Christmas Dance At The Country Club Is Brilliant And Of Charming Detail

By OLLIE P. LANSDEN.

BRILLIANT and charming in detail was the Christmas dance given on Thursday evening at the Country club house. The members of the Toltec club were guests of the Country club for this dance and many of the smart set, both of military and civilian circles, were present. The decorations were especially elaborate for the dance, mistletoe, holly and Christmas trees lighted with crimson and green lights being employed in giving to the clubhouse an atmosphere of the glad season. Santa Claus was present and from a well filled pack gave each guest a favor, including toys, noise makers and other novelties of the season.

Prior to the dancing hours a large number of guests were present for the Christmas dinner at the clubhouse. The tables were decorated with vases and bowls of American beauty roses and lighted with crimson candles, giving a further cozy, pretty note to the interior of the spacious clubhouse.

One of the great dinner parties was given by Maj. H. B. Parker and Capt. L. C. Arthur, of the 42d field artillery, who are leaving in January to attend the school of fire in Fort Sill, Okla. Their guests were Miss Mildred Rogers, Miss Marion Ainsa, Miss Dorothy Reardan, Col. Henry L. Newbold, Miss Bertram Orndorff, Capt. Julian W. Cunningham, Miss Alma Orndorff, Capt. Cecil R. Neal, Miss Frances Oppenheimer, Capt. Carroll Counts, Miss Lenna Robinson, Capt. W. A. Warren, Miss Dorothy Smith and Lieut. O. L. McDaniels and Miss Dorcha Anne Payne and Lieut. J. C. Brackenridge.

Capt. and Mrs. John A. Wagner and daughter, Miss Corinne, dined at the clubhouse, remaining for the dance.

At another table were seated Capt. and Mrs. A. F. Smith, jr., Lieut. and Mrs. C. N. Innis, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ainsa, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harris dined together.

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A group of El Paso county pioneers at Foix's at Toltec on Christmas evening gave a dance which was one of the most successful of all of the Christmas parties. The hosts were F. J. Smith, O. W. Huffman, Judge L. A. Foix, George Pendell, Ike Loewenstein, Joseph Loewenstein and Adolph Schildknecht and so well arranged were the plans for the party that young and old danced during the evening with equal enjoyment, either the latest tickle-toe step or the lancers of bygone days.

More than two hundred guests were present and in the receiving line at the entrance of the ball room the hosts and their wives received the guests. The entire ball room was transformed into a Christmas bower with decorations of mistletoe, holly, Christmas bells and miniature Christmas trees aglow with lights.

The Armendaris orchestra played for the dancing hours, dividing the numbers into alternate old fashioned and up to date ones. Parents came with babies and children and the younger set was also present in the merrymaking. Friends who had not seen each other in years met at the dance and the affair was a homecoming reunion as well as a Christmas dance.

Among those of the guest list were: Mr. and Mrs. Francis McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Gaul, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Shea, Miss Helen O'Shea, Frank Boyse, Evans F. Peterman, Mrs. A. L. Peterman, William Landsden, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shadle, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Loewenstein, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Huffman, judge and Mrs. L. A. Foix, Louis Foix, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loewenstein, Mrs. Anna Vineyard, Mrs. B. L. Bandy, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Paden, Mrs. Dan Carr, George Giardon, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Giardon, jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walbridge, Mrs. Frank Howard, Miss Corinne Durand, Miss Celia Durand, Cecil Crichett, Mr. and Mrs. George Buchanan, Misses Julia, Ida and Lucile Buchanan, Miss Mary Blanchard, Boone Cathey, Gus Buckler, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schuster, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Carnes, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryant, Miss Louise Moon, Miss Mary Mootley, Jack Hill, Albert Gonzalez, Mr. and Mrs. P. Vincente, Miss Leon Moon, Miss Margaret Moon, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kelly, Mrs. Julia Kerber, N. T. Celum, Thomas Hammett, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dew, Mr. and Mrs. M. Linker, J. Odell, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gilbert, Dr. and Mrs. Crossley, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brooks, Miss Corine Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Milton St. Johns, Graves, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Carpenter, J. A. Frazar, Mrs. Nora Booth, Walter Snelson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blanchard, Max Schutz, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. John Johns, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ponder, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Duncan, Ross Foster, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. King, Mr. and Mrs. William Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Seth B. Orndorff, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pratti, H. S. Bozarty, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Giardon, sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Moritz Loewenstein, Mrs. O. P. Lansden, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wells, F. G. Alderette, S. L. Davis, F. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Humble, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Schairer, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. August Sherer, C. A. Hutchins and family, D. H. Maulden and family, Joseph Sayre and family, W. F. Shor and family, W. J. Stutesman and family, Brooks Dalton, Henry Herring, James Edgar, Louis Hummett, George Henderson, and W. D. Hand.

