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Contract Let By Army Corps Of Engineers For Study Of Monhegan Breakwater Project

MONHEGAN — A Boston consulting engineer, Joseph L. Paley, has been given a contract by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers to carry out engineering and economic studies of a proposed breakwater for Monhegan. It is revealed by the corps' division engineer at Waltham, Mass. The people of the island have sought a breakwater to offer better protection of the small anchorage for some time. Senator Margaret Chase Smith and Congressman Frank M. Coffin have devoted considerable effort to obtaining the study.

The division engineer, John W. Leslie, reports the study is underway. It is considering the proper design, cost and economic justification of various break-

waters requested by island interests to provide protection for the fishing boats and pleasure craft which use the harbor.

Leslie further reports that the study has not progressed sufficiently to select a particular location for a breakwater that would satisfactorily protect the harbor at a reasonable cost.

Protection for the harbor has been sought for many years but the interest taken by Senator Smith and Congressman Coffin brought the proposed project down from the Corps of Engineers' shelf.

A plan approved by the Engineers would be presented to the Rivers and Harbors Committee of the Congress for its approval and to obtain Federal funds for the job.

Recount Leaves North Haven Dry By One-Vote Margin In Closest Contest In The County

AUGUSTA—North Haven will remain dry. A recount of the package beer referendum vote was made Friday at the Elections Division Office of Deputy Secretary of State Paul MacDonald and the Weis gained one vote, with the result that the official tally is 103-dry, 102-wet. The original count had the dries winning by 104-102.

The vote was on the establishment of package stores and was the closest vote recorded on the question. Owls Head came within seven of favoring the question, to become runner up but no recount was asked for there. The neighboring island of Vinalhaven sells beer on a package basis.

We'll Observe The Holiday On Monday

In order that the staff may enjoy the holiday with their families the plant of The Courier-Gazette will be closed on Monday, Dec. 26.

The edition which would normally be printed Monday night for Tuesday morning delivery will be issued during the day Tuesday. Delivery will be made on all carrier routes Tuesday and newsdealers will be supplied. Mail deliveries will be made Wednesday morning.

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Gifts, Movies And Turkey Set For Prisoners

THOMASTON — Christmas observances will start Saturday at the Maine State Prison with gifts of candy and merchandise coupons to the inmates in the afternoon, when a movie "The Man Who Never Was" will be shown also. The inmates will hear the broadcast of the Midnight Mass from St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York that night.

On Christmas morning at 9 o'clock the Protestant church services will be held, followed by the movie "Battle of the Coral Sea". At noon the traditional Christmas dinner of turkey with all the fixings will be served. In the evening there will be a distribution of ice cream, a gift from the warden.

Monday afternoon the movie "Crimson Kimono" will be shown. Warden Robbins reports that 475 inmates are currently in the Thomaston institution which is about the average for recent years.

Only in boom periods does the average person feel prosperous enough to live so far above his means.

Christmas Night Program Set At Tenants Harbor

TENANTS HARBOR — A special Christmas Night program will be presented by the young people of the Tenants Harbor Baptist Church Sunday at 7 p. m. at the church. Mrs. Mabel Wilson, church organist, will play the prelude and accompany the congregational hymns.

The call to worship will be given by David Falla after an address of welcome by Carla Stanley. John Patterson will play "It Came Upon A Midnight Clear" as a trumpet solo. "Christmas Everywhere", a poem, will be presented by Lena Small, Judy Johnson and Laura Carter. Linda Phillips will then play a clarinet solo.

Steve Link, home from college for the holidays, will be the reader in a discussion of the origin of three carols, "The First Noel", "Joy to the World", and "Silent Night". Janice Bryant, saxophone, and Karen Anderson, accordion, will play the first and third carols as a duet, and the congregation will sing the second one. Jennifer Bryant will give a piano solo. Stanwood Haskell will sing "O Holy Night". Janice and Karen will be the readers with a presentation of dramatized verses of Scripture, which will be acted out by members of the Junior Youth Fellowship. The closing speech is to be given by Lawrence Wilson and the closing prayer by Claudia Stanley.

Colored slides, "Bethlehem Judea", will be shown by Jim Bald, assisted by Rev. Harold Haskell who will bring the service to a close with the benediction. Ushers are Russell Elwell and Alan Hupper.

All the planets circle the sun in ellipses, rather than circles. The earth is three million miles closer to the sun in January than in July, and Mars varies 30 million miles in its distance from the sun, during the yearly orbit.

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Away In A Manger . . .



For the tenth year The Courier-Gazette presents the Nativity Scene with the roles of Mother and Child being taken by Coastal Area people. Selected this year were Mrs. John S. McCormick of West Rockport and her month old son, Jeffrey. Location of the picture is the dairy barn on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Keller in West Rockport, neighbors of the McCormicks. Mr. McCormick is an engineer assigned to the Rockland office of the State Highway Commission. Jeffrey is number six in the family, the couple having five other children ranging up to eight years of age. Photo by Cullen

Driver Is Cut When Truck Rolls Over Bank

WARREN — A Friendship man required 23 stitches in his face after his truck plunged over an embankment on Route 97 in South Warren Wednesday. Lester O. Simmons told State Trooper Lawrence Chapman that he pulled his pick-up truck over to the right side of the road to avoid a passing auto and when he tried to regain his position the truck skidded off the road, rolled down the embankment and into more than six feet of water.

