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If winter comes, can the bills be far behind?

After the Christmas cooling comes the January billing.

You can say almost anything with flowers except "Please remit."

Funny about women. They always want a lot of clothes but wear so few.

Every time France rattles the sabre Germany rattles the printing presses.

Well, a super-government would do as well as a number of lesser governments in the soup.

Two more days to go, and already little Bobby is showing the strain of unaccustomed virtue.

What we can't understand is why the economists haven't gained control of the world's wealth.

Correct this sentence: "Ask your dad about it, son," said the mother; "he's the boss around here."

You shouldn't have waited this long to shop. The Christmas postcards have been picked over badly.

And yet the dogs of war who start to be little more annoying than those who are made big dogs by it.

Draft it. This every-day-and-every-way business catches us with a full box of yeast tablets on hand.

"Electric warming pads for the feet." Respectfully called to the attention of those intimidated by the N.K.K.

There are two kinds of men: Regular guys, and those who don't feel like an ass when somebody brags about them.

When the advt. refers to her latest release, you don't know whether it means a seven-real feature or a discarded husband.

Some things you must do alone, but in putting over a compliment you are ably assisted by the other fellow's vanity.

Dempsey can't understand why Alexander wept for more worlds to conquer. Al's meal ticket was safe, light or no light.

The world isn't really growing better. It just seems that way because you don't hear the word "sweetie" so much.

Your wife may not be as pretty as a movie star, but there is some consolation in the fact that she doesn't get married so often.

It may be an inherent taste for martyrdom that causes a woman dressed that way to smile in the face of a north wind.

There was no foundation for the fear that the clerks would become so worn out waiting on early shoppers that they would be unable to serve the belated ones.

Thinking it over again, the small boy wonders if it is too late to have that Santa Claus request changed from a sled to skates. He might have escaped considerable juvenile worry by asking for both—but, of course, he didn't want to appear greedy.

THE FULFILLMENT.

Nineteen centuries ago there were shepherds in Judea keeping watch over their flocks by night.

Yet that first Christmaste of the long ago was the shining herald of the Christmas we are about to celebrate.

Since the great world war savage and bloody fighting on European fields has shown that the horrors, suffering and privations of that appalling conflict have not frightened men from the battlefield; that fear alone cannot explain the turning of men from the glories and terrors of arms.

THE FIELD OF HONOR.

Dr. Baltazar Brum, dashing president of the republic of Uruguay, failing to obtain permission to fight a duel with a political opponent because of his office, resigned.

Political candidates in this country, successful and otherwise, no doubt would like to express their contempt for their opponents and critics in a similar fashion, but dueling is prohibited under the British flag.

An honest man here must have a liberal share of good citizenship and be a "glutton for punishment" if he seeks public office.

Sometimes irate candidates, on the theory that this is a government of laws, resort to the courts to defend their characters, but this is not always a wise expedient.

A MISNOMER.

Every few days one reads in Toronto newspapers that a prisoner was found guilty of a violation of the law and "sent to Kingston" for a term of years.

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ALONG LIFE'S DETOUR BY SAM HILL.

Worn to a frazzle. Oh, every day, in every way. You'll find, in prose and verse The parodies on Coue's stuff Are growing worse and worse.

Observations of Oldest Inhabitant. I kin remember when they used to print a lady's picture to show what a pretty face she had, but the once over of the rotogravure sections show they now print it to show what pretty silk-clad understanding she has.

Times Have Changed. Blinks—"Well, since the dry laws have made the stuff cost so much I can't afford to drink enough to get a headache any more."

She Must Have Loved Him in Spite of His Name. (Marriage License in Pittsburg Gazette-Times)

Are They All Insured in Its Favor? (Clay County (Neb.) Sun) University will be glad to hear of the death of any of its alumni.

Ho, Hum! We like the ladies, but They are so strange; They always like a gift They can exchange.

Kings Ain't What They Used To Be. "King George's crown is said to weigh 33 ounces," remarked Brown.

Fool Questions. F. T. U. asks: "Does a cook eat all the bread she kneads?"

Least We Forget. To-morrow is positively the last day to start that early shopping.

Afterward It Is Different, Eh? The bachelor has a bully time; His life is simply great; The women always treat him fine While trying to change his state.

Gems From Guide Book to Success. If you think you are more adapted to something different than your present employment, then—do something different.

What She Would Do. The two children of a Westwood man were discussing Christmas.

She Only Knecks. A Gossip likes to use A hammer, but—Oh, ho! I never have seen one Who'll try to nail a lie.

Daily Sentence Sermon. Dreams never come true unless you wake up and hustle.

News of the Names Club. K. L. A. sends word from Harrisburg that O. Gloom, of that place, is one of the most cheerful men he knows.

Will Falter, of Oklahoma City, did not for one minute when he marched bravely up to the altar last week and was married.

GANANOQUE

Dec. 21.—The "At Home" given by the teachers and pupils of the high school last night was very largely attended.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY

THE FEAST OF HARMONY.—Better is a dry morsel, and quietness therewith, than a house full of sacrifices with strife.

Miss Ledger's reading of the school paper was very much enjoyed.

In the course of the evening Miss Chown was presented with an onyx ring and Miss Leggett with a string of pearls.

Mrs. Merrill Belfie and little daughter, of Finch, are here for the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cooper.

Mrs. John Phillips and Miss Ella Phillips were in Kingston yesterday.

Miss Ella Richardson, Royal Victoria Hospital, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Mitchell.

Miss Margaret Taylor, Kingston, was in town for the "At Home" last night.

Mrs. A. W. White left for Kitchener today.

Mrs. Rhea Haynes, who has been quite ill, is reported as being considerably better the past couple of days.

Mrs. W. E. Rees and Miss Audrey Rees returned from Toronto last night.

Mrs. Walker, Buffalo, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Balfour Mudge.

Mrs. W. B. Mudge and Miss Agnes Johnston were in Kingston yesterday.

BLUNDERS

Granting that he couldn't avoid breaking the ink bottle, is everything else all right? The answer will be found among to-day's want ads.

Our Canadian Question And Answer Corner

Q.—What is the extent and value of Canada's sheep industry?

A.—Canada's sheep industry number 3,675,860 sheep, valued at \$25,000,000 a falling off of an equal sum since 1919.

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