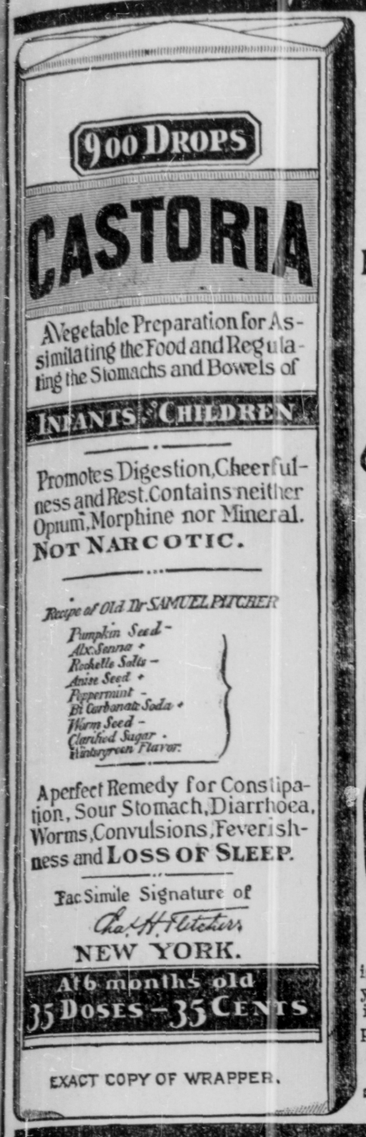

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MEN'S OUTFITTERS.....

CHRISTMAS DAY.

How the Date Dec 25 Came to Be Established.

There is some disagreement as to the origin of Christmas day. The legend runs that in the earliest period of the Christian Church some communities of Christians celebrated the festival of Christmas on Jan. 1, others obseoving it on the 6th of that month. In some of the eastern churches it was kept about the time of the Jewish Passover, near the end of March. There is also some evidence of its having been observed on Sept. 29, being the Feast of Tabernacles. In the year A. D. 325, when the Emperor Constantine legally established Christianity in the Roman empire, Christmas was observed at the beginning of the new year, while in the eastern church it was celebrated on Jan. 6. Pope Julius eventually a compromise, and the 25th day of December was established. These historical statements have been called in question by some, bnt John Chrysostom, the eloquent preacher at Constantinople in the fourth century confirms them.

It is a curious circumstance that some difficulty has been found in accepting the date of Dec. 25 as the probable day on which Christ was born, because, the close of December being usually the height of the rainy season in Judea, it is said that neither flocks nor shepherds could could heve been at night in the fields of Bethlehem This strange objection is considered of such importance that it is incorporated in almost every encyclopedia and dictionary which treats of Christmas. It is one of the curiosities of literature. The present writer has been in those parts at this time of year and has found no difficulty in "keeping watch by night in the open fields of Palestine. What is possible for a western traveller used to living in the nineteenth century, mnst have been far earier for a band of eastern shepherds at the beginning of the Christian era.

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(This was President Lincolm's favorite song, one which he encored several times when sung at a Sunday school convention in Washington in 1864.)

If you cannot on the ocean
Sail among the swiftest fleet,
Rocking on the highest billows,
Laughing at the storms you meet,
You can stand among the sailors
Anchored yet within the bay;
You can lend a hand to help them
As they launch their boats away.

If you are too weak to journey
Up the mountains steep and high,
You can stand witnin the valley
While the multitudes go by,
You can chant in happy measure
As they slowly pass along;
Though they may forget the singer
They will not forget the song.

If you have not gold and silver
Ever ready to command,
If you, cannot toward the needy
Reach an ever helping hand,
You can reach the sore afflicted,
O er the erring you can weep;
You can be a true disciple,
Sitting at the Saviour's feet.

If you cannot in the harvest
Garner up the richest sheave
Many a grain, oth ripe and golden,
Will the careless reapers leave;
Go and glean among the briers
Growing rank against the wall,
For it may be that the shadows
Hide the heaviest wheat of all.

