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CHRISTMAS DAY.

How to Make It an Unalloyed Pleasure to All.

Many women spend months making dainty and useful gifts for friends and family for Christmas, so that they fairly wear themselves out before the day arrives, and this is added to the inevitable shopping, which is nerve destroying and body wearing, leaving them almost in a state of collapse from the reaction on Christmas day.

The habit of giving Christmas presents to all one's acquaintances is an evil one, and it grows more insistent and difficult to bear with every succeeding year. It is to be hoped that common sense in this respect will again hold sway, for the giving of gifts to any one outside one's immediate family is wrong and a tax and strain upon strength and purse that should not be. And there is always the haunting fear that the recipient will consider the gift, which took so many long hours of toil, small and mean. Such a gift is worth more than pearls or rubies, and to make every one happy it should be appreciated at its real worth, counting the hours of loving labor it cost. To make Christmas a season of unalloyed joy needs much less than one thinks until tried. A good wholesome dinner with all the family together, a tree afterward, then games and perhaps a dance, is the best way of all. And few besides the family should be invited if one really wants to be happy and free, to be as happy as you want to. Let every person in the family rise in the morning determined to do all he or she can to make others happy. Let nothing mar the pleasure of any one. That is the true Christmas spirit.

At the dinner table let there be places for the children. No refinement of cruelty could be greater than for children to see their elders at table while they wait. The dinner should be such that children could partake of it without danger. It is to help fix in their minds the real significance of the day. If that means "Peace on earth," do not make the child unhappy by scolding for small faults. Shut your eyes for once and relax a little if you wish Christmas to be a day of such delight as will be remembered forever. Be loving, be lenient, be all that you wish, but save your strength for your own family.

The word "Jew," strictly speaking, means a member of the tribe of Judah.

Not In His Line.

Smart—I'm thinking of a trip abroad. Knox—Oh, come now! You can't afford that. You're not accustomed to that sort of thing. Smart—Ha, ha! I simply said I was thinking of it. I can afford to think, can't I? Knox—No. That's what I meant when I said you were not accustomed to that sort of thing.—Philadelphia Press.

It is Christmas All the Week at Our Store

We wish to thank our friends and the public for their liberal patronage, which has been the largest in our history. We shall endeavor to merit a continuance of your favors and ask that you feel free to command us in any way that we can serve you. Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas, we remain, gratefully yours,

W. A. Allen & Co.

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Local and Personal Briefs

W. S. Taylor, Dentist. ‡

Allen's for Furniture. ‡

Lace Bed Sets at Dreka's. •

Crex Rugs and Art Squares at Allen's. ‡

New Line of "Black Cat Hosiery" at Dreka's. †

Buy Tetley's India and Ceylon Teas of London, Eng. 4-1

Miss Janie Bennett left yesterday for Atlanta to enter a hospital.

Jardeniers from 20c to $7.50 at Bigelow's.

Dried Apples, Apricots, Figs and Prunes at Dreka's.

Atty. Bert Fish spent several days in Daytona this week.

New Stationery and Hosiery at Brill's. ‡

Rev. John N. Sackett and wife, of Pen Yann, N. Y., are located in the Patton cottage.

Brill's Embossed Fabric Papers "DeLand" and "Orange City" are in great favor. †

Mr. H. L. Clayberg left yesterday for New York City, where he will spend the holidays.

"Mikado" Handmade Neckwear at Dreka's. †

See the Great Linen Display at Dreka's. ‡

Mrs. Cary D. Landis is looking for her father and mother to spend the winter with them.

The finest and largest display of pocket knives ever seen in DeLand, at Bigelow's. †

Jap. matting Art Squares, NEW—Dreka,s. ‡

The freight congestion threatens to put the local printing offices out of business.

Bed Room Shoes—Brown, Red, Gray and Black, Dreka's. †

Real Cut Glass. Medium sized and choice patterns. Prices low. At Bigelow's. †

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Avery and daughter, of Mattawan, N. J., are at Putnam Inn for the season.

Decorated dinner sets make fine Christmas presents. See them at Bigelow's. •

Brill's is headquarters for High Art China at reasonable prices. Goods shown with pleasure. †

The express and mails are unusually heavy this year. DeLand people are receiving and sending lots of presents.

Do not send away for your Xmas presents, toys, candies, etc. DeLand stores are fairly bursting with good things in every line.

