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December Thoughts

December, here in this part of the country, is a fine month. It would be the gloomiest month of the year if it was not for Christmas. This holiday harkens back to the old Pagan celebration of the turning point of the year when the days begin to grow longer again. It is a season of general joy and happiness.

Much money exchanges hands in preparation for and during this season. Much of it is done foolishly; but if it produces happiness, it usually pays, for happiness is the best possible return for any investment. The best recipe for happiness is to make others happy.

In some parts of the country, this is the settling time of the year. It is better to pay as you go but, if we don't do that, it is well to have some settling time to unload, and Christmas is as good time as any to unload a burden of debt and be free again, for freedom and a clean conscience is indispensable in real happiness.

But Christmas and the pleasures associated therewith are not all that we should think of at this time. December brings many changes in the atmosphere which may cause much sickness and affliction, such as pneumonia in its various forms, throat troubles, etc. I know of no disease which holds so many surprises for its victims as lagrippe or influenza. In the beginning it seldom reveals itself as a malady to be feared and its victim never knows how or where to defend himself. There is not an organ or tissue of the body exempt from its insidious influence. In the beginning the patient seldom thinks that he is ill, but continues to follow his vocation, when he should be receiving careful treatment at the hands of a physician who understands and is prepared to treat the case—not with patent medicines which may be old and have lost their strength; nor by any other guess work. Seldom no two cases need the same treatment.

A victim commonly, at first, thinks he is suffering with but a bad cold which he can wear off, until he is compelled to remain in doors if not in bed. Even at this stage the patient may temporize with himself, taking a few home remedies until some danger signals are displayed on every hand and the disease has deranged various vital organs. Then, he reluctantly, calls a physician. By this time some serious complications may have arisen.

If such patients could be seen early and are treated aright, much suffering could be avoided and not a few wrecked constitutions be prevented. Also, when such cases are seen in their incipency, much can be done, by proper treatment, towards preventing a long drawn-

out convalescence.

Chronic bronchitis with that distressing cough and gastrointestinal catarrh are frequently observed in such cases, making the patient a semi-invalid for years.

And now, with all the pleasures which Christmas may bring us, we cannot be real happy without good health, a good clear conscience and a true brotherly love towards all of God's creatures.

Dr. Luther.

Notice of Hearing of Final Account

Notice is hereby given that the final account of Oliver McClure as Executor and of Nora Coleman as Executrix respectively of the last will and testament and of the estate of Andrew J. McClure deceased, has been filed in the County Court of Linn County, State of Oregon, and that the 19th day of January, 1914, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. has been duly appointed by said Court for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest the same.

Dated December 13, 1913.
Oliver McClure, Executor and Nora Coleman,
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The dog will carry a broken leg for days wistfully, but uncomplainingly. The cat, stricken with stick or stone, or caught in some trap from which it knows its way to freedom, crawls to some secret spot and bears in silence pain which we could not endure.

Sheep and cattle meet the thrust of the butcher's knife without a sound, and even common poultry endure intense agony without complaint.

The dove, shot unto death, flies to some faroff bough, and as it dies the silence is unbroken save for the patter on the leaves of its own life blood.

The wounded deer speeds to some thick brake, and in pitiful submission waits for death.

The eagle, struck in midair, fights to the last against the fatal summons. There is no moan or sound of pain, and the defiant look never fades from its eyes until the lids finally close over them.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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