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Honoring her guests, Misses Marie and Doris Davenport and N. E. Davenport, Miss Lora Geddes was hostess on the evening of December 21 at a dance at the Geddes home. The decorations featured the emblems of the Christmas season and included crimson and green crepe paper, mistletoe, and a Christmas tree was an enjoyable feature of the evening, a Santa Claus distributing gifts from it. Ices with cake were served during the evening.

The guest list for Miss Geddes's courtesy to her guests included the honor guests and Misses Lora Stocks, Eva Stocks, Minette Watson, Anna Bell Watson, Ruth Davis, Louise Amador, Leo Coblentz, Bertha Watson, Elizabeth Watson, Mary Stedmond and Ray Geddes, Harry Davis, Lawrence McGraw, Frank Davis, Paul Keavlain, Martain Amador, Arthur Fineran, Thad Keavlain, William Sanford, Jules Carlin, Earl Carlin, Clifford Carlin, Lawrence Willis, Wade Hall, Arthur Watson, William Lytle, Robert Lytle, Jack McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Max Flirr, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Maks and Mrs. W. I. Watson.

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Out of Town Visitors

Sam Hawkins, who is in El Paso from Ranger visiting his wife, formerly Miss Olive Davis, will return to Ranger Sunday.

J. M. Kaufman arrived in the city Christmas day from Hot Springs, Arkansas and will make his future home here at 804 Mesa avenue.

Mrs. Lee Riggs and little daughters of Columbus, New Mexico, are in the city for the holidays at the parental home, 1614 North Florence street.

Francis Beall is here from Los Angeles visiting his wife and daughter, who have been here for several days visiting Mrs. Beall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mayfield.

W. H. Croom and wife, of Dardanelle, Ark., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Croom during the holidays, at their home down the valley. The Crooms are brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lynn, of Dallas, arrived in the city Christmas day to spend a few days as guests of their son, G. W. Lynn, of The El Paso Herald, and Mrs. Lynn.

Lieut. and Mrs. D. H. MacCollum are in El Paso on a visit with Mrs. MacCollum's mother, Mrs. Alice Morrik on Corto street. Mrs. MacCollum is the former Miss Ruth Morris. Lieut. MacCollum is in the United States coast guards and is proceeding to Mobile, Ala., for station. He was on the Seneca during the war.

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Receptions.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Winch celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary Sunday at their home, 2518 Hills street, by keeping open house to their friends and serving egg nog and other Christmas refreshments. The guests spent the afternoon dancing. Mr. and Mrs. Winch were married in Kansas City.

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El Pasoans Returning.

Manager Sam Johnson, of Hotel Sheldon cafe, is back from a trip to Faywood Hot Springs in New Mexico, much improved in health.

Tom Mayfield and wife are in El Paso for the holidays from their present home in Ranger. Mrs. Mayfield was formerly Miss Ethel Crawford, daughter of Mrs. J. J. Crawford.

Happy Yuletide Entertainment Given At Red Cross Convalescent House

THE Christmas entertainment on Christmas eve at the Red Cross convalescent house at Fort Bliss was indeed a happy affair. The house was decorated for the occasion with the Christmas greens and crimson and green crepe paper, and Christmas bells, holly and mistletoe. The decorations were arranged by the men of the base hospital. One of the interesting appointments for the party were the rugs presented by the British Red Cross to the American Red Cross for America's hospital in London. After the signing of the armistice the rugs were no longer needed. They were sent to America and 16 of them were sent to the convalescent house at Fort Bliss.

