

Flag Brand

HIGH GRADE FRUITS
and VEGETABLES

Corn; Peas, Tomatoes, Wax and Refugee Beans, Red Kidney Beans, Beets, Pars, Strawberries, Cherries, Raspberries, Blackberries, Spinach, Squash, Sweet Potatoes, etc.

Headquarters for everything for the

Christmas Dinner

Including Christmas Candy, Celery, Nuts, Grapes and Fruits.

E. W. TERRILL, Grocer

MORRISVILLE, VT.

The Christmas Angel.

Here comes the Christmas angel,
So gentle and so calm,
As softly as the falling flakes
He comes with flute and psalm.
All in a cloud of glory,
As once upon the plain
To shepherd boys in Jewry,
He brings good news again.
He is the young folks' Christmas,
He makes their eyes grow bright
With words of hope and tender thought
And visions of delight.
Hail to the Christmas angel!
All peace on earth he brings.
He gathers all the youths and maids
Beneath his shining wings.
—Rose Terry Cooke.

FOR THE CHRISTMAS SEASON.

To live content with small means; to seek elegance rather than luxury and refinement rather than fashion; to think quietly, talk gently, act frankly; to bear all cheerfully, do all bravely, await occasion, hurry never—in a word, to let the spiritual, unbidden and unconscious grow up through the common—this is to be my symphony.—Channing.

Cleans Leather.

A reader of the Christian Science Monitor writes: "I took my handbag to a number of leather stores where they all told me it could not be cleaned, but I learned from a friend that a tablespoonful of oxalic acid dissolved in a quart of cold water cleans cowhide, pigskin and sole leather very satisfactorily."

Business Item.

"Honesty is the best policy," said the ready-made philosopher. "Of course, it is," replied Mr. Dustin. "But the public doesn't always realize it. Most people would rather be cheated a little in an affable way than do business with a person whose conscience keeps him in a state of irritation."

Daily Thought.

Always remember that if the opportunity for great deeds never comes to you the opportunity for doing good deeds is renewed for day by day. The thing for us to live for is the goodness, not the glory.—P. rnar.

Old Santa's Christmas List

By De LYSLE FERREE CASS

The reindeer are harnessed and ready
For their Christmas eve drive through
the sky:
They whinny and stamp; sleigh bells
jingle,
And old Santa Claus' sledge is piled
high
With an abundance of toys, books and
goodies.
For all good little boys and girls;
Santa'll fill up the stockings while the
clock is tick-tocking,
And the snow flakes drift down in
whirls.

He'll slide down the chimney as usual—
Yes, and scratching the naughty ones
out:
He's been keeping tabs on each one of you;
In the picture he's looking to see
Which kiddies have minded their parents,
Which youngsters have done as they
ought:
If you have been good and done as you
should,
Old Santa'll bring you a lot.

See! He's looking his list of names over,
Yes, and scratching the naughty ones
out:
If Freddie had minded his mamma
Today he'd never need doubt
That Santa would fill up his stockings;
And if Maizie hadn't been bad.



That yellow-haired dollie that's going to
Molly
Is one present she might have had.

For Molly behaved herself nicely,
She doesn't grumble, tell fibs or be
mean:

So her papa has written to Santa,
Telling what a good girl she's been,
Then there's Tommy's name on the pa-
per:

A real boy, but never saucy nor swears,
Nor is cruel to kitties. It's a thousand
pities
That Freddie's mother had as few cares.

Now there's the names of Mildred and
Jessie,
Of Margaret, Julia and Kate—
When they go out to play and hear moth-
er say,
"Home early," they never are late.

Next comes Bobbie, that jolly young ras-
cal!
And Henry—the boys call him "Hen"—
There's a red sled for Bob, and for
Henry a job
Playing war with his tin soldier men.

Dick will wake up to find a new tool set;
Phil will get those shining new skates;
Joe's football outfit sure will please him;
He can now go and play with his mates.

Bert likes story books and he'll get some;
A hobby horse Harry will please;
Yes, each little tike will get what he
likes—
Their good traits old Santa Claus sees.

As he cons the long list o'er and o'er,
Look! he's smiling to think of the joy,
That when Christmas bells ring, each
holiday thing

Will bring to each good girl and boy.
Remember, you little folks, always,
That obedience, kindness, good cheer
Are the things mamma wants and are
sure to enhance
You in Santa Claus' favor. Oh, hear

How the sleighbells are jingling and tin-
kling,
How the reindeer are prancing to go
Skimming along o'er the housetops,
Unmolested of cold, ice or snow.

Santa's pack is crammed to o'erflowing;
Is your name on his visiting list?
Now in bed abide, down the chimney he'll
slide.

If you're good, your house won't be
missed.



Prepared.

"I'm going to have a fine time at
Christmas," said one young miss to
another. "Mr. Huggins is coming to
our party, and he is color-blind, you
know."

"Does his color-blindness add to
your enjoyment?" asked her friend.
"Rather!" was the reply. "He
thinks all the holly-berries are mistle-
toe!"



Had One Already.

"I don't know what to give Lizzie
for a Christmas present," one chorus
girl is reported to have said to her
mate, while discussing the gift to be
made to a third.

"Give her a book," suggested the
other.
And the first one replied, meditatively:
"No, that won't do; she's got a
book."

Crowned on Christmas.
William the Conqueror was crowned
on a Christmas day.

Christmas Gift Suggestions

What to Give and Where to Get It

Remember the most perfect gift lies in a clear conception of what will make all concerned happy.

Here you will find Gifts for old and young that are desirable, useful and appropriate. Quality of the best and prices that are fair and right.

