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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1965

THE GREAT QUESTION

It will be a long time, if ever, before controversy over the deeds of the 89th Congress ends. And it will be a long time before the full effect, for good or ill, of the mass of unique legislation it passed is fully felt and understood.

But one thing is certain—the 89th has been a spender with a capital S. Time magazine reports succinctly: "In all, the 89th spent \$119.3 billion — a total unprecedented in peacetime and one that will require decades to pay off; interest on this year's national debt alone came to \$11 billion."

It now remains to be seen what spending on this staggering scale will do to the dollar's worth. Federal deficits, as painful past experience tells us, are breeders of inflation. And, ironically, inflation is the worst enemy of the people of small means whom much of the new legislation is supposed to help.

If the government cannot come near to balancing its budget in boom times, when tax revenues are at enormous levels, when can it? The dollar's value has been degraded by about half in the postwar years. What will be left of it a few years from now? No more important question than that confronts the American people.

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To the Stockholders of The Birnie Trust Company
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The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Birnie Trust Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Taneytown, Maryland, on Monday, January 10, 1966, between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock A.M. (E. S. T.), for the following purposes:

1. The election of ten directors to serve for the term of one year, and until their successors are elected and qualified.
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| 1½ cups chopped walnuts | |

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CURRENT EVENTS
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A real snow came on Monday morning and while it was not deep it was sufficient for the strong wind to play pranks with, and to make wintry scenes.

The millionth Ford car was turned out of the factory on the 10th. The company now makes 1850 cars each day, with its force of 21,600 men.

Poole-Miller — On Dec. 6, 1915, in Winchester, Va., by Rev. U. G. Stover at the United Brethren parsonage, Mr. W. H. Poole of Taneytown and Miss Ruth Viola Miller of Waynesboro, Pa., were married. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, former residents of Taneytown, while the groom is the well-known horse dealer of Taneytown, where they will reside.

Harner-Ohler — A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Ohler on Dec. 8, the occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Miss Edith Savilla Ohler to Mr. Charles A. Harner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Harner. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Chas. Reinwald, D.D., of Emmitsburg. Miss Mary Jane Ohler, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mr. Ralph P. Weybright was best man. Miss Anna Ritter, cousin of the bride, played the wedding march. They will make their home in Detour.

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Nowadays when they speak of a girl reaching that "awkward age" it means that she's too old for teddy bears and too young for wolves.—The Bluejacket, Memphis, Tenn.

NOTICE TO READERS AND SUBSCRIBERS

The editor wishes to advise the readers and subscribers of The Carroll Record that we welcome and encourage your social items such as anniversaries, parties, weddings, trips, out-of-town guests, unusual happenings, etc. This is your weekly newspaper and is a weekly record of happenings and events in this community. We do request that these articles be signed, and given to us as early as possible in the week.

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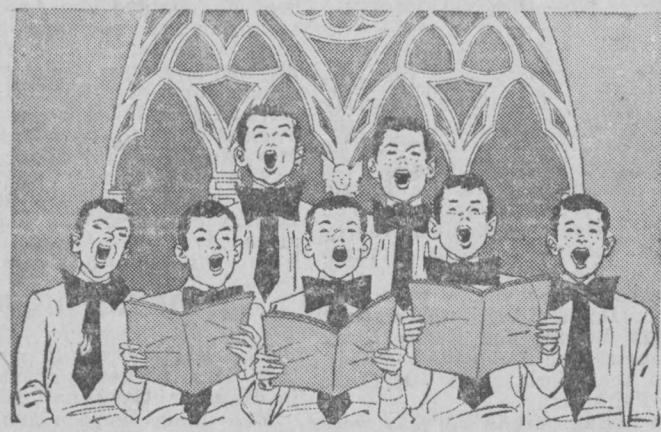
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Little Loaves

Prepare 1 package hot roll mix following Easy Directions on package.
Knead on lightly floured surface 5 to 7 minutes until smooth and satiny. Place in greased bowl; cover.
Let rise in warm place (85° to 90° F.) until light and doubled in size, 30 to 60 minutes.
Divide dough into 8 portions. Shape each portion into a small loaf and place in well-greased individual loaf pan or doll baking pan (about 1 cup capacity). Let rise in warm place until dough is rounded above top of pan, 30 to 60 minutes.
Bake at 375° for 15 to 20 minutes, until deep golden brown. Turn out of pan immediately.

Honey-Orange Whip: Cream ¼ cup butter until light and fluffy. Add 2 teaspoons grated orange rind. Gradually add ¾ cup honey, beating until well blended.
Festive Olive Spread: Beat ½ cup soft butter and 2 tablespoons milk or cream until light and fluffy. Stir in 2 tablespoons thinly sliced stuffed green olives.
Whipped Herb Butter: Combine ½ cup soft butter, 2 tablespoons milk or cream, 1 teaspoon parsley flakes, ½ teaspoon oregano, and ½ teaspoon garlic salt. Beat until light and fluffy.

Orchids For Your Christmas Table



The Christmas season is fast approaching and with it the perennial problem of getting presents for those who seem to have everything.

A new and lovely gift suggestion is a centerpiece of Cattleya orchids. If you're invited to a holiday dinner, a regal purple-and-white spray of blooms is a highly prized gift for your hostess. If you're the party-giver, consider purchasing orchids to add a unique touch to the festive occasion.

Cattleyas bring a note of subtle coloring and elegance to your holiday table. The snowy white cloth, set with fine china, sparkling stemware and spotless silver will have a focal point of interest—and conversation—if an arresting display of orchids is used as a centerpiece.

Centerpieces are simple to make—just use your imagination. Set three dripless taper candles in a bed of Cattleya orchids and greens and you have a beautiful display. Or take a large brandy snifter and place some dainty china or ceramic figurines in it; then artistically arrange several orchids inside and on the rim of the glass. Orchids give your table an exotic air. They're durable and will last through the entire holiday season if stored at night in a cool place, but not the refrigerator. And, contrary to popular notion, Cattleya orchids are reasonable in price and readily available from local florists the year round.

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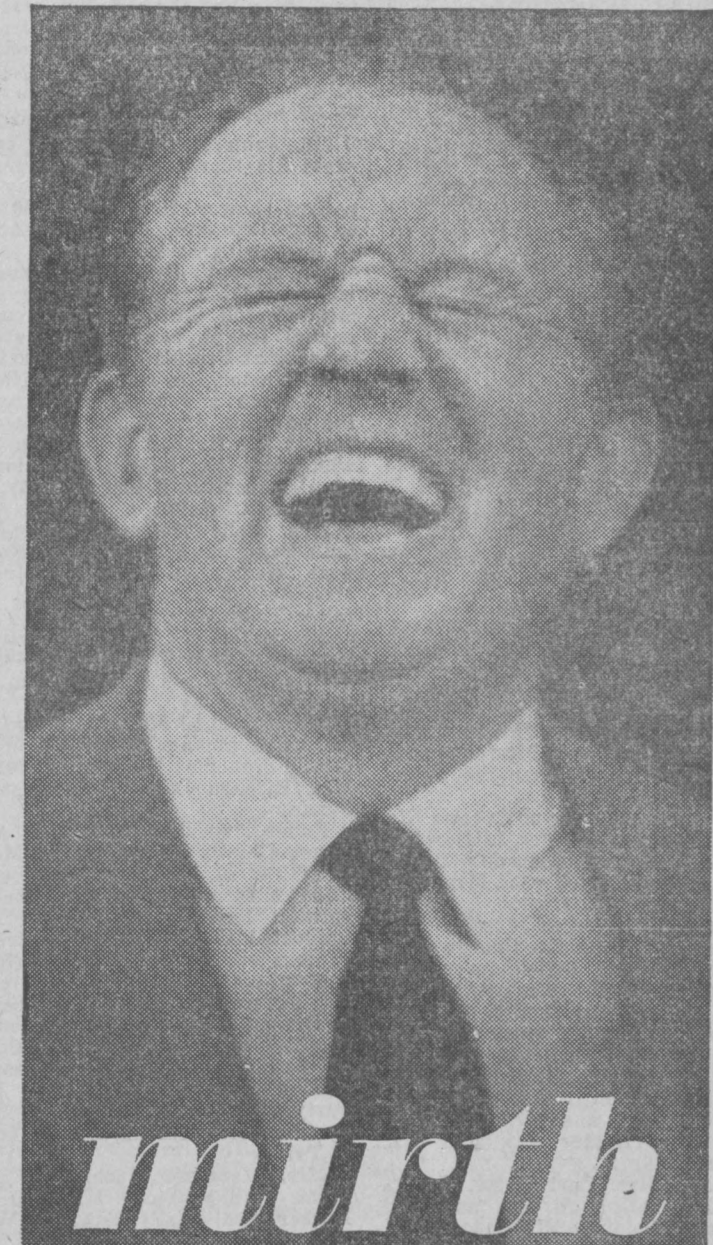
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1965

CORRESPONDENCE

Latest Items of Local News Furnished By Our Regular Staff of Writers

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

The Christmas party for the Primary Department will be held Sunday, December 19, at 9:30 A. M. during their Sunday School hour at the parish hall and leaving out at 10:25 A. M. so there will be adequate time to reach Mt. Joy for worship service at 10:45 A. M.

