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CHRISTMAS 1917

THIRD YEAR

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NEWS SECTION, PICTURE SECTION.

We Wish You All A
VERY HAPPY CHRISTMAS

THE DETROIT GAZETTE

OUR THIRD CHRISTMAS EDITION

FOR THE THIRD TIME THE
GAZETTE PUBLISHING COMPANY
HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN
PUBLISHING A CHRISTMAS

EDITION, THIS EDITION EXCEEDS,
BY FAR, THE ONE PUBLISHED
IN 1915-16 - IF YOU HAVE
TIME COME IN AND NOTE
THE DIFFERENCE.

GAZETTE PUBLISHING COMPANY



— We Give You —
OUR BEST
— Christmas —
Wishes —

R.R. STEVENS PRESIDENT

The Detroit Weekly Savings Bank

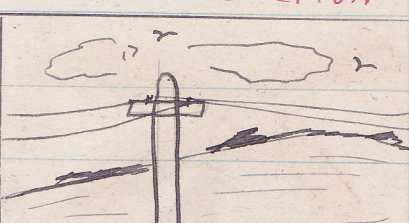
Gazette Office
— Decorated —

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN
MANY YEARS THE GAZETTE
OFFICE HAS BEEN COMPLETELY
DECORATED. R.R. STEVENS OF
THE LIBERTY SIGN COMPANY
HAS FIXED UP THE
ROOM IN ACCORDANCE
WITH THE CHRISTMAS
SEASON. Call AND See.



— MERRY —
— Christmas —
The Liberty Sign Company

— NOTICE —
See Page 12. AN IMPORT-
ANT ANNOUNCEMENT.
PAGE 10-11. ORIGINAL
COMIC SECTION



SKIP STOPS START

By ORDER OF THE UNITED STATES FUEL ADMINISTRATION

THE SKIP STOP PLAN OF WAS RESUMED.

CAR SERVICE. FOR THE

LAST FEW WEEKS THE

CAR RIDERS — HAVE BEEN

FORCED TO CONTEND WITH

THE VERY WORST KIND OF

SERVICE, THE SKIP STOP

PLAN WAS STOPPED BY

THE COMMON COUNCIL

AND THIS ACT MET WITH

GENERAL DISAPPROVAL ON

THE PART OF THE PEOPLE

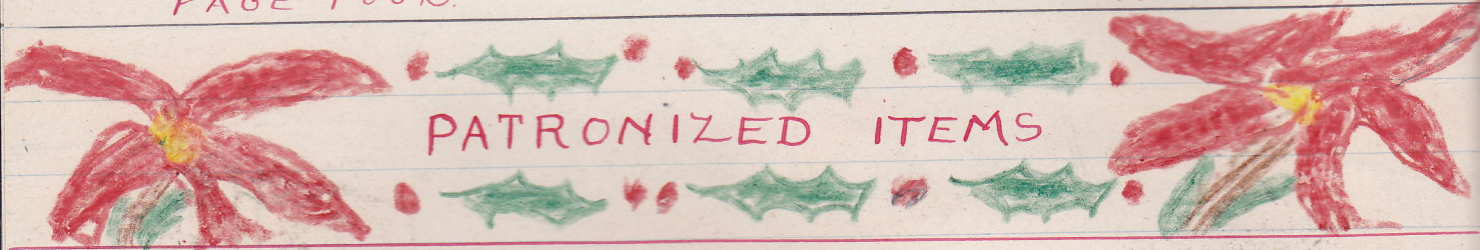
LET'S HOPE FOR BETTER SERVICE NOW

AROUND The World.

- APPROXIMATELY 1,500,000 PERSONS RIDE ON THE NEW YORK SUBWAY SYSTEM EVERY DAY.

- FINLAND HAS PROCLAIMED HER INDEPENDENCE AND THE GOVERNMENT IS TAKING MEASURES TO HAVE IT INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED

- A \$2,000,000 SHIPMENT OF PLATINUM RECEIVED AT A PACIFIC COAST PORT FROM RUSSIA WILL PROBABLY BE THE LAST SHIPMENT RECEIVED FROM THAT COUNTRY FOR A LONG TIME.


 PATRONIZED ITEMS

NEWS OF THE WEEK

BY MRS. R. STEVENS

MRS STEVENS & FAMILY

ARE VERY BUSY THESE

DAYS WE ARE ALL

INVITED TO MRS. WALSHES

FOR CHRISTMAS THE

WEATHER IS MILD AND

THE STREETS ARE MUDDY.

