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BUSINESS ON INCREASE AS PEOPLE SHOP

Local Merchants Report A Boom In Business Here From 50 - 75 Per Cent.

1937 PROSPECTS GOOD Industrial Heads Look Forward To Upward Business Trend; Trees Go Fast

Indications that business has made vast strides in climbing from the depths to which it descended in 1932 prevailed in this section as leading merchants and industrial heads rejoiced over the most prosperous Christmas since 1929.

According to postal officials, an early peak in Christmas mail which passed through the local post office was reached on Monday when 25,000 pieces were handled. This is a marked contrast to last year's postage.

1937 Outlook Good

Further reports state that local mills are operating at almost total capacity with three shifts a day being employed over a full week's schedule. Industrial heads, encouraged by a greatly improved business year are looking forward to additional improvement in 1937.

Unofficial reports from leading merchants of the town reveal an increase in business of from fifty to seventy-five per cent.

Local Christmas tree vendors also reported more than 100 per cent increase in sales as early as Tuesday night with their stock of supplies and evergreens rapidly vanishing. The increased demand for trees has cut the supply short and the rush which started the latter part of last week is still on.

In view of these facts, Christmas in Newark this year promises to be a happy one and the best since 1929 and the business trend toward 1937 seems to be on the upgrade.

Overhead Bridge Worker Fined for Boyish Prank

Co-workers of George Master, truck driver on the Pennsylvania Railroad overhead bridge project, are beginning to look upon him as a "hardened criminal."

Master, who resides at Cranston Heights, paid for his boyish pranks Sunday morning when he was fined \$1 and costs by Mayor Klingmeyer for knocking on the door of a residence of East Second Street, New Castle, and then running to his machine and attempting to leave before anyone arrived at the door.

According to reports, he admitted committing the same act on two previous occasions and his associates have started to look upon him as one well-versed in "criminal tactics."

Francis A. Cooch Addresses Lions On Local History

Introduced by Robert S. Gallaher, president of the local Board of Education who was in charge of the program for the night, as "my good neighbor and your good neighbor," Francis A. Cooch spoke on "Local History" before the weekly assembly of the Newark Lions Club Tuesday night at the Deer Park.

Following a plea for charity at Christmas, the noted author, who is vice-president and trust officer of the Equitable Trust Company, Wilmington, and a member of the Lions Club there, discoursed on his lengthy research into Newark history.

Thanks Many Friends
In referring to his recent book, "Little Known History of Newark, Delaware and Its Environs," which was placed on the market last week, Mr. Cooch extended thanks for the courtesy shown him by everyone with whom he came in contact.

Pointing to the many interesting things connected with Newark's past, Mr. Cooch closed his remarks with a hint that worthwhile people are to be found at home as well as in fields afar.

Short talks were made by T. A. Baker and John R. Fader. A Christmas party for students at the New London Avenue school was staged following the meeting. Alexander D. Cobb, T. A. Baker, George Haney and Herman Handloff handled the affair.

Install Transformer

A new 15 KVA transformer was installed by the Council of Newark yesterday on a pole opposite the postoffice in a relief move for the overloaded East Main Street line between the University of Delaware campus and Haines Street.

Three transformers used in the past have failed lately to take care of peak loads in that section which embraces the heart of Newark's business district. Trouble was encountered last week when a transformer "burned out" leaving Main Street between Academy and Academy and Haines in darkness for a short period.

SUPPLIES GIVEN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Donation Day, Held Monday, Is Success; Money and Foodstuffs Given

With many of the lodges and other fraternal organizations still unheard from, a rough estimate of the returns from the second annual Donation Day, staged on Monday for the benefit of Flower Hospital, showed a marked success.

Under the direction of Mrs. George Danby, who instigated the movement last year, many organizations and individuals, following the appeal made by Mayor Frank Collins last week, banded together for the drive for contributions toward the support of the hospital, the greater portion of which is borne by Miss Mary Ford, its owner.

Supplies and Money Received
In response to the request for recognition of the service rendered by the hospital, citizens donated many food supplies including canned goods and vegetables, linen articles, towels, a set of blankets and a bassinet.

Money contributions, not yet finished, amounted to more than \$100 and \$25 was appropriated by the local Red Cross Chapter.

Through the results of Donation Day, Miss Ford is better enabled to carry on her work at the hospital through the winter months. She was high in her praise of the support given and expressed appreciation for the drive which enabled her to reduce her burden of expense at the institution.

Local Historian Speaks On Life of Washington

Arthur B. Eastman, 17 East Park Place, discussed "Christmas in the Life of Washington" during a 15-minute broadcast over WDEL Monday evening. The program was sponsored by Cooch's Bridge, Daughters of the American Revolution.

In contrasting two Christmas days marked by General Washington, Mr. Eastman discoursed on the one of 1776 in comparison with the one in 1881 which was spent in the peace and solitude of Mt. Vernon following the bitter days of the Revolutionary War.

George Madden To Play For Alumni Dance Dec. 26

George Madden and his orchestra, of Wilmington, will furnish the music for the annual Christmas dance, sponsored by the Newark High School Alumni Association. The affair will be staged in the high school gymnasium, Saturday, December 26, and cards will be played by those who do not care to dance.

President George C. Price, leader of the graduate group, is expecting a large crowd and extends a cordial invitation to everyone.

Christmas Services

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH
Rev. Andrew W. Mayer, Rector
Christmas Eve—Candle-light professional and carol service at 11.30 p. m.

Mid-night, Holy Communion, 12.00 o'clock.

St. Thomas' Church and the Rector extend to all the community an invitation to share with them the blessedness and joy of this service.

Christmas Day—10.00 a. m.—Holy Communion.

LOCAL NEGRO ASKS POLICE TO JAIL HIM

Arrested on Wife's Charges Father of Five Pleads For Sentence

MOTOR CAR IS STOLEN

Perplexed over the theft of another automobile in Newark this week, police were "handed a laugh" in the midst of all their woe when the domestic difficulties of Roosevelt Perkins, New London Avenue Negro, and his wife, Sarah, were aired before Magistrate Daniel Thompson.

Perkins, the father of five small children, was arrested on Monday at the request of his spouse, who entered a charge of assault and battery. The action is said to have resulted from slight differences in the Perkins' household.

Welcomes Workhouse

Seeking an indefinite sentence to the New Castle County Workhouse as a means of "getting away from that woman," Perkins startled Magistrate Thompson and Chief of Police Cunningham, who made the arrest, when he refused to pay a small fine.

Alarmed at her swain's actions, the dusky Sarah dropped the charges and turned an "all is forgiven look" on Roosevelt. The husband was adamant, however, in his insistence that he be held for the January term of the General Sessions Court.

Mind Is Changed

After reposing in the local jail until Tuesday, Perkins changed his mind. Following a conference with Cunningham, he pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace, paid a fine of \$2 and the usual costs to be released under the tender surveillance of his adoring wife.

Officer James E. Morrison arrested James Pendilton, troublesome character of the Negro colony, following a brawl at the home of Charles Wilson, also colored, Sunday night.

Charge Is Dropped

Randolph Ryder, another Negro, charged Pendilton with threatening bodily harm, but the charge was dropped due to lack of evidence. The prisoner paid \$10 and costs for being drunk and disorderly. Magistrate Thompson heard the case Monday morning.

Mike Romeo, Baltimore truck driver, was arrested by Chief Cunningham last Thursday night for improper clearance lights. It was later discovered that he carried no flares, the second time he has been apprehended in Delaware on the same count.

Magistrate Thompson collected \$10 (Continued on Page 8)

ANNUAL CORN EXHIBIT HAS PRIZE GRAIN

Ten Best Ears Grown in U. S. During 1935 To Be Shown At State Display

MANY CLASSES LISTED

The ten best ears of corn grown in the United States in 1935 will be on display at the annual exhibit of the Delaware Crop Improvement Association, which is to be held in the Greenwood Community Building, Greenwood, on January 7, 8, and 9, according to Professor G. L. Schuster, of the University of Delaware, secretary of the association.

This 10-ear sample, which was adjudged grand champion at the 1935 International Hay and Grain Show in Chicago, was grown by William Carr Lentz in Indiana. It is Johnson County White Dent corn and was obtained by the association for display at the annual exhibit, so that Delaware growers could compare their corn to a recognized championship sample.

Seven Classes Included

The annual corn show and crop exhibit this year will consist of seven classes for corn, including the interstate class for corn grown in Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania and New Jersey; the class for corn grown and selected by boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 20 years, and the classes for Delaware growers. Championships will also be awarded on both state and county bases.

In addition, there will be classes for small grains and seed in peck samples, grain and forage in the sheaf, sweet potatoes, and white potatoes. A special exhibit of four displays designed and erected by classes in vocational agriculture and dealing with the crops to be shown at the exhibit, will be a feature of the 1937 corn and grain show.

Obtain Premium Lists

Premium lists and regulations may be obtained from Prof. G. L. Schuster, secretary, Delaware Crop Improvement Association, University of Delaware, Newark; or from the following county agricultural agents G. M. Worrlow, 91 East Main street, Newark; Russell E. Wilson, Post Office Building, Dover; and C. R. Snyder, Post Office Building, Georgetown.

