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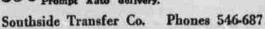
MERRY CHRISTMAS

and a full enjoyment of the Season, is our best wish for you.

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BAGGAGE TRANSFER





TYPES



Demonstration.

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Kathie's heart was as pure and cold as the complexion cream she demon-strated at Lacy's. There was that about her alcofness that made even about her alcoiness that made even the floorwalker know it would be a waste of time to invite her to Coney Island any holiday afternoon. When near-champien bokers, or traveling salesmen, or even Officer O'Grady let sentiment most disheartening. She confined her recreation enthusiasms to frankfurter sandwiches and salt water chewing taffy. Dark tunnels of the Honey Moon Express and the equally inky and more languorous passage through Cupid's Gondola Waterway bored her. The Modern and Ruthless Order of Amaigamated Taxi Pilots would have made her an honorary member of their tribe if they had ever seen her box O'Grady's ears.

The cammayer's rose tint blush powder.

The cosmetic demonstrator, while untouched by love, sometimes had thoughts of matrimony. She knew that the years of a demonstrator of beauty lotions must be brief. Every morning she peered into her mirror for signs around the eyes that would indicate the approach of the time when she would be asked to display patent box couches or egg beaters or the drum
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as imposing as the outfit of a major general at a wedding.

O'Grady's warm smile made old workmen stop in the center of the

workmen stop in the center of the street to tell him he reminded them of their own little Willie who died at eight years from eating patent medi-cine samples such as used to be left in the letterboxes free of charge before the government put a stop to such things. He had only to pull any reader of Bob Chambers from before a Fifth avenue bus to make her dream that she was an outcast princess about to be restored to her throne in the

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Stop "dosing" Rheumatism.

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city hall by an army of bluecoats; girl moved retreatingly around the city hall by an army of bluecoatst girl moved retreatingly around the hended by her rescuer. Even feminine commuters from Long Island City, gazing upon him, picked up enough spirit to look in the glass and wonder if bauting or a diet of lemon skins would do them any good.

But Kathle seemed to resist his charm without a struggle. He tried periment a little and find—find ou if—lity ou know any fellow you'd—lity ou know any fellow you'd—

calling on her in his uniform and in if—if you know any fellow you'd—plain clothes, but she treated him you'd like to have kiss you every just as if he were the floorwalker or day."

patent box couches or egg beaters or the knife that enables even a bride to peal potatoes in thirty-nine difference in the control of the couches of the cou

ent ways. with In other parts of Lacy's were other lips. nailed fast or frozen down. Even old ladies with many chins and daughters married into the peerage have leaned over the side of their limousines to observe that not all Irishmen are squat from carrying a hod or a pick.

Jock Francis O'Grady was one of the fresh-faced young giants who wither chauffeurs and footmen alike put their lifted finger and who make.

can't I get silly and sentimental like other girls?" she complained.

One night she decided to take her suitor into her confidence. But the floor walker, when he called, told stories of other conquests in a mistatories of other conquests of other taken hope that he might arouse her jealousy. The next night the drummer tried to "sell himself" by dwelling on his salary and fondness for restaurant life and the clothes and shows could enjoy. On the third night John again.
O'Grady sat tongue tied and miserable in the little boarding-house par"I als lor. Kathle had donned a soft white waist which made him think of the

walst which made him think of the angel's pictures newly painted above the main alter in the home church.

"It's fine weather," he said three times in five minutes before Kathie decided to help him out."

"John O'Grady," she said sternly, "I want you to put me wise to something. I have never fallen in love in my life and I suppose it is all because I haven't been able to get next to the dope."

"All GEGIOCK IAW

to the dope."
"Dope?" O'Grady's eyes were round and blue and his mouth opened rather helplessly

Policeman O'Grady scratched the back of his neck. The gas sputtered and the cotton lace curtain blew

You-you oughta experiment a little and find-find out if-if you know any fellow you'd-

nad ever seen her box O'Grady's ears. or the knife that enables even a bride.

The heart that does not go out to to peal potatoes in thirty-nine differance traffic officer is either nailed fast or frozen dome. The heart ways.

"That," said John Frances husk

"Yes," breathed Kathle.

"I'm only a born dub, Kathie, but if you liked that one just a little bit," mumbled the big policeman awkward-ly, "you might let me—kiss you—once in a while so you could get used to it —gradual. I'm thinkin' that if you could, you'd be learnin' to like me in

and she trembled like a nervous child on the brick of a confession.

"Why, Jawn," she gulped, smiling faintly, "why, Jawn—I'm thinking it

After some minutes Kathie spoke again. Her voice was remote and

"I always said, dear," she observed, "that it was better to push a new line of goods with a demonstrator than

Rub pain away with a small trial bottle of old, penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil"

The want to know something about—how people fall in love. You say you—have? Don't you see, I might get the hang of it if you tell me just how it happens."

Tells how to loosen a tender corn so it lifts out without pain.

You reckless men and women who are pestered with corns and who have

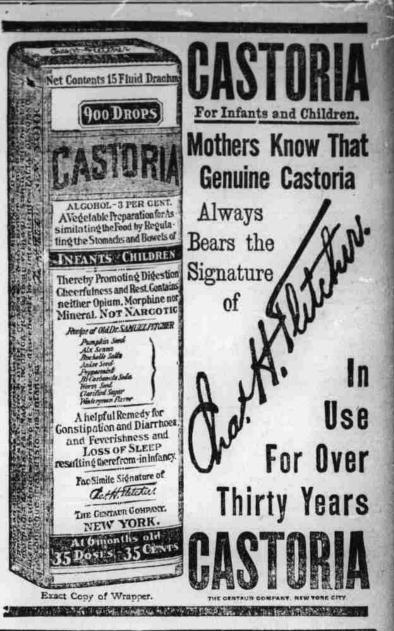
disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and hones; stops sciatica, lumbago, backache and neuralgia.

Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Oll" from any drug store, and in a more ment, you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.

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