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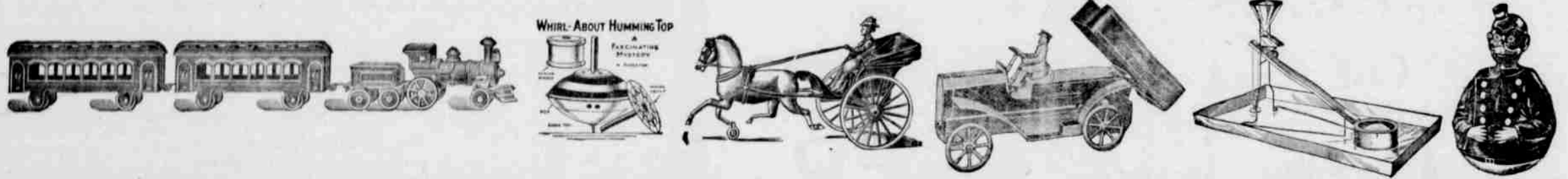
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LOCAL BREVITIES

Special sale until Christmas at
Goldman's store.

Dr. R. E. Duganne, dentist,
National Bank Building.

Misses Mabel and Frances
Cooper are here from Portland.

Mrs. W. O. Morrow is visiting
her parents at Tacoma, Wash.

Give furniture this year.
Moore & Walker, Home Furnish-
ers.

Mrs. I. Govro is spending the
holidays with her son in Linn
county.

A good pair of reading
glasses for \$1.00 at O. A.
Kreamer's.

Dallas Observer: Joseph A.
Finley, director of music in the
Dallas public schools, has been
chosen to direct the music in the
Independence public schools.

Dr. J. B. Grider, dentist, suc-
cessor to Dr. Allen, Cooper
Building. Phone Main 1021.

Special sale on high top shoes
at Goldman's store.

Rev. W. S. Stewart was a
Portland visitor yesterday.

We have a free chair for you.
See it in our window. Moore &
Walker, Home Furnishers.

Mrs. Lucy Whiteaker left
Tuesday for Mesa, Wash., where
she will visit relatives for some
time.

A pauper by the name of
Franklin died at the county poor
farm yesterday.

Mrs. L. Damon returned Tues-
day from an extended visit with
relatives in San Francisco and
other California points.

Special sale on shoes at Gold-
man's store. Tell your friends
about it.

Miss Beryl Robinson will spend
the holidays in Tacoma and
Seattle with her mother and
other relatives.

Margaret M. Whitney was
granted a divorce from Al Whit-
ney Tuesday by Judge Belt. She
was given the guardianship of
their son, Loren. A satisfactory
property decision was made out
of court.

The Monitor always leads.
Merrimaker's Dance Thursday
evening, Dec. 28.

P. H. Drexler is clerking at
Kreamer's this week.
Lots of folks will come "home"
for the Christmas dinner.

Herb Smith, who has been in
Idaho for some time, is back in
Independence.

We have baskets, pictures,
trays, etc. Moore & Walker,
Home Furnishers.

Miss Mary F. Irvine will give
piano lessons in Independence
every Monday. Her announce-
ment appears on this page.

Mrs. Margaret M. Whitney
will leave this week for Tacoma,
Wash., where she will reside in
the future. Her son, Loren, has
been there for some time attend-
ing high school. Mrs. Whitney's
many friends regret that she is
leaving Independence.

The big booster basket social
which takes place in the Baptist
church basement on Friday
evening, Dec. 29, will be a hum-
mer. There is a great rivalry
between certain young men for
certain young ladies' basket and
it is better than a circus to see
them bidding against each other.

Christmas Eve Carol

MY Lord was born in Bethlehem
Upon the Christmas eve.
Ah, slack of heart and slow of heart,
Who will not him receive!

My Lord was born in Bethlehem,
And waiting shepherds heard
Sweet angel heralds chanting loud
The long awaited word.

My Lord was born in Bethlehem,
And in a manger laid.
None tended him, none cherished
him.
Save that sweet mother-maid.

My Lord was born in Bethlehem,
And wise men came to see
His lowly state and homage paid
To his mild majesty.

My Lord was born in Bethlehem,
But soon he had to flee,
For cruel hate of sinful man
Spared not his infancy.

My Lord was born in Bethlehem,
But home had none on earth;
A pilgrim and a stranger he,
An exile from his birth.

My Lord was born in Bethlehem.
He died, but rose again.
Rich is the gift his death hath
brought—
New life for sinful men.

Big Booster Basket Social

Friday Ev'ng, Dec. 29

Baptist Church Basement

EVERYBODY INVITED

XMAS NIGHT CHEER

It was on Christmas night.
The church was filled with
people. The choir, composed of
two old maids and two old bach-
elors, arose to sing the official
Christmas hymn. When the
chorus was reached the old maids
sang alone "Unto us a child is
born," and the old bachelors
followed with "W-o-n-d-e-r-f-u-l-
w-o-n-d-e-r-f-u-l."—Anonymous.

Use Little Santas.

The Christmas house decorations
should, of course, include plenty of
holly and Christmas greens; but, if
possible, small Santas should play a
conspicuous part in the scheme. Pa-
per or china or cloth whatever they
are—they should perch over the doors
or windows, cling to holly wreaths
and hide themselves in the holiday
greens.

The dance orders should have small
Santas painted or printed or pasted
at their head. These orders can
be bought decorated in many stores,
but any hostess who can use water
colors could make them herself, and
one who cannot use water colors can
use the same sort of little gummed
Santas or Santa-Claus heads for these
orders that she used for the seals of
her letters.

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