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Codroy, on Tuesday evening, and

Basques. The S. S. Kyle also went to

her assistance yesterday but her ser-

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enstructed since the war, is about 2,000 tons and carries a crev

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here for repairs.

Give Children

Cincinnati Times Star: Some peo

tle celebration of Christmas this year,

on account of the war. There are

ome Christmas customs which might

of presents among grown-ups is often

most cases the donor does not know

what to buy, and the recipient does

not know what to do with the gift

when he gets it. The giving of un-

necessary and useless presents is a

to Christmas toys for the children.

We may have to bar Santa Claus until

the end of the war. But we are not

in that extreme situation yet. So far

as the children are concerned. Christ-

mas in 1917 should closely resemble

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largely attended. The stalls, which

eeded all expectations, will be de-

At night an enjoyable concert was

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And he was her dmy son.
All the gifts of humanity
Could never more atone,
For life and love are finished
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only one thought—Take comfort In the depth of that dark despair; Thrist has allowed your darling
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When the Kidneys Fail.

U. S. Steamer. Poisons Remain in the Blood, Which Cause Pains and Aches — Read Here of the Surest Way of Setting the Kidneys Right. eeded to the assistance of the Ameri an steamer Adrian Inselen, which

Brockville, Ont., December 13th.-It. rheumatic pains you have reason to suspect the kidneys. Pain is caused by poisons in the blood, and poisons only remain in the blood when the kidneys are defective and fail to do

vices were not required, as the Portia their work.

This Brockville lady has reported

Mrs. Frank Noyes, 9 Stuart street, Brockville, Ont., writes: "For years I was afflicted with kidney complaint. 'he ship was en route from Quebec for our shore for shelter. An exam-50c. cach—Miss R. Wall, Mrs. J. Murphy, Walter Williams.
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rheumatic pains disappear when the action of the kidneys is awakened by Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills:

Their Christmas. Mr. John May, Walkerton, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with rheumatism in my legs and I became so lame that I could scarcely get around. Dr. ole hold that there should be very lit-Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills were re-'s Kidney-Liver Find ended to me, and' so I com-ended to me, and' so I commenced using them. After I had been taking them for awhile I was delighted to find that my rheumatism well be abandoned. The Christmas had left me, and to-day I am as sound inner at which more food is provided as a bell, able to get around and atas a bell, able to get around and attend to business. I have made use of Dr. Chase's medicines in many ways for the last forty years, and cannot speak too well of their good qualithan can be eaten should be cut down as a matter of course. The exchange

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. You cannot expect such

Your Boys and Girls.

The rules for visitors should be ol erved with the sick child as with an older patient. The ill child's vitality s lowered and he is particularly susceptible to any new disease or germ or two each day. which may be brought in on the clothing of the caller. If the child made necessary by war-time savings, has long hair, it should be braided so are the most wholesome. it will not become tangled in tossing. The teakettle should never be emp about on the bed. The teeth should ty but always full of boiling water be scrubbed night and morning and ready for service. the mouth washed with an anticeptic wash. A bath of alcohol and water water when poaching eggs will hold will be found very comforting to a the whites together. fever patient.

Here are some good rules for moth- made than a glass of home-made jelly ers who have growing daughters: tied with a sprig of holly. Give them a good, substantial educa- If the glass percolator of your coftion. Teach them how to cook a good fee pot breaks, use a glass lemonmeal. Teach them to wash and iron squeezer for the time being clothes. Teach them to darn stockings and sew on buttons. Teach them to make shirts. Teach them to make were beautifully decorated, were their own dresses. Teach them to aden with good things and those in make bread. Teach them all the with French salad dressing is always harge did a brisk business. Part of mysteries of the kitchen. Teach them wholesome and easy to make. the proceeds, the total of which ex- that a dollar is only one hundred cents. Teach them that the more brown in color and you can hear the voted to the Halifax Disaster Fund, one lives within her income the more liquid inside when you shake it. will be saved.

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active service in France, was in good | Any child that is "out of sorts" with pirits when writing recently from a cold or a rash should be isolated

An economical stew is made with will be served raw. round steak, broth, carrots, turnips, onions and parsley, with salt and pep-

papers can be lifted and the flour poured back into the sifter in less time than when using a pan. Not a bit of celery should be wast- Pork, try ELLIS'.

lle-cakes can be made with bread-led. The leaves can be dried for flavcrumbs, dried and run through a meat oring. The undesirable parts can be used for soup and of course the best

it; hottest do not allow it to burn on until the coal is exhausted, but shut When sifting flour several times it off the draught and the coal will hold s convenient to sift it on paper. The the heat it has made for a long time.

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3019 L. Corp. Joseph Princeton, B.B. At General Hospital, R Grashot Wound Lower

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Etaples, Dec. 3288-Private Thomas Cabot Street; gas pois wound nose, slight 2743-Pte. John Martin Burin gunshot wound

At 1st South African Ger tal, Abbeville, Dec. 4 Wound Forehead. 3465-Private Hubert

At 20th General Hospital December 2. Gunshot 1554 C. S. M. Albert T Charleston, B.B.; left side

1561-L. Corp. Stewart pard, LeMarchant Road;

At 22nd General Hospital Dec. 2. Gunshot Wound R 2205-Private Allan Hamilton Ave. At 16th General Hospital,

December 2nd. Gas Poisoning Sever 1600-Private Frederick Duckworth St. et. 2980-Private William Fleming Street.

Gunshot Wound 037-Private Richard Marystown; left foot. 242-Private Stanley verdale. Three Arms. N

At 18th General Hospital Dec. 1. Gunshot Wound 1516-Private George

ton's Harbor, N.D.B. At Tooting Military H Gunshot Wounds 2453-L. Corp. Heber Hamilton Ave.; right leg a

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