

Danger Just Ahead.

A Prominent Professor Speaks About the Threatening Things Abroad at This Time of the Year. "It is surprising how many people are suffering today from so-called coughs, colds and influenza."

JOSEPH DONJAN, The Writer of the Crank Letters, Now in Police Custody.

SAYS HE IS NOT A SOCIALIST. His History as Given by Himself in Conversation WITH A STAR REPORTER.

Joseph Donjan, the man who has been worrying the police of this city for some time past by writing crank letters to the President, Vice President, Secretary of State, Senator Mills and Senators from New Jersey, came back to Washington on Saturday evening and yesterday evening gave himself into the hands of the authorities. He was placed under arrest by Mr. James A. McDevitt, chief of the McDevitt detective agency, and was locked up at the first precinct station to await a hearing. He is held as a suspicious character, but before he is through he will probably have to answer the charge of making illegal use of the mails.

Children delight in stories and facts about animals.

The conductors of St. Nicholas had this in mind when they engaged the series of tales of Inagwale, the jungle, by Rudyard Kipling, one of the strongest of all the writers of a child's life, in the January St. Nicholas—the story of a child, a man, a woman, a dog, a cat, a family of wolves. A series of natural history papers by W. T. Hornaday, recently Chief Taxidermist of the quadrants of North America, begins in this number of St. Nicholas. It will be an interesting, up-to-date account of the quadrants of North America, magnificently illustrated.

The January St. Nicholas is a delightful example of the contributions from Frank R. Stockton, Mark Twain, and many other well-known writers. By the way, the magazine is now published (25 cents), or subscribe for a year, beginning with January (33.00), and get the two back numbers, beginning with the December, beginning with the volume, free of charge. Subscribe now. Remit direct to the publishers, THE CENTURY CO., 33 E. 17th St. N. Y.

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A CHRISTMAS HAUL.

Long Lines of Prisoners in the Police Court This Morning. POLICE WERE KEPT VERY BUSY. Many Who Celebrated Not Wisely But Too Well.

THE DIFFERENT STORIES.

One hundred and forty-seven men, women and children were given a free ride this morning in the "Black Maria," and when the last load had been dumped at the entrance to the Police Court the horses were at the door looking for a rest. There are only four cells in the court building and when the unfortunates had been packed in them there were more left and they had to make themselves as comfortable as they could along the corridor.

HOSPITAL NIGHT NURSE.

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