A small fire in the Painter Printery created considerable excitement Tuesday evening. The fire was put out before the department arrived.

Miss Fannie Allen has returned from Jacksonville, where she spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Harry Winters.

If you have a picture that you want to keep let J. F. Allen & Co. frame it for you. †

J. A. Douglass has bought R. L. Lockard's house on New York avenue, and sold Mr. Lockard his place in Daytona. Mr. Douglass and family will move into his new purchase.

Miss Sallie A Arthur, of Ticonderoga, N. Y. is in DeLand again for the winter. Her many friends will find her at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. E. Austin, on Amelia avenue.

Prof. Suhrie, director of the Normal School, is spending the week in visiting high schools. Before returning on Saturday he is scheduled for addresses at Ft. Meade, Ft. Myers, Wauchula, Arcadia and Bartow.

Robert M. Bond, the handsome secretary-treasurer of the Bond Sandstone Brick Company of Lake Helen, made a flying business visit to Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mr. W. H. Geissinger is adding many improvements to his already beautiful home on New York avenue. If the warm weather keeps up he will soon have a fine green winter lawn.

Mr. J. Spoor and two lovely daughters, Miss Spoor and Mrs. Wilder, the latter a dashing widow, are located at McLeod's. Their home is in Schnectady, N. Y.

At the conference of the M. E. church, South, held at Palatka last week, Rev. C. A. Saunders was assigned to the DeLand church; Rev. W. A. Louder to New Smyrna. Rev. R. L. Honiker, who has so acceptably filled the pulpit of Grace M. E. church for the past two years, goes to Carrabelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson, of Pittsburg, Pa., have arrived in DeLand for the fifth winter. Their many friends are glad to see them again. They are stopping at Dr. Patton's as usual.

The "Birthday Party" held by the ladies of St. Barnabas at the Putnam Inn Tuesday evening, was very successful. After the program, which included most of the artists in town, refreshments were served. Miss Grace Reeve presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. S. P. Hays and Mrs. W. S. Taylor at the fancy table. About $75 was cleared.

In addition to the sale of several outside pieces of property, E. B. Hayward, real estate agent, has sold during the last two months, thirty-five platted and recorded city lots to different parties, some of whom will erect dwellings, also he has sold five city blocks of ten acres each, some of which will soon be platted; also since October he has sold seven dwelling houses in DeLand. Ask him for his latest bulletin of desirable properties; some are offered at attractive prices. Read his advertisement in this issue.

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Tetley's India and Ceylon Teas of London, Eng. 4-1

Both the real and imitation cut glass at Bigelow's.

Mr. G. D. Jackson returned yesterday from Jacksonville.

Mr. Albert Turner was shaking hands with DeLand friends this week.

Miss Cl a Nickols, of Huntington, W. Va., i siting Miss Carrie Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ocorr of Rochester, N. Y., are at the Winter Home for the season.

In brewing Tetley's Teas follow directions on package to obtain best results. 4-1

Miss Harriet Fuller has gone to Orange City to spend the Christmas vacation.

Field Bros. are conducting a fine, clean grocery in the Neal Studio Building.

To each and every one of its subscribers THE NEWS extends the compliments of the season.

Mr. George Knowles of East Liverpool, Ohio, is in our city for the winter, a guest at McLeod's.

Mr. Robert Howard, a cousin of Citizen Alfred Howard, is at the Putnam Inn for the season.

The Daughters of the King held a very interesting meeting at the Rectory Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Wheatly and their son, from Charleston, Ill., are registered at Putnam Inn.

Mr. T. E. Eccles, who is at present at work in New Smyrna, spent Sunday with his family in DeLand.

Mr. J. S. May is cutting the new street, Sans Souci avenue, through the Codrington estate this week.

Mr. E. T. Murchinson, of Vernon, Texas, a brother of the late F. M Murchinson, is in town for a few days.

Charlie Bennet, who was been with the U. S. army in the Philippines several years, has returned to DeLand.

Mrs. Burton and Miss Catherine left yesterday for Fort Myers, where they will spend the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, of Bowling Green, Ky., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory, north of town.

Mr. Levi Lawrence of Charlestown, Mass., is spending his fourth winter in DeLand. We are glad to see him here again.

Do not send away for Christmas things this year, DeLand merchants have as fine an assortment as can be had anywhere.

The city election yesterday resulted as follows: Z. T. Bielby, 122; H. A. Tanner, 28. For $7,000 bonds, 34; against bonds, 18.

