## What Christmas Brought to Him

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Back to His Old Job, the
Present
Walter Manners
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Needed Most
His Cup Was
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His Lip Was
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His Hand his famlip His hands
Uletide Joy
of winter sunshine, and his face
showed a duit red—the hee which
creps over a man's face when insult
of huadhardon has come to him.
For twenty years of service th old

which had taken hold of him, had ald on the shoulders of Mannaces, It was hard, he told himself as he walked along, that a man who, had given the best of his life in service could be east away like an old giove. It must be that he was not as competent as other men, he told plimself. For the hut of dismissal had sumit its from deeper into Walter Manner's sout than it would have done in Sumit its from deeper into Walter Manner's sout than it would have done in Substantial was tried to belitte him to himself, and although he had often growth and the sum of t

think that perhaps it was the long association with a man of Clarkeon's type that hid made him so diffident about his own worth. He dreaded the thought of going home and telling his family the bad news. He repreached himself that he had not broken away from old Clarkson ten years before when he had an offer from young Feters, who had just then come to Washburn, and who had since made such a success. But then, is a liways, the fear of himself kept him from accepting and he had shiyed on and borne the filt-temper of old man Clarkson since. His forti-five years hung heavily upon him as he were him to hear the success.



went on and he looked with dread to the future, for his family was just at the age when a steady income was an absolute necessity. He shuddered now as he thought of Christmas, when only a few hours

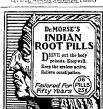
constitute the the dread newsto let them the dread newsto let them know what a miserable
failure he was.

He decided then that he would not
go home until his usual homecoming
hour, lest it might create suspicion, so
to kill then he wandered almiessly
around town. He stopped to gaze in
Peters' window as he passed. He
admitted to himself that there was a
vast difference between the appearance of this store and Clarkson's.
Here everything was upto-date and
attractive; the window arrangement
such as might make anyone pause to
look. Once he had broached his



subject to old Clarkson, but had been met by such an outburst of wrath that

he had never dared to open the sub-ject again.



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Make it Electrical

Christmas Tree Lights

Heating Pads

Table Lamp

Portable Heaters

Boudoir Lamp

Flashlights

Westinghouse Ranges

Westinghouse and American Beauty Toasters

American Beauty - Westinghouse - Hot Point Irons

If Your Christmas Tree Lights Need Repairs Bring Them In Now-Don't Wait

Until Christmas Eve!

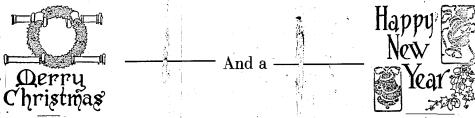
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H happy new Year

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