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COMMUNITY LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Motter will spend Christmas Day with their son, Thomas Motter and family, Baltimore.

Miss Clara Bricker, Hyattsville, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bricker.

A-3C Larry Davidson, Sampson Air Force Base, New York City, is spending ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davidson.

Miss Grace Witherow will leave Saturday morning by plane to spend the holidays with her brother, Harry Witherow and family at Schenectady, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Weaver and daughters, Betty Jane and Mary Alice spent Sunday with Mrs. Weaver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Waybright, Gettysburg, Pa., and Dr. and Mrs. George Settle and son of Mass., spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hess.

Miss Matilda Burdick, of Philadelphia and Miss Elsa Westine, of Boston, Mass., will come Thursday to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. Felix Westine and son, Peter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alexander left today, the 22nd, to spend the holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Unger and family at Steven's Point, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baumgardner and son, George, are having a vacation at Miami Beach, Fla. They plan to see the football game on New Year's Day at the Orange Bowl.

Miss Anna Galt will spend Saturday and Sunday with her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stott, of Hagerstown. On Christmas Day they will have a family dinner at the Hotel Alexander.

David Kephart, Hanover, Pa. took his mother, Mrs. Chas. B. Kephart, Taneytown, to Philadelphia, Pa., to spend Christmas with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Hines and family.

Pvt. and Mrs. Robert Pennypacker, Pottstown, Pa., announce the birth of a daughter, Joyce Ann, on Dec. 19, at the Pottstown Hospital. Mrs. Pennypacker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ames Six.

A Month's Mid Mass of Requiem was recited for the repose of the soul of the late Helen Elizabeth Shum, last Friday morning by her son, Rev. David W. Shum, in Saint Joseph's Convent Chapel. Members of the immediate family were present.

Mrs. Grace Carbaugh and Mrs. Margaret Taylor are spending the week end in Baltimore with Mrs. Carbaugh's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Leach and family. Mr. and Mrs. James Henry, Baltimore, will also visit in the same home.

The Historical Society of Carroll County will meet at the home of the Society on Thursday evening, January 12, at eight o'clock. The program will feature Human Interest Stories from the files of The Carrollonian, 1833-1836, compiled and arranged by Dr. Howard L. Knight. The new officers of the Society will be in install.

Sgt. John C. Lambert dove in from Hamilton Air Force Base, Hamilton, Calif., and arrived at his home on George St., Wednesday evening. He will be with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lambert until the 7th of January at which time he will report as a recruiting officer near Pittsburgh, Penna.

It has been pretty cold up here all of November the thermometer ranging from 30 above to 35 below mostly around 15 to 20 below. Not much snow, about six inches at present. It has gotten a little milder the last few days. The coldest November for a long time. Yours truly, M. J. Baumgardner, Airdrie Alta, Canada, Dec. 9, 1955.

A pre-Christmas dinner and family gathering was held Sunday at the home of Mrs. Norman Reindollar. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baumgardner and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Danton and family and Miss Sallie Mae Fowler, of Baltimore; Mrs. Flora Lester, Mr. and Mrs. James Baumgardner, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley King and daughter, Anne.

Among those who are home from College for the Christmas holidays are Miss Mary Jo Robb, Miss Sandra Welker and Miss Diane Thomas, State Teachers College, Towson, Md.; Miss Fairy Frock, Miss Jane Gilds, Miss Marsha Reitsnyder, Miss Ruth Kidinger, Fred Stonesifer and Richard Davidson of Western Maryland College; Miss Vivian Davidson and Miss Kathleen Went from the School of Nursing of Memorial Hospital, Frederick; Merritt Copenhaver, Lebanon Valley College, Annville, Pa.; Robert Harner, Virginia Tech., Blacksburg, Va.; Graham Wildasin, University of Maryland; George Arnold from Mt. St. Mary's, Emmitsburg; George Baumgardner from University of Maryland Medical School, Baltimore; Suzanne Shower, Westminster Choir College, Princeton, N. J.; Miss Judith MacPherson from University of Maine; Donald Smith from George Washington University Law School, Washington, D. C.; Wayne Baumgardner from Gettysburg College, Gettysburg.

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HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

Teams Play Robert Moton
The girls' basketball team defeated Robert Moton 39-22 December 15. The boys' varsity team was defeated 80-60 by the same school on December 16 while J. V.'s won 28-20. All three games were played in Westminster.

Key Club News
Edward Koontz and Peter Westine had charge of the Key Club meeting on December 16. Kiwanian guests were Officer Robert Koontz and Mr. Harman Albaugh of the Taneytown Club and Mr. Charles McGee of Westminster. The Reverend Gideon E. Galambos of the Taneytown Presbyterian Church spoke on "Christmas in Germany".

The club will go carol singing on December 22. A board meeting was held at Glen Copenhaver's home on December 18. Edward Kaufman and Robert Simmons attended Kiwanis on December 21; Larry Feeser and Frank Denshaw will attend December 28th. There will be no club meetings for the next two weeks because of Christmas holidays.

Mr. Charles Magee, a Westminster photographer, took club pictures for the yearbook on Friday, December 16.

Clubs Sponsor Projects
The "Here's How" Club, directed by Mrs. Catherine Seibel, sponsored a Christmas project for the needy in other lands. In the seventh grade social studies class the pupils have been learning of these lands and peoples and their needs. "Here's How" they tried to express the spirit of Christmas through giving. For each dime given to their club, an ornament was placed on their Christmas tree. The money collected will be used by the New Windsor Service Center for the needy in other lands. Anyone wishing to help this worthwhile project may give his money to Mrs. Seibel, Room 201.

The club also made favors of sleds filled with mints for on the trays at Gettysburg Hospital during the holiday season. "Here's How" the spirit of Christmas is shown for the sick at the hospital.

Two boxes of Christmas tray favors for the children of Kernan's Hospital in Baltimore were packed by the F.H.A.

The Student Council sponsored a car drive to the school on Friday and Monday, December 16 and 19. Each student was asked to bring in a can of food so that it could be used in packing Christmas boxes for families of the Community.

Indoor Carnival Makes Large Profit
The recent P.T.A. indoor carnival proved to be an outstanding financial success. A recent statement showed a profit of \$562.18 with gross receipts amounting to \$716.32.

Christmas parties were held throughout the school today. The senior class had a Christmas luncheon at the Taney Inn while other classes participated in games and programs in their homeroom before serving refreshments.

Juniors Plan Holiday Dance
The Junior class will sponsor a New Year Dance on December 30 from 8:30-11:30 p. m. in the school auditorium. George Everly's four piece band from Catonsville will furnish the music. As an added attraction, a queen will be selected by vote from the twelfth and tenth grade candidates. The nominees who have been chosen by the homerooms are the following: Helen Humbert 12A, Marlene Harbaugh 12CG, Doris Bollinger 10A, and Kitty Gartrell 10B.

School will close for the holidays today (Thursday) and reopen on Tuesday, January 3, 1956.

BROTHERHOOD CHORUS ELECTS

The Men's Male Chorus of Trinity Lutheran Church recently held elections for 1956 as follows: President, Herbert Bowers; Vice-President, Elwood Harner; Secretary-Treasurer, Merle Ohler; Librarian, Stanley King; Director, Henry Ackley; Assistant Director, Henry Reindollar; Pianist, Harry Reindollar.

The next regularly scheduled rehearsal will be held on January 2, 1956 the chorus will sing at the Lutheran Church in Uniontown, Md. and on January 5, 1956 at their home church—Trinity Church in Taneytown.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Carroll County Gray Ladies of the American Red Cross gave their annual Christmas Party to 845 patients at the Springfield State Hospital on Tuesday, Dec. 13th.

The refreshments for the party were especially delightful with the cookies, many varieties, having been made by the Gray Ladies, the Girl Scouts and other interested friends.

During the month of November, Gray Ladies contributed 721 hours of service, bringing cheer to the patients at Springfield State Hospital, Fort Howard Veterans Hospital and assisting the staff at the Carroll County Medical Center.

WINNERS IN CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

The judging of the Christmas decorations at homes in Taneytown was made last (Wednesday) evening resulting as follows: Rev. A. W. Garvin, 1st, \$25; George Hemler and Roland Harver, 2nd, \$10; Harry Dougherty, 3rd, \$5.00; Neal Powell, 4th, \$5; and S. E. Breth, 5th, \$5.

The judges were Andrew Mason, Donald Six and Rev. Dixon Yaste.

Christmas 1955

Since that wondrous night of long ago, when an angel of the Lord appeared to the startled shepherds tending their flocks,—and said, "Fear not, for I bring you good tidings of great joy."—Christians have paid homage to Christ, the Son of God, on his natal day.

And so again, as this festive day approaches, let us all pray and give thanks to our Heavenly Father for his great gift to mankind.

In our devotions this Christmas, let us thank Him for his blessings upon us and upon our great country. Let us continue to reaffirm our faith in God, and to follow the Golden Rule.

Let us pray to Him for Divine guidance in our daily lives and to give strength and wisdom to our leaders, to further lead the way towards world peace.

DECEMBER MEETING OF THE D. A. R.

Held at the Home of Mrs. Allen F. Feeser

Mrs. Wesley A. Pickens, Regent, conducted the December meeting of the William Winchester Chapter DAR which was held at the home of Mrs. Allen F. Feeser, Taneytown, on Friday. Miss M. Louise Matthews, Chaplain read the Christmas story from the second chapter of Luke. This was followed by a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Mrs. Helen Reese presented the treasurer's report. The \$5.00 budgeted for the State Chapter House will be allocated for Maintenance and Repairs. Contributions for the purchase of a steam kettle at Tamassee Approved School will be sent to the St. Chairman at once. A marker will be placed on the grave of the late Mrs. Grace E. Miller at a date to be announced later. This marker, bearing the D.A.R. insignia will be purchased by Mrs. F. Donald Shriver, daughter of Mrs. Miller.

The President General's message from the National D.A.R. magazine was read by Mrs. Marsh and Mrs. David H. Taylor presented the National Defense News from the Press Digest. Mrs. Robert Gist, Chairman of American Indians, reported that she had collected \$46 in cash contributions which will be allocated for St. Mary's High School for girls in St. Dakota. A rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Gist for her excellent work on this committee. Boxes of clothing have been sent to St. Mary's School and to Tamassee Approved School.

Since Maryland was the seventh state to enter the union, Feb. 12th in the seventh week in the year has been designated as Maryland Day at Valley Forge National Park. Observance day program will be at 3 p. m. The chapter plans to participate in the "Drive Right" program which is to be sponsored by the State Society. Copies of the Motorist's Prayer, published by the William Winchester Chapter, will again be made available to the public.

Mrs. Allen Feeser, Chairman of the Good Citizen's Committee announced that Dr. John D. Makosky and Prof. D. W. Hendrickson will act as judges in the essay contest which is now being conducted in the eight county high schools. History medals will again be presented at the Charles Carroll and Uniontown Elementary schools and plans are being made to include one more school in the program this year. Mrs. David H. Taylor, Chapter Historian, will make arrangements for the presentation of these medals which are given to encourage interest in the study of American History. Twenty wrapped Christmas gifts donated by Chapter members of the Terra Rubra Society C.A.R. will be sent to Crossmore Approved School in North Carolina.

Following adjournment, The Snow Image, by Nathaniel Hawthorne, was read by Mrs. Feeser. Mrs. John Feeser and Mrs. W. A. Pickens presided at the tea table which was attractively decorated in holiday motif.

The next meeting will be held on Friday, Jan. 13, at the home of Mrs. F. Donald Shriver, Willis St., Westminster.

KIWANIS NEWS

The spirit of Christmas prevailed at the meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Taneytown Wednesday evening at Taney Inn which was beautifully decorated for the holiday season. Group singing of Christmas carols was enjoyed by everyone present.

Mrs. Naomi Dodder and Mrs. Oneida Skiles entertained the group with several Christmas numbers. Mrs. Wallace Yingling was piano accompanist. Wallace Reindollar was in charge of the evening's program.

Santa Claus appeared during the evening and presented each person present with a small gift of candy.

Three members of the T.H.S. Key Club, Glen Copenhaver, John Reever and Robert Simmons, were also present.

P.T.A. MEETING

Elementary School Presents Christmas Program

The capacity audience of the Taneytown Elementary P.T.A. witnessed an excellent program on Tuesday evening, Dec. 20, 1955. The children of the first, second, third, and fourth grades of the school presented an inspirational and entertaining Christmas program.

The meeting was officially opened by Mrs. Charles Hopkins, President of the P.T.A., greeting those present. The school orchestra played two numbers, "Frostie, the Snow Man", and "Jolly Old St. Nicholas". One of the school children impersonated Santa Claus and he introduced the various grades and their performances. The first grade pupils made their appearance first and presented the audience with a solo as well as the group singing "Away in a Manger" and "Silent Night, Holy Night". The second grade pupils had a number of recitations plus group singing and rhythm band numbers. Gloria Copenhaver did an excellent piece of work on the accordion playing two numbers. There were two playlets given by the two different divisions of the third grade pupils. Each child participating enacted his part very well. The rest of the program included various numbers by the flute band made up of pupils from the fourth grade, a dance by two snow men, and a piano duet played by Barbara and John Rinehart. The meeting convened with the audience singing two beloved Christmas carols accompanied by the orchestra, and the flute band. A closing prayer was offered by Rev. Ellsworth, after which the audience was dismissed with a feeling of good will and the true spirit of Christmas.

H. S. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Taneytown High School Alumni Association was held December 19, 1955, at 8 in the high school.

The Association paid for five new uniforms and jackets for the high school varsity basketball team.

The annual banquet will be held on June 2, 1956. The committees for the banquet are: Menu committee, Audrey Fair, chairman; Luella Harner; Ticket committee, JoAnn Dougherty, Alice Frock, Phyllis Smith and Miss Bankard; Orchestra Committee, Doris Harner, Everett Hess, Bobby Boone and Carrie Ruth Claybaugh. Table and decoration committee, James Sell and Betty Jane Hahn and all the seniors.

Murray Baumgardner and Janet Joy will audit the books.

Officers for the coming year are Pres. Robert Waddell; Vice-President, Harry Dougherty, Jr.; Secretary, Alice Frock; Treasurer, Phyllis Smith and Historian, Doris Harner. The Alumni Association wishes to express their sincere appreciation for the officers who did such an effective job this past year.

Delicious refreshments were served by Jimmy Sell. Next month's refreshments will be served by Thelma Motter and Dean Nusbaum.

LODGE HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

Taney Rebekah Lodge held their regular meeting last Friday evening with their Christmas party and scrap social. The committee was Mrs. Ernest Sentz, Mrs. Rosa Sipes and Mrs. May Shipley. They had a very nice program.

