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FOR SALE — Cubinet Battery Radio. Lacy Barnett. 50-1t*

FOR SALE—Car radio in good condition. E. C. Flora. 50-1t*

FOR SALE—First Class Baled Alfalfa Hay. Dan Westfall. 50-2t

FOR SALE—1 ton alfalfa hay. Amanda Fryman, Barterville, Ky. 49-2t*

FOR SALE — Progress Hot-Blast Heating stove, heat 3 to 4 rooms. Used one month. Ira McMillon. Phone 144. 50-1t*

FOR SALE — Two good work horses, will work any place, also farming tools, including cutting harrow good as new, and one sled good as new. Dennie Miller, Blue Lick, Ky. 47-4t*

EZY-DO—Clothes closets. Moth proof, just the thing for storing and protecting your clothes. $7.50. C. R. King 50-1t

FIREWORKS FOR SALE. Caswell's Store. 49-2t*

FOUND—Key Holder with two keys. Owner may have same by calling at Mercury office and paying for this advertisement. 47-tf

The person who took my iron from my home is known. Please return in 3 days if not, will take other necessary steps. Mrs. Spencer Laughlin. 50-1t*

ALADDIN LAMP SHADES — Beautify your Aladdin Lamp and home with a new parchment shade. We have received a few extra shades but will have no more lamps. C. R. King. 50tlt

WANTED — Tenant for 1945 for 100 acres. Five acres tobacco, twenty acres hay, some corn. All tools, garden, and wood furnished. Plenty of barn room. Extra pay for looking after sheep and work done for me. Write or contact Turner Thomas, Walton, Kentucky. 48-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE — All persons having claims against or owing the estate of D. F. Caswell, deceased; are hereby notified to present same properly proven according to law to the undersigned.

Otis and Hinton Caswell, Executors. 49-3t*

Wanted Farm Foreman

Good place for right man. Telephone 680 or write 616 Pleasant street, Paris, Ky. 50-1t

EXECUTRIX NOTICE — All persons having claims against or owing the estate of James H. Fulton, deceased, are hereby notified to present same properly proven according to law to the undersigned. Mrs. Margaret Elwood, Executrix. Roger Womack, Attorney. 50-3t

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There will be no sale at the Farmers Stock yard, December 25th. Due to Christmas holiday. 50-1t*

WANT TO RENT—Tobacco and Corn Ground on my farm off Cassidy creek. Please write to Nannie Viet, 2832 Aberdeen Ave., Latonia, Ky. 50-1t*

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FARMS FOR SALE

If interested in buying a farm either larger or small in this or adjoining counties, don't fail to see us. Here are a few of our listings:

163 acres, extra good old blue grass land lays well and produces good, has on it an old brick home, two tobacco barns and all other necessary out-buildings, on a good road, priced right. Tobacco base 6 acres.

33 acres, house of five rooms, good tobacco barn and all other necessary outbuildings, on a pretty good road, about ten miles from Carlisle, tobacco base 3 acres. This is a dandy little place and priced to sell.

100 acres, located in Fleming county, farm lays well, with no waste land, with a nice home electricity in house and barns, good size tobacco base, located on a good road and in a good community. You must see this farm to appreciate it. Priced reasonable.

29 acres, short distance off of the road, has a 6-room house, barn are other buildings, plenty of water and all in grass. Priced to sell.

77 acres, five or six miles out of Carlisle, has some of six rooms, good tobacco barn, all other necessary outbuildings, all in grass but five acres, 10 acres of alfalfa, plenty of water and extra good fence, electricity in house and barn. The price is reasonable.

15 acres, located about ten miles from Carlisle, house of six rooms, tobacco barn other necessary outbuildings, all in grass but four acres, tobacco base 4.2 acres, has eight acres of good alfalfa. This is a good producing or grazing farm and the man who buys it is sure to make money.

200 acres, located within about five miles of Carlisle, on good road close to schools and churches and rural route. This farm has two sets of improvements, the home and the tenant house, three barns, with all other improvements, tobacco base 10.6 acres. This farm can be divided with 85 acres in one unit, one set of improvements and 115 acres in the other. This is good tobacco land, also extra grazing farm. The owner has priced it to sell.