Here you will be sure to find something for everyone on your Christmas list.

Perhaps a list of some of our useful and appropriate gifts will help you, if so, here it is. Kindly read it and think about it.

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| Books | Brushes | Hand Bags |
| Bibles | Mirrors | White Ivory Novelties |
| Diaries | Toilet Cases | Flash Lights |
| Calendars | Manicure Sets | Safety Razors |
| Christmas Letters | Tourist Cases | Pocket Knives |
| Post Cards | Collar Bags | Brownie Cameras |
| Stationery | Tie Cases | Kodaks |
| Fountain Pens | Pocket Books | Picture frames |
| Holly Boxes | Card Cases | Kodak Albums |
| Seals | Cigar Cases | Skates |
| Dolls | Purses | Games |
| Scissors | Perfume | Toilet Water |
| Brass Goods | Teddy Bears | Hot Water Bottles |
| Thermometers | Smokers' Sets | Fever Thermometers |
- Thermos Bottles, Food Jars and Lunch Kits

CHOCOLATES--Liggetts, Guth's and Fenway

In Holly Boxes—very appropriate remembrances

Come in with your friends—you'll enjoy your visit. A hearty welcome awaits you no matter whether you come to see or buy. We want to see you. Make our store your headquarters and meet your friends here.

ARTHUR L. CHENEY

DRUGGIST

Morrisville, Vermont

Variety Store STEVENS 5, 10, 25c Goods

Headquarters for Holiday Goods
AT ALL PRICES

Toys from 5c to \$2.50. Dolls 5c to \$2.00. Games 5c, 10c and 25c. Neckwear in boxes at 10c, 25c and 50c. Drums 10c to \$2.50. China 10c, 25c and up. Fancy Goods, and in fact a complete line, all arranged on separate counters, making it easier to select your Gifts at your leisure.

Come in and Look Around

Store open every evening from Dec. 13 to Dec 25.

S. E. STEVENS

Portland Street Morrisville, Vermont

South American Industry.

The sap of the sapodilla tree is very largely used in the manufacture of chewing gum. The tree is cultivated in Mexico and Central America, and the method of collecting the sap, called "chicle," is very similar to that employed in extracting maple sugar. Mexico alone in 1910 exported chicle valued at \$170,000, which will give you a good idea of the extent of the chewing gum industry.

Nature Always Active.

It is known that every particle of the earth is in a state of constant activity. Nature abhors stagnation as it abhors vacuum. Even the stagnant, smelly pool of water generates myriad forms of life. Every particle of what we call a stone has a chemistry that is ever changing form. No matter how infinitesimal the infinite atoms of the combined elements of our sphere not one is in the same place today that it knew yesterday. Every hour, every moment experiences change.

"Hypocrisy."

Nothing is more unjust, however common, than to charge with hypocrisy him that expresses zeal for those virtues which he neglects to practice; since he may be sincerely convinced of the advantage of conquering his vices as a man may be confident of the advantage of a voyage or a journey, without having courage or industry to undertake it and may honestly recommend to others those attempts which he neglects himself.—Johnson.

Japanese Breakfast.

The usual Japanese breakfast consists of rice, miso soup, pickles and occasionally fish. Tea is always served with meals and is drunk clear, without sugar or cream. Miso soup consists of strips of radishes, seaweed, eggplant, or other vegetables cooked with bean curd and water. The cooking is not continued for a long period, and so few vegetables are used that the soup partakes only slightly of the flavor of the ingredients.

Xmas Time Develops Xmas Spirit

Which Means Making others Happy

We shall be pleased to help you select:

Children's Books, Toys, Candies, etc. Handkerchiefs for everybody, including Ladies' and Gents' (Initial, all Linen) and Fine Embroidered at 15c to 50c.

Stamped Goods and Embroidery Work

Materials of all kinds; besides stamping of every description done to order.

For Men and Boys

The always desirable Gifts are—Fur-Lined Gloves and Mitts, Caps, Toggles, Ties and Slippers, including six lines of Ladies' Bathroom Slippers and Moccasins.

Come in and See Everything

E. W. GATES

MORRISVILLE, VERMONT

P. S.—Every 10 year old child, or younger, will receive a little present Friday or Saturday if they come in.

Gifts Which
Will be
Appreciated by
Automobilists

SAFETY FIRST

Why risk your car by lighting matches around gasoline? Why change tires in the dark? Buy a

Dad's Electric Lantern

Throws light 300 feet. No special battery needed but uses two common six inch standard dry cell. If you own a team buy a Dad's Vehicle Lantern which can be attached to any carriage or sleigh on dashboard or top.

PRECAUTION

No automobile or home should be without a Fire Extinguisher. We have in stock J. M. and Pyrene fire extinguishers, the best on the market.

HAND KLAXONETS—Remember, sound your Klaxon and keep to the right.

TOOL ROLLS AND WRENCH SETS in neat canvass bags and other useful gifts for Xmas.

MORRISVILLE FOUNDRY CO.

Always Acceptable Christmas Gifts

Candy in fancy boxes is always an acceptable Gift and appropriate for anyone.

University Chocolates
Swiss Style Caramels
Dartmouth Chocolates
Ice Cream

All flavors, always fresh, and put up in handsome packages. **Fruits** of all kinds, the best and largest stock in Northern Vermont.

Buy Cigars or Pipes for the Men

Fresh Lettuce, Celery and Cucumbers. One case Imported Olive Oil from Italy.

New Nuts of all kinds at low prices. Grapes, New Dates and Figs. Special Salted Peanuts, fresh roasted every morning.

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