

The Empty, Raggedy Stockings

What of the empty, raggedy stockings That will hang by the chimney on Christmas eve...

Our Christmas Day

THERE is an innate perception among men and women that Christmas day ought to be the happiest in the year...

FESTIVAL TIME IN HONOLULU

"Melting Pot of Pacific" Consoles Herself for Lack of Snow and Other Yuletide Fixings.

HONOLULU on Christmas eve consoles herself for the lack of snow and other traditional Yuletide fixings...

Followers of Buddha and Confucius take part in the Christian festival with zest...

Santa's Prize Dolly



THE FEAST OF LIGHTS

THE lights on the tree are said to be of Jewish origin. In the month of Kislev, of the Jewish year...

WHY THE CHRISTMAS KISSES?

Occupation, Allowed by Custom, Celebrates One of Most Charming Events in Tradition.

WHY should men kiss girls who stand under mistletoe? Because they like it and because custom allows it...



A FULL STOCKING. Hock—Santa Claus apparently has gifts to please everybody. Rock—Yes, it seems that there is nothing he doesn't keep in stock...

NONE FOR HER. Mr. Bacon—I see by using a modified wireless receiving instrument a French scientist has been able to detect thunder storms more than 300 miles distant.

FARM POINTERS

Birds Carry Disease. In pruning the apple orchard cut out all mildewed twigs as the buds on these twigs carry infection...

Greenhouse vegetable growers usually sow seed of tomatoes for their spring and summer crop under glass about January 1 to 15.

Insects Withstand Flood. Farmers should not depend on the excessive rain or the overflowed conditions of their lands to control next year's insect pests.

Cow testing association reports for this year show that the average production of butter fat for each cow exceeded that of last year by 30 pounds.

E. E. GOFF ELECTED AS A DIRECTOR OF STATE ASSN.

Complete reorganization of the executive department of the Oregon local telephone association was authorized Saturday in the final business session of the seventh annual convention at the Multnomah hotel.

The five vice-presidents have been selected, one each from mutual or independent telephone companies in eastern Oregon, the coast section, the Willamette valley, southern Oregon and central Oregon.

Veterans' Aid Favored. In a series of resolutions covering the present session the telephone association went on record as favoring early steps by the congress of the United States toward substantial recognition of the soldiers who served in the world war.

Charles E. Wells of Hillsboro was re-elected president by unanimous vote of the members. George A. Bauman of Forest Grove was elected secretary-treasurer to succeed E. E. Goff of Newberg...

The ten additional officers of the association provided for in the reorganization yesterday, were announced at the banquet by President Wells last night as follows: Vice-presidents, Earl W. Gates, Marshfield; S. D. Crowe, La Grande; J. H. Hessig, Fort Klamath; C. H. Miller, Redmond; T. L. Brown, Silverton; directors, H. J. Roake, Portland; E. E. Goff, Newberg; A. J. Vance, Medford; W. H. Logan, McMinnville, and J. E. Smithson, Hood River.

To Keep Drain Clean

Plenty of strong salt water, boiling hot, is an easy and efficacious way of keeping the drain clean. The salt and hot water cut the grease and clean the pipes thoroughly.

A REAL CHRISTMAS GIFT

Last Christmas, 1920, we planned a simple Christmas for the 1500 children in the orphanages at Marsh; out in the city we had some 2000 children to whom we were giving a meal a day.

DECEMBER 24 IS FREE DAY AT THE Palm Confectionery and Lunch Room. On that day we will give a Free cup of our splendid Royal Club Coffee and Free Tru-Blu Cookies to every one coming in, who wants them. Also Free Candy for the Kiddies. Don't forget to guess on the candy in the jar. Guesses free. Valuable Prizes Given. GET THE HABIT! GO TO FRICK'S! GOOD LUNCHES - GOOD CANDIES - GOOD TOBACCOS

walnuts are a food and not a luxury. They said that they would like on that night to save their walnuts for the ohr children. We agreed that it was a very good idea and from that time until Christmas every Wednesday night all those boys had a supper of a piece of bread and a cup of cold water and then walked out of the dining room and dropped their little handful of walnuts into a big sack.

We have a large assortment of goods suitable for Christmas giving at prices greatly reduced from last year's prices. We are offering especially attractive prices on Eastman's Kodaks and Kodak Albums and Pyralin Ivory. We invite you to come in and inspect our line. GRAHAM'S DRUG STORE

Have the Christmas Tree Bear Finest Fruit. Let the Christmas spirit line every heart with its grandeur, and let the beauty and sincerity of the Holiday sentiment be perfectly expressed by the gift that is well selected. Holiday joys are multiplied and intensified by the splendid success with which gifts are chosen at W. W. Hollingsworth Company's. Here is the good Christmas merchandise—and here is extraordinary Christmas value. W. W. HOLLINGSWORTH CO. "Store of Quality"