Delaware Farmers Repay Loans on Rehabilitation

With the report showing 54 clients in Delaware, latest figures released by the resettlement administration relative to rural rehabilitation loans show that repayments of \$3,844.19 have been made on \$25,457.74 borrowed.

Country Club to Stage New Year's Eve Dance

Members and friends are cordially invited to attend the New Year's eve dance which will be staged under the sponsorship of the Newark Country Club.

George Porter and his orchestra, a Wilmington band, will furnish the music for the dancing which will be enjoyed until 2 o'clock.

Members of the music committee, arranging for the affair are Mr. and Mrs. William C. Northrop and Mr. and Mrs. J. Franklin Anderson, assisted by members of the house committee, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Bonham, Mr. A. Franklin Fader, Mrs. P. K. Musselman and Mrs. Robert Lewis.

WIFE OF PASTOR DIED ON FRIDAY

Mrs. Anna Springer White Succumbs At Home Following Short Illness

Mrs. Anna Springer White, wife of the Rev. Leonard White, pastor of the Newark M. E. Church, died Friday at the parsonage on East Main street, following an illness of two weeks. Mrs. White was stricken with a heart attack and was thought to be recovering when she died.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by five children, John Harvey White of Wilmington, William Herbert White of Delmar, and Ruth, Mildred and Betty White, all of Newark.

Mrs. White, a graduate of the Newark High School, was the daughter of William and Anna Cole, of Wilmington. The Rev. Mr. White, before coming to Newark two years ago, had been superintendent of the Salisbury District of the Wilmington M. E. Conference for six years. He also served as pastor at Delmar, Dover and Mt. Salem, Wilmington.

Cancel Christmas Program

Due to the death of Mrs. White, there were no evening services on Sunday and all Christmas activities have been cancelled.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. Diston W. Jacobs, pastor of the Snow Hill, Md., M. E. Church, who was superintendent of the Wilmington district while Mr. White was head of the Salisbury district. Rev. Jacobs is a former pastor of the Newark church.

Following the services, the body was interred at Mt. Salem Cemetery, Wilmington.

Juniors to Hold Election At Meeting on Monday

Final nominations were held by the American Flag Council No. 28, Jr. O. U. A. M. on Monday night with the election of officers to be concluded at the next meeting.

"The election promises to be exciting, as the competition is keen," said A. Neal Smythe, publicity agent for that organization, in an interview this week. "Councilor Davis is to be commended for his interest shown during his term in office," he added.

Close Popularity Contest

Prizes were awarded to the following, as a result of the popularity contest: 20 pound turkey, H. M. Davies, Bel Air, Md.; 10 pound turkey, Emily Brewer, Newark; goose, H. Marine, Henry Cley, Delaware; pair of chickens, Randolph Lindell, Newark; pair of ducks, John Love, Newark and a pair of guineas, R. Willis, New Castle, Delaware.

"We appreciate the interest shown and regret the prizes were limited," said Mr. Smythe. "Don't forget to attend the council sessions and help plan our fortieth anniversary celebration on January 25," Mr. Smythe stated further.

In conclusion, he announced, "Councilor Davis and his official staff and the members of the Junior organization extend greetings to one and all for a bright, happy Christmas."

Death Halts Activities

William (Bud) Wilson, leader of a popular Newark orchestra, will not appear with his band for a period of two weeks due to the death of a relative.

NEW VEHICLE BOUGHT HERE MONDAY NIGHT

Wilmington Auto Sales Company of Newark Given Ambulance Order

THREE BIDS RECEIVED

Delivery Expected Early In February; New Castle Machine Shown

With total subscriptions amounting to considerably more than \$3,200—\$2,822.86 of which has been received—the Newark Community Ambulance Committee purchased a new vehicle Monday night.

The order with full specifications was handed to George M. Haney, manager of the Wilmington Auto Sales Company of Newark, on Tuesday following a secret poll the previous night. The decision was reached at a special session held in the Council of Newark offices.

Representatives Heard

Bids were received from the Denison Motor Company, represented at the meeting by John M. Denison; and the Fader Motor Company, represented by A. Franklin Fader; in addition to Robert M. Thompson who looked after the interests of the successful bidder.

Through the cooperation of the Quillen Brothers Motor Company, New Castle, with the Fader concern, the municipal ambulance from that town was parked on Academy Street for inspection by the committee.

To Cost \$1,641.50

In placing the order with the Wilmington agency, the committee will expend \$1,641.50, not including minor changes in specified equipment. The balance of the money collected will be turned over to a special maintenance fund to be used by the Council of Newark.

Providing labor troubles being encountered by automobile manufacturers do not delay delivery, the new machine should be received early in February. It will be presented to the Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder Company to operate with the Town Council defraying expenses.

Specifications Given

The vehicle will consist of a Boyertown body mounted on a Chevrolet master six chassis, equipped with horns, windshield wipers, mirror, spare tire and tube, special windows, medicine cabinet, blanket, sheet and supply compartments, safety glass throughout, art cut side windows, linoleum floor covering, interior leather trim, electric fan for patient, two dome lights and other necessary interior lighting, cot, siren with flashing light, two attendants' seats, front and rear bumpers, two sun visors, heater and defroster.

Committee Listed

Dr. J. R. Downes, chairman of the committee, presided at the session which was attended by Miss Elizabeth H. Grime, John K. Johnston, James Q. Smith, D. O. McClintock, Ira C. Shellender, Charles C. Hubert, Samuel J. Turner and Charles H. Rutledge, who acted as secretary in the absence of Miss Lavinia Bye. (Continued on Page 8)

Quintet of High School Students Entertains Club

A Christmas program and a demonstration by Mrs. Kate Henly Daugherty, New Castle County home demonstration agent, were the features at the regular meeting of the Newark New Century Club, last Monday.

The proceedings were opened by the singing of a group of Christmas carols which was followed by the business meeting. Mrs. Joseph McVey reported on the Christmas boxes sent by the club to the Stokely School.

Entertainment was then furnished by a quintet from the Newark High School. The musicians included Marcelle Skinner, Eleanor Smith, Virginia Mylrea, Marion Mylrea and Rex Gilmore.

Following this part of the program, a demonstration by Mrs. Daugherty on the making of crystallized fruits and fruit peel, was given. She was assisted by several of the club members.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST,
Dean of the Moody Bible Institute
of Chicago.
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Lesson for December 27

THE SPREAD OF CHRISTIANITY IN SOUTHERN EUROPE

LESSON TEXT—Hebrews 2:1-4; 11:32-12:2.

GOLDEN TEXT—The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever. Revelation 11:15.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Christmas Round the World.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Into All the World.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Why the Gospel Spread So Rapidly.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Spread of the Gospel in Southern Europe.

History has marveled at the spread of the Christian faith in a wicked and hostile world. Dark were the days upon the earth when the handful of believers in Jesus Christ set out to preach the gospel. Why did the Christian faith spread so rapidly and build so soundly the future? The answer is found in our lesson for today. It is three-fold. They declared:

I. A Great Salvation (2:1-4).
The preaching of the apostles set an example of sound teaching. They knew that no "programs" or "drives" would suffice to meet the need of the world steeped in sin and superstition. They preached a great salvation, a real gospel, and God set his seal of approval upon their work.

The presentation of God's Word and his gospel in the power of the Holy Spirit is still the way of victorious usefulness for any believer and any church.

Turning now to the great faith chapter of Hebrews, we see the second reason for the spread of Christianity. Bible preaching brought forth Bible believers—men and women who obtained "a good report through faith."

II. A Victorious Faith (11:32-40).
Right presentation and proper apprehension of God's Word produces noble and sacrificial living.

The world is "not worthy" of its heroes of faith. In fact, it not only fails to recognize them and their mighty deeds but mocks, scourgings, tortures, and saws them asunder. But they are written down in God's book of remembrance. He rightly evaluates their faith and their nobility of character.

We need to learn of God how to regard our fellow men lest we follow the crowd in giving praise to those who merit it not, and fail to recognize the unsung heroes of faith in our own communities and churches who are the very salt of the earth.

The final section of our lesson follows the first two in perfect sequence of thought. We have noted the apostolic message concerning God's great salvation. We have seen that the gospel is indeed the power of God which not only saves but which produces heroic living. Now we turn to our obligation to continue that glorious succession of those who live by faith.

III. A Race to Run (12:1-2).
The picture in the writer's mind is the great Olympic arena. All around are the spectators. A race is to be run. What a striking picture of Christian life. For it, too, is a race. It has a prize, both here and in the hereafter. It calls for intense activity. It brings us before those who either jeer at us or cheer us on our way.

Many are the things which may hinder a runner. One thing he cannot do is carry weights. These may not be sinful things but those which may be a hindrance to spiritual progress. Let us put them away! And then there is sin—that treacherous enemy that so subtly "begets us" and entangles us. By God's grace let us cast it aside.

