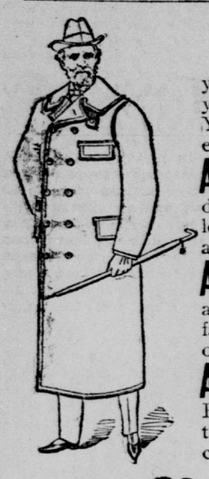

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NEW PUBLICATIONS

"The Bookman" for December (Dodd, Mead & Co., New York) is the bulkiest and largest number of this splendid literary reflex of activities in the book world. Besides the departments extracts from new books and fine illustrations, these leading features are noticeable: "Chronicle and Comment," "American, English, Miscellaneous," "Heloise to Abelard," by Thomas Walsh; "The Wanderer," by John B. Tabb; "Romance Revives" (illustrated), by Carolyn Wells; "Ideals," by John B. Tabb; "Living Continental Critics—VI." (N. K. Michailovsky, with portrait), by V. S. Yarros; 'The Abuse of the Supernatural in Fiction," by Edmund Gosse; "A Hundred Books for a Village Library," by Clement K. Shorter; "Old Boston Booksellers" (with portraits), by Edwin M. Bacon; "Uncle Tom's Cabin in Liverpool" (with drawing), by Harry Thurston Peck; "American Bookmen—IX.—Nathaniel Hawthorne" (with portraits), by M. A. De Wolfe Howe; "London and Paris Letters," by W. Robertson Nicoll and Alfred Maniere; "In Kedar's Tents" (a novel—concluded), by Henry Seton Merriman; "Republican France"; "Mr. Meredith's Poetry"; "A Modern Greek Romance"; "Brokenburne"; "A Southern Idyll"; "The Personal Equation"; "Mr. Merriman's Castle in Spain"; "Books About the Stage"; "His Grace of Osmonde"; "A Tale of Colonial New York"; "Tennyson—A Memoir"; "A Hero in Homespun"; "Brander Matthews' Short Stories"; "The Beth Book"; "Dariel—A Romance of Surrey"; "An Ideal Child's Book"; "Captains Courageous"; "Bibelot Issues."

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Your Christmas dinner, your decorations, your gifts, the whole atmosphere of your Christmas will be improved by reading "Table Talk" for December. It is full of ideas and plans for the housekeeper, and the holiday spirit is encouraged in its menus, table decorations and entertainments. These are further supported by such interesting articles as "The Christmas Isle," by Lucy Elliot Keeler; "Potatoes," by Mary Ronald; "Liberty Tea," by Martha Bockee Flint; "Boys and What They Eat," by Elizabeth Grinnell; "Some Christmas Viands of 1797," by Olive M. Percival, as well as recipes, considered seasonable in 1897. A sample of "Table Talk" will be mailed free to any of our readers who send their name and address to Table Talk Publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa.

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The "National Magazine" for December (Boston) is freely and very handsomely illustrated. Leading contents are: "Caritas," from the painting of Abbott H. Thayer; "The Brook Farm Experiment," Arthur W. Tarbell; "In Kentucky's Mammoth Cave," R. Ellsworth Call, Ph. D.; "Christ and His Time," Dallas Lore Sharp; "The Bedevilment of John Discombe" (story), Francis Lynde; starting, "The Burntwood Breeze" (serial, with pen and ink drawings), Hayden Carruth; "An Afternoon With Ruskin," Joe Mitchell Chapple; "The Patriotic Societies of America," Marion Howard; "The First American Congress," Barry Bulkley; "Christmas in Merrie Old England, as Seen by Cruikshank," Flynn Wayne; "Busted" (poem), Ellis Parker Butler; "A Modern Fable," Percie W. Hart; "Usefulness in War," Tom Hall; "Too Soon," Ellis Parker Butler; "The Picture of His Wife," Winthrop Packard; "Dancing as We See It" (drawing); "When the Christmas Bells Ring" (story), Louise Crockett Henderson; "Club Women and Their Work," Mrs. M. D. Frazar; "The National Question Class," conducted by Mrs. M. D. Frazar.

