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with the County Court of Lane County,
Oregon, her final account as such ad-
ministratrix of said estate and that Mon-
day, the 3d day of January, 1910, at the
hour of one o'clock p. m., of said day
has been fixed by said court as the time
for hearing any objections to said report
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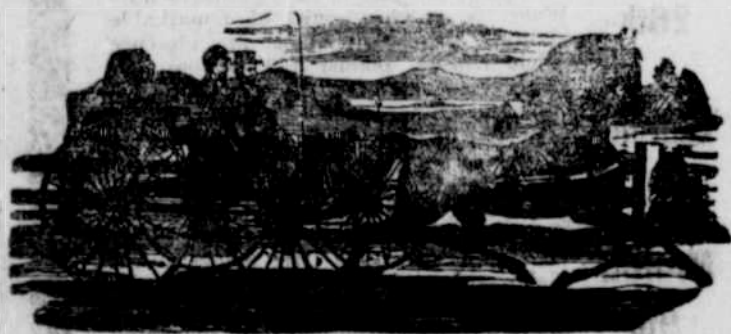
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Robert Hichens.

Books and Authors at Christmastide



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AT this time in the Christian year
we are especially reminded
that the gospel of the Naza-
rene is an out of doors reli-
gion, and in an age when there is so
much talk of the value of out of door
life it is well enough to bear this in
mind. Dr. Henry van Dyke, who has
done so much toward stating the
truths of Christianity in the language
of the time, has written a book en-
titled "Out of Doors in the Holy Land."
Christ was born in a grotto, so to
speak, in Bethlehem, and from child-
hood to manhood, on the journey
to Egypt, on the journey to Jerusa-
lem, in the baptism at Jordan,
most of the scenes are out of
doors, while during his ministry the
Saviour taught the people almost
constantly out of doors with numerous
references to nature. The sermon on
the mount, the many talks by the sea-
side and on ship, the walks through
the fields on the Sabbath day and
many other scenes ending in the cruci-
fixion on Calvary, the resurrection and
the ascension were all associated with
the open air, so that it may be said
that, despite the need in these days for
churches in which to worship, Chris-
tianity in its origin was by no means
altogether an indoors religion.

From Palestine to Egypt is a natural
transition at this season, for it was
from Judea to the country of the phar-
aohs that Joseph took the infant Je-
sus and his mother when warned of
the angel. One of the new books is
"Egypt and Its Monuments," by Robert
Hichens and Jules Guerin. Mr.
Hichens wrote the text, and Mr. Gu-
erin provided the illustrations, and both
artist and author made special pil-
grimages to the land of the pharaohs
to gather impressions for their joint
work. The beauty, magic and mys-
tery of this ancient land are admir-
ably brought out in these pages.

Egypt is coming to be studied more
and more both by the lay student and
by divines who wish to trace the his-
tory of religion from its early mani-
festations in such ancient races as
those which inhabited the country of
the Nile. Dynasties might come and
go, but the civilization of Egypt seem-
ed to go on forever. So much is Egypt
being read about nowadays that the
names of Sesostris and Amenemhat
and Ramesses hardly sound stranger
than those of Alexander and Napo-
leon, and it does not seem such a long
time to the era of that dusky ruler,
Amenophis IV., who so loved his wife
to distraction that he is represented in
the art of his day as kissing her on a
chariot.

African scenes have a great fascina-
tion for Mr. Hichens, and one of his
best known romances, "The Garden of
Allah," has its principal action in the
desert of Sahara.

Mr. Hichens has the distinction of
being able in an unusual degree to hold
the interest of the highly cultivated,
the critical and the somewhat faded
reader. The intellectual grip of a
story like "The Garden of Allah" or
"Barbary Sheep" cannot be denied, for
it completely conquers the critical
sense, and the ideas of the author in-
sinuate themselves, as it were, among
one's inmost thoughts. Yet Mr. Hich-
ens' stories are popular not merely
with literary connoisseurs, but with
the general public as well.