Paul Myers, of Union Bridge played the cornet; Bobby Hook, Pleasant Valley the accordion. The first number was jingle bells, the Christmas story was read by William King; Prayer, Ernest Sentz; Song, Hark the Herald Angels Sing; Reading, a visit from St. Nicholas by John Settle; Joy to the World; Reading, Ready for Christmas by Mrs. John Settle; Readings by Mrs. Carrie Weishaar and Miss Carole Sentz; Song, Away in a Manger and Silent Night; Matt. 2:11 was read by Mr. William King. Everyone enjoyed the evening very much.

After this the gifts from Secret Pals was exchanged, and new names drawn. We are wishing each and everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

SCOUTING ACTIVITIES IN TANEYTOWN

Workers Needed to Serve as Den Mothers

CUB SCOUTS

Taneytown Cub Pack #714 held its regular monthly meeting Thursday, December 15, at 7:30 p. m. in the main auditorium of Trinity Lutheran church. The audience of Cubs and parents were entertained in a very delightful manner by the showing of two educational and one comedy film by Mr. Carroll Willide and his son. The entertainment was presented through the efforts of Pack committeemen Mr. Robert Simmons, Sr.

Cubmaster Kenneth Shorb presented advancement and elective awards to the following Cubbers; Eddie Simmons, Carroll Crum, Michael Cutsail, John Shorb, William Shank and John Hawk.

The December theme carried through the Dens was Christmas customs in other lands, the Cubbers enlightened the parents of these numerous customs. Cubmaster Shorb announced the next Pack committee meeting will be held Jan. 5 and the next Pack meeting to be held Thursday, Jan. 26, using as the theme Pirates Waters, Skit pertaining to Piracy will be presented by the three Dens. It was emphasized that there are more boys wishing to join the Pack but due to the inability to locate Den Mothers and enough personnel to fill the Pack Committee these boys must be denied the fine opportunity of receiving this first step in Boy Scouting.

The meeting closed with the Cub Scout Prayer. TAKE CARE OF MY CHILD, BUT DON'T BOTHER ME WITH DETAILS.

Our committee planned a Pack meeting the turnout was shamefully small—With so little parent interest, Why do they bother at all? If those few that attend all the meetings, (and does that include you and me?)

Are the only ones willing to help them Then you know they must feel all at sea.

Three or four cannot make a Pack go; So it really a mystery to me—If you can't be bothered with your son THEN WHY IN THE DICKENS SHOULD HE?

BROWNIE TROOP

One of Brownies Troop 820's projects for the past few weeks has been the gathering and decorating of pine cones for the Perry Point Veterans Hospital. Monday the troop leaders and a committee of Brownies composed of Linda Ohler, Darlene Haines, Karen Fiscus and Robin Fair delivered the finished cones to the Red Cross office in Westminster.

On Thursday night, at 6 p. m. Troop 820 joined other Taneytown Girl Scouts in carol singing.

This Troop will resume meetings on Monday, January 9th.

SCOUT NEWS

Cub Pack 714, sponsored by the Trinity Lutheran Brotherhood met in the church at 7:30, Thursday evening, Dec. 15. Kenneth Shorb, cub master, was in charge of the meeting. The theme of the evening was "Christmas Customs in Other Lands." Several very interesting films were shown by Mr. Lloyd Willide. Members of the pack made presents for their parents. Orders were taken for fruit cakes for the benefit of the pack. The meeting was closed with the use of the Scout prayer.

TANEYTOWN SCOUTS ADVANCED IN RANK

The fall and winter progress of Troop 348, both Boy Scouts and Explorers (Continued on fifth page)

CHRISTMAS BANQUET

The employees and families of the Taneytown Grain & Supply Co., held a Christmas banquet in the assembly hall last evening, Wednesday, Dec. 21. A delicious turkey meal with all the trimmings including home-made ice cream was served.

A fine program was rendered by the younger guests unsolicited. Miss Jackie Jester recited a poem entitled, "Long, Long Ago"; Miss Bonnie Brown, two clarinet numbers, "Silent Night" and "God Rest You Merry Gentlemen"; a reading by Miss Anita Jester; "The Little Match Girl", and a solo by little Pattie Jester "Jingle Bells".

The president Mr. Norville Shoemaker was then called to the floor by the toastmaster Mr. Theodore Jester. Mr. Shoemaker extended words of praise and appreciation for the cooperation of all in bringing the year to a successful close.

Mr. Norman Baumgardner, manager elaborated on the president's remarks and told the Christmas story in a form that was pleasing to all. Each employee was given a minute on the program at which time Mr. Carroll Hess told of his recent visit to Purina Mills at St. Louis. He was impressed very much by the courtesy shown by the Vice-President, Mr. Meade Summers and felt we were fortunate to be associated with a feed mill that is managed by men of such high caliber.

Mr. Norman Baumgardner then extended his wishes for a Merry Christmas with the presentation of gifts to all employees. A gift in turn from the employees was presented to Mr. Baumgardner by the toastmaster. After singing "Silent Night" the group returned home well filled and looking forward to another year of enjoyment together. There were 31 present.

"SPICE 'N' EVERYTHING NICE"

(Your Chatty Column)

With all my heart, I wish you every morning a smile that shall last until the next day's dawning. I wish you health—life's greatest wealth! I wish you always near so that I may help to cheer Each future day and in some way—help to bring you happiness!

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Across the many miles to my dear Readers! As I finished trimming the nice and big all white tree in the Parsonage living room the other day which I must always do before the big day due to the fact there the many parties before Christmas and so I like to have the atmosphere prevailing throughout. I sat down in the big arm chair and fell to reminiscing! The house was very quiet almost dusk and somehow it was wonderful sitting in the quietness alone.

Other Christmases came back to me as a child in Philadelphia when there was so much real celebration. The Christmas tree those days was never trimmed or brought into the house until the last minute of the night before when all the children were snug in their beds!

We lived in a row of houses in the big city in the middle of the block. We did not have a open fire place so the stockings were hung always on a thick rope which was strung from one side of the wall to the other in our bedrooms which we could gaze upon as we awakened! All kinds of goodies were in those bulging stockings and then at the very toe would be a very special gift for each child! I remember the lovely ring which was my first glamorous one with pearls surrounding a small Emerald (my birthstone) and in the shape of a Forget Me Not! I loved that best of all and I was just thirteen!

Then as I looked out of the window there was the snow—oh—so deep—we did have such real snow storms those days and somehow it always snowed on Christmas Day or late in the night before!

It was just before dawn when all the children would tip-toe down stairs long before my Parents would awaken and there were the toys, the beautiful tree, the huge doll and expensive gifts from my wealthy cousins (who never forgot their poor relations!) And that regardless of the holiday!

The children's shouting—"Oh, look at mine and look at this. Just what I wanted!" And many other exclamations of joy. Those days, Christmas was really more for the children.

The trees were trimmed with much tinsel and paper ornaments with the huge colorful balls from Germany and it was as tall as the high ceiling of the Drawing or Sitting room.

Then at a very early hour, there was that nice Postman loaded down with gifts in the huge leather brown bag on his back and the colorful cards being handed in each doorway. He used to have high hip boots. It all is so vivid right now! I use to carry the big turkey in the pan all ready for the baker's oven about two blocks from the house and that would be baked on Christmas morning for the small price of 15 cents! Then as I would go back for the well roasted turkey the aroma was delightful to the nostrils (as I carried it carefully home) Fathers seemed to be so different those days—they took more time with their offspring and (I do think it was wise!)

Then we sat down to the big feast and even the cooking was different those days so bountiful and all sorts of recipe of the grand state of Pennsylvania. Those pumpkin pies had a taste all their own. Then, too having large families was really the thing for it kept the parents with a youthful mind at all times being interested what the children were doing regardless of the type of enjoyment.

There was so much joy—no talk of Wars or unsettled conditions. Christmas Day was truly a lively one in our home and at the end of the day, the children were glad to be placed in bed to look forward to the entire week of a holiday. Suddenly, I heard as I sat there in the chairs reminiscing, "Oh! Mamma—where are you? I'm starved!" bringing me back to the very moment of another Christmas coming!

So folks, I'll be thinking of all of you and only wish that I could clasp your hands this very Christmas morning. Until next week, D.V. And don't eat too much turkey! Think about the following lines.

May the Love

that

The Son of God

Brought into the World

on

The First Christmas Day

Start

In your heart and home

A Bonfire of joy

THIS CHRISTMAS!

I am,

Faithfully,

YOUR OBSERVER.

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A CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Sunday School and Youth Fellowship of The Piney Creek Church of the Brethren will render their Christmas program Friday evening at 7:30. A program of recitations and songs will be given by the Sunday school. The Youth Fellowship will present the play "Christmas in the Cobbler Shop."

The service Sunday morning, beginning with Sunday School at 9:30, followed by the Worship Service, will be shortened so they can be concluded by 11 o'clock or earlier. Rev. M. A. Jacobs is pastor of the church.

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CHRISTMAS

"And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul." Genesis 2:7.

These are the words from the book of Genesis which tell of the creation of man. Who can say what meaning they hold?

All evidence of human existence disappears a comparatively small way back along the shadowy corridors of time. Man is a rank newcomer among all the multitudinous variety of creatures which inhabit the earth. Despite its apparently late emergence on the scene, the human mind sets man apart from all other life. It holds within its concept the spiritual center of his being. Its unexplored depths of understanding are the wellspring from which will flow the creative, questing, imaginative ideas that have the power to change the character and face of the world we live in.

That the mind of man could have evolved through some natural process of selection in so short a time seems utterly impossible to many learned students of the subject. Some have called human evolution "explosive" in its rapidity. Perhaps, as some have said, a spiritual force no science can discover created this marvelous mechanism against all the apparent laws of nature. The ability to believe in such a spiritual force is part of the essential nature of all humanity and lends meaning and substance to individual lives, hopes and aspirations.

Once again this Christmas season Christians everywhere will rejoice within their hearts as they commemorate the birth of Him whose teachings of humility, faith, responsibility and love hold the answer to most of the world's problems.

A sublimation of human nature which resulted in fewer actions being motivated by greed, jealousy, and hope of selfish gain would make it mandatory for nations to observe a code of honor in their dealings just as responsible individuals must. It is not too much to believe that the spiritual force that created the marvel of the human mind will show the way to the wisdom and strength necessary to make this a better world—one of peace founded on fair dealing and trust between all peoples.—Industrial News Review.

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

PENSACOLA, FLA., STANDARD: "Buy your stocks from reputable brokerage houses, do not invest in the many uranium and oil stocks until you have consulted with a brokerage expert, who has investigated the stock, and never buy hurriedly . . . to get in on a windfall profit, which must be taken advantage of immediately."

MARYVILLE, TENN., ENTERPRISE: "Electronics can even be a very decisive prenatal influence in a pig's life; it is now possible to record the genealogical records of hybrid sows on punched cards and have them fed into a complex business computing machine which thereupon will produce a card describing the kind of boar and sow needed to produce the healthiest and heftiest baby pigs. Old McDonald's farm was never like this!"

ANTIGO, WISC., DAILY JOURNAL: "One of these days someone will demand that Washington guarantee profitable operation for those engaged in distribution as well as for those engaged in production. They probably won't get it, with producers and consumers united in opposition, but it will stimulate some logical thinking."

TANEYTOWN ORGANIZATIONS

Taneytown Chamber of Commerce meets on the 4th Monday in each month in the Municipal building at 8:00 o'clock. Merwyn C. Fuss, Pres.; 1st Vice-Pres., David Smith; 2nd Vice-Pres., Carroll L. Wantz; Secretary, Bernard J. Arnold; Treasurer, Chas. R. Arnold.

Taneytown Fire Company, meets on the 2nd Monday each month, at 7:30 p. m. in the Firemen's Building. President, Donald Clingan; Vice-Pres., David Suesek; Recording Secretary, Chas. Smith; Financial Secretary, Augustus Shank; Treasurer, David Smith; Trustees, Wilbur P. Miller, Jr., David Hiltbrich, Richmond Miller; Chief, Chas. D. Baker.

The American Legion — Heason-Snyder Post No. 120 meets third Thursday of each month at 8:00 P. M. in the Legion Home. All service men welcomed. Commander, James D. Ficus; Adjutant, Stanley W. King; Treasurer, Robert Wantz; Service Officer, Francis E. Lookingbill.

Monocacy Valley Memorial Post #918, Harney, Md., meets on 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month in the V.F.W. Hall, Harney, Md. Commander Roy B. Overholtzer; Adjutant, Ralph Vaughan; Quartermaster, Harold Bell.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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RALPH EVERETT HESS,

late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 25th day of June, next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of November, 1955.

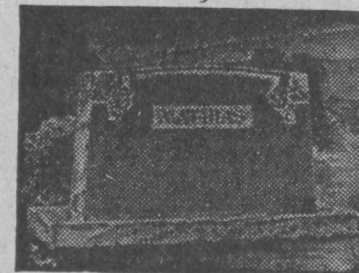
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In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County:
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Estate of Annie E. Mehling, deceased.

On application, it is ordered, this 5th day of December, 1955, that the sale of the Real Estate of Annie E. Mehling, late of Carroll County, deceased, made by Charles Mehling and Mary Mehling Keefer, Executors of the last Will and Testament of said deceased, and this day reported to this Court by the said Executors, be ratified and confirmed unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 16th day of January, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll County, before the 9th day of January, next.

The report states the amount of sale to be the sum of \$7,250.00.

J. WALTER GRUBBINE,
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W. ROY POOL,

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Christmas IS commercial in some aspects. Thousands of people earn a livelihood working the year around in toy shops or factories which produce Christmas specialties. This, in itself, does not make Christmas "too commercial," for toymakers have produced Christmas novelties for hundreds and hundreds of years. In

No—"Too commercial" is an

overstatement. Christmas is too

commercial only in the minds of

grown-ups. If we think so, let's

work to see that the "true spirit"

of the season abounds about us

and not attempt to take away from

children the joy of one of the great-

est moments in their young lives

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CURRENT EVENTS

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Electric Light Sure. No trouble about securing a satisfactory franchise. The joint meeting of the town authorities and representatives of the Electric Light Company last Saturday, was harmonious and satisfactory to both sides. Messrs. J. Milton Reifsnider and B. Frank Crouse represented the town and company respectively, and through questions and answers the wishes of both sides were reduced to a few concrete points, over which there was but little real conflict of opinion.

Rentzel-Reid—On Dec. 17, 1905, by Rev. B. F. Clarkson, Mr. John W. Rentzel and Miss Nora Reid were married in Bruceville.

Leppo—Keefer—On Dec. 17, 1905, near Taneytown, by Rev. Wm. E. Wheeler, Mr. Arthur C. Leppo, and Miss Irene B. Keefer were married.

