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## THE DAY OF LOVE.

Garret O'Connor in "Toronto  
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No matter what your lot this Christ-  
mas day,

Suffering, lonesome, sad of heart or  
gay,

Do something to make other mortals  
glad,

Nor pause to question: "be they  
good or bad?"

Give, O give! a hand clasp, smile to  
cheer—

Something to show the day of love  
is here.

Forget yourself: There's much for  
you to do;

When the day's over you will mur-  
mur: "True."

No purse or heart too poor to give  
today—

A beggar's smile can make the gloom  
less grey.

Seek for the needy, then give, give,  
give:

You'll find there's more than self for  
which to live.