Christmas would hardly be Christ-
mas without some kind of James
Whitcomb Riley gift book, and it is
said that modern taste and tendency
in holiday presents of this sort were
given direction by Mr. Riley's "An Old
Sweetheart of Mine," which was pub-
lished some years ago with pictures
in color by Howard Chandler Christy.
It has enjoyed an enormous vogue and
has perhaps given Mr. Riley's lines a
larger circulation than has been gained



by any English poem since "An Elegy
In a Country Churchyard." This year
there is a new Christy-Riley book,
"Home Again With Me," and there is
also a new Riley-Betts book. This is
"The Orphan Annie Book," in which
Miss Ethel Franklin Betts has given
admirers of the poet some very quaint,

gay, dainty pictures of children in
illustration of his popular characters.
Riley has come to be regarded as es-
pecially a Christmas poet, as Christmas
is the holiday of the children and the
festival of home, and the humor of the
famous Hoosier versifier makes its
appeal to the universal love of simple,
childlike characters and scenes.

Lizards.

There are no fewer than 1,800 known
sorts of lizards in the world.

Lithograph Stones.

Stones which are used by the litho-
graphers all over the world in making
pictures are found in a little district
not more than four or five miles long
by two or three broad near Nurem-
berg.

Microbes.

It takes 640,000,000,000 microbes to
make a cubic inch.

The Korrigans.

The korrigans, superstitious peas-
ants believe, are the black dwarfs of
Brittany who dwell in the sacred Drui-
dic circles of the menhirs and count
their cash in the moonshine.

Chalk.

Nearly 500 different kinds of tiny
shells go to make up chalk.

Victoria Falls.

The Victoria falls of the Zambesi
river are over a mile wide, more than
twice as broad and twice as high as
Niagara. They have a drop of 400
feet.

Hair Growth.

Hair grows at the rate of three-mil-
lions of a yard a second.

The Cossacks.

All know what the Cossack cavalry
of the czar are, but not all are aware
how these famous soldiers got their
name. It is derived from the Slavonic
word koss (scythe). In early times
when the rude and hardy peasantry
of Russia went to war with any neigh-
boring country for want of other off-
ensive weapons they were compelled to
use their scythes, which circumstance
gained for them the cognomen of Cos-
sacks (scythemen).

Hissed into Slumber.

A curious remedy for sleeplessness is
used by the inhabitants of the Samoan
islands. They confine a snake in a
hollow bamboo, and the hissing sound
emitted by the reptile is said to quick-
ly induce slumber.

The Stinging Ray.

The stinging ray possesses two large
pouches in which it secretes stings and
other fish upon which it preys. It has
a long whiplike tail, terminating in a
forked end, which contains its sting
and is its weapon of offense and de-
fense. It has a huge liver that yields
an oil which is esteemed a valuable
specific for burns.

Printed Books.

The earliest example of a book print-
ed on both sides of the leaf with metal
type dates from 1400. The first book
printed with a date was a Latin psal-
ter, 1457.

Dog Sacrifices.

Numerous accounts have been given,
both in ancient and modern times, of
the sacrificing of dogs for religious
purposes. They were immolated at
certain periods by the Greeks and Ro-
mans to almost all their deities, particu-
larly to Mars, Pluto, Minerva and
Proserpine; also they were offered to
the moon, because the dog by his bark-
ing disturbs all charms and spells and
frightens away specters and apparitions.

Turtles.

A good sized turtle gives eighty
pounds of tortoise shell.

Queer Balloon Project.

One of the most fantastic ballooning
projects of the past was that of an
Austrian who suggested nearly a cen-
tury ago that balloons might be guided
in any desired direction with the aid
of trained eagles.

Land Food Capacity.

As a general rule, two productive
acres of land are required for the sup-
port of each inhabitant in a country,
and where this ratio does not exist
food must be imported.

Our First Gold Pens.

The first gold pens made in this coun-
try were all manufactured by hand,
the gold being cut from strips of the
metal by scissors and every subse-
quent operation being performed by
hand. These handmade gold pens cost
from \$5 to \$20 and were far inferior
to the machine made article of the
present day.

Turkish Ballet Box.

At a Turkish election the ballot box
is carried about on a triumphal car and
is guarded by little girls dressed in
white. On great occasions it is perched
on the hump of a camel.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Miss Mary Nye of Columbus, Miss
Bertha Salzberger of Bellaire and Mrs.
Irvine C. Miller of Springfield, O., have
been appointed deputy inspectors of
workshops and factories.