Callers during the week with Mr. Samuel Valentine were: Mr. Robert Aulhouse, Chambersburg, Pa.; Mr. Fred Waybright, Mrs. Thelma Yingling, Gettysburg, Rt. 1, Pa.; Mrs. Esther, Fuss and Mrs. Mary Cluts.

Visitors during the week with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kump and Mrs. Effie Fream were Mr. Ernest Fream, Greenville; Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Koonz and sons, Bonneauville, Penna. and Mrs. Alice Weant.

Mrs. Raymond Reynolds and Ramonda, Mrs. Roy Cramer, Littlestown, Pa. and Miss Mary Hanson were visitors during the week with Mrs. Ruth Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall, Littlestown Rt. 2, Pa., Mrs. George Ohler and Mrs. Robert Strickhouser were visitors during the week with Mrs. Marian Haines and family.

Visitors during the week with Bernice and Georgia Hiteshew were Mrs. Sylvester Crumrine, Orlando, Florida; Geary and Allen Shue, Littlestown Rt. 2, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Kump, Mrs. Luther Fox and Mrs. Clarence Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Oyler, Gettysburg, Pa. called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bridger Thursday morning.

Visitors during the week with Mrs. Oharo Clabaugh were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clabaugh and Sandy, Littlestown, Pa.; Mrs. Theron Clabaugh and Larry Baptist Rd.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spangler, Susie, Freddie and Cindy Lou, Mrs. Ralph Vaughn, Bonnie, Yonnie and Mikie and Mrs. Edna Snider.

Special music on Sunday morning at Emmanuel (Baust) United Church of Christ parish house was an anthem by the choir "A Star in the Night" with duet part by the Misses Janet Keefer and Linda Van Fossen, accompanied by Mrs. Denton Wantz, organist. The offertory was an organ-piano duet by Miss Joyce Maus and Mrs. Wantz. The ushers were: Charles Little and William Maus, the acolyte was Charles Rupp.

During the service the election of the consistory was by the casting of the ballot by the secretary, Russell Foglesong. The installation will be held next Sunday.

The children's Christmas program will be held in the church sanctuary at 9:30 A. M. on Sunday, December 19; Morning Worship at 10:30 A. M. The Rev. Robert V. Johnson, pastor, Mrs. Raymond Dukehart, S. S. supt. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rodkey will be observing their 50th wedding anniversary on Thursday, December 16. Our congratulations.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Berwager and family were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Colson and son, Robert, Jr. of this place; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sullivan, children, Jennifer, Michael and Tommy and Mrs. Mary Sullivan, all of Frederick.

Mrs. Allen Morelock visited Mrs. Charles Griffin, a surgical patient at the Hanover General Hospital on Saturday, she is getting along nicely.

Miss Linda O'Ligny attended the Christmas dance at Washington College, Chestertown, Md. on Saturday evening.

Mrs. William Flickinger has been on the sick list during the past week. Her visitors on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis, Pleasant Valley; Mrs. Bertha Black and son, Richard, New Windsor. Mrs. Flickinger wishes to thank those who have aided her.

Lovely Christmas carols in keeping with the spirit of Christmas were sung on our streets by the Junior and Cadette Girl Scout Troops on Monday evening. Many thanks go to the girls and their leaders.

The Lutheran Church Women held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary Koons, Taneytown, on Wednesday evening. The leader, Mrs. Harry K. Myers read her scripture from Luke 2, and presented the topic "Carols for Another Year." Old and new carols were sung. A reading, "My Christmas Walk" was given by Mrs. Vernon Zimmerman, and "Incident on Fourth St." by Mrs. Charlotte Shorb. The meeting closed with the L.C.W. prayer. A short business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Myers. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Clarence Master with Mrs. Charlotte Shorb as leader. The hosts served refreshments in keeping with the Christmas season to 15 members and two guests. Several members of the L.C.W. delivered baskets of fruit to 14 shut-ins of the congregation, on Sunday afternoon.

The altar flowers for the Worship Service at Emmanuel (Baust) Lutheran Church were presented by Mrs. Catherine Gilbert and family to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Mr. Roger Gilbert. Special music was an anthem by the choir with solo part by Miss Yevie Hull, accompanied by Mrs. Audrey Buffington, organist. The acolyte was Donna Hailey. Following the Worship Service a brief congregational meeting was held to elect members to the Church Council. These were elected for a two-year term: Ralph King, Harold H. Myers and Leslie Null. Special music during the Sunday School hour was quintette of Mrs. Audrey Buffington, Mrs. David Sprinkel, Mrs. Charlotte Shorb, Mrs. Tamara Colwell and Mrs. Harold Myers who sang, "Silent Night" and "The Stranger of Galilee," accompanied by Mrs. Leslie Null. The Christmas program

of God held their annual Christmas social in the educational building on Tuesday evening. Christmas carols were sung and the scripture was read by Mrs. Lee Barrick. Gifts were exchanged and a social hour followed. Refreshments of ice cream, cup cakes, cookies, chips and punch were served to 37 members and friends.

Mr. John Harman wishes to express his thanks to all who remembered him on his 80th birthday with a card shower. He received 80 cards to mark the occasion. Our best wishes and congratulations.

Mr. Kenneth Frock was named the most valuable player of the Baltimore-Carroll Softball League at the annual league banquet on Saturday evening at Frock's Sunnybrook Farm, Westminster. He was selected by the 75 players and managers attending the banquet. Mr. Frock was a member of the Sykesville Penquin Team which won the league championship, he also received a large trophy. Our congratulations!

Mrs. Belle Dutterer, Mrs. Elizabeth Feeser and Mrs. Carrie Wagner, near Westminster, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strevig and Mrs. Lawrence Trimmer on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sherman and son, Billy, New Windsor were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Sherman on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hyle and Denise were among those attending a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Long, Westminster on Sunday.

Funeral services were held at the Baust Church Cemetery on Monday at 1:30 P. M. for Mrs. Hazel Babylon Keen, a former resident of the community. Rev. J. H. August Borles conducted the graveside service. We express our sympathy to the family.

Members from this community of the Future Nurses of America Club of Francis Scott Key High School who traveled to City Hospital, Baltimore on Friday were: the Misses Gail Sanner, Denise Hyle, Diane Mann, Patty Mann, Emma Squirrel, Barbara Crawford, Martha, Susie and Vicki Price.

Mrs. Margaret Hoch, Mrs. Dottie Fritz, Uniontown; Miss Dorothy Barber and Miss Elizabeth Wetzel, Wakefield, were Friday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sullivan and Lamore.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lookingbill were: Mr. and Mrs. Lyle O'Ligny, Linda and Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Carr and Candy.

Thought for today—However much of Christmas giving, the real Christmas must be first in the heart.

by the Primary Department will be held December 26 in the regular S. S. hour. Election of officers will also be held on this date.

The Lutheran Church Council will meet Tuesday, December 21 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sanner at 8:00 P. M.

The Friendship Carriers Class held a Christmas turkey dinner and program on Saturday evening at the Stone Chapel Methodist Church, near New Windsor, with a good attendance. Wanda Hailey, program chairman, was in charge. The invocation and closing prayer were by Sally Mae Marker; group singing of carols; reading, "I Think of Christmas" and "One Month After Christmas." Wanda Hailey, duet, "Beautiful Garden of Prayer" and "The First Noel." Mrs. Harold Myers and Mrs. Tamara Colwell; introduction of guest, Lucy David by Sally Mae Marker, Miss David, a senior at Westminster High School showed slides taken in India where she spent ten months. She also told how she spent Christmas Day, in that far off country, last year. Mrs. Harold Myers, class teacher, was presented with a gift and responded with appropriate remarks. The meeting closed with prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heltbridge and family, Manassas, Va., were week-end guests at the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Buffington, Uniontown Rd., and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Heltbridge of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lookingbill visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lippy and family, Glen Rock Rd., near Hanover on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Norman Myers has returned to her home after a visit of several weeks at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Myers and family, Briarcliff Manor, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bosley have both been on the sick list this week, they are showing some improvement.

