

Christmas in Oriental Colony

Pretty Celebration Planned

CHINESE GIRL TO BE MARSHALESE.



Photo by Webster & Stevens, Times Staff Photographers.
Miss Fanny Eng.

Japanese and Celestials Will Join Hands With White Neighbors in Procession to Site of Great Yuletide Tree.

IT'S a long way from Orient to Occident, but on Christmas eve Japanese and Chinese residents south of Yester Way will join with their white neighbors and form a procession to pass down the streets singing English songs of Christmas cheer. Japanese lanterns borne aloft on bamboo poles by the marchers will light the way and lend a picturesque effect.

Miss Fanny Eng, a Chinese girl, has been chosen as "marshalese" and besides helping to route the way, she will lend her lovely voice in the singing. The marshal is Mr. Oda also chosen by people living in the neighborhood.

A group of school children will be led by their teachers and Chinese and Japanese Boy Scouts will be there to see that everything "goes off right" just as white Christmas are wont to do at a parade.

A great Christmas tree lighted by many electric bulbs will be the objective and will be placed at the most convenient point on Jackson Street. Here at 7:15 the singers will come to a halt and listen to the solos of two Chinese women. Then every body, those who sang in the procession and those who did not, will join the jolly crowd at the Christmas tree.

For presents? It may be only a few words of good cheer, or just a smile. The section south of Yester Way is only one of the districts in Seattle that will celebrate Christmas eve with song and cheer. The idea is popping all over the city, and all because the Community Service people thought it would be a fine plan to bring the people of every neighborhood together on that joyous eve.

The Chinese and Japanese are enthusiastic over the idea and they understand as well as anyone why the singing is so popular. They talked all this over at a meeting last Wednesday night, when they elected the marshal and the "marshalese."

Two destructive fire today did damage to the extent of approximately \$600,000, forced a score of workmen to flee for their lives and severely burned one employee, Frank Russel, about the face when he sought to escape the flames.

The losses follow:
Palmolive Oil Company plant, \$350,000.
Portland Stove Works, \$250,000.

The fire started in the Palmolive Company's plant, where men say sparks jumped from the electric switches apparently because of a crossed fire, which also blew out fuses in the transformers of the Northwest Electric Company a block distant.

The fire practically ruined the three-story structure of the oil plant. Workers within the building when the fire call sounded found themselves in this country and in France, inserting all their personal belongings as well as the plant equipment and other valuables.

Patterns Burned.
The first fire to occur during the day was that of the Portland Stove Works. It was discovered about 10 o'clock a. m. by the night watchman, who found the fire in the basement. The building was 525 feet long by 100 feet wide, with brick and metal.

All the machinery, including patterns for the designing of stoves, were destroyed for their lives, inserting all their personal belongings as well as the plant equipment and other valuables.

Included in the loss was the outfit of the Korinek Kennedy Company, cines, which occupied one corner of the building.
The president of the stove company is John Montag, who says that the plant will be rebuilt immediately.

LIEUT. LUTZ RETURNING
E. of W. Instructor on Way Home From New York.

Lieut. Ralph H. Lutz, formerly assistant professor of history at the University of Washington, arrived in New York Friday, and will reach his home in Seattle by Christmas.

Lieutenant Lutz joined the first of "heavy" training camp at the Presidio in May, 1917, and has been in service continually ever since. After serving in this country and in France he reached Berlin in March, 1919, as a member of the American Military Mission to Germany. He remained in Berlin until the end of September and then was transferred to the Hoover-American Relief Administration at Paris.

He later returned to Berlin and was sent to Poland and Austria. He reached Sofia, Bulgaria, November 13. Going to Belgrade, Serbia, a few days later he was sent to Rome, and from there to Paris and London. He sailed from London December 3 on the Cunard liner "Carnania," which was in collision a few days later with the S. S. "Maryland," which Lieutenant Lutz will resume his position in the University. Mrs. H. E. Lutz met him in New York, and will return to Seattle with him.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING HOURS AT THE BON MARCHE—10 A. M. TO 6 P. M.

HEAR THE CHRISTMAS TRUMPETERS

At The Bon Marche, Monday

From two-thirty to five-thirty o'clock tomorrow afternoon the sweet melodies of the old-time Christmas carols will be heard in various parts of this big Christmas store, bringing an added note of gaiety to the cheerful business of Yuletide shopping.

And Christmas shopping is truly a cheerful business here—the wide assortments of holiday merchandise displayed so attractively and conveniently, the cheery salespeople, the speedy service—all do their part to gladden the heart of the shopper.

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A Gift of Silk Stockings

IS there a woman in the world who would not like to get Silk Stockings for Christmas? Surely not—especially when they are as good values as the ones we are showing. Several famous makes in sizes and colors to please—if you are not quite sure of the size, give a Merchandise Bond.

Phoenix Gift Hosiery

—Women's Phoenix Silk Boot Stockings, the seamless kind, at \$1.35 and \$1.65.
—Women's full fashioned Silk Stockings—a good quality at \$2.05 and \$2.60.
—Misses' Phoenix Silk Stockings, full fashioned, \$2.50.

McCallum Silk Stockings

—McCallum Silk Stockings—gifts that any woman would be pleased to get, \$2.50 to \$3.75.
—McCallum Silk Lace Stockings—most effective to wear with pumps, \$4.50 to \$6.00.