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3rd Grade—Billy Tincher, Jimmy Haney, Louise Gilvin and Bessie Hatfield.

5th Grade—Luther Tincher and Ruby Jones.

7th Grade—Louise Vice, Martha Sue Terrell, Allen T. Scott and Paul Tincher.

SAYS BRITISH, SOVIETS, ARE DELAYING VICTORY

The unofficial but authoritative Army and Navy Journal has said that British and Russian preoccupation with objectives other than the defeat of Germany was responsible for Allied failure to achieve expectations in Washington "that the war in Europe would be over" by now.

Continuing on the same track that drew a rebuke from the Soviet newspaper Pravda a week, ago the Journal also said Premier Josef Stalin's policy was encouraging Communist trouble-makers in Europe.

PUBLIC SALE
OF FARMS AND RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY
ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28 AT 10:30 A. M.

We will offer for sale on the premises of Tract No. 1, the farm lands belonging to the heirs of W. C. Clay, Crouch. Each of these farms is well located and in good agricultural community. Their productiveness as to both quantity and quality is comparable to any farm lands in the Blue Grass Region. They are easily accessible to the leading farm markets, convenient to schools and churches. This land has been in the Crouch family for many years, and is in high state of cultivation. The opportunity to buy at auction farm land of this type is not offered very often.

TRACT NO. 1 — Located 1-2 mile east of Carlisle on the Moorefield Road, contains 105 acres fertile blue grass soil and practically all in grass and readily cultivatable; ample water supply and good fencing; tobacco base 5 acres. Improvements consist of 6-room house, large tobacco barn, and all necessary outbuildings All buildings in good repair.

TRACT NO. 2 — Contains 100 acres and is separated from Tract No. 1 by the highway and is known as the Charles Wise farm. This is the same high-type soil as Tract No. 1 and is practically all in grass and ready for cultivation. Adequate water supply and good fencing. Improvements consist of 2.5 large tobacco barns, in good repair. Electricity available; tobacco base 8 1-2 acres.

TRACT NO. 3 — Contains 168 acres and is located 1 mile southeast of East Union and 6 miles south of Carlisle on the Bethel road. All in grass except 14 acres highly productive and all readily cultivatable; adequate water supply; tobacco base seven acres. Improvements consist of a 2-story, 8-room home, tenant house, large tobacco barn, stock barn and all other outbuildings. Supplied with electricity.

These farms will be shown by the selling agents or by Mr. Ferguson who lives on Tract No. 1 and Mr. Dye who lives on Tract No. 3

Possession given on March 1, 1945.

AT 1:30 P. M.

We will offer for sale on the premises located on Hinth street in Barkley addition, Carlisle two-story 10-room brick home, durable and conveniently constructed. This home has basement, is ventilated with water and supplied with electricity. Large lot, stable, meat house and double garage. Possession on March 1, 1945.

Immediately after this sale of home we will sell a barn 40x45 located on Morgan alley. This barn is to be removed from the premises before May 1, 1945.

Terms: 10 percent on day of sale with contract, 40 percent when deed is executed, remainder in 15 and 24 months.

A. B. CROUCH
Attorney in Fact for W. C. Crouch Heirs

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NEWS ABOUT OUR BOYS
In The Service

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Carlisle, extends the Seasons Greetings to all Nicholas County men in our Armed Forces. "Be strong and of good courage." 50-2t

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Pfc. Andrew M. Metcalfe was one of three Kentuckians in his outfit with the Fifth Army in Italy to receive the Combat Infantry Badge for satisfactory performance of duty against the enemy.

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Cpst. Percy Adair, of Paris, has written home that he has flown with H. B. Kaltenborn, radio news commentator touring the battle fronts, the "ringside seat and breadth" of Italy. Kaltenborn rode in the co-pilot's seat by Capt. Adair and was a most interesting and considerate passenger according to the flyer. Young Adair has been the personal pilot for Gen. Mark Clark for 14 months and has flown many internationally known people, such as General De Gaulle, whom he flew to the Casablanca conference.

