



Postcard
(Used - postmark 1913)
Message on back:
"Wishing you and yours a very Merry Christmas and a bright and Happy New Year."

The Christmas Card

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It seems the decorations
go up earlier each year –
gaudier than ever.
And the madhouse they call
seasonal shopping –
is it really worth it?
Somewhere among
the hustle and bustle,
the fake greenery,
the electronic greetings,
the materialism of getting
rather than giving,
I fear the spirit of Christmas
is being lost.
So nice to receive
a card of paper
with a simple message
of good cheer.