Mrs. Millard Wimmer is improving slowly following an attack of neuritis.

Mrs. Walter Senft, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Myers, Jr. and Mark attended the annual Christmas party of the Maryland Hobby Club at the YWCA building, Baltimore on Sunday afternoon. Following a program in which Mark took part, a buffet supper was enjoyed by 93 members and guests.

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KEYSVILLE-DETOUR

Everyone is getting into the Christmas spirit for now. Decorations are going up all over the place, cards are being mailed and received and programs are being presented as well as gifts wrapped and mailed.

Cub Pack 459 presented a play for the community on Sunday evening at the Church of the Brethren in Union Bridge, which sponsors them. Their next Pack meeting will be Friday evening, 17th, and their Christmas party. Each Cub is to remember to bring his gift for exchange, canned food wrapped in white paper for the "needy" basket and a dozen cookies towards refreshments.

The Keysville Luther League had a good turnout on Sunday evening for the film "Glory in the Highest," which they showed. It was the Christmas story in color and very well done. Light refreshments were served for a social hour afterwards.

Speaking of Keysville Lutheran: The Sunday School program will be given on Thursday evening, 23rd, beginning at 7:30 P. M. The Parish Candlelight Service will be Christmas Eve, beginning at 11 P. M., at Mt. Tabor in Rocky Ridge.

The Eager Beaver 4-H Club held their party Friday evening at the home of Roxanne DePew in Middleburg. Their mothers were invited guests and each member had made her mother a gift: either of fried marble jewelry or a tiled tray. They also exchanged gifts among themselves. Games were played and carols sung. January meeting will be at the home of Ellen Fleaharty.

Miss Linda Webster, nursing trainee at Frederick Memorial Hospital, and her fiancé, Ronald Keenan near Baltimore, were week-end guests of the Carroll Wilhilde family near Detour.

William Burr of Washington was a Saturday afternoon caller at the William Fleaharty home near Detour.

Callers last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cluts near Keysville were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boiler of Rocky Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baumgardner and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilhilde near Keysville. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyle and Mrs. Anna Thomas of Baltimore.

Happy Birthday wishes on the 17th to James Coshin, Jr., and on the 19th to Robert Bowers.

The Monocacy CYP held their Christmas party last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Peterson near Harney and had Santa Claus there to see the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilhilde of Keysville visited on Saturday with his mother and sister and family, Mrs. Maurice Wilhilde, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fry and children of Baltimore.

Was glad to learn that Mrs. Raymond Aibaugh near Detour was able to go for a short drive the other Sunday (5th) but it seems she suffered some ill effects from it so she is not as strong as was hoped after it. Do hope she continues to make good progress in her recovery, however. Recent callers in her home have been Pastor Eugene Gardner of Haugh's Church and Rocky Hill, Mrs. Earle Keefer near Keymar, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Boone and Donna of Westminster, Mrs. Karl J. Smith, Sr., Karl, Jr., Ronnie, Larry, Jerry, Jimmie, Ricky, Randy, Jeffery and Joan Denise of Rocky Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spates, Richard, Billy, Bobby, Buddy, Patricia, Carl and Barbara near Detour.

Supper guests last Wednesday with the Carroll Wilhilde family were Mr. and Mrs. William Gross and Jerry of Baltimore.

Happy Holidays to all those folks at The Pilot, The Carroll Record, and

each of you who take the time to read these items.

—Dharlys Fleaharty

Cub Pack Program

Cub Pack 459 presented the play "Little Poco's Christmas" Sunday evening, 12th, at the Church of the Brethren in Union Bridge which is their sponsor. Mrs. Carice led the group in singing "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "Watchman, Tell Us of the Night" with Miss Audrey Black at the piano. Mrs. Norman Black read the Scriptures.

Some Christmas carols were also played by David Edwards on clarinet and Mark Bowser and Kenny Black on trumpets. The Pack sang together, "Joy to the World" and "O, Come All Ye Faithful."

Those taking part in the play were Mrs. Daniel Zile, Bobby Munshour and son Timmy, Eddy Stultz and Mark Bowser with Mrs. Roger Stambaugh as narrator.

Elmer A. Wolfe P-TA

A cantata, "The Christmas Story," was presented by grades 5 through 8 for the meeting of the P-TA of Elmer A. Wolfe School on Dec. 13. Different songs were sung to correspond with the telling of the story by slides.

The school band played several selections of Christmas music and the cantata numbers were accompanied by Mary Kemper on piano and Barbara Green, Ruth Kemper and Susan White on flutes.

The invocation was given by Pastor Bowser of the Church of the Brethren in Union Bridge and the business meeting led by president Robert DePew. Membership of the P-TA is now 168. Anyone who wishes to join can still do so by contacting Mr. Perron or Mrs. Norman Black.

FAIRVIEW

We talk of surprises—well believe me your Correspondent had a very pleasant surprise on Saturday while calling on Mrs. Hannah Smith of Uniontown, Md., in the late afternoon a knock came on her door and in answer to the knock Mrs. Smith invited a man and woman into her home joyously and with great surprise she then introduced them to me. To my great surprise it was Richard Wolf and his sister, Esther of Philadelphia. It has been 48 years since we last saw each other. It truly is wonderful meeting up with those we knew so long ago; but it really makes us realize we are getting older all too soon.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Baker the past week and over the week-end were Mrs. Charles Crone, Mrs. Ralph Toms, Mrs. Ruth Long, Mrs. Maude Stitley, Mrs. Ralph Eyer, Mrs. Donald Lawyer and Franklin Baker.

A birthday dinner was given on Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carl and family in honor of Mr. Carl's father, Lloyd Carl whose birthday was on Saturday. Those present were the honored guest and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carl, Mr. and Mrs. James Carl and son, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Croft. Around 3:30 in the afternoon a birthday cake was cut by Mr. Carl and served along with ice cream, potato chips and coffee. We all wish Mr. Carl many more happy birthdays.

A birthday dinner was given on Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frock in honor of their son Steven's birthday. Those enjoying the turkey and all its trimmings were: Mr. and Mrs. John Plaine and children, Kelly and Kimmie, Miss Charlotte Lawrence and friend, Sandra. In the afternoon Steven was given another surprise when Mr. and Mrs. William Fogle and children, Susiann, Beverly, Larry and Billy, Brenda and Samuel Gowns had a party for him. He received some nice and useful gifts for which he thanks each one. We all wish Steven many more happy birthdays.

Now for the remainder of the poem from last week, entitled "A Visit from Heaven"

"To God in the highest may glory abound, On earth peace, and good will to men all around."

Near at hand, far beyond, on the left, on the right, The heavenly seraphs were poised in their flight. Then as snow flakes before the fierce storm winds do fly, Passing o'er the wide fields, soar up to the sky, So up into Heaven the angels they flew Having given their message so wonderfully new. Then the Shepherds declared with faces aglow: "To the village of Bethlehem quickly let's go, And see this great thing that has come to pass which the Lord in this night has made known unto us."

And there they found Joseph and Mary so mild, And in the rough manger the dear little child. So when they had seen him they made known abroad the message as told by the Angel of God. The people they wondered at that which they heard as told by the shepherds in Angelic word; But Mary, who knew all these things from the start, Kept pondering this great event in her heart. The Shepherds returned giving Glory and Praise to the God of their fathers, the ancient of days; "To God in the highest, May Glory abound, On Earth Peace and good will to men all around."

A Few Choice Words: Take time for the tender word, or smile, Go with him or her that 'second mile'; It may mean a lightened load To friend or neighbor on life's road."

ROCKY RIDGE

Mrs. Elizabeth Hilty and Miss Bonnie Stull of Gettysburg spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Horace A. Smith.

Mrs. Grace E. Smith visited Mrs.

ZONING ORDINANCE EXPLAINED

(This is the final installment in a series of articles on the new Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance.)

As a final discussion in the series on zoning it has been suggested that several questions be proposed that are most frequently asked of zoning officials. A brief answer is given to each.

1. (Q) How long will the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance be effective?

(A) The ordinance adopted on August 18, 1965, will be effective indefinitely. Only action by the Board of County Commissioners in the future in the form of total rejection or amendment can alter the existing regulations.

2. (Q) How can the ordinance be changed?

(A) Changes can come about in the ordinance much like the process used in making the ordinance effective. Before any change is considered recommendations must be received from the Planning Commission. Prior to making a change in maps or text of the ordinance, the County Commissioners must advertise in a local newspaper 20 days prior to holding a public hearing.