AUNTY IS BUSY GETTING

HER XMAS PRESENTS

TOGETHER. I AM GLAD TO

SAY THAT WE ARE ALL

WELL AND VERY HAPPY

WISHING THE GAZETTE A

HAPPY XMAS AND A PROSPEROUS

NEW YEAR — Mrs. R. Stevens

CHRISTMAS Wishes

BY MRS. M. McLEOD

CHRISTMAS IS HERE AND

ALL THE LITTLE CHILDREN

AND THE GROWN UPS TOO

WILL BE LOOKING FOR

SANTAS PRESENTS.

I HOPE THAT ALL THE

LITTLE KIDIES WILL BE

REMEMBERED WITH CHEERY

PRESENTS AND ^{that} SOME ONE

WILL TELL THEM OF THE

LITTLE BABY IN THE

MANGER, AND OF THE

GOOD MEN THAT BROUGHT

THEM MANY HANDSOME

GIFTS. THAT BROUGHT

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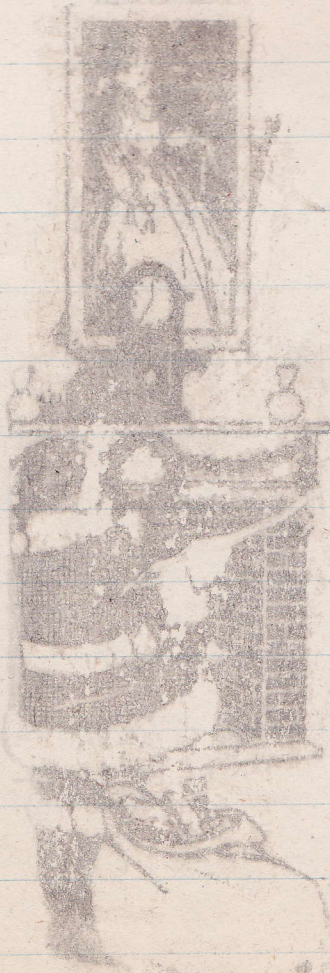
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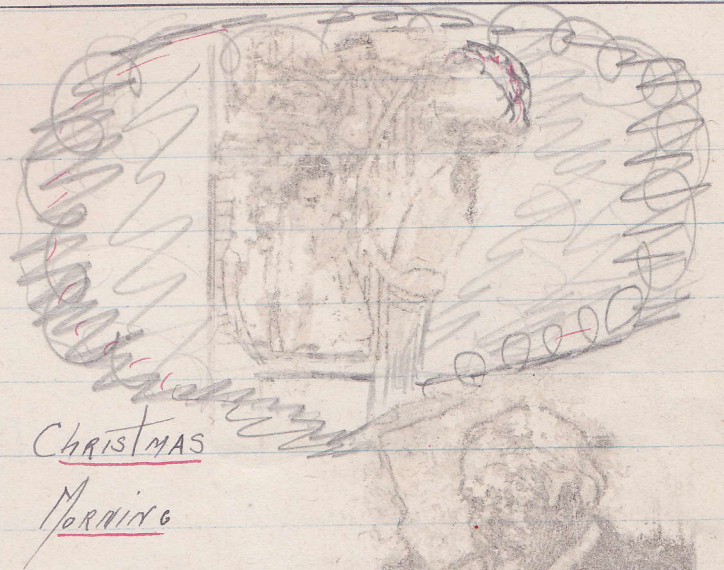
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CHRISTMAS

MORNING

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BY

R. R.

Stevens.




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ABOUT THE CHRISTMAS THAT WE CELEBRATE
TODAY IN REMEMBRANCE OF HIS BIRTHDAY
THAT BROUGHT JOY TO ALL AND GOOD WILL
TOWARD MEN. HOPING THAT YOU WILL HAVE
YOUR SHARE OF THE GOODIES, AND THAT
SANTA WILL CALL ON YOU.

Mrs. M. McLeod.

CHRISTMAS AT HOME IN NOVA SCOTIA. BY MISS M. SMITH

 CHRISTMAS IN NOVA SCOTIA IS KEPT SOMETHING LIKE
THAT IN NEW ENGLAND. USUALLY THERE IS SNOW
ON THE GROUND MAKEING IT SEEM MORE
LIKE CHRISTMAS. EVERY ONE IS EAGER TO
KNOW WHAT SANTA WILL BRING AND THE
STOCKINGS ARE HUNG BY THE CHIMNEY
CHRISTMAS EVE. IN THE MORNING A FIRE
IS STARTED IN THE FIRE PLACE.

