



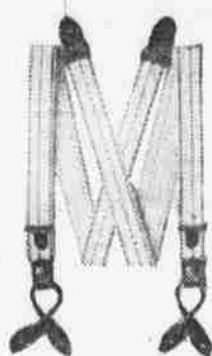
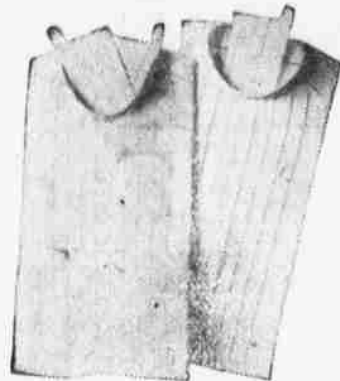
What shall I give him for Xmas

Come here with all your troubles and let us show you. We have the most complete line of HOLIDAY GOODS we ever showed.
Suits for Men and Boys, Overcoats in all styles, Bath Robes, Smoking Jackets, Hats, Caps, Suspenders, Umbrellas, Suit Cases, Ties, Mufflers, Underwear, Tie Pins, Fancy Vests.

Come, make your purchases.



BONBON'S FRENCH UNDERWEAR



Yates & Hagan, Just Right Clothiers.

Dear Santa Claus I am a little girl
8 years old I would like for you to
bring me a set of dishes and a press
bring my sister Lida a doll buggy
and bring baby Regina a rattle or
rubber and don't forget Mamma and
Papa bring some candy bananas
hoping I have not asked for too
much I am your loving little girl
Mary Hays

The Democrat for Job Printing.

Dear Santa
I am a boy 9 years old I have
been Sick 27 Week I want a magic
lantern and my brother Gerald
wants a Pistol and some caps and
bring the children some oranges
from Your little boy
Damian Hays

Mrs. P. G. Withers, of Clarence
has been the guest of her kinspeo-
ple, J. H. Robinson and family.

COAL!

Winter is Here.

I can fill your COAL order at any time right from the car to coal
bin. Get my prices before you buy.

Louis Nash.

Real New

When you want anything in the BUILDING or SPECI-
FICATION LINE, call

W. A. PATTERSON.

MONROE CITY, MO.

Round Trip Homeseekers' Rates

Dec. 1 and 15 and Jan. 5 and 19

\$26.05 to Denver, Colorado
Springs, Pueblo. Pro-
portionately as low rates to other
points in Eastern Colorado.

\$36.50 to Salt Lake and
Ogden and other
points in Utah.

\$40.00 to Butte, Helena
and other points in
Montana.

\$50.00 to Spokane and
other points in East-
ern Washington.

\$36.50 to Billings, Mont-
to the metropolis of
the rich Yellowstone Valley.

\$36.50 to Cody, Basin, Pow-
ell, Worland and
other points in the famous Big Horn
Basin.

Similar low rates to hundreds of other points west and northwest.
If you have never seen the rich irrigated farming districts of Mon-
tana and Wyoming you should join one of our personally conducted ex-
cursions the first and third Tuesdays of each month to the Yellowstone
Valley and the Big Horn Basin.

Let me give you further information and folders.

Burlington
Route

J. L. LYON, Agent.

C. B. & Q. R. R.

Where Would Man Get Off.

If she could talk in public;
Proclaim things in a hall
The way she talks in private,
Say, wouldn't men look small?
Deliver curtain lectures
To voters from the stump.
Then wouldn't man, the marvel,
Look like a shriveled chump?
If she could rise in meeting
And there lay down the law
As when in home contentions
She agitates her jaw.
She'd make in just a minute
Important noisy gents
Look as they sat and listened
Like less than thirty cents.
For there is something doing
In language, less or more,
Quite pointed and emphatic
When mother takes the floor,
And in the family circle
No one attempts to scoff
When she informs each member
Where he or she gets off.
So if in public places
To argify she rose
And to affirm some question
Then woe be to the "noes."
Provided she was feeling
Quite well and in the form
She uses on the homefolks
To quell the family storm.
—Nashville American.

Transferred

Rev. John Anderson, pastor of
the Arch Street Methodist church,
has accepted the pastorate of the
Methodist Episcopal Church, South
at San Marcos, Texas, and will
probably leave one day next week
for that point. He will preach his
farewell sermon Sunday. He is now
serving his third year as pastor of
the Arch Street church and during
time there have been something
like 200 conversions and the church
has been greatly strengthened. An
\$8,000 addition to the church has
just been completed.

His departure will, no doubt,
cause a great deal of surprise and
regret in Hannibal and throughout
this state, as Dr. Anderson is one of
the most popular ministers in Han-
nibal and is a thoroughly consecrat-
ed Christian gentleman who num-
bers his friends almost by his ac-
quaintances.—Hannibal (Thursday)
Journal.

Rev. Anderson is one of the best
known Methodist ministers in Mon-
roe City.

We saw in one of exchanges "A
Test for Eggs." That is all right,
we suppose, but at present prices
where is the newspaper man to get
the eggs to test.

The Democrat covers the field.

Santa Claus

Has told

James E. Christian, The Grocer,

That he wanted him to help him select GOOD THINGS
for his PACK. And accommodating Jim has
bought large quantities of

Confections, Domestic
and Imported Fruits

So old Santa would not be disappointed in size and qual-
ity of stock to select from. Remember Christmas
dinners mean the very best of

Groceries

and that is what you will find at

JIM, CHRISTIAN'S.

Hot or Cold Baths

At W. B. VanMarter's

Where it is a pleasure to be

.....Shaved.....

and where they cut hair

.....Your Way.....

Streans' bath room is the place
for a bath and his tonsorial parlor
the place for a shave or hair cut
that will please you.

Mrs. J. T. Church, of Holliday
has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs.
W. P. Young.

Misses Ruth and Lottie McAtee
were the guests of Mrs. Joe Mont-
gomery at Monroe City, Wednesday
afternoon.—Hunnell Graphic.

For Sale—20 acre farm, 3 room
house, near town. \$450.00 if sold
by January 1st.—Node Green.