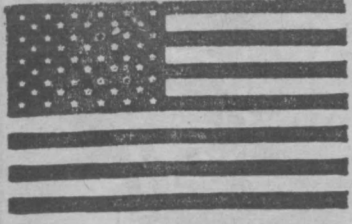


# MERRY CHRISTMAS



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### Most Anything At A Glance

- By Abigail -

As we enter into the joyous holidays just ahead of us, we can't help but refresh our memory as to our blessings. After a decade of assassinations which took some of our most outstanding leaders, civil disorders, rampant inflation that brought the \$1 a dozen eggs, \$2 a pair socks, 8 1/2% interest and a host of other inflated items, one wonders just what is in store for the 1970's? During the decade we conquered space, tossed prayer out of our schools and crime rose to an alltime high. Bigotry and racial discrimination is still in our midst and there appears no solution to our problems as we enter into a new decade. We must be thankful though, for the good old USA is still the best in this not so wide world to live. In the next ten years we should see great strides and break-throughs in medicine and surgery, space research, supersonic jet planes carrying several hundred passengers, more freeways, shopping centers and computer usage.

The old Town feels great at this time of year. Soft colored Christmas lights adorn most homes and business places and there is a real spirit of Christmas permeating the atmosphere, giving a feeling of welcome to one and all. It is truly a time for thanks and joy for the things in life which we now possess. One thing is notably absent and that is any elaboration on the Town's Christmas decorations. For the past 10 years or so we have placed the same color scheme or theme across our streets and there is vast room for improvement. This can be done by purchasing entirely new decorations or elaborating on that which we now have. Let's give it a thought folks!

This week is the Christmas edition of the Chronicle and that is expressly why it has been published several days early. You will note that most of the advertising is devoted to the Christmas theme. Your merchants take this opportunity to express their sincere appreciation for your patronage throughout the year and this is the week that they can wish you all a Merry Christmas. This is practically the only way they reach you, the public. Many of the advertisements are beautiful and meaningful and carry interesting verses pertinent to the Yuletide. This is my way also, of saying to all you dear readers: MERRY CHRISTMAS!

### Appreciates Gift By Local VFW

An Emmitsburg young man now serving in Vietnam, expresses his appreciation to the local VFW for the gift of a fruit cake sent him recently for Christmas. His letter follows:

Members of VFW Post 6658: I received the fruit cake which was sent to me by you all. I want to thank you, not for the fruit cake alone, but for what it stands for. You sent that cake to me as a token of appreciation for what I am doing over here; but bigger and better than this, you sent me a reassurance that what I am doing here is not for self-satisfaction but rather a cause. It really does my heart good to know that such organizations as yours are at work for such a noble and outstanding reason. I am very much anxious to become a part of your organization. Pertinent information about myself follows: I am 21 years old. I will have served 2 years in Vietnam next month, and will be coming home in 58 days.

Thank you again for just being the same as me: "A Veteran of A Foreign War."

Thomas E. Joy

### Local Students Are Named Outstanding Teenagers By National Group

The Outstanding Americans Foundation announced this week that three students from St. Joseph's High School have been selected as Outstanding Teenagers of America for 1970.

The students, nominated for this honor by their school, will compete for state and national awards in the Outstanding Teenagers of America program.

The Outstanding Americans Foundation, a nonprofit foundation dedicated to honoring, inspiring and encouraging young people to take full advantage of the opportunities in America, sponsors this awards program annually.

Students selected are: Karen



Miss Shields

senior class. She is an avid fan of all school activities and enjoys being with people. Although her best subjects are typing and shorthand, her real talent is in the field of human relations.

Miss Wivell is the daughter of



Miss Wivell

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Wivell of Rocky Ridge. Phyllis is vice president of the Student Council and also of the Marian Association. She is also a member of the National Honor Society. Phyllis is an active member of the Rocky Ridge 4-H Club and of the National Junior Horticultural Association. She has been accepted at St. Joseph College and plans to get her degree in nursing. Although an active big sister in a large family, Phyllis is never too busy to help others.



Miss Warthen

Warthen, Joyce Shields and Phyllis Wivell.

Miss Warthen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Warthen of 510 W. Main St., Emmitsburg. She is president of the Drama Club in St. Joseph's High School. Karen enjoys dramatics, art and music. She would like to become a teacher but is not sure on what level. Karen has a very nice, outgoing personality. She is deeply interested in people and is the first to help anyone at any time. She is a member of the girls' varsity basketball team. She is also a member of the National Honor Society.

Miss Shields is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Shields of Toll Gate Hill, Emmitsburg. She is president of the Marian Association, vice president of the glee club, and vice president of the

### Fencing Lessons To Be Given

Robert Smith, Supervisor of Adult Education, has announced that a beginner's class in fencing will be offered in next semester's adult education program in cooperation with the Frederick YMCA.

The class will begin Tuesday evening, January 13, 1970, 7:30 p.m. at the Staley Field House on 10th Street, Frederick. It will meet once a week from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. for twelve weeks. A registration fee of \$8 will be charged. In addition, each person enrolling will purchase his own equipment at an approximate cost of \$25.00. Registration may be accomplished by appearing on the first night of class.

Mr. Curtis Maybe of Frederick will be in the instructor. Mr. Maybe has taught fencing for the Washington YMCA and has taken fencing classes both there and at Western Reserve University.

The class is designed to be a beginner's course in Italian foil. Mr. Maybe will also provide some introduction to the saber and the epee. Emphasis will be placed upon general form, the lunge, the advance and retreat, simple parries and attacks.

During the first five sessions drill and individual instruction will be emphasized. By the sixth week the class will begin to engage in a round-robin fencing match. In consummation, Mr. Maybe hopes that the class will be able to travel to Washington to fence with some experts.

Government sources estimate that two million farm and ranch ponds are in the U. S. right now. That breaks down to about 40,000 per state.—Sports Afield.

### Thurmont Bank Declares Dividend

The Board of Directors of The Thurmont Bank declared a regular semi-annual dividend of \$.60 per share, plus an extra dividend of \$.30 per share, at their meeting on Dec. 16.

This dividend will be paid on the capital stock of the bank to all stockholders on record as of Dec. 15, 1969. Dividend Checks will be mailed out Jan. 2, 1970.

This dividend, together with the one paid on June 30, 1969, makes a total of \$1.70 per share for the year, which is the highest on record. Also, the Christmas Club Savings this year reached a new high of \$251,149.00.

The Thurmont Bank is celebrating its 80th Anniversary, having been established in 1889. A brochure has been published, giving an early history of the bank, together with a ten year progress report. Brochures will be mailed upon request.

### WEATHER REPORT

Temperatures for the Emmitsburg District for the period ending Dec. 19, as reported by Mrs. Lucille K. Beale, local weather observer, were as follows:

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Saturday, Dec. 13	37	27
Sunday, Dec. 14	38	25
Monday, Dec. 15	40	33
Tuesday, Dec. 16	40	30
Wednesday, Dec. 17	33	12
Thursday, Dec. 18	32	12
Friday, Dec. 19	40	28

Rainfall amounted to .42 of an inch and there were six inches of snow Dec. 14.

Gray foxes respond more readily to predator calls than red foxes.—Sports Afield.

### OBITUARIES

#### LESTER W. MILLER

Lester William Miller, 46, of Thurmont R2, died Thursday at the Annie M. Warner Hospital, Gettysburg. Born in Frederick County, he was a son of the late Irvin W. and Mary F. Hartdagan Miller, and a member of St. Anthony Shrine Catholic Church.

Surviving besides his wife, Margaret Portner Miller, are five sisters, Mrs. Josephine Kelz and Mrs. Charlotte Lingg, both of Emmitsburg; Mrs. Clothilde May, Mrs. Bernadette Hemler, Mrs. Ruth Martins, all of Thurmont, R2; three brothers, Francis and Roy Miller, both of Thurmont R2, and Brooke Miller, Emmitsburg.

Funeral services were held on Monday at 9 a.m. with a requiem Mass at St. Anthony's Shrine with the Rev. Vincent Tomalski officiating. Interment was in St. Joseph's Cemetery, Emmitsburg.

#### CHARLES H. CLARKE, JR.

Charles H. Clarke, Jr., 51, Fairfield, formerly of Thurmont, died Sunday while playing Santa Claus at a Christmas party at Charnita where he was employed.

He was a son of Mrs. Ambrosia Derwalt and the late Charles H. Clarke, a member of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church, Thurmont, and the Elks Club of Roanoke, Va.

