BRITISH MEN IN ARMS

NOW TOTAL OVER TWO MILLION SAYS LLOYD-GEORGE.

Before Spring 500,000 Superb, Magnificently Trained and Enthusiastic Young Men Will Join Fight Against Militarism,

London, Tuesday, Dec. 23— The Daily Chronicle correspondent at Paris telegraphs, quoting from L'Humanite, an interview which Jean Longuet, socialist deputy for Paris, had with Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, on the war and on the efforts which Great Britain is making.

Mr. Lloyd George at the outset expressed the opinion that the French people did not realize fully the efforts being made by England for the common cause of the allies. He said:

"Do you know, firstly, that Great Britain is expending as much— or more, I believe at present—as France is expending on the war, notwithstanding the relative smallness of her first military force despatched to Flanders? Do you know that our monthly expenditure for the army and navy is at present £45,000 000 (225,000,000) or one millard one hundred and twenty-five millions of francs per month? In addition to the enormous resources which we shall command through the new income tax we are turning into the war treasury a new loan amounting to the colossal sum of $2,200,000,000."

"But," observed M. Bonguet to the chancellor, "how is your enormous contribution to be explained, even taking into account the cost of your formidable fleet, when it is remembered that your army at the front represents scarcely one-sixth of ours?"

"'In reality,' exclaimed Lloyd George, "England has at present more than two millions of soldiers and sailors under arms. Certainly we have, to a large extent, to improvise this vast army. Parenthetically, this is the strongest proof of the pacific goodwill that we maintained until the very last.

"And fine soldiers, verily, they are all. The pick of the empire, the best and bravest of all classes of society, intellectuals as well as workmen, rich as well as poor, the elite of our trade unionists, as well as our most brilliant scholars. of Oxford and Cambridge, the bench and bar as well as the shop, the factory as well as the club, have furnished in four months these hundreds of thousands of vigorous young men, of from 21 to 36 years, with whom my colleague, Lord Kitchener, has formed his new army. You know that my two sons have enlisted, as well as Mr. Asquith's sons.

"Before the spring, five hundred thousand new soldiers, superb, magnificently trained and full of enthusiasm, will have joined those who, side by side with the valiant sons of the French democracy, are struggling at the present time from the Yser to Belfort to bring about the end of Prussian militarism and establish the liberty of Europe, and that of Germany herself. And this will continue unto the end, unto victory."

FRUIT CAKE.

A cup of honey and plenty of dew
With citron and cinnamon sprinkled there through,
A wineglass of laughter from lips of the light,
That lean to the lips of the loved ones at night;
Molasses and ginger and sugar and spice,
And everything else that is bound to be nice.

Bake in slow oven till over it runs
The brown of the berries that sleep in the sun,
And out of its richness arises a smell
Of Araby's orchards and Arcady's dell;
And all the house whispers: "For mercy's sake!
I hardly can wait for a piece of that cake:"

Cooled off divinely and hidden away
Till week after week and day after day
It settles and ripens and flavors so fine,
It turns from a cake into slices of wine
And beakers of sunlight and bubbles of song
Just ready for Christmas to happen along.

THE CHRISTMAS STAR.

Helena Coleman.

Not to the busy dwellers of the town,
Filled with their dreams of state
And pleasure, early, late,
Nor to the mighty ones of far renown—
The self-sufficient great!

But to the simple shepherds of the plain
Who watched their flocks by night
The tidings came—the light
Of that immortal star of love and pain
Broke on their wondering sight.

Not to the busy throng upon life's street
With restless, eager gaze,
Threading the crowded ways—
Whose painful souls and pleasure-loving feet
Pause not for prayer or praise.

But to the watchers on the hills of peace
Who, silent, look afar—
Whose hearts as temples are
Filled with the glory of a great release,
Shines forth the Christmas star.

Weather Notes.

Light snow falls have occurred locally in Alberta, and Ontario and in Quebec, but the weather generally has been fair and quite cold. The cold in Manitoba and over Northern Ontario is very severe.

The best tea in the world comes from the hill-top gardens of Ceylon and India. The best products of these gardens are in turn selected for Salada. It contains no cheapening dust, stems or coarse leaves.

Early in 1915 the Grand Opera House will present "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," Fiske O'Hara, and the Marks'. Meantime the vaudeville will go on.

Insist on White Rose flour.

THE WHIG'S JUMBLE

General Review of Country District and Local News

Hudnut's toilet waters, Dr. Chown.

