disinfecting plant on Moulmein road. The monotonous noise that same time on the three preceding mornings.-Straits Times Singapore.

Dominical Letter.

The dominical letter is the letter used in ecclesiastical calendars to denote Sunday. The Romans used the first eight letters to denote the days of their nundinal period; the Christians used the first seven letters to make their seven-day week. A is always the first day of January; the dominical letter is that which falls

Gold Mining in Abyssinia.

A British explorer recently returned from Abyssinia says that he was for four months in a region hitherto unknown to white men. Along the tributaries of the Blue Nile he found a mining population engaged in washing gold. He reports that there is an enormous quantity of gold in this region,

money if advantage of the offer of TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

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Is Disease a Crime?

Not very long ago, a popular magazine published an editorial article in which the writer asserted, in substance, that all disease should be regarded as criminal. Certain it is, that much of the sickness and suffering of mankind is due to the violation of certain of Nature's laws. But to say that all sickness should be regarded as criminal, must appeal to every reasonable individual as radically wrong.

to her sex.

organs and other derangements peculiar to her sex.

Frequent bearing of children, with its exacting demands upon the system, coupled with the care, worry and labor of rearing a large family, is often the cause of weaknesses, derangements and debility which are aggravated by the many household cares, and the hard, and never-ending work which the mother is called upon to perform. Dr. Pierce, the maker of that world-famed remedy for woman's peculiar weaknesses and ills—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—says that one of the greatest obstacles to the cure of this class of maladles is the fact that the poor, over-worked housewife can not get the needed rest from her many household cares and labor to enable her to secure from the use of his "Prescription" its full benefits. It is a matter of frequent experience, he says in his extensive practice in these cases, to meet with those in which his treatment fails by reason of the patient's inability to abstain from hard work long enough to be cured. With those suffering from prolapsus, anteversion and retroversion of the uterus or other displacement of the womanly organs, it is very necessary that, in addition to taking his "Favorite Prescription" they abstain from being very much, or for long periods, on their feet. All heavy lifting or straining of any kind should also be avoided. As much out-door air as possible, with moderate, light exercise is also very important. Let the patient observe these rules and the "Favorite Prescription" will do the rest.

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William A. Franklin, of the Franklin & Palmer Chemical Co., Rochester, N. Y., writes: "Seven years ago I was suffer-

pric acid from my

Every once in a while a woman passes among the Malays for music same church.

to Cuticura.

nate course in swearing is to think he in which thousands of natives work.

ts His Letters Mixed.

A recent candidate for parliament in England wrote an address to the electrons of the town which he wished to represent and a love letter to his best girl. He put the two effusions into the wrong envelopes. The print to the wrong envelopes. The print to the wrong envelopes are to the service of the town which he wished to represent and a love letter to his best girl. He put the two effusions organs and other derangements of pelvic organs and other derangements peculiar to the wrong envelopes.

ever real to our hearts; and for the | would elapse before he came to her-

come usurious? Above all, do we yet. Welcome, old projects and old on earth, of a glorious beauty now, of ably have been miserable if we had among the steadier lights that turn ed her much to leave him here, alone, won and worn the pearl, and that we around us. Welcome, all that was for so many years as it was likely

know you, and have not outlived you earnestness that made you real, Christmas castles in the clouds now?

accuse him.

shut out from our fireside, Nothing."

Dead, in the blessed name wherein we are gathered at this time, and in the Presence that is here among us according to the promise, we will receive, and not dismiss, thy people who are dear to us! Yes. We can look upon these children angels that alight, so solemnly, so beauti-

There was a gallant boy, who fell,

Botticelli's Madonna Welcome, old aspirations, glittering a radiant arm around one favorite Has that same rival long ceased creatures of an ardent fancy, to your neck, as if there were a tempting of to care for that same priceless shelter underneath the holly! We that child away. Among the celestial

Prophecy of Christmas

why all these treaties of peace be-

tween nations, if men have not come

increasing gift-giving, this strengthen-

than it ever has been?

Christmas is not more potent to-day good will toward men."

are singing. More ears catch the mu- the world of to-day.

SEVEN YEARS AGO.

Jonas Hanway, the London philanseer one in use.

Straight Lines of Railway. There is a railway over the Egyp-

Constipation?

A. Constipation causes more suffering than any other disease. It causes rheumatism, colds, fevers, stomach, bowel, kidney, lung and heart troubles, etc. It is the one disease that starts all others. Indigestion, dyspepsia, diarrhoea, loss of sleep and strength are its symptoms—piles, appendicitis and fistula, are caused by Constipation. Its consequences are known to all physicians, but few sufferers realize their condition until it is too late. Women

their condition until it is too late. Women Q. Do physicians recognize this? A. Yes. The first question your doctor asks you is "are you constipated?" That

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Trouble.

Q. What is the beginning of sickness?

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A. Constipation.
Q. What is Constipation?
A. Failure of the bowels to carry off the waste matter which lies in the ahimentary canal where it decays and poisons the entire system. Eventually the results are death under the name of some other disease. Note the deaths from typhoid fever and appendicitis, stomach and bowel trouble at the present time.
Q. What causes Constipation?
A. Neglect to respond to the call of nature promptly. Lack of exercise. Excessive brain work. Mental emotion and improper diet.

oper diet.
Q. What are the results of neglected

is the secret.
Q. Can it be cared?
A. Yes, with proper treatment. The common error is to resort to physics, such as pills, salts, mineral water, castor oit, injections, etc., every one of which is injurious. They weaken and increase the malady. You know this by your own experience. . What then should be done to cure it? Q. What then should be done to cure use
A. Get a bottle of Mull's Grape Tonic at

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