Surviving besides his mother are his wife, Betty Stull Clarke; two daughters, Mrs. Mehrle Shriner, Jr., Thurmont, and Mrs. Constance Adelsberger, Baltimore; four grandchildren; seven brothers: Jerome, Annapolis; Patrick, New Cumberland; Michael, Thurmont; Joseph, Mentor, Tenn.; Ronald, serving in Korea; Francis, Devon, Pa.; and Paul, Fairmont, W. Va.; four sisters: Mrs. Earl Silverhorn, Charlotte, N. C.; Mrs. Charles Heffelman, New York City; Mrs. Morten Tolin, Cedar Grove, N. J., and Mrs. Luther Goff, Sarasota, Fla.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church with the Rev. Edward Echle officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery.

### Mount Captures Quantico Tourney; Remain Undefeated

Mount St. Mary's repeated as titlists in the annual Quantico Marines invitational basketball tournament Saturday evening by easily defeating New York Tech 96-72.

The victory was the sixth in a row for Coach Jim Phelan's unbeaten Mountaineers who will seek another tournament title in the Pocono Classic at East Stroudsburg State College starting January 1.

The New Yorkers registered the first goal in Saturday's game but then the Mount pushed to the lead and led by a comfortable margin throughout. Strong rebounding by Bob Riley, Bob Sutor and John Novey, plus fine defensive work by Steve Murphy and Lou Grillo limited the Tech cagers to but one shot most of the time. Riley chalked up 19 points and Grillo 13 in the first half with the Mount leading 48-28 at intermission.

Throughout the second half the Mountaineers had no problems in maintaining a wide margin. Novey held "Butch" Harris, high scoring Tech forward to but six points during his time of play. Harris managed but 12 points.

Riley topped all scorers with 26 points and Grillo netted 17. The Mount sank 26 of 35 fouls. Clyde Brown and Jim Hurley led the losers with 21 and 18 points. Tech made good on 16 of 26 free throws.

Sutor was selected as the most valuable player of the tournament and along with Grillo was named to the all-star team. Novey and Riley also received votes as being the most valuable.

The Mount will oppose Adelphi in the opening round game of the Pocono Classic on New Year's Day. Other pairings are: Loyola vs. Bridgeport, New Hampshire vs. East Stroudsburg, and Hofstra vs. Muhlenberg.

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### 40th Annual Christmas Parade Held



Photo shows a thoroughly chilled but determined group of local children as they congregated in front of the Fire Hall for the Annual Kiddies' Christmas Party sponsored by the Lions Club last Saturday.

—Emmitsburg Chronicle Photo



Small in numbers but supplying plenty of music despite the frigid weather, the Emmitsburg Municipal Band is shown at the completion of the Christmas Parade last Saturday which was participated in by approximately 500 local kiddies.



The big moment arrives as Santa departs from his escort car furnished by Sperry Ford Sales. Santa, shown at far right, passed out candy and oranges to the crowd of nearly 500 youngsters.

—Emmitsburg Chronicle Photo

### Numerous Promotions And Transfers Announced By State Police

Promotions and transfers for seven area State Policemen, including the Frederick Barracks commander, were announced this week to be effective Dec. 24.

Lt. Samuel R. Dorsey of Mt. Airy will be promoted to captain and chief of the State Police Quartermaster Division at Pikesville. His replacement will be Lt. Walter H. Wahl who formerly served as assistant barracks commander under Lt. Dorsey until May of 1968, when former Sgt. Maj. Wahl was promoted to Lieutenant and transferred to the Annapolis Barracks.

Lt. Dorsey has served with the State Police since 1946 after serving two years with the U. S. Army infantry in Europe. His first police assignment was at the Conowingo Barracks in Harford County, later being transferred to Randallstown as a corporal in 1955.

Lt. Dorsey was promoted to sergeant at the Waterloo Barracks in 1957. In 1961, he was promoted to First Sergeant at Frederick barracks and in August 1964, he was promoted to lieutenant and commander of the Frederick Barracks and Hagerstown Post, under Captain W. E. O'Hara, Western Troop commander. Lt. Dorsey is married and has three children.

When Dorsey was promoted to lieutenant, Walter Wahl was promoted to first sergeant and transferred to Frederick as assistant barracks commander under Lt. Dorsey. Wahl had served as supervisor at the Waldorf State Police Barracks from 1959 until his promotion and transfer to Frederick.

Originally from Cumberland, Lt. Wahl's first assignment was at the Waterloo Barracks in 1947 before being transferred to Waldorf. Prior to his joining the State Police in 1946, Wahl had served a four-year tour of duty with the Navy during World War II.

In 1965, Wahl was temporarily assigned to Westminster City Police department. In 1968, he was promoted to lieutenant and assigned as commander of the Annapolis Barracks. In July of 1969, he was transferred to Westminster as barracks commander.

He is married and the father of three children, twins—Patrick and Patricia, 22, and Michael, 15. His home is near Frederick.

The present assistant barracks commander at Frederick, Sgt. Maj. John E. Koontz, will be promoted to lieutenant and transferred to the Westminster Barracks. Sgt. Maj. Koontz was promoted to assistant barracks commander in 1968.

He joined the State Police in 1949 and was stationed at the Leonardtown Post, making sergeant in 1958. He is married and

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### Taxpayers Group Organizes; Plans Election

A representative group of Emmitsburg and Thurmont taxpayers met in a two-hour session Monday evening at St. Joseph's High School, to determine ways and means to have adjustments made in recent tax assessment figures handed out the first part of December. Among the group were businessmen, farmers and other property-owners.

It was the consensus of the group to follow the standard procedure of applying for a tax hearing, first at the Supervisor of Assessments Office in Frederick, then the County Commissioners and if necessary, to the State Tax Court.

The meeting was presided over by the chairman pro tem, Milton A. Sewell, retired Army Colonel residing in the Emmitsburg District. The chairman first introduced Richard Zimmerman, Frederick attorney, who spoke on procedure of tax appeals, what could be expected and what could be done. Following Attorney Zimmerman's talk a question and answer period was held. Immediately following Attorney Zimmerman, Chairman Sewell introduced Robert E. Dailey, Sr., president of the Frederick County Taxpayers League. Mr. Dailey outlined procedures pertinent to tax assessment appeals and explained the workings of his League. He stated that legal service would be provided by the League in cases that might reach the Tax Court.

The consensus of the group was to have all those dissatisfied with their recent assessment send in their protest slips to the Assessment Office in Frederick for a hearing. It is the intention of the group to give aid to those who do not care to face the hearing, by having some individual to represent them, free, at the hearing. Thisaid can be had by calling the Emmitsburg Chronicle or M. A. Sewell.

In all, about 100 residents from the two towns were present at the meeting, despite freezing temperatures and slippery roads. Membership application forms for those desiring to join the Taxpayers League were distributed during the session. An appointed nominating committee of two residents of Emmitsburg and two from Thurmont, was named by the Chairman.

The committee presented the following nominations: President, Milton A. Sewell; vice president, William Benjamin, Thurmont; secretary, Harry Swomley, and treasurer, Richard Stambaugh, Thurmont. Another meeting of the group is anticipated in the near future at which time, additional nominations can be made and a slate of permanent officers elected.

### Slippery Road Causes Accident

An icy roadway caused an accident on Harbaugh Valley Rd., at 11 a.m. Sunday.

Maryland State Police said Robert Lee Kline, 40, Emmitsburg R1, was traveling south on Harbaugh Valley Road and, as his car rounded a curve, met an oncoming vehicle driven by Elwood Merle Eiker, 46, Emmitsburg R1. The Eiker vehicle hit a slick spot in the road and skidded into Kline's car. Trooper Donald Higgins investigated the incident. No charges were placed.

### Man Is Hurt In Car Mishap

A 40-year-old Fayetteville area man was treated at the Warner Hospital for injuries sustained when his car crashed off Rt. 15 near Emmitsburg about 8:30 o'clock Friday evening. Glenn Kauffman, 40, of 61 E. Main St., Fayetteville, was treated at the hospital for abrasions of the forehead, nose and left elbow. He was removed to the hospital in the Emmitsburg VFW ambulance.

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### A Blessed Christmas

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### Gives Good Advice On Phone Calling

The Christmas season brings not only a shopping rush but also a calling rush. Miss Peggy L. Houff, chief operator for the C&P Telephone Company here, made some suggestions that may help you avoid delays in your long distance calls to family and friends during the holidays.

"The most helpful thing to do," said Miss Houff, "is to make your calls when the telephone traffic is lighter—and in the Frederick area there are usually fewer calls on Christmas Day between 1 p. m. and 6 p. m. Then, during the evening, the traffic picks up again."

Lower long distance rates are in effect 24 hours on both Christmas Day and New Year's Day, she pointed out.

Miss Houff listed these additional tips about holiday calling: Check ahead of time to be sure you have the out-of-town numbers you expect to call. To get a number, just call the area code of the distant place and the number 555-1212. You make this call as you do any long distance call, but there is no charge.