Come along, friends, we need your gift for the hospital to-day.

Lieut.-Col. W. E. O'Brien, ex-M.P., died at his home at Shanty Bay.

High class ebony backed hair brushes, Dr. Chown.

There is such a thing as losing by playing your trump card at the wrong period.

Grapes, Grapes, Malaga's, 2 lbs. for 25c. Crawford.

Inference is too often used purposely as an instrument of revenge and cruelty.

Eye glasses, with perfect eye-testing, Dr. Chown.

You will have the Happiest Christmas yet if you send your donation to the Hospital to-day.

Guaranteed fountain pen, $1.00 Dr. Chown.

A Kodak or camera makes a suitable Christmas gift. See them at "Hoag's."

At Ottawa the death occurred suddenly, on Tuesday night, of Hon. Senator John Nesbitt Kirchhoffer.

Postage paid on all perfume purchases, Dr. Chown.

Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance is spending a week or so holidaying in the Laurentians, near Montreal.

The Rosary by Nevon. Christmas week only 50c. College Book Store

The Women's Patriotic League of Brockville has made a contribution of $5,000 to the Belgian relief fund.

Hudnut's toilet waters, Dr. Chown

Herbert Earle, a well known resident of Algonquin, passed away at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, on Monday.

Parsian Ivory brushes and combs Dr. Chown.

J. J. Carrick, M.P., for Thunder Bay, has returned from Europe, where he rode in a motor car along fifty miles of the battlefront.

Hudnut's toilet waters, Dr. Chown

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has purchased four ships which are being constructed at Belfast and Glasgow. Their cost is said to be in excess of $7,500,000.

Parsian Ivory brushes and combs Dr. Chown.

The largest stock of popular music in Kingston. Special for Christmas week, 2 for 25c. College Book Store.

Principal W. H. Smith, of Port Dover public school, has completed his fiftieth year of teaching in Norfolk county, occupying his present position for forty-two and a half years.

Desk thermometers. Dr. Chown.

The Catholic Association of French-Canadian young men of Ontario and Quebec decided on a protracted campaign for "educational liberty" in Ontario, and will appeal the Ottawa school case to the privy council.

Toilet waters, in best makes, Dr Chown.

Rev. S. Moore, B.A., B.D., Oshawa, has received and accepted a unanimous invitation to the pastorate of the Tabernacle Methodist Church, Belleville, as successor to the Rev. W. G. Clarke, B.A.

Guaranteed fountain pen, $1.00 Dr. Chown.

In the death of Dr. Alton H. Garratt, the Toronto Simcoe Street Free Dispensary loses one of its founders and that city one of its most prominent physicians. Dr. Garratt was born forty-nine years ago on a farm near Wellington, in Prince Edward county, and received his medical education at Trinity University, from which he graduated in 1888.

Funeral Of Prof. Burgess.

The funeral of the late Rev. Prof James Edward Burgess was held on Monday from his late residence King street, Weston, to Kingston Deceased was sixty-seven years old and died suddenly on Friday from heart failure. During the past two years he had lived retired. Previously he was a professor of classics at the Western University, London, Ontario. Deceased taught for a time in St. George's College, Weston. He graduated from Queen's University and for a time was an Anglican preacher. Two daughters survive. They are Mrs. C. A. King near, 853 Keele street, Toronto, and Mrs. Gordon Emery, Port Burwell

To Entertain Soldiers' Children.

The Soldiers' Wives' League are holding an entertainment with a Christmas tree in the right half recreation hall, at the corner of Bagot and Queen streets, on December 29th. There will be gifts on the tree for every child of a soldier in the city, or with the overseas contingent. There have been a number of donations made and the rest of the expense will be met with the league's funds.

Belgian Fund.

The president of the Board of Trade acknowledges the gifts of the following amounts to the Belgian relief fund:

Soldiers' Wives League, $45.50; children of Cataraqui school, $9; Dr. A. P. Knight, $5; Miss E. Henstridge, $5; Miss J. McLelland, $5; Mrs. E. R. Barnett, $2; Miss N. White, 25c.

Will Go To Toronto.

W. H. Wyllie, inspector of the Children's Aid Society, will leave, tonight, to spend Christmas at his home in Toronto. While away he will also pay a visit to Hamilton in connection with the work of the Children's Aid Society.

Change Of Time.

