



MARY AND THE INFANT JESUS.

CHRISTMAS AMONG  
MICHIGAN WOODSMEN

BY HOWARD LYONS HACKETT.  
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add a beautiful and weird aspect to the scene. At sunrise all the men, women and children arrived in their best, assembled at a pre-arranged spot and form a large circle. The women generally in plain, wadded garments and the men in high topped spikes shoes and dark flannel shirts.

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The fruit it bears what art can show! All kinds of sweets and wondrous toys How can a tree so truly know What gifts to bring for girls and boys For old and young its branches bend Beneath their burdens of delight With gifts and trinkets without end To cheer the heart and glad the sigh

Corpus Christi.  
The Holy Name Society will receive holy communion in a body on Sunday at the 7 o'clock mass. In the evening Rev. Dr. Hanna will deliver an address before the Holy Name Society.

Weekly Church Calendar  
Sunday 18 - Expectation of B. V. M.  
Monday 19 - St. Nemes  
Tuesday 20 - St. Eugene  
Wednesday 21 - St. Thomas Ap.  
Thursday 22 - St. Zeno  
Friday 23 - St. Victoria  
Saturday 24 - Adam and Eve

The Temple.  
Next week the Temple offers this good bill as usual: Elsie Fay "The Belle of Avenue A", Schichtl's Marionettes, the greatest automation act ever produced on this side of the Atlantic, Charles F. Seamon, "The Narrow Feller," Madden & Fitzpatrick, in a playlet called "The Turn of the Tide," George B. Reno & Co., in a roaring comedy, called "The Misfit Army," Melnotte Twins & Clay Smith in a bright and snappy singing, talking and dancing act; Lew Hawkins, "The Chesterfield of Minstrelsy," Four Sensational Boises casting act and the Mooreoscope pictures best in town.

IN MEMORIAM

Resolutions of sympathy of members of Council 40, C. R. & B. A.  
Whereas God in His infinite wisdom has called unto himself another of our members, Mary Elizabeth Adams.  
Resolved, that our council extend to the bereaved husband our heartfelt sympathy.  
Resolved, that our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, that a copy of these resolutions be published in the Catholic Journal and also placed on Council records.

George Dohm  
Signed: Wm. H. Gallagher  
Mrs. Jos. Hicks  
Committee

A Stitch of Pain.  
A stitch is a sharp, spasmodic pain in the muscles of the side like the piercing of a needle and is very apt to be produced if exercise is taken immediately after a hearty meal. This arises because the nervous energy necessary for the proper working of the muscles in exercise is engaged in another direction - namely, in assisting the digestion of the food. Anything that interferes with the proper supply of nervous energy required for exercise, whether it be obesity or the process of digestion or exhaustion arising from over exertion, is apt to cause this spasmodic pain.

Adam's Sister.  
The palm tree has always been venerated wherever it grows; in some places it is worshipped. "Honor the palm tree," says a Mohammedan writer, "for she is your father's aunt, for this tree was formed of the remainder of the clay from which Adam was created."  
She knew.  
Farmer Hanks (musingly)—They say the deacon's wife was a paragon before he married her, and—Mrs. Hanks—Nothing of the kind! I know the whole family, and she was a Smith!  
Always.  
Agent—This speedometer will enable you to know how fast you are going. Otto Feend—I don't need one. My bank balance tells me just as well—Life.  
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The Poster.  
The poster may be said to date from 1830, when a design by LeLance was used in France to advertise a book, "Comme Meurent les Femmes." His example was very quickly followed, most of the early designs being printed in black on white or tinted paper. The color poster began about 1860 and attained to the dignity of a high art with Jules Cheret, "the father of the pictured placard." The first English theatrical placard to attract widespread attention was one of Fred Walker's advertising a dramatic version of "The Woman in White." London Chronicle.

A Hurry Call.  
The political boss of a small city drove his buckboard at top speed down the main street on the morning of an election.  
"Hey, Johnnie," he yelled to his son, "git down in the Fourth ward quick! There's people down there votin' and they blame please!"—Success Magazine.  
Those Dear Girls.  
Young Bride—I didn't accept Harry the first time he proposed, Miss Ryval—No, dear; you weren't there.—Boston Transcript.

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