3. (Q) What is the difference between the "Zoning Board" and the "Planning and Zoning Commission"?

(A) The "Zoning Board" actually is the "Board of Zoning Appeals." It hears any appeals to the Zoning Administrator's decisions, hears requests for variance to the terms of the ordinance, and is required under the ordinance to approve (after public hearing) those uses specified in each zoning district as "conditional uses." It is, in substance, a three-man "court" for processing the above actions.

The "Planning and Zoning Commission," on the other hand, is a five-man Commission which is charged with planning the county's future growth. The only connection this Commission has with "Zoning" is to make recommendations for the initial ordinance and to recommend and make reports to the County Commissioners on any changes in the Zoning Ordinance or its maps.

4. (Q) How can I tell whether something is in violation of the zoning provisions?

(A) Call the Zoning Administrator's Office at 848-4500 or visit the office in the County Office Building, Westminster, and give all of the details relative to the violation being reported.

5. (Q) Can I get rid of any use which is considered a non-conforming use?

(A) No. Under the provisions of the ordinance any use which "legally" existed when the ordinance became effective in August and does not conform to the provision of the ordinance may continue. Any expansion of a non-conforming use must be confined to 35 per cent of the original area and only after public hearing and Board of Zoning Appeals approval.

6. (Q) Where do I get a permit to build?

(A) At the building permit office in the County Office Building, Court Street, Westminster. The application for a building permit is also a request for a zoning certificate. A plot plan is required to be filed with all permit applications.

7. (Q) What happens if a person continues to violate the provisions of the Zoning Ordinance?

(A) After due notice of such violation the Zoning Administrator, if a violation then continues, shall take steps to prosecute. The States Attorney's office is given all information concerning such violation. Violators, if convicted, face up to one hundred dollars per day fine and each day which such violation continues thereafter is deemed to be a separate offense.

8. (Q) Do I have to have a permit to change a use, for instance, a grocery store to a tavern?

(A) Yes. Any change in use must have zoning approval prior to making the change. This is especially because the zoning district in which you are located may prohibit the use proposed.

9. (Q) Can I locate a trailer on five acres of land?

(A) No. Under the ordinance single trailers are prohibited unless they are in a bonafide trailer camp or allowed after public hearing on a farm for use in conjunction with agricultural purposes.

10. (Q) Does the county take care of the zoning for our incorporated towns?

(A) No. The County's Zoning regulations do not include any jurisdiction within Manassas, Hampstead, Westminster, Taneytown, Union Bridge, New Windsor, Mt. Airy or Sykesville.

11. (Q) Where can I check on zoning maps?

(A) The Zoning Administrator's Office has a complete set of zoning maps for public review. Likewise, the Planning and Zoning Commission and Clerk's Office in the Court House have zoning maps on display for use by the public. Copies of the Zoning Ordinance are available at the Zoning Administrator's Office.

12. (Q) What is the status of a junk yard?

(A) No new junk yards may be created or enlarged in the county except in the General Industrial District, and only after Board of Appeals approval and subject to compliance with the provisions set forth in the Zoning Ordinance. It is hoped that this series of zoning discussions has been helpful in better understanding the purpose of zoning as well as pointing out some of the protections you might have under its provisions. A final word of caution is given—zoning is not the cure for all of the problems of our area or our county!

The officials of the Planning and Zoning Commission and the Zoning Administrator's office will always be most happy to talk with any citizen of the county about a zoning problem.

Wife to Hubby: "I wish you had the spunk the Government has—they don't let a little debt keep them from spending."—The McAnad News, McAlester, Okla.

HOOPER'S DELIGHT

Mrs. Ralph Franklin and her mother, Mrs. Williams, spent Thursday in Hanover Christmas shopping.

Mrs. James Benson and daughter, Sherry spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward and family of Clarksburg.

Sorry to hear Howell Davis of Bird Hill is ill in the Carroll County General Hospital — wish him a speedy recovery.

Raymond Barber who was in the University Hospital of Baltimore last week was removed to Brookfield Nursing Home on Thursday is not so good at this writing.

New Windsor School will hold their Christmas entertainment next Monday, December 20th.

Bethel Methodist Church will hold their Christmas entertainment on Sunday night, December 19.

Those who visited the home of the Barbers' and the Farvers' were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hann and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Farver and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farver and sons, Sherry Benson, Mr. Norman Brunner.

Woodrow Barber of N. C. spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. Davis last week.

Congratulations on the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Taylor of Westminster.

I wish the Carroll Record and its staff and each and every one a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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DIED

MRS. LESTER J. WILSON
Mrs. Evelyn M. Wilson, the daughter of Mrs. Lola M. Reid, and the late Marlin E. Reid, passed away Wednesday, December 8, 1965 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Ann Arbor, Michigan, after a period of three weeks illness.

Surviving are Mr. Lester J. Wilson, her husband, William Wilson, her son, both reside at home in Plymouth, Michigan. Also, her mother, Lola, St. Petersburg, Florida, brothers, Kermit Reid, Taneytown and Edward, Livonia, Michigan.

Services were from Schrader Funeral Home, Plymouth, Saturday afternoon, December 11, interment at Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, just a few miles from their home.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our beloved wife and mother, Mary Nora Myers, who passed away one year ago, December 14, 1964.

Time speeds on, one year has past
Since death its gloom, its shadow cast
Within our home, where all seemed bright,
And took from us a shining light,
We miss that light, and ever will,
Her vacant place there's none to fill,
Down here we mourn, but not in vain
For up in Heaven we will meet again.

Peaceful be thy rest, dear mother,
It is sweet to breathe thy name;
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same.

In our heart your memory lingers,
Always tender, fond and true;
There's not a day, dear mother,
We do not think of you.

Dear mother, you are not forgotten
Though on earth you are no more
Still in memory you are with us
As you always were before.

Her loving husband ANDREW
and son ELWOOD and FAMILY

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends, neighbors and relatives for the many cards, flowers, fruit, visits and many acts of kindness during the illness and death of our husband and father, John Sowers.

MRS. JOHN SOWERS,
MR. & MRS. RUSSELL A. KLINE
AND FAMILY

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness shown us following the automobile accident when he was taken to Carroll County Hospital in the Hampstead Fire Co. Ambulance, and the death of our loving husband and father, Henry Feeser, Hanover Evening Sun carrier; also for floral tributes and expressions of sympathy. Many thanks to all.

MRS. LUELLE FEESER,
SONS LLOYD MEHRLE,
PAUL AND RICHARD

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank each and everyone for the prayers and cards I received following the death of my son. I would also like to thank everyone for the acts of kindness shown to me.

MRS. MARGARET FEESER

FRIZELLBURG

Services on December 19 at the Frizellburg Church of God will include: Worship Service at 9:00 A. M.; Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.; C.G.Y.A. at 6:30 P. M. The Rev. Fred E. Horner, pastor, Mr. Howard Carr S. S. supt.

Members of the church will sing Christmas carols at the Westminster Shopping Center, Tuesday evening, December 21.

The Young People of the Sunday School will present a pageant on Christmas Eve, December 24 at 7:30 P. M. The children will have recitations and songs before the pageant. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The Secret Sisters of the Ladies Aid Society of the Frizellburg Church

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CLOSING NOTICE — Our warehouses will close at 12 o'clock sharp on Friday, December 24, and remain closed until Monday. — Taneytown Grain & Supply Co., Southern States Taneytown Cooperative, and The Reindollar Company. 12-16-2t

WILL DO ironings. Mrs. C. W. Bridinger, Harney. 12-16-3t

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FOR SALE — Home-grown Scotch Pine Christmas trees, \$1.50 to \$3.00. Kenneth Nusbbaum, 464 E. Baltimore St. (opposite Twin Kiss). 12-16-2t

CHRISTMAS TREES for Sale. Pine. Bring the kids and cut your own tree, \$2. Lots of 25 or over, \$1 each. Meyerhoffer's, Harney Road, phone PL. 6-6305. 12-2-4t

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FOR SALE — Two 6.70x15 winter tread tires. PL. 6-6895. 12-9-2t

FOR SALE — Kitchen range, 10 plastic egg buckets, 500-watt electric brooder. Mrs. Earl Welty, Sr., Harney. 12-9-2t

THE TANEYTOWN PHARMACY will be open every night until Christmas. Closed Christmas Eve at 6 P.M. Shop early and avoid the rush. 12-9-2t

FOR SALE — Two kerosene stoves and 275-gal. tank. — Geo. Gartrell, phone PL. 6-4804. 12-9-2t

