

How a Faithful Dog Lead the Way to Her Rescue.

So her mother bought her a little red-and-white basket in which to carry her dinner, for the distance was so great she could not come home at noon.

Everything went nicely for two or three weeks. Rosamond liked her school even better than the blacksmith's shop. Every morning she took her little red-and-white basket, and tramped along through the woods to the schoolhouse, and every morning her dear old doggie, Sam, went with her as far as the schoolhouse door, and then ran home to take care of the house and shop.

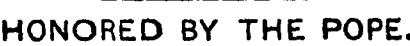
The father did not know what to make of it, as he had never seen Sam act so before. But he thought he would talk that way and see what it meant. They went on and on, for a long way, Sam smelling sharply all along the path. All at once he sprang ahead of his master with a loud "bow-wow," which seemed to say "found her," and dashed behind a large oak tree.

Rosamond never took that way again to go to school, but kept straight along the well-beaten road, although it was farther than the way through the wood! -- E. B. H., in *Our Little Men and Women*.

Both Regimes in Public Schools.
Boston is to have a new public school named after Paul Revere, which will cost, including the site, about \$50,000. The building will be in light pink granite, gray, red and white brick and terra cotta, and will contain public bathing facilities for the children. The northeast corner of the basement is set aside for the girls' bathing room, containing dressing compartments, bathing compartments, while the northwest corner is to be fitted up with lockers, dressing and bath rooms for the boys. Each bathing compartment for the girls' side contains a Gengenstroom shower bath, with a seat and a mirror. The boys' bath room is separated by curtains from the general dressing room, and contains eleven Gengenstroom showers ranged around the walls.—Buffalo News.

I'm 29, George. How much did you
e the preacher?"—Chicago Tri-
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Twas the night before Christmas, and
 through the lanes
 Not a creature was stirring, not even a
 mouse.
 The stockings were hung by the chimney
 with care,
 In the hope that St. Nicholas soon
 would come there
 The children were quiet all night long
 Their good wishes
 While visions of sugar-plums danced
 in their heads;
 And mamma in her 'kitchen' and I
 Had just settled our heads for a long
 winter's nap.
 When out on the lawn there arose much
 clatter,
 I sprang from the bed to see what was
 the matter;
 Down the window I saw like a flash
 Three open shutters and three like a flash
 The moon on the breast of the new fallen
 snow,
 Gave lustre of her bright and happy
 eyes to the
 snow.
 When what to my wondering eyes should
 appear,
 But a miniature sleigh and eight tiny
 reindeer,
 With a little old driver, so busy and
 quick.
 I knew in a moment it must be St. Nick.
 More rapid than eagles his coursers they
 came,
 And he whistled, and shouted, and called
 them by name:
 Now *Dasher*! now *Dancer*! now, *Prancer*!
 and *Vixen*!
 On, *Comet* on, *Cupid* on, *Dunder* and
Buzz!
 To the top of the porch! To the top of
 the wall!
 Now *Dasher*! now *Dancer*! Dash away!
 Dash away all!
 As dry leaves that before the wild
 wind
 When they meet with an oncoming bank
 To the sky,
 So up to the housetops the corners they
 flew.



With a splash out of town, and a
And then in a twinkling I was on the
roof
The grating and padding of my feet
As I drew in my head and was
around.
Down to the salooner St. William's
with a bound.
He was dressed all in fur from his head
to his feet,
And his clothes were all tarnished with
ashes and soot;
A bundle of eels he had swung at his
side,
And he looked like a paddling post up
his nose;
His hands were like twine, his cheeks
like snow,
His merry laugh shook his great
head;
His cheeks were like roses, his lips
like
His drooping lips mouth was drawn up
like
a bow.
And the beard of his chin was as white
as the
snow;
The stump of a pipe he held tight in his
teeth,
And the smoke it produced he drew
with a
wreath;
He had a broad face and a little
nose;
That night when he laughed like a
bell,
He said "oh my, and a pair of
old air,
And I laughed when I saw him
and
of myself;
And he said "oh my, and a pair of
soon were we to know I had
dread;
He stood out a week, but went
to his work,
And fitted all the stockade
with a
And having done his work
And giving a nip at
nose;
He went to the water, and he
a while,
And away they all flew like
of sight,
But I heard him exclaim as
Merry Christmas to all and
to each a happy New Year!"

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—Prof. John M. Truesdell.

POULTRY YARD NOTES

huck where it a few miles
nearer.

Game and ducks mostly
gathered before killing.

Large hatched turkeys are over
free range earlier than the
hatched.

When the hens stop laying a lot
of food will often start them to
again.

Dampness and lice are the great
moralizers among all kinds of
country.

When there is no other food
the chickens will eat their own
eggs, usually.

The laying of eggs is
pretty good in the country
the good.

The best plan is to have
country to cover it, and
from the start.

If there are any other
good time to all things
and laying.

A little hatching
will help the country
early in the season.

If you have a lot of
a good lot of eggs
drains in the country
it is a good thing to
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