Greater than all the hindrances is the One in whose name we run and to whom we look for victory. Looking past the difficulties, the spectators, and even the course itself, we see him who is "the author and perfecter of our faith." The secret of victory is to

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face.

Firm Foundation

If there be a man on earth to be envied it is he who, amidst the sharpest assaults from his own passions, from fortune, from society, never falters in his allegiance to God and the inward monitor.

Pride and Ingratitude

Pride is of such intimate connection with ingratitude that the actions of ingratitude seem directly resolvable into pride as the principal reason of them.—South.

Truth in Little Things

I have seldom seen anyone who deserted Truth in trifles, that could be trusted in matters of importance.—William Paley.

Life's Lesson

Take what is; trust what may be; That's life's true lesson.—R. Browning.

Standing Erect

A man must stand erect, not be kept erect by others.—Marcus Aurelius.

CHURCH PLAY IS FEATURED AT RED CLAY

Many Participate in Annual
Program; Awards Given
For Attendance

AID SOCIETY MEETING

By Miss Sara A. Pennington
Mermaid, Dec. 23—Directed by Mrs. W. A. Shakespeare and Mrs. Herbert Pierson, a Christmas program featuring candlelight service, was presented by the Red Clay Creek Presbyterian Church School in the church auditorium, Sunday morning.

Exercises were given by the primary class and the following members of the beginners' class, David Woodward, Phyllis Klair, and Jimmy Chapman. Those participating in the pageant service were: Miss Anna Dennison, Mrs. Mildred Naudain, Miss Mildred Palmer, Miss Carolyn Mullins, Miss Elizabeth Talley, Miss Mabel Porter, Mrs. Olive Klair, Miss Sara Pennington, Miss Catherine Mullins, Miss Elva Minner, Miss Laura Porter, Miss Marion Crossan, Miss Dorothy Woodward, Miss Vivian Porter, Miss Rachel Porter, Miss Martha Durbin, Miss Sara Dennison, Miss Roberta Shakespeare, Edgar Walker, Donald Burke, Robert Burns, Betty Gass, Margaret Shakespeare, Dorothy Skinner, Jane Dennison, Dorothy Woodward, Alice Yearsley, Ella Pierson, Dorothy Gass, Twila Porter, Miss Nancy Brown, Henry Gass, M. A. Shakespeare, R. M. Walker and Lillian Townsend.

Attendance Awards

Awards for perfect attendance were presented by D. M. Buckingham, superintendent. Bible and new testaments were awarded to the following girls, Irene Guest, Mary A. Pierson, Twila Porter, Alice Guest, Ella Pierson and Alice Yearsley. Gifts were presented the pastor, the Rev. John D. Blake and Mrs. Buckingham from the Sunday School.

A Christmas play was presented Monday evening in Harmony Grange hall by the students of Harmony School for the Grangers and the members of the Parent-Teacher Association. Freddie Eastburn, James Vansant, Bill Pennington, Donald Eastburn, and "Jacko," Reeche, took leading parts.

Others in Cast

Others in the cast were: Teresa Tyler, Mary Jarrell, Milbourn Anderson, Mildred Fleming, Alex. Jarrell, Patricia Clancy, Irvin Vansant, Othley Jordan, Jeanette Corrie and Anna Vansant.

Recitations were given by Paul Hodgson, Jr., Lewis Dempsey, and Roland Walker, children of Grange members. Santa made his appearance with gifts and candy for all the children. The hall was decorated with laurel, an electric lighted Christmas tree, and lighted red candles.

Aid Society Meets

The Christmas meeting of the Red Clay Creek Aid Society was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Eastburn with more than thirty present. Carols, readings and recitations were given.

Miss Annie Derickson and Miss Margaret Derickson entertained at a dinner party and bridge on December 15 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Mitchell. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Gates Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leslie Eastburn, Mrs. Elizabeth Richards, Mr. and Mrs. John Rubencame, and Mr. Steele Atwell.

School Supervisor Visits

Mrs. Phyllis Heck, county supervisor, visited Harmony School last Friday and gave standard tests to the pupils of the fifth and sixth grades.

Many people from the Ebenezer Church community attended the funeral of Mrs. Maria Whiteman which took place from her home in Eastburn Heights, last Thursday, with the services in charge of the Rev. T. O. M. Wills, assisted by the Rev. O. J. Collins of St. Paul's M. E. Church, Wilmington. Interment was in Ebenezer cemetery. Mrs. Whiteman had been a life-long worker at Ebenezer Church having been active in all its organizations. She was president of the cemetery association and a past president of the Three-in-One Home-makers Club.

Returns for Holidays

Miss Helen Pennington returned this evening (Wednesday) from Morrisville, Pa., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Derickson gave a dinner on December 16 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Derickson of Milltown who leave on December 28 to spend the remainder of the winter at Miami, Florida. The guests besides those mentioned, were: Mr. and Mrs. Abner Woodward, Eleanor and Margaret Woodard, Miss Annie Derick-

son, Miss Margaret Derickson, James Derickson, Jr., and Miss Anna Dennison.

Miss Catherine Eastburn, a teacher at Millsboro High School, returns this evening to her home here where she will remain for the holiday season.

Christmas Cantata

"The Rose of the World," Manney, was the Christmas cantata presented Sunday evening in the Ebenezer M. E. Church by the Milford Cross Roads Choral Club, directed by Miss Helen Martin. The text of the cantata was based on old Russian legends. Assisting the club was the string and woodwind ensemble from the WPA orchestra.

Select Officers For Fox Hunters of Cecil County

By Mrs. J. Leslie Ford
Glasgow, December 23

At the regular monthly meeting of the Cecil County Fox Hunting Association held at Elkton, last Monday, the following officers were elected for the coming year: president, J. Leslie Ford; vice-president, Willitts Yerkes; secretary, Atlee Armour; assistant secretary, Burchenal Keithley, and treasurer, Clarence Webb.

Directors, selected for a two-year term are Arthur Bailey, J. B. Manlove, and Burchenal Keithley. A chase was held Wednesday in the vicinity of Ceilton.

The Bible Class of Glasgow M. E. Church met in the lecture room on Tuesday evening. A package sale was held which realized eight dollars.

Jerry North, aged 78 years, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Addison Burris. He was formerly of Smyrna where his burial will take place. The body will be interred at Glenwood Cemetery.

P. T. A. Xmas Program

The Welsh Tract Parent-Teachers Association will hold its Christmas entertainment tonight. The program will be as follows: recitation, "Why?"; Florence Lee; "Christmas," Clifford Lee; "Christmas Toys," Dorothy Wright; play, "Christmas Surprise" including the following characters: Santa, Clifford Lee; Dolley, Leah Harris; Mrs. Santa, Florence Ford Dickey; brownies, Albert French, Harvey Perkins. Others in the cast include William Simpers, James French, Louise Campbell, Harris George Simpers, Dorothy Wright and Wallace Perkins. Songs will also be rendered and gifts and refreshments distributed.

Mrs. Charles Erb, of Wilmington, spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George G. Brown.

Rev. Henry G. Welton, pastor of Pencader Presbyterian Church, took as his text on Sunday, "And there were in the same country, shepherds abiding in the field," or the first Christmas service. Special Christmas music was rendered.

Christmas entertainment, consisting of singing, reciting a playlet and a treat for the children will be held on Tuesday evening, December 29.

Ill. Now Recovers

Mr. Norman Slack, who was operated on in the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington on Wednesday, is doing nicely and expects to return to his home by Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Thornton Sterling, aged 65 years, wife of William Sterling, died at her home in Middletown, Monday morning at 4 o'clock following an extended illness.

Mrs. Sterling was the daughter of the late John and Henrietta Ward Thornton who were life-long residents of this community. The deceased moved to Middletown only a few years ago.

She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Etta Wilson, of Newark and Lucy, of Middletown, one son, Harry, a sister, Mrs. Carrie Barr and two brothers, John Tasewell, of Newark and Elwood, of Glasgow.

Samuel Smith is confined to his bed for several days.
Mr. George G. Brown, who has been sick, suffered another attack Monday morning.

Miss Helen Johnson has accepted a position with a Wilmington beauty parlor.

Church Presents Pageant

The Salem and Christiana Churches presented the pageant, "When the Lights Shone," in Salem Church on Sunday evening. There were no services on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Grace Johnson visited Mr. Earl Broomall in the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington, Saturday. Mr. Broomall is expected to return to his home on Monday.

The Christmas entertainment will take place in the basement of Salem M. E. Church on Saturday evening. Recitations, Christmas carols and a short play will be presented.

Receive National Honors

Three Newark High School commercial students—Bertha Pappas, Doris Shaeffer and Ethel Stephan—have been elected to the national honor society.

Ladies Give Xmas Party

The ladies of the Golden Eagle gave a Christmas party last Friday evening that included a "grab bag," turkey and chicken raffle. The turkey was won by Mrs. Viola Ewing, Newark, while a gentleman named Sprigel won a pair of chickens. Refreshments climaxed the party.