If you cannot in the conflict
Prove yourself a soldier true;
If where fire and smoke are thickest
There's no work for you to do,
When the battlefield is silent
You can go with careful tread—
You can bear away the wounded,
You can cover up the dead.

Do not, then, stand idly waiting
For some greater work to do;
Fortune is a lazy goddess,
She will never come to you;
Go and toil in Mine own vineyard,
Do not fear to do or dare;
If you want a field of labor,
You can find it anywhere.

—S. M. Grannis.

The Marrow from the Bone.

Thoreau, the New England philosopher of nature, says that the winter is like a bone thrown to a dog, cold, and hard and meatless All he can hope to get from it is the marrow. But the marrow is so rich and sweet that he is satisfied. The winter usually comes to us bare and cold, without any external good. But there is a marrow worth a hard struggle to secure. There is the comfort and happiness of the fireside. There is the help given to the young students at their books. There are the pleasures of reading, and there are all the profits of quiet reflection and seeking atter better things. Let us be sure to get the marrow out of the winter's bone.—The Central Presbyterian.

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A Tonic for Mothers.

The happiness that comes to a house with baby's advent is too frequently shadowed by the ill-health or weakness of the mother. To restore the mother's strength, to bring back vigor and energy, and to sustain her during the nursing period, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is undoubtedly the most effective preparation obtainable. It makes the blood rich, revitalizes the nerves, and has a wonderful restorative influence on the whole system. 50 cents a box, all dealers.

Hard times breeds one class of sinners and prosperity breeds another.

An Honorable Medicine

That appeals to the best judgment of the best people is Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the greatest prescription of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous Recipe Book author. By acting directly and specifically on the liver, kidneys and bowels, this popular family medicine thoroughly cures liver complaint, biliousness, kidney disease, constipation and the accompanying pains and aches. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills act promptly, pleasantly and naturally. One pill is a dose, 25 cents a box

A man isn't necessarily a gardener because he is able to remove a widow's weeds.

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The only safe bet on record—the alphabet.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

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People who drop hints never stop to pick them up.

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Regret not the past, let the dead past act as its own undertaker.

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Never violate a faith, desert a friend or leave a woman in an ill-rumor.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuin Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

An old bachelor says the happiest age of women is marriage.

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Dr. Chase's Ointment

THE EXAMINER CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER.

MOON'S CHANGES

Full Moon, 6th, 2h, 50m, a. m.
Last Quarter, 13th, 2h, 56m, p.m
New Moon, 21st, 4h, 13m, p. m..
First Quarter, 28th, 6h, 0m, p.m

D of M	Day of w'k.	High Wt'r Morn	High Wt'r Af'n.	Sun. Rises	Sun. Sets
1	Saturday	5 27	5 53	7 32	4 9
2	Sunday	6 57	7 24	33	9
3	Monday	8 6	8 34	34	8
4	Tuesday	9 5	9 33	35	8
5	Wednesday	9 39	10 19	36	8
6	Thursday	10 32	11 2	37	8
7	Friday	11 13	11 42	38	8
8	Saturday	11 52	0 20	39	8
9	Sunday	0 27	0 55	40	8
10	Monday	1 12	1 36	41	8
11	Tuesday	2 1	2 24	42	8
12	Wednesday	2 28	2 59	43	9
13	Thursday	3 15	3 36	43	9
14	Friday	4 16	4 37	44	9
15	Saturday	5 21	5 42	45	9
16	Sunday	6 21	6 46	46	10
17	Monday	7 33	7 51	46	10
18	Tuesday	8 19	8 43	47	11
19	Wednesday	9 7	9 33	47	12
20	Thursday	9 58	10 15	47	13
21	Friday	10 50	11 2	48	13
22	Saturday	11 5	11 17	48	14
23	Sunday	11 33	0 0	48	15
24	Monday	11 53	0 20	48	15
25	Tuesday	0 29	0 50	49	16
26	Wednesday	1 2	1 29	49	16
27	Thursday	1 57	2 12	49	17
28	Friday	2 42	3 7	49	18
29	Saturday	4 28	4 54	49	10
30	Sunday	4 52	5 19	49	18
31	Monday	6 23	6 51	7 49	4 29

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