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The Old Year and the N

And many hopes died while me With the throbs of his quiver He had birth in the cold, stor

the north, And his cradle was cushioned Old Boreas rocked him when forth,

His youth spread the tender fo All over the boughs of the sp He twised the young buds in the While musical waters from fet Went leaping away through To hang dewdrops, pendent fro To glisten o'er blossoming ve

Or slept in the heart of the re To awake with Aurora, the god From her fragrant bed of rep He scattered sweet flowers with Over mountain, valley and pl While glorious beauty waved of To harvests of rich golden gra Maturing with autumn, in vigo

To ripeness the fruits he had And showed to mankind what By the realm of nature and h The old winter returned just as With snow wreaths to circle!
And he fell asleep, 'midst the
That hailed his successor and

sway, Whose future no mortal can mystery hangs like a pali d The which only time can disp Full many a heart that now delight,

Will be pierced with the arro And eyes that now beam with

ing bright Be despoiled, ere he leaves, of round; While towering hopes, all lowly

Well! our joys and sorrows a And when they'll awake we d At mere shadows, and fancy

(Written for the He CHRISTMAS WITH THE BY A. M. P.

You happy families of associated with bright ho ing shops, cosy fireside laughing rosy faces of bonnie children, come v another Christmas scene if it be that you have foun rose-leaves under your for dainty be wanting to y feast, some luxury to y able toilet, or some nove collection of bric-a-brac, trifling annoyance with better still, forget the in the presence of the real Up on the wild nort New Brunswick, where t St. Lawrence lashed into by the December gales, I lenly against the bleak coast, stands a dreary at dwelling. It is shunned dwelling. It is shunned kind, unnoticed, and known, the home of Lazaretto of Tracadie. the good sisters, who gruesome patients, if we A smiling assent is give

is opened, and after traver men's ward. Here are by the fearful plague, to say, they seem bright The women in the w seem also this morning to the gloom which somet shadows them. A little vanity is noticeable even h are joyously donning bonnets and hats, a profew days previously b Sisters of Charity of I which are to be worn time at the Christma which the bell is just no

The men have rec Christmas box too-a la tobacco from Mr. W. C. the philanthropic millions treal; and there are va dainties provided by friends, all of which a with pleasure and gratitu And now the last bel we must come into the t where we kneel with rev for it is so tiny that ou

the dwelling place of th

At our left, behind a lattice, the Sisters of the are chanting their office our right is what seems of glass, screened at the wooden shutters. As comes out upon the Altar screen rolls back, disclorable firelight the lep where kneel about twenty sufferers. Not all of the are so far gone in the malady that they are dep great happiness of assist sacrifice of the Mass. As of the Domine non sum away, the server opens panel in the glass par throws a white linen clot ledge. To this small ap one by one these sorely ings, and with reveren carnest faith, receive the Blood of Him whose birt brate in the golden da fervent are they as they their eyes fixed on the Christmas has come to th

Christmas has come to the Mass, when the low, swood the Sisters dies aware of the Sisters dies aware the second of the Sisters dies aware the we rise and go out, leaving kneeling in eargest thank we rise and go out, leaving the prayer for those poor sufficient to his charge. Vis his, that good, that deviand the sisters, picture the exiled for life, from their of Quebec, and shut up where the patients, afflicted by loath some disease. And in the afternoon of Christied the ward, we saw enough, simple but real, sat the more feeble of the discussing nuts and control of the sister of the discussing nuts and coraisins, these latter being its delicacy, as they are the poor sore mouths. Joff an amateur violinist was some inspiriting sounds i