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NEWPORT HAS BIG LIST OF XMAS DOINGS

Special Services Announced For Churches; Parties Planned in Town

FOOD BASKETS FILLED

By Miss Emma S. Maclary
Newport, Dec. 23.—The assembly program at Krebs School on Friday morning was in charge of the kindergarten and first grade pupils, under the direction of Mrs. A. M. Munn and Mrs. E. Porter, teachers of those groups. Officers presiding were President Teddy Richey and Secretary Joyce Taylor.

Krebs School closed on Wednesday afternoon, and will remain closed until January 4. Wednesday afternoon the children had parties in their class rooms.

A number of children in the Krebs School are absent due to severe colds and chickenpox.

Christmas Services

The Rt. Rev. Philip Cook was in charge of Confirmation Service and Holy Communion at the St. James P. E. Church, Newport and Stanton, on Sunday morning. The church will hold Christmas service at 9:30 on Friday morning, with the Rev. M. W. Riker in charge. On December 28, the Sunday-School will hold its annual Christmas entertainment at 7:30, which will be followed by a carol service, and a visit from Santa, who will distribute gifts.

The Newport M. E. Sunday School presented its Christmas entertainment on Sunday evening, the feature of which was a pageant, "Why the Chimes Rang." On Wednesday evening, the Sunday School will enjoy its Christmas party at 7:30.

Grange Holds Party

Delaware Grange, No. 46, P. of H. of Newport dispensed with their business session on Monday evening, and entertained children of the Grange families at a Christmas party. The meeting room was attractively decorated, and a program of entertainment including singing of carols, vocal solo by Mrs. Mary Johnson, selection by trio, Dr. H. P. Eves, Philip Vinyard, and H. E. Gregg, vocal solo Mrs. Blanche Mehan, and a marionette show, was arranged by Mrs. Chandler Gebhart and Mrs. R. P. Robinson.

A large collection of food articles was donated by Grange members, which will be used to pack baskets for the needy folks of the community; the Grange cooperating with other organizations of the town, in packing baskets. The Grange voted to omit the business meeting next Monday evening, due to the holidays, but will meet on January 4, at which time the newly elected officers will be installed by Past State Master R. P. Robinson and Mrs. Robinson.

Early Morning Service

The Rev. J. C. McCoy, pastor of the Newport M. E. Church, has announced special Christmas service for Friday morning at 6 o'clock.

The Minquas Fire Company will entertain the children of the community at a Christmas party on Friday morning at 10 o'clock. They will be assisted by members of the Ladies Auxiliary. There will be a program of entertainment, and a treat for the children.

On Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Newport Woman's Club will entertain children of the community up to and including twelve years of age at the annual Christmas party. Mrs. A. M. Munn is chairman of arrangements for the program, and refreshments will be served, and children will receive toy gifts.

Newport Boy Scout Troop No. 73 has recently taken in four new members, and they are now working on their tenderfoot tests. The next meeting of this group will be on January 7.

Society Entertained

The Girls' Friendly Society of St. James P. E. Church held a Christmas party on Monday evening at the home of Miss Dorothy Enos, 214 N. James street, Newport.

The Women's Bible Class of the Newport M. E. Church held its Christmas party on Monday evening in the Church House. About 50 members attended. Mrs. Ethel Kelly was in charge of the program for the evening, and a play was presented by the members. The group joined in singing carols. The class voted to pack Christmas baskets for the needy folks in the community, and Mrs. Florence Blansfield and Mrs. A. C. Hall are in charge of this work.

The "Class Pals" were announced, and members exchanged gifts. New "pals" for the ensuing year were distributed to the members. A gift of a bedspread was presented to Mrs. Oscar Jones, teacher of the class, and a pocketbook to Miss Lela Lynam, assistant teacher. Little Betty Nichols entertained with a reading, "Hang Up Baby's Stocking."

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CHURCH WILL ATTEMPT NEW COAL SCHEME

Landenberg Congregation In Unusual Move; Returns Mount to \$53

BUYS TWO FARM SITES

By Mrs. John Jagger

Landenberg, Dec. 23.—Landenberg Sunday School has an ideal way to raise money for the coal fund. Each class has a coal truck and each sticker counts 10 cents for a lump of coal, while each truck contains 45 of these black stickers. Sunday, December 20 ended the contributions and during the short time there has been \$53.20 collected.

The contributions by each class are as follows: Miss Ethel Irey's class \$10.80; Mrs. Robert McMillan's class \$10.20; Mrs. James Gray's class \$9; George F. Holton's class \$5; Primary room \$5.10; Rev. Donald Ottinger's class \$5; Miss Irene Trimbler's class \$4.60; Miss Grace Thomas' class \$2; W. V. Crossan's class \$1.50.

Purchases Two Farms

Morris Hitt, president of the du Pont Paint Company has recently purchased two farms adjoining properties near Landenberg. The tract includes about one hundred and fifty acres. The farms were formerly known as the Chandler or Gawthrop farm and the Taylor farm. An old stone farm house has been remodeled and a large addition has been constructed. The two barns on the property are being razed and a new one built to replace them.

Card Party Success

The benefit card party given in Landenberg hall Saturday evening, for St. Francis's Church was a success. The profit amounted to \$272.25.

The committee in charge included Mrs. T. Joseph Sheehan, chairman; Mrs. David Crossan, Mrs. Martin Dillon; Mrs. Walter Cumens, Mrs. Teresa Burns, Mrs. T. F. Hyde, Mrs. C. F. Desmond, Mrs. Ellen Kelleher, Mrs. Harvey Brackin, Mrs. James Kelleher, Miss Mary Desmond.

There were about 250 present and all but about a dozen person received prizes. All the prizes were donated. The high scores were won as follows: euchre, Lewis Lafferty; bridge, Raymond Moynihan; "500," Mrs. C. H. Holman; bingo, Miss Kitty Nilan. Miss Ethel Irey won the \$2.50 door prize donated by Edward Reardon.

Other Special Prizes

Other special prizes awarded during the evening were: \$10 donated by Quill brothers to Samuel Russell of Kennett Square; 20 pound turkey donated by the Healy children to John Leo of Toughkenamon; pair of roosters donated by Mrs. Ellen Kelleher to Miss Elizabeth Grace of Kennett Square; pair of guineas donated by Mrs. Alice Lyons to Miss Margaret Fahey, Kennett Square. Refreshments were sold during the evening.

Entertain Class

Mrs. Bayne Phelps entertained the class of Willing Workers on Thursday afternoon. Refreshments were served the following: Mrs. Robert McMillan, Mrs. William Hufnell, Mrs. Raymond Brackin, Mrs. Paul Trimbler, Mrs. Catherine Crossan, Mrs. John H. Lefevre, Mrs. Jennie Crossan, Mrs. J. D. Fernan, Miss Ella Crossan, Mrs. John Jagger, Mrs. Herbert Crossan and the hostess.

Rev. Donald A. Ottinger and sister entertained quite a number of the young folks at the parsonage on Thursday evening when all had a delightful time in singing Christmas carols. Refreshments were served. An invitation was given for all to come and join in Christmas caroling on Christmas Eve around the community.

Wilmington Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. William Hodgson and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Fred Jagger of Wilmington were recent auto visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Jagger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Irey in company with their daughter and son-

Modern Navigation



The instrument above is a radio direction finder. Chief Officer Elmer Abbott of the Grace liner Santa Rosa is seen receiving signals from various land stations by means of this instrument. The dial of the instrument is turned until it is receiving a certain station call off the starboard or right side of the Santa Rosa. Another station off the port or left side is then tuned in at its strongest point. Next the officer takes his chart and draws lines from the two stations to the point where he received the signals. The position of the ship is where these two lines cross the chart.

WILL REPEAT PAGEANT FOR CHURCH CARD

Christiana Players Offered Program at Salem Sunday; Many in Cast

DELEGATES ARE NAMED

By Mrs. Edna A. Dickey

Christiana, Dec. 23.—A pageant "When the Light Shone" presented last Sunday night in the Salem M. E. Church will be repeated in the Christiana Church this Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Participants include: Catherine Lebegern, Mabel Murray, Grace Johnson, Lelia Lynam, Doris Appleby, Velve Bassett, Katherine McMullen, Viola Weldin, Alice Weldin, Warren Eastburn, Robert Boggs, William Eastburn, Harvey Hoffecker, Harry Smith, Frank Moore, Robert Vincent, Julian Murray, John Clayville, William Johnson, Frank Morrison, Ralph Hawthorne, Thompson Eastburn, Alfred Appleby, Harold Davis, George Johnson, Vincent Cannon, Earle Johnson, Robert Murray, Ralph Hawthorne, Helen Cleaves, and a large group of carolers with Bernice Stradley as speaker.

Name Conference Representatives

The Christiana Charge will be represented at the annual conference to be held in Salisbury in March by Mrs. Frank Hawthorne as delegate and Mrs. Ethel Eastburn as alternate.

The funeral of Mr. J. E. Clayville was held at Lincoln, Del., on Friday. Rev. Richard M. Green had charge of the service.

Mr. Harry Marshall who has been ill at his home is improving.

Speed limit signs have recently been placed at the entrances to Christiana by the State Highway Department at the request of the Christiana Improvement Association.