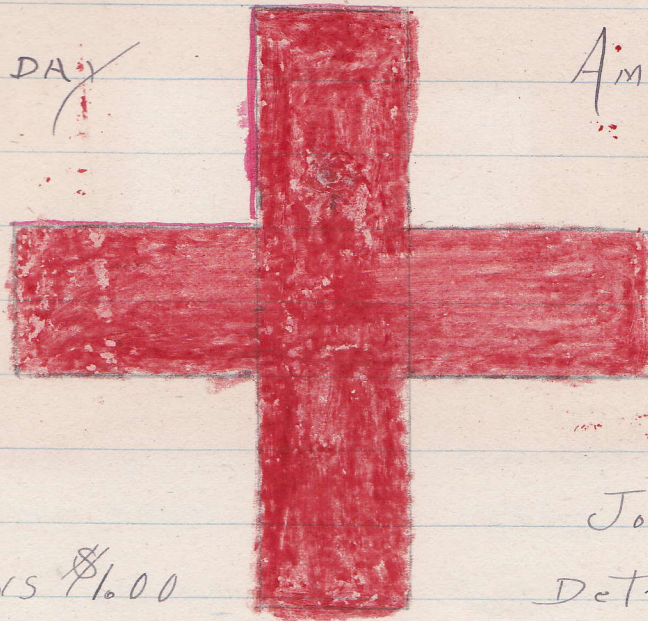
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JOIN TO-DAY

AMERICAN
RED
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MILLION
MEMBERS
BY XMAS



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JOIN AT THE
DETROIT WEEKLY SAVINGS
BANK

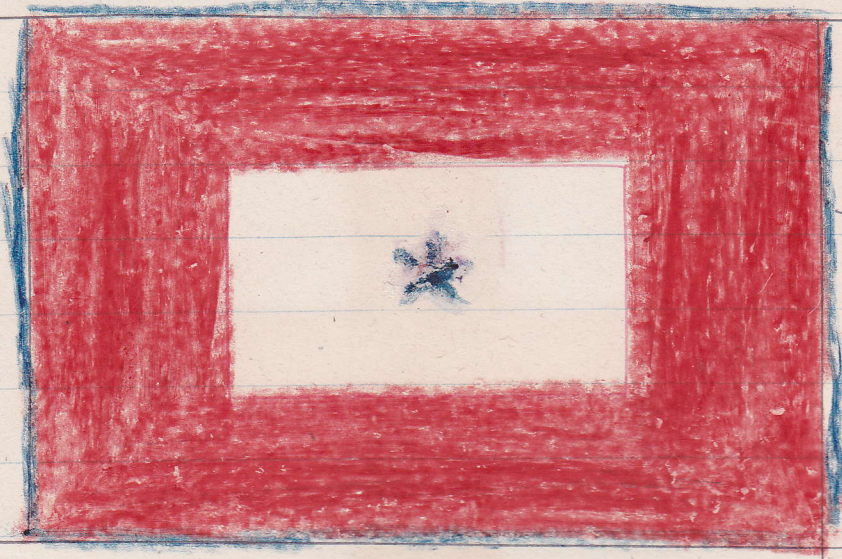
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Detroit's Best

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FIRST
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IN
OUR
SERVICE FLAG



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JUST WHY THAT STORY
DID NOT APPEAR?

EVERYTHING WAS ASTIR,
IN THE PRINTING OFFICE
AND THE EDITOR WAS
PLANING THE BIG XMAS
EDITION. "WE OUGHT TO
HAVE A GOOD STORY,"
HE SAID, AND THE WORK
WENT ON AT LAST THE
EDITOR PICKED UP

A COPY OF THE DETROIT
JOURNAL AND READ
THIS LITTLE RHYME,

TO WRITE A XMAS STORY
YOU NEED NOT FUSS OR
FLURY,

JUST WRITE A COMMON
STORY AND DATE IT
DECEMBER 25TH

THE STORY WILL BE SAVED
IT WAS A FEBURARY STORY
Read it in the FIRST FEB. Edition

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A LETTER FROM RUSSIA

PATRONIZED BY ROBERT STEVENS EDITORIAL STAFF
THESE EFFECTS FROM A LETTER RECEIVED FROM RUSSIA.