Mrs. Elizabeth Landis has arrived from North Manchester, Ind., to spend the winter with the family of her son, Mr. Cary D. Landis.

W. D. Haynes has made some "additions" to his grocery. Messrs. Woodall and Blane were casting envious eyes at them yesterday.

Among the "old-timers" at Putnam Inn again are Mr. and Mrs. John E. Randle and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranale, from Memphis, Tenn.

Barlow's Minstrels exhibited at the public school auditorium Tuesday night to a large house. The entertainment was thoroughly satisfactory.

In the spelling contest at Beelar's school yesterday, Miss May Minshew spelled every word correctly, thus winning the prize, a box of Huyler's candy.

W. B. Fudger has baskets of candy fashioned after "Speck" Campbell's auto. Needless to say they will be popular with the young ladies of DeLand.

Mr. Clifford Botts entertained the Academy graduating class very pleasantly at his home Wednesday evening. There are fourteen in the class this year.

THE NEWS puts on a little agony with a different kind of a "suit" this week. How do you like our new suit? The best is just good enough for the readers of THE NEWS.

R. D. Martin, who recently bought the Franck place on north Boulevard, has been putting up some of the neatest fences seen in DeLand. Mr. Martin brought two fine mules and a fast trotter down from Kentucky with him.

W. C. Watts is adding to his already lovely home on Minnesota avenue, a concrete walk from his steps to the street. The work is being done by the Citizens' Manufacturing Company under the direction of Mr. O. B. Webster, and will be made of their new process concrete.

Stewart & Bly moved into their offices this week. With the rooms recently added, these offices are splendidly equipped The DeLand Naval Stores Company occupies the east rooms, while Stewart & Bly occupy the west rooms. The offices are fitted with lavatory, flush closet, etc.

Crockery and Glassware

NEW SHAPES AND PATTERNS AT **Bigelow's**

A whole set of Dishes. Thin ware and graceful style. In White for only

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Mr. E. A. McCormick goes to Conway, S. C., Saturday, for a two weeks' trip.

Mr. W. P. White and family are recent arrivals. They are located on West New York avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. Voorhis leave Saturday for Owanita, where they will spend a week with Mrs. Voorhis' relatives.

Just Like Chess.

Hubby—It becomes very trying, my dear. You're always saying check, check, check! I feel as if life were a long game of chess. Wife—Well, Edward, if you don't give me something I shall have to pawn, pawn, pawn, and it would still seem like a game of chess, wouldn't it?—Ally Sloper.

Sarcastic.

"That's my best work," said the poet, after reading the verses to Crittick. "I'm thinking of having it copyrighted." "Copyrighted?" said Crittick. "If I were you I'd have it patented."—San Francisco Call.

Death from Lockjaw

never follows an injury dressed with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its antiseptic and healing properties prevent blood poisoning. Chas. Oswald, Merchant, of Rensselaersville, N. Y., writes: "It cured Seth Burch, of this place, of the ugliest sore on his neck I ever saw." Cures Cuts, Wounds, Burns and Sores. 25c at all drug stores.

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DR. J. R. MOSELEY graduate of the American School Osteopathy under A. T. Still founder of science.

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Early Greek Holidays.

The Greek holidays were very numerous. There were fifty of them beginning with the letter A, and besides these special festivals there were times set apart for the Isthmean, Nemean, Pythian and Olympian games, all of which were popu-

To the Ladies.

We are serving the famous Tetley's India and Ceylon Teas of London, Eng. The demonstration will continue until Monday night.

The Woman's Exchange.

A. H. WOODALL
FINE GROCERIES

FOR THE HOLIDAYS we are receiving the new crop of Figs, Dates, Nuts and Evaporated Fruits, also new pack Pumpkin, fresh Mince Meat and Republic Plum Pudding.

JUST RECEIVED fresh Buckwheat, Rye, Graham and Entire Wheat Flour also Samp and Yellow Meal.

FOR A GOOD BREAKFAST try a package Prepared Buckwheat or Flap Jack Flour with Scudders pure Canada Sap Maple Syrup.

COFFEE—Try our Barrington Hall steel cut at 35 cents, and our Niagara at 25 cents is growing more popular every day.

OUR FALL STOCK is now complete and we would be pleased to have you call and examine the finest stock of Groceries in the city.

Yours Respectfully,

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