The entertainment opened with a program, which follows:

Trio, violin, 'cello and piano, Miss Marjorie Livesley, Miss Sammie Livesley and Sergt. Bernard Carr; reading, Sergt. W. G. Perrine; whistling solo, Miss Julia Crist; song, Miss Sammie Livesley; song, Edward Schenck.

After the program all the lights were turned out except those of the Christmas tree and then Santa Claus came down the chimney. Pvt. Clarence Kehr was Santa Claus, and heralding his approach the bugler, Pvt. Garcia, blew the notes of assembly. In Santa Claus's pack he carried presents for the children of the men of the hospital detachment of the base hospital. After the children received their presents the men received theirs. Following the distribution of presents Col. W. E. Cooper, commanding officer at the base hospital, introduced Maj. Gen. Robert L. Howze, who made a short talk to the men. Following Gen. Howze's talk a social hour was enjoyed and there was informal dancing, with Pvt. Edwin Gower at the piano.

Arrangements for all of the details of the party were made by the officers of the base hospital and their wives and the Red Cross. Local firms made generous donations of decorations, Christmas trees and other articles for the entertainment. Christmas trees were placed in the wards of the base hospital for those too ill to attend the celebration in the convalescent house. The Woman's club sent generous gifts, and owing to the fact that the Red Cross Christmas candy was burned in the recent fire the chamber of commerce sent out five buckets of candy. This was arranged for by H. J. Baron, through the kindness of J. H. Regan, assistant manager of the chamber of commerce.

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On Christmas day at three o'clock p. m. the bedridden patients of the base hospital were entertained with a short musical program given by Miss Beatrice Hillis and Miss Anne Chase who were conducted through the wards of the hospital by Mrs. R. A. Hubbard and J. W. Wallace.

In the Red Cross convalescent house at 4 o'clock p. m. the Orpheus club, under the direction of Charles Andrews, gave an interesting musical program. Mrs. Robert L. Holliday and Miss Barbara Worcester both sang several solos, and Miss Elizabeth Graham gave a reading in connection with the singing of the club.

The following program was given at the Red Cross house:

"Silent Night, Holy Night," Orpheus club; two readings, Miss Graham; "Let the Hills Resound," Orpheus club; "Chinese Lullaby," "My Colleen," Mrs. R. L. Holliday; "Deep River," and a humorous selection, "My Alexander," Orpheus club; "Good Morning, Brother Sunshine," and "The Cuckoo," Miss Barbara Worcester; "Heart of Mine;" "Banks of Allen Water," Orpheus club. The closing number was "O Come All Ye Faithful," sung by the club and the audience.

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At the Eighth cavalry Service club at Fort Bliss, many soldiers were entertained Christmas eve with a large tree and a short talk was given by chaplain John McWilliams. Apples and candy, which were gifts from many generous El Pasoans, were given the boys by a real "Santa Claus," while the Eighth cavalry band played. The hall was beautifully decorated with Christmas greens and red bells, and a great log fire in the fireplace gave the home touch. This Service club is managed by Percy McGhee, sr.

Gen. and Mrs. Howze Give A Dinner To Former's Aids; Gen. Lewis A Guest

MAJ. GEN. AND MRS. ROBERT L. HOWZE gave a dinner on Christmas day to the general's aids and other guests at the Howze quarters at Fort Bliss. The table was centered with a Christmas tree, aglitter with tinsel and lights and each guest received a Christmas novelty from it. Covers were placed for Maj. Gen. Edward Lewis who was in the city en route to Douglas, Ariz., where he goes to take command of the military district; Miss Amanda Howze, a guest at the Howze quarters; Miss Harriott Howze, Lieut. Charles Wharton of the Fifth cavalry, a visitor at the post, and Lieut. John Hamilton, Lieut. H. E. Featherstone and Capt. Carroll Counts.

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Capt. and Mrs. Walter Buckley were hosts on Christmas eve to a dinner of charming detail honoring Miss Amanda Howze, who is the guest of her cousin, Miss Harriott Howze, and her aunt and uncle, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Robert L. Howze, at Fort Bliss.

The table for Mrs. Buckley's dinner service was decorated in Christmas motif of crimson and green featured with mistletoe and holly and lighted with green candles. Covers were placed for Miss Amanda Howze, Miss Harriott Howze, Maj. and Mrs. C. C. Smith, Col. George T. Langhorne, Lieut. John Hamilton and Capt. and Mrs. Buckley.

