OH, HO! BOYS AND GIRLS,

HERE IS JOLLY CHRISTMAS AGAIN!

Another page, another leaf,
Is turned within life's volume brief.

Opening Opened, & all Ready for Christmas at MILLER'S, Rock Hall

The season of merry-making, thankfulness and good cheer, as usual, finds us ready for the Holiday Season. Our stock of beautiful goods for the Christmas-tide was never larger, more varied or more appropriately beautiful than for the Xmas season which is now knocking at our doors seeking entrance. Old Kris, rollicksome, generous, smiling and jolly, has come with his great pack to bewilder and delight the little folk, the older folk and the dear old people who give dignity and beauty to the summer nest from which the younger birds have flown. Our sparkling parlors of gift-dom were formally opened on Wednesday, when hosts called only to be delighted at the extent and beauty of our display. Though they had the pleasure of a first-glimpse at an unbroken and superb stock of Christmas goods, our stock has really suffered nothing in extent or beauty—for it is take out and put in all the time.

FREE
To Our Friends.

In our "Practical Corner," we aim to remember EVERYBODY.

We propose to absolutely give away

THREE
Beautiful Bavarian Harps.

Each purchaser of good to the amount of

50 CENTS

will be given a ticket with a coupon, each having a number. Each of the THREE BEAUTIFUL HARPS will be numbered, and on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27, at 3 o'clock p. m., the drawing will take place. Those fortunate enough to get the three numbers corresponding with those on the Harps will receive one of the sweet-toned and beautiful instruments which is so simple in arrangement that a child can play. These instruments will be a lasting delight—Think of it!

FREE,
Absolutely Free.

Then, too, we have Harmonicas, Autoharps, Violins and other instruments suitable for a holiday gift.

RARE AND BEAUTIFUL

Glass and China.

The Ladies' corner is dainty and fascinating beyond compare. Rare and beautiful articles in Glass, China and Bric-a-Brac. What have we here? Why everything and more too. Rich Dinner and Tea Sets, Cake Plates, Card Receivers, Individual Cups and Saucers, Vases, Water Sets rare in design and beauty of coloring, Tumblers, Large and Small Lamps,—but it is impossible to mention all in this corner of attractiveness for the ladies. Come and see by all means—it will delight you.

Every girl or young lady who has an organ or piano should possess one of our superb piano or stand lamps. They are beautiful and in endless variety.

OLD KRIS HAS COME WITH HIS ROYAL BOUNTY OF GIFTS.

For My Ladies' Boudoir.

The young lady, as well as the older one of refined tastes and delicate instincts will naturally drift to this delectible spot—My Ladies' Boudoir. There is nothing here that is not dainty and beautiful. There is no room for the commonplace.

Beautiful Bureau Clocks in gold to tick away the joyous hours, Toilet Cases, Jewel Cases for the witcheries so dear to every woman's heart, Powder Bottles, Ink Stands, Gold and Ebony Frames, Candelabra and Individual Candle Sticks, Cracker Jars, Cologne Bottles, Bureau Bottles. The young man with the "dearest girl in the world," or that manly, noble fellow whose best girl is the grey-haired mother or not less dear and good, the woman who has come to him to make life joyous and happy—the wife—will find here things to delight him. Pictures, Lamps (large and small but all beautiful), are here. We must stop—come, do come and see them.

This is a superb line of fine goods. There are Vases, Salad Dishes, Cake and Fruit Plates, Lemonade Sets, Water Sets, Individual Cups and Saucers, Plates, etc., etc., etc., etc., *ad infinitum*, to say nothing of Chocolate Pots, Trays, Waiters, Pictures, Fruit Sets and a thousand and one things, all too numerous to mention or refer to directly.

The Christmas Dinner.

The boys and the girls,
Old wigs and young curls,
The Old Maid and the mouse
Are all in the house,—

So the Christmas dinner must not be forgotten. The turkey, and Plum Pudding, Cranberries, Fruits, Nuts, and the tempting things which only the good housewife knows how to prepare, are to be thought of. The Mince Pie must smoke and the Pumpkin Custard smile in its richness—but at the same time this is only half the charming story. Here are the facts and figures:

Best 12 oz. Packages New Seeded Raisins	7½c
Best New Three Crown Loose Muscatel Raisins, lb.	8c
Best new Citron at	14c
Perfectly cleaned new Currants 16 oz. packages, lb.	7½c
Granulated Sugar, same old price	5c
Pulverized or Powdered, lb.	5½c
Lowney's chocolate, lb	29c
French Mixture that won't poison, 5c lb	
Miller's Special, lb.	10c
Broken Mixture, lb.	7½c

BEAUTIFUL

CHRISTMAS TREE
ORNAMENTS.