FRESH CUT CHRISTMAS TREES for sale — December 18th and 19th. Castle Farms at Sixes bridge on the Monocacy. 12-9-2t

FOR SALE — Jaycette cook books. Only \$1.25. — Contact any Jaycette. 12-9-2t

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FOR SALE — 2-brush floor polisher. Phone 756-6405. 12-9-3t

FOR RENT — 1/2 house, 5 rooms and bath, available Jan. 1. Apply 25 George St. or phone PL. 6-6787 after 5 P. M. 12-9-tf

APARTMENT for Rent — On Md. Rte. 97 at Bridgeport. 3 rooms and bath, storage room and porch. No children. Phone PL. 6-6991. 12-2-tf

FOR SALE — Walnut gun rack for three guns with ammunition drawer, HO and American Flyer train sets with automatic switches and accessories in A-1 condition, also train table, HO scale racing car set, new; 30-lb. bow with arrows. Danny Zutz, 40 Frederick St., Taneytown. 12-2-3t

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CARD PARTY — Every Monday night beginning at 8 P. M. Harney V.F.W., Harney, Md. 9-4-tf

NOTICE — To my garbage customers: We take care of collection of cans, bottles, glass, garbage, and paper. Other articles such as tree and shrubbery trimmings, wire, old roofing, building partitions, bricks and plaster will be collected and charges will be made accordingly. — Walter Benschhoff, Taneytown's Garbage Collector. 8-25-tf

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CHURCH NOTICES

St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Frederick St. Rev. Joseph A. Kenney, Pastor.

Sunday Masses are offered at 8:00 A. M. and 10:30 A. M. Weekday Mass is offered in the convent at 6:45 A. M., with one Mass weekly in the church on Friday at 12:00 noon. Confessions are heard before Sunday Masses, and on Saturday 4:30 to 5:00 and 7:00 to 7:45 o'clock. Masses on the first Friday of each month are celebrated at 12 noon and 5:15 P. M.

Holiness Christian Church — Key-mar, Md. Rev. Wilbur M. Whalen, Minister.—Sunday School 9:30 A. M., Morning Service 10:30 A. M., Young Peoples Service 7:00 P. M., Evening Service 7:30 P. M. Every Tuesday night, 8:00 P. M., Bible Study. Friday night, Cottage Prayer Meeting.

Walnut Grove Dunkard Brethren Church, at Kump's—Sunday School 9:30 A. M., preaching 10:30 A. M. Howard Surbey and Guy Dayhoff, Ministers.

Uniontown Lutheran Parish — Mt. Union Church—Worship 9:30 A. M., Church School 10:30 A. M. St. Luke's (Winters) Church — Church School 10:00 A. M., Worship 11:00 A. M.

St. Paul's, Uniontown — Church School 9:30 A. M. No Worship Service. Rev. J. H. August Borleis, Pastor.

Taneytown United Presbyterian Church—Rev. William M. Hendricks, Pastor.

Sunday, Dec. 19, 1965, 8:45 A. M. Church School, 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship. The choir will sing "Come and Worship" by Lorenz. Sermon, "Appreciation of Christmas." 7:30 P. M., the Church School will present the annual Christmas program. Monday at 7:30, the Session will meet at the Manse. Wednesday at 7, Community Carol Sing; at 7:30, Choir rehearsals. Thursday at 7:30, those desiring to go carolling will meet at the church.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown, Md. Howard W. Miller, Pastor. Sunday, Dec. 19, Sunday Church School 9:00 A. M., The Service — Christmas Cantata 10:00 A. M., Luther League White Gift 7:30 P. M.; Wednesday, LCM 7:30 P. M.; Thursday, All Choirs 7:30 P. M. Mon.-Wed., Christian Day Kindergarten, 9-11:30 A. M.

Taneytown Charge of the United Church of Christ—William F. Wiley, B.D., Pastor. Grace Church, Taneytown—9:15 A. M., Church School Christmas program; 10:30 A. M., Christmas Sunday Divine Worship, sermon, "Christmas According to Luke," by the pastor. 7:00 P. M., Youth Christmas Carol Singing to the sick and shut-ins. Wed., 6:30 P. M., Junior Choir; 8:00 P. M., Senior Choir. Fri., 10:45 P. M., Christmas Eve Candle Lighting Service with special Christmas selections by Senior and Junior Choirs. Theme of the service will be "The Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols." Sunday, Dec. 26, Ordination and Installation of Newly Elected Consistories. Sermon, "Christmas According to John."

Grace Church, Keyville — 9:00 A. M., Christmas Sunday Divine Worship; sermon: "Christmas According to Luke." 10:00 A. M., Sunday Church School. Fri., 7:30 P. M., Christmas Eve Church School Program with colored filmstrip, "Come and Adore Him," with narrator and interpreter. Christmas recitations and exercises by the children and youth.

Uniontown Circuit Churches of God. Uniontown—Sunday School 9:30 A. M., Worship Service 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Christmas program Thursday, Dec. 23, 7:30 P. M.

Frizzellburg—Worship Service 9:00 A. M., Bible School 10:00 A. M., Christmas program Friday, Dec. 24, 7:30 P. M.

Fred E. Horner, Pastor.

Messiah Evangelical United Brethren Church—Rev. Robert P. Mitchell, Pastor, Middle St., Taneytown.

Saturday, Dec. 18, Children's Christmas Party, 2-4:00 P. M. Services Sunday, Dec. 19, Church School 9:15 A. M., Worship 10:15 A. M. The Christmas.

DE KALB seed corn, sorghum, and sudax. Also baby chicks and started pullets anytime. Alvin G. Dutterer, Authorized Dealer, Silver Run, Md. Phone 346-7988. 4-15-tf

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Children's Choir will sing at the 10:15 Service, 7:30 P. M., Children's Christmas Program and Pageant, "The Greatest Gift," Thursday, Catechism 6:45 P. M.; Choir, 8:00 P. M. Friday, Dec. 24, 11 P. M., Service of Candlelight and Carols. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be observed during this service.

Piney Creek Church of the Brethren, Rev. Warren M. Eshbach, pastor.—Sunday School 9:15 A. M., Worship Service 10:30 A. M. Choir Rehearsal, Wed., 7:00 P. M. Jr. Choir, 7:45 P. M. Senior Choir. Women's Fellowship, 1st Tuesday of every month. Junior High Fellowship, 1st and 3rd Sunday evenings of month at 7:00 P. M. CBYF, 1st Monday of every month.

The Pipe Creek Methodist Charge—Uniontown, Maryland — Uniontown, 9:30 A. M., Worship; 10:30 A. M., Church School.

Pipe Creek — (Brick) 10:00 A. M. Church School, 11:00 A. M. Worship. O. F. Kibbe, Pastor.

Piney Creek Presbyterian Church — Rev. Wm. Yates, D.D., Pastor — Church Service at 9:30 A. M., Church School at 10:30 A. M.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Harney — Supply Pastor. Worship Service 9:00 A. M., Sunday School 10:00 A. M.

Keyville Lutheran Church — Rev. William A. Markley, pastor. Worship Service 9:30 A. M., Sunday School 10:30 A. M.

Mayberry Church of God — Rev. Ralph Jamison, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.; Worship Service, 10:15 A. M.

Pipe Creek Church of the Brethren: Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.; Worship Service at 10:45 A. M. Rev. Dean Kagaris, pastor.

Westminster Baptist Church — Schaeffer Ave. and Sullivan Road, Westminster. John C. Ledbetter, pastor. — Sunday School 10:00 A. M., Worship Service 11:00 A. M.

GRACE CHURCH ELECTS CONSISTORYMEN

Last Sunday, Dec. 12, Grace United Church of Christ elected the following men to the Consistory: Elders, Mr. George Angell, Mr. David E. Crabb and Mr. George W. Mottger, and Deacons, Mr. Donald Baker, Mr. Robert Fitz and Mr. Charles Geisinger. They will serve a two-year term from January 1966 to January 1968. The Ordination and Installation of these officers will be conducted Sunday, Dec. 26, at 10:30 A. M.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Annual Christmas Eve program will be held in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Uniontown at 7:45 P. M., Friday, December 24th.

A pageant entitled, "The Answer is Christmas" will be presented. Recitations, exercises, and songs by the children will be included in the program.

The Rev. J. H. August Borleis is the pastor. The public is invited to attend.