After the dinner service the party attended the dance given at the Officer's club by the Eighth cavalry officers.

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Miss Olive Seaton entertained with a Christmas dinner at the Hotel Sheldon Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Walter Wakefield of Nashville, who is spending the holidays with her son, Craig Wakefield. The table was centered with a beautiful bouquet of crimson carnations and each guest was presented with a bouquet of the same. Those present were Mrs. Walter Wakefield, Miss Elsie Anderson, Miss Sherma Lee Seaton, Craig Wakefield, Charles Smith, Capt. Henry Earl Minton, Dr. Goodwin, of Nashville, Tenn., and little R. R. Seaton, jr., of Sweetwater, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dumas entertained with a Christmas dinner of pretty appointment on Thursday at their home on Octavia street. A crystal vase of crimson carnations centered the table. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. H. Schlenning, Miss Eunice Moringer, of Purcell, Oklahoma, Emmett La Bauve, of Amarillo, Texas, and H. H. Newkinney.

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All members of the provost guard and their wives had a big time at noon Christmas day at a special dinner prepared by their mess sergeant, Anthony Lipinski. The dinner was served at the provost guard barracks, 209 South Campbell street. Col. Frederick A. Jones is provost marshal and Lieut. William L. Little is his assistant.

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Saturday's Calendar In Local Society

CHRISTMAS dance at the Tulsco club.

Miss Frieda Laskin will entertain at the home of her aunt, Mrs. R. T. Talpis in the afternoon, honoring Miss May Landau.

The social club of the White Shrine of Jerusalem will give a dance in the evening.

Class in dietetics at the Red Cross shop, conducted by the Red Cross under the instruction of Miss Blanche Bailey.

Riding class at Fort Bliss at 2 p. m.

Gymnasium classes for children in the morning from 10 to 11 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. clubhouse.

Saturday evening dance at Khaki club No. 1.

Mrs. Volney Brown's luncheon at the Harvey House at 12:30 o'clock followed by a matinee party to the "Bird of Paradise," at the Crawford.

Meeting at 3 o'clock, at No. 16 Palms Court of the board of directors of Gentlefolks Home and Hospital.

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School Notes.

On Tuesday afternoon the pupils of the Holy Family school, which is conducted by the sisters of the Immaculate Heart, gave a very interesting entertainment. On that occasion also, a group of the school students took their first communion, attending the services dressed as angels.

The school was attractively decorated for the entertainment with Christmas emblems, mistletoe and holly and Rev. Fr. J. F. Aguirre and Rev. Fr. J. F. Banks presided.

The program follows:

Opening chorus, Adeste Fidelis; welcome, Alice Guerra; "A Christmas Wish," Edward Dow; "The Story," Mary Louise Orosco; "Four Little Sunbeams," Adela Munoz; "Navedad," Sara Estella Bernal; "What a Little Girl Can Do," Rosario Madero; "Jack Horner," Benjamin Phillips; "La Cartead," Luz Molinar; "The Enchanted Shirt," William Munoz; "Dear Little One, How Sweet Thou Art," Maria Munoz; songs, "Hark, the Merry Bells; "Santa Claus;" "Hark, What Mean Those Holy Voices;" "Silent Night;" "Angels We Have Heard On High."

A Christmas tree was a happy feature of the occasion.

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Parties.

The Wodena club will give a party on the evening of December 28 at the home of Miss Pauline Eck on Fort Boulevard. The program is in charge of Miss Bethel Osborne. Miss Skillem Anderson and Miss Helen Madlein. The invitations and decorating will be directed by Miss Juanita Anderson, Miss Ruby Tilley and Miss Pauline Eck. About 50 guests will be present. The members of the Wodena club are Misses Mabel Weston, Pauline Eck, Theodore Deberry, Bethel Osborne, Juanita Anderson, Skillem Anderson, Dell Deberry, Georgina Deberry, Ruby Tilley, Merle Smith and Helen Madlein.

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About El Pasoans.

Little Rene Grace Carr, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Carr, is ill at the Carr apartments in Hammer Court with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crowdus, after a visit of several weeks in New York city, are spending Christmas with Mrs. Crowdus's sister, Mrs. George P. McFarland, in Toronto, Canada. They will return to El Paso after the first of the year and will be at home in their new residence in Manhattan Heights.

