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Closing hours for the dorm were 9:30, but some of the boys wavered this time allotment fifteen or twenty minutes in order to shave and get ready to arise early Christmas morning and board the train to Niagara Falls.

We were all set for a good nights rest which will have to be deferred to a later date, I'm afraid. We made the day very well without the loss of man or baggage. However, Vance Hall showed positive signs of catching the flu.

December 25

Christmas morning we left Ann Arbor, Michigan, for a trip to Niagara Falls.

We arrived in Niagara about 1:30 or 2:00 o'clock. We checked our baggage at the depot and went to a nice restaurant called "Louis'" for lunch. After lunch we broke up into small groups and went for a tour of the Falls. We observed the Falls from both the United States side and from the Canadian side. Canada seems to have gotten the best of us on the Falls deal, because there was much more water flowing over a greater area on the Canadian side than on the United States side. They have there at the Falls a great hydro-electric plant that furnishes a large part of Canada's electricity. This plant is very heavily guarded all the time and at this time particularly.

The Falls was a wonderful site. The water is flowing over the bluff and onto the large rocks below at a tremendous rate of speed.