GRACE CHURCH, KEYSVILLE NOMINATES CONSISTORYMEN

Sunday, Dec. 26, at 9:00 A. M. Grace United Church of Christ, Keyville, will consider the following nominees for the Consistory: Elders, Mr. William Duple and Mr. Albert Hahn; Deacons, Mr. Robert Sell and Mr. Charles Stonifer.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

CAN YOU PATENT IT?

Even in this era of large-scale research, a surprising number of inventions still come from the tinkering individual. Valuable patents are still being won by "basement inventors" ingenious enough to come up with something new.

However, to be entitled to a patent, an invention must be not only new but also — in the wording of the United States Constitution — "useful." What kind of an invention is useful?

First of all, it must be able to work. One man invented a "perpetual motion machine," complete with a dazzling array of doodads and thingamabobs. But his invention was held not patentable because, being contrary to the laws of nature, it could not possibly do the job it was meant for.

Second, to qualify as useful, the invention must do something that is beneficial, not harmful, to society.

Thus, courts have denied a patent rights to a device for taking the quality of tobacco leaves, and to a gadget for "curing" disease by mysterious vibrations. Both inventions were found to be useful only for the purpose of cheating—hence, not useful in the Constitutional sense.

What if an invention, while useful for evil, is also useful for good? That is enough basis for a patent.

For example, an improved pistol could be patented. Although an instrument for evil in the hands of a robber, it could also be an instrument for good in the hands of a policeman.

A third requirement, for an invention to be considered useful, is that it must be more than a mere frivolity.

Of course, what is frivolous to one generation might not be to the next. A century ago a federal court said that a hoop skirt could not be patented, because it had no serious value to society. But today's courts are not likely to be that prim and proper.

As for what might be called "odd-ball" inventions, the Patent Office generally takes a tolerant view. For instance, it has issued patents for an automatic hat-tipper, a shield for grapefruit-eaters, and a gun for shooting down flies.

For who can be sure that the oddity of today won't be the success of tomorrow? Wise men scoffed, too, at Alexander Graham Bell's talking toy — one of the most useful, and profitable, inventions of all time.

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THE WAY I SEE IT . . .

Observations on the World of Sports —by John Breth

The owner-coach of the Chicago Bears, GEORGE HALAS, is a living legend in pro football.

The stories about "Papa Bear," as he is called, would fill a half dozen books. His players, former and current, will tell you that Halas is unique as a coach and owner. He often is paradoxical. He will do something with one hand then do just the opposite with the other.

But there is one thing that all parties are agreed on . . . George loves to see his team win and he will do everything short of running on the field to make a tackle to help them win.

At the pro quarterback luncheon in New York on Monday a couple of people told stories about Halas.

The first one was Father Dudley, the team chaplain of the Giants. Father Dudley discussed the time in the late 1930's when Pittsburgh got the draft rights to a young New York-born player, quarterback Sid Luckman.

The Giants thought they would like to get Luckman. They sent Father Dudley to Pittsburgh to talk to Art Rooney, owner of the Steelers, on the well-established theory that an Irishman will always lend a sympathetic ear to a priest.

Rooney did. But in courteous fashion he then told Father Dudley that under no circumstances would Pittsburgh relinquish the rights to Luckman. Father Dudley returned to New York and so informed the Giants.

The next day the announcement was made that Halas had obtained the rights to Luckman from Pittsburgh. Sid then became one of the great quarterbacks of pro football.

Kyle Rote, the one-time great flanker and now a sparscaster, was next. He said that in his rookie year with the Giants the team was getting ready to play the Bears and the players were being shown a film of the Chicago team in action.

Kyle had never seen Halas but the older players pointed out the energetic man on the sidelines. Early in the game the Bears punted and the ball went out of bounds deep in the territory of the other club. An official downfield watched the ball go out and dropped his hat where he estimated it had left the field of play. Then he turned to retrieve the ball.

"The next thing I saw," says Kyle, "was Halas coming into view. He bent down and picked up the official's hat and dropped it another yard or so downfield. George was only trying to get a fair shake for his team."

There is no better barometer of a ball player's value than the interest shown in him by other clubs.

Any time the Los Angeles Dodgers talked trade this winter at the baseball meetings the other club invariably brought up the name of RON FAIRLY.

The Dodgers, of course, were not interested in trading the player whom his teammates call, "Mr. Clutch."

That's what Ron is, a cool and resourceful guy when the pressure is pounding the hardest. He has proved that more times than anybody can count without an adding machine.

He certainly proved it in the World Series when he was one of the unsung heroes of the Dodgers as they topped Minnesota Twins in seven games.

Ron hit safely in every one of those games. He had eleven hits for the full series and had 20 total bases, the most in the series. He also was the top runs-batted-in man with six.

Ron now is listed as an outfielder. He played 148 games on the picket line last year and 13 games at first base. The previous year he spent most of his time at first base. But Wes Parker did a workmanlike job at the first turn for the Dodgers last year and with Frank Howard gone in a trade and Tommy Davis out for the season with a broken ankle, Fairly had to play the outfield.

The chances are that he will be stationed in right field again next year with the comebacking Tommy Davis in left and fly-boy Willie Davis in center.

In five seasons with the Dodgers Fairly has almost evenly divided his time between the outfield and first base. He has played 416 games at first and 428 in the field.

He thinks that he might hit a little better if he played the outfield exclusively but that won't stop him from reaching for a first baseman's mitt if the Dodgers need somebody there.

Today's Sport Laugh — Ex-middleweight Roger Donoghue's wife, Fay, is a successful painter. And that inspired Roger to say: "She does much better on canvas than I did."

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MENS WEDNESDAY LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Taneytown Fire Co.	42	10
Hot Rods	25	24
Rainbow Lanes	27	25
Avenue Cleaners	20	32
Littletown Esso	19	33
Steele's Laundry	19	33

Week's Winners
Taneytown Fire Co. 4, Rainbow Lanes 0, Hot Rods 4, Avenue Cleaners 0, Steele's Laundry 3, Littletown Esso 1. High game: F. Shank, 160; high set: F. Shank, 396; Taneytown Fire Co., 1659.

THURS. NITE LADIES LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Screwballs	40	12
Texaco Stars	36	16
Ridge Homes	32	20
Farmerettes	23	29
Village Liquors	22	30
Hits and Mrs.	19	33
Alley Kats	18	34
Crouse's Cut Rate	16	36

Dec. 9 Results
Village Liquors 3, Hits and Mrs. 1, Farmerettes 3, Alley Kats 1, Crouse's Cut Rate 2, Ridge Homes 2, Texaco Stars 2, Screwballs 2. High game: 123, D. Keeney (Screwballs); high set: 326, A. Lingg (Ridge Homes); high team set: 1481, Texaco Stars and Screwballs.

Grand Jury Makes Report

Carroll County's November term Grand Jury returned a record number of indictments during two sessions held late last month. According to Courthouse authorities, the 60 odd indictments returned is the largest number ever returned by our Grand Jury in the history of the county. T. Bryan McIntire, State's Attorney, stated that five of the cases were re-indictments necessitated by the Court of Appeals "Belief in God" ruling. Thirty-five of the indictments charged prisoners with the crime of escape from Central Laundry Correctional Camp, Sykesville, Maryland. The balance of the indictments were primarily cases involving breaking, entering and larceny, and false pretenses.

Perhaps of greatest significance are those cases presented to the Grand Jury which did not result in indictments. The Jury declined to act on a manslaughter presentment against State Trooper First Class Daniel D. Roderick arising out of the fatal shooting of a man on September 22, Robert Wayne Wetzel, 23, of Jefferson, was fatally wounded by a single shot from the trooper's .38 caliber service revolver after he was stopped for questioning on Rt. 31 4 miles South of New Windsor. Wetzel was sought by police for leaving the scene of a two-car accident in Mt. Airy in which two brothers were injured. McIntire said three eyewitnesses testified that they had seen Mr. Wetzel grapple with the officer as he attempted to call for assistance and then ripped the microphone from the car and smash it to the ground. Five other statements concerning the activities of both Wetzel and the trooper prior to the shooting were read to the Jury, after which they deliberated briefly. Asked for his comments on the Grand Jury's action, McIntire said, "I am sure that this will be covered when the Grand Jury submits its report, but we were too busy considering cases to prepare a report. I can only assume that the Jurors thought that Trooper Roderick was justified in the action which he took."

Also significant are several indictments which McIntire presented to the Grand Jury charging zoning violations but which the Jury returned "not found." This action, in effect, removes these cases from further consideration as criminal violations. "It is not likely that I will again present these matters to the Grand Jury," said McIntire. "This does not mean that the violators cannot be dealt with. The zoning people can still abate these violations by taking these cases into the Equity Court as provided by the Ordinance."