Crowd at Fire House

A large crowd attended the Christmas party held at the Fire House last Monday evening. Santa welcomed the "kiddies" and presented them with gifts.

The Christmas entertainment at

in law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brown of Oxford were visitors at Glen Moore on Sunday afternoon.

Xmas Entertainment

The Christmas entertainment was held in Landenberg Church on Sunday evening. The church looked very pretty with a prettily decorated Christmas tree, and laurel and Christmas bells in each window.

Participants were: Jeanne Lefevre, Helen Thomas, Eleanor Lafferty, Margaret Bryan, Juanita Griffen, Hazel Gibson, Isabel Lafferty, Robert McMillan, Betty McMillan, Betty Griffen, Paul Bailey, John Bryan, Eva Talbert, Gladys Bryan, Dorothy Lefevre, Mabel Bryan, Frances Phelps, Aletha Talbert, Peggy Hendrickson, Jean Urand, Marguerite Bailey, Doris Holton, Deborah Talbert, Myrtle Thomas, Helen Love, Curtis Phelps, Raymond Griffen, Roger Bailey, Roy Lafferty, Harry Faulkner, Laura Lamborn, Frances Phelps, Ralph Holton, Jeanne Lefevre, George Harkins, Gilbert Holton, Agnes Ellsworth.

Rev. Donald A. Ottinger was presented with a very pretty quilt, a gift from the Ladies Aid Society.

The Christiana-Salem School was held on Tuesday afternoon. Elizabeth Reusch gave the Christmas story from the Bible. The program presented at the last P. T. A. meeting was repeated. Santa was present and presented gifts to the children. The school will re-open after the holidays on January 4. The five children from the school who were taking first aid training at Newark have completed their course of eight weeks. The dramatics class will meet January 6.

The dumb are people who form opinions without getting the facts and then get mad when anybody tells them the truth.—McPherson (Kan.) Republican.

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Is There a Santa Claus?

Thirty-nine years ago, or to be exact, on September 21, 1897, there appeared in the NEW YORK SUN an editorial from the pen of Francis P. Church, which was a reply to a letter received from a little 8-year-old girl, Virginia O'Hanlon.

"Is There a Santa Claus" is a newspaper classic and not only has it been reprinted in the NEW YORK SUN every year for thirty-seven years, but it has been reprinted repeatedly in thousands of other newspapers throughout the United States in that time.

It is doubtful if there is any other single Christmas piece with the possible exception of "The Night Before Christmas," which is so widely known.

How it all happened:

"We take pleasure in answering at once and thus prominently the communication below, expressing at the same time our great gratification that its faithful author is numbered among the friends of the SUN:

"Dear Editor:

I am eight years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says, "If you see it in the SUN it's so." Please tell me the truth, is there a Santa Claus?"

VIRGINIA O'HANLON.

115 West Ninety-fifth Street."

"Virginia, your little friends were wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they are men's or children's, are little. In this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole truth and knowledge.

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy—alas, how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginia. There would be no childish faith then, no poetry, no romance, to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment except in sense of light. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

"Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas eve to catch Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen in the world.

"You tear apart a baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love and romance can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it real. Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

"No Santa Claus! Thank God he lives and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

HOW TO BE AN EDITOR

An article from The Newark Post, issue of December 6, 1911.

Most any one can be an editor. All the editor has to do is sit at a desk six days out of the week, four weeks of the month and twelve months of the year and "Edit" such stuff as this: "Mrs. Jones of Cactus Creek let a can opener slip last week and cut herself in the pantry." "A mischievous lad of Piketown threw a stone and struck Mr. Pike in the alley last Tuesday." "John Doe climbed on the roof of his house last week looking for a leak and fell, striking himself on the back porch." "While Harold Green was escorting Miss Violet Wise from the church social last Saturday night a savage dog attacked them and bit Mr. Green several times on the public square." "Isaiah Trimmer of Running Creek was playing with a cat Friday when it scratched him on the veranda." "Mr. Long while harnessing a broncho last Saturday was kicked just south of his corn patch."

Yes, it's a wonder they draw salaries for it.

SCREEN SNAPS

By "SNAPPER"

State Theatre Briefs Friday and Saturday

"Born to Dance," which comes to this theatre these two days is hailed as the season's most lavish pot-pourri of music and dancing. Produced by M-G-M the vehicle presents the dynamic Eleanor Powell as its star and just about runs the entire gamut of rhythm. In all there are more than 250 dancers and more than 200 instrumentalists and singers in this new production with a nautical background with music and lyrics by Cole Porter, for several years Broadway's number one tuneser and lyricist. James Stewart, Virginia Bruce, Una Merkel, Sid Silvers and Frances Langford are in the supporting cast.

Eleanor Powell

Monday and Tuesday

The stage show, "Three Men on a Horse," which is now well on its second year on Broadway and still going strong, comes to this theatre as a motion picture with Frank McHugh and Joan Blondell in the starring roles. McHugh, whose faintly-querulous laugh and outlandish antics have made millions laugh for the last six years is cast as Erwin (pronounced Oiwin) a timid and henpecked writer of greeting cards who keeps to himself his weird gift of picking the winner in horse races. He has a book in which he notes his prognostications and imaginary winnings until his wife finds it and thinks he is two-timing.

Wednesday and Thursday

Although novel film plots are as rare as the proverbial hen's teeth, Herbert Marshall and Anne Shirley offer something brand new in the film, "Make Way For a Lady." Marshall portrays a wealthy widower whose daughter (Miss Shirley) thinks he should marry again and sets about leading him into matrimony without his being aware of her plans. Gertrude Michael and Margot Grahame also have leading roles in this RKO production.

Mid-night Show New Year's Eve

To welcome the new year this theatre will offer a show starting at 12.01 a. m. "Smartest Girl In Town," which is said to be one of the season's comedy romance hits. Ann Sothern and Gene Raymond have the leading roles in this production. The story is of the adventures of a millionaire who wants to marry for love and not for money, and a gorgeous model who wants to marry for cash.

University and Public School Students on Leave

Students at the University of Delaware departed for their homes on Saturday to enjoy a two weeks' Christmas recess. School will recommence on Monday, January 4, at 8 o'clock. Newark Public School students were freed from their studies for a period of a week and four days, when they were excused from school at noon Wednesday. Their vacation will also be finished on Monday.

Letters To Santa Claus

Hockessin, Delaware
December 21, 1936

Dear Santa.

I am a little boy eight years old. I go to Mt. Pleasant School I am in the second grade. Please bring me a toy farm, cowboy suit, a game of marbles, a book of sunny bunny.

Please don't forget my little brother.
N. Russell Brackin.

Legion Here Entertains Members at Xmas Party

Sons of the Legion were entertained by the J. Allison O'Daniel Post last night at the Academy Building, prior to the annual Christmas party staged by members of the veterans' organization. The entertainment committee con-

sisting of Commander James Q. Smith, Leon Case, Walter R. Powell, J. R. Fader, Dr. John R. Downes and A. E. Tomhave arranged the affair. Among the guests were Robert Quillen and Horace Deakyn of the New Castle Post No. 4.

Maple Trees at Academy To Be Replaced by Oaks

Woodsmen under the direction of William Homewood Dean felled a maple tree, estimated to be about 225 years old, yesterday on the front lawn

at Newark Academy. Other trees are likely to be cut down in a safety move, trustees of the institution intimated.

Experts examined the property last summer and recommended that several trees, which had suffered the effects of countless storms, be removed in order to provide nourishment for pin oaks planted by the late Mayor Frazer some 25 years ago.

Trees of the red oak variety will replace the maples at the historic spot. A Franklin Fader, chairman of the board, announced.



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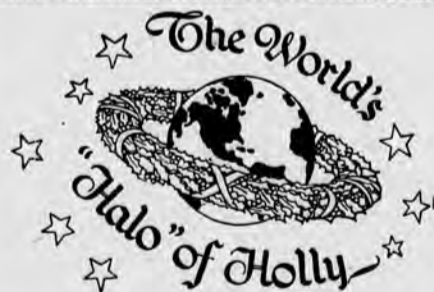
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NEWARK SOCIAL NOTES

William Hayes, Jr., of Cleveland, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hayes, Delaware Avenue.

Miss Ann Wilson of Washington, D. C., will spend Christmas with her sister and brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Nichols.

Mrs. A. M. Ball, S. College Avenue, has issued invitations for a desert bridge at Hercules Club House, Wilmington, on Tuesday, December 29.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert Eastman will spend the Christmas holidays with relatives in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miller and Miss Louise Miller of Fair Hill, Md., visited relatives in Newark on Sunday.

Miss Nell and Etta Wilson left on Tuesday for Augusta, Ga., to spend the holidays with Major and Mrs. John W. O'Daniel and family.

Robert T. Jones, Jr., a student at Tome School, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Jones, W. Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lovett of Red Bank, N. J., are visiting Mr. Lovett's mother, Mrs. Rodman Lovett.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ritz and two daughters of Florida are visiting at the home of Mrs. Fred Ritz.

Miss Fleck of the Women's College entertained friends from New York enroute for Florida this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gallaher and family of Peachbottom, Pa., will spend Christmas with the Misses Smith, South College Avenue.