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Sgt. H. B. Blount writes from Belgium that he is well, working all the time, and November 17th was on his way to the front. This was the first letter to his family for several weeks.

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Petty Officer 2-c Berry C. Woodall, radio man on a sub-marine, called his wife, Mrs. Frances C. Woodall, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woodall, Sr. and informed them that he had arrived in California and was in the best of health and would be home soon on a leave.

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Paul Donovan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Donovan, is at home on leave after several months' duty in the Atlantic as a sound man with the Navy.

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Sgt. Jack D. Pumphrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pumphrey is reported hospitalized in New Guinea suffering from broken ribs and collarbone. He has been overseas for about 10 weeks.

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Petty Officer 2-C Jas. W. Woodall, Jr., has returned to the receiving base at San Francisco, California, after spending a 30-day furlough with his parents here. He wears the Asiatic Ribbons and 2 Stars. He was with the Helena at the time it was torpedoed and helped rescue its crew.

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Mrs. Helen Hopper, Route 1 Myers, received a telegram Dec. 8 stating that her husband, Pfc. James T. Hopper, had been missing in action since June 6, 1944. Pfc. Hopper has been overseas since February, 1944.

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Sgt. John D. Pumphrey, who left San Francisco for the Pacific war zone six weeks ago, is stationed at a staff hospital in New Guinea having sustained broken ribs and collar bone at a stop-over route. He is convalescing satisfactorily according to several letters to his family, but says details of his injuries were not revealed.

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S-Sgt. Gerome Spender has returned to his post of duty at Camp Shelby, Miss. After spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonnie Saunders.

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Pvt. Emmett D. Gates is a member of the 2nd Battalion of the 157th Regiment, 45th Division which landed in Southern France on D-Day capturing 1,100 prisoners and forcing inland about 70 miles during the first six days of action. The 2nd Battalion was prominent in the Sicilian operation, on the beaches at Salerno and on the Anzio Beachhead. It is now in operation on the Seventh Army front in the hills of the Vosges Mountains.

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Sgt. Elwood Kenton has been moved from Indian Town Gap, Pa., to Ft. Meade, Md., where he is in a hospital suffering with malaria and influenza. His address is: Regional Hospital, Ward M115, Fort Meade, Md.

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Pvt. John T. Bow has been transferred from the 50th Machine Record Unit, Ft. Douglas, Utah, to the Headquarters Co., Transportation corp, Ft. Mason, California. Pvt. Bow is working in the office of the Administrative branch of the San Francisco Port of Embarkation, Machine Record Unit.

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Pfc. Everett S. (June) Cook has arrived safely in England according to a letter received Monday by his mother, Mrs. Annabel Cook, on North street.

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Lt. R. L. Talbert, son of Mayor and Mrs. W. C. Talbert, who is serving in the Medical Department in the European theater, was with the first division of General Patton's Third Army to enter Germany. The following excerpts from letters written home are of general interest.

"As you no doubt have already guessed, I have been in combat and had many of the experiences commonly read about in the papers. I have had seen a number of German prisoners and not too many of them are supermen—but most I have seen are either very young or from 35 to 45 years old, but 99 percent of them have enough guts for ten men. How they stand the agony that they do through is a marvel to us all. The Medical Department has come into its own and holds the respect of all commands. At last they realize we are of some value to the front. The doctors, aides and technicians in my company have done wonderful things in emergencies. Plasma is a miracle. I have given and seen it given to men literally on the brink of death and in from 15 to 30 minutes they were well enough to go to a hospital with an excellent chance of living. Once I saw a man with both legs blown off. He had no pulse and had every appearance of being dead except for small gasping breaths, and after getting about 1-2 gallon of blood plasma, in about an hour he was sitting up smoking a cigarette and talking about how he was hurt. Without that plasma he wouldn't have had a single chance to live."

