

OUR CHRISTMAS STORY

Old Davenport's Merry Christmas

BY WILLIAM DRYSDALE

The earth has grown cold with its burden of care, but at Christmas always is young...

AGS of gold buried in the cellar, bags of gold hidden in the attic...

That was what Boardville folks said about Old Davenport...

But if everything was gloomy inside, there was no sign of it on the outside...

When Bucky stood laughing to himself, Kit Lawrence walked on the other side of the street...

"I'm laughing at Old Davenport's turkey," said Bucky...

"Oh, my!" Bucky roared, "I can't tell you for laughing, this doesn't get me out of my mind..."

"Well, I know," said Kit, "you're not alone in your laughing..."

"The hard thing about Christmas shopping, wife, is trying to buy gifts that are as useless as the ones you receive..."

"The Detroit News says Christmas coming on space to remind us that we have never found out who Santa Claus looked like when he was a boy..."

"By Oriental custom the term 'father' and 'mother' are not limited to one's natural parents...

"A former governor of New York was noted for the quickness of his wit...

"These little preparations made for boys started for the moon was shining brightly..."

going to have that thing off my mind before Christmas fairly begins on their...

"Then I'm with you," said Kit, taking Bucky's hand...

"You did!" Bucky exclaimed in astonishment...

"Yes," the old man went on, with that good-natured smile upon his face...

"You saw us!" cried Kit, "I did not know you saw us..."

"No, I suppose not," Mr. Davenport said, "I was standing behind the hedge enjoying it all..."

"I think we had better know the worst mother," Bucky said, putting his arm round her neck...

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CHRISTMAS CANDLES

Circle on the Tree—it is time to light the Christmas candles...

The candles in the heart—these are the candles in the heart...

Candles in the World—Let them shine brightly for the earth would be dark without them...

CAUTIOUS

Mr. Elias Nobbs was noted for the extreme caution of his speech and his manner...

A LIVELY COURSHIP

A young Scotsman kept company with his favored young lady for years without proposing to her...

HER FINGERS CAME IN TOO LATE

Oliver Wendell Holmes enjoyed nothing so much as a clever retort...

A CASE FOR AN ALIENIST

A concert in London, declares a British contemporary, a girl once sang a song that asked, in the first line...

News of Local Import

Take a Walk in the Woods

Don't You Do It

Buying from the Home Dealers

One of our chaps, the other day, wandered into a grocer's furnishing shop or haberdashery...

CAUTION

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HERE AND THERE

A Christmas goose—the turkey that thought it was safe because it escaped death at Thanksgiving time...

HE KNEW THE EFFECTS

The dry wit of a certain London magistrate shows delightfully in an anecdote told in the Tatler...

UP-TO-DATE

As Long as the Coal Strike lasts there will be No Pennsylvania Anthracite To be Purchased

We are offering an substitute to our customers Stove Size KENTUCKY COAL...

Assets and Liabilities

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities, listing various financial items and their values.

Excess of Assets over Liabilities to Public

I'm too Busy advertisement featuring a woman's story and a testimonial for Speedy Relief and Robert's Syrup.

Speedy Relief advertisement for Robert's Syrup.

A NEW USE FOR A USEFUL BOOK advertisement.