

Hundreds of Young Singers Found In Hunt For Talent



TEN young American singers—presumably the best in the country—will face the microphone at Station WEAJ in New York City early in December to sing for fame and fortune. They will be the finalists in the National Radio Audition of the Atwater Kent Foundation of Philadelphia.

This nation-wide quest for radio voices has already revealed hundreds of young singers of promise, who have entered the contests eagerly because the auditions offer them recognition at home and a chance to compete for prizes aggregating \$17,500. Distinctive figures are sponsoring the undertaking as a National Audition Committee. They are Madam Louise Homer, the Metropolitan Opera star; Mrs. Edgar Stillman Kelley, president of the National Federation of Music Clubs; Edward W. Bok, former editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, and Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, wife of the world-famous New York banker and music patron.

Winners of state auditions—one boy and one girl—receive silver medals and are taken to their district auditions at the expense of the Foundation to compete with young singers from their neighboring states. Winners of each of the five district auditions—one young man and one young woman in each—receive gold medals and are

taken to New York by the Atwater Kent Foundation for the finals, which will be broadcast over a national network of stations. The awards for these will be as follows:

- Winners of first place—one young man and one young woman—will each receive \$5,000 cash and two years' tuition in a musical conservatory.
- Winners of second place will each receive \$2,000 cash and one year's tuition.
- Winners of third place will each receive \$1,000 and one year's tuition.
- Winners of fourth place will each receive \$500.

DOUBLE DECK SPAN OPEN

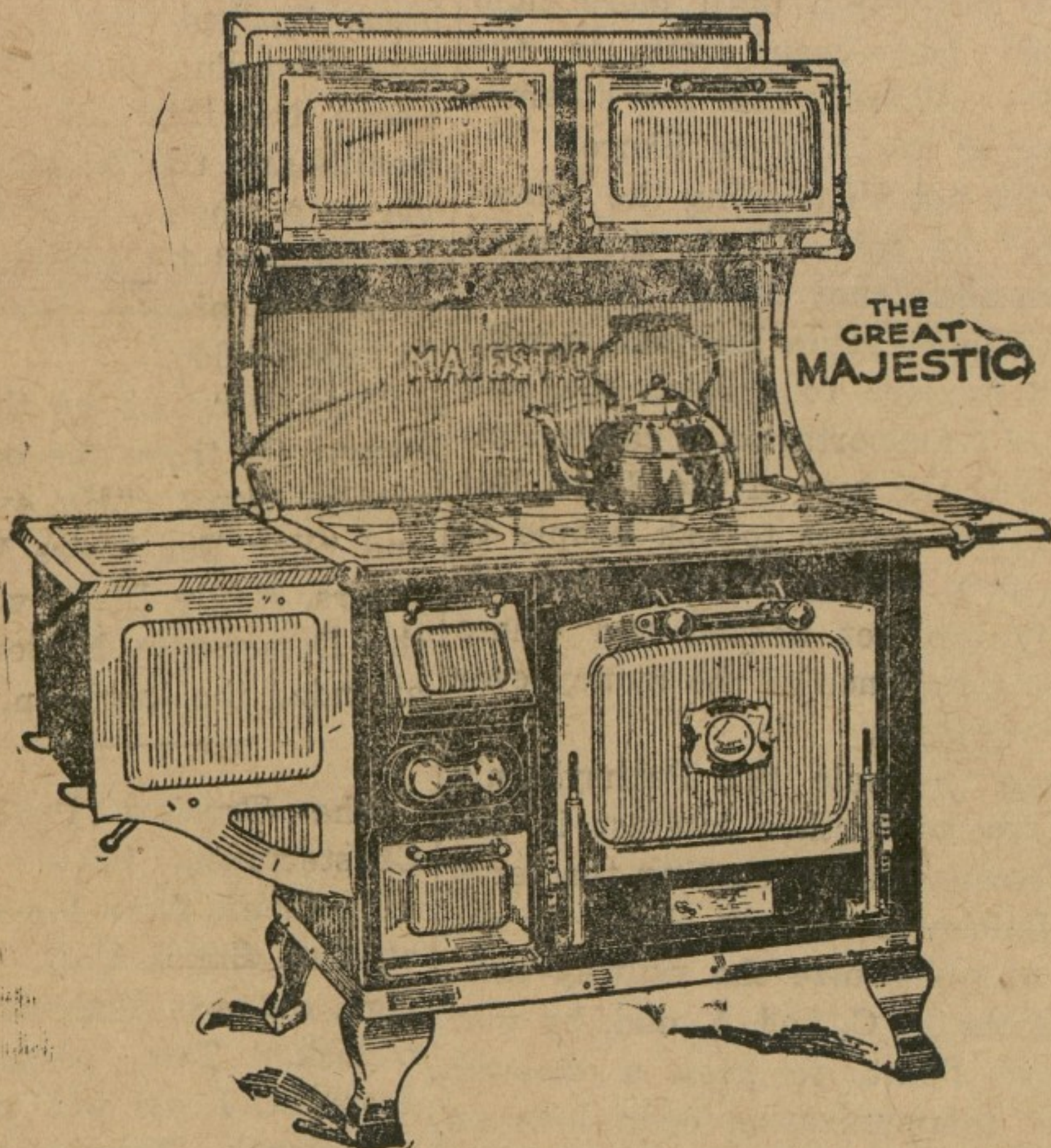
The double-decker bridge spanning the Susquehanna bridge between Perryville and Havre de Grace was opened for traffic Wednesday.