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The magazine number of "The Outlook" for December (New York) is its ninth annual book number. It contains a great variety of illustrated matter relating not only to the books of the season but to topics of general interest to all who care for books and reading. A leading feature consists of three articles on "The Making of Books." In these articles Theodore L. DeVinne writes of "The Printing of Books"; Ernest D. North, an expert bibliophile, of "Bookbinding as a Fine Art," and George Wharton Edwards, the artsit, of "The Illustration of Books." The pictures accompanying these articles include some unique specimens of title pages, antique types, and fine bindings, while as illustration to Mr. Edwards' articles there are printed ten full-page pictures showing by fine examples the typical work of many successful American illustrators. Many pages are devoted to a consideration of the holiday books of the year. Other illustrated articles are the final installment of Justin McCarty's "The Story of Gladstone's Life," and an extremely readable paper on Miss Jane Barlow, the writer of Irish stories, illustrated from photographs. In fiction the notable feature of the month is a story of Western life by Hamlin Garland. An important paper of serious interest is that by the Rev. Dr. George A. Gordon, called "The Theological Problem for To-day."

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The December issue of the "New England Magazine" (Boston) comes in an attractive holiday cover and is full of interesting material. The frontispiece of the number is a reproduction of a photograph of James Russell Lowell, taken by Oliver Wendell Holmes in 1864. This accompanies an article by Charles Akers entitled "Personal Glimpses of Our New England Poets."

George Willis Cooke tells the interesting story of Brook Farm, the community founded in West Roxbury by George Ripley in 1841. Ashton R. Willard, whose article on "College Architecture" in a recent number of the magazine will be remembered, supplements it with an equally valuable description of the various "College Libraries in the United States." "Ludwig Richter, the German People's Artist," has full justice done him by W. Henry Winslow in a careful study of his life and works. "The Municipality, Old and New," is discussed by James Phinney Baxter. Henry C. Lahee, in his "Organs and Organ Building in New England," shows a thorough knowledge of his subject. There are several excellent stories and sketches in this issue of the magazine, with a number of good poems as well, and many illustrations. The "Editor's Table" bears a message for the Christmas season, drawing lessons from the life and work of George Ripley and showing that Brook Farm, though a seeming failure, was in reality a grand success.

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The "Overland Monthly" (San Francisco) for December, freely illustrated, has these leading features: Frontispieces, "The Pillage of Beauty by Law" (painting by Maurice Leloir), "The Pole Sagged, and Dipping Into the Road, Was Shattered" (Wash by E. N. Hatch); "Sea Fishing in California Waters," illustrated, Horace Annesley Vachell; "To Santa Catalina," Silvia Lawson Covey; "Christmas Chimes," illustrated, J. Torrey Connor; "A Hymeneal Mosaic," illustrated, James Howard Bridge; "Northern California Gold Fields," illustrated, Charles Howard Shinn; "The Cruise of the Catch Can," Paul Shoup; "Stampedes on the Klondike," illustrated, Joaquin Miller; "Robert Louis Stevenson," Parma Gentry; "The Stevenson Monument," drawings by Tebbs; "Sing Lee's China Lily," illustrated, Mary Bell; "The Mark Hopkins Institute of Art," illustrated, "Kate Montague Hall; "A Serenade in Antiphone," illustrated," by R. S. P.; "Bronson's Luck," by Elizabeth A. Vore; "A Dreamer's Dream," by Sam Bean; "The Overland Prize Photographic Contest"; "Fish Propagation in California," illustrated, Alfred V. la Motte.

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"Carter's Monthly" for December (Chicago), a Christmas number nicely illustrated, has many interesting features of which these are chief: "The City of Mexico," J. E. Fornof; "The Cobbler's Story," Lawrence Bertram; "Bargains in Old Books," W. H. Miller; "Mind Your Own Business," Andrew MacDonald; "The Prison of the Stricken Heart," Fred DeLand; "Reciprocity, Story," S. E. D. Beckdith; "Christmas in Old-Time Kentucky," W. L. Visscher; "A Christmas Grief," Opie Read; "O Christmas Tree" (illustrated poem), Robert McIntyre; "'Hickory Bill's Christmas Story," Ernest McGaffey; "Noted Western Men" (with portraits); "Two Pictures of Christmas" (illustrated poem), L. W. Turner; "When Chris'mas Come to Buckskin" (dialect poem), Richard Linthicum; "Thirty Years in Chicago," John McGovern; "An Elopement Tangle, Story," A. M. Kerr; "How the Good Saint Came to Pancho," story, H. S. Canfield; "Interviewing Father Time," Dr. D. H. Reeder; "Old Ransom"; "Benefactions by Chicago Millionaires"; "Patrick M. Henney's Life Work" (illustrated), William L. Larkin; "The Public Uses of Electricity in Chicago."