Harner-Hyser—On Dec. 21, 1905, at the U. B. parsonage, Taneytown, by Rev. E. C. B. Castle, Mr. Clinton M. Harner and Miss Goldie B. Hyser, both of Harney were married.

Dr. and Mrs. Milton Valentine, of Gettysburg, celebrated their golden wedding, Monday, on which date, fifty years ago, Dr. Valentine was united in marriage to Margaret G. Galt, of Taneytown. Their four children and seven grandchildren were present.

Christmas Services in the Taneytown Churches.—Exercises at the Presbyterian church will be held this (Friday) evening, at 7 o'clock. The service "Beautiful Christmas Gifts" will be rendered, consisting of music and recitations.—The Lutheran exercises will be held on Sunday night, when the service "King Eternal" will be rendered. The Sunday School will participate, assisted by the choir.—The entertainment of the U. B. Sunday School will be held on Sunday evening, a service entitled "The Christmas Country"—The Reformed Church will celebrate Christmas, on Sunday evening, with a service of song and recitations.

3-DAY CIRCUIT OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

The Taneytown Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses will be attending a three day circuit assembly in Red Lion, Pa., Friday, Saturday and Sunday, December 23-25. All sessions of the convention will be held in the Red Lion High school auditorium, Charles and Henrietta Sts. The purpose of the assembly is for Bible instruction and concentrated gospel preaching in the area, Mr. Ervin M. Jacobs, Jr., congregation servant announced today.

All three days of the assembly will consist of morning, afternoon and evening sessions of Bible talks, discussions and demonstrations, which are open to the public without charge.

Mr. L. L. Roper, of New York will be the featured speaker of the event. He will appear on the program all three days and will deliver the main public address at 3 p. m., Sunday, Dec. 25, on the subject, "Overcoming The Fears Of This Generation."

Delegates from eleven cities in Maryland and Pennsylvania will attend.

CHARLES E. RECK HONORED

At a meeting of the Westminster Rotary Club on Wednesday, December 14, Mr. Charles E. Reck, Supervisor of Elementary Schools for Carroll County, was honored by the presentation of a certificate from the Treasury Department. This certificate was presented by C. Ray Fogle, member of the Rotary Club and Chairman of the Savings Bond program for Carroll County. Mr. Fogle presented the citation to Mr. Reck for his efforts and the results obtained in the public schools toward the promotion of the Treasury Department's Saving Stamp and Bond Thrift Program. Mr. Reck has been handling this work in the schools for a number of years and the Treasury Department has been extremely pleased with the results. Mr. Reck has been Supervisor of Elementary Schools for the Carroll County Board of Education since 1935.

The present retirement pay of a Master Sergeant in the Army after thirty years of service is more than three thousand dollars per year.

THE HOLY CHILD

Holy Child, Infinite Love,
Came to earth from heaven above;
No room in the Inn for Him to stay,
But in the manger filled with hay,
The Holy Child so peacefully lay—
The Holy Child so peacefully lay—

Loud the herald Angels sing,
Praises to the new-born king.
On that night so clear and still,
Loud hosannas the heavens fill;
Peace on earth, and to men good-
Peace and good-will.

Shepherds watched their flocks that night,
Gazed upon that glorious sight
Heard the herald angels sing,
Heard the heavenly chorus ring,
Glory to their Lord and King—
Their Lord and King.

Yonder Star, in eastern sky,
Shed its glorious beams on high,
On Bethlehem, so meek and mild,
The host of heaven looked down and smiled,
Upon the mother and Saviour Child—
The Saviour Child.

Wisemen, too, came from afar,
Guided by the Eastern Star;
On bended knee to their Saviour cling,
Gold, frankincense and myrrh they bring,
Presents to their Heavenly King—
Their Heavenly King.

EXAMINATION FOR SUBSTITUTE MAIL CLERK AND CARRIER

An examination for Substitute Clerk and Substitute Carrier for duty at the Taneytown, Maryland Post Office was announced today by the Director, Third U.S. Civil Service Region.

The initial basic rate of pay for substitutes in first and second-class post offices is \$1.82 an hour. This is an increased rate for this position. Applicants must either reside within the delivery of the Post Office or be bona fide patrons of each office. A written test will be given; no previous experience or education is necessary.

Applications for this examination will be accepted until January 10, 1956.

Interested persons may obtain further information and the necessary application forms from the Taneytown Post Office or from the Director, Third U.S. Civil Service Region, 107 U.S. Customhouse, Second and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia 6, Pennsylvania.

This is a nationwide new recruitment program announced by Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield through the U.S. Civil Service Commission to attract desirable new career employees into the postal service where vacancies occur.

DRIVE FOR RETARDED CHILDREN A GREAT SUCCESS

Funds collected in the recent drive for retarded children in Carroll County has reached the sum of \$7,244.44. This figure does not include a nine-passenger station wagon being donated by the Mt. Airy Lions Club for use in that area.

The Carroll County Association for Retarded Children takes this opportunity to express its sincere appreciation to all who gave thanks by giving to help bring a 'new dawn' for the retarded children of this county.

The chairman of the fourteen districts were as follows: Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. George Wetzel; Franklin, Mrs. John Carmody and Mrs. Arthur Shipley; Freedom, Mrs. Gertrude Nichols; Hampstead, Rev. Russell Fink; Manchester, Rev. Eugene Young; Mt. Airy, Mrs. Pat Haller, Mrs. Preston Brown, and Mr. Leander Hoad; Myers, Rev. Christopher J. Noss; New Windsor, Mrs. Wagner Miller; Taneytown, Mrs. Charles D. Baker; Middleburg, Mrs. Raymond Selby; Uniontown, Mr. Bill Cartzen-dafner; Westminster, Junior Womens Club, Mrs. William Hering, President, Mrs. Oliver Spangler and Mrs. Kale Mathias, co-Chairman; Woolerys, Mrs. Carl Lassiter. The Junior Chamber of Commerce (Mr. Norman Green, President, and Mr. George Billingslea, Chairman) solicited the retail merchants of Westminster.

Special thanks go to these people, their solicitors, and to all others who helped to make this first drive the tremendous success it was! It is inspiring to the members of the Association to know that the people of Carroll County share their concern for the needs of these innocent children.

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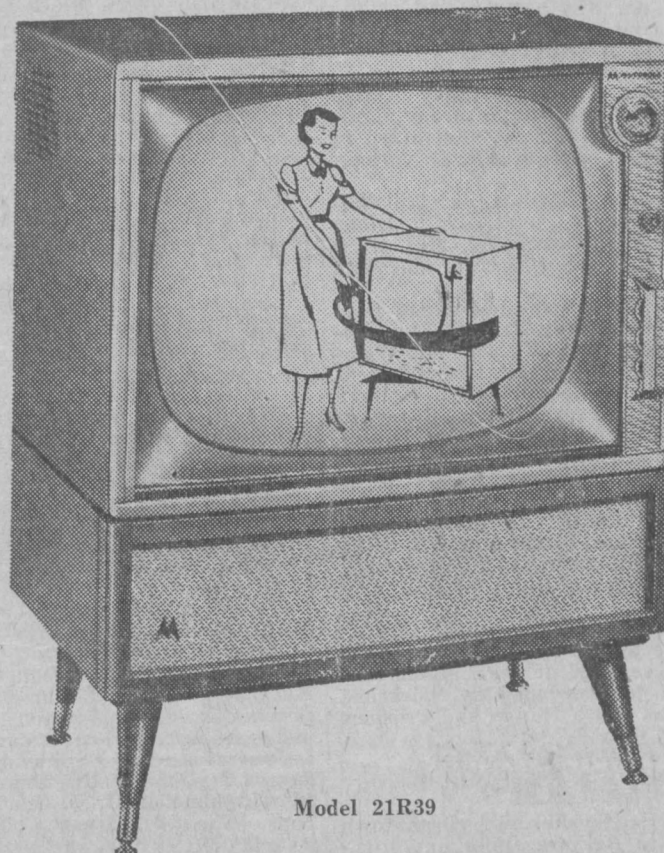
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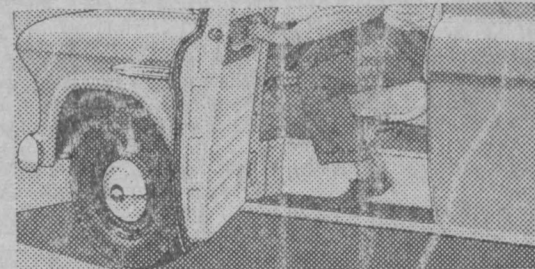
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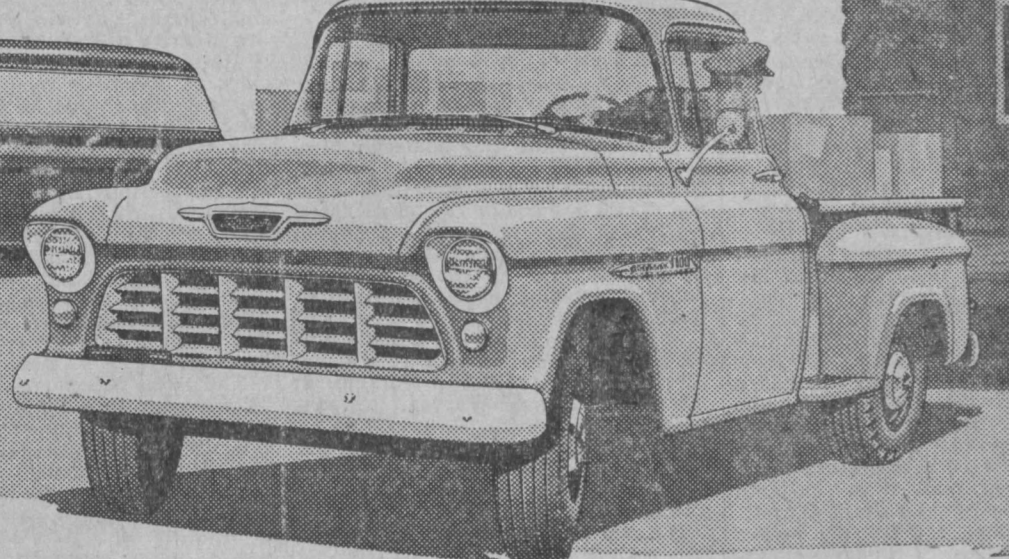
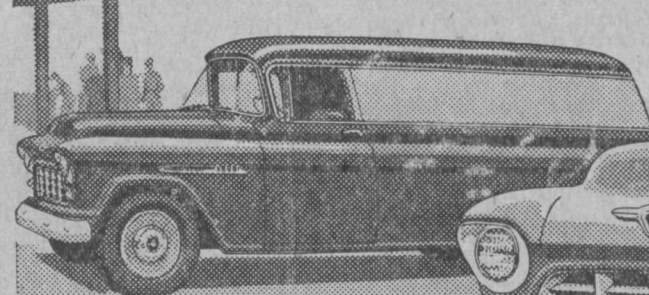
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Latest Items of Local News Furnished
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We desire correspondence to reach our office on Wednesday, if at all possible. It will be necessary, therefore, for most letters to be mailed on Tuesday morning. Letters mailed on Wednesday may not reach us in time.

HARNEY

Services Sunday, Dec. 25 at St. Paul's Lutheran will be at 9 a. m. one hour service of Church and Sunday School combined. The Christmas program will be in the evening at 7:30.

The Christmas services at Harney EUB will be Monday evening, Dec. 26, at 7:30.

The guest speaker at St. Paul's Sunday morning was Mr. Clark Zambun, of St. David Union Sunday School near Westminster. Elmer Shildt is the superintendent of St. Paul's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shriver spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shriver and son, in Gettysburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Haines and family, of Sykesville and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Snyder and daughters, Connie and Patsy, of Reese, were last week visitors with Mrs. Margaret Haines and daughter, Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crouse made a business trip to Hanover, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Welty and son, Ronnie, visited Sunday in Baltimore with Mrs. Welty's sister, Mrs. Stuart Topper.

Pvt. George Shriver spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shriver.

Miss Margie Coott spent a few hours Wednesday with Miss Ruth and Samuel Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Moose and son Gene, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Moose and daughter, Karen, Baltimore, Md.

Saturday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Overholzer were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rose and children, Jimmy, Tommy and Randy, Gettysburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Connor and children, visited Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bridinger and daughter, Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cline, Greenstone and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wantz were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harner and family, in Emmitsburg.

Mrs. Claude Conover, left Sunday to spend the holidays with her son, Merle, in New Jersey also visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Valentine Wilmington, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Koontz and son, near Bonneville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kump and Mrs. Effie Freeman, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harner and Mrs. Luther Fox, spent Friday afternoon in Gettysburg.

Miss Ruth Ridinger a student at Western Maryland College is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Ridinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kalbfleisch and daughter, Clare, came from Baltimore Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Hannah Eckenrode and played Santa to Samuel D. Snider and sister, Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bridinger attended the VFW banquet at Gettysburg Sunday afternoon.

A turkey and oyster dinner was served at the home of Mr. William Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wantz, Jr., to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vaughn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vaughn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ridinger and family, Harney; Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Fleagle and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Clem, of Thurmont and Mrs. Esther Vaughn.

The Primary Department of St. Paul's Sunday School held their Christmas party Sunday afternoon in the Parish House.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cline, Greenstone, visited Saturday evening at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wantz and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Fuss.

Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kump were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Moose and daughter, Cheryl, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moose and daughter, Debra.

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Overholzer were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Croushong and daughter, Cheryl Lynn, Taneytown and Mr. William Kreit, Westminster.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Reifsnider, of Blue Ridge Summit, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. George B. Marshall and family.

Mrs. Cletus Reeve's class held their Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Reaver.

Quite a few homes in this village are beautifully decorated for the holidays. Mr. Carroll Selby's home is attracting much attention. He has a miniature church displaying the Nativity, it is equipped with a record player playing Christmas carols. Mr. Selby as well as others deserve much credit for their interest in the birth of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Efsa. William S. Snider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Snider, Gettysburg, Pa. R. 3 has completed nine weeks basic training at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Bainbridge, Md. Upon completion of a 14-day recruit leave, Snider will report to N.T.C. San Diego, California for 24 weeks of electronics field training.

Mr. Snider is a nephew of Ruth and Samuel D. Snider and a grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. William A. Snider, of this village.

The Harney Vol. Fire Co. will hold a Christmas party at the fire hall, Friday evening, Dec. 23, at 7:30 of this vicinity. Bring your children out. There will also be a program for the grownup folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Valentine and Mr. and Mrs. Murray Fuss attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Ellen Trimmer in Hanover, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wantz, Mrs. Samuel Valentine and Mrs. M. O. Fuss attended a Christmas entertainment in Greenstone, Pa., Sunday evening.

