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Editorial

Our pulpits are our work clothes. Each of us live some kind of a sermon every day. "Peace on Earth Good Will to Men"

ON THIS day of the year when the rush and strife of the world are laid aside and man is neighbor to man the whole world o'er, we take this means to wish every one of our readers our sincere greetings of the season.

In every home, we hope the joy of Christmas will prevail—that about the full feast-laden table families and friends will gather in pleasant association, and that observance of the traditional day of peace may be carried out to the full.

THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

ONCE more the year rolls around to Christmas Day—the season of "peace on earth, good-will to men". To the expectant and anticipating child it seems an age since the stocking was last hung up for Santa Claus to come and fill; while to the middle-aged and to the old it seems but yesterday since the yuletide season was with us, and the festive board seems scarcely cleared before it is time to redeck it again for the next banquet.

Have you ever had a vision of what the world would be had there never been a Christmas time, and never a reason for one? We do not like to think of what the conditions would be in this old world had the Christ child not been born.

What a new vision of the Christmas time should come to us in this year of our Lord 1925? What if we were to take down a Book which has lain on the shelf so long that the dust is deep on its covers, and read once more the story of that first Yuletide, the brightest and the best day that ever came to this old world, and linger over it until our souls beat warm once more and our hearts fill once again with the love which was on that day manifest toward all the world.

What a wonderful spirit it is which meets us down on the margin where the years pass each other. Let us gladly welcome it to our lives that it may dominate all our impulses, so that on this day we may go out and seek the fallen, the poor and the needy. Let us open our understanding to hear aright the message of the Author of Christmas—"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto Me".

MARITIMES RECEIVING ATTENTION THE agitation to improve conditions in these Maritime Provinces, which has been going on during recent months, appears to have found a very sympathetic response from every section of Canada.

WHILE it is not the desire of the writer to say anything that may detract or keep people away from Florida who wish to go there and invest, still we feel that we owe it to our subscribers and readers to impress upon them the importance of approaching real estate transactions with their eyes open.



COL. HERB LENNOX

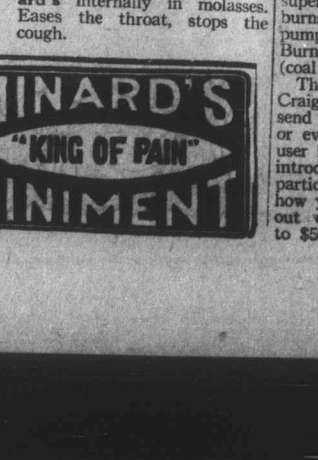
JUNIOR'S FIFTH CHRISTMAS

By Florence McIntyre Helen Grayson tucked the eider-down blanket about her young son, and tiptoed across the carpeted chamber into her living room.

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creedly, for it was Christmas Eve, and no time to harbor a grouch. For a brief moment the man stopped outside Junior's house. Then he passed along his way.

At first he did not hear the voice of the small boy beside him, but a firm tug at his coat compelled attention.

CREATING AN IMPRESSION Don't merely give for the purpose of creating the impression that you are generous.

CHRISTMAS DON'TS Don't hunt for price marks on the presents you receive.

CHRISTMAS DON'TS Don't wait till Christmas for the purpose of being kind.

CHRISTMAS DON'TS Don't present your Christmas gift as if you were conferring a favor.

Don't let your left pocket know what your right pocket gives for friends who are for love or for charity.

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HANTSPO... Rev. H. T. Gornal exhibition of lantern views in the West in the evening.

Jack Swaine, of Company, Boston, last week for the which he will spend the evening.

Miss Grace Young Halifax Ladies Club holidays at her home.

Miss Foster, of Equestrian Miss G. P. Church the marriage of fields, daughter of of this place, and of Kentville, took place on account of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Church.

Miss Arthur Gill P. M. Hospital, W. An adult class class has been established with the S. Hantsport Baptist leadership of Deaconess, and Rev. J. W. B. of the Scout bank of Hantsport.

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