

CHRISTMAS GAMES

The Christmas told the merriest tale:
A Christmas gambol of words and cheer
A poor man's heart through half the year.

Children form a circle. One is in the center, blindfolded and furnished with a stick.

Quick witted youth will be interested in an arithmetic game called "buzz."

Shadow buff differs very materially from blindman's buff, but it is equally amusing.

Each person writes his or her name on a slip of paper and on another slip the name of an object in the room.

To concoct a Christmas pie which shall eclipse Jack Horner's, take a tub, clean and dry.

White as a dream of Summer,
White as the drifting snow;

When your hearts are filled with grieving,
When the beautiful Christ flowers blow.

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gift to us. Now we shall come with happy hearts to our pie.

"The most trifling gift is often the one to be valued most, and I have one that a king's ransom could not purchase."

"They allowed her to come to school three months during the winter weather.

"I tried to be very kind to her. I hope that I was."

"I always went to the rescue as soon as I could, and am not at all sorry now because I have certain ears very smartly on Mary's account."

"The week before Christmas she fell ill. I went to see her every evening after school and her gratitude for these visits shone forth in her eyes."

"I took her a few little gifts on Christmas morning, and after I had given them to her, she slipped one thin white hand up under the pillow, and said—

"I've got a little of something for you. It ain't anything hardly. I'm most ashamed to offer it; but it will do for you to remember me by, and its all I've got to give."

"Her little all consisted of a small carnelian ring that could not have cost more than five cents."

"I'd like to have you keep it," she said in a whisper.

"And I have kept it among the things I treasure most."

"In another hour she was raving in delirium."

"I wish, I do wish they'd stop it!" she cried.

"I wish they'd not point at my old clothes so! I hate so to put them on! I wish, I do wish, I could have new ones—some time!"

"Before the day was done, she had put on new clothes that never will wear old, nor lose their heavenly beauty; garments not fashioned by earthly hands."

White Crysanthemums.
Blossoms of the clouds and darkness,

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