If you don't know the area code for the place you're calling, look in the front pages of your phone book for the area code map and list.

Allow the operator a little extra time to answer you. She's probably working on a call that is difficult to get through. Tanging up and dialing again won't expedite the call.

Call station to station. This saves the extra time it takes to get a person-to-person call through, and the cost is lower.

If you plan to call overseas during the busy holidays, make a reservation as far ahead as possible.

Just ask your operator to connect you with the Overseas Operator for the country you wish to call.

During the holidays Miss Houff said, the telephone company makes adjustments in the circuits to provide more pathways into and out of the various communities, and there are also many operators on duty.

Still, the traffic sometimes backs up, although the number of long distance calls is actually lower than on an ordinary business day.

"The difference," she explained, "is in the traffic pattern." The bulk of everyday long distance calling is between large towns and cities, and the telephone circuits are designed to handle that kind of traffic.

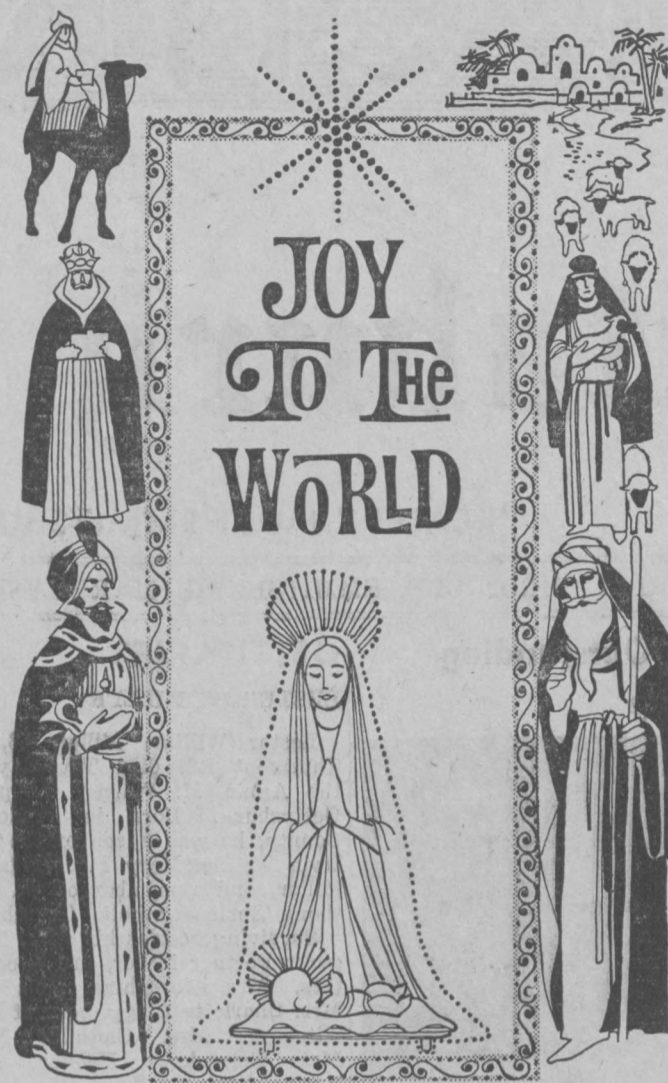
"In contrast," Miss Houff said, "many holiday calls to friends and relatives across the country travel routes where calling is usually light—and where we don't normally need super-speechways."

### VFW AMBULANCE

Glenn W. Raffman, Fayetteville, Pa., and Mrs. John Stonesifer, R2, Taneytown, and Gerald N. Ryder, Emmitsburg, were transported this week to the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa., via the VFW ambulance. Drivers were L. Michael Boyle, Thomas White, and Paul E. Humerick.

VA operates 166 hospitals, 16 and outpatient clinics, and one of domiciliaries, six restoration centers, 63 nursing home care units, the nation's outstanding medical research programs.

The VA's home loan guaranty program, signed into law in June 1944, granted its first loan to Miles E. Meyers for purchase of a two-story row house in Washington, D. C.



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### Silent Night

May the spirit of that night, on which the Saviour was born, shine upon you in this Christmas season.

Grateful thanks for your continued good will.

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At this wonderful time of the year we wish you and your families the merriest and happiest Christmas ever, plus a special "Thanks" for being special to us!

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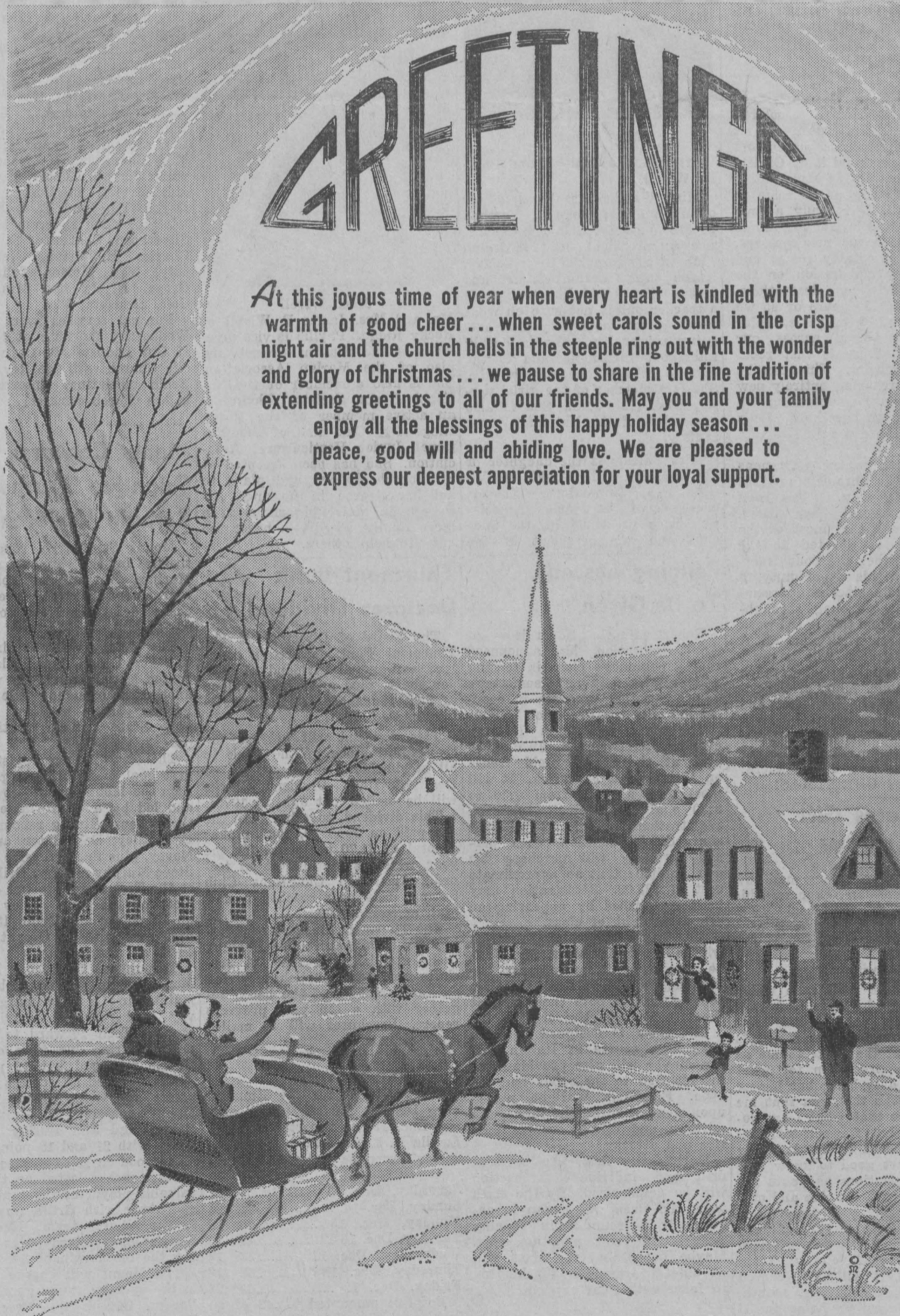
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# GREETINGS

At this joyous time of year when every heart is kindled with the warmth of good cheer... when sweet carols sound in the crisp night air and the church bells in the steeple ring out with the wonder and glory of Christmas... we pause to share in the fine tradition of extending greetings to all of our friends. May you and your family enjoy all the blessings of this happy holiday season... peace, good will and abiding love. We are pleased to express our deepest appreciation for your loyal support.

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The VA is the largest independent government agency, employing more than 147,000 full-time people, with about 87 per cent of this staff assigned to the Department of Medicine and Surgery.

**St. Joseph College Receives Grant**

A National Science Foundation grant of \$32,325 has been awarded to St. Joseph College for sup-

port of the 1970 Summer Institute in Biology for Secondary School Teachers, Sister Margaret Dougherty, president of the college, announced this week.