Dorothy Holton, a student at Randolph-Macon College, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Holton.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Loomis and son will spend Christmas with Mrs. Loomis's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Heiser.

Miss Maralee Kemsard will spend the holidays in Centerville, Md. Mrs. William Wild of Schenectady, N. Y. is visiting her father, Mr. George Law.

Miss Olive Heiser of Glen Ridge, N. J. is visiting her sisters the Misses Heiser of South College Avenue.

Mrs. Gertrude Williams has returned after a short visit with Mrs. Fred Conner of East Main Street.

Wallace M. Johnson, Jr., who has been ill, is much improved.

Miss Sally Joyner is visiting Mrs. Fred Ritz and family.

Miss Mildred Dunbar who has been in the Wilmington General Hospital, has returned to her home on West Park Place.

Among those from Newark attending the Hercules dinner and dance in the Hotel duPont, Wilmington, on Wednesday evening were: Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pickett, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Moore, Mr. and Mrs. John Speicher, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Spoor, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. McVey, Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Rideout, Mrs. Charles Boone, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Quincy, Mr. and Mrs. William Payson.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McMonigal and family of Chester will spend the Christmas holidays with Dr. and Mrs. George W. Rhodes.

Miss Elsie Wright entertained the following young people at dinner on Wednesday evening in honor of her nephew, S. J. Wright, who is spending his Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Ernest B. Wright: Eugenia Wright, Martha Wright, Barbara Hutchinson, Robert Lewis and Jack Lewis.

Dr. Francis H. Squire, Kells Apartments, left Monday to spend the holidays with New England relatives. Mrs. Squire will visit her mother, Mrs. Everett Johnson, at Washington, over Christmas and New Year.

Word was recently received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Moore, Frankford, Pa. Mr. Moore formerly lived in Newark.

Miss Elizabeth Tarr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Winslow Tarr, 188 Orchard Road, who is enrolled at the University of Illinois, will spend the Christmas vacation at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Skinner, Jr., left yesterday for a holiday visit with relatives at Lafayette, Ind. They will return to their West Main Street apartment shortly after the New Year.

Mr. John L. Phillips, a member of the Newark High School faculty, is spending a few days at his home in Washington, Pa., where he attended the funeral of his late father this week.

OBITUARY

STANLEY B. POTTS

Stanley B. Potts, aged 25, son of Thomas A. Potts and the late Irene Keadall Potts, died Friday, December 18, in Douglas, Arizona, where he had gone last spring for his health.

Previous to his departure for the West, the deceased was engaged in the painting business here and was also associated with his father in the hardware business. Besides his father, he is survived by two brothers, Charles and Leon Potts.

Funeral services will be held today at his father's home on Cleveland avenue, with the Rev. H. E. Hallman, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating.

JOSEPH MICHAEL

The funeral of Joseph Michael, 64 years old, who died Sunday in the Wilmington General Hospital, was held from the home of a daughter, Mrs. R. E. Clark, 504 West Twenty-sixth street, today, at 2 o'clock. Interment was in St. James' Cemetery at Stanton.

Mr. Michael was born in Syria and came to this country when a child. For 25 years he was a paper dealer in Stanton, retiring about 15 years ago. In addition to the daughter he is survived by three sons, Elmer and Francis Michael of Stanton, and William Michael of Philadelphia.

A newspaper is a business enterprise that prints for nothing the political speeches the radio gets paid for transmitting the night before.—Florence (Ala.) Herald.

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CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Dec. 25—Christmas Day. Merry Xmas!

Dec. 26—Third annual Christmas Dance sponsored by Newark High School Alumni Association.

Dec. 31—New Year's eve dance, sponsored by the Newark Country Club. Dancing from 10-2.

Jan. 1—New Year's Day. Happy New Year!

Jan. 4—Lecture by Dr. E. Stanley Jones in the Union Methodist Episcopal Church, Washington and Fifth Streets, Wilmington.

University of Delaware and Newark Public School vacations end.

Newark Chorus Is Praised For Work In The "Messiah"

(Contributed)

Members of the "Messiah" chorus are to be commended for their worthy performance of the Handel oratorio on Thursday, under the leadership of Professor T. D. Mylrea. Such an event adds significantly to the true spirit of Christmas in the community as well as being a musical treat to the audience. Those who heard the work performed last year and again this year, saw notable gain in understanding of the work.

Particularly was this true in some of the sustained legato passages such as the chorus, "For unto us a Child is Born," and in the opening strains of the second part, when they sing with good balance of parts, with feeling and precision.



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Ann Sothern and Gene Raymond in
"SMARTEST GIRL IN TOWN"

work at the organ portrayed her usual ability as an accompanist, much credit should be given.

Soloists Good
The orchestra, made possible through the Newark Music Society, greatly added to the effectiveness of the presentation.

Soloists, all in good voice, portrayed exceptional interpretive ability. Particularly noteworthy were Mrs. Mylrea's diction and understanding of her solos. Dr. George Ryden's unusual flexible voice for bass, was well adapted to his particular solo part.

To Miss Elizabeth McNeal, whose

MADE MASTER OF ARTS
Mrs. Herman Wayne Stradley, principal of Christiana-Salem Consolidated School, has received the degree of master of arts from Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York.

Mrs. Stradley did most of her work in the field of psychology. Her undergraduate work was done at Women's College, University of Delaware.



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ROAMIN' WITH RUTLEDGE

Notes to St. Nick

Dear Santa Claus—There's nothing, absolutely nothing, we can request for ourselves, having the usual bed in which to sleep at night and getting a full share of three squares a day. What more is needed? Unable to split our simple essentials with others, however, we can do naught but ask you to bring them the things that aren't likely to come unless you live up to your reputation.

Yes, sir, Old Fellow, a gent like you is needed in this world and if you can fill the following order, we'll gladly spring along with the notion that there REALLY IS A SANTA CLAUS!

R-W-R

Here's the List

For the University of Delaware: Trustees and athletic heads who will recognize the wisdom of installing lights at Frazer Field and either dropping prices in accordance with the class of football being offered or raising the quality of Blue Hen teams (and opposing forces) to conform to the admission scale in vogue. You'd better bring the lights, too.

R-W-R

More for Delaware

To Lyl Clark: A human bullet, capable of filling a tripe-throat role in football regalia while emulating the learned Dr. Einstein in the classroom. And you MIGHT make Clarkie smile if you throw in a couple of tackles, a pair of giant ends and a set of guards worthy of the name. And, oh yeh, Santa! Clarkie had one football player last fall in Jim Dillon, but he'll be finished in June so mebbe you'd better include a center, too.

R-W-R

In General

Bring Pete Stiltz, Ernie Cornog and Bob Connell a "Jeep" so their tales of winning huge sums on the ponies will ring true. . . bring Lt. George Fletcher back as referee for more basketball games here—he sees fouls and calls what he sees which proved to be an innovation (and a pleasing one) at the Delaware-Haverford game.

Bring his brother Bill, who holds forth on the opposite margin of this page, a carton of matches. . . and bring the carrot-topped stenographer who does her stuff in this office (Mary Lou Gaffney, in case you don't know) a new lover to replace the law student she lost at the Temple-Mississippi game in October.

Bring John (Snap) Fisher a swig from the Fountain of Youth for courtin' purposes. . . and last, but not least, bring Paul Whiteman, the old reliable, thirty more pounds in weight and stretch him out about six more inches then watch him go as one of the best curve-ball hurlers in the big time.

R-W-R

We Extend Thanks

. . . and the same to you for appreciated Christmas cards from Marjorie and Frank Squire, Emerson and Mary Johnson, LeRoy Carlisle Hill, Sr.; John F. Sparklin, Edythe and John Livingstone, P. D. Geoghegan, A. Thomas Kay, Horsey Reynolds (who just returned from Miami), "Ess" and Bob Jones, Jr.; Lt. Harold Tuft Perkins, Lt. Norman J. Campbell and to the many others whose kind thoughts are sincerely appreciated.

Merry Christmas to all—and to all a good night!

Fruit Cakes, steamed puddings, cookies, and candies stay moist longer if made with honey. If crisp cookies or confections are desired, honey should not be used.

DELAWARE ADDS EQUIPMENT

Women Shun Bowling Alleys Here; Reason Is Sought

LABORATORY BEING INSTALLED BY P. E. DEPARTMENT AT COLLEGE

Designed For Treatment of Minor Ills of Members of the Student Body at University; Practical Skill In Cures To Be Given Phys-Ed Majors

By Bill Fletcher

Following in the footsteps of the University of Delaware's intra-mural program is another progressive stride taken by the Physical Education Department—a laboratory which will be capable of taking care of the everyday ailments and injuries of members of the student body.

In Early Stage

Although in the embryonic stage of development, the "lab" has already been equipped with the primary medical supplies such as bandages and medicines for everyday use, five massage tables, two cots, and an infra-red ultra violet ray lamp. Other features include a life-sized relationship chart showing the various muscles, organs, blood vessels and bones and their connection with each other. Clay models have also been secured which show the structures of the lungs, central nervous system, blood circulation system and the respiration scheme of the human body. These models may be dismantled and their contents carefully studied.

