

GIRL, 8, SEEKING SANTA FOR HELP

Pocatello Child Takes Long Ride on Train—Writing Letters Today

POCATELLO, Ida., Dec. 22 (AP)—An eight-year-old Pocatello girl who in quest of her lost dog "Mickey" boarded a Union Pacific train here yesterday and rode to Ogden, Utah, was back home today writing letters to Santa Claus asking him aid in locating the missing canine.

Dorothy Maxwell, daughter of a Pocatello railroad man, has been missing since she came in Pocatello from Salt Lake City where her dog disappeared a short time ago. Yesterday she vanished and a city-wide search ensued. The conductor on a southbound train telegraphed railroad officials here that the little girl was aboard. She was transferred to a northbound train at Ogden and reached home at midnight.

"If Santa Claus doesn't bring my dog on Christmas, I am going to hunt him some more," said Dorothy. "I know he's somewhere in Salt Lake."

MEMORY FAILS HIM
MACON, Ga., Dec. 22 (AP)—Tom Scott Gandy, 22, wrote this

morning in a bed in the room in which he had slept for years, at his home where he resided during his youth, and surrounded by his parents and relatives, but he did not remember the familiar surroundings nor the faces of his nearest kin because he still is suffering from amnesia which has afflicted him nearly two years.

Gandy dropped from view July 28, 1927 and his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Gandy, of Forsyth, Ga., near Macon, spent a large sum in a nationwide search which ended recently when their son was found and identified in Tyler, Tex.

Curtis To Spend Holiday in Topeka

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22 (AP)—Senator Curtis of Kansas, vice president-elect, is preparing to return to Topeka for the holidays. He probably will announce there whether he will hold his senatorship until March 4, when he becomes the vice president.

HALT ENLISTMENTS

ASUNCION, Paraguay, Dec. 22 (AP)—The government today ordered the army not to accept any more volunteers who began to flock to the colors when war with Bolivia seemed imminent. The government believed that further additions to the army would withdraw vital manpower from both the farms and industries.

YEP, A MAIL HEIFER—AIRMAIL!



The cow that jumped over the moon had little on a thoroughbred heifer that Audrey Horner, 15, of Cass City, Mich., her owner, brought to a Cleveland, Ohio, livestock show. Horner and the heifer flew in an airplane from Detroit to Cleveland. Here are the flying heifer and her owner as they landed at the Cleveland airport. The animal weighs 750 pounds.

State Fair Dates Set Sept. 23 to 29

FRESNO, Cal., Dec. 22 (AP)—Dates for the Oregon State fair for 1929 Sept. 23 to 29 inclusive, was ratified yesterday by the Western Fairs association.

LANGLEY PARDONED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22 (AP)—President Coolidge has granted a full pardon to former Representative John W. Langley of Kentucky, restoring him to citizenship.

School Teacher, 45, Slain in Carmi, Ill.

CARMi, Ill., Dec. 22 (AP)—Immediate apprehension of the slayer of Miss Anna Precher, about 45 years of age, whose body, near decapitated, was found in her home yesterday, was promised by sheriff Jesse Grissom today. He would not reveal the nature of leads upon which he was working.

Miss Precher, grade school teacher and civic leader of Carmi, apparently struggled with her assailant. Part of her clothing was torn away and effects in the little four-room cottage were disarranged. There was no evidence, sheriff Grissom said, of the house having been ransacked.

The slayer failed in an attempt to burn the home.

INVALID RESCUED

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 22 (AP)—J. C. Barnett, invalid, was rescued from death today by Merrill Johns, a runner at the Barnett home, who carried him out of the burning building.

MORE ARRESTS MADE

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 22 (AP)—The traffic court docket had 126 new names today, bringing the total to 2113 in the police drive against reckless motorists which started two weeks ago.

An editor in New York is retiring from newspaper work with a half million. There's always a chance for newspaper men to quit the game wealthy—if they watch the market closely enough.

A bronze statue, "Lady With a Dove," at Kingston, N. C., has been brightened by a house painter's art. The lady now has auburn hair, a blue nose, and a more lifelike complexion.

BULGARIA GETS DERIVISHES

PHILIPPOPOLES, Bulgaria, Dec. 22 (AP)—Driven from Turkey by Mustafa Kemal, the famous whirling and howling dervishes, who held such fascination for American tourists, visiting the Bosphorus, have taken up their abode in different parts of Bulgaria. Under the liberal religious regime of the Bulgarian government, these famous Moslem sects including 20,000 persons are able to practice their weird rituals unmolested.

Sore Throat? Don't Gargle

Quicker and Better Relief With Famous Prescription

"Don't suffer from the pain and soreness of sore throat—gargles and salves are too slow—they relieve only temporarily. But Throatine, a famous physician's prescription, is guaranteed to give relief almost instantly.