The Institute will be directed by

Sister Marcella Scully, Ph.D., Department of Natural Sciences and Mathematics at the College, and will provide an opportunity for 30 secondary school biology teachers to earn six undergraduate credits in Bionstrumentation.

A similar Institute at St. Joseph College last year attracted teachers from high schools in Maryland, California, Pennsylvania, Louisiana, Missouri, Georgia, Virginia, South Carolina, New Jersey, Florida, Montana, Connecticut, New York, Indiana, Michigan and Vermont.

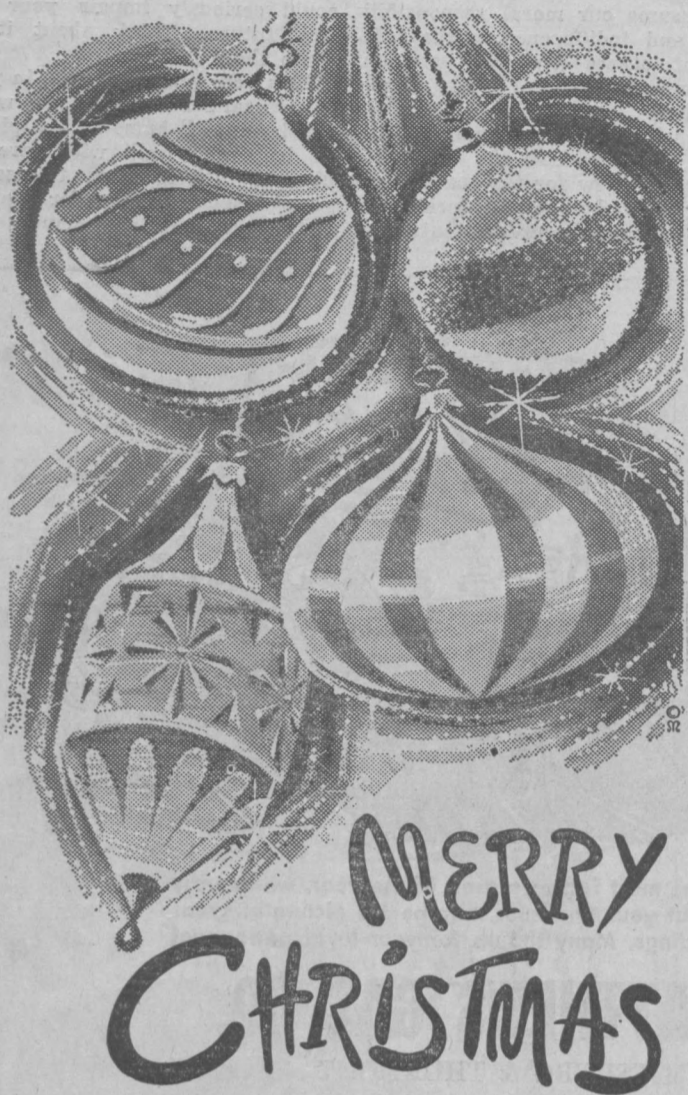
Preference will be given to teachers in need of training in the use of experimental techniques to be studied and whose applications provide evidence that they will derive suitable benefits from the Institute. Participants will receive a stipend of \$75 a week, plus \$15 for each dependent.

The purpose of the Institute is to strengthen the laboratory competency of secondary school teachers in areas where initial preparation may be lacking in utilization of modern science techniques.

Sister Marcella Scully will instruct participants in the use of radioisotopes, pH measuring devices and chemical methods. Sister Juliana Kowal, assistant professor of biology at St. Joseph College, will teach microscopy, microbiological techniques and chromatography. Sister Denise Eby, Ph.D. candidate and chairman of the Science department, will be a part-time instructor and will demonstrate the use of the Beckman DB spectrophotometer and gas chromatograph.

Other instructors and guest lecturers for the program will be announced by the College at a later date.

James R. Sanders has recently returned from Formosa, and is now stationed at Shepherd Air Force Base in Texas.



May this holiday season bestow on you every blessing and happiness. Please accept our best wishes, and may we express our gratitude to you for your loyal patronage. Thank you!

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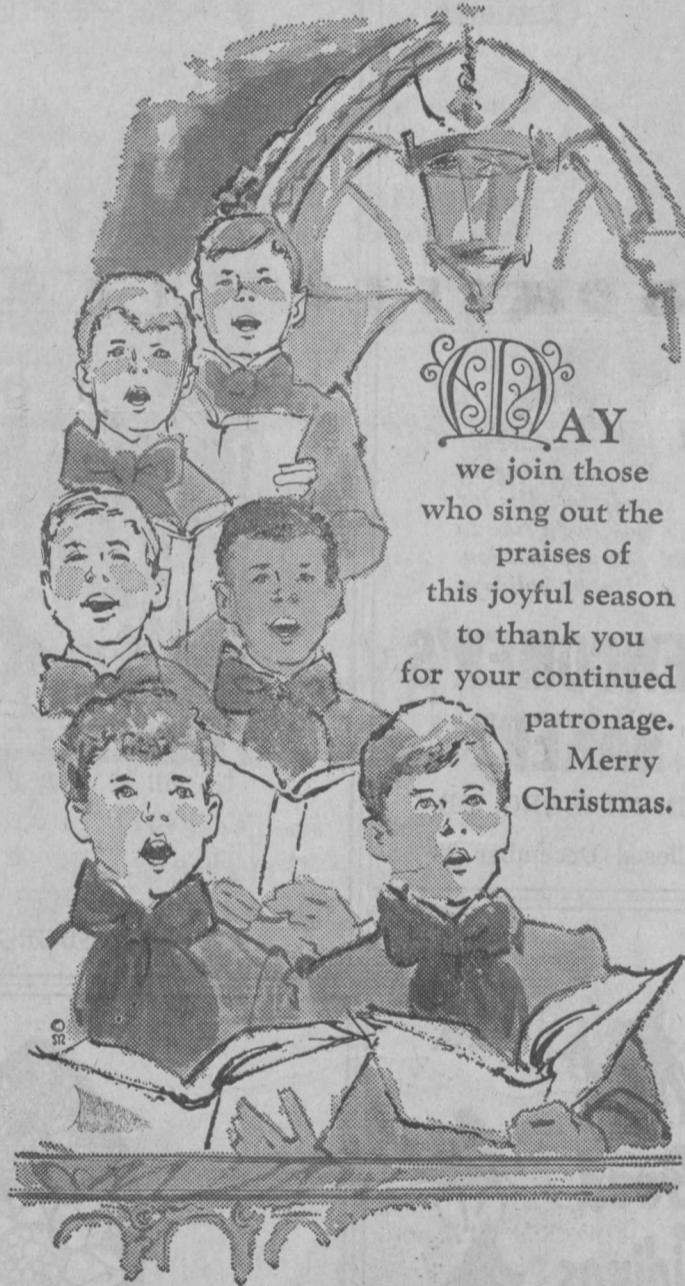
May every joy and blessing of this holy season come to you and your loved ones, bringing peace and happiness . . . making hearts and spirits bright, Merry Christmas!

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This season, it is our wish that your spirit be moved by the inspiration and hope that distinguished the first Christmas. And that its meaning then . . . of peace and good will toward men . . . will be its meaning now for you and your loved ones.

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**College Graduates Named Outstanding**

Five recent graduates of St. Joseph College have been selected "Outstanding Young Women of America" and will appear in the 1969 edition of the national directory.

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They are Miss Marta Giovanna Aguado, USARHAW, APO, San Francisco, a 1967 History major; Mrs. Veronica Merrill Malone, Englistown, N. J., a 1956 graduate in English; Mrs. Janice Jaeger Burns, Lahore, West Pakistan, a 1962 graduate of the school of nursing; Miss Anne Sheelen, of Plainfield, N. J., a 1961 graduate in Home Economics; and Miss Elizabeth Powers, Brentwood, Md., a 1961 chemistry major now employed in the U. S. government.

The nominees, selected for their 'unselfish contributions to their communities, professions and country' are among 5,000 young women nominated by leading women's organizations and college alumnae associations annually. One from each of the 50 states will be selected for their state's Outstanding Young Woman of the Year Award.

Since 1967, 14 graduates of St. Joseph College have been honored by the association.

Miss Aguado, who fled Cuba at the age of 16, was a scholarship student at St. Joseph College, and is currently enrolled in a two-year

law course at LaSalle Extension University. She hopes to earn her LL.B. by 1971. She received a commission in the U. S. Army in February, 1968, 13 months before she was naturalized. Her parents have been forced to remain in Cuba, where her father is a prominent radiologist. Prior to her recent re-assignment, Miss Aguado was a platoon leader at Ft. McClellan, Ala., where she trained recruits in the Womens Army Corps.