Rev. Charles Held, Mr. Floyd

Strickhouser and Mr. Simpson Shriver were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolff.

Mrs. C. C. Little, Taneytown, is spending a few days with her nieces, Mrs. Samuel Valentine and Mrs. M. O. Fuss.

There will be no services in the E. U. B. Church on Sunday. The Christmas program will be given on Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. There will be the singing of the Carols and two sound pictures will be shown, "The Night Before Christmas" and "The Little Lamb". The closing part of the program will be the candle-lighting service in honor of Christ's birth.

FAIRVIEW

There isn't much news this week with no visiting done and no one called, so will give some nice poems to read instead.

YULETIDE

by Irma Ross

Just a little more patience,
Just a little more cheer,
A little more laughter
For children to hear.
A mound of forgiveness,
A little less speed,
And more of remembering
Our fellowman's need.
Just a little more living,
Just a little more love:
These are the things
The season's made of!

Mrs. Charles Frook and son, Steven Eugene, returned from the Gettysburg Hospital to their home in Taneytown on Sunday noon.

BUT ONCE A YEAR

"Christmas comes but once a year"
Is an old familiar phrase
But what do you do with Christmas
Through all the other days?
With Christmas trees and Santa Claus
And tinsel shining bright,
Many often fail to see
The star that shone that night.
Oh, truly Christmas is a time
For joy and much good cheer,
And a lot that goes with Christmas
Should come but once a year,
But the true meaning of Christmas
Is the love the Christ Child brought,
This should not just once a year—
But all your days be sought,
Please carry through the year to come
The love that Christ came to say—
And you will find within your heart
It's Christmas every day.

We were very sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Harry Gilbert, by our paper arriving two days late we knew nothing of it until after her burial. We deeply regret we did not get to view the body and extend our heartfelt sympathy to the surviving son and daughter. So we do at this time extend our sympathy to them and their friends.

Here's hoping all have a happy week-end. We take this means of extending our best wishes to the Record and its staff and all its readers.

Merry Christmas everybody.

FRIZELLBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Master were pleasantly surprised on Saturday evening, Dec. 17, when relatives and friends met at Trinity Lutheran Parish Hall, Smallwood, for their annual family Christmas party, and to celebrate the silver wedding anniversary of Clarence and Edith. The hall was trimmed for the Christmas season and the table was lovely decorated with a three-tier wedding cake, silver bells, silver candles and reindeer. Mr. and Mrs. Master received lovely and useful gifts and delicious refreshments were served. We wish for Clarence and Edith many more happy years of wedded life.

Christmas services will be conducted in Baust Reformed Parish House this Sunday morning at 8:45. There will be no church school preceding the service.

The congregational meeting will be held New Year's Eve, at 9 p. m. and Watch Night Service at 11:30. Holy Communion, New Year's Day, at 10:30. Rev. M. S. Reifsnider, pastor.

Tamara Myers is ill at her home with an attack of pneumonia.

Fay and Gayle Brown, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Brown are both in bed with the same disease. Hope all will be up and out for Christmas.

C. E. Wise, Jr., says, we seem to be able to love ourselves without any trouble at all—Why should it be difficult to love our neighbor?

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barrick entertained their children and grandchildren to a Christmas dinner at their home on Sunday.

Wilbur Sullivan, Westminster, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Mazie Sullivan and family. Mrs. C. O. Sullivan and son, Ray, of Frederick, spent Sunday in the same home.

Services this Sunday at the Church of God, Sunday School at 10 a. m. A Christmas program will be given on Saturday evening, at 7:45. Rev. J. H. Hoch, pastor.

Services at Emmanuel Baust Lutheran Church Christmas Day will be: Church School, at 9:30; Worship, at 10:30. Rev. Donald Warrenfeltz, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baust and son Tony spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hyle and daughter Denise.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstead Mason visited with Miss Annie Sell at Glover's Nursing Home and they also visited with Rina Zile at the County Home on Saturday afternoon.

The Uniontown Planning Group No. 3 held their annual Christmas party and oyster supper at the Pipe Creek Church of the Brethren on Tuesday evening with a good attendance. Mr. Paul Hull, the president, had charge of the meeting. Rev. and Mrs. Harold Bomberger were invited guests. Mr. John Young led in group singing, accompanied by Mrs. Bomberger. Mrs. Morgan Hutchinson was in charge of gifts.

The Women's Missionary Society of Emmanuel Baust Lutheran church met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Delmar Warehime with Mrs. Martin Koons in charge of the following program: Christmas Invitations was read responsively; hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," followed with scripture and prayer; pageant, "What Do the Christmas Carols Say?" narrator, Mrs. Harry K. Myers, Mrs. A., Mrs. Martin Koons;

solo, O Holy Night, Patsy Lambert, accompanied by Marlene Zimmerman; angel, Isabelle Warehime, Mary, Helen Zimmerman, Joseph, Mary Grace Hailey; solo, Away In A Manger, Wanda Hailey; song, Silent Night; shepherds, Edith Master and Grace Weishaar with solo part; Come and Worship by Patsy Lambert; song, As With Gladness Men of Old; wise man, Alice Marker; Song, Joy to the World. Mrs. Ella Rinehart read the Thanksgiving thought; Light and Life, by Alice Zimmerman, Mrs. Baer and Grace Myers. The vice president, Mrs. Edward Hailey, conducted the business meeting. White gift offering was taken for Southern Mountain Work at Konnorok, Va. Mrs. Delmar Warehime gave a report of the Fall Convention at Dobs. It was voted to send a gift of money to the Hebrew Mission, Baltimore. A nice sum of money was received from Audrey Buffington from the sale of greeting cards. Thank you notes were read from Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Black and Grace Myers. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mary Grace Hailey with Isabelle Warehime as leader. At the close of the meeting light refreshments were served. Decorations were in keeping with the holiday season.

Only a star, yet by its light
Wisemen were led that wondrous night.
Only a stall, obscure and dim,
But we hold it dear, for it cradled Him.

Only a song from out the sky,
Yet its hope for men can never die.
Only a Child on a bed of hay,
But His love still lives for us today.
—Edith S. Butler

Wishing you a very merry Christmas,
Health and a prosperous New Year.

UNIONTOWN

Members of the Bethany Circle went carol singing on Saturday night, after which they were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Putman.

Mr. Sterling Spielman, of Philadelphia, visited his aunt, Mrs. Diene Heck, over the week-end. Mrs. Heck accompanied her nephew to his home for a visit.

Recent visitors at the home of Paul Leatherman were: Mr. and Mrs. Roland Child, son Michael, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Merle Reddick and Mr. Geo. Reddick, Walkersville; Mr. and Mrs. Kermie Boone, of York; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Powell, of Mountandale, and Mrs. Laurence Gillingham, of Ellicott City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Devilbiss, grandson, Russell Devilbiss, visited Mrs. Devilbiss, brothers and families. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hahn and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hahn, of near Emmitsburg.

The correspondent would like to take this means of expressing to the Editor, the staff of the Carroll Record and to everyone the "Merriest Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year."

DETOUR-KEYSVILLE

John Heltbride, of Uniontown along with Barbara Ohler and Richard Welty on Sunday afternoon visited Richard's grandmother, Mrs. John Heltbride, who is a patient in the Maryland University Hospital, in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ohler, Camp Gordon, Ga., are expected to be in Keysville at the home of his mother, Mrs. Virgie Ohler over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilhide, Keysville, are expecting their son, Fred and his wife, Verona to be with them on Dec. 21, 22 and 23 and leaving on the 24th.

Mrs. Melvin Bostian and son, Petie were recent Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Schaffer and family, Linda and David, of Keysville.

The Keysville Reformed Church will hold their annual Christmas service on Christmas Eve at 7:30. Everyone is welcome.

Guests with the Carroll Wilhides on Sunday were Mrs. Edith Pycha and her mother, Mrs. Owings, Baltimore and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simmons and family, Taneytown.

The Union Bridge 4-H Girls Club held their Christmas meeting at the home of Miss Peggy Frook, of near Detour on Tuesday evening, the 13th of Dec. The regular meeting date of this organization was changed to the 3rd Monday of each month.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Keysville held a Christmas party at the church on Saturday evening. Thirty-one persons attended. The group gave a gift to Miss Jean Stonifer in gratitude for her untiring instruction and work with these boys and girls. A birthday cake was given by Mrs. Coshun for her son, Jimmie who was eight years old on Saturday. Jimmie was surprised and pleased when everyone sang "Happy Birthday" to him. Mothers and other guests attended with the members.

The High School Society of C. E. at Keysville is planning to go Kriss Kinging on Tuesday evening, Dec. 29. Terry Coshun, children of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thomas, the Donald Hoffs young son, Donnie, Jane Wilhide and probably a lot of others have been on the sick list. There is a great deal of sickness around.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Emory Barnhouse and family, of Emmitsburg, in the tragic death of her husband last week. Mrs. Barnhouse is the former Miss Annabelle Grossnickle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Grossnickle, who died on right outside of Detour on the road to New Midway.

Another pet is missing—the sad owners are the Harold Thomas family of Hollow Rock Farm. Missing since the 9th of December is their police puppy, Champ, almost a year old and wears a red collar. The nicest Christmas present the Thomas family could get would be to get their dog back.

Edward Coshun of Redland assisted his brother-in-law and his wife and family move into their newly built home at Frederick, on Thursday of last week. The ones who moved were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, Sandy Sue and Dennis.

The Santa climbing the ladder at the Edward Coshun's was very interesting as long as he stayed there—

understand the wind took him down. Santa and the fireplace on the porch at the T. C. Fox home in Keysville is unusual and pretty.

The Keysville Lutheran Church Women (Missionary Society) held their White Gift Service last Tuesday evening. Mrs. James Unglesbee and Mrs. Gregg Kiser were the leaders. Glad to have one of our faithful regular members, Mrs. Charles Cluts, able to attend. The gifts for the Rocky Boy Indian Mission were very nice. Mrs. Gilbert Stine, Mrs. Robert Stine and Mrs. Mark Baumgardner were the hostesses and fixed the basement so that everyone enjoyed the refreshments in a very festive Christmas atmosphere. Mrs. James Unglesbee was presented with a Life Membership for her little daughter, Gail and a Life membership was given to Mrs. Russell Stonifer who is bulletin chairman.

Charles Cluts returned to his home at Riverdale Farm last week. He had made his second visit to Frederick Memorial Hospital. Best wishes for a Christmas that's Merry—but probably very quiet at home, for he and Mrs. Cluts.

Merry Christmas to the staff of "The Carroll Record".

DIED

MRS. AMOS TRIMMER

Mrs. Martha Ellen Trimmer, 82, died Thursday, Dec. 15, 1955, at 1:20 p. m. at her home, 10 South Street, Hanover, Pa., following an illness of four years. Born Dec. 31, 1872, in Carroll County, Md. she was a daughter of the late Henry and Martha Angel Aulhouse. Her husband, Amos Trimmer, died Dec. 8, 1912. Mrs. Trimmer retired 14 years ago from the Hanover Wire Cloth Co., where she was employed for 29 years. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, York Street, and the Sunday school class taught by Mrs. May Senft.

Surviving are two children, Miss Catherine Trimmer, at home, and Mrs. Kenneth Burgard, 256 Princess St.; one grandson, a brother, Harry Aulhouse, York, and a sister, Mrs. Chas. Little, Taneytown.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 1:30 p. m. at the Frederick Bucher funeral home, Frederick Street, Hanover. Burial was in the Taneytown Lutheran cemetery.

MRS. HARRY O. GILBERT

Mrs. Florence May Gilbert, 77, Union Bridge, widow of Harry O. Gilbert, died at 7:50 a. m., Wednesday, Dec. 14, 1955, in Frederick Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. She was born in Carroll County, a daughter of the late John T. and Mary Whitmer Cline. Her husband died 10 years ago.

Surviving are two children, Earl Myers, Taneytown, and Miss Elizabeth Gilbert, Union Bridge; one granddaughter and three sisters, Mrs. Marvin Cashman, Silver Run; Mrs. Brodie Gilbert, Washington, and Mrs. Sadie Gilbert, Union Bridge.

Funeral services were held last Friday at 2 p. m. at the Union Bridge funeral home of D. D. Hartzler and Sons. The Rev. Ernest Colwell, officiated. Burial was in the Lutheran cemetery, Uniontown.

JOHN V. LOWMAN

John Vernon Lowman, 87, formerly of Unionville, who for the past several years resided with his son, Roy, New Windsor, died Wednesday, Dec. 14, 1955, at the Church Home Hospital, Baltimore. He was born in Carroll County. His wife, Fannie, died 27 years ago.

Surviving are two sons, Roy, New Windsor, and Monroe, Unionville; eight grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Fannie Rhinecker, Baltimore.

Funeral services were conducted last Saturday at 1:30 p. m. at the Lowman home by the Rev. C. L. Robson, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church, New Windsor. Burial was in Lingamore cemetery, Unionville.

PAUL S. HERRICK

Paul S. Herrick, 34, Highland Township Orrtanna R. D. 1, died at 5 p. m. Friday, Dec. 16, 1955, in a Harrisburg Hospital after an illness of five years. He was born in Uniontown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Herrick, Orrtanna R. D. 1, Herrick, who was a farmer, and his family moved to Adams County from Manassas, Va., 12 years ago.

He was a veteran of World War II and served as a sergeant for more than three years, much of the time in the Pacific Theatre.

Surviving in addition to his parents are four brothers, John Herrick, Seven Stars; Joseph Herrick, Damascus, Md.; Frank Herrick, Washington, and George Herrick, at home, and a sister, Mrs. Buck Daley, Quantico, Va.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the Bender funeral home, Gettysburg. The Rev. Mahlon Clarke, officiated. Burial was in the Gettysburg National cemetery.

JACOB J. TOPPER

Jacob John Topper, 54, Emmitsburg R. D. 2, died Sunday, Dec. 18, 1955, at 12:15 p. m. at St. Agnes Hospital, Baltimore. He had been in ill health for the past three years. A lifelong resident of Frederick County, he was a son of the late John D. and Annie Zurgable Topper. He was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg, and the Holy Name Society. Mr. Topper was employed by St. Joseph's College, Emmitsburg. His wife, Helen Myers Topper, died Nov. 30 this year.