SINCE THE RUSSIAN REPUBLIC WAS FORMED AMERICAN
NEWS PAPERS HAVE BEEN FILLED WITH BLOOD THIRSTY
STORIES OF THE TERRIBLE STRIFE IN RUSSIA.

THERE HAS OF COURSE BEEN A GREAT DEAL OF
TROUBLE ^{CAUSED} BY RADICAL LEADERS, BUT RUSSIA IS

NOT TOTALLY UPSET. THERE IS A GREAT DEAL OF
POLITICAL TROUBLE THAT EVERY NEW REPUBLIC HAS

TO FACE, BUT THE BUSINESS AND LABOR SIDE IS
WORKING FINE, AND EVERYTHING IS BOOMING.

COMMON LABOR RECEIVES \$8 A DAY AND SKILLED
MEN GET MUCH MORE. EVERYTHING IS PRACTICALLY
RUN BY THE GOVERNMENT, RUSSIA IS IN NEED OF
MACHINERY AND U.S. MAY GET BIG ORDERS.

THE PEOPLE ARE TOO BUSY TO NOTICE THE WAR
BUT THERE WILL BE NO PEACE WITH GERMANY

RUSSIA IS BUSY - COUNTS + COUNTSSES ARE NO MORE

PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE RUNNING FULL FORCE. RUSSIA IS A WONDER
REPUBLIC.

COMIC
SECTION

THE DETROIT GAZETTE — PAGE TEN

OH! JOY!

A FULL PAGE OF FUNNIES
IN THE GAZETTE FOR 1918

SNOOKUMS AND THE
NEWLY WEDS
— IN EVERY EDITION —

Comic Section Comic Stories Page 10.

NOTE — We have been successful in obtaining
a number of good comic stories this is
one of them — WATCH FOR OTHERS

She —: MR. HOOVER SAYS THAT IT'S MUCH
HEALTHIER TO EAT FRUIT WITH THE SKIN ON IT
INSTEAD OF PEELING.

He —: Huh! I'D LIKE TO PUT HIM ON A
DIET OF PINEAPPLES FOR ABOUT A WEEK

Watch The GROWTH OF EVERY SECTION
Comic, Story, News,



MERRY
CHRISTMAS



HAPPY
NEW YEAR



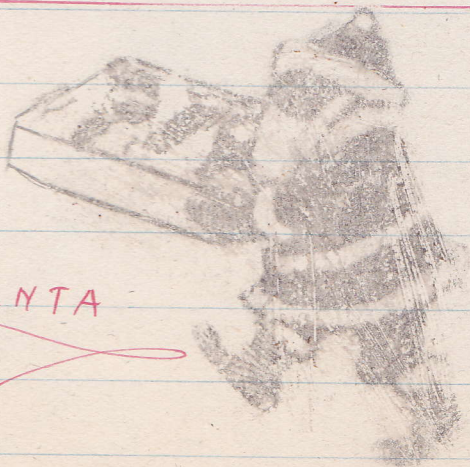
MAY SANTA
STOCKING

FILL YOUR
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RING OUT
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Christmas Bells