Mrs. Malone, who will complete work for a B.S. in Home Economics, in 1970 at Rutgers University, plans to combine her major field of English with her new degree as a free lance writer in the Home Economics field. She is the mother of two daughters and a son.

Mrs. Burns, whose family includes two sons and an adopted daughter, entered the Peace Corps after graduation in 1962 and served as a Public Health nurse in Malaya, where she was married to a fellow Peace Corpsman now associated with Harvard University in West Pakistan.

Miss Sheelen, received a Masters of Education degree in 1969 in Adult Education at Rutgers University, and currently is County Home Economist, Cooperative Extension Service, Union County N. J.

Miss Powers taught for a year after graduation from St. Joseph College, and at present is employed by the U. S. Government.

Some 180,000 widows will receive larger checks from the VA in January 1970 under a law signed in October 1969.

**Safety Urged During Holidays**

With the coming of the New Year—toasts will be drunk—resolutions will be made and everywhere this momentous occasion will be celebrated with pleasure. Remember, Paul E. Burke, Executive Director of the Maryland Traffic Safety Commission urges, during this joyous revelry give serious thought to the many traffic

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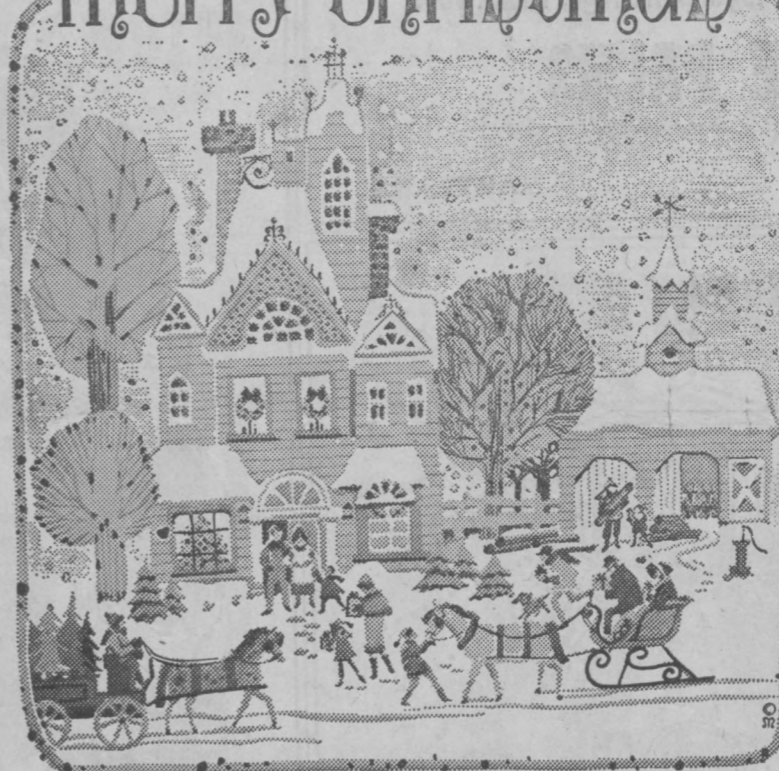
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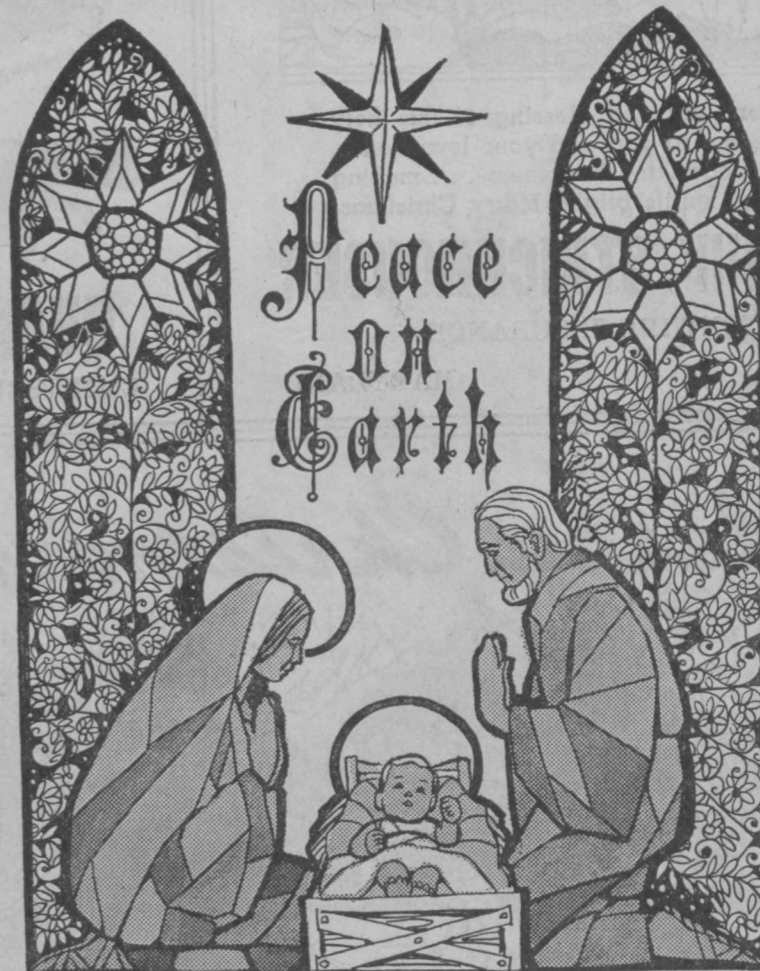
Best wishes for a season filled with good health, good cheer for you and your family. We wish to extend our thanks to all our fine friends and neighbors for their loyalty and confidence.

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## Commissioners Study Water, Sewer Plan

The county commissioners met recently with representatives from the Planning and Zoning Commission, the Metropolitan Commission and the Health Department to discuss final recommendations on the comprehensive water and sewer plan for Frederick County. Recommendations from citizens at a series of public meetings ending Nov. 24 were considered by the planning group and these suggestions were incorporated in final recommendations presented to the commissioners. Final adoption of a plan by the county is required by state law before Jan. 1. Commissioner Charles Collins questioned the group about the

formulation of policy to accompany the plan, stating that while the adoption of a plan was required, policy might better be formulated later and presented as an amendment in the 1971 yearly review. The commissioners were assured that approval of the water and sewer plan by the State Health Department and the Water Resources Board would probably be favorable. The Water Resources Board recommended approval of the preliminary plan in an informal review and the planning group has worked closely with the two agencies throughout the formulation of the comprehensive county plan. Changes in the establishment of sewage districts, according to recommendations of the planning

group, would be made by the county with state approval after

adoption of the plan. It was also recommended that the Metropolitan Commission be assigned to study problems and make suggestions to the commissioners concerning developments and changes to be made in the plan after its adoption.

The commissioners will approve a final comprehensive sewer and water plan before Jan. 1 of next year and implementation and enforcement is expected by late 1970.

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If your brother sins... against you... forgive him. (Luke 17:3).

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By virtue of an Order of the Orphans' Court for Frederick County, Maryland, passed on the 3rd day of December, 1969, in No. 9423 of said Court, in the matter of the sale of real estate of Charles E. Heim, Sr., deceased, Melvin E. Heim, Administrator, et al., Complainants, vs. Kloria Eicholtz and William M. Eicholtz, her husband, Defendants, the undersigned Trustee will offer at public sale on the premises described below and situate along the public road leading from Catocin Furnace to Eicholtz Mill in Thurmont Election District, Frederick County, Maryland on

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1970**

at 10:00 A.M., E.S.T., all the following described real estate: Beginning for the same at a stone planted at the Southwest Corner of Domer's Lot and running then, S. 85 3/4° W., 25 pcs., N. 18° E. 45 pcs., No. 77 2/3° E., 25 pcs. S. 18° W., 47.5 pcs., to the place of beginning, containing 7 acres of land, more or less and being all and the same land and premises as referred to and described in a deed dated December 30, 1946, from Howard C. Davis and Sue P. Davis, his wife, unto Charles E. Heims and Nellie A. Heims, his wife, and recorded among the Land Records of Frederick County, Maryland, in Liber 460, folio 119.

The property is improved with a seven room, two story frame dwelling house with brick-tex siding, metal roof, electricity and well beside the house; there is also a two car concrete block garage, meat house and several chicken houses.

INSPECTION: Premises may be inspected upon contacting the undersigned Trustee, Attorney or Auctioneer.

TERMS OF SALE: As prescribed in the aforesaid Order of Court, one-tenth of the purchase price to be paid in cash on the date of sale, the balance upon ratification of sale by the Court. All costs of conveying, including State Revenue Stamps and transfer tax to be at the expense of the purchaser or purchasers. Taxes and any other assessments to be adjusted as of date of sale.