Surviving are 12 children, Rebecca, David, Paul, Theodore, Geraldine, Edward, John and Lucille, at home; Mrs. Josephine Krietz; Mrs. Elizabeth Kaas and Clyde Topper, Emmitsburg R. D. 2; Mrs. Anna Little, Thurmont R. D. 2; 11 grandchildren and a brother and three sisters, Lewis Topper, Mrs. Edward Ling, Mrs. Herbert Miller and Mrs. George Cool, Emmitsburg. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday with friends and relatives meeting at the Allison funeral home, Emmitsburg, at 8:30 a. m. followed by requiem mass, at 9 a. m. in St. Joseph's Catholic church. The Rev. John Sullivan was celebrant. Burial was in St. Joseph's Catholic cemetery.

MRS. JOSEPH L. BAUST

Mrs. Emma Jane Baust, 88, a resi-

COMMUNITY LOCALS

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Miss Ruth Himes, from Chester Springs, Pa. visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Fleagle, Middle St.

Mrs. Maude Norton, Littlestown, Pa., left the 21st to visit her cousin, Mr. Sampson Plummer, at Portland, Maine.

Merritt Copenhaver, Lebanon Valley College, is spending the holidays with his family Mr. and Mrs. Harry Copenhaver.

The Daughters of America will hold their Christmas party and covered dish social this Friday evening, Dec. 23, at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley King and daughter, Anne, will spend Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer King, at Odenton, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lambert and family will have his father, Mr. Oliver Lambert and aunt, Miss Mabel Lambert to Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mehrling will spend Christmas day with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Teeter, Gettysburg, Pa.

Mr. Glenn Dayhoff and Mr. Clarence Stonifer were elected deacon and elder, respectively, at Keysville E & R Church last Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Arnold will spend Christmas day with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wm. Nicol, of Washington Grove, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carpenter and Mrs. Mary A. Coyne expect to spend Christmas with their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wilkinson, Baltimore.

Mrs. Chester Cartzenafner and Mrs. Lyle White entertained their Sunday School classes of the United Brethren Church to a Christmas party Thursday afternoon in the basement of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Putman who are on a trip to the Pacific Coast writes us on Dec. 17: "Having a wonderful vacation—crossed the Rio Grande River, over into Mexico. Have been in Hollywood N.B.C., C.B. S."

On Dec. 23rd, Pvt. Richard D. Ohler of Mill Avenue, will leave Ft. Jackson, S. C., to spend a 10 day furlough with his wife and relatives. His present address is U.S. 52 406 560, Co. F, 516th ABN., INF. Regt., 101st Div., Fort Jackson, S. C.

On Monday evening the Youth Fellowship of Grace E & R Church went Christmas carolling, singing at the homes of 17 of the members and friends of the congregation. A social period in the dining room of the church followed.

On Saturday evening the office employees of the Cambridge Rubber Co., their wives, husbands and friends held a Christmas dinner, at Bankard's Restaurant, Gettysburg. All present enjoyed the delicious meal, the pleasant conversation and the singing of Christmas Carols.

Mrs. G. W. Milne fell and broke her hip on Nov. 16 at her home in McMinnville, Oregon. She is now staying with her friend, Mrs. Smith of Springfield, Oregon. Mrs. Milne, who is 87 years old was before marriage Miss Laura Overholzer of the Taneytown community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bigham, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. William Bigham and family, Fairfield, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shoemaker, Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Shoemaker, Red Lion, will spend Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Norville Shoemaker and Mrs. Abbie Angell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander will have a pre-Christmas dinner Friday. Those present will be Mr. Alexander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Alexander and sisters, Miss Mary Louise Alexander, Washington, D. C., Miss Dorothy Alexander, Baltimore, and Mr. Harmon Bickley, of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

The Carroll County Gray Ladies of the American Red Cross held a meeting at Sunset View, Monday night, Dec. 12 at 8 p. m. The chairman, Mrs. Robert Baumgardner, held a short business session followed by an informal Christmas program. Program committee was: Mrs. Gladys Baile, Mrs. Marie Barber, Mrs. Bertha Stone and Mrs. Hattie Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Alexander and daughters, Misses Mary Louise and Dorothy Alexander will leave Saturday to attend the wedding of their son and brother, Andrew D. Alexander, Jr. to Miss Joy Alexander, Oklahoma City, Okla. The wedding will take place on Dec. 29 at 7 o'clock in the First Baptist Church in Oklahoma City by the Rev. E. George Becker.

dent of Westminster, died Monday afternoon at the Ibox nursing home, Westminster, where she had been for two years. She was the widow of Joseph L. Baust. Mrs. Baust was a charter member of the First Church of God, Westminster, and an active member of the Sunday school. She was a daughter of the late David H. and Sarah Rigle Warehime. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Boylan and Mrs. Jane Snyder, Baltimore; one grandchild and two brothers, Homer M. and Grover C. Warehime, Westminster. Funeral services will be held today (Thursday) at 2 p. m. at the J. E. Myers, Jr., funeral home Westminster. The Rev. Franklin Brose, Frederick, former pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Westminster Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express sincere thanks to our friends and relatives for sympathy cards and floral tributes following the death of our mother, Mrs. Florence Gilbert.

HER CHILDREN, EARL MYERS
AND ELIZABETH GILBERT

Mrs. Allen F. Feeser, of Taneytown, entertained the Silver Fancy Garden Club members at a luncheon and bridge, Monday, Dec. 12. Mrs. Feeser had the luncheon at Taney Inn and cards later at her home. Bridge and canasta were played and unusual prizes were awarded the winners of both games. Fruit punch, Christmas cookies and fruit cake were served during the afternoon.

This year the New Year's Eve hour of worship, sponsored by and supported by the churches of Taneytown will be held in the Lutheran Church at 11 p. m. on Dec. 31. The Rev. Mr. Arthur Garvin will be the preacher and each of the churches will have special musical or reading numbers to present. It is hoped that the community as a whole may see the passing of the old year and the arrival of the new year in the fellowship of God as they are assembled in His House of Worship.

The Graceful Workers Sunday School Class of Grace Reformed Church held their annual Christmas party in the dining room of the Parish House last Thursday evening. A most delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served. Before the dessert was served the group joined in singing some familiar carols and enjoyed a program presented by several members of the class. After the program was presented several games were played. "Here Comes Santa Claus" heralded the arrival of Santa Claus who gave each member their gift. There were nineteen members and guests present, and everyone departed with an abundance of holiday cheer.

CARD OF THANKS

SPECIAL NOTICES

THE TANETOWN PHARMACY will be open on Monday, Dec. 26, 1955 as follows: 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m.

GIVING UP APT.—Selling contents, Living Room Suit, Dishes, Lamps, etc., privately call Baltimore Madison 3-0161M, 2135 Bolton St., Baltimore 17, Md. 12-22-55

XMAS SPECIAL—\$8.75 Parker "21" Fountain Pen and Pencil Sets; specially priced for Xmas \$6.75—Taneytown Pharmacy.

FOR RENT—A 4-Room Apartment in Harney, with hot water heat.—Apply to Luther Ridinger.

BEAT THE TAX: Stock up on Cigarettes and Cigars now at The Taneytown Pharmacy, and save money; New tax on these items goes into effect on Jan. 1, 1956.—Taneytown Pharmacy. 12-22-55

GIVE "HIM" an Electric Shaver for Xmas we carry Schick, Remington, Ronson, Sunbeam, Norelco. Liberal trade-in allowance for your old shaver.—Taneytown Pharmacy.

SMALL SHOATS for sale, 9 weeks old.—Roy Baumgardner, near Keyville, Phone Taneytown 4873.

FOR SALE—One-half Steer.—Tommy Hess, Otterdale Mill Road.

FOR SALE—10-room Double House with Brick Siding, located at 12 and 14 George St., Taneytown. This house has bath, built-in kitchen units, 2 wash houses, 3 car garage, large lawn and garden. Good condition. Apply—H. Lee Haifley, 12 George St., Taneytown, Md.

WE HAVE a car of 42-lb. Bulk Rec. Oats that is due to arrive the first part of January for 96c per bu. Let us have your order now. Phone 3261 Southern States Taneytown Co-operative, Taneytown, Md.

HAY FOR SALE—Russell Bohn, Keymar, Md. 12-22-55

FOR SALE—Man's 3-pc. Suit, like new, size 42; one Jacket, new, size 42.—Phone Taneytown 4644.

FOUND—Ladies' ring in Taneytown Post Office, Dec. 19. May be had by paying for this ad and describing at 10 Mill Avenue. Phone 3464.

WILL DO—Wood-sawing with new McCulloch chain saw. Robert Bollinger, Taneytown. Phone 5481, after 5 o'clock 3566. 11-17-55

FOR SALE—Turkeys, white or bronze, grain fed, 12 to 28 lbs., alive or dressed.—Charles Humbert, Mayberry. Phone Westminster 286J3. 11-24-55

BARGAINS—3 International Milk-bags \$100; Pump \$75; Baltimore or Washington Milk Cans, \$1 and up; 10-can front opening Milk Cooler, \$395; 10-can Verticool Cooler, \$195; Kelvinator Beverage Cooler \$49; new Universal Milk, Wilson Milk Coolers and Freezers; Hudson and Loudon Feed Trucks, Stanchions, Water Bowls, etc.—John Roop, Linwood, Phone Union Bridge 4403. 11-4-55

FOR SALE—Girl's 26-inch Columbia Bicycle, good as new.—Jean Luckenbaugh. Phone Taneytown 4634. 12-15-55

FOR SALE—Timothy Hay and Alfalfa Hay—William Sell, Otterdale Mill. 12-15-55

SANTA CLAUS will be at the Taneytown Pharmacy in person every night from 7 p. m. to 9:30 p. m. from Friday, Dec. 16th to Dec. 24th, inclusive. Free Treats for all the Kids. 12-15-55

THE TANETOWN PHARMACY will be open on Saturday night, Dec. 24th (Xmas Eve) until 9 p. m. for your shopping convenience. Depend on The Taneytown Pharmacy for service. 12-15-55

WANTED—Deer Hides, Beef Hides raw furs.—Myrie R. Devillbiss, Taneytown, Md. 12-15-55

LAWN MOWERS, Clipper Blades, Ice Skates and Circular Saws gummed and Sharpened. Phone Taneytown 3598 Blanchard's Service Shop. 12-18-55

FOR RENT—2 or 3 Room Apartment.—Apply Dr. Carroll Dorn, 58 E. Baltimore St., Taneytown, Md. 11-17-55

STONERITE ROOFING (Asbestosized Aluminum) will close up the leaks in metal and asphalt roofs. \$3.00 per gallon at The Reindollar Company. 11-17-55

CHICKS—Hall Brothers Chicks are yearly producing outstanding records. You can cash in on this bigger Egg profit, too—Prove to yourself what 10,000 annual buyers of Hall Brothers Chicks already know. Come in and place your order today at the Taneytown Grain & Supply Co. 3-4-55

FOR SALE—New and used Typewriters and Adding Machines, Ribbons and Carbon Paper. Also Machines for rent.—Charles L. Stoner, Representative of Remington Rand, Inc. 5-9-55

BE PREPARED—For the unexpected. Let us insure you adequately.—Percy M. Burke, 251 E. Main St., Westminster, Md. Tele. 1120. 4-15-55

LADIES—Do you want healthy luxurious Potted Plants for the winter? Use B. C. A. (Bacterial Compost Activator) a plant culture teeming with Soil Bacteria. 50c per lb. will take care of all of your indoor flowers, all winter. Many other uses. Come in and ask about it.—The Reindollar Company, Phone Taneytown 3303. 12-1-55

BABY CHICKS—New Hampshire and Rock Hamp, cross, each week All state blood tested.—Stoner's Hatchery, Keymar, Phone Taneytown 4931. 7-2-55

NOTICE—Barber Shop open daily Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 10 a. m. to 9:30 p. m.; Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, 8 a. m. to 10 p. m.—J. Salley 8-18-55

CHURCH NOTICES

St. Joseph's Church, Frederick St. Rev. Stephen D. Melycher, Pastor. Sunday Masses, 8 and 10:30; Week-day Mass, 6:30; Holy Days Masses, 6 and 8; First Fridays, 6:30; Confessions on Saturdays, 4-5 and 7-8, also Sunday before Mass, Confessions on Holy Days and First Fridays before Masses; Baptisms on Sunday, 11:30.

Walnut Grove Dunkard Brethren Church at Kump's—Sunday School, at 9:30 A. M.; Preaching, 10:30 A. M.—Howard Surbey, Minister.

Uniontown Lutheran Parish. Rev. Donald Warrenfeltz, Pastor. St. Paul's—Christmas Eve Service, 7:30 p. m.; Worship, 9:30 a. m.; S. S., 10:30 a. m.

Baust—Christmas Program, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.; S. S., 9:30 a. m.; Worship, 10:30 a. m.

Mt. Union—S. S., 9:30 a. m. Winters—S. S., 10 a. m.; Worship, 11 a. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown, the Rev. Stanley B. Jennings, Pastor.—9 a. m., Church School, An Active Class for Every Age; 10 a. m., The Service.

Church of God, Uniontown Circuit. Rev. John H. Hoch, Pastor. Uniontown.—S. S., 9:30 a. m. Mr. Sterling Smith, Supt. Preaching service, 10:30 a. m. The 35th Prayer Circle Anniversary on Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Kermit Roth, of York, Penna., will be the guest speaker. Wakefield Sunday School, 9 to 10 a. m. Mr. Charles Hahn, Supt.

Frizzellburg Sunday School, 10 a. m. Mr. Howard Carr, Supt. Mayberry—Sunday School, 11:15 a. m. Mr. Wm. Lawyer, Supt.

Keymar Holiness Christian Church. Rev. Paul E. Freeman, Pastor.—9:30 a. m., Sunday School; 10:30 a. m., Worship and Christmas message. A fine Christmas program has been arranged for Sunday evening at 8 p. m.

Keysville Evangelical Lutheran—S. S., 9:30; Worship Service, 10:30; Annual Service, Friday evening the 23rd, at 7:45.

Grace Evangelical & Reformed Church. Rev. Morgan Andreas, Minister. Keysville—9 a. m., The Lord's Day Worship with preparation for the Lord's Supper to be administered on Jan. 1; 10 a. m., S. Ch. S. The annual Christmas program will be presented this Saturday night at 7:30. It will include a pageant, "Three Candles."

Taneytown—9:30 a. m.; S. Ch. S. for all ages; 10:15 a. m., The Lord's Day Worship with nursery for small children; Thurs., 7:30 p. m., The Preparatory Worship and the Lord's Supper.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church (Harney)—9 a. m., Worship, combination service and Sunday school; 7:30 p. m., Christmas program.

Mt. Joy Luth. Church—8 a. m., worship. Combination service and Sunday school; 7:30 p. m., Sat., Dec. 24, Christmas program. Chas. E. Held, pastor.