The approaches to the upper deck have about been completed. Work on the upper floor, which has been in progress for nearly a year, has been completed, and will double the capacity of bridge. The bid on the work was \$237,730.

The bridge commonly known as the "Gold Mine Bridge," was bought

by the State from a private company several years ago for \$585,000. After receipts from tolls have reimbursed the State for the original investment and the expense of reconstruction, the bridge will become free. Chairman Mackall expects the bridge to be free of toll in a year. A walk way has been erected on the south side of the lower floor, and already pedestrians are using it. The whole structure has been painted white to correspond with other bridges owned by the State and operated by the State Roads Commission.

The Great Majestic Range



We have on our floor one White Enamel trim Majestic with reservoir that we are offering at a special price. We also have the Majestic Range, plain trim, that we are offering at corresponding reductions.

We have a few sets of cooking ware that will go to early purchasers FREE.

Come in and look at them anyway.

We also have Cast Ranges and Heating Stoves that may interest you.

WM. M. CULP

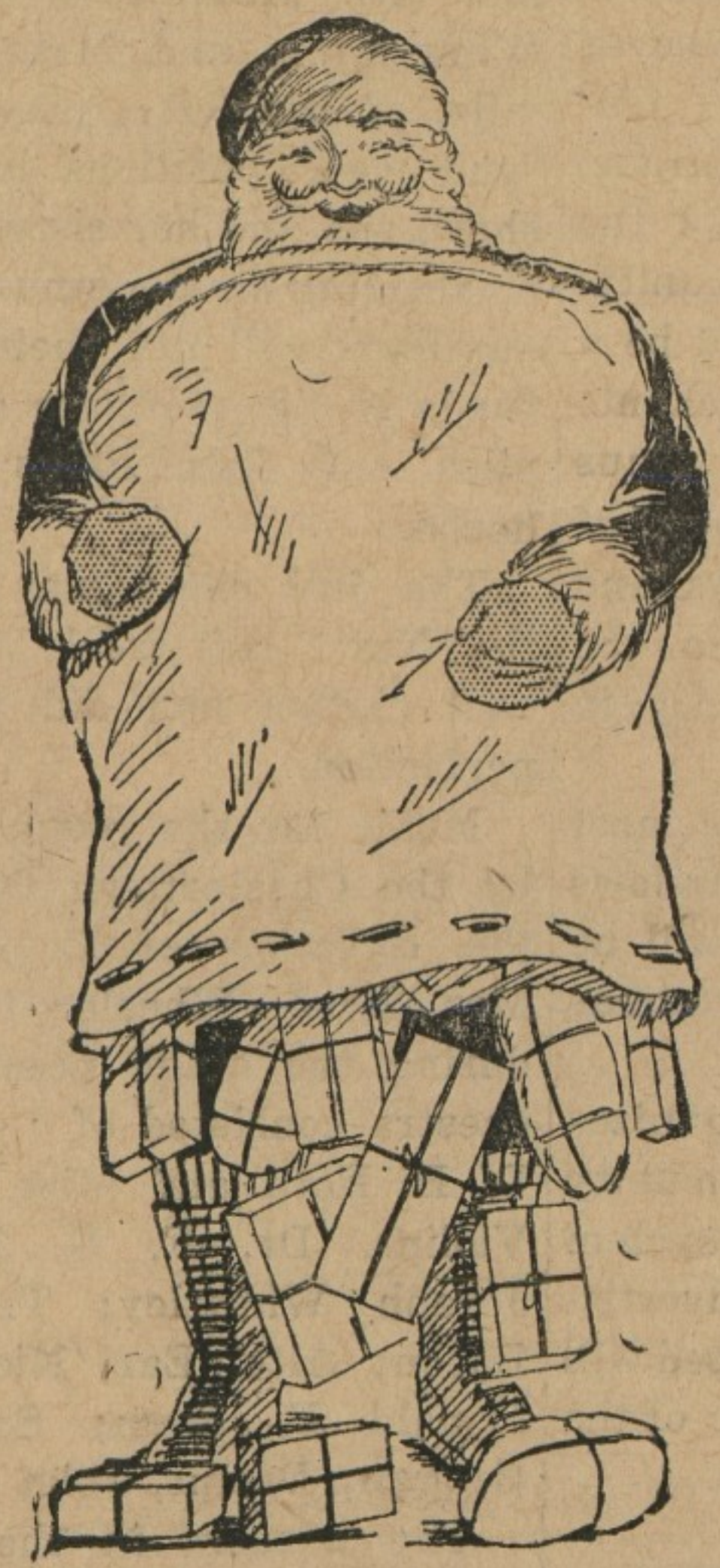
The Hardware Store

Chestertown, Maryland



NOLAND'S SANTA OPENS HIS BAG OF GIFTS!