Commencing December 24th, S.S. America will leave for Cape Vincent week days at 10 a. m., instead of 1.30 p. m., wet weather and ice permitting.

Malaga Grapes.

Malaga Grapes, 15c lb.; 2 lbs. for 25c. Crawford's.

Fined In Police Court.

On Wednesday Magistrate Farrell fined Henry Bryant $1 and costs for being drunk when a member of the "prohibited list." He was remanded from Tuesday.

Sale.

75c Corsets, 50c, Dutton's.

HALF MILLION CALMOCKS BATTLE FOR RUSSIA

New Mounted Troops Expected to Vie With Cossacks in Dash and Effectiveness.

Petrograd, Dec. 23.—Half a million Calmucks, members of a nomadic pastoral race, which has always been free from obligation to furnish any soldiers for the Russian army, have just been added to the Russian forces.

A deputation from the Calmucks recently arrived in Petrograd with a request that they be allowed to serve in the ranks during the present war, and offering to supply 500,000 mounted troops if necessary. "Our tribes have volunteered practically en masse," declared the leader of the deputation.

The emperor's reply grants them a military organization and privileges similar to those enjoyed by the Cossacks.

The Calmucks are born horsemen and their horses are among the finest in the world, closely resembling the pure Arab breeds. The number of Calmuck subjects in Russia is given as about 5,000,000. They are Mohammedans.

In acknowledgment of the Russian emperor's granting of their petition, the delegation announced that it was empowered to deliver to the imperial treasury a gift of $200,000 in money and 1,500 horses.

FOUR SQUARE CLUB

Of the Y. M. C. A. Held Banquet on Tuesday Evening.

The Four Square Club, an intermediate organization in connection with the boys' work at the Y.M.C.A. was entertained to a banquet on Tuesday evening in the large assembly hall on the top flat of this institution. This newly-organized club, of only two months existence, is appealing strongly to the younger boys of the Y.M.C.A., and every month a social evening is spent. Last night, however, the social committee, comprised of Messrs. Harvey Godwin, Harry Twigg, Arnold O'Grady, W. H. Gimblett, Cliff H. Armstrong and Advisor C. R. Powers went farther and tendered a first class banquet.

At 7.45 o'clock a large number sat down to a sumptuous spread. Several young ladies were also invited. Mrs. E. P. Jenkins assumed the responsibilities of chaperone. The president of the club, Alwyn Murray, gave a short address expressing welcome to all. Mr. Powers, the advisor also spoke a few words of praise and gratification upon the good showing of the club. Miss Mavell gave two splendid readings, Miss Percy rendered two voice solos.

A pleasing feature of the entertainment was the presenting of the cup to the victorious Dry Bones basketball team which won the intermediate group games series of basketball. Captain William Gimblett, received the trophy which was presented by Mr. Powers, physical director.

It was also decided that a hockey league be organized. Several captains were elected and included Cecil Baker, Harry Twigg, Harvey Godwin and Frank Maxam.

CALVARY CHRISTMAS EVENT

Held on Tuesday Evening And Greatly Enjoyed.

Calvary Congregational Church held its annual Christmas tree event on Tuesday evening. John Davis, an active worker in the church, was chairman.

"Jackie" Scrutton, four years of age, created laughter by the parts he took. They were numerous and comical. This little fellow sang as one of his pieces, "Tipperary," and never has his song created more enthusiasm.

The role of Santa Claus was ably taken by Earl Hamilton, who gladdened the hearts of the many "kiddies," to whom he distributed gifts from the tree. Every youngster received, in addition, a bag of candies and an orange. No discrimination was shown and strangers were as cordially treated as though they were members of the Sunday school. In addition to the Christmas tree a splendid programme was carried through, which included recitations by "Jackie" Scrutton, Miss Carrie Shufflebottom, Walter Shufflebottom, Jr., Ryrie Lyall, Hilda Brown, Inez Maynes, Robert Davis, Jr., Collamer Davis, Mildred Byron, Florence Amstrong and Gracie Gow. Solos were sweetly sung by "Jackie" Scrutton, Miss Ethel Bennett and Miss Inez Maynes. A chorus, entitled, "Hail, the Welcome Morn," was rendered by the pupils of Miss Revelle's and J. B. Gage's classes. The infants' class and Mrs. J. Collinson's class rendered beautiful choruses. Six girls of the school rendered a chorus entitled "December." A comical dialogue, known as "Sick Doll, was ably portrayed by six young girls, and the leading characters in it were taken by Gracie Gow, as "mother, and Hilda Brown, as "the doctor."