Taneytown Evangelical United Brethren Church. Rev. A. W. Garvin, pastor. Taneytown—9:30 a. m., S. S. and Christmas program with a playlet, "Getting Ready for Christmas," and an exercise, "Christmas, Christmas Everywhere," and several recitations. The classes will meet at their regular class session for enrollment totaling, then will meet for the program. The treat for the pupils of the school will be given on Sunday morning, Wed., 7:30 p. m., Bible study and prayer service. Thurs., 7:30 p. m., Ladies' Aid and Brotherhood meeting.

Barts—No services on Sunday. Monday, 7:30 p. m. the Christmas program. Carols will be sung, two sound pictures will be shown, "The Night Before Christmas," and "The Little Lamb." Closing the service with the Candle-lighting event in honor of Christ's birth.

Presbyterian Church. Rev. Gideon E. Galambos, Minister. Piney Creek.—9:30 a. m., Worship Service; 10:30 a. m., S. Ch. S.

Taneytown—10 a. m., S. Ch. S.; worship service, 7:30 p. m.; tonight, (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. the S. S. Christmas service.

Emmitsburg—S. S., 10 a. m.; 11 a. m., worship service.

LINOLEUM RUGS—9x12 at \$5.95 and up.—Reindollar Bros. & Co. 10-20-55

FOR SALE—Turkeys, White and Bronze, alive or dressed.—Carl Haines & Son, Phone Taneytown 3181. 10-27-55

PAPER HANGING and all other jobs of interior decorating including plaster repairs. Call Ralph Davidson for a look at latest Wall Paper samples.—Taneytown 4792. 11-1-55

NOTICE—Dial 3483 for your Sand, Stone, Blocks and General Hauling, Fertilizer and Lime.—Thurston Putman. 7-21-55

CARD PARTY—Every Monday night beginning at 8 p. m., in the V. F. W. Hall, Harney, Md. 9-8-55

FOR SALE—Used Frigidaire Refrigerators, \$10 down.—Potomac Edison Co. 3-31-55

CARD PARTY—Every Saturday night, Harney Vol. Fire Co. Hall at 8 p. m. (EST). 9-29-55

FOR SALE—Patz Barn Cleaners, and Silo unloaders.—J. H. Ommert, Phone 4364. 10-20-55

2nd FLOOR OF OPERA HOUSE for rent. Suitable for public meetings, dances and social gatherings. Phone Taneytown 3272 or contact Edward Sauble. 7-22-55

SEE—The Reindollar Company, headquarters for Baugh's Plant Food and Soil Builder Fertilizers. The oldest brand in America. 3-4-55

BIG PARTY every Friday night at 8 o'clock E. S. T. in Harney Fire Hall. 9-29-55

SCOUTING NEWS

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plorer scouts, has emphasized advancement in scout ranks, and the list of awards which have now been received from the Baltimore Area Council office following the last Board of Review is impressive. The initial candidate rank was awarded Scouts John Knox, Roy Chapman, and Larry Clabaugh, and Explorer Ray Ditzler. Second class badges were presented to Explorer Charles Becker and Philip Garrett, and to Scouts Edward Reaver and Frederick Sherman. Earning first class rank were Explorers George Abrecht and Robert Fitz. Star scout rank, which includes 5 merit badges, was attained by Explorers William Abrecht and Harold Slaybaugh. A silver palm was awarded Wilbur C. Thomas.

Besides these ranks, a large merit badge list includes the following specialization subjects and their recipients: Explorers, George Abrecht, canoeing, firemanship, and first aid; Wilmer Barnes, Canoeing, firemanship, and first aid; Charles Becker, cooking; Robert Fitz, firemanship and first aid; Philip Garrett, canoeing, and firemanship; Larry Martin, first aid; William Pittinger, cooking, firemanship, and first aid; Donald Sharer, firemanship; Harold Slaybaugh, astronomy, first aid, and insect life; and scouts, Assistant Scoutmaster, Robert L. Bowers, astronomy; John Myers, reading and scholarship; Francis Nelson, canoeing; Edward Reaver, fishing and home repairs; Charles Turner, scholarship and swimming.

Other recent activities of both groups included a surprise birthday party for Harold Slaybaugh (who is both Explorer senior crew leader and Junior assistant scoutmaster); wood-cutting on the property of A. D. and Henry Alexander; and an Explorer overnight trip to Natural Dam with special emphasis on cooking out of doors, for both lower ranks and merit badge; and a Boy Scout overnight there also during last week-end. This culminated in their Green-Bar session Saturday evening, for which Mr. Bowers prepared the shrimp and for which these Boy Scout leaders, in addition to him, were present to plan the next several months activities: James Hemler, Ronald Hopkins, Myers, Nelson, Reaver, Sherman, Slaybaugh, Thomas, and Turner. Contested are a paper drive in January, a record hop in February, and a very special Scout night in the high school early in March for parents and for new boys, to advertise the Scouting movement in Taneytown.

TANETOWN GIRLS 4-H NEWS

The Taneytown Girls 4-H held their monthly meeting and Christmas party at Jean Howarth's home, Dec. 18th. There were 20 members present with 1 new member, Dottie Simmons. The meeting was opened with the pledge and a song. The roll-call was answered by showing some talent, singing, playing the piano, or reciting a poem.

Miss Joyce Riggs sent two members Betty Stonesifer and Mary Ellen Stonesifer, awards for their entries in the Carroll County 4-H Fair.

The members gave their leader a Christmas gift which was presented by members, games were played, the meeting was adjourned and delicious refreshments were served.

MARY ELLEN STONESIFER

Club Reporter.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir: Please find enclosed check for renewal of The Record for another year for next year. Would not like to be without it.

I look forward to it usually on Saturday a. m. Once in a while it does not arrive until Monday. I lose no time in "devouring its contents."

Must admit I am not familiar with many people there at this time, after leaving Md. 41 years ago.

Wishing you one and all a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Yours truly,

MRS. LELA B. STAHL,
1413 Newport Ave.,
Detroit 15, Mich.

SILVER FANCY GARDEN CLUB MEETS

The Silver Fancy Garden Club had a Christmas luncheon party at the Hotel Gettysburg, Dec. 14, instead of the regular meeting.

Mrs. Alex. A. Koswick was in charge of table arrangements. Red carnations formed the centerpiece and snow men marched down the table length. Individual favors served as place cards. After lunch the club members exchanged Christmas gifts.

The ladies visited the press room in the hotel annex and Mr. Bill Thomas, of Western Union Service explained spots of interest and the Western Union office.

The next regular meeting of the club will be held January 19th, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Cadle, in Emmitsburg, Md.

WESTMINSTER YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The Youth Fellowship held their Christmas party after the church Christmas pageant. There were 16 guests and 13 members present. Everyone enjoyed the refreshments that were served.

TELEPHONE COMPANY PREPARES FOR CHRISTMAS RUSH

In anticipation of the usual Christmas rush, the Westminster office of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company has made plans to have a full force of operators on duty on Christmas Eve, and throughout Christmas Day and December 26. In spite of this, however, since long distance circuits throughout the nation will be tremendously busy. Mr. Morelock, manager, of Taneytown, pointed out there may be some delays on calls made during this period.

Mrs. Smith, Chief Operator, said that the total number of calls, both local and long distance, originated by customers will probably average 25,000 per day during Christmas week. Reduced rates will apply all day on both Sunday, December 25, and Monday, December 26.

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Perfume	\$2.85
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Background Scripture: Luke 1:5-80;
2:29-32;
Devotional Reading: Isaiah 11:1-9.

Christmas Songs

Lesson for December 25, 1955

DID the angels sing when Christ was born? Some prosaic and unimaginative people say they didn't. True enough, Luke never says there was music. All he says is that the "multitude of the heavenly host" (he does not even say they were angels) were praising God and "saying, Glory to God in the highest." Surely Christian art and Christian story is not wrong in thinking of this as song, not mere recitation or speech-making. At any rate, if the angels did not sing such words, the church has sung them. All down through the Christian centuries Christmas has been a singing time. You cannot suggest all that Christmas means in simple spoken prose; you have to sing.



Dr. Foreman
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Beauty in a Jangled World

Luke, who had an ear for such things, put into his gospel not less than four poems connected with the birth of Christ. Of these the "Glory in the highest" is the shortest. The others are the words of Mary (Luke 1:47-55), of Zechariah (1:67-79) and of Simeon (chap. 2:29-32). In the R.S.V. these are printed as poetry, as they really are. (The reader will note other poetic passages, but these are the four most famous ones.) The church has set all these to music many times over, and in some churches they are sung every week. Mary's song like the others has been given a Latin name, from their first words in the Latin Bible: "Magnificat" for Mary's song, "Benedictus" for Zechariah's, "Gloria in excelsis" for the angels', and "Nunc Dimittis" for Simeon's. But modern church-goers do not always realize that each of these poems was called forth in some way by the birth of Jesus. This is as it should be. What poetry is to language and to sound, the coming of Christ is to this world of humanity. In the midst of all the jangling, wrangling, maddening and often meaningless noises of the world, in the midst of all the stupid ordinary soon-forgotten outpouring of talk, talk, talk, a lovely poem comes bringing beauty and meaning, like a rose in a junk-yard. So in the midst of our jangling world Christ comes bringing meaning and joy and peace.

Some Will Not Listen

To some—to too many—Christmas means nothing. "Silent Night" is a tune to be tired of, nothing more. The angels might as well never have sung, the story never written. Readers of TIME magazine will recall an article last July 18 about a writer who is typical of many men and women in these times. He knows there is such a thing as the way of Love, for every cross on every church proclaims it, and every Christmas carol sings it. But he will not accept it. He chooses the way of defiance and despair. To him, life is a wandering in the dark, with nothing but his own candle which will soon go out.

But Some Have Heard

On the other hand there are many, and among them some of mankind's best, who have found in the Christian faith something more than merely a story, a lovely legend, a song for little children, something which it would be pleasant, but impossible, to believe. A good book to get for the new year is one called "This I Believe about Jesus Christ" (edited by J. C. Monsma; Revell & Co., New York). It is a collection of testimonies to Jesus Christ, by an impressive variety of men and women. College presidents, executives of great business firms, scientists, politicians, persons in many walks of life, all write on the same theme, what Christ has meant to them. Any one who thinks that Christianity is a religion only for weak characters ought to read this book. Any one who thinks that Christ is attractive only to children, might well read this book and learn better. The writers by their testimonies show that not alone for ancient and legend-loving times, not only for simple peasants in primitive lands, but for modern men, hard-headed, highly educated, burdened with great responsibilities, Christ brings meaning and beauty as well as power. Strong voices in every land join the heavenly host in praise to God who has given us his Son.

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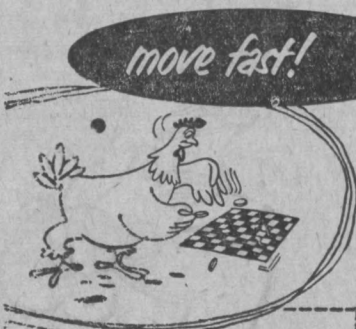
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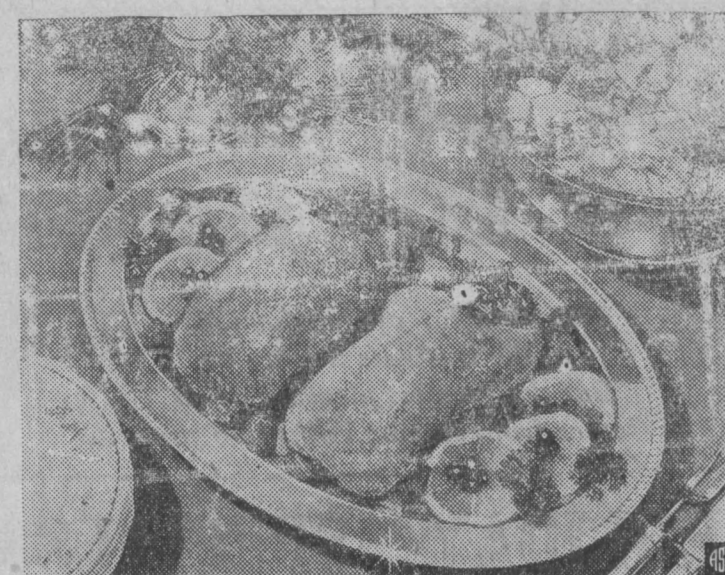
IT'S A CONSTANT SOURCE OF AMAZEMENT to see the small fry pack away a gigantic holiday dinner... and then tackle extra treats like these popcorn balls. Here's an easy recipe that makes a big hit:

MOLASSES CHOCOLATE STUDED POPCORN BALLS

3 quarts popped corn 2 teaspoons cider vinegar
1 cups real New Orleans 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
molasses 1/2 teaspoon salt
3/4 cup sugar 5 tablespoons shortening
1/4 cup water Chocolate bits

Pick over popped corn; discarding all hard kernels. Combine real New Orleans molasses, sugar, water, vinegar and salt; cook slowly, stirring constantly, to 260° F. (or when a small quantity dropped into cold water forms a hard ball). Remove from heat; add vanilla extract and shortening, stirring only enough to mix. Pour over popped corn, stirring until well-blended. Grease hands. Shape popcorn mixture lightly and quickly into balls, incorporating several chocolate bits into each ball while shaping. Cool. Wrap into waxed paper. Makes 28-30 balls. (ANS)

Gourmet Dish For The Holidays



Every gourmet lives for the day when there is a feast at every table. Now while the holidays hum with occasions to entertain, you can please all lovers of fine food with this new and interesting main dish that is calculated to bring out the gourmet in all of us.

Bring plump and tender Roast Wild Duck to the table on your best platter and inspire your guests with the spicy aroma of wine, fine herbs and orange slices as the knife carves each serving of this succulent dish. The delicate seasoning is easily achieved by using one envelope of Good Seasons dry salad dressing mix, a combination of herbs and spices that you can gently rub in the fowl all at once. No need to hunt for many rare spices and bother with their measurement—the unique combination comes ready mixed for you in the package.

Roast Wild Duck

2 one-pound wild ducks 1/4 cup diced onions (optional)
1 package Good Seasons Exotic 1/2 teaspoon coarse
Herbs Salad Dressing Mix black pepper
6 celery stalks 1 cup New York State
2 tablespoons melted butter Burgundy
or salad oil 1/4 cup diced orange

Clean and wash duck thoroughly; singe and wash again. Dry with paper towels. Rub inside and out with dry dressing mix. Break celery stalks, without removing leaves, into pieces same length as ducks; stuff into body cavities. Place ducks in roasting pan; brush with butter. Roast in hot oven (400° F.) about 10 minutes, or until lightly browned, turning once. Pour off excess fat. Turn ducks breast side up and cover with onion, pepper, wine, and orange. Return to oven and roast 20 minutes longer for very rare, 40 minutes for medium, and 1 hour and 5 minutes for well-done duck. Remove celery stalks before slicing. Makes 4 servings.