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No. 9444 IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND

In The Matter Of The Sale Of The Real Estate of Lucy V. Heffner, Deceased  
 Ira Luther Heffner, Administrator and Ira Luther Heffner, Individually Plaintiff

VS.  
 The Unknown Heirs, Devisees, Executors, Administrators, and Personal Representatives of Lucy V. Heffner, Deceased Defendants

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION**  
 The object of this proceeding is to procure a Decree for the sale of certain fee simple real estate in Frederick County, Maryland, a fractional interest of which is in the name of Luck V. Heffner, deceased.

The Petition states in substance that Lucy V. Heffner died intestate on September 29, 1959 without giving birth to any children, her husband having predeceased her, and leaving no known relatives.

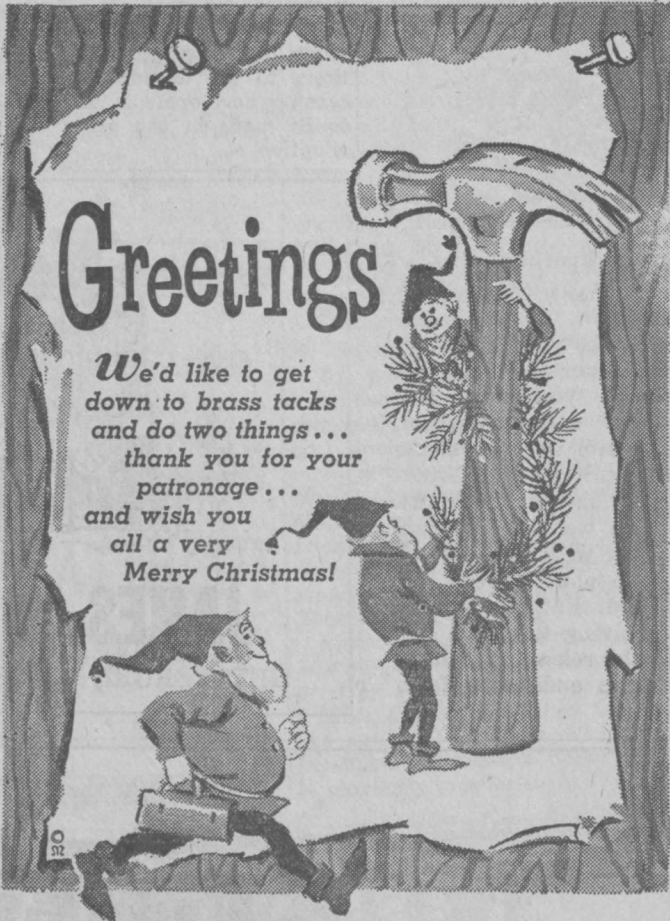
That the said Lucy V. Heffner died seized and possessed of an interest in all that tract or parcel of land situate in Frederick County, Maryland and being all and the same real estate as described and conveyed in a deed dated July 22, 1944, from William Emory Heffner, widower, to Roy W. Heffner and Ira Luther Heffner, and recorded in Liber 442, folio 458, among the Land Records of Frederick County, Maryland.

That the Decedent, Lucy V. Heffner, was the wife of the said Roy W. Heffner, who predeceased her. That said real estate has been appraised at and for the total sum of \$2,000.00; that the interest of the decedent, Lucy V. Heffner, in said property is appraised at no more than \$1,000.00. That said property cannot be divided in kind among her heirs without great inconvenience and hardship for all concerned; that in order to clear the title to the aforesaid property and to facilitate distribution among the heirs at law of the said Lucy V. Heffner, deceased, it is necessary that said property be sold.

The Petition then prays that a Trustee be appointed by the Court to sell said real estate at a public or private sale and if at a private sale for not less than the appraised value and distribute the proceeds thereunder under the jurisdiction of the Court; that a summons be issued to all persons having interest in the aforesaid property and since no heirs are known that an Order of Publication be published notifying all persons having interest in said property of said proceeding; and for such other and further relief as the nature of the case may require.

It is thereupon this 8th day of December, 1969, ORDERED by the Orphans' Court for Frederick County, Maryland that an Order of Publication be published in a newspaper having general circulation in Frederick County notifying all interested persons in accordance with law, that is, by causing a copy of this Order to be inserted once a week for four (4) successive weeks prior to the 10th day of January, 1970, giving notice to the said Defendants of the object and substance of this petition and warning them to be and appear in this Court in person or by Solicitor on or before the 14th day of January, 1970, to show cause, if any they may have, why the relief sought in this Petition should not be granted.

**HOWARD Z. STUP**  
**RALPH E. WHITE**  
**G. RAYMOND SHIPLEY**  
 Judges of the Orphans' Court  
**W. JEROME OFFUTT**  
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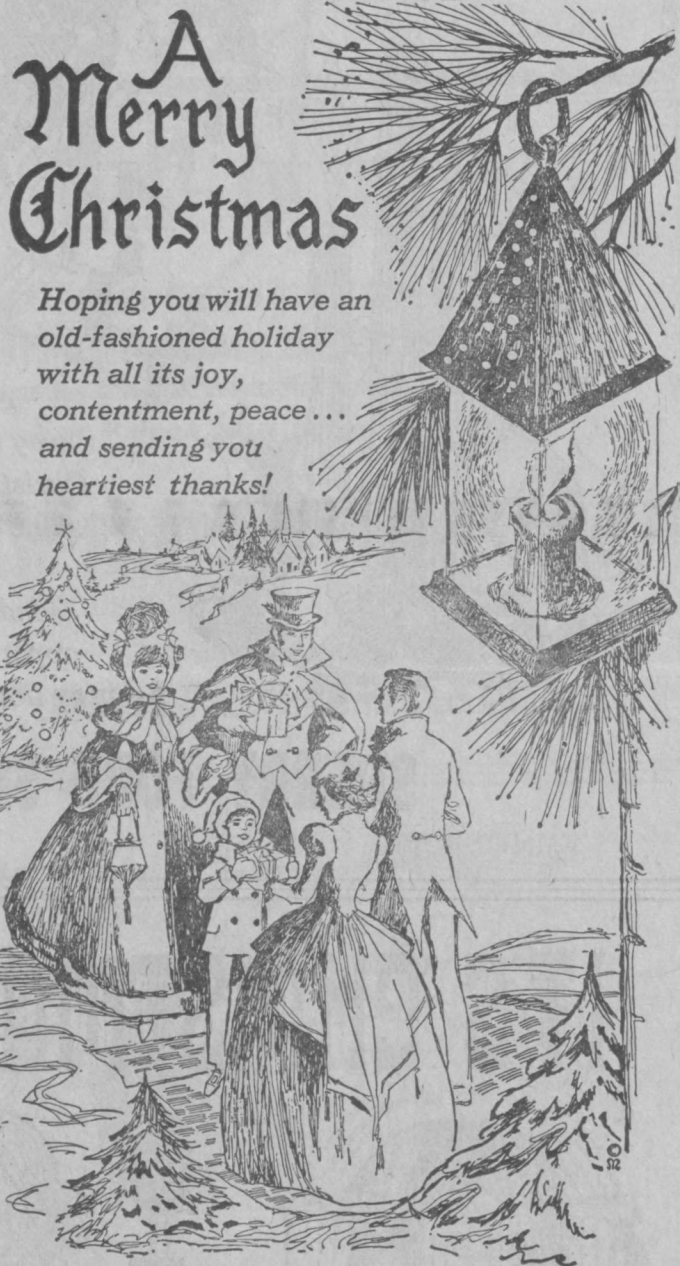
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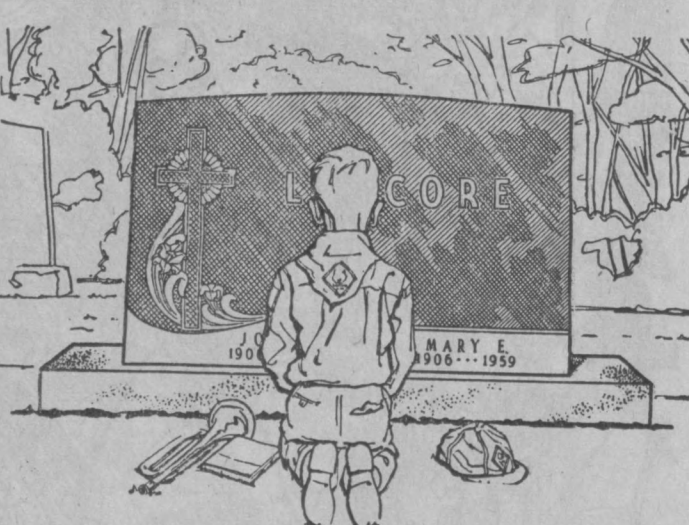
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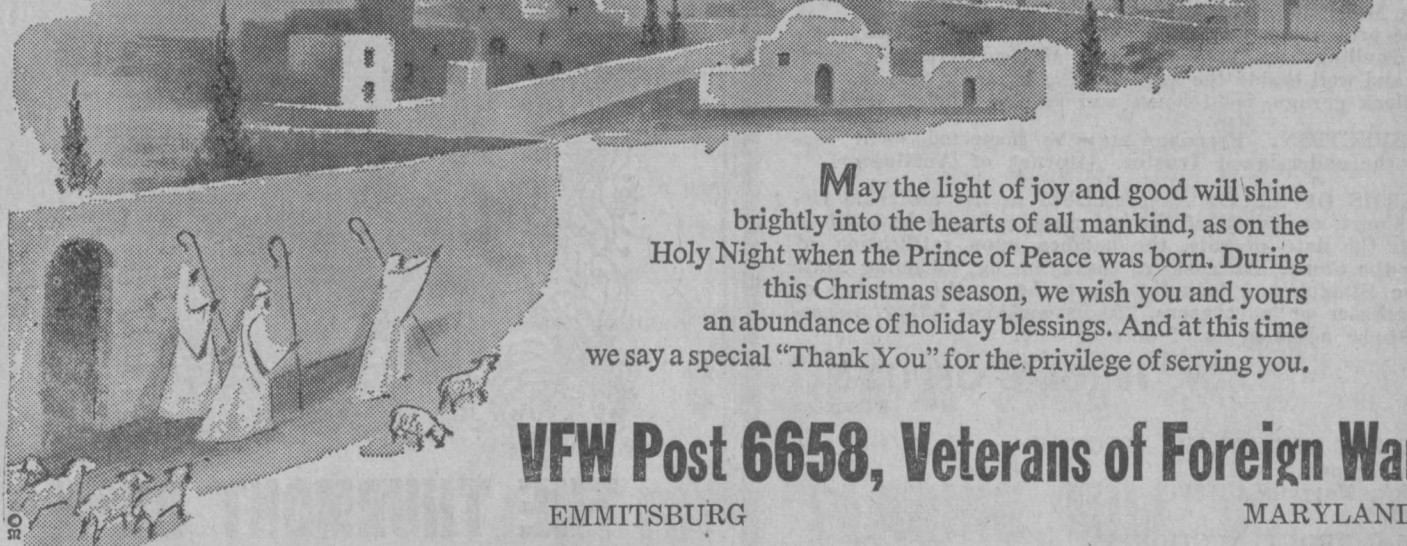
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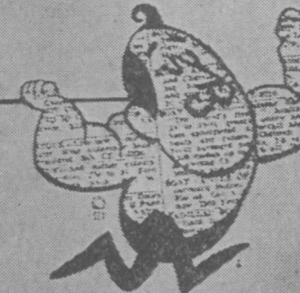
**Silent Night**