Old Santa has roamed the wide world over! He has scoured the earth from pole to pole for the gifts that you'll like to give. And now, when his bag is bulging with the finest of things, he opens them here for you. Your selections may be varied, unusual and many, but you run no risk of being unable to choose from this store, because everything that the heart could desire can be found—and given!



Santa has had many years of experience in the selection of the right gift for the right person, so you may place your confidence in him to have in his bag

GIFTS That Are Always Correct

- Coin Purses
- Collar and Cuff Sets
- Child's Wool Set
- Comfortables
- Compacts
- Companion Sets
- Console Sets
- Cooking Utensils
- Couch Covers
- Crumb Tray and Scraper
- Cups and Saucers
- Curling Irons, Electric
- Curtains
- Cutlery
- Damask
- Dinnerware
- Dolls
- Door Mats
- Dress Goods
- Dust Mops
- Flashlights
- Boudoir Lamps
- Embroideries
- Enamelware
- Floor Coverings
- Flower Baskets
- Flower Pots
- Food Choppers
- Footwear
- Fountain Pens
- Garters
- Gauntlets
- Glassware
- Gloves
- Gun Shells
- Hammers
- Handbags
- Handkerchiefs
- Harmonicas
- Hatchets
- Heaters, Oil
- Horse Blankets
- Hosiery
- Infants' Wear
- Kitchen Cutlery
- Lamps
- Lanterns
- Lead Pencils
- Linens
- Linoleum
- Luggage
- Lumberjacks
- Lunch Boxes
- Manicure Sets