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People May Know

A long time ago an intelligent man phrased a single sentence which has outlived every other thing he wrote. This was Dante, Italian poet. And the deathless sentence he penned reads simply: "Give the people light and they will find their way."

This light-giving function of advertising is one of its most important and fascinating and, yes, in a way, unbelievable aspects.

For of late years men have discovered that, by spreading light through the medium of advertising, they can accomplish unbelievable results—for good.

One of the current advertising miracles is the campaign to minimize forest fires. When forestry men discovered 90 per cent of all forest fires are caused by man, they asked how they could induce man to cause fewer of them. Being tough—and functional-minded individuals, these forestry experts decided to advertise.

You have seen the ads. "Remember only YOU," they told you, "can prevent forest fires." That was putting it on the line. Look at results: In 1942, there

were 210,000 forest fires in this country. They destroyed 30 million acres of valuable forest. Then came advertising, and "Smokey Bear," and your responsibility. And last year there were only 104,000 fires, and the destruction was a third of what it was in 1942—10 million acres.

It's easy to say, "Yes, but that was a big national campaign, and there was a lot of money to spend. Can advertising do just as well on a smaller scale?"

It can. And does. A few years ago, in an egg-producing section of Kansas, a produce dealer decided to help the poultry raisers make more money, hence to enrich everyone in the community.

He began running small ads in the local newspaper. They were simple ads, plain ads, and they merely told farmers what they ought to know about raising chickens, feeding their flock for best results, grading their eggs; just a simple informative campaign. It didn't cost much.

But it produced immense results. Every poultry raiser made more money, and the benefits of the advertising reached every one in the community.

SAVE BY BUYING

By LOUIS LUDWIG

WHY is it that a favorite pair of shoes you have not worn in many months will feel tight or uncomfortable when you put them on? Certainly your feet have not grown so much since the last wearing!

The fact is that your feet do change in the course of the year, but your shoes change even more! Leather—and practically every other material of which shoes are made—tends to lose its essential oils after a while; in time, even the most expensive shoe will therefore harden, curl up or otherwise lose its shape.

It is a good idea, for the sake of your health and feet, to have a variety of pairs of shoes, suitable for different activities so you can enjoy at least one change during the course of the day.

Tall and slender women are fortunate in that almost any well-fitting shoe will look good. These women do well to attract attention to their feet.

Good fit, in the long run, is most important. The most beautiful shoes in the world won't do you any good if you can't wear them.

In open-toed shoes, the toes should reach the end of the in-

sole when you stand up; toes should never extend over the insole.

The inside of the heel of a shoe should fit snugly so the heel of the foot won't rub up and down in walking.

For general wear, heels of 3/4 to 1 1/2 inches are practical; higher heels may be worn for short periods on special occasion. "Flats" are recommended for house or leisure wear.

Lines and colors are, of course, extremely important in the selection of women's shoes.

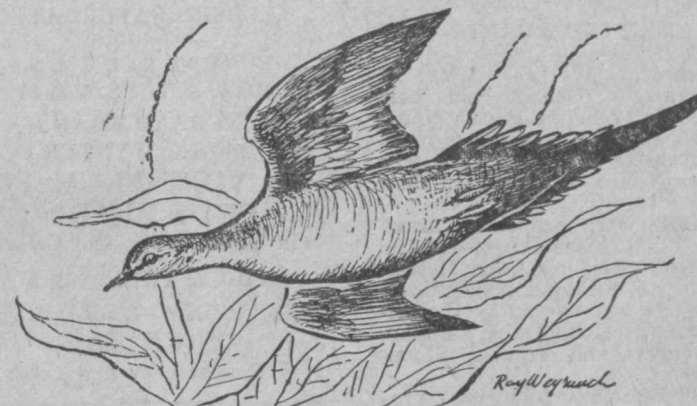
Heavy women should stress length and slenderness of line in shoes.

Your wardrobe should include a pair of walking shoes for general, all around work, several pairs of dress shoes for afternoon and evening wear, sports shoes, for any sports, such as golf or bowling, you may enjoy and leisure time shoes, such as play and casual shoes for relaxation.

Short and slender women should wear platforms or high heels, provided they can still maintain good posture. Simple lines emphasize slenderness.

MARYLAND WILDLIFE

Prepared by the MARYLAND GAME & INLAND FISH COMMISSION



MOURNING DOVE

(Zenaidura macroura carolinensis)

RANGE: Eastern mourning doves, or one of the two subspecies is found in every state, and throughout all Maryland.

DESCRIPTION: Length about 12 inches; long pointed tail; a grayish-brown bird with small black marks on neck; metallic reflection from sides; female smaller than male; wings "whistle" at times when in flight which is very swift. The cry of the dove is a sweet cooing call which has a mournful sound, hence the bird's name.

BREEDING: Builds crude nest mostly in low trees in Maryland, although in some sections where trees are scarce, on the ground; two or more broods a year; lays two glossy white eggs; incubation, by both sexes, about 12-14 days; pair remain mated generally throughout the year. The young are first fed on "pigeon milk" which is food partly digested by parents; there are records of doves nesting in the U. S. A. during every month of the year except January. Nests frequently in small towns

and villages around houses.

HABITS: Gather in flocks in late summer and fall in Maryland, mostly young birds, and frequent corn fields and wheat stubbles; prefers water near by for drinking and bathing, and will fly long distances for it in dry regions, generally early in morning and late in evening just before going to roost. The species is migratory although many mourning doves remain in Maryland all winter.

MANAGEMENT: Some States place the dove on the protected list as is done with song birds; it is considered a game bird in Maryland and 23 other states, mostly in the south.

VALUE: Valued highly as a game bird and prized as food where hunting is permitted. Valuable as a weed seed and insect destroyer at times; much of its food is grain such as wheat, however it is mostly that which has escaped the gleaner and would be lost unless consumed by doves and other wild-life.

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CHURCH SCHOOL AND CONGREGATION ELECT OFFICERS

On Sunday morning the Sunday Church School and the Congregation of Grace Evangelical & Reformed Church elected officers and leaders.

In the Sunday Church School the following were elected: General Superintendent, Mr. Delmont Koons, Sr.; Young People—Senior—Adult Department Superintendent, Mr. George Motter; Young People—Senior—Adult Department Assistant Superintendent, Mr. Singleton Remsburg; Primary—Junior Department Superintendent, Mrs. Ellsworth Lambert; Primary—Junior Department Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. Glenn Martin; Kindergarten—Beginners Department Superintendent, Mrs. William Airing; Kindergarten—Beginners Department Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. Hazel Shriner; Nursery Department Superintendent, Mrs. Delmont Koons, Sr.; Nursery Department Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. Ned Musser; Home Department Superintendent, Mrs. Carel Frock; Cradle Roll Department Superintendent, Mrs. Darrell Nelson; Cradle Roll Department Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. Maurice Parish; Honorary Cradle Roll Dept. Superintendent, Mrs. Emma Rodgers; Young People—Senior—Adult Department Pianist, Miss Alice Rue; Young People—Senior—Adult Department Assistant Pianist, Mrs. Geo. Harman; Statistical—Recording Secretary, Mr. William J. Baker; Assistant Statistical—Recording Secretary, Mr. Roland Reaver, Jr., and Treasurer, Miss Nancy Baker.

The Young People—Senior—Adult Department Song Leader, the Primary—Junior and the Kindergarten—Beginners Department Pianists will be appointed by the Superintendents of those departments. All the officers and teachers will be reconsecrated and dedicated to their respective responsibilities on January 8 as part of the Lord's Day Worship.

The congregation also elected the following persons to serve on the Consistory: Elders, George Motter, Neal Powell and Charles Stoner; Deacons, Donald Baker, Roland Reaver, Jr. and Frank Wargny. They will be installed into office during the Lord's Day Worship on January 15.

A CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Graceful Workers Class of Grace E. and R. Church held their Christmas party in the Parish House on Dec. 15, with 19 members present. The members of the class were very glad to have Mrs. Anderson as their guest.

The tables were beautifully decorated for the Christmas season. The blessing was asked by Anna Motter. The traditional turkey dinner with all its trimmings was served by the following committee, Catherine Clingan, Freda Lambert and Frances Stoner.

After dinner the following program was presented: Opening Song, Hark the Herald Angels Sing; Reading, The First American Christmas; Tree, Mildred Anders; Vocal duet, There were Shepherds, Virginia Baumgardner and Marion Rue, accompanied by Anna Motter; Group Song, O Little Town of Bethlehem; Reading, What Gift Can I Give? Florence Wargny; Piano duet, Two Christmas Melodies, by Anna and Virginia; Group Song, Silent Night.

Games which also kept within the Christmas season were played and enjoyed by everyone.

After the games jolly old Santa Claus arrived and distributed gifts to everyone.

Ice cream and cake was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Florence Wargny January 19th.

A CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

On Christmas Eve, Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown, Md., will be the scene of one of the most impressive Nativity pageants. A large cast and joint choir will present Lyman Bayard's "The Heavenly Host." The pageant is under the direction of Mrs. Mildred Ecker. Mrs. Elwood Baumgardner is coaching the speaking parts. The music is under the direction of Mrs. Wallace Yingling. Miss Hazel Hess is the organist.

This service, which begins at 7:30, Saturday evening, will also feature songs by the various children's departments of the church school. The public is cordially invited to attend.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

This is to give notice that the subscriber, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, in Maryland, letters Testamentary, on the personal estate of

GEORGE W. SHRINER, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 23rd day of July, next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 19th day of December, 1955.

HAZEL D. SHRINER, Executrix of the estate of George W. Shiner, deceased. 12-22-55

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

TOWNE THEATRE
LITTLESTOWN, PA.

TONITE (THUR.) 7 & 9 P. M.
Victor Mature—Jean Simmons

"THE EGYPTIAN"
Cinemascope and Color

FRIDAY ONLY 7 & 9
Robt. Mitchum—Marilyn Monroe
"RIVER OF NO RETURN"
Cinemascope and Color

CLOSED SATURDAY

SUNDAY 2, 4, 7 & 9
MON. & TUES. 7 & 9
RICHARD EGAN
DANIA WYNTER
"THE VIEW FROM POMPEY'S HEAD"
in Cinemascope and Color

WED. & THUR. 7 & 9
JOEL MCCREA—VERA MILES
"WICHITA"
in Cinemascope and Color

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Directors and Lot holders of Keysville Union Cemetery Association will be held in the Lutheran Church, Keysville, Md., January 2, 1956, at 7:30 p. m.

12-22-2t GREGG KISER, Sec.

A Corporal, after two years of service in the Army, receives eighty per cent more pay than a Recruit.

The United States Army has more than five hundred different duty assignments in its thirty career fields.

GEM Theatre

EMMITSBURG, MD.
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TONIGHT & FRI. DEC. 22 & 23

"PUSHOVER"
FRED MacMURRAY
Introducing Kim Novak
Dorothy Malone

SATURDAY, DEC. 24

Closed in the evening.
Free Show at 10 a. m. for the children sponsored by Lions Club.

SUNDAY, DEC. 25

Closed to honor our Lord this Dec. 25

MON.-TUES., DEC. 26 & 27

Kirk Douglas—Silvana Mangano
"ULYSSES"
Technicolor

WED.-THUR., DEC. 28-29

Big Double Feature
GEORGE MONTGOMERY
in

"MASTERS OF KANSAS"

JOHNNY WEISMULLER
in

"CANNABAL ATTACK"



There's a lot of Satisfaction
In the Business that we do
But the greatest pleasure of all
Comes from serving Folks like you.

HOLIDAY SPECIALS

Fruit Cocktail	"Libby's"	1 can .37
CHOCOLATE CHIPS	"Nestles"	2 Pkgs. 39c
CATSUP	"Hunts"	2 bottles .35
CRANBERRY SAUCE	"Ecco"	2 Cans 31c
Sauer Kraut	"Silver Floss"	2 cans .37
SUGAR	"Brown and Pulverized"	2 Boxes 25c
PICKLES	"Sweet Midget (Langs)"	1 jar .43
PEAS	"Green Giant"	2 Cans 39c
Frozen PEAS	"Dulany"	2 boxes .43
SUBURBAN CLUB SOFT DRINKS		2 qts. 27c Plus Deposit
Mixed NUTS		1 lb. .53
FROZEN LIMA BEANS	"Dulany"	2 Boxes 53c
Fresh Roasted PEANUTS		1 lb. .49
ALUMINUM FOIL	"Reynolds Wrap"	1 Roll 25c

Fresh OYSTERS and HAMS
Candy, Nuts, Oranges, Tangerines
And everything to make your Holiday needs complete

OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK

CLOSE XMAS EVE, 6:00 O'CLOCK

CLOSED MONDAY, DECEMBER 26th

We treasure every Friendship—and at this time of year it's a real pleasure to express our grateful appreciation of yours. Your good will completes our enjoyment of this Holiday Season.

Merry Christmas

and a

Happy New Year

DOUGHERTY'S
GREEN & STAPLE
GROCERY
PHONE 3021 TANEYTOWN, MD.

NO TRESPASSING

All persons are hereby forewarned not to trespass on my premises with dog, gun, or trap, for the purpose of shooting or taking game of any kind, or for fishing, or in any way injuring or destroying property. This warning applies to both Day and Night Hunting or Trapping.

Airing, Mrs. Ethel R.
Baker, A. C.
Baumgardner, Roy
Baumgardner, Sisters
Copenhaver, Ralph (2 farms)
Crouse, Harry
Derr, Mrs. Edith
Eckard, Walter S.
Forney, Macie E.
Gartrell, George E.
Haines, Carl
Haines, Fern
Hess, Ambrose L. (2 farms)
Hess, Birdie
Hess, Norman R.
Hess, Mrs. Raymond
Hess, Tommie
Horton, Walter
Jenkins, V. V.
Kephart, Mrs. Charles B.
Lamberton, Harry
Lewis, John P.
Lord, James, Jr.
Mack, Newton G.
Motter, Clarence
Null, Rev. Thurlow W.
Ohler, Mrs. Harry B.
Overholzer, Maurice M.
Peterson, Mrs. Evelyn M.
Reaver, Mrs. Stanley C.
Reifsnider, Richard
Shaum, David B.
Slaybaugh, George
Staub, Clayton
Teeter, Mrs. John S. (5 farms)
Tobhrbaugh, Charles
Tydings, Harwood G.
Valentine, Vergie
Weant, Paul

TANEYTOWN GRAIN MARKETS

Wheat\$1.90 per bu.
Barley90 per bu.



ALL OF US...

at this bank extend to all of our customers
and friends our sincere good wishes for
a Merry Christmas and a New Year of
happiness and prosperity.