Other medical supplies include an instrument showing the reaction of persons to various activities and exercises, blood pressure machines and the latest development in stethoscopes.

The aim of the department in developing this laboratory is to treat the students for the common ailments such as colds, bruises, sprains and skin rashes. At the present time, it is being financed from the physical education department's fund but should an appropriation be received from the Student Council, the task of treating members of the athletic teams will be undertaken.

Special Treatment

In the Physical Therapy room are three baths, designed for the purpose of treating body bruises, sprains and injuries. Hot water, mixed with air, is shot from a gun at a temperature of about 110 degrees over the injury, acting as a muscle massager while increasing the circulation around the injured part. The method is more efficient than the ordinary hand treatments and a "charlie horse," the fear of the majority of athletes, can be cured in approximately a week. Hand massages are much less effective and in many cases require from three weeks to three months to bring about free play of muscles.

Physical Education majors will also receive valuable practical experience in treating wounds and common minor ills under the direction of their instructors.

Over the holidays, many members of the physical education classes will take a trip to New York City where they will be shown through the laboratory of Dr. Charles Billiak, formerly of Wisconsin University, now of the Bellevue Hospital.

Fossett Defeats Riale at Rising Sun; Moves head

Taking a 125-99 decision from Tommy Riale at Rising Sun last night, Jack Fossett climbed into a three-way deadlock for second place in the Tri-State Pocket Billiards League. The match, postponed from last week, was the shortest of the race being settled in 30 innings.

While Riale, runner-up last year to Fred Brown, grabbed high run honors for the night with a string of 26, Fossett showed the steadier form. The victor had clusters of 21, 19 and 18 all of which were gathered at important points of the match.

Race Is Tight

After losing to Ringler in his opening engagement, Riale made a comeback last week to humble Huss, Oxford entry, 125-85, for his initial victory.

Champion Freddie Brown slipped Carl (Tip) Hanna, Rising Sun, his third setback of the race last week, 125-97, in 39 innings. Hanna had a high run of 19 balls.

Jimmy Martin retains his lead of one full game over the 2nd place trio consisting of Fossett, Brown and Ringler. Riale and Cunningham trail with one win against two defeats



Notes on the Game By Coach HARRY W. SIMESTER of the Brothers College, Drew University, Quigley Madison, N. J.

Dribbling, properly timed and properly done, is an effective weapon in the arsenal of any team. Poorly executed, however, it may easily mar that spirit of team-work which it is one of the major aims of the game to develop. Overdone, it is fatal; a player who dribbles while team-mates are unguarded and in a position to score is a liability.

Don't Slap the Ball Technique: Don't slap the ball—push it to the floor with the fingers and wrist, bouncing it about knee-high. Keep the eye on the court, not on the ball. Dribbling is a means to an end, either to shoot or to pass to the first team-mate who gets a break near the basket.

When should the dribble be used? In particular: (1) when a man gains possession of the ball and has a clear path to the basket; (2) when a player captures the ball off the opponent's backboard—then a quick dribble for the sidelines is the thing; (3) when a player is guarded from behind, and a pivot and dribble may put him into position to shoot; (4) when the defense has all the offensive players covered—dribble to gain time to evade the guards; (5) when the old trick of a fake shot or pass leads naturally to a dribble to advance the ball up the court.

Make Moves Count The important thing is to make every move count, not only in dribbling but in all kinds of strategy. Aimless running contributes nothing to the offensive program of the team. An effective device is the change of pace; for example, a jog up the floor suddenly snapped into a fast break for the basket. A one-step lead is enough for a good player. Get it! Perfect your technique; learn to shift and feint to outguess your opponent; cut out waste motion; and you will be an asset to your team and a thorn in the side of the enemy.

Next week—Shooting. Potato chips keep better in bags that prevent strong light from reaching them than in clear or opaque waxed paper bags. A tight tin container is equally good. Potato chips kept in a cold place will stay fresh for a long time.

Table with 4 columns: Player Name, Won, Lost, Pct. Lists players like Martin, Fossett, Brown, etc.

NEW MANAGER STATES PLAN FOR JACKETS

Williamson Takes Charge of Court Combine; School Floor Sought

Newark will be represented in independent basketball circles this season by a team entirely separate from the one participating in the New Castle County League, it was emphatically stated by Harry B. Williamson this week.

"Even if we are forced to play all our games on courts out of town, we'll have a team," he added. Steps have already been made to reorganize the erstwhile Yellowjackets who have functioned under the guidance of Charles (Nipper) Cole for the last two years.

Williamson New Leader Following Cole's resignation last spring and the recent action of the Cecil County League which dropped all but Maryland entries, there existed a big doubt as to the reorganization of the Jackets.

Williamson has taken control, however, and the diminutive but fiery former Newark High School star promises a team regardless of handicaps or conditions. Assisted by Paul Griffith in the managerial end, Williamson is lining up a squad that will likely consist of the one and only George (Shorty) Chalmers, Oscar (Eck) Morris, William (Shiek) Holloway, Raymond (Bucky) Beers, Irwin (Rip) Smith, Bill Doyle, Paul Whiteman and Melvin (Harpo) Cage.

Vic Willis will likely join the team following his graduation at the University of Maryland in February.

Seek High School Court Although a practice site is not available at present, Williamson plans to start drills immediately after Christmas. A plea will be made to the Board of Education for the privilege of working out and playing at the local high school.

In the event that the request is not granted, Williamson will endeavor to make arrangements with the Port Deposit Aces for practice sessions. The latter team has been granted the seasonal use of the spacious court maintained by Tome School, a private institution.

No stone will be left unturned, however, in the Yellowjackets' efforts to obtain use of the school auditorium here. Trips to Port Deposit will be both long and inconvenient, even should the team there receive the local club's request with favor.

With three floors in Newark as possibilities it seems odd that we should have to bother ourselves and our out-of-town friends, too, about such a matter, reasoned Williamson.

Hopkins Clothiers Win As Salem Teams Triumph

With Henry Mote turning in a score of 598, the Hopkins Clothier team representing Newark took a 2829-2237 bowling victory over the Turner-Wescott Dairy team of Philadelphia Saturday night on the Legion Alleys.

In winning all three games, the Hopkins pinsters all exceeded the coveted 500 mark in individual scores for the match.

A pair of special matches rolled on Friday night resulted in a clean sweep for teams from Salem, N. J. Elkton of the Wednesday Night League and the Continental Diamond Fibre Company Plant array of the same loop were victims of the visitors.

Table with 3 columns: Player Name, Score, Total. Lists players like Reeve, Hyson, Bennett, etc.

LADIES SHOW ABILITY BUT THEY'RE 'SHY'

Operators of Legion Layout Wonder Why Only Two Participate Here

American women have discovered that bowling gives one slimmness. Hundreds of thousands of women are bowling for health in this country. That is not so true in foreign countries and it most certainly is not the case in Newark, according to officials in charge of the Legion Alleys here.

They further point out that actresses, models, young women on whom devolves the responsibility of remaining perennially slim, are bowling for health—and form throughout the greater portion of this continent, but not in Newark.

Does Not Compare While statistics issued by the National Bowling Congress state that there are eight billion bowlers in the United States, more than a million of whom are registered with the Woman's National Bowling Association, local leaders bemoan the fact that all of Newark's feminine pinsters can be counted on one hand without danger of overstepping the mark.

Exactly two—Mrs. William C. Northrop and Mrs. H. A. Larson—Newark ladies, both of whom are prominent in social circles and both of whom are above the average when it comes to rolling a ball down the wooden way, frequent the local layout with anything akin to regularity.

Classes Formed One other female exponent of the game in former seasons, Mrs. John (Pauline Robinson) Bridgewater, seems to have given up the notion of knocking over the pins. Failure to find suitable competition against members of her own sex is blamed for Mrs. Bridgewater's decision—whether it be temporary or permanent.

Maurice Adams, manager of the local alleys, attempted to teach the art of bowling to a class of ten high school girls this fall, but that idea, too, seems to have died a natural death.

Seek the Reason What are we doing wrong, query the Legionnaires. What is it about our alleys that fails to attract women? And it does seem odd that Newark women have not adopted the great indoor game that has virtually swept the country following a modest start in a small German restaurant in lower Manhattan back in 1880.

Hundreds of women in the Hollywood movie colony are bowling and those gals only do things for a purpose. Girls' schools and a number of women's colleges—Vassar is one—have made bowling an intramural activity.

FLASHES

By BILL FLETCHER

IT WAS AN ATTRACTIVE little trinket with a hexagonally-shaped aqua-marinish piece of glass suspended from a yellow gold chain.



"BILL" FLETCHER

Out position at the time of sighting was somewhat distorted and quite unlike any we have even seen a human assume. We assure you, however, it was not voluntarily taken by us, but brought about by the unusual circumstances characteristic of Christmas shopping crowds. If you can picture one of Barnum and Bailey's acrobats doing a triple flip flop, the star performer in a flea circus displaying his best wares, and the antics of a columnist while going through the torture of giving birth to two pages of typewritten innuendoes (we might also add the torture of the readers) and merge the four visions into one picture, you have somewhat of a rough (and we mean rough) idea of our physical position.