Hueston L. Wilson, son of Robert Wilson, Route 2, has been promoted to Technician Fourth Grade while serving with the Third Infantry Division in France. This division is adding to the scores and glory that has been recorded in its history since, July, 1918, when on its first combat assignment of World War I it successfully defended the Marne river against two divisions of picked German shock troops. Since making their initial landing on the beaches north of Fedala, French Morocco, November 3, 1942, the men of the 3rd Division have participated in every campaign fought in this theatre.

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Cpl. William Nash Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Payne, Cynthiana, who is home on 7-day furlough from Selfridge Field, Mich., visited his aunt, Miss Lucy Letton, and brother, Saturday.

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Mrs. W. T. Roberts received a letter from her nephew, Clarence Kincart, of Akron, Ohio, stating they had been notified that their son, Sgt. Robert Kincart, was wounded in the Philippines Islands September 12. He has been in the South Pacific area for 33 months. He has visited relatives here and is well known.

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Returned To Post

Oliver K. Curry, R D M 3-c returned to Norfolk, Va., after a 9-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Curry, at Leighton, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gaunce. Mrs. Curry returned with him.

LOCAL GIRL IN RECITAL

GAINESVILLE, GA. — Frances S. Henry, junior at Brenau College and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Henry, of Carlisle, Ky., was presented in a Music Recital under the direction of Miss Dr. Enrico Leide, Director of the Brenau College Conservatory, as played "Impromptu In A Flat" by Schubert.

Miss Henry is a popular and active student on Brenau campus, and a member of Delta Delta Delta national social sorority.

HOG JAW

Mr. and Mrs. Oathie Gaunce, Mr. and Mrs. Hutch Gaunce were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Erlywine.

Nathan Ritchie, Ray Ritchie, Clifton Ritchie and Raymond Coy visited Walter Williams Sunday afternoon.

Misses Pauline and Wilma Ritchie visited Mrs. William Sidles Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Argo were bedtime guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Ritchie and family Friday night.

Miss Estelle Ritchie visited Mr. and Mrs. Chappell Ritchie Friday night.

BARTERVILLE

Mrs. Mattie Donahue, who has been ill for several weeks remains about the same at this writing.

Mrs. Carrie Broadrick, who has been ill, is much improved.

Mrs. Martha Snapp spent Sunday with her son, Malcolm Snapp and family.

Clay Snapp left the 29th for Huntington, West Virginia to be inducted into the army, he is sadly missed in the home and by many friends they all wish him good luck.

Barterville School

The 4-H Club had its regular meeting Friday morning at 11 o'clock the same program being given at each school in the county with a few extra Christmas pieces and songs added, the last season being at hand. The 4-H members of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades.

Mr. Straw distributed certificates to the members due them.

Miss Rose gave an interior instructions to the children on food and will give a lunch packing demonstration to us this week sometime.

Our Honor Roll for the past six weeks is as follows:

Grade I
Norman Broderick
Wayne McKenzie

Grade II
Ralph Taylor
Ruth Wagoner

Grade III
Ralph Hollar
Lennie Bishop
Della Mae Grun
Lavonne Taylor

Grade IV
Jewell Morris
Joseph Mynatt

Grade V
Bettie Ann Jones

Grade VI
None

Lucy O Dotson and Hazel Swartz, teachers.

J. W. Linville, of the Moorefield road, has returned from Lexington where he went for observation and x-rays. He expects to return to Lexington in a short time for an operation.

The majority of homemakers in Bond county crave rather than stored their sweet potatoes.

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LOCATED ON SOPER PIKE

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1944

10:00 A. M. ON PREMISES

Having decided to quit farming I have engaged the Fightmaster Real Estate Agency of Carlisle, Ky., to offer my farm of 143 acres located on Soper pike—eleven miles from Paris and nine miles from Carlisle on a good black top county road. This farm will first be offered in six tracks and then as a whole. Tobacco base on 143 acres is 10.1 acres.