May the light of joy and good will shine brightly into the hearts of all mankind, as on the Holy Night when the Prince of Peace was born. During this Christmas season, we wish you and yours an abundance of holiday blessings. And at this time we say a special "Thank You" for the privilege of serving you.

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Vice President Spiro T. Agnew and Mrs. Agnew were awarded honorary life memberships in the Maryland PTA in recognition of their leadership contribution to this organization dedicated to the welfare of children and youth. The Vice President formerly served as president of the Dumbarton Junior High School PTA in Towson, Baltimore County. Present for the ceremony on November 3 were: Mrs. John D. Loizeaux, Maryland PTA president; John J. Lancaster, Jr., 1st vice president; and Mrs. Herman P. Gay, public relations chairman.

**Hospital Report**

**Admitted**  
Mrs. John Stonesifer, Taneytown R2.  
Gerald N. Ryder, Emmitsburg.

**Discharged**  
Mrs. Charles Morningstar, R2, Thurmont.  
Mrs. Wesley Hall, Sr., Taneytown R2.

**Births**  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Drumm, Emmitsburg R2, son, Wednesday, December 17.  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sweeney, Thurmont, daughter, Dec. 18.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Reek, R2, Thurmont, daughter, Friday.

**GREETINGS**

At this joyous time of year we extend our greetings to our friends, whose confidence we highly value. Thank you.

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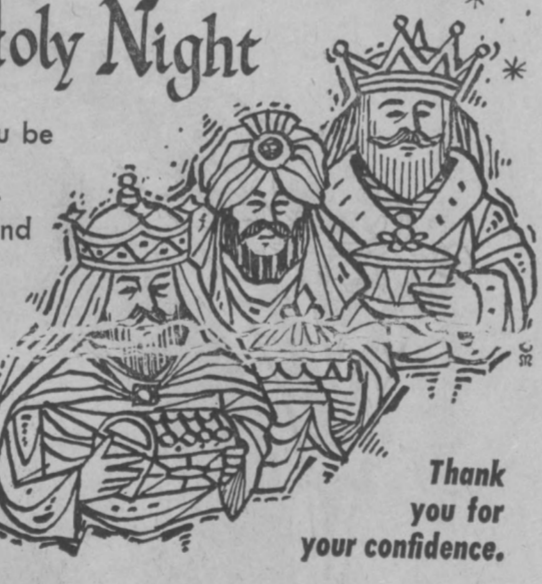


**O, Holy Night**

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**State Troopers Are Promoted**

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has two girls and two boys.

The new assistant barracks commander for the Frederick Barracks will be First Sergeant Henry I. Stafford who will be promoted to Sgt. Maj. on Dec. 24. Sgt. Stafford joined the State Police in 1957 and has been stationed since then at the Frederick Barracks where he was promoted to sergeant in 1968. He is married and has two girls and one boy, all in school.

Sgt. Robert C. Snyder will be promoted to first sergeant and remain at the Frederick Barracks. He has served at the Rockville, Hagerstown and Frederick Barracks, since joining the department in 1955.

Sgt. Byron L. Hubble will be transferred from the Randallstown Barracks to the Frederick Barracks. Hubble was transferred from Frederick to Randallstown after he was promoted to sergeant. He joined in 1961.

Tfc. Robert L. McAfee will be promoted to corporal and transferred to the Rockville Post.

**CYO Christmas Party**

The CYO will sponsor a Christmas Party for members only, on Dec. 27 from 8-11 at St. Euphemia's Hall. The CYO would also like to extend its appreciation and Season's Greetings to all.

**Physicians Attend Training Session**

Twenty-three physicians from Frederick County and twenty nursing supervisors attended the day long training session in CPR (Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation) at the Frederick Memorial Hospital, Saturday, December 13.

The planning committee for this program consisted of Martha Taylor Schipper, M.D., president of the Frederick County Heart Association; Robert R. Roberts, M.D., chairman of the sub-committee on CPR; Geraldine Jones, R.N., and Donna Wantz, R.N., of the Professional Education Committee and Daniel L. Dever of the Heart Association of Maryland and State Coordinator of the Regional Medical Program in CPR.

Registration was handled by Mrs. Garvin Tankersley.

The training session was conducted by four faculty members from Baltimore: Donald H. Dembo, M.D., chief of cardiology, Maryland General Hospital; Donald Benson, M.D., professor of anesthesiology, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine; Ann Manning, R.N., M.S., instructor, Department of Medical - Surgical Nursing, University of Maryland; and George Ramapuram, M.D., chief of cardiology, Baltimore Co. General Hospital.

Seymour B. Stern, local attorney, and President - elect of the Frederick County Heart Association, discussed the medical-legal aspects of CPR.

This program carried a Category I credit from the Maryland Academy of General Practice. It was co-sponsored by the Frederick County Heart Association, the Frederick County Medical Society, the Frederick County Health Department, the Frederick Memorial Hospital and the Heart Association of Maryland with the aid of a Regional Medical Program grant.

**Christmas Greetings**

Santa and his reindeer send their best wishes, and we add our thanks!

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'Tis the season of peace and good will. To friends, neighbors, sincere thanks.

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It's that time again, to pause and say, "MERRY CHRISTMAS". It's an old fashioned wish, one which we at the Farmers and Mechanics National Bank have been extending since 1817.

May you and yours share a season of merriment, prosperity and good health.

**Emmitsburg Office**  
**FARMERS AND MECHANICS NATIONAL BANK**  
Member F.D.I.C.



### NOTICE OF POLICYHOLDERS' MEETING

The regular annual meeting of the Policyholders of the Taneytown Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Carroll Co. will be held Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1970 between the hours of 1 and 2 P. M., at the Company's Office, 32 East Baltimore St., in Taneytown, Md. for the following purposes:

- (1) To elect the Directors for the year 1970.
- (2) To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournments thereof.