Throatine's "A" solution—relieves the soreness and goes directly to the internal cause. No chloroform, iron or other harmful drugs—safe and pleasant for the whole family. Also wonderfully effective for relieving coughs. Quick relief guaranteed or your money back. 35c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Red Cross Drug Store and all other good drug stores.—Adv.

Turkey Free!

IF—
You Can Catch One—

They'll fly from the Sacajawea Monday, 2:30 to 3:30 p. m.

Wreathed In Smiles

We hope you have a Merry Christmas and that in the year 1929

you will be wreathed in smiles.



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The Christmas Thrift Store

Ward's Makes Christmas Shopping Easy for You—

For months, Ward's trained buying corps has been gathering gift merchandise together—searching, comparing, selecting—the best the world markets offer. They have made it easy for you to have gift things you want and like at prices that save you money. Gifts you will be proud to give your homefolks and friends. Gifts they will be delighted to receive.

Men's Comfort Slippers \$2.49

A thoughtful gift for "His" leisure hours. Fine durable kid slippers with durable leather soles and rubber heels. In black or brown.



Gifts of Fragrance 19c to 89c

Perfumes—powders—tales—in Coty's exquisite odors. Lipsticks, rouges, compacts to suit every type. Three, four, and five-piece sets in silk-lined gift boxes. A gift to delight the feminine heart!

Give a Gift of Leisure Hours \$35.85

The famous Wardway vacuum cleaner will shorten the housewife's work amazingly. It cleans the floors in a few minutes. Light—quiet—high speed. Guaranteed for five years. Easy terms if desired.

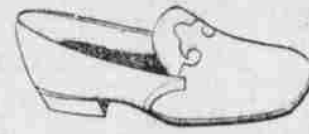
Gold Bond Pens \$1.98 to \$3.25

Guaranteed for your lifetime! A serviceable, attractive gift. A Gold Bond pen will always write smoothly. Of unbreakable stonite in gay colors. 14K gold point, iridium tipped.



Leather Goods \$2.19 to \$48.00

Practical gifts for a man. Sets of handsome cigarette cases, bill folds, key cases, of soft brown halfskin.



Handkerchiefs 3c to 45c

An expression of thoughtful good taste. Smart printed ones, others made frivolous by lace and embroidery. Sheer silk, fine linen, and lawn. Delicate and gay colors.



50c to \$4.98 Dainty Personal Gifts

To charm the feminine heart are exquisite underthings of silk crepe de chine, jersey, and rayon. Wee tucks, sheer laces, chiffon rose buds trim gift dance sets, teddies, bloomers, gowns, pajamas. Alluring pastel tints.

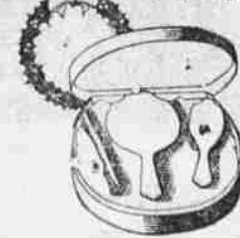
Silken Gifts of Loveliness 98c to \$1.95

Always an appreciated gift. Ward's has an alluring display—gossamer fine chiffon hose— heavier service hose of pure silk. Regular or graceful pointed heels. Many have picoté tops. All reinforced for wear.

Dust—Smoke—Reige
Nude—Manon—Misty Morn



Pearl and Amber \$6.49



A lovely dresser set to delight the most fastidious. Comes in two dainty colors, edged with amber. Beveled mirror, well made brush, fine and enameled toothbrush. In dainty satin-lined gift box.

Christmas Ties 25c - \$1.45

You can't go wrong if you choose a tie for the boy or the man. A fine selection of moire silk ties in gay or subdued patterns. Remarkably low priced, too.

For Cold Mornings \$4.95 to \$11.50

Any man will appreciate a snugly warm bathrobe. Especially if it is smartly tailored in rich colors. Fashioned of heavy blanket cloth, heavy cloth, or sleek rayon. Remarkable values, you'll find.



For the Holidays \$1.00 to \$2.98

Glossy broadcloth shirts for the boy and men folks make practical gifts. Expertly tailored with collars attached or separate. Snowy white and popular colors. Also a large selection of attractive patterns. All sizes.

Smart Splashes Of Gay Color 98c - \$1.98

Knotted carelessly on one shoulder, a three-cornered scarf gives the costume that jaunty air so much desired. Of heavy crepe de chine, it brightens the neckline charmingly with its stenciled or hand-blocked designs.

Marathon Tubular Skating Outfits \$5.85

For men and women. Highly tempered steel runner. Shoe is imported English chrome tanned leather.



85c Each An Ideal Gift Suggestion

Fast color fancy jacquard Bath Towels. Thick, soft terry weave. White with blue, helio or gold stripes. Monogram space.

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Whether it's a table for two or a big family dinner, your Christmas Dinner at the Sacajawea will make the day merrier by eliminating the bother of planning and cooking.

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