The very Gifts you wish to give are all in Santa's Bag

Practical Gifts

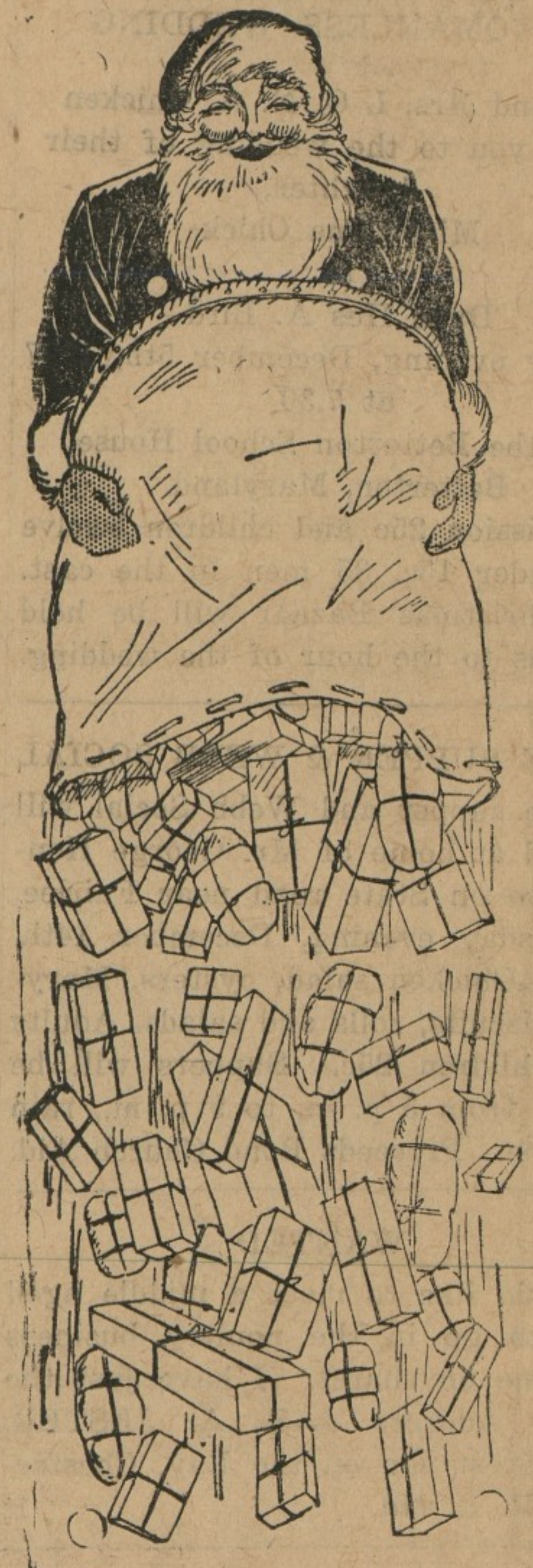
- Ammunition
- Towels
- Wash Cloths
- Slippers
- Umbrellas
- Toilet Sets
- Stationery
- Bath Robes
- Aprons
- Arm Bands
- Leggins
- Art Goods
- Ash Trays
- Atomizers
- Auto Robes
- Hand Bags
- Bath Mats
- Bath Robes
- Carving Sets
- Casserole
- Chinaware
- Candy
- Glass Bakers



Useful Gifts

- Vacuum Bottles
- Traveling Bags
- Sewing Baskets
- Aluminum Ware
- Bathroom Cabinets
- Shaving Brushes
- Sheep Lined Coats
- Waste Paper Baskets
- Bath Salts
- Bed Spreads
- Berry Sets
- Blankets
- Double Boilers
- Book Ends
- Boston Bags
- Boudoir Caps
- Box Paper
- Brassware
- Hair Brushes
- Bulb Bowls
- Lamps
- Cigarette Cases
- Candlesticks

A Multitude of Joyous Gifts Comes Tumbling From His Bag.



What could be more joyous than Christmas—the day when cares are forgotten and everyone is made happy by receiving Gifts such as the following—

- Mats, Table
- Mayonnaise Sets
- Measuring Tapes
- Mirrors
- Mullers
- Napkins
- Neckties
- Oil Cloth Squares
- Oil Stoves
- Ovens
- Oven Glassware
- Overnight Cases
- Paints
- Pajamas
- Pants
- Pencil Boxes
- Penknives
- Percolators
- Perfume Sets
- Photo Frames
- Pictures
- Pillows
- Pillow Tops
- Pin Cushions
- Pipes
- Pitchers
- Play Suits
- Pocket Books
- Pottery
- Powder Puffs
- Prints
- Razors
- Refrigerators
- Roasters
- Rugs
- Salad Bowls
- School Supplies
- Serving Trays
- Shaving Sets
- Sheets
- Shoes

From His Treasure-Laden Bag

GIFTS For Women



Possibly you have found out what she wants—but if not, we will help you select the very gift that will please her to perfection.

