

# Happy Days

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## YOUNG CANADA.

NEW YEAR'S morning and lots of snow. Little Harry and Frank Winlow are two of the happiest boys in the country, and do you know why? They have an Uncle Walter who lives in the city and knows what boys little enjoy, and he knows they like nothing better than a toboggan in the winter and he is going to visit his brother, that is, the boys' father, and he intends to take a toboggan with him for the boys. Harry and Frank didn't know that their Uncle Walter was coming or they would not have gone to bed so early. But Uncle Walter did come and with him the lovely toboggan all painted in pretty bright colours. Mamma and papa are delighted to see uncle and are sure the

boys will be overjoyed with the gift. Papa has bought them a sled for a New Year's gift; but it is not so nice as the toboggan. Early in the morning! yet the boys have risen and what is their delight at seeing



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Uncle Walter and his present. There is a large hill not far from their house and they will not be long before they go over to visit it along with uncle. That is why there was not two happier boys in all

the country than Harry and Frank Winlow that Christmas day.

## THE DARK SIDE.

JEREMIAH, who is twelve years old, looks on the dark side. Among the things which he continually grumbles about are his lead-pencils, which never have points, and to sharpen which he always has to borrow a knife of some schoolmate.

"Why don't you have a knife of your own, Jerry?" one of the boys asked.

"Got no pocket to keep it in," said Jerry.

"Then why don't you have a pocket?"

"If I had one, 'd have a hole in it."

"Well you would not be any worse off than you are now."

"H'm! Yes, I should 'f I had a pocket, 'n' a hole in it, I never'd have anything to lose through it!"

Jerry sighed deeply, and went on whittling his pencil with the dull blade of the other boy's knife.

HE must needs go that the devil drives.