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DECEMBER 18 THE KINGDOM WITHIN:-The kingdom of God cometh not with observation: Neither shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! tor, behold, the kingdom of God is within you .- Luke 17:20, 21. For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteous ness and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost .- Romans 14:17.

### ON WELL DIRECTED GIVING

If you know of a family that is destitute and for whom Christmas provision is not otherwise being made, tell The Tidings about it. This newspaper will be glad to help call any such cases to the attention of the agencies that are concerned with the work of spreading Christmas cheer in humble places.

It is better, in order to avoid duplication of effort, to report cases of need to the recognized sources of relief than to report them to individuals. It is better for individuals to turn in to these agencies whatever they desire to give than to attempt direct action.

There was a case in Portland one Christmas wherein report of a family's destitution was published in a newspaper and an earnest plea was made for a turkey to be given the family. When a good samaritan called with a turkey under his arm on Christmas morning he found that | See the 1925 Advance Six eleven other raw turkeys from various charitable individuals had beaten his into the house. There were no fuel, no potatoes, no bread, no anything except turkeys in the place. A child was dragging a turkey around on the end of a string as a plaything. The rest of the children and the mother were all in tears from hunger and cold.

So if you want to be really helpful, give through the Salvation Army or the Elks, or some other organization which is in touch with the needs of the destitute. Or if you want to make your giving more personal, get from one of those agencies directions as to where to go and what to take

### WHAT NEWS TO PRINT

The editorial, "Milk and the Day's News," from the Christian Science Monitor, was sent to The Tidings by an anonymous correspondent. Anonymity is not popular with newspapers, but nevertheless, in this case, we comply.

The Monitor is a most able newspaper. It gathers at very great expense the news of world affairs. Its editorial page is one of the best informed and best written extant. Many of its special features are interesting. All are wholesome. It is a newspaper worth while to have in any home. But it is a class newspaper. It opens its columns to propaganda for the various causes that it supports. Its primary purpose is not so much to inform its readers as to bend their thoughts.

The primary purpose of the general run of other newspapers in their news columns is to inform. Their conception of their duty is to mirror life as they find it from day to day. They act on the theory that readers of all classes are entitled to the information placed before them in the news columns without bias.

The Monitor's indictment of other newspapers is both too sweeping and too severe. It is by no means true that "the least savory divorce case of a degenerate state" is "elaborated with equal zest" alongside news of world importance by reputable newspapers generally. It is not true that no law commands decency in news. There is law in all states to forbid news indency. There is federal law prohibiting its being sent through the mails. The general run of newsapers are by no means open to the charge that they are "filled with filth painstakingly collected and set forth for the contamination of the minds into which it enters."

People generally do not accept the view that the way to lessen misdoing is to say nothing about it. The Monitor itself publishes much news about the activities of prohibition law violators. It believes, of course, that in doing so it aids prohibition law enforcement. At the same time it declines to admit to its columns news concerning violaions of other laws. Other newspapers believe that pubheity for these also is important to law enforcement. The Monitor is entitled to its own opinion. It is not entitled to impugn the motives of newspapers that reason differently.

There is no purpose here to defend sensational journalism or to deny that it has exemplars in limited number. But the charge and implication that newspapers generally are filthy in their news and that they have no 1. In the quality of your higher motive of guidance than the venal one of pander is falsely slanderous, and is completely out of place in the 2.

### LAW SHOULD NOT BE USED AS CORPORATION CLUB

Don Chafin, notoroius sheriff of Logan County, West Virginia—a peace officer who openly permitted the great mining corporations to pay his deputies and then used his office to evict the workers from their homes, to deny to them the right of free speech, and arbitrarily to throw into jail any who dared to disobey his commands-will not trouble the peace and quiet of his county for several

Recently, after a sensational trial, Chafin himself was convicted of violating the Volstead Act, in the federal court.

In passing sentence, the court took cognizance of is deteriorating, if recent figures Chafin's record as a peace officer, saying:

"It might as well be realized that no coal association, by laying a tonnage tax on its coal and paying it to a ion corrupt sheriff, can prevent human liberty in the counties where that thing is done. If I were to go into the field of prophecy, I would say that the coming legislature is going to prohibit this system of deputy sheriffs that has prevailed in Logan County and in some other counties in West Virginia."

May the court's prediction prove correct.

The existing system-so vicious and un-American as to make a national scandal-has written for Logan County a record in violence and bloodshed and injustice and wrong probably surpassed only in Herrin, Ill.

The law enforcement agencies should be kept free from all such ulterior control.

Their function never is to fight the battles of capital or labor, but to see that the law is enforced impartiallythat the humblest living American is not deprived of any right any more than that any corporation should be rob hed of that which rightly belongs to it.

If the meek inherit the earth any time soon, they'll inherit debt enough to keep them that way.

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### Eyesight of English

sight of the English as a nation of the number of elementary school children treated for spectacles can be taken as a criter-

Of less than a million children attending these schools, 23,000 were found to have weak eyesight.

For the past few years one in every five children has been found to possess defective eyesight. Specialists predict that of future generations possibly one in every four persons will wear spectacles.

Billion More Fish in Canadian Streams

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 18. -More than 900,000,000 young fish and eggs were distributed this year to inland lanes and rivers of Canada by the Federal

### EVERYBODY TRAVELS

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### WRITING PAPER

GIFT DENOTING GOOD JUDGEMENT

**McNair Brothers** The Rexall Drug Store ,

hatcheries, according to a report white fish, perch, bass and pike of Kalamazoo, arrived Fast Deteriorating issued by the Department of

### wan and Alberta. Risks His Life to Keep Date with the Judge

JACKSON, Mich., Dec. 18. -Half frozen from a sixty-eightmile ride on the head end of a passenger train, Stanley Pawlock,

More white fish were distri- keep a promise that he would Marine and Fisheries. The var- buted than any other variety, it appear in police court to answer LONDON, Dec. 18. - The eye ieties released were salmon, is shown, the number totaling to a charge of reckless driving, 522,147,000. These were planted preferred by police officers with

in lakes in Manitoba, Saskatche- whom he nearly collided. When he arrived at Police Headquarters his clothing was drenched with water from the ten-

> Police Judge Boardman, after hearing the story, decided that Pawlock had been punished enough and suspended sentence.

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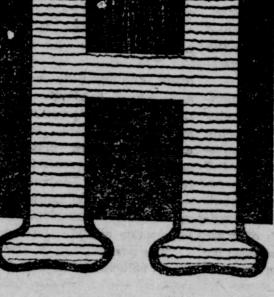
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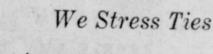
### **House Slippers**



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