

Merry Christmas



It won't be a very merry Christmas for these Germans. The photo just arrived from Berlin.

CHURCHES SEEK BUSY MEN
 (Special Dec. 24.)—In order to attract business men to the churches, the churches are having services every morning and evening. The Lord's supper is served every Saturday night because of the tendency of the city population to spend Sundays in the country.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS
Gallop & Toxey

HUGHES KNIGHT
OF ROUND TABLE

Secretary of State Admitted to Organization Which Limits Membership to Hundred and Twenty-eight.

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 24.—Secretary of State Charles Evans Hughes has been made the third honorary knight of the round table. It is announced here by J. A. McDonald, secretary of the international board of Loyal Knights of the Round Table. Membership in the Honorary Knights is limited to 128 throughout the world, in imitation of the number said to have made up the ancient round table of King Arthur. The Loyal Knights of the Round Table is a luncheon-service club similar to Rotary; it emphasizes loyal performance of the responsibilities of citizenship, and a co-operative spirit in each community. The Loyal Knights appoint the honorary knights, a tribute conferred only in recognition of exceptional service to humanity. The first two to be elevated to the knighthood were Thomas A. Edison and Luther Burbank. Then Mr. Hughes was chosen, for constructive service in the field of statesmanship. In his acceptance, Secretary Hughes wrote: "The honor is highly appreciated, and in view of the sentiments which animate the organization as a non-political, non-sectarian, friendship club, devoted to loyal co-operative living, and in view of the emphasis placed upon the loyal service of citizens in the performance of public duty, it gives me much pleasure to accept."

hoff, former captain in the Imperial Russian army. This is the seventh state in which Captain Korloff has worked as a lumber jack to obtain information which he expects to take back to Russia in order to teach American forestry methods to his countrymen.

Korloff, who is graduate of the Imperial Forestry School at Petrograd and who received a master's degree from the University of Washington last year, now is working under the auspices of the school of forestry of Yale University.

Born in Siberia 32 years ago, Captain Korloff spent five years in the Russian army, during which time he served against the Germans in the Riga campaign.

RUMANIA AND RUSSIA
BEGIN NEGOTIATIONS

Bucharest, Dec. 24.—Much interest is being manifested here in the negotiations at Tiraspol between Rumanian and Russian commissions, which are endeavoring to reach an agreement on a commercial treaty between the two countries. It is semi-officially declared here that the negotiations will be confined strictly to trade matters and will not extend to any political arrangements which the Russian negotiators may propose.

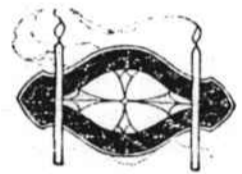
The work of the commissions is somewhat simplified because of the recent minimization of the Red Russian campaign for the maintenance of the Bessarabian issue as an open question. From the highest quarters it is intimated that Rumania regards the province ceded to it under the terms of the armistice with Soviet Russia as definitely Rumanian, never to be ceded back to Soviet Russia.

Big cement company went broke in New York. Let this be a concrete example of bad management.



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R. L. Garrett



In time of Christmas folly
 And candles' mellow light
 May thy hearth be jolly
 And every prospect bright

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N. HOWARD SMITH,
 General Manager

WINFALL NEWS

Winfall, Dec. 22.—Mrs. G. L. Goolsbee spent Monday in Elizabeth City shopping.
 Miss Dona White and Mrs. W. L. Jessup spent Thursday in Elizabeth City shopping.
 Miss Clarine White returned home last night after spending a few days in Hertford.
 The new preacher, Rev. M. Stanford and family have just arrived to take charge of Perquimans circuit.
 Mrs. W. F. Morgan was taken to a doctor this morning to have a gash sewed up in her forehead, caused by running against the sharp edge of the house.
 Tom White and family were in Elizabeth City Wednesday on business.
 Misses Dona White and Myrtle Umhlettt have just returned from Norfolk after a short visit to friends and relatives.
 Miss Alice Jones has just returned from school at Banner Elk, to spend the winter.
 Mrs. W. L. Love and family, and Mrs. C. G. Kocher spent Tuesday in Elizabeth City shopping.
 Wesley Hardie, clerk at Pine-Tar Inn, near Winfall, was shooting a roman candle and sparks flew in the window and set lots of fireworks on fire on Tuesday night. The amount of the loss is not yet known.
 J. H. Baker was in Hertford on business yesterday.

RUSSIAN STUDIES METHODS
OF AMERICAN LUMBERING

Big Bay, Mich., Dec. 24.—Firing donkey engines, working on skidways and swinging an ax in the snow-covered timber regions of Northern Michigan is part of the work now being done by A. M. Kor-

CHRISTMAS
WISHES

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