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Weddings.

Fred Ormon and Miss Josephine Montfort were married at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of the bride at Courchesne bridge. The groom was recently discharged from the Ninth engineers, stationed there. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Montfort. Rev. Harvey S. Lawrence performed the ceremony.

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El Pasoans Away.

Alderman Park W. Pitman has gone to Mineral Wells to spend the Christmas holidays.

Queen Marie, of Rumania, is said to have offered former emperor Charles a large sum of money if he would renounce all claims to the Hungarian throne so that Rumania and Hungary might be joined under a Rumanian crown.

According to an opinion rendered to attorney general Brundage, of Illinois, women may sit as delegates in the republican and democratic national conventions and vote for the nomination of a candidate for president.

"What Is Love?" Big Human Problem Also "When Do We Know We Have It?"

Though Hard Question, It Is Crux of Much of Human Happiness; Love Worth Having Must Be Based On Liking; Is Friendship—Plus.

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

"I AM going about with a young man and all our recent talks have been on the one subject, "What is love?" My idea is that if a man and woman go about with each other and feel happy when together, and take pride in each other's company, and then on leaving one another are anxiously waiting the next meeting, then they are in love. My friend, however, insists that love is surely of another nature."

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This letter in today's mail expresses a question I am asked over and over every day and every week and every year. Why not? This is one of life's biggest problems. It's one of the things hardest to answer, most difficult to measure and define, and yet it is the great crux of much of human happiness.

Love which is genuine and true is the feeling that can be trusted to illumine all of life. Romance is the great dream of the human soul. We all long not only for romance but for the great romance—the romance and mystery clad joy that come from the one great love. We reach for it and miss it. We are given it by the kindly fates and destroy it. We have it, perhaps, and never know it.

When Is Love?

And one of our biggest human problems lies in the question, "What is love?" and its corollary, "How are we going to know when we have it?"

There are a great many people to whom love is nothing more than physical attraction—the magnetic leaping of some force from eye to eye—the "biological pull" between man and woman.

Love to others is a sublimated friendship of the mind.

Some fancy that love is tenderness and devotion.

Real love, however, is all of these and more.

Life isn't built on a floor plan of water-tight compartments.

You can't shut off friendship from love and liking from loving. There aren't walls between the various human emotions.

Do you remember the childish game of "cancoling names"? We used to tell fortunes by bracketing our name with that of the boy we liked, and after striking out the letters they had in common we said a ritual of revelation over the letters that remained. As I remember, it went: "Friendship, hatred, love, indifference, marriage."

What a Silly Game!

What a silly game it seems! Yet how much joy we got out of a kindly verdict that said Reginald loved us and we were his friend. Of course as we grew up, all of us discard the absurd game. But we carry on with us into life, the absurd attitude that divides off states of feeling from each other and doesn't see how all feeling merges into what has gone before and what comes after.

There isn't a wall between friendship and love. Some one has wisely said that friendship is love without flowers and veil.

That's true.

A deep, splendid, satisfying friendship between man and woman is perfectly possible. It may remain a friendship and nothing more to the end of time. But it holds the germ of other feelings. Or perhaps we might more conservatively say that it is fallow ground for the germs of other feelings.

When a man and woman enjoy each other's society, respect each other's opinions, are satisfied with the stimulation which being together brings, they have no more than a splendid friendship. They are in the state of liking each other. And that state may remain for years or forever. But it is full of potentialities. It has kinetic energy.

Love Based on Liking.

Love worth having must be based on liking. Emotion worth possessing must have the background of respectful friendship. The fusing of flesh where there is no call of spirit is debasing and can't last.

Love is friendship. That means love is compatibility and respect and interest and liking and regard and courtesy and tenderness.

But love is friendship—plus.

The affection deepens beyond liking to desire. The congeniality grows to a feeling of interests shared, and multiplied a thousand fold in value because shared. The respect deepens to reverence. The courtesy to tenderness. And the kindness to a protective passion that would suffer rather than give suffering.

Love is the beautiful trinity of spirit and mind and body. And never—unless the heart holds all three and reverence all three feelings—has true love come to abide.

