#### Mail Early and Often

By Annie Schirmer, clerk in New Ro-chelle, New York, postoffice. The Christmastide is drawing near, When parcel post looms high, The clerks and postmen plead with

"Mail Early," is their cry.

Of course you want your friends to get

Their gifts by Christmas day, And Uncle Sam will back you up If you mail them right away.

But if you keep on waiting Until the last few days, There'll be congestion in the mails And terrible delays. Just think how disappointed

The kiddies all would be, If your presents came too late To hang on the Christmas tree

Your gifts need not be opened If a past r you will use; "Don't open until Christmas," Is a seal that you should choose

I wonder if you realize The hardships of the clerks, If you neglect to mail this week, And thus your duty shirk.

And pity the poor postmen Laden down with shoulders lame; For altho 'tis "Merry Christmas" They must all work just the same.

So remember, friends, mail early, If you'd spread the Christmas

Mail early, and mail often And delays you need not fear.

The Public Dock Commission last week authorized the extension of the municipal railway from its present terminus at the entrance to Municipal No. 4 directly into the center of the terminal at a cost of approximately \$6000. It is likely that the work will be performed by force account. The commission constructed this railway as an extension of the St. Johns line several months ago to a point just outside the terminal area. The terminus was a considerable distance from the big piers and docks and employes and others going to and from the terminal were required to walk nearly one-half mile. The result was that the commission lost considerable patronage and it was finally decided to build the extension

Walter Thorndyke of Billings, Montana, paid a short visit to his old time friend, Bailey, last Saturday. used to be one of the Review force about fifteen years ago when his father was connected with this office.

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