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Christmas Greetings!

TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS
AND MAY WE CONTINUE TO
SERVE YOU WITH THAT
GOOD GULF GAS AND
GULF PRODUCTS

MARX
Service Station

Mr. A. M. Snodgrass of Rock Island, was a visitor in the city Monday and while here had his name enrolled on the Headlight's subscription list for the coming year.

Editor and Mrs. M. E. Parrott of Rosenberg spent Saturday evening here with her sister, Mrs. Robert Cole, and Mr. Cole.

Mrs. Irene Cole of Fort Worth arrived here Monday night and will spend the holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole.

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World's Largest Producer of
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THE JOKESMITH

Some few made, mostly stolen, some merely borrowed. If you run across a good one, mail it.

Tooter—Tuesy say that the man Hazel is to marry has money to burn.

Unpau—Well, he's met his match.

Miss Aid—Jimmie is one boy in a hundred.

Miss Wait—Does he know he is competing with that many?

Teacher—James, tell me what political economy is.

James (son of political heeler)—Gittin' the most votes for the least money.

Agnes—Does your husband take your little hand in his?

Mary—Yes, and twists it until I drop the gun.

Head Waiter—Would monsieur prefer Spanish, French or Italian cooking?

Diner—I don't mind—I want a soft, boiled egg.

Willie—Say, Paw, what does it mean when they say "a slave to fashion?"

Paw—It's a man who has a wife and two or three daughters, son.

Sevauk—What do you think of night clubs?

Zook—I don't like them. They've taken the rest out of restaurant and put the fun into dinner.

Elphalee—Supper, don't you know that every time a woman gets mad, she adds new wrinkles to her face?

Supper—No, I didn't. But if it's so I presume it's a wise provision of Providence to let the world know what sort of a husband that woman has.

City Lady—How much are those apples?

Reckless Merchant—"Fifteen cents a peck."

City Lady—What do you think I am—a bird?

Does your wife always have to have the last word?

Sure.

You're lucky. Mine never gets to it.

Dr. Hertz—Coy Pig's condition is extremely grave.

Ben Snook—That's very strange. I thought he only had a cold.

Dr. Hertz—He did, but then he took all the remedies his friends prescribed.

Him—Well, I suppose you're plenty angry because I caught home with this black eye last night?

Her (sweetly)—Not at all, dear. You may not remember it, but when you came home you didn't have that black eye.

Shadbelly—If you had a pile of money, what would you do? Would you establish a chain of libraries or would you found a lot of colleges?

Sourbrier—Neither. I'd have a couple of big, thick, juicy pork chops like in the good old days.

He had been looking over the Christmas cards on the counter for some time when the saleswoman suggested: "Here is a lovely sentiment: 'To the Only Girl I Ever Loved.'"

"That's fine," he said, brightening. "I'll take five—no, six of those, please."

Small Boy (struggling with his bath you know): "I wish you would help me with this problem, Dad."

Dad (from behind newspaper): "Can't, son. It wouldn't be right."

Boy: "I don't suppose it would, but you might try."

Buglaszet: "I hear you have received an offer to work in Chicago. That's splendid. Success to you, my boy."

Clamber: "Nothing doing! They only offer me \$20 a week and I can borrow more than that right around here."

Doctor: "Has the patient taken the medicine I prescribed? A tablet?"

Question Asker—Do you drink?

Man—No.

Asker—Why don't you drink?

Man—My boss forbids it, my customers won't allow it and it goes against my conscience.

Asker—Those are surely good reasons. What business are you in?

Man—I'm a bartender.

Rich Father—What's the matter?

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We wish you a very
Merry Christmas
and a
Happy New Year

The City Grill
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartwell

before meals and a cocktail after? Nurse: "Well, he's a few tablets behind but he's a week ahead on the cocktail."

He: "There are two sides to every question."

Sher: "Yes, and there are two sides to every sheet of sticky fly paper, but it makes a whole of a difference to the fly which side he lights on."

Down South a negro woman was attempting to purchase some eggs in a grocery store run by one of her own complexion. "Is less eggs fresh?" she asked. The salesman replied: "Is not sayin' dat dey ain't fresh?"

He: "I ain't askin' yo ain't dey ain't. Is askin' yo is dey is?"

"What attracted you to your bride?" asked the minister after the ceremony.

"Well, sah," replied the bonafaced groom, "de fact time Ah seed Dinah! Ah taken a fancy o' p'ice she was so good looking. Den, when Ah found dat she was dain't steady washin' for seven families, right den my dear, sah, Ah renounced."