KWIZ

Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

Answers to the Christmas Day Kwiz

1. Jesus Christ was born about 1912 years ago, for it is generally believed that the beginning of the Christian era was fixed not exactly at the birth of Christ but about four years later.

2. Joseph, the carpenter, was the husband of Mary, the mother of Jesus.

3. The Star of Bethlehem gleamed in the sky and by its beams the Three Wise Men were guided to the humble birthplace of the Savior.

4. The Wise Men of the east came bearing gifts, frankincense and myrrh, and from this incident we emulate the bestowal of gifts on Christmas day.

5. The boy Jesus was trained in the arts of carpentry by Joseph.

6. We call Christmas a holiday as a contraction of "Holy Day."

7. A carol is a simple song, usually of a religious trend, and composed especially for singing on Christmas day.

8. The holly and the mistletoe are both popular for decorative purposes on Christmas day, the custom originating centuries ago in England.

9. According to tradition, Santa Claus has his workshop at the North Pole, although Peary fails to mention having run across them.

10. We should never write "Xmas" for "Christmas," for the "X" is the sign of the cross upon which Jesus died, and its use in connection with this festive Holy Day is inexcusable.

New Questions

1. What is the meaning of the term "pro tem?"

2. In legal parlance, what is a "demurrer?"

3. What is a covenant?

4. What is the meaning of buying stocks "on margin?"

5. Who is Sir Oliver Lodge?

6. What is "civil libel?"

7. —What is the meaning of the abbreviation, "M. F. H.?"

8. What important industry is centered at Gloucester, Mass.?

9. What is a toreador?

10. What is a monastery?—Thompson Feature Service, 443 Fourth ave., New York City. Justin Fair, originator.

Hogwallow News

Dunk Butts, Regular Correspondent. (George Bingham). Copyrighted—E. L. Adams.

GAPE ALLSOP thinks the best example he has ever seen on preparedness is the tomcat. You will see him go out most every evening and sharpen his claws on a fence post or a tree. He is preparing for the fights he expects that night.

Zero Peck believes he has the most obliging set of neighbors of any man in Hogville. If he is not already in trouble they will hunt up some for him.

Did you notice that the restaurant that serves the toughest steak always has the dullest knives.

The postmaster believes if the fuel administrator would issue an order to the Hogville postoffice to disband the Hogville Loafers' club, a good deal of fuel (wood fuel) could be conserved, as this body consumes a great deal of heat during its daily all day meetings at the postoffice stove.

Bub Smothers, Hogville grocer, says he bets if he ever gets any more sugar in stock he will lay back a good supply for his own use.

The only people in Hogville who have suffered since the coal strike has been on are those who are too lazy to cut wood. This element of our population has suffered more or less in winters past.

Bee Easley says if everything would grow as good without cultivation as weeds there would be more pleasure in raising a crop. Bee is one of the most influential members of the Hogville Loafers' club.

The Hogville Woman's club at its last meeting appointed a committee to call on Bub Smothers and order him to clean up the back end of his grocery. The eliminate this extra and unnecessary work, Bub has placed a counter across the back end of the store and now nobody is allowed to go behind the counter.

Sile Sims got a letter at the postoffice from a farm paper wanting him to help the ranch a 1,000,000 subscribers. Sile says the letter reads just as though the editor expected to get half of them and wanted him to get the other half. He thinks they are asking for too many and is sorry that he will not be able to bring up his half of the job.

Bub Smothers, the Hogville grocer, says a fellow has to watch himself mighty close these days to keep from being accused of profiteering.

Zero Peck sees many ways by which a fellow can lose money and mighty few ways to make money. He says even his old hens are dead sure to stop laying right at the time when eggs are the highest.

Dan Hocks got a notice from the Pumpkinville bank the other day that he had no funds there and to be careful about trying to overdraw. Dan thought there must be some mistake about this and went over to Pumpkinville to have the mistake corrected, but found when he got there that he had given two or three checks he had forgotten about.

The Hogville Barefoot club is threatening to demobilize since the cool weather. This club is made up largely of members of the Hogville fiddling band.

Little Bobbie's Pa

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

WE had a strike in our school today. Skinny Dugan striked & four other kids went out with him. They sed they wuddent sharpen no more pencils without pay.