A WORD TO THE GIRLS.

Santa Claus has a warm spot in his dear old heart for every girl in the land. If the dear little tot is bad he hopes she will be good again, and so they "make up." His pack is full to overflowing with gifts.

Since the beautiful Christmas Star led the Wise Men into a far country to behold the birth of that sentiment rendered sacred by the centuries—"Peace on earth, good will toward men." Dear Old Santa Claus has been the patron saint of innocent, joyous childhood. His rollicksome, mirth-provoking smile will welcome the children in his abundance of gifts. What are they? Name them? Dear children they are legion. They are without number and impossible of enumeration. They are fascinating in beauty and dainty in creation. Ah, this little tot wants to know about dolls! And how can we tell her? There are dozens and dozens in this beautiful realm of dolldom. That same bewitching family of a few years ago is back again. A curious and interesting collection of doll folk. Now, just listen what Old Kris said then—Dolls, why bless your souls yes—Big Dolls, Little Dolls, fairy white tots and great Black Dinahs, far-sighted and near-sighted, cross-eyed and straight-eyed, crying dolls and silent dolls, dolls which wink and blink and dolls which are all the more beautiful because their great lustrous eyes never close upon their delighted possessors. But there are more than dolls for the dainty little girls who will come to see Santa Claus. Beautiful little china Sets, mirrors, doll houses, kitchen sets, tables, picture books, games, and a thousand and one other things.

NOW FOR THE BOYS.

The dear rollicksome Christmas boy has been ready for weeks, but Old Santa has not been caught napping. He is ready—yes, more than ready for the little boy, the big boy, or the real old jolly fellow who snoozes by the big stove but who loves a good time with the youngsters. Now here are just a few of the myriads of things: Air Rifles and Guns, delights to the boy-soul; Skates and Sleds, just ripe for the winter's sports; Whips, Drums, Bugles, Ten Pins, Rockers, Shoo-Fly Horses, Swings.—But here are wonders indeed—Trolley Cars and Engines which actually spin along like real big cars; Wool Sheep, Fur Dogs, Iron Safes, Chimes, Balls, Masks, Magic Lanterns, Trumpets, Jumping Dogs and Bears.

GAMES FOR ALL.

Every girl and boy loves the fascinations of a good game. There is pleasure and recreation in the racquet and ball, ping pong, crokonole, carrom, parcheesi. But why not mention right here the beautiful books, pictures, black boards—but great goodness we can't name half of the thousand and one suitable gifts,—so away we go into something else.

BEAUTIFUL JEWELRY.

Here is where comes a charming innovation—here is where every one is pleased and delighted. This Jewel case is unique in its beauty. There are Watch Chains, Fobs, Pins, Rings, Ladies' Necklaces, Clocks, Watches, Breast Pins, Buttons of all kinds and in endless variety, Cuff Buttons, Brooches, and best of all, a guarantee goes with each of these beautiful articles. And right here we must mention a line of Silk Mufflers, Silk Handkerchiefs, Scarfs, Cologne, Scented Soaps and Toilet Articles.

SWEETS TO THE SWEET.

Now there is no us talking about our Candy Department. It is absolutely full to overflowing with Hampers and barrels for the matter of fact folk and dainty boxes of sweetness for the dear queens of our heart. There are French Mixtures, Broken Mixtures, Clear Toys Cream Squares, Bon Bons. Butter Poppies, Crystalized Apricots, Egyptian Dates, Cut Rock and fifty other kinds. Peanut Bar, Cocoanut, Assorted Chocolates, Cocoanut Bon Bons, Cream Almonds, Chocolate Chips, Cocoa Ices, Clear Toys, Bonanza Flakes and New Wrinkle and Wrinkles, and Wrinkles and Wrinkles.

With this Partial Statement—this mere Glimpse at a Few—a Very Few of the features of our Immense Stock of Beautiful Christmas Goods, we can simply repeat our invitation to our friends to come—come early— before the great stock is culled over and the choicest of its gems are borne off in triumph by early and delighted purchasers. First come, of course, first served. With Best Wishes for a Joyous Christmastide and a Happy and Prosperous New Year,

We are very respectfully,

Marion T. Miller and Old Kris,

PROPRIETORS OF MILLES'S GIFT EMPORIUM,
ROCK HALL, MD.

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