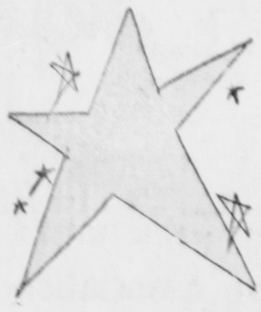
May the New Year Bring Peace to the World

At the present time we wish all our friends a Very Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

The H.S. Wallace Co.
and Staff



With a hearty wish
For Xmas cheer.
Good health and happiness
Through the year.

Annette's Ladies' Wear and The Style Shoppe

Grand Cafe

Merry Christmas to All Our Customers and Friends

SPECIAL

85c - CHRISTMAS DINNER - 85c

Oyster Cocktail or Fruit Cocktail

SOUP
Cream of Tomato or Chicken and Rice
Boiled Halibut and Cream Sauce
Relishes: Celery Heart, Queen Olive
Combination Salad

DINNER
Stuffed Young Turkey and Cranberry Sauce
Stuffed Goose with Apple Sauce

VEGETABLES
Fresh Green Peas or Brussel Sprouts
Baked or Mashed Potatoes

DESSERT
Steamed English Plum Pudding
with Hard Sauce or Hot Mince Pie
Ice Cream

Fresh Fruits and Christmas Cake and Mixed Nuts

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An Echo of the First Christmas

Within the Temple Court the eastern sun
Cast, like a shaft of gold, upon the wall
Its parting ray, or e'er the day was done:
And evening shadows gathering like a pall
Grew deeper still.

A solemn hush lay brooding over all,
When, sudden, from the shadow's dark retreat,
Is heard a voice, and, answering the call,
Hastes Nathan in, the shepherd lad, to greet
The kindly scibe.

For at the Levite's feet he oft had learned
God's law to know, and David's psalms to sing:
And patriot zeal within his heart had burned
At thought of their great Hope—Messiah, King,
Who was to come.

'O Bethlehem, that in Judah art not least,
Rejoice, for out of thee shall come a king—
Israel to rule'—so spake the Hebrew priest,
Old Levi, to the boy who, listening,
Seemed lost in thought.

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Long years had passed, and Nathan, older grown,
Still held the promises of God were sure;
While through the watches of the night so lone,
On Judah's hills his sheep he kept secure,
Within the fold.

While his companions slept, how oft the prayer
Throbbed in his heart, 'Come, O Emmanuel, come.'
'What if He came tonight?'—so mused he there,
When—suddenly—with terror stricken dumb—
He fell to earth.

For o'er the hills so calm and still, a light
Unearthly in its radiant glory shone;
And, lo, the angel of the Lord, all bright
In Heavenly beauty stood, and looked upon
The shepherd band.

Oh, sore afraid the shepherds were, but he
With tidings of great joy dispelled their fears.
'In David's town the Saviour ye shall see;
For Christ the Lord in human flesh appears,
The World to save.'

So spake he—when, with great triumphant shout,
And angel chorus filled the air with song:
'All glory be to God on high,' rang out
In notes sublime; 'Goodwill all men among—
And peace on earth.'

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And as the Heavenly music fainter grew,
The Good News given, the angel chorus passed—
Their glory fading—from the shepherds' view,
Who, filled with joy and wonder, knew—at last
Messiah had come.

Then fell a reverent silence on them all,
Till, filled with thoughts of boyhood's Temple-days,
Spake Nathan, 'Now most clear do I recall
How say the prophets, —God a King will raise
From David's town.'

'To Bethlehem let us hasten, then, to find
The Christ who hath been born'—and at His word
They followed Him, nor stayed their flocks to mind,
And to the city came, and found their Lord,
So long foretold.

No stately palace-dome loomed o'er His head;
No courtly throng before Him bent the knee;
But in a stable rude He made His Bed:
Within a manger—in humility—
The Christ Child lay.

What joy and rapture filled each wondering mind,
As at His feet the shepherds humbly bowed:
Thee, as their way they went, their flocks to find
The Good News oft they told, and sang aloud
Jehovah's praise.

'Oh, that Ben Levi had been withous then!
Would that he but had seen this glorious night'—
Beat in the heart of Nathan, as again
His flock he tended while the stars shone bright
O'er Judah's hills.

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Once more, upon the Temple Court, the night
Had fallen, and within his lowly room,
Upon his couch, old Levi lay, his sight
Fast failing, while towards the silent tomb
His feet drew nigh.

Faint and more faint became his labouring breath,
When, sudden, as though listening to a call,
Himself he raised upon the couch of death,
And on his raptured face there seemed to fall
A sweet content.

Then low the anxious watchers o'er him bent
To catch his dying words ere life should cease;
And from his lips there fell in voice nigh spent,
'Glory to God'—'Goodwill to men,' and 'Peace.'
'Messiah has come.'

For he, with childlike heart and quickened sense,
Had caught the echo of the angels' song,
And with its music in his soul passed hence
His voice to join with the triumphant throng
Before the throne.

Ah! In these days of mad, discordant strife,
When passions rule, and duty is forgot;
With sordid pleasures jaded, with sin rife,
The wearied race, befouled with greed's dark blot,
Seeks ever Peace.

O friend, be not cast-down, though dark thy way;
Shall we not find the Peace we've sought so long?
For childlike heart and quickened sense, then, pray;
And catch the echo of the Angels' song
This Christmas morn.

—G. R. S. BLACKABY.

The thrill of Christmas

The spirit of Christmas is conveyed in the charm and individuality of little gifts and happy thoughts.

Let us convey to you happy thoughts this Christmastide.

Mrs. H. S. Parker

The Exclusive Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

May We All Attain:

A little more happiness,
A little more faith,
A little more joy

—in this strife - torn world—is the wish of

Gordon's Hardware

for the Coming Christmas Season

Our Best Wishes for a
Merry Christmas
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Happy New Year

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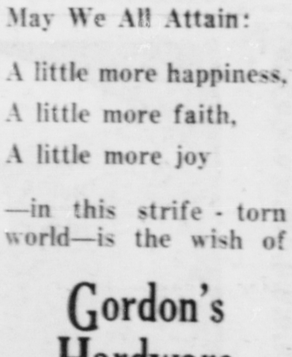

No matter what happens, may you enjoy the Christmas holiday. Even should there be a blackout, let the darkness not extend beyond the walls of your home.

Be Happy, Be Jolly
Keep Alive.

GORDON & ANDERSON

We are grateful for this opportunity to wish our Customers and Friends the finest Christmas Season you have ever experienced . . . and we hope the year to come will bring you success, good health and happiness.

The Staff and Management of

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Wishing You All a
Merry Christmas
and a
Happy New Year

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We Wish All Our Numerous Customers and Friends

A Joyous Christmas

and a Prosperous and Happy New Year.

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There's just another week before the end of 1941, so make the most of the holiday season that is about to begin. May it be as merry as you can make it.

John Bulger Ltd.

VALENTIN'S DAIRY

Wishes All Customers and Friends a Very

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