Each of us kids had been taking turns staring after school & sharpening pencils & it was Skinny's turn & four other kids that lives neer him, & after skool the teecher sed Skinny Dungan, you & the other boys I named must stay & sharpen pencils.

Nothing stir-ring, sed Skinny.

What do you mean? sed the teecher.

I mean I am looking out of the window, sed Skinny.

Did you hear what I sed, sed the teecher.

Have Declared Walkout.

I can hear you, but I can't see you, sed Skinny. Me & my men has declaired a walkout, he sed.

You better beegin walking out now, sed the teecher.

So Skinny & the other four kids walked out & after they had got outside the teecher went after them & brot them back in, one at a time. She brot them in by thare ears. Skinny's ears stretched the furthest beekaus he pulled back the most. His ears looked like they was made of rubber.

I will tell my father about this, he sed to the teecher.

You are telling him, sed the teecher, just meekus that I gave you a good slap beesides, & she slapped Skinny on the beezer.

Ouch, sed Skinny & he beegan for to holler.

You are a poor sampel of a union man, sed the teecher. Union men do not cry. They just walkout. Now tell all the littel boys & girls you are sorry.

Would Die First.

I will die first, sed Skinny.

Then the teecher pulled his ears sum moar & Skinny sed I am sorry, I am sorry, I am sorry. He sed it three times.

Tell the littel children you were vary rong, sed the teecher.

I was vary rong, sed Skinny, ouch, let go of my ear, he sed.

Will you sharpen the pencils gladly? sed the teecher.

Gladly, sed Skinny. Let go of my ear he sed.

Gladly & willingly will you sharpen them pencils? sed the teecher. Gladly & willingly I will sharpen them pencils, sed Skinny.

Vary good, sed the teecher. Now, children, sed the teecher, we have nd-just-ed our little labor problems, she sed. The toilers have gone back to the mines, she sed, & there will be no strike today.

Our teecher is the boss in our school moar than Pa is in our house.

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Black Lace Returns To High Favor

By GERTRUDE BERESFORD.

BLACK lace has returned to favor with a fervor. Made up in all black or combined with colors, such as old blue, brick red, silver and gold, black and lace, particularly in flounces from twelve to eighteen inches deep, possesses infinite possibilities for making a charming frock. This model shows a bodice of jet made over two wide bands of velvet ribbon, the top one old rose and the lower one old blue. There are no sleeves and the girdle is jet. Three lace flounces are draped over a drop skirt of black charmeuse satin and give extreme youth to this black gown. Wreaths of small roses in dull shades of blue, rose and yellow are posed on the drop skirt, and their colors show through the meshes of the lace in a very effective manner.

Australians Learn Necessity of Ideal For Land and Race

Sydney, Australia, Dec. 26.—Harry Gullett, official correspondent with the Australians in the campaign which broke the Turkish rule over Palestine, says that country "was disillusionment all the way." In a speech to newspaper men on returning from the "holy land," he added:

"Palestine was the ghost of a country living on the memory of the glory that had gone. Jerusalem the golden' was a most verminous and foul city. There was not a cedar on Lebanon; no balm blew over Gilead, and there were no pools in Bashan.

"What the Australian learned from this land was that he must always keep and strengthen his Meal of one land for one race."

Pope Adrian IV was by birth an Englishman, his real name being Nicholas Breakspear. He lived in the 12th century. He was the only English pope.

Golf originated in the low countries of western Europe and was transplanted to Scotland, where it became the leading sport by the middle of the 15th century.

VIRGINIAN SAYS HE'S LIKE BRAND NEW MAN

Powell was unfit for anything before taking Tanlac—he's feeling fine now.

"A few bottles of Tanlac have made me feel like a brand new man all over," said James T. Powell, 15 Nelms Place, Berkely, Va., recently.

"My appetite had been very poor for three years," he continued, "and I had gotten to be so badly rundown, weak and nervous that it was an effort for me to work at all. For the past eight months I couldn't eat a bite of breakfast and the little I managed to eat at other times seemed to do me very little good. I was so nervous and restless that I couldn't sleep half the night through after going to bed and always felt tired and worn out. I had no energy and but little strength left and felt miserable and unfit for anything.

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