SANTA



CHRISTMAS

MORNING

by
P. Steep

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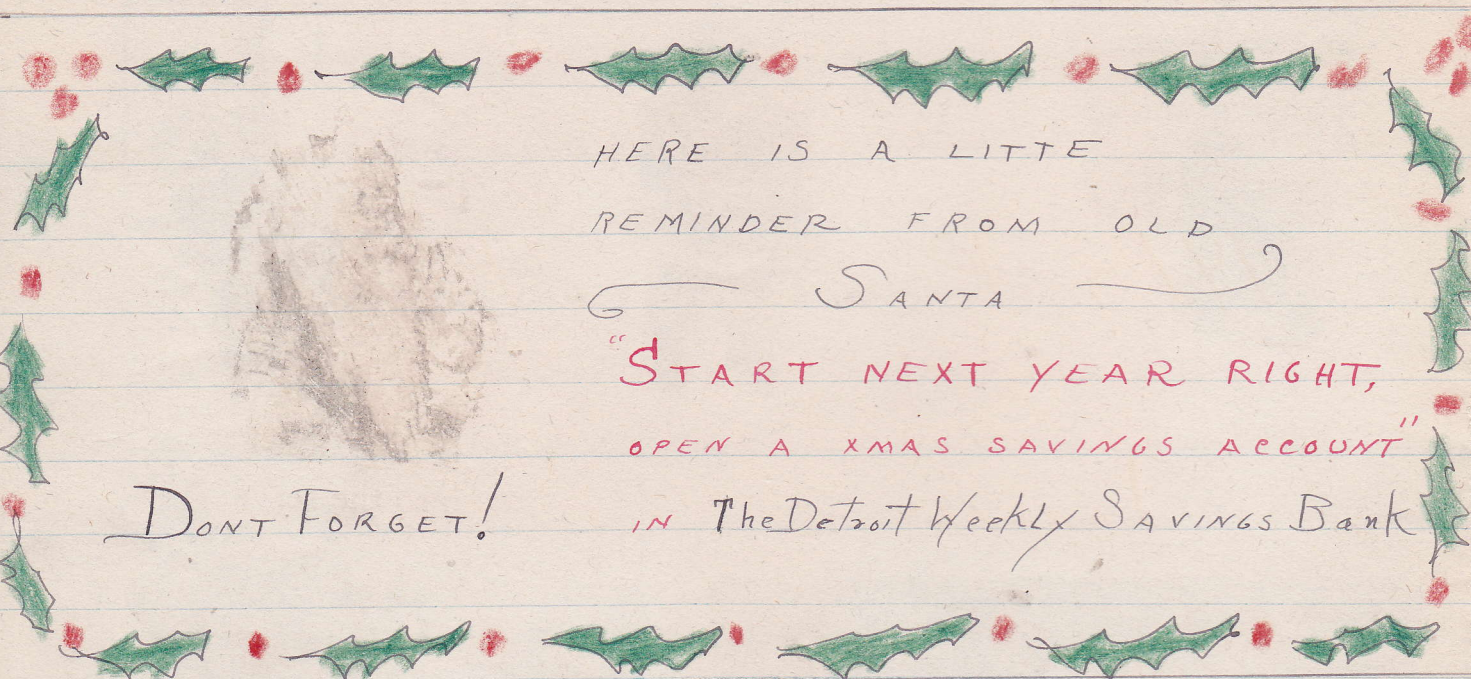
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HERE IS A LITTLE
REMINDER FROM OLD

SANTA

"START NEXT YEAR RIGHT,
OPEN A XMAS SAVINGS ACCOUNT"

DONT FORGET!

IN The Detroit Weekly Savings Bank

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THEN EVERY IS ON THE STIRE AND THE PRESENTS
ARE GIVEN, AND THE EXCITEMENT IS ALL OVER
THE BREAKFAST IS EATEN AND NO ONE IS VERY
HUNGRY FOR THEY ARE WAITING FOR THE
GRAND DINNER THAT IS TO COME AFTER BREAK
FAST THE COOK IS BUSY PREPAINING THE
DINER WHICH CONSISTS IF CHICKEN, DUCK OR
GOOSE, CRAMBERRY SAUSE Continued on Page. 14.

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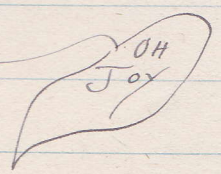
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Vegetables, PLUMB PUDDING HOME MADE CANDIES,
APPLES AND SOMETIMES MAPLE SUGAR

AFTER DINNER IS SPENT IN THE OPEN
ON THE PONDS THERE ARE MANY SKATERS
AND IF THER IS MUCH SNOW OTHER WYTER
SPORTS ARE ENJOYED WHEN IT GROWS DARK

A SUPPER CONSISTING OF CAKE, DOUGHNUTS, AND
HOME CANNED FRUITS. ^{IS EATEN} AFTER SUPPER THE

CHRISTMAS TREE IS LIGHTED UP, AND EVERY
ONE JOINS THE SINGING ^{AFTER WHICH} EVERY ONE
GATHERS AROUND THE FIRE PLACE.

The End

MOVIE NOTES. NEXT BILLY FARNUM COMES ROBUSTLY
FORTH AS Jean Valjean

COMING, THE BIG MOTION PICTURE EXPOSITION WILL
BE HELD FEB. 2 TO 10TH 1918 IN NEW YORK, GOING?

See MARY PICKFORD IN THE LITTLE PRINCESS

AT THE DAWN FEB. — 1918