- Silk or Wool Hosiery
- Silk Underwear
- Handkerchief Sets
- Hand Bags
- Garter Sets
- Silk Scarfs
- Boudoir Caps
- Bedroom Slippers

Somewhere in Santa's Bag Are

GIFTS For Girls

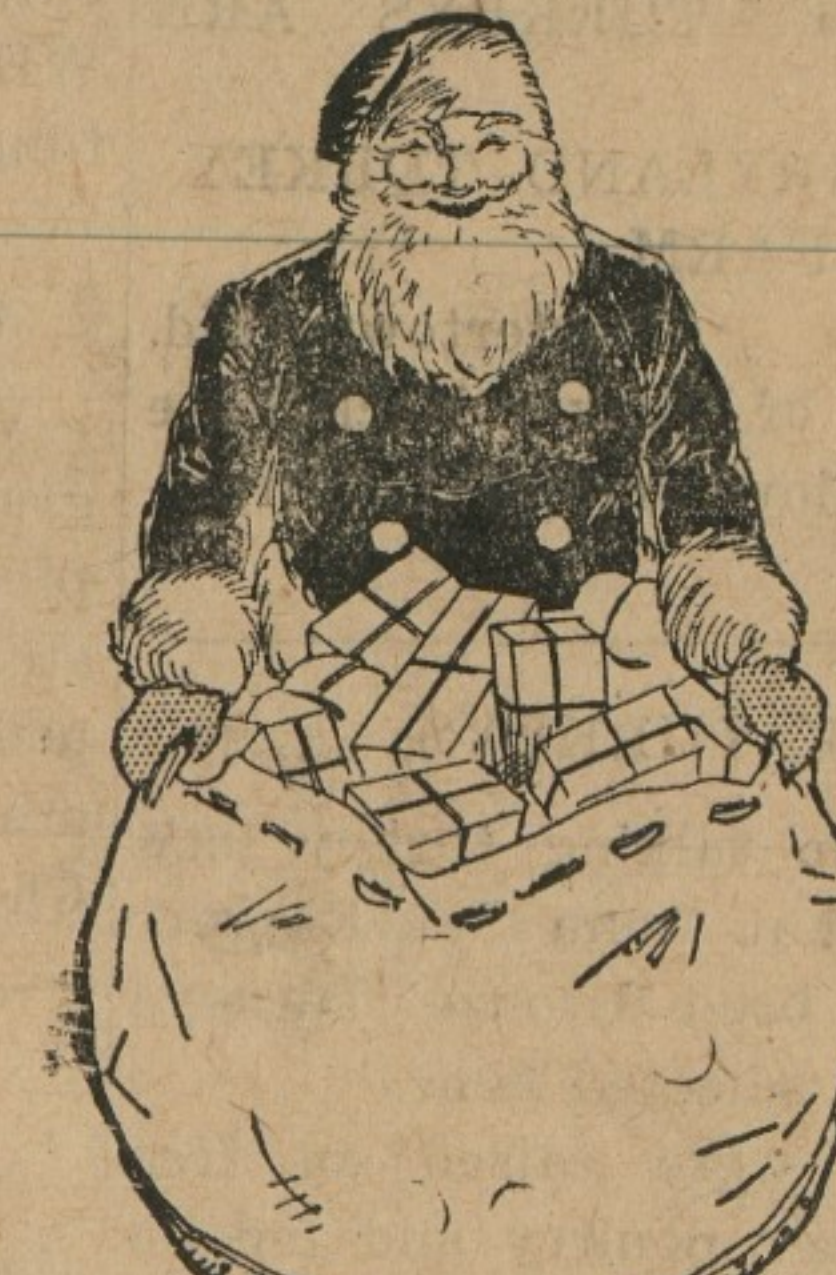


There are so many things that a girl needs and appreciates that it is quite an easy task to select a gift from here that will please.

- Toiletries
- Toilet Sets
- Fitted Traveling Bags
- Galoshes
- Rain Coats
- Gloves
- Candy
- Clothes Hangers
- Boudoir Pillows

In His Gift Bag Are These

GIFTS For Men



Santa has given much of his time to the selection of the right gift for the man and has brought them to this store for your convenience.

- Neckties
- Shirts
- Suspenders
- Belts
- Bath Robes
- Garter Sets
- Initialed Handkerchiefs
- Cigars and Tobaccos

Nor Did He Forget to Include

GIFTS For Boys



Boys aren't really so particular as to what they get—just so it is something useful and which will make them happy.

- Tool Chests
- Slickers
- Boots
- Knives
- Lumber Jacks
- Books
- Foot Balls
- Sleds
- Belts