Mrs. Eva Talbert of Cincinnati is
said to be the only woman structural
iron worker in the world. She helps
her husband put up fire escapes, fre-
quently working at dizzy heights on
the tops of tall buildings.

Helen Mathers, well known as a
writer in England, has decided to ex-
change the pen for the brush and will
go into business as a decorator. This
is said to be the first instance of a
woman's exchanging a literary voca-
tion for business.

Mrs. Asher Richardson of Asher-
town, Tex., has been appointed assist-
ant general superintendent of the Ash-
ertown Gulf railroad. Thirty-two miles
of the road have been completed, and
it is now being extended sixty miles
more. Mrs. Richardson has charge of
the employment and work of a large
body of men.

Miss N. Edwards of Conley, Glouster-
shire, is said to be the highest author-
ity in England on poultry. She has
won over 1,000 prizes and exported
poultry into every country. Beginning
in a small way with only twenty fowls,
her poultry farm is now one of the
largest in England. She does not raise
chickens for the general market, but
sells eggs and stock birds.

College and School.

There are now in the schools of New
York city nearly 25,000 more pupils
than there were one year ago.

Fifty-nine more students were regis-
tered at Stanford university this year
than last. The total number is 1,537,
of whom 458 are in the freshman class.

Miss Mary Snow, an instructor in
Pratt Institute, New York, has been
called to Chicago to be supervisor of
the household arts department in the
public schools.

Miss Agnes Irwin, dean of Radcliffe
college, resigned Sept. 1, and with her
withdrawal one of the most prominent
educators of the day ceases to take ac-
tive part in school work.

Hawthsh Grammar school, near
Ambleside, where Wordsworth was
educated and which was founded in
1585 by Edwyne Sandys, archbishop of
York, will shortly be closed.

British Briefs.

Income tax is paid on King Edward's
private estates.

England's first Sunday newspaper
appeared in 1780.

Sixty-six out of every hundred per-
sons in England have light colored
eyes.

The first school for the blind in Eng-
land was established at Liverpool in
1791.

England has seventy-eight artesian
wells varying from 100 to 1,000 feet
in depth.

Advertisements were once taxed at
2s. 6d. each in England and 2s. 6d. in
Ireland, but the tax was abolished in
1853.

Sporting Notes.

Toledo has formed a motorcycle club.
The New York Amateur Athletic union
has 8,966 members.

The Ottawa (Canada) Rowing club
may erect a new clubhouse.

The minor baseball league clubs have
lost 200 players this fall by draft or
purchase.

The Toronto Baseball club's new
grand stand will be modeled after the
Philadelphia National league team's
double decker.

Paul Johner, a former champion of
the Manhattan Chess club of New
York, is back after an absence of two
and a half years in Germany.

Tales of Cities.

St. Petersburg is to spend \$50,000,000
on sanitary improvements.

New York is the greatest car riding
city in the world. Statistics just com-
piled show that the average is 318 car
rides a year for each inhabitant.

The trees in the streets form a spe-
cial feature of Folkestone, England.
About 4,000 in number, they include
handsome horse chestnuts, elms, planes,
sycamores and limes. In Castle Hill
avenue, a hundred feet wide, with four
rows of trees, the horse chestnuts make
a fine show, especially at the blossom-
ing period.

Science Siftings.

Every second the earth moves nine-
teen miles.

The nearest distance of the sun to
the moon is 92,663,386 miles.

Steel corrosion is said to be the re-
sult of electro-chemical action.

A German astronomer has estimated
that the mysterious star Algol is more
than twice as hot as the sun and that
if it were as near the earth as the sun
it would give eighty times as much
light.

Train and Track.

The Transsiberian railway is 3,371
miles long.

The total length of road operated un-
der the block system at the beginning
of the year was 59,548 miles, a net in-
crease over the previous year of 879.

In consequence of the part played by
the gas lighting equipments of the
trains involved in some recent acci-
dents the Prussian railway authorities
have decided to convert all their sleep-
ing cars now fitted for gas lighting
(some 170 cars) for electric lighting.

S. P. Ry. Time Table

NORTH BOUND.

No. 16 1:48 a. m.
No. 18 4:02 p. m.
No. 14 4:43 a. m.
No. 20 11:24 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 15 1:26 a. m.
No. 17 10:54 p. m.
No. 13 6:30 a. m.
No. 19 3:12 p. m.

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