Kayser Stockings for Gifts

—Kayser Silk Stockings—an especially good make, at \$2.50 to \$3.25.
—Kayser Lace and Clocked Stockings—a pair \$4.50.

Onyx Silk Hose

—Onyx Silk Stockings, fine for wear, at \$2.50 to \$3.00.
—Onyx Lace Stockings—good value at \$3.50 to \$5.00.
—GOTHAM GOLD STRIPE STOCKINGS, \$2.50 TO \$3.00.
—Little Mischief Stockings for misses—ribbed silk, \$1.50 to \$2.00.
—Infants' Silk Hose, a pair 75c.

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Back and fronts are both embroidered.

LINGERIE SECTION, SECOND FLOOR.

For the Christmas Gift Unusual

Gold Lace Over Glass

A Powder Jar of glass, covered with meshes of gold thread—and finished with blue brocade and gold galloon—a novel addition to any feminine dressing table, \$2.50. Drug Section.

Walking Sticks

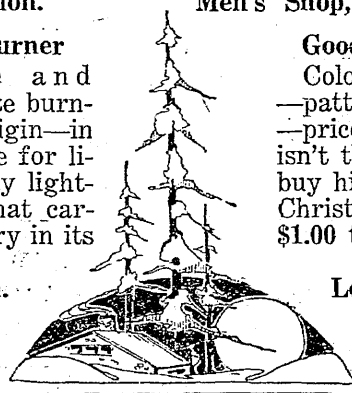
Variation in design is found in the showing of fashionable Walking Sticks for the fastidious man of the hour—conservative, distinctive styles—priced from \$1.00 to \$7.50. Men's Shop, Lower Main Floor.

Bronze Incense Burner

Heavy, untipable and unique are the bronze burners of Oriental origin—in bowl effects, suitable for library tables or dimly lighted dens—the gift that carries unending mystery in its depths, \$8.00. Drug Section.

Good Looking Mufflers

Colors to match his eyes—patterns to suit his taste—prices to fit your purse—isn't that an inducement to buy him a Silk Muffler for Christmas? Priced from \$1.00 to \$13.50. Men's Shop, Lower Main Floor.



Upper Main Floor

Bon Marche Merchandise Bonds

Bon Marche Merchandise Bonds are slips of paper for any amount that may be redeemed in merchandise at a later date.

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For Sale at

All Entrances, All Personal Service Booths, Exchange Desk, Upper Main Floor. Cashier's Office, Fifth Floor.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING IN THE SHOPPING BOOTHS

Handkerchiefs 4 for 50c

Plain White Handkerchiefs of lawn, with colored or white embroidery in the corners—some with colored bands and edges—others with white scalloped edges—15c each—4 for 50c.

Six all-linen fine white Handkerchiefs, with unique designs in fast colors in the corner—boxed for \$1.50.

The Ribbon Girl

Last minute gifts may be easily made of a bit of ribbon, cleverly designed with the guidance of the Ribbon Girl.

You will get Christmas inspiration from a visit to this delightful booth.

UPPER MAIN FLOOR.

Interesting Gifts for Mother

MOTHER always likes something useful and at the same time nice—wouldn't it be a good plan to take a look around on Fabric Floor? You'll find lots of ready-to-give things there.

Fancy Turkish Towels

Wouldn't mother just love to get two or three Turkish Towels? Come and see what good quality we have, with plain center and jacquard styles—with handsome borders, in pink, blue, heliotrope and orange.

All-Linen Tea Napkins

As dainty as can be are these all linen Tea Napkins—size 12½x12½ inches, prettily embroidered, \$7.50 a dozen.

Towels and Bath Mats

—Hemstitched Huck Towels—half linen— inexpensive gifts, 65c, 75c and \$1.00 each.
—Fancy Bath Mats—Most acceptable gifts, for mother or the home, 85c to \$3.50.

Bedspreads

—Satin finish spreads with Marseilles patterns in white, white and pink, white and blue.

Blankets and Comforters

—Wool Blankets—white and plain style silk covered wool comforters in pretty patterns. FABRIC FLOOR (THIRD).



The Christmas Blouse

"Another" Blouse will be a happy thought to add as a gift for the woman who wears a suit.

Pipings, stitchings, frills, novelty beading, are the features of the blouses in suit colors and flesh and white in overblouse and plain styles at \$10.00.

Flowered, satin striped and plain light and dark shades are featured in the Georgette blouses at \$12.50.

Tailored overblouse models in crepe de Chine are shown at this price also.

Brilliant colors are combined in panel effects with somber shades in Georgette Overblouses. Others are beaded or braided or finished with Venice lace or wide lace frills, \$15.00. SECOND FLOOR.

A CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

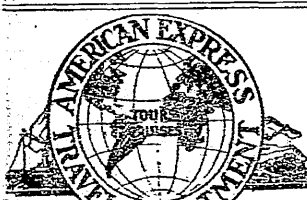
Large Woolly Scarfs at \$5.95

Somebody is going to be cozy and warm after Christmas with one of these Scarfs to twine around the neck—brushed effect, size 20x84 inches, in assorted colors with two-color block borders and long fringe to match. An unusual offering at \$5.95.

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