The Birnie Trust Company

TANEYTOWN, MD.

(Member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation)

Our
Christmas
List

...the list of the folks to whom we want to extend the season's greetings, is so long that we simply couldn't send individual cards to everyone. So our staff takes this means of wishing all of you, our friends and good neighbors, a sincere and heartfelt "Merry Christmas!"

First National Bank

TANEYTOWN, Md.

Member Federal Reserve System

(Member of The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation)

GREETINGS



1955

Reindollar Bros.

We will do our best to take care of all TV calls received by 6:00 P. M. Friday, Dec. 23, 1955. Any service calls after that will be looked after if at all possible before 6:00 P. M. Christmas Eve, Dec. 24th.

No Service Calls will be made after
6:00 P. M. December 24th

Service calls will be taken care of again Tuesday, Dec. 27th.

Sell's Radio & TV Service
TANEYTOWN, MD.

A Christmas Gift

Do you have a friend or relative that does not receive THE CARROLL RECORD? Fifty-two times a year is an appreciated gift.

Fill in the name and address of the person you wish to receive The Carroll Record.

NAME _____

Street or Route _____

Town _____ State _____

Free: Do you want us to send a Christmas card telling the person who sent the gift?

Yes _____ No _____

Your Name _____ (to appear on Card)

Clip out this advertisement, fill in blank lines, enclose \$1.00 and mail or bring to THE CARROLL RECORD CO., Taneytown, Md. 12-15-2t



W. F. Wilson & Sons, Inc.



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S. Lease Warner



Lambert Electrical Store



J. H. OMMERT



TROPICAL TREAT



BAIR'S FOOD MARKET



ROBERT L. ZENTZ (INSURANCE)



SOUTHERN STATES TANEYTOWN CO-OPERATIVE, INC.



HARMAN'S SERVICE STATION



A glorious
Christmas for
one and all.

Taneytown Mfg. Co.



Merry
Christmas

May each gift you
receive be a gift
of happiness...

Mid-Town Electric



Hello

OUR CHRISTMAS
GIFT FOR YOU
IS A WISH FOR
HAPPINESS...

Eyler's Service Station

* merry
* Christmas *

May the spirit of
the season light your
way through the
coming year



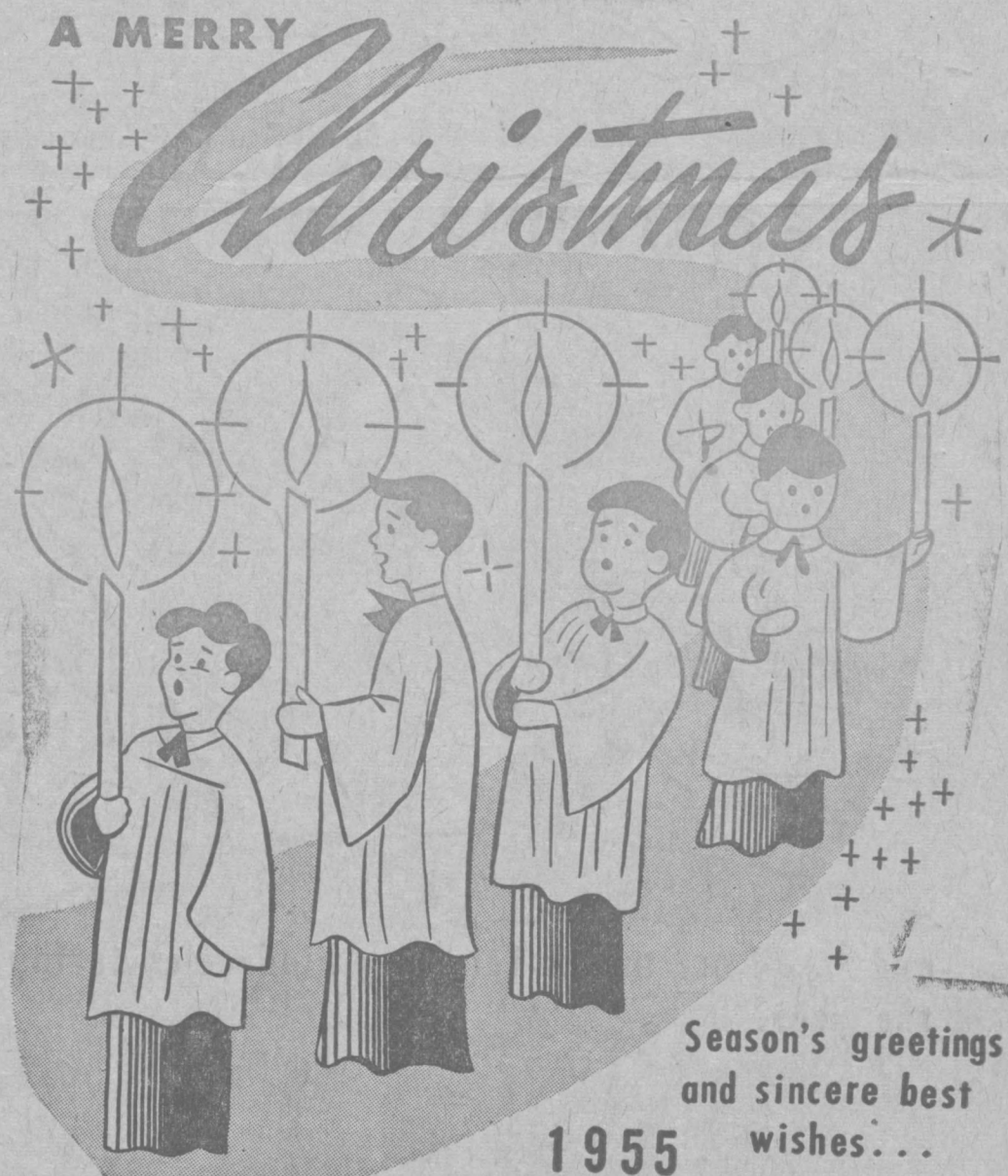
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Buy
and use
Christmas
Seals...

Fight
Tuberculosis!



A MERRY

Christmas

Season's greetings
and sincere best
wishes...

1955

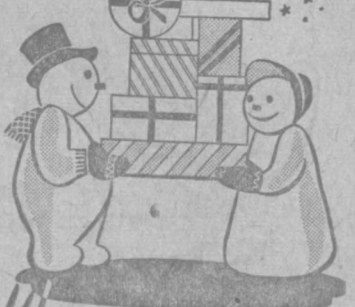
Baumgardner's Bakery



TO ALL OUR
FRIENDS...

BEST
WISHES

MERRY
CHRISTMAS



We hope your holiday
packages are filled
with great joy.

FROCK'S SERVICE
STATION
(KENNETH FROCK, Prop.)

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GOD IS VERY NEAR

In the solace after pain,
In the sunshine after rain,
When you fail—but try again:
God is very near.
In the fruit upon the trees,
In a cool midsummer breeze;
In a baby at its birth,
Any place upon this earth;
In the smile that follows tears,
In the harvest of the years,
In the conquering of fears:
God is very near.
When you help some one in need
With a single kindly deed,
When of selfishness you're freed:
God is very near.

—Carl C. Helm

Too many of us, when we accomplish what we set out to do, exclaim, "See what I have done!" instead of saying, "See where I have been led."

—Henry Ford.
"Education pays—unless you're an educator."—Texas Parent-Teacher.

Christmas Joy



1955

May these be your happiest days

Willow Farms Dairy
(PAUL SELL, Distributor)

HOLIDAY GREETINGS

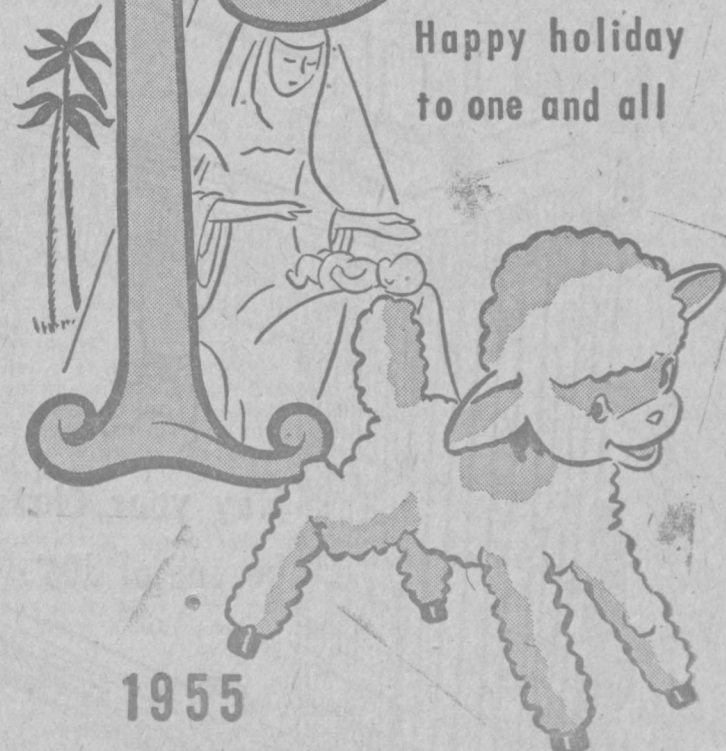


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RADIO and TV
Sell's Radio - TV Service

Peace on Earth

Happy holiday
to one and all



1955

Economy Store

JINGLE BELLS



...with
the best
of the
season
all the
way!

Central Hotel

Season's
to our
Greetings
Friends

Merry Christmas



Geo. L. Harner

Merry Christmas



TO OUR
MANY KIND
PATRONS

1955

Dougherty's Grocery

HAPPY HOLIDAY



BEST
WISHES
to all

1955

Taney Sewing Company

Greetings



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and may the
angel of peace
guard you.

Royale Dairy

ALL OF THE BEST TO YOU
IN THIS JOYOUS SEASON



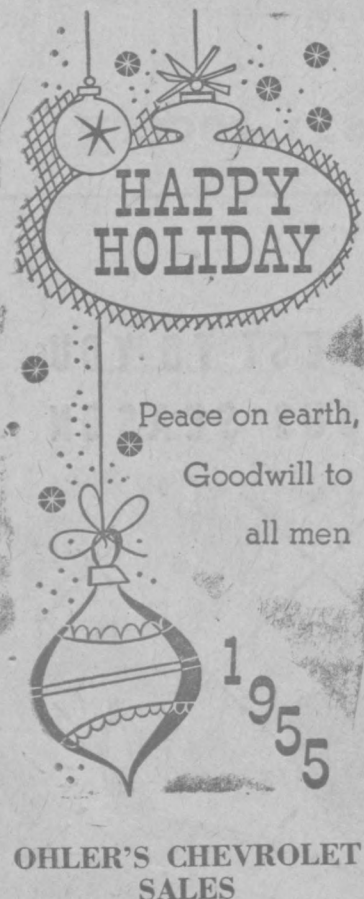
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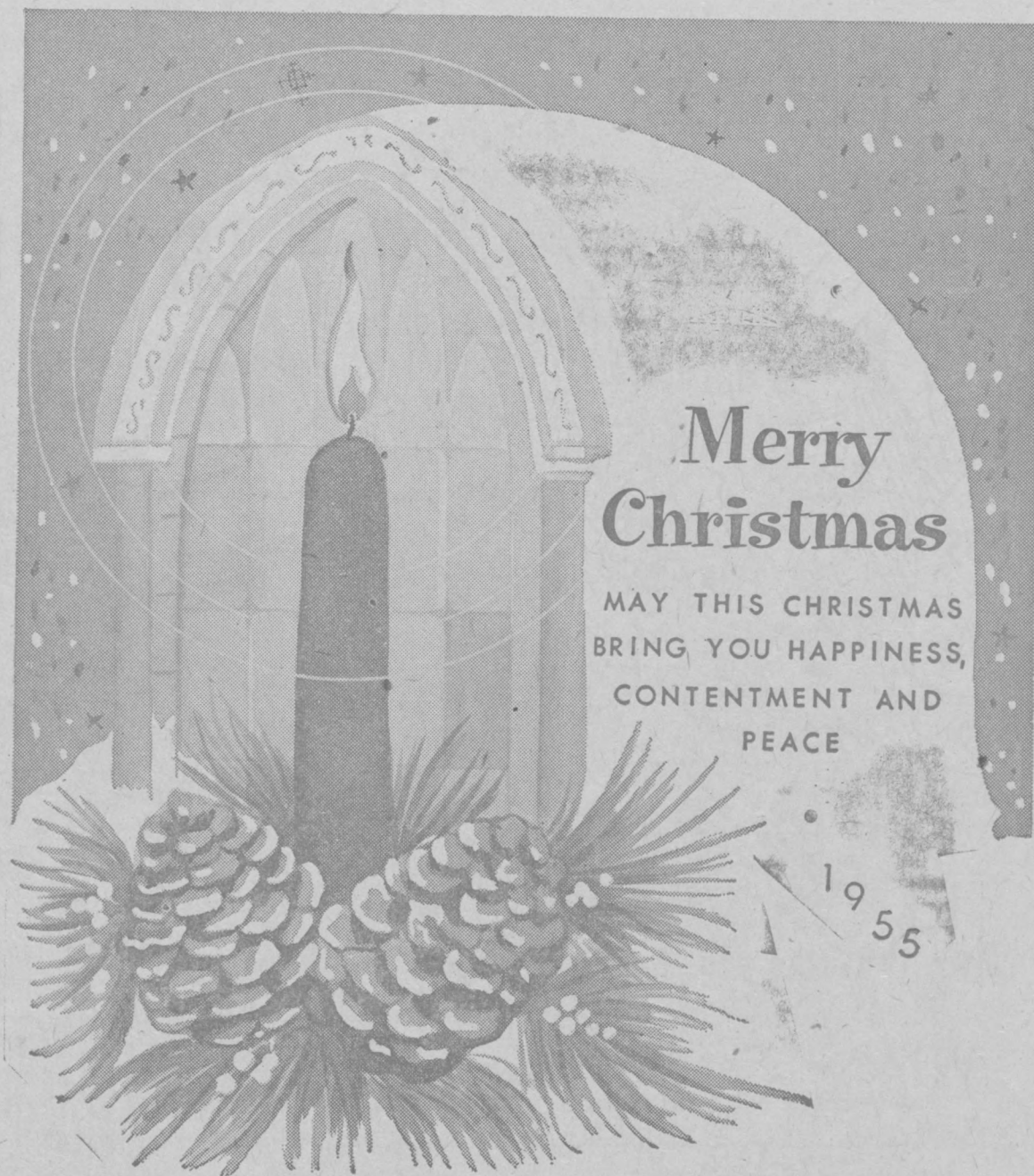
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