Rev. Mr. Lyall, the pastor, in conclusion, gave an interesting address. The choir brought the evening's programme to a close by rendering a chorus.

WAS HEAVILY FINED

For Getting Liquor For Man on "Prohibited List."

There is a heavy penalty for a person found guilty of securing liquor for one on the "prohibited list." In the police court on Wednesday morning Magistrate Farrell imposed a fine of $25 and costs upon Harvey Perry for securing liquor for Henry Bryant, who is on the forbidden list. Bryant, when arraigned in the court on Tuesday, accused Perry of getting the liquor for him.

Three drunks were in the line-up. One was allowed his liberty and two others were fined.

A woman's idea of neighborly is to send the woman next door a hunk of her sweet cake.

High class ebony backed hair brushes, Dr. Chown.

Beauty is only skin deep, but sometimes the display rack doesn't show it up to a good advantage.

OLD HUNDRED.

Written by Man Who Refused Lodgings to Nell Gwyn.

The most famous, and in many ways most inspiring, of all religious songs is the doxology commonly known as "Old Hundred," or "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow." The lines, known in every corner of the earth, were written by Dr. Thomas Ken, Bishop of Bath and Wells, England, under Charles II. about 1683. Thomas Ken was a man of great force of character, and of high morality in an age of social corruption. He was made one of the royal chaplains. On one occasion, King Charles wished Ken to receive into his house for a short time the notorious Nell Gwyn. Ken firmly though respectfully declined the request.

"Do you refuse, even though I order you?" asked the King.

"Yes," said Ken firmly. "I must refuse even though you order me."

King Charles, with all his faults, was able to appreciate the character of a man so sturdy and unflinching as Ken. Later when the bishopric of Bath and Wells became vacant, King Charles remarked:

"Where is the little man who wouldn't give poor Nell a lodging? Let him have the bishopric."

The late Theodore Parker once said that "Old Hundred," with its four short lines, has done more to spread the doctrine of the Trinity among English-speaking peoples than all the theological works that have ever been written. Words and music, the latter composed by a German named William Franch, who died in 1570, blend in a wonderful combination of solemnity and religious exultation, and they have been sung on many occasions of great historic interest. Col. Nicholas Smith has given a brief account of what happened on Aug. 14, 1900, at Pekin, during the Boxer siege:

"The civilized world was held in awful suspense during the 56 days when the various legations and the missionaries withstood the myriads of Chinese. When the allied forces entered the city, the heartfelt rejoicing of the men, women and children, who had faced a living death for nearly two months cannot be described. Rockets blazed in the air, cannon smashed the yellow roofs of the Forbidden City, and soldiers and civilians made the welkin ring with cheers; but the most thrilling and soul-inspiring incident connected with the celebration of their deliverance, was the assembling of the missionaries about the Bell Tower and singing Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow."

Foxhunters Lack Mounts.

Practically every pack of foxhounds throughout the Old Country has been placed in a difficulty this season with regard to its mounts, the call upon hunters for military service having naturally been greater than for that of any other stamp of horse. The majority of hunts, however, will be able to get over the trouble by curtailing their number of days per week, and it has, of course, been possible in many cases to get together a number of moderate horses which were unsuitable for military work, while since the war began unbroken or partly broken animals have been sufficiently schooled to make passable hunters in emergency. Cubhunting, of course was greatly interfered with—some packs, in fact, have done little or nothing in this direction while others have only carried out about half their usual program. It has remained for the Southdown Hunt, however, to discover what must be a rare method of overcoming the difficulty of no horses. During the early part of the cubbing season hounds have been actually followed on cycles, and so successful has this novel style of mount proved that in seventeen outings fifteen brace of foxes have been killed.

Ruskin as Rector of Glasgow.

Ruskin was once a candidate for the Rectorship of Glasgow University, now held by M. Poincare, and flew into a rage when asked by a deputation of the students whether his political sympathies lay with Beaconsfield or with Gladstone. "What in the devil's name," he exclaimed, "have you to do with either Disraeli or Gladstone? You are students at the university and have no more business with politics than you have with ratcatching. Had you ever read the words of mine with understanding you would have known that I care no more either for Mr. Disraeli or Mr. Gladstone than for two old bagpipes with the drones going by steam; but that I hate all Liberalism as I do Beelzebub, and that with Carlyle I stand—we two alone in England—for God and the Queen."