GEOGRAPHICALLY, OUR POSITION lay about four elbow nudges to the left of the toy department and three straight-arm slugs from the hardware section. Our objective, the gold(?) chain and aqua marinish pendant lay approximately five knuckle throws in front of us.

One of our limbs lay unceremoniously draped over the handkerchief section at our left while the other managed to gain firm footing on a size ten which happened to be placed under our hoof. One arm was informally surrounding the neck of a fellow shopper (you know, just one big happy family) while the other lay in readiness for the advance.

At the signal to charge, we delivered the first of the knuckle tosses (Continued on Page 7)



Really nothing can express what we want to say as well as a good, old fashioned "Merry Christmas" HOPKINS BROTHERS

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Thursday, D NEW HIGH N E By B Editor, "Y After read plays, the Seni decided to pr Leave It To Y acts. The dialo Coward, recent it was a unan committee. "Buzz The Christm Jacket Buzz" Tuesday. Sales and as a result to predict the would be bough found that the vanished. Winners in and poem con school magazin poem in senior second best; story, Virginia Henry Stearns high, Fred Ingrard Lewis; be ward; second b A musical The Chimes R the student be on Wednesday characters wer aph Saucerma Choruses of high schools re. Study Elva Wells friends at her sing. Among Shaffer, Barb Hall, Jack Do Rex Gilmore a The Commie the presentati "Sophie of Sa Mr. Jack Ho the absence whose sister d gard has repla until she from an attac Rebecca Hess after suffering y. FL (Continu and a hack f found ourselves will of avoidi logic mind an extreme mensu hardware shel instrument and the obstacle. A of the next co valed our priz and we again by leaping fro lapsing shoul AT THIS POI heavily that w placement in which resulted tempt courtes would, we hop by surprise, helpless while the full to full As a result, arrange of "p "do you mind the desired eff at least, "Bef could recover more knuckl sensing our s us bearing us protest. A pe our cranium a consciousness. held an impr the lower pro

STUDENTS ACT "XMAS CAROL" BEFORE P. T. A.

Present Dickens' Work For Marshallton Body Monday Night; Plan Clinic

F. I. S. MAN RESIGNS

By Mrs. E. R. Broadbent
Marshallton, Dec. 23.—Charles Dickens' "Christmas Carol," was presented at the December meeting of the Marshallton Parent-Teacher Association Monday night in the school. The performance was given by school pupils under the direction of Fred Holland and accompanying selections by the Junior High School Glee Club under the supervision of Robert Morrison.

The P.-T. A. will open a dental clinic at the school early in the new year. Final plans for that project and late winter and spring programs will be made at an executive meeting early in January at the home of Mrs. Dora Clugston.

The annual Christmas entertainment, given by pupils of the Marshallton M. E. Sunday School, was presented Wednesday night in the church. Songs, recitations and pantomimes were included in the program. Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Edna Ball Gilbert, Mrs. Florence F. Ford, Mrs. Elsie Fisher, Mrs. Ernest Work, and Miss Margaret Kelso.

Candy, oranges and gifts were distributed to the children at the Sunday session of the Sunday School which was followed by a Christmas address by the pastor, the Rev. John M. Kelso.

A midnight service will be held tonight in St. Barnabas' P. E. Church when holy communion will be celebrated by the rector, the Rev. M. W. Riker.

League To Carol

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church tomorrow night will walk through the town singing carols. They will leave the church shortly after 10.30 o'clock and will go as far as Cranston Heights, stopping there at the home of C. Warren for refreshments. Upon their return to Marshallton they will be entertained at the home of Charles Rector, president of the League.

Mrs. J. Henry Smith and her sons, Warren and Wendall, have arrived from Hartford, Conn., to spend the holidays. They will be joined Thursday night by Mr. Smith and will visit Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Foard, here, and Mr. Smith's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Tilghman Smith of Clayton.

The Rev. E. H. Collins and Edward McCallister were on a gunning trip Monday in lower Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mullin plan to visit Mr. Mullin's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mullin of Rockville, Md., over the New Year holiday. Mr. Mullin is representative to the State Legislature from this district.

Miss Emily Ferree is spending several weeks with friends in Ohio.

Xmas With Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Broadbent and son, Lawrence, Jr., of Claymont, will spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer R. Broadbent of Marshallton, and Mrs. Sue Alexander of Cranston Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eaton of Port Penn, and their small daughter, will be Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Armstrong of Cranston Heights.

Mrs. Bertha Crouch and her daughter, Miss Lois Crouch, will spend the holidays with Mrs. Crouch's mother, Mrs. Sarah Duffy, of Wilmington.

Irene Wlodkowski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wlodkowski, underwent an operation for appendicitis Sunday in the Wilmington General Hospital. Irene is a student at the

Conrad High School. Trustees of the Ferris Industrial School have accepted the resignation of William H. Wingate, a member of the staff for the past 14 years. Mr. Wingate was bookkeeper at the school and following the resignation of Colonel A. E. Tanner served as acting superintendent. He formerly was associated with the New Castle County Workhouse for many years and in his early life was principal of the Marshallton School. Mr. Wingate is superintendent of the Marshallton M. E. Sunday School and a member of the board of trustees. He will leave this week to spend the remainder of the winter in Florida.

Hard coal in household sizes seldom ignites spontaneously.

New Vehicle Bought Here Monday Night

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Refinements and equipment changes were discussed with a representative of the Boyertown Auto Body Works, Boyertown, Pa., by Miss Grime and Messrs. Shellender and Smith.

Local Negro Asks Police to Jail Him

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on the first charge and \$25 on the second offense, plus the usual fees.

A new automobile, the property of James E. Hastings, was stolen from the private garage behind his residence at 324 E. Main Street, last Friday night.

According to Mr. Hastings, he parked the machine and removed the keys before retiring for the night. He discovered that it had been pilfered when he arose on Saturday, it is said.

Police have been unable to trace the vehicle.

World Famous Missionary To Lecture at Wilmington

(Continued from Page 1)
Assisted Rebel Leaders

At the ashram (religious school) which he organized in Lucknow, he and his associates have been to the forefront in assisting leaders of the "rebellion of Untouchables out of Hinduism" to see the values of Christianity, and to lead many groups of India's "poorest of the poor" into the Christian church.

Seven books from the pen of Dr. Jones, beginning with his famous "The Christ of the Indian Road," have not only been best sellers in America and English, but have been translated into a number of European and Asian tongues. Over 800,000 copies of his books have been published in English; translations have been made into German, French, Spanish, Hungarian, Bulgarian, Dutch, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Finnish, Icelandic, Arabic, Japanese, Korean, Chinese, Estonian, Burmese, several Indian vernaculars, and

Braille for the blind.
Born in Maryland
Dr. Jones was born in Clarksville, Md. He has been a missionary of the Methodist Episcopal Church since 1907, when he arrived in Lucknow to become pastor of the English Church in that city. For some years he served as pastor, superintendent, and school principal in Sitapur, and in 1917 was appointed evangelist-at-large for the North India Annual Conference. Since that year he has been continuously engaged in evangelistic work. He has three times refused to be elected a bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, preferring to carry on his unique ministry to Asia.

BOWLING SCORES

(Continued from Page 7)

Ebenezer			
Brown	129	194	179
K. Whiteman	170	167	223
Davis	146	153	191
R. Whiteman	146	97	97
P. Whiteman	121		121
Knotts	151	149	140
Slack	151	149	214
Totals	717	760	947

MONDAY NIGHT LEAGUE

Went		Lost	
Presbyterian Church	149	187	201
Fort DuPont	127	116	133
Texasco	127	116	133
Country Club	113	158	136
Brooks	142	163	173
Stefanick	142	163	173
Elkton	13	35	35

Fort DuPont

Lakey	149	187	201
Valone	129	170	188
Cochran	180	152	169
Lozierhill	112	169	169
Brooks	142	163	173
Stefanick	142	163	173
Totals	762	815	930

Elkton

Blake	119	162	158
Leifer	127	116	133
Jeffers	164	148	151
Dubert	171	133	161
Alexander	153	202	167
Totals	734	761	752

Country Club

C. Hopkins	147	169	158
Collins	106	125	138
Stewart	113	158	136
Guthrie	152	151	114
Williamson	141	135	128
Totals	659	738	684

Kenmore Mills

Marquess	143	170	149
Ayerst	144	112	137
Spence	155	132	172
Mackie	111	139	230
Kelly	198	135	128
Blind	196		106
Totals	716	700	736

Presbyterian Church

E. Smith	159	154	189
Herbauer	127	163	173
Sheaffer	161	182	143
Kern	214	161	171
W. Smith	171	181	194
Totals	832	841	870

Texasco

Steele	130	168	175
Erwin	128	130	318
Cornog	159	155	161
Totals	417	456	454

Mote	189	106	154	539
Whiteman	146	169	315	
Totals	312	295	469	2415



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