

THE CENTRAL AVENUE BOOSTER

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The Very
Thing!
For Xmas

"THE OWL"

Look for "Owl" Electric Sign.

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SUNDAY DINNER
— AT THE —
Chandler Hotel
The Hub of
Central Avenue
a Good Menu

CENTRAL AVENUE JOTTINGS.

Time is Short.—Only six more
days until Xmas.

Electrical Xmas.—Our popular
light man, R. M. Jennings, advises
"Give Something Electrical." Sure
Shock 'em.

Not Cold.—These are the days
when our friends from Minnesota and
Oklahoma gleefully shout: "You
don't call this cold, do you?"

A New Version.—Here's the re-
vised version according to a Central
avenue business man:

"While the cash holds out to burn
Few are the sinners that return."

Lew Learning Music.—Lew Thom-
as has purchased an accordion and is
trying to learn to play on same, but
it is the general opinion of the nabors
who has been almost driven crazy
by the noise that he ain't making
much progress. Lew never did have
much of an ear for music.

Library Moves.—Our circulating
library circulated away from Central
avenue to the new Carnegie building
on the hill that was built by Andrew
Carnegie at a cost of \$12,000. But
what is Carnegie's loss is Bud Tur-
pen's gain. Geo. Cook, our new Cen-
tral avenue councilman, is talking of
a move to get Andy to build another
on Central avenue.

Not Much News.—There are not a
great deal of Booster news in The
Booster this wk. owing to causes of
which we are not aware. Some wks.
there will be a great many news and
the next wk. we will have to scratch
like everything to get enough to fill
up. That's about the way it goes wk.
after wk. Why is this, we ask?
We don't know, we answer.

PERSONAL MENTION

CAPT. MACGENN was seen on our
street yesterday looking for an ar-
gument and he found it.

HARRY McKEOWN has again taken
German fried potatoes off the bill
of fare since the Germans invaded
England.

FRANK COHAN, our w. k. and pop.
young druggist has been making
several trips to Lakeside recently
returning Monday from another
visit. Rumor has it that Frank
is going to start a little Owl
branch in that thriving young
burg.

W. S. CHANDLER who with Frank
Cohan shares the honor of being
the original Central avenue boost-
er is again in our midst after a
visit up north. He states that
Canada is suffering from the war
and that if Henry Sengstacken
talked in Van Colver like he does
on Central avenue he would be
thrown into jail. J. T. Harrigan is
trying to get Henry to make a
trip to Vancouver.

FLASH- LIGHTS

THE LARGEST LINE
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\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75
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ers' Bank Block. Phone 191.
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Henry Sengstacken

Manager.

IVY CONDRON chased the Germans
into Yser the other day and left
them there. He was real peeved
when the next day they showed up
at Scarborough and he went over
and consulted J. T. Harrigan about
it.

PENNETT SWANTON was over from
Front street one day this week
and in an interview with ye scribe
says that the idea of race suicide
is a mere bugaboo, and that no
one is afraid of it in his neighbor-
hood.

A. Y. MYERS has not been running
on his regular bedtime schedule
the last fortnight, staying up until all
kinds of ungodly hours making out
his Christmas shopping list. C. R.
Peck says he can prove it by the
Chandler cigar girl.

W. A. REID says when he first open-
ed his real estate office he was
figuring on several \$750,000 tim-
ber deals and planned what he
would do with the commission.
Now, when he gets a silver two-
bit piece on the same commission
he rushes to the bank with it to
see if it is genuine.

To "buy a bale of cotton"
is a laudable ambition.
But "buy a bale of Haines' hay"
To keep your horses in condition.
—A. T. H.

A CHRISTMAS TRUCE.

Many friends of both belligerents
who have watched the development
of the affair since the outbreak of
hostilities between J. T. Harrigan
and Henry Sengstacken since their
differences over the war will be
pleased to learn that a Christmas
truce has been arranged between
them. It happened like this: Mr.
and Mrs. Harrigan were returning
from North Bend in their auto. They
overtook Henry Sengstacken who
was walking home from the same
city. Harrigan stopped the car. "I
shouldn't do it, Henry, after the way
you maligned my machine and the
malicious things you have said about
me, but as this is the Christmas
season get in and ride." Henry hesi-
tated about as long as he does when
a man says he wants an insurance
policy and climbed into the car.
"We'll call it off until after Christ-
mas," he said, and the truce was on.

IVY'S HIGHLY PATRI-
OTIC PREFERENCE.
I'd rather be a gobble-ooch
And never know a thing.
Than be a European serf
Commanded by a king.
—IVY CONDRON.

WHAT'S THE USE.

Dorsey Kreitzer is authority for
the statement that a patron of the
bank was considerably indignant the
other day when told that he had to
put \$1 worth of war revenue stamps
on some legal papers. "What's the
use of being neutral," he said, "if
you have to lick war revenue
stamps?"

FIRST AID TO THE WOUNDED.

E. K. Jones has come forward
with a plan to raise funds for the
aid of the starving Belgians. He pro-
poses a joint debate between Capt.
Macgenn and Henry Sengstacken on
the question "Resolved that Germany
Should Win"—affirmative by Sen-
stacken, negative by Macgenn, 20
rounds, Marquis of Queensbury rules.
Admission 50 cents.

CENTRAL AVENUE SAYINGS.

Mid war spies and refugees
Sadly I roam.
Be it ever so neutral
There's no place like home.
—Ballads of a
war correspondent.

George Seelig who has been boost-
ing the apple game recently is auth-
ority for the statement that it is the

most healthful of fruits. He says
that an apple eaten at bedtime will
banish nightmare, eliminate snoring
and prevent dark brown tastes in the
morning.

THE KAISER IN SOCIETY.

"Is the Kaiser much of a dancer?"
Dave Stafoford asked Henry Sen-
stacken.
"Oh, yes," Henry replied, "he
leads all the Germans."

Charlie Thom says if this prohibi-
tion wave keeps on spreading they
will have to change the slogan "See
America First" to "See America
Thirst."

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Xmas boxes—all the Standard Brands.
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