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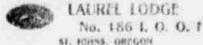
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going-Old Year-Good-Night! -Edith Lavingston Hmith, in Wisconsin Agriculturist.

# NATURE SETS GOOD EXAMPLE

Discard Things That Hinder and Retain Only That Which is Helpful at Dawn of New Year.

Once again the New Year opens its oor for us to enter in. The old year s leaving us, and if we are wise we our difficulties and trinks, confidently will let him take with him all the impedimenta that has handlcapped us remembering that along with each uring his reign. We will dismiss the

of them we have-Jesus. old mistakes and troubles and grudges, and entering blithely into the New Year, we will begin all over again. Mother nature has set us an examde which we will do well to follow. All the good golden grain, the ripe fruit and all other precious gifts she has permitted us to garner and retain. And then she proceeded to do away with the rubbish. She put her spell upon it and it withered and died, was plowed under, and became the needful

fortilizer for another year. And so all the good and sweet and contiful things that the old year has given us we are permitted to keep. We may hold onto our successes, our helpful experiences, our beautiful memories and the new friendships which have come to us as the gift of the old year, and let go of all the rubbish that might hinder our endeavor in the year that is just opening its door into new

and untried ways. Let us cast off our old garments of loubt and disappointment and failure. and put on the shining garments of hope and faith and courage. Let us draw on all the undreamed of sources within us for a broader outlook, a more determined endeavor and greator accomplishment. Let us possess ourselves of higher ideals of life and its privileges and responsibilities, and a determination to live up to the best there is in us during the days of the coming year, And above all, let us hold fast to our faith in the goodness of God, for so shall we be enabled to to forward, hopeful and unafraid into the unknown and untried ways of the New Year.

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should be but the parting of the curtain, ushering us into new wonders and experiences of his inexhaustible riches and fuilness. Old things would then be continually passing away, all things constantly becoming new." What glories of abounding grace-

that the worst Satan can do against the child of God in this New Year only furnishes a fresh opportunity for God to pour out the treasures of his unspeakable dift! The promise to supply every need of ours "according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus" is not a promise for the life to come, when all sorrow and sickness and temptation to evil will be at an end, but it is a promise made in full view of every trial and temptation that we shall meet today. Let us then count it all joy when we fall into

#### Making a New Year.

The virtue of a New Year is not in ts change of name. The first days of January are so exactly like the last days of December that we have to nake a conscious and continued effort to write the proper date on our letters. If this is to be a New Year indeed, we must make it so ourselves, putting into it new hopes and ambitions, new resolutions and effect. The virtue of the New Year is in the new aspiration and persistence we bring to it.

Make Several. One good New Year resolution de-



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because they stand in a different rela-tion from the other nations to the peo-

ple of the United States. America has maintained from American supplies,

for four years maintained the small have sufficient food to meet immediate

Belgium and northern France, as to distribute food to the cities with gencies.

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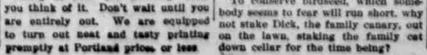
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that by keeping supplies and re-enforcements going forward to our boys saving, now that we are "getting re-sults," is that no one ever actually suffered any hardship from it; that

To conserve birdseed, which some we all are better in health and spirit body seems to fear will run short, why and better satisfied with ourselves because of our friendly self-denial.

Food control in America held the price of breadstuffs steady, prevented victous speculation and extortion and preserved tranquillity at home.

In no other nation is there so will a sense of voluntary self-sacrifics in America-that was shown in

inence from wheat.

of Serbia, must be included in this -whose ports have been open and who plan, are urgent in the extreme and have been able to draw to some degree upon foreign supplies. The gratitude of the Belgian nation Most of Russia is already in the peace for which we fought and bled for the help America has extended to throes of famine, and 40,000,000 people will be threatened. Revolt and anarchy her during the war constitutes the there are beyond the possibility of inevitably follow famine. Should this strongest appeal for us to continue our help. Before another spring thou happen we will see in other parts of work there. The moment the German sands of them inevitably must die. Europe a repetition of the Russian de-armies withdrew from her soil and she This applies as well to Poland and backs and our fight for world peace was established once more in her own practically throughout the Baitic re will have been in vain. General March advises "Keep the enemy on the run," and we can help do

tons compared with 6,000,000 tons prewar rations of Belgium and northern needs, but their fututre presents seri- war exports and 11,820,000 tons ex-France and is already making special ous difficulties. The same is true of ported last year, when we were bound efforts to care for their increased Spain and the northern neutral counafter-the-war needs, which, with those tries-Norway, Sweden and Denmark allies.

RUSSIA

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UKRAINE

SEA

AFRICA

A food map of Europe today shows seat of government the little nation's glons, with conditions most serious in not a single country in which the fu-

difficulties and only a small part which Belgium for preserving the lives of Montenegro have already reached the

have maintained marine commerce cans because there is no present indi-have sufficient food supplies to meet cation that we shall be called on ht all and Roumania so serious are the food

actual needs until next harvest, and to take thought for the food needs of shortages that famine is near. Al-

even in the Ukraine, with stores accu- Germany. Germany probably can care though starvation is not yet imminent,

mulated on the farms, there is famine for her own food problem if she is listy, Switzeriand, Bulgaria and Tur-

given access to shipping and is enabled

With the exception of the Germany, on the other hand, need toil of death. The Armenian popula-

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If we fall to lighten the black spots on the hunger map or if we allow any portions to become darker the very

Bohemia, Serbia, Roumania and

famine point and are suffering a heavy

tion is falling each week as hunger

key are in the throes of serious strin-

In order to fulfill America's pledge

in world relief we will have to export

every ton of food which can be han-

died through our ports. This means at

the very least a minimum of 20,000,000