Track 1

71 acres or less. A beautiful eight room house, two halls, two enclosed side screened porches, enclosed back porch, house is weather stripped all over, new roof, telephone and R. E. A. electric service. Beautiful light fixtures in every room, electricity in all outbuildings. Good cistern at back door, A-1 cellar new laundry room and meat house, new brooder house, good chicken house, new garage, a good five bin tobacco barn, stock barn, rat proof corn crib, good tool house a good cistern and a new concrete loading chute at barn. Every field is well-watered and well fenced. This farm is all in heavy grass except eight acres which is seeded to wheat and grass. This is a very productive farm. School bus and mail delivery pass farm daily. This farm will meet all requirements.

Track 2

72 acres more or less. A good five room house which has just recently been painted and papered inside—good sewer, tobacco barn with a new stripping room, meat house, corn crib, chicken house, good cistern at door. About twenty acres of this track is timber river bottom. Plenty of clover and timothy hay. Well fenced and watered. If you want a small farm or a big farm here is your chance. Very seldom is a farm like this on the market.

Mr. Winson has owned and lived on this farm for several years and it has received the best care and attention a farm could get. Farm will be shown before day of sale by Mr. Winson who resides on farm or by selling agent.

Terms 10 Percent Day Of Sale—40 Percent March 1—When Deed and Possession Will Be Delivered—Bal. 12-24-46 Months—4 Percent Interest.

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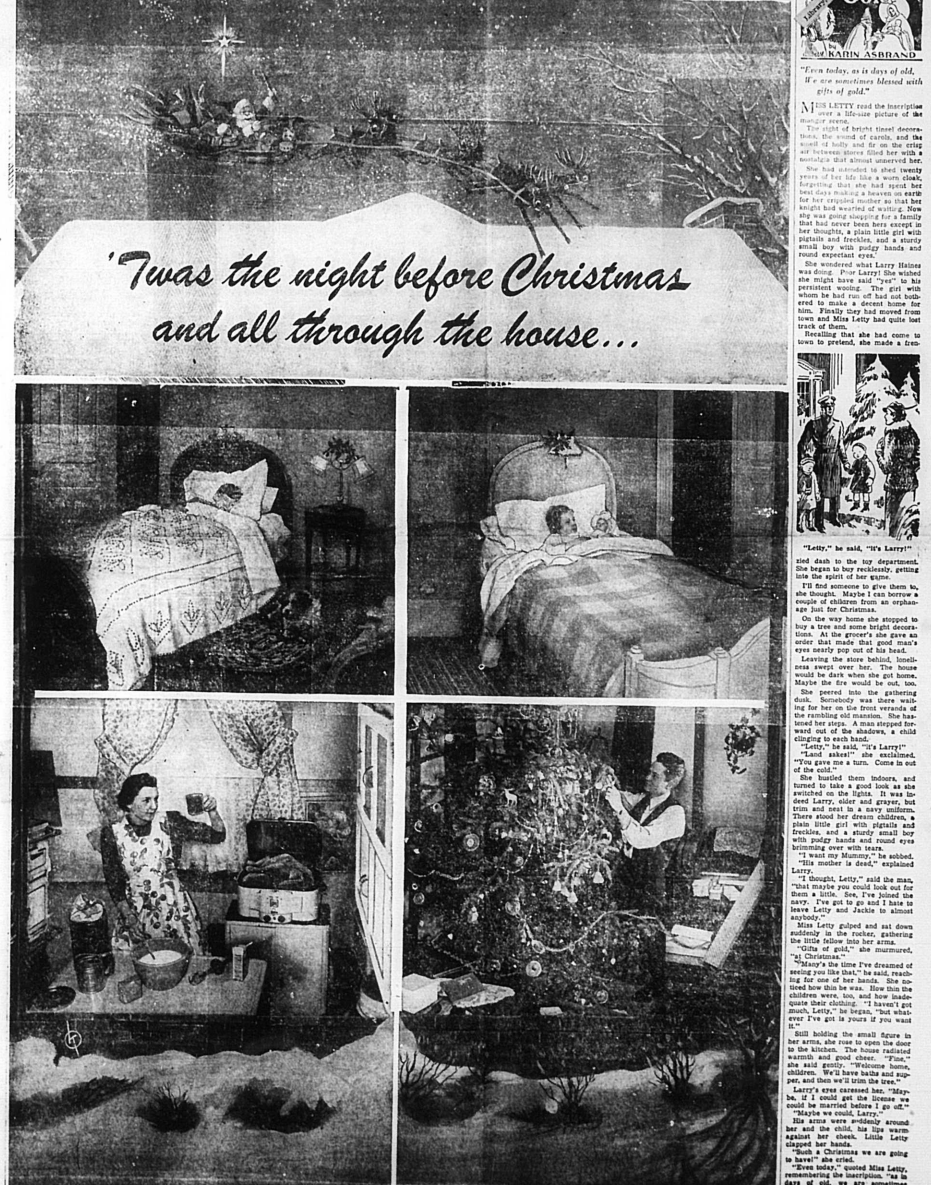