WITH THE ARMED FORCES

WICHITA FALLS, Tex. — Airman Third Class Kenneth R. Leister, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Leister of Rt. 1, Taneytown, has been graduated at Sheppard AFB, Tex., from the training course for U.S. Air Force aircraft mechanics.
Airman Leister, a graduate of Taneytown High School, is being re-assigned to Charleston AFB, S.C., for duty with the Military Air Transport Service.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — Airman Mark D. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Smith of Rt. 3, Gaither Heights, Sykesville, Md., has been selected for training at Keesler AFB, Miss., as an Air Force communications-electronics specialist.
The airman, a graduate of Howard County Senior High School, Ellicott, Md., recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. Airman Smith attended Catonsville Community College.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank all of my friends, relatives and neighbors for the cards, flowers and fruit I received while a patient in the Annie Warner Hospital. Also thanks to Rev. Welker, Rev. Miller and Rev. Hendricks for their prayers. Again many thanks.
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Many thousands of motorists were stranded on the highways last year because they ran out of gasoline. This can cause many severe repercussions. Gasoline is needed also to insure the functioning of the automobile heating apparatus. Be sure to stop and fill the tank. Make certain that the car window is opened slightly in order to avoid asphyxiation. Beware of carbon monoxide. Check batteries: weak batteries can cause cars to stall.

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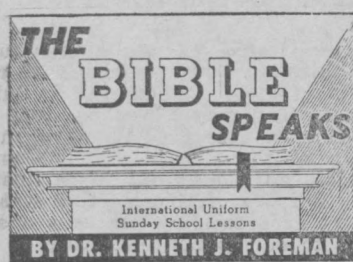
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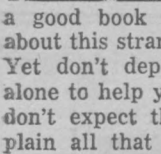


Whispers of Hope

Lesson for December 19, 1965

Background Scripture: Jeremiah 1: 11; 30 through 33; 37 through 39.
Devotional Reading: Luke 1:58-79.

ONE OF THE most difficult and puzzling books in the Bible, and yet one of the most fascinating, is the book of the prophet Jeremiah. As a suggestion to new readers of the Bible, I recommend not staying in the snags, but pushing on to what you can understand, and coming back to un-snag the tangles by the help perhaps of your pastor, perhaps of one or two good books. For many a good book has been written about this strange man Jeremiah. Yet don't depend on one book alone to help you. And certainly don't expect this column to explain all that needs explaining!



Hope for your future

In printed Sunday school quarterlies and other literature for church school classes, at this Sunday's lesson you will notice they have printed just a short trio of quotations out of the long book of Jeremiah. At first sight, one wonders what possible connection these three passages can have. (Look them up for yourself: Jeremiah 31:15-17; 33:14-16; 31:31-34.) After you have sat and read these passages several times, perhaps a little clue will catch your notice. The verbs, the action-words, are in the future tense, as a grammar would put it. But there is something more than bare grammar here. All these verbs in the future tense tell us that Jeremiah is not (so far as these verses go) mainly telling about what has happened, but something yet to take place. The focus of what he is saying is in the future. It is the note of hope, the note of expectation, of assurance, that unites these and many other passages from the prophets. Other religious idealize the past, and their only hope is some kind of re-creation of the past, living the past over and over again like a wheel endlessly turning. For the prophets of God, history was no wheel; it is more like an arrow, the arrow of hope. "There is hope for your future" is a sentence from Jeremiah which might be a title for all that the prophets said.

The righteous branch

This hope takes many forms and shows many a facet, like a great jewel with many gleaming surfaces. Almost always the language about the future is obscure to our ears. The strange middle-east style of writing twenty-five centuries ago adds to our confusion. Yet nothing quite conveys which way the prophet is straining his eyes. He says "There is hope for your future" without saying when that hope will be fulfilled. Probably he did not know. We have good New Testament backing for believing that the prophets did not always know just to what or to whom their prophecies referred. But as we pore over the ancient utterances and riddling symbols in mystic poetry, some features begin to become clearer. One is that the hope of the future centers in one Man. Sometimes he is a royal hero, another David; sometimes a Servant, sometimes a great Sufferer. Jeremiah's word here is "Righteous Branch." Branch of What? God's people? David's family tree? of the tree of life? At any rate this hope-for-Branch will bring righteousness and justice to a land of wickedness and injustice. Obviously this refers to some person. The Christian church has always been convinced that it means no other than Jesus, the hope of the world.

Covenant of the heart

For there are three things linking these prophecies into one: The emphasis on the future; the personalizing of this hope in one man; and now the third: the wide outlook of the prophet who sees not only his beloved Judah or Israel, but the wide world. Jeremiah looks and longs for a time when laws, even God's laws, shall no longer be confined to books, but written on the hearts of men; when the will of God shall not be a doom falling from without, but a devotion growing within; a time (still so far away!) when there shall be no need to explain about God to any one, for all men shall know him.

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Christmas — at the mere sound of the word, this battered old world perks up its ears, and wonderful things begin to happen. Smiles suddenly appear on tired, anxious faces and on our visages where smiles are rarely seen. Sorrow takes a holiday, and selfishness takes a backseat. Hatred is all but washed out by the waves of pure, shining love and kindness which overflow at Christmas time.

The air rings with music, and even the person who usually cannot carry the semblance of a tune joins in lustily singing the old, familiar carols. People who never come to church all year are there at Christmas time, if only to hear their youngsters recite in the Sunday School program. Homemakers who seldom bake now find themselves deep in fragrant dough, as they turn out batch after batch of cakes and cookies. Fathers who are usually too busy to even know what their children are doing, now set aside time to help the little ones select a very special gift for Mother. And everyone yearns to get "home" for Christmas, no matter where home may be.

From whence comes this good-will, this love and joy and cheer? It all began almost 2,000 years ago, with the birth of a little baby, and the world has never been the same since. For this Child, who was born in a stable and laid in a manger, was none other than the Christ, the Son of the living God, sent down from heaven to show us exactly what God is like. He came proclaiming God's love and mercy to sinful humanity. He came to reconcile man to God, the second Adam, as it were, who pleads for us before God and who makes atonement for all our sins.

—Zola Cantwell

Carroll Co. Farm Museum

Old pieces of farm equipment, tools and household items continue to come into the Carroll County Farm Museum, states Elmer Pfutz, chairman of the Board of Directors. Landon Burns, Interim Curator, reports the entire Museum Collection of the Department of Agriculture, University of Maryland, are now included in the Carroll County Museum Collection. Mr. Burns noted that the collection contained some 75 to 100 articles, many originally from Carroll County farms.

After the first of the year, a newly-enlarged collection committee, under the direction of Mr. Burns, will concentrate on all sections of the County for articles used on the farm during the 1800-1850 year period. Citizens wishing to donate are requested to call or write Mr. Burns, c/o County Office Building, Westminster, or see any member of the committee. He emphasizes that whether you have one or a number of articles he would be grateful for them; or perhaps some individual or group would like to make a cash donation that could be used to purchase some rare antique piece. All sums, regardless of amount, would be most appreciated.

We express our appreciation to the Homemakers Club of Manchester who recently forwarded the committee a check for a generous amount which will be used for this purpose.

A list of projects has recently been prepared, along with their approximate cost. It is hoped that some service club, homemaker club or other group might wish to contribute labor and materials, either one or both, to complete an entire project. This would be a fine way to perpetuate the name of the organization with the Museum. The Westminster Rotary Club recently donated, and their members planted, sixty flowering cherry trees on the bank of the lake overlooking the Museum. It is felt some of these may bloom next spring. They will beautify the area for many years to come, and serve as a reminder to visitors of the generous efforts of this Westminster club.

The Publicity and Public Relations Committee would welcome the opportunity to explain details on the above projects or any other questions pertaining to the Museum. The Committee is prepared to present an evening's program on the Museum, or just meet with your officers at any time. Call (Mrs.) Cindy Hofferberth, TI. 8-4500, at the County Office Bldg. during office hours or Theodore Koons, TI. 8-4547 in the evening.

Buchart Architects of York are now working on a complete layout of the Museum complex. This is expected to be completed by March 1. Mr. Buchart has had considerable experience in this type of museum work, having participated in several successful farm museums in Pennsylvania.

Members of the Farm Museum Committee are: Ralph Dinterman, Francis Magin, Albert Albrecht, Elmer Pfutz, Chairman; Earl Yingling, Thurman Houser, Robert L. Jones, (Mrs.) Cindy Hofferberth, secretary; (Mrs.) Helen Roach, Mrs. Arthur Neuman, Mrs. Elsie Baust, James Shriver, Jr., Edmund Dutterer, Theodore Koons, James Elgin, Landon Burns, Sterling Walsh, Frank Bushey, Donald Essich, James W. Davis, attorney, and Horace Brauning, President of the Board of County Commissioners of Carroll County.