By order of the Board of Directors  
PAUL F. NOLTE—Secretary

### Bowling Money Helps Heart Fund

It had been forecast all along, the Heart Fund was the one big winner in the Heart Bowling Week recently observed in seven establishments in Frederick County which are members of the Bowling Proprietors' Assn., according to Ronald Summers, special events chairman.

Preliminary indications were that the total for the county would surpass last year's high of \$622. Over 1,000 bowlers took part in the "Bowl—Strike Out Heart Disease" event and \$758 went to support Heart Assn. research, education and community Heart programs.

Returns to the Heart Fund, by establishments, were as follows: Terrace Lanes, \$236; Brunswick, \$157; Village Lanes, \$152; Arcade, \$113; Walkersville, \$50; Health Center, \$39, and Fort Detrick, \$11.50 (contribution).

### Will Broadcast Christmas Music

WMAL AM and FM will unwrap its Christmas Package with a special holiday program.

WMAL AM and FM will present a special Midnight Program at 12 a. m. Christmas Day consisting of religious messages and music.

WMAL AM and FM will observe "Christmas 1969" at 8:15 a. m. Christmas Day with music by the men and boys choir of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York City. "Christmas 1969" a special program by the Executive Council of the Episcopal Church, will feature a message from Rt. Rev. John Hines, Bishop of St. John's.

Dickens' Christmas Carol will be featured at 9:35 a. m. Christmas Day on both WMAL AM and FM. Actor Ronald Coleman will play the part of Scrooge.

The Sounds of Christmas, featuring two hours of Christmas music by 23 area high school choirs will be aired at 10:00 a. m. on Christmas Day. WMAL's John Batchelder will host this annual Christmas program.

### College Alumna With Air Force

Capt. Kathleen F. Sabo, a 1964 graduate of St. Joseph College, recently returned from Vietnam, has received her second Commendation Medal for service with the U. S. Air Force. She currently is stationed at Suffolk County AFB, N. Y., with the 52nd Combat Support Squadron, a unit of the Aerospace Defense Command.

Capt. Sabo, who was a social studies major at St. Joseph's was commissioned in 1964. Her latest decoration resulted from her dedication and skill at Tan Son Nhut AB, where she was contract coordinator and chief of a C-130 Hercules cargo-troop carrier terminal.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Sabo, Johnstown, Pa. A younger sister, Martinia, is a freshman at St. Joseph College.

### Local Cows Prove High Producers

A report of milk production levels attained by dairy cows in the area has been received from Holstein-Friesian Association of America. The actual food production output, recorded in the DHIR program, by these local Registered Holsteins is:

Hills-Hope Skokie De Kol Eve 5524368, a six-year-old, produced 22,150 lbs. of milk and 755 lbs. of butterfat in 305 days. Hills-Hope Waffles Stardust 6234132, a three-year-old, had 17,270 lbs. of milk and 719 lbs. of butterfat in 305 days. Both are included in the herd tested for Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hill, Emmitsburg.

### Rocky Ridge 4-H Club Elects

The regular monthly meeting of the Rocky Ridge Progressive 4-H Club was held December 16 at 7:30 at the Rocky Ridge Fire Hall. Fifty members answered the roll call by "What they liked best about 4-H."

Nicky Sears, a new member, was initiated into the club.

Stanley Gregg opened old business by reporting on the latest Dairy meeting. They elected officers. The president is Joe Wivell; vice president, Mike Wivell, and secretary, Stanley Gregg.

Patty Keilholtz reported on the Sewing meeting which was held at the home of Mrs. Sterling Bollinger.

Election of officers was one of the main events of the meeting. The newly elected officers for the coming year are as follows: President, Phyllis Wivell; vice president, Mary Ann Keilholtz; secretary, Chris Skybyk; treasurer, Lee Bassler, and reporter, Maggie Bollinger.

The main event of the evening was State Trooper Tucker's demonstration and talk on "Drugs." He explained facts on marijuana, speed, hash, and heroin. He also discussed barbituates.

Basketball closed the meeting, which was reported that it begins in January. There will be a Senior and Junior boys team, as well as a girl's Senior team.

The meeting was then adjourned and refreshments served.

### Pennsylvanians Enroll At Mount

Pennsylvanians comprise 24 percent of the total enrollment at Mount Saint Mary's College for

the current academic year.

An enrollment analysis shows there are 260 students from Pennsylvania out of a total enrollment of 1061. Of the 260, 76 are freshmen, 68 sophomores, 56 juniors, 56 seniors, and 4 are taking



We would like to extend our warmest holiday greetings to our friends. Thank you, Merry Christmas.

**WENTZ'S FURNITURE STORE**  
GETTYSBURG PENNSYLVANIA



### A Christmas Prayer

May the beautiful meaning of Christmas... living through the ages to inspire men everywhere... continue to live in your own heart and mind. And may your Christmas be filled with joy.

### THE VILLAGE SHOP

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### Merry Christmas

The best of hopes are extended to you for a warm, happy holiday with friends you hold near and dear. And it is time to thank you for your loyal patronage.

### CROUSE'S

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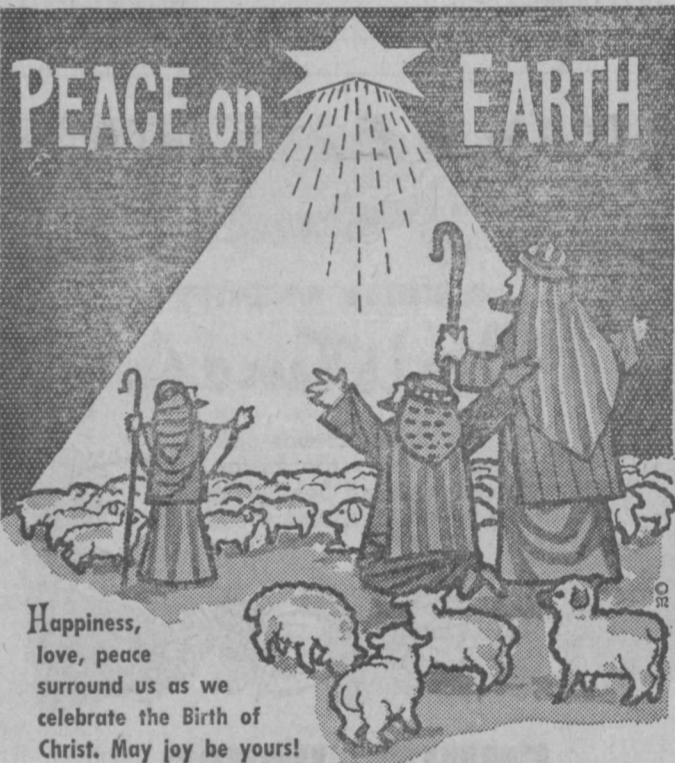


To all our fine friends, we extend our very best wishes for a most joyous holiday and offer our appreciation for your patronage.

### BLOCHER'S JEWELRY

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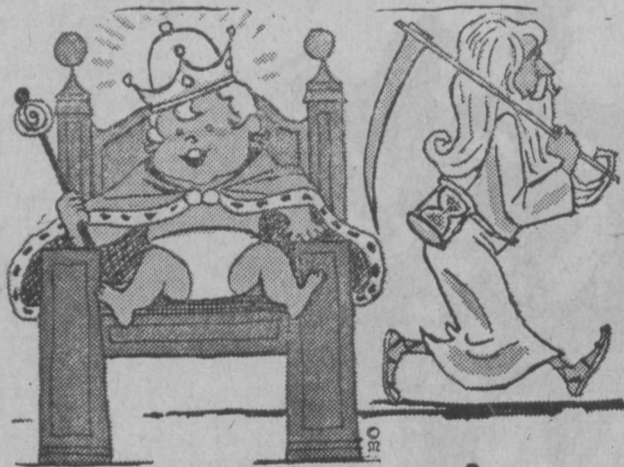


Happiness, love, peace surround us as we celebrate the Birth of Christ. May joy be yours!

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## Hail to the New Year! IF INFLATION IS BUGGING YOU, THEN SPEND YOUR NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY AT The Shamrock

U. S. 15 NORTH OF THURMONT

FREE HATS, NOISEMAKERS, FREE MUSIC  
SNACK BUFFET - HUNDREDS OF BALLOONS

For a Fun-Filled, Economical New Year's Eve... Spend It Here With Us!

NO INCREASE IN PRICES—NO ADMISSION CHARGE — NO RESERVATION NECESSARY (First Come, First Served)

**75c FRIED CHICKEN SPECIAL**

9:00 - 'Til ???



## The first Noel...

May the spirit of the first Christmas light your life and bring you everlasting joy. To one and all we're sending a wish for a wonderful holiday... brimming with laughter and good cheer for you and your family. Let gifts and gladness be yours in abundance.

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