Found City of Ophir.

The most noteworthy work of the late Prof. Hall, famous as the explorer of Rhodesian antiquities, was done among the ancient ruins at Zimbabwe, the history of which is still a matter of controversy. Some archaeologists attribute them to the Phoenicians and identify the city as the ancient Ophir, from which Solomon obtained some of the more costly materials for his temple and palace. Other archaeologists think that the city was built by a negro dynasty of advanced civilization. The excavated city is built in circles with walls of immense thickness, and numerous imposing temples.

M.P.'s at the Front.

Many British M.P.'s are wearing khaki, and some are commissioned officers at the front. In bygone days that would not have been allowed. The Marquis of Granby, after whom the public houses are named, was M.P. for Grantham, but when he raised the regiment of "Leicestershire Blues" to fight against the Young Pretender he had to resign. In Queen Victoria's reign a subaltern on full pay might yet be an M.P., but M.P.'s of the rank of captain or above were put on half-pay while Parliament was sitting.

A married woman says that the perfectly devoted husbands have their habitat in books.

The man who has a jolt coming to him seldom realizes it until he strikes out.

MRS. DEYO IS DEAD

THE FIRE AT SYDENHAM CLAIMED TWO VICTIMS.

She Passed Away Late on Tuesday Afternoon—House Totally Destroyed With All Its Contents—Mrs. Deyo Was Daughter of William Wagar, of Parham.

Mrs. William Deyo died in the village of Sydenham, at five o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, from the terrible burns she received, making the death toll of two, as a result of the fire which destoyed her home early on Tuesday morning. Alfred Deyo, her brother-in-law, was burned to death in an heroic attempt to save her life.

Mrs. Deyo suffered terrible burns and from the first very little hope was entained for her recovery. She was about twenty-four years of age, and was a daughter of William Wagar, of Parham, where the remains will be taken for burial. The remains of Mr. Deyo will be taken to his former home at Desert Lake.

The sad catastrophe has cast a gloom over the village. The Deyo home, although situated three miles out of Sydenham, was well known to all the people living in the district, and both Mr. and Mrs. Deyo were widely known and highly esteemed Mrs. Deyo's husband, the late William Deyo, lost his life a few weeks ago, when he fell into an open shaft in Sydenham. There is no family, the one child having passed away about a year ago.

The gallant attempt made by Mr. Deyo to save his sister-in-law was described in Tuesday's Whig. She was upstairs in her bedroom at the time the fire broke out. He made his way to the room and assisted her to the foot of the stairs, but there she slipped and fell, and at the same time Mr. Deyo dropped to the floor, overcome by the smoke. The hired man then succeeded in making his way into the house, came across the body of Mrs. Deyo, and carried her out. He could find no trace of Mr. Deyo, and after the fire, his charred remains were found in the ruins.

Mrs. Deyo was burned from head to foot. There was one wound on her head about four inches in length.

As the fire was purely an accident, it was stated that there would be no inquest.

The house, which was totally destroyed, was a low frame structure and one of the oldest buildings in the neighborhood. It was insured for about $600, so it is understood. All the furniture was destroyed.

THE TOWN OF GANANOQUE.

Trade Has Picked Up With the Good Sleighing.

Gananoque, Dec. 23.—St. Andrew's Sunday school and Young People's Association held their annual Christmas tree and entertainment in their lecture room last evening and drew out quite a large attendance. The programme was of a very interesting nature and in keeping with the occasion.

The local public and high schools closed for the Christmas vacation at noon yesterday. During the forenoon in most of the forms of the public schools entertainments in keeping with the Christmastide were held and were very much enjoyed by teachers and pupils alike.

Miss Mary Draper, of the staff of the local public schools on Victoria avenue, was summoned to her home at Glenburnie on Monday by the serious illness of her brother-in-law.

Col. Brown, the head of the militia inspection department at Ottawa, was in town yesterday on a visit to the firms engaged in the manufacture of goods for the department of militia.

The out-of-town members of the staff of the high and public schools have left for their homes to spend the holiday season: Miss A. A. Howson, of the high school staff, at Peterboro; Miss Annie MacAllister, at Welland, and Miss Miller at Carleton Place.

Douglas Peck, of Varsity, has arrived in town to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Peck, Brock street.