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"Donahoe's Magazine" for December (Boston) is bright with Christmas hope and promise. A beautiful picture of the Christ-child framed in passion flowers forms the cover design. Then comes Conde B. Pallen's exquisite essay on "Emmanuel." This story of the Incarnation, so beautifully told, requires no aid from the engraver's art. Distinctively Christmas features are the "Editor's Greeting," and the "Lesson of the Christmas Rose," an illustrated poem by Charles S. O'Neill. Maurice Francis Egan writes as only he can of "Some Popular Books of '97," dwelling on the feeling excited by books of the type of Hall Caine's "Christian." Another paper of much literary interest is "A Plea for the Revival of Cooper," by Edwin Lyell Earle. "Shall Man be Supplanted by Machinery?" is a question worthy of the treatment it receives from Walter L. Ramsdell, Mayor of Lynn. Bolton Hall in the "Natural Method of Charity" discusses another important economic question, and opens up the way to reaching a solution of some of the difficulties confronting all cities and towns where the population is in excess of the means of providing for their needs. "Higher Education in the Capital" is the subject of a thoughtful paper by M. B. Downing. John T. Kenney makes a spirited defense of country life. The period of the revolution has offered to writers rich material for tales of romance and adventure, and from this source Henry Austin Adams has drawn the inspiration for the story "Westchester."

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It's a question which contribution to the December "Midland Monthly" (Des Moines) is strongest. All who are keeping an eye on Alaska will turn to Forrest Crissey's "Yukon Gold Fields—Their Output and Promise." Others will be drawn to Miss Giltner's "Kentucky in Recent Literature," with its fine portrait of James Lane Allen. "The Life of Grant" describes the thwarted conspiracy to take Missouri out of the Union. In January will begin the story of Grant's campaign in the West, bringing it down to where General Porter's book begins. Colonel F. D. Grant in a letter tothe editor pronounces the "Midland" life of his father, "intensely interesting" and "valuable," and the "most accurate" that has yet appeared. There is a rich Christmas flavor, but not a surfeit of Christmas, in the stories. A prize poem, club notes, home themes, and the first two of a series of "The World's Greatest Paintings" also help to make this last number of the "Midland's" fourth year a brilliant promise for 1898.

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"The Review of Reviews" for December (New York) is notably interesting because so much of great importance has happened in the world in the past month. All these great events are ably treated by the editors in "Progress of the World." Besides much portraiture and other illustration there are "The Raising of Lazarus," illustrated; "Record of Current Events"; "Current History in International Cartoons"; "John Gilbert and Illustration in the Victorian Era," by Ernest Knaufft; "How the Bible Came Down to Us," by Clifton Harby Levy; "The Duchess of Teck," by Lady Henry Somerset; "Abdur Rahman, Ameer of Afghanistan," by One Who Knows Him; "The New Canadian Reciprocity Movement," by E. V. Smalley; "Our American Republics—Their True Lines of Progress," by Alex D. Anderson; "Leading Articles of the Month"; "The Periodicals Reviewed"; "The New Books—Some American Novels and Novelists," with portraits; "The Season's Books for Young People and Children," with illustrations; "Other Books of the Season," with portraits; "Classified List of Titles"; "Contents of Reviews and Magazines."

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What should we do if war should be declared to-morrow with a European Power? How would it change your home life, the lives of your brother and other relatives? How would it affect your business connections and business? What changes would it make in financial, city, State and national affairs? It is these interesting problems which a writer in the December "Cosmopolitan" (New York) has undertaken to sketch under the heading of "A Brief History of Our Late War With Spain," at the same time vividly describing the exciting scenes which would attend the opening of hostilities. This same number of the "Cosmopolitan" has an article on "The Well-Dressed Woman" by Elsie de Wolfe, a contrast of the characters of Henry George and Charles A. Dana by John Brisben Walker; in another place "The Loves of Goethe," while Wells' story, "The War of the Worlds," which has been so widely read, reaches its conclusion in an unexpected way.

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