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**SHOW YOUR CHRISTMAS SPIRIT**

Shop early. Mail early.

It pays to shop early. The stores are loaded with their Xmas stocks. One week hence the cream of these stocks will be gone. Two weeks hence the late shoppers cannot be choosy, but will have to take what is left by the forehand.

The stores want to distribute the Christmas trade. For that reason they are offering great bargains in the early days of December. To take advantage of them, shop early. Then, too, clerks are less rushed these days; they can devote more time to the individual customer; they are not so tired, and can give better service. Shop early; there is every advantage in so doing. Help the merchant to help you. Have a Christmas feeling for the salespeople; don't overload them at the last minute.

Extend that Christmas feeling to the postal employees. This year the postoffices will not be closed all day Christmas. But it is the object of the department to give as many of its employees as possible a complete Christmas holiday. If you want your gifts delivered before Christmas, mail them early. A present received on Dec 20 is just as welcome as one received on Dec. 24, and much more agreeable than one delayed till Christmas is gone.

And don't rush the clerks and carriers. Don't overload them on the last day or two before Christmas, and make them so exhausted that they can't enjoy their holiday. Get your parcels in now; remember that if you delay too long, you'll have to wait in line to mail them, and that's no fun. Mark your packages "Do not open till Christmas," and shoot them in. Show that Christmas spirit of good will to men right now. Stretch it over the two weeks intervening between now and the holiday. See how much better you will feel.

**AH! CALENDARS.**

Have you a little 1927 calendar in your home?

Perhaps not yet but the time is near when you will have not one but many of these December arrivals. When 1926 was still young the calendar printers had already manufactured their stocks of calendars for 1927 and their representatives were on the road taking orders from corner drug stores, neighborhood grocers and the butchers, and your bank for their traditional advertising calendars.

If there is one thing of which Canada never experiences a serious shortage it is the calendar. There is always an over-production, it being a rare household that is not the recipient of a half-dozen or more on the eve of each new year. During the early days in December and the early part of January they arrive daily, with the mail or the store deliveries, or are thrown on the doorstep by peddlers.

Why do human beings purposely accumulate, collect and preserve calendars, knowing that there are only so many nails in the house on which they can be hung and that they thus impose upon themselves the ordeal of choosing the best from the lot and reluctantly destroying the remainder? A calendar and its owner are as long

**School Teacher Takes on Big Job**

Allice is only twenty-one. Yet she already has a profession and a career and left both behind her. From now on her principal business is to fight hard for life when the footing does become a little less precarious. She may take up some other kind of work, but it must not be teaching. At least that's what the doctors say—for the hard work she went through and just one result—they placed her here on a cot in the Muskoka Hospital for Consumptives.

Allice smiles bravely when she is told she is only a youngster, and says her immediate big job is to respond to the wonderfully sympathetic treatment she is receiving from the nurses and doctors who are trying to undo in a few months the harm that disease has wrought in several years.

A gift from you will assist the Hospital in bringing Allice and other children cases back to health.

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in parting as two lovers. In most households the last of the surplus supply hardly disappears before the first of next year's supply arrives.

May not the time arrive when advocates of bureaucratic and paternalistic government will demand, in the interest of efficiency and economy, that the government take over the distribution of calendars for the prevention of duplication and waste?

**WINDOW SHOPPING**

Store windows, now suggesting Christmas, are more than a gentle hint to make early purchases for the day of gifts, still a few weeks in the future. Whatever the urge in that direction may be, store windows, Christmas dressed, are an appeal in themselves. "Window shopping," always an alluring occupation, never is quite as delightful as it is in the days when there is an atmosphere of expectancy, the sprit of cheeriness and the glow of benevolence that somehow work their marvels at this season of the year. No matter how matter-of-fact we may be 11 months of the year we all become more or less sentimental with the approach of December, and the gay windows, the rich windows, even the plainly dressed windows, brave or sedate in their Christmas attire, sing to us a siren's lyric that is a challenge to pass them unheeded.

And who gets the most fun from window shopping, the juveniles or the elders? Silly question? The more mature, of course. Even those windows dressed especially to appeal to the children are so crowded with adults at times that a poor youngster has little chance of seeing what therein is. These, of course, are the more shameless—glorying in their shame. Others who envy them their brazenness pick up a youngster some place, and push to the front, thinking like a man who takes a kiddie to a circus he wants to see himself, that he has acquired merit. What foolishness! How much more honest he would be if one such would just acknowledge to himself that he hungers to see the window show and to justify himself with the reflection that there will be plenty of time for children to see such spectacles after they grow up. Yes, we oldsters have not too many Christmas fetes ahead of us, so we hasten to take advantage of what opportunities we have. What is the impelling motive?

Memory, the treasury of all that is hallowed and dear and precious. We will see Allice again—Allice from wonderland. If the display is nothing but leather goods, Allice will be amidst the wares and her message will be of "shoes and ships and sailing wax, of cabbages and kings, Kings of fairland and nowhere and everywhere. Kings of the wintry day and glowing coals and the bulging stocking on the mantel. Kings among whom you were a monarch when you glanced through the panes of another window on a Christmas morning and saw in the frosted snow more gems than any living king ever possessed. How they glistened and sparkled, sending their rays heavenward, far into the realm of romance and anticipation.