Douglas Campbell, located here for the past few months, has returned to his home in Montreal. T. Ralph Willis, of Hamilton, former solo cornetist in the Citizens' band, is spending the holiday season with local friends.

Robert Gardner, of Cornwall, has accepted a situation in town for the winter. Mrs. C. H. Hurd, King street, left yesterday to spend a couple of days at Lakeside House, Gananoque Lake. Edward Clayton arrived here from Toronto recently to locate for the present.

This section has been getting a real good taste of solid winter weather for the past two weeks and although the roads in the rural sections are quite badly drifted it has made trade pick up to no small extent. The local merchants started in this week keeping open openings during the holiday season.

JIMMIE'S LETTER TO SANTA CLAUS.

Dear Santa Claus, if you could bring
A patent doll to dance and sing,
A five-pound box of caramels,
A set of reins with silver bells;—

An elephant that roars and walks,
A Browne doll that laughs and talks,
A humming top that I can spin,
A desk to keep my treasures in;

A boat or two that I can sail,
A dog to bark and wag his tail,
A pair of little bantam chicks,
A chest of tools, a box of tricks,

A scarlet suit of soldier togs,
A speer and net for catching frogs,
A bicycle and silver watch
A pound or two of butterscotch;

A small toy farm with lots of trees,
A gun to load with beans and peas,
An organ and a music-box,
A double set of building-blocks—

If you will bring me these, I say,
Before the coming Christmas day,
I sort of think, perhaps, that I'd
Be pretty nearly satisfied.

Sale.

$1.50 Corsets, $1.00, Dutton's.

LITTLE TOWN'S BIG STORY.

Some little towns tell big stories about industry. There is one down in Quebec; about thirty miles from Montreal. It's as pretty as a picture and as lively as a Maypole dance, and besides the half dozen hit-or-miss factories that help to keep it booming, it has two enormous concerns, each of which spells a story for the average Canadian. One of these marvelous modern factories turns out sewing-machines. The patents are held in the United States, but the wages and the profits and the cost of raw materials are paid in Canada. The same machine used to come in over a tariff wall. Now, everything about that machine helps that little town to maintain its hundreds of workers. The wage bill of that factory runs into thousands upon thousands a week. When buying a sewing-machine it might be easy to get one made abroad. It might be almost as good a machine as that made in the little town on the Quebec river. But the only good such a purchase would do this country is the thirty per cent. duty that it pays the government. The reason that great factory was built at a cost of nearly a quarter of a million dollars was to make goods for Canadian homes by paying the wages of labor and the profits of industry to Canadians. It is magnificently doing its work. And it is a monument to the economic good sense of Canadians as expressed in the Made in Canada idea.

"HOLY CHRISTMAS JOY."

It is Christmas Eve and a stormy night
The air is crisp and the snow lies white,
And Albert in his charity bed
Has puzzled thoughts creep through his head:
Why did the bad men burn our home
And drive us from our land?
Leave us maimed and orphans.

I wish I could understand,
I shut my eyes beneath the clothes
I feel so lonely and small
I see such sights as nobody knows,
Like pictures on memory's wall,
I see my home as it used to be
With father so good and kind
Little sister and I astride each knee,
—If I cry will you not mind?

For mother dear was always near
And to us she would sing
Of Santa, and reindeers, and so many toys
The wonderful gifts he would bring
I see the churchyard, the snow lies deep,
But mother is resting there
If I were to die to-night in my sleep
I do not think I would care.

I hate to think of to-morrow
You know it's Christmas Day,
We are far off in an alien land,
Santa may not know the way,
Sister has hung up her stocking
If I whisper will you not tell?
—I sewed up the holes and hung mine too
Did I hear a tingly bell?

A little face lifted to Heaven
A pure little heart in prayer
Please, Santa fill sisters stocking
With the best that you can spare
We can do without toys dear Santa
But our clothes are ragged and old
We have no boots or stockings
Nothing to keep out the cold.

There is nobobdy in our home this year
By the door stands no truss of hay
But over here we are waiting,
Jesus will show you the way.
The little heart broken laddie
Is soon wrapped in slumber deep
But who is to make his dreams come true.
His faith in old Santa keep?

A golden opportunity
Has come this year to all
Let's learn the meaning of Christmas
By obeying the Star child's call
Come on and fill up the stockings
Of each little girl and boy
Smiles beaming on sad little faces
Will fill our own hearts with joy.

E. E. H.

Only One "Bromo Quinine."

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