City Girl: "And I suppose at dusk, when the sun is stealing over the Rockies in purple splendor, you cowboys are hustled around the campfire broiling venison and listening to the weird, eerie, uncanny howlings of the coyotes."

Battle-scarred Gus: "Well, ma'am, not exactly. Usually we go inside and listen to Amos and Andy."

"In the dimly lit conservatory Herbert had asked Elsie to marry him. She had consented with fitting modesty."

"Herbert, dear," she murmured, "now look here, dearest," he interrupted, "don't ask me if you are the only girl I ever loved. You know as well as I do that—"

"Oh, that wasn't the question at all, Herbert," she answered. "I was just going to ask you if I was the only girl that would have you."

"Good morning," said a stranger to a woman who had answered the door bell where a room was advertised for rent. "Would you like to buy some insect powder?"

"No," she snapped. "I have no use for that stuff."

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A Merry Christmas
Albert's Variety Store

Season's Greetings
BECKMAN'S
Drug Store

Wishing My Customers A
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and a
HAPPY NEW YEAR
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1 Head Cabbage free with each can

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1 Head Lettuce Free with each quart

FREE CORN MEAL
Silver Ray Flour, 24 lb. sack 93c
Pioneer Flour, 24 lb. sack \$1.05
One 5 lb. sack Pioneer Meal free with each sack of flour

FREE LINT STARCH
Lint Starch, 2 packages 20c
1 pkg. Lint Starch free with each two packages purchased

FREE CANE PATCH SYRUP
Cane Patch Syrup, No. 2 1/2 can 19c
One 1 1/2 can free with each can

FREE BALLOONS
Morton's Plain or Iodized Salt, 2 packages 15c
1 Balloon free with each 2 pkgs.

FREE GLASS MEASURING CUP
Kellogg's All Bran, 18 oz. pkg. 22c
1 Glass Measuring Cup free with each package

FREE OATMEAL
IGA Toasted Pan Cake Flour, 2 packages 25c
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FREE KREMEL
Kremel Desserts, all flavors 09c
One package free with each 2 purchased

FREE CAKE PAN
IGA Gelatine Dessert, 6 pkgs. 33c
1 Krinkly Cake Pan Free with each 6 packages

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Now, at this Christmas Season, comes our biggest news of the year, our Fourth Anniversary and Christmas Sale, celebrating our fourth year as a member of the I.G.A. During the past we have offered you many very exceptional values—outstanding values. But even these values are surpassed by the values we are offering you in our Fourth Anniversary and Christmas Sale, that you may help us celebrate the event. Read these values—take advantage of them. Stock up now and save money. Tell your friends.

People through this trade territory are coming many miles to attend this sale, for past experience has taught them that a Frank Stephens Company Sale is a money-saving event. If this sale was held but for one day we could not possibly handle the crowds. That everyone may be fully served and none slighted, that there will be plenty of time to make the selections they wish, this sale will last for FOUR DAYS—Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, December 20, 21, 22 and 24th. Come early is our final message to you.

CALIFORNIA ENGLISH WALNUTS, lb. 15c

WESSON OIL, pint can 21c

WESSON OIL, quart can 38c

IGA QUEEN OLIVES, 26 oz. jar 33c

Green Beauty Sour or Dill Pickles, quart jar 14c

STANDARD TOMATOES, 4 No. 2 cans 25c

PHILLIPS' PORK & BEANS, 3 cans 13c

IGA YELLOW CLING SLICED OR HALVES PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 can 15c

IGA Ripe and Ragged Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can 15c

IGA Ripe and Ragged Apricots, No. 2 1/2 can 21c

IGA Ripe and Ragged Pineapple, No. 2 1/2 can 21c

IGA SLICED PINEAPPLE, No. 1 1/4 can 10c

IGA POTTED MEAT, 3—1/4 cans 10c

IGA VIENNA SAUSAGE, 2 No. 1/2 cans 15c

PINTO BEANS, 3 lbs. 13c

BIRD BRAND LARD, 4 lb. package 53c

IGA Country Gentleman Corn 2 No. 2 cans 25c

P & G WHITE NAPTHA SOAP, 5 giant bars 21c

CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, 5 giant bars 21c

IGA TOMATO SOUP, No. 1 can 05c

IGA FANCY HOMINY, 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 19c

IGA MINCE MEAT, 2—9 oz. packages 19c

FANCY BULK DATES, lb. 09c

IGA Medium White Asparagus Tips, 2 picnic tins 25c

IGA Medium White Asparagus Tips, No. 1 can 21c

IGA Extra Sifted Sweet Wrinkled Peas, No. 2 can 17c

IGA CRANBERRY SAUCE, 17 oz. can 14c