COMMUNITY CAROL SING

The annual Community Carol Sing will take place next Wednesday evening at 7 P. M. near the center of town. This year's sing, to which all the public is cordially invited, will be directed by the Rev. Warren Eshbach and Mrs. George Motter. New this year will be the presence of a brass choir, comprised of Ray and Betty Settler, Tom and John Lawrence, Kenny Strickhouser, Dennis Bollinger, Richard Reinsdollar, and Byron Barnes. Last year about 50 hardy souls braved the brisk winter's night to sing. This year it is hoped that many of you, young and old, will turn out for this half-hour's singing together!

Taneytown Fire Co. News

At a recently held monthly meeting of the Taneytown Vol. Fire Co. the chief reported four fire calls and one service call for the past month. The ambulance committee reported that the ambulance answered 6 calls for the same period.

Bills were ordered paid to the amount of \$461.53 with the months receipts at \$2,405.83.

W. F. Miller, Jr., chairman of the central alarm system for Carroll County reported that the equipment has been installed in the Westminster Firemen's Building and is expected to be in operation by the end of January 1966.

In the absence of Mr. Oscar Baker of Mt. Airy, president of the Carroll County Volunteer Firemen's Association, Mr. Charles D. Baker, past president of the Taneytown Volunteer Fire Co. installed the officers of this Fire Company for 1966 as follows: president, J. Earl Smith; vice-president, Howard Welty, secretary, J. Wendell Garber, financial secretary, Donald Clingan, treasurer, Harry Dougherty, Jr.; chief, Earl Lookingbill; trustee for three years, Robert Boone.

The Carroll County Volunteer Firemen's Association executive committee monthly meeting for January 3, 1966 will be held in our fire hall.

APPLICANT FOR S. S. MAY BE REPRESENTED

Claimants for social security benefits were today reminded by R. W. Hughes, Social Security District Manager in Towson, that they have the right to be represented by a person of their choice in any business they may have with the Social Security Administration. Mr. Hughes stated this does not mean that a representative is needed since most people handle their social security affairs with the help of the people in the social security office.

An applicant for social security benefits may be represented by an attorney or other qualified person of his choice. The representative may act for the social security claimant generally on all social security matters except for the signing of the claims application. He may request a reconsideration, hearing, or Appeals Council review. Any notice or request sent to the representative has the same effect as if sent to the social security claimant. A copy of any determination or decision made by the Social Security Administration will be sent to the representative.

Mr. Hughes stated that attorneys are limited in the amount of fees that may be charged social security claimants and a representative who is not an attorney may not charge or receive any fee for his services without prior approval of the Social Security Administration.

An attorney without prior approval of the Social Security Administration may charge a fee which may be no more than \$20 for representation before the Social Security Administration and an additional \$30 for representation before a hearing examiner or the Appeals Council of the Social Security Administration or both. An attorney who wishes to charge a higher fee must secure the approval of the Social Security Administration. The limitation of fees that may be paid to representatives of social security claimants is designed to protect the rights of social security claimants while at the same time allowing attorneys and other representatives adequate compensation for their services. Mr. Hughes said any social security claimant may obtain additional information about the appointment of a representative and limits on the fees that may be charged by getting in touch with your social security district office.

Carroll County residents may obtain further information and assistance by contacting the social security representative in Westminster, Maryland at the County Administration Building on every Monday and Wednesday from 9:30 A. M. to 3:30 P. M.

Loans to Farmers

Operating loans are obtained from the Farmers Home Administration for farm operating and family living expenses to finance machinery, equipment and livestock and for refinancing debts. Operating loans can also be used for the financing of forestry production and recreational enterprises.

Over the years operating loans have enabled hundreds of farmers to modernize their farming operations, raise their incomes and give their families better standards of living. Loans by Farmers Home Administration are made only to qualified farm families who cannot obtain the necessary credit from banks and other conventional lenders. Interest on operating loans is 5 percent, with a repayment period of from 1 to 7 years.

FHA operating loan program is of particular benefit to 3 groups of farmers:

1. Farmers who need credit to make major changes in their farm operations to do a successful job of farming.

2. Young farmers who have an opportunity to take over the farming operations of older farmers wanting to retire.

3. Farmers working part-time at another job who need operating credit to realize the maximum return from their limited farming operations.

Borrowers also are assisted in planning and reorganizing their farming operations to produce the highest return.

In addition to operating loans, Farmers Home Adm. makes loans to purchase and develop farms, to develop community water supply systems, to build housing for farm laborers as well as senior citizens and to meet emergency credit needs of farmers suffering from a natural disaster. Loans are also made under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 to help low-income families living in rural areas earn more income.

Further information is available at the Farmers Home Administration office in City Hall, Westminster, Md., where Joseph W. Jones is the County Supervisor.

Christmas Party

The Taneytown Lions Club held their annual Christmas Party at Taney Inn on December 14, 1966. The Ladies Night program, opened by Lion President Donald Lawyer, was served a delicious turkey and oyster meal.

Visitation groups were recognized from the Thurmont and the Roaring Run Lions Clubs.

Program Chairman Lion Delmont Koons, who arranged this pleasing program, led the singing of several Christmas songs. Folk singers, from our local high school, were introduced by Mrs. Solomon, their music teacher. The group consisting of Susan Jennings, Tom Baumgardner and Ray Seidler, better known as the "SUE-TOM-RAYS," gave us several delightful folk songs.

Christmas gifts, furnished by the Lions Club, were distributed to the ladies. Speaker for the evening, Rev. Joseph Kenney of St. Joseph's Church of Taneytown, gave us a very rewarding message.

At the close of this most enjoyable evening, a short Board of Directors meeting was then held. The Taneytown Lions Club would like to wish everyone the SEASON'S GREETINGS.

CLASS PARTY

The Golden Rule Class of United Church of Christ held its Christmas party in the parish house on December 13 at 6:30. The tables were beautifully decorated with Christmas pine, candles, candy canes, etc. There were about 27 members and friends present. A very delicious meal of roasted turkey with all the trimmings. It was prepared by some of our real good cooks of the class: Mrs. Margaret Eckard, Mrs. Roy Baker, Mrs. Rhoda Smith, Mrs. Alice Reifsnider, with everyone chipping in and bringing a different dish. The invocation was offered by Rev. Wiley. Mrs. Kaye Mohney acted as toastmistress for the program following the meal. Group carol singing led by Mrs. Mohney with Mrs. Robert Flickinger at the piano. Mrs. Wiley a Christmas poem. Several Carols by Judy and Blaine Flickinger, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Robert Flickinger. A variety of Christmas readings, Kaye Mohney; piano solo, Mrs. Robert Flickinger. Some of our guests wish this would happen more than once a year because we had so much to eat and such a good time. All returned home wishing each one and all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

"The person who is good natured is bound to be imposed upon."—Duané C. Griggs, New London (Iowa) Journal.

Some people are born with cold feet... some acquire cold feet... others have cold feet thrust upon them.—The Herald, Austin, Minn.

Brewster Writes on Solving Problems of the Potomac

Senator Daniel B. Brewster (D., Md.) said that the citizens of the Potomac Valley "want clean, clear water to drink, a pleasant environment in which to live and work, and places to go in their free time for varied types of recreation."

Writing in the December issue of Potomac Basin Planning: Local Needs and Aspirations, the Senator said that "the plan for the Potomac must be one that will benefit people."

"I fully recognize the difficulties involved in preparing a comprehensive river basin plan. It is a far more difficult task than that of tuning a symphony orchestra. The close cooperation which is developing between the Federal and State governments in this planning effort is most encouraging, but there is still the need for an increased emphasis on local participation and the involvement of interested private organizations."

Senator Brewster continued, "The problems of the Potomac River Basin are increasing at such a rapid pace that we cannot continue to postpone decisions for another 50 to 100 years."

The Senator repeated his call for the creation of a stronger Interstate Commission for the Potomac similar to the one now existing in the Delaware River Basin. He said that this agency should not only have planning and coordination powers, but should also have the authority to see that its plans are properly implemented. He further recommended that the Commission be charged with enforcing uniform anti-pollution regulations.

He said, "The continuing pollution from towns, factories, government installations, boats, and erosion must be stopped." To do this "will require the concentrated efforts of many people."

Potomac Basin Planning is a publication of the Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin.

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