No wonder we like window shopping.

Cost of health work by the government and states, exclusive of private endeavors, has been figured out and estimated as follows by Dr. Hugh S. Cummings, surgeon general of the United States Public Health Service: Federal \$5,000,000 a year; states \$22,000,000 a year and the 738 cities of over 30,000 population about \$31,000,000 a year. The per capita of federal expenditure is four and a half cents; of states 20 cents, and of the bigger cities 80 cents annually.

The average auto lasts six years, barring accidents.

People generally save a few cuss words for a rainy day.

People who won't stop at anything should never drive autos.

Permanent waves are fine in hair, but not so good in streets.

Habitual silence isn't proof of wisdom, however, unless he is a married man.

Endurance—That rare quality evinced by a 14-pound turkey in a family of three.

When a woman goes in and asks for powder these days the clerk says, "Face, baking or gun?"

Characterization—The kind of a person whose wife makes his New Year's resolutions.

The trouble with a rosebud mouth is that it remains neutral and expects you to do all the kissing.

The flapper usually can tell a single man from a married one. The single man isn't so darned fresh.

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**Little Girls' Game Causes Heartache To Lonely Mother**

Two little girls sit at a window playing a game. They make believe that every woman that sees coming up the street is mamma coming home to them. They shut their eyes until she gets almost to the door and then open them hoping it is really the one they long to see. They firmly believe that some day their wonderful dreams will come true. Neither knows of this game, and she is doing her best to make it come out right; but just at present she is having no small struggle to stay on this earth at all.

She is taking the cure at the Muskoka Hospital, but had allowed herself to become so greatly run down that there isn't much left of her for the kindly nurses and doctors to build upon. The wonderful quiet of the great hospital, and the care she is getting, are soothing to her worried mind and body. Some day she hopes to be with her little daughters again. Contributions may be sent to Hon. W. A. Charlton, President, 223 College Street, Toronto 2, Ontario.

**Nova Scotia Noted For Its Hunting Facilities**



Reports of excellent big game hunting in Nova Scotia this season have been received at the tourist department of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Montreal. Hunters have returned with tales of super-moose, seemingly endowed with more than usual cunning, thus adding to the interest in this sport. A large section of the interior is a maze of beautiful lakes, woods and streams where moose are plentiful despite the fact that about 1,200 bulls are killed by hunters each year between October 1st and November 15th, the open season. Cow moose and young calves are protected. Water approaches to the hunting grounds are but a short motor-ride from Digby and Annapolis Royal on the Dominion Atlantic Railway.

Many hunters penetrate the wilderness by canoe from south Millford at the head of the Liverpool chain of lakes, or by motor truck which transports hunters, guides and canoes to Kegedamagoogee and other haunts of the moose. Some of the best guides are the Micmac Indians, there being also plenty of efficient white guides at Del Thomas's South Millford Camp and Kegedamagoogee.

But one bull moose may be bagged each season by a hunter. The majority of moose are killed each year in 13 of the 15 counties. Moose and caribou are plentiful on Cap Breton Island but the hunting of these animals at the present time is prohibited on the island. Bear and wildcat, for which there is no closed season, roam the woods of Nova Scotia. Ruffed grouse, woodcock, snipe, wild geese and many other varieties of small game are plentiful and afford the hunter every opportunity of an excellent hunting holiday. The province too is a mecca for the angler. The many streams and lakes abound with salmon and trout. Off the coast tuna, cod, haddock, pollock and flounder fishing is extensively indulged in.

**INQUEST THROWS BUT LITTLE LIGHT ON MURDER CASE**

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and was taking it home. Bia had gone to witness' home on the Tuesday morning, quite early, and had announced his intention of going to Hamilton. Witness had contemplated such a trip himself, he stated, and had gone later in the morning in an automobile. He had not accompanied them, because of the lack of room. He didn't know whether Bia had followed out his intention of making the trip or not. But he and Bia had started to work at the quarries on Oct. 29th, and were employed a week before the latter had gone away. Witness said Bia had not confided his plans to him, and he had no idea where he had gone.

Bia Demille testified that he had worked in the Michigan quarry from August 30th to October 22, when he had been laid off. He had started to work in the Hagersville quarry, but finding his duties too strenuous, he decided to go to Buffalo. Arriving in the American city he had obtained employment the following day with a carpenter contractor, where he remained up to the time of returning with Inspector Greer. Throughout, his answers were given without hesitation, and in a tone of sincerity.

The only counsel present was G. C. Eagle, Toronto, who appeared in behalf of the Chinese Association of Ontario.—Dunnville Gazette

**Father and Son Fight Side by Side**

For the handsome lad of fifteen, who is very proud of his new set of head shoes, the fight with his father was as hot as the sun. The wires come right in by his side, where he reads most of the time. You see, Roy is in the Muskoka Hospital for Consumptives and is by no means as well as he looks, although he says he is getting along fine. His dad is in the same institution, also making the never ceasing struggle against the fell disease. So often "T. B." grips more than one in a family. Both are really making good progress, however—the complete rest, the discipline and the care of kindly nurses and doctors are having their usual good effect in this efficient institution.

The Muskoka Hospital is urgently in need of funds. What can you spare to help?

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