Gifts Of Gold

By KARIN ASBRAND

"Even today, as in days of old, When are sometimes blessed with gifts of gold."

MISS LETTY read the inscription over a life-size picture of the manger scene.

The night of bright tinsel decorations, the sound of carols, and the smell of holly and fir on the crisp air between doors filled her with a nostalgia that almost unnerved her.

She had intended to shed twenty years of her life like a worn cloak, forgetting that she had spent her best days making a heaven on earth for her crippled mother so that her knight had a worthy setting. Now she was going slapping for a family that had never been exempt in her thoughts, a plain little girl with pigtails and freckles, and a sturdy small boy with pudgy hands and round expectant eyes.

She wondered what Larry Haines was doing. Poor Larry! She wished she might have said "yes" to his persistent wooing. The girl with whom he had run off had not bothered to make a decent home for him. Flashily they had moved from town and Miss Letty had quite lost track of them.

Recalling that she had come to town to pretend, she made a fren-

"Letty," he said, "it's Larry!"

zied dash to the toy department. She began to buy recklessly, getting into the spirit of her game.

I'll find someone to give them to, she thought. Maybe I can borrow a couple of children from an orphanage just for Christmas.

On the way home she stopped to buy a food some bright decorations. At the grocer's she gave an order that made that good man's eyes nearly pop out of his head.

Leaving the store behind, loneliness swept over her. The house would be dark when she got home, maybe the fire would be out, too.

She peered into the gathering dusk. Somebody was there waiting for her on the front verandа of the rambling old mansion. Her tired heart stopped. A man stepped forward out of the shadows, a child clinging to each hand.

"Letty," he said, "it's Larry!"

"Land sakes!" she exclaimed. "You gave me a turn. Come in out of the cold."

She hustled them indoors, and turned to take a good look as she switched on the lights. It was indeed Larry, older and grayer, but trim and neat in a navy uniform. There stood her dream children, a plain little girl with pigtails and freckles, and a sturdy small boy with pudgy hands and round eyes brimming over with tears.

"I want my Mummy," he sobbed.

"His mother is dead," explained Larry.

"I thought, Letty," said the man, "that maybe you could look out for them a little. See, I've joined the navy. I've got to go and I hate to leave Letty and Jackie in almost anybody."

Miss Letty gulped and sat down suddenly in the rocker, gathering the little fellow into her arms.

"Gifts of gold," she murmured, "at Christmas."

"Mary's the time I've dreamed of seeing you like that," he said, reaching for one of her hands. She noticed how thin he was. How thin the children were, too, and how inadequate their clothing. "I haven't got much, Letty," he began, "but whatever I've got is yours if you want it."

Still holding the small figure in her arms, she rose to open the door to the kitchen. The house radiated warmth and good cheer. "Fine," she said gently. "Welcome home, children. We'll have baths and supper, and then we'll trim the tree."

Larry's eyes caressed her. "Maybe, if I could get the license we could be married before I go at."

"Maybe we could, Larry."

His arms were evidently around her and the child, his lips warm against her cheek. Little Letty clapped her hands.

"Such a Christmas we are going to have!" she cried.

"Even today," quoted Miss Letty, remembering the inscription, "as in days of old, we are sometimes blessed with gifts of gold."

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