The truck was demolished and Simmons was taken to Knox County General Hospital after being treated by a local doctor. Trooper Chapman said that Simmons got out of the truck through a side door onto the ice surface of the stream. The truck did not slide as far into the stream as it would have had not the stream been frozen over, said Chapman.

Thomaston Boy Hurt In Fall From Tractor

THOMASTON — Nine year old Robert C. Mitchell, Jr., was taken to Knox County General Hospital with a broken right thigh after a fall from his father's tractor in Thomaston Thursday. His condition was described as satisfactory Friday.

According to hospital officials the boy fell off the back of the tractor and the rear wheel ran over his thigh. The Mitchells live at Beechwoods Street in Thomaston.

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FIREMEN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY ONE OF MERRIEST AFFAIRS OF SEASON IN COASTAL SECTION

By Ron Campbell

The Rockland Fire Department was jumping Thursday night with the annual Christmas party for the department staff and local news reporters. Fortunately no emergency alarms were sounded to interrupt festivities which were enjoyed by one and all. Joke presents under the Christmas tree, included a full grown rooster that went to a lucky fireman, made it a merry occasion.

A highlight of the evening was two gifts presented to the de-

partment from the ladies' auxiliary. One was a waffle maker and grill while the other was a Betty Crocker cook book. The gifts were really appreciated by firemen and were gratefully received. The boys don't expect to get a recommendation from Duncan Hines but it is expected that meals in the fire hall will definitely be on the upswing from now on.

More than 50 people sat down for supper which included a delicious lobster stew and a variety of homemade cakes. After the meal everybody joined in the opening of presents under the tree which included among other things a very slippery, not so fresh, fish, toy fire trucks, badges, guns, and loaded cigars. All presents were accompanied with appropriate verses.

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Waldoboro High School Study Committee Makes First Report On Findings In Current Survey

WALDOBORO — An evaluation of high school facilities and a study of future needs has been underway in Waldoboro for some time by a committee set up by the citizens of the community at the March town meeting. Secretary of the committee is Superintendent Earle M. Spear who is preparing a series of articles to inform the people of the area served by the high school what the committee has found. The first in the series of reports was released this week.

The following is the committee's first report:

The Waldoboro High School Investigating Committee that was appointed at the March 1960 town meeting has held several meetings. The meetings thus far have been devoted to securing information about the high school from local and state school officials. The committee has also had a representative from Bunker and Savage, Augusta architectural firm, in as a consultant for the last two meetings. The committee has not reached any decisions on recommendations relative to the future plans for the high school.

The information supplied to the committee by local school officials indicates that the building is now at capacity with an enrollment of 210 this last September. Of these, 137 were resident pupils and 73 are tuition students from surrounding towns.

Educationally, it has been to the advantage of Waldoboro and to the towns it serves to maintain an enrollment of about 200, in order to have two divisions of

English in each grade. All students are not preparing for college, so that the school can better meet the needs of both the college group and the non-college group by having grades that number 50 to 60 and dividing the class into two divisions.

The number of resident pupils is going to increase so that the same ratio of tuition students will soon push the enrollment beyond what the school should accommodate. For example, this year's Freshmen Class in September numbered 67. The size of the Freshmen Class for September 1961 might be larger than could be accommodated in two divisions. Since the building and the present staff could not handle grades so large, it would be necessary to set up three divisions. If it was done, it would be as a temporary situation, while waiting for expansion.

In addition to the problem of size of the school, there is the question of approval of the special courses. Home Economics, because of the inadequate space according to present state standards, has approval as an occupational course only for the present year. This temporary approval was given pending a decision by the town as to what it may do in the way of plans for the future.

Another question to be answered is whether or not the school should offer an occupational course for boys. Industrial Arts is the most common occupational course for boys. There are approximately 85 high schools in the state with an enrollment of over 200 and Waldoboro High School is one of six that does not offer an occupational course for boys.

These are some of the questions that the committee will have to deal with when meetings are resumed after the holiday season. In the meantime, an attempt will be made to give the citizens further information through the press.

COLBY TO MEET RHODE ISLAND IN OPENER OF THIRD ANNUAL DOWN EAST BASKETBALL CLASSIC

BANGOR — The third annual Downeast Classic Invitational College Basketball Tournament will be held for three days starting Dec. 28 at the Bangor Municipal Auditorium with all four Maine colleges competing against out of state fives in the opening round. Two sessions will be held each day starting at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and 7:30 at night.

Colby opens the tourney

against Rhode Island followed by Bates vs. Harvard. The evening session pits the Bowdoin Polar Bears against Ivy League foe Cornell, with the University of Maine Black Bears taking on Boston University in the finale.

The defending champion is Maine which goes into this year's Classic with a 6-1 record, having lost only to Rhode Island by seven points in a game at Kingston, R. I.

Father and Son Ten Pin Tourney At Camden Y

CAMDEN — Starting at 6:30 Monday night, the Camden YMCA will hold its first Fathers-Sons ten pin tournament, an event the Y hopes will be repeated from year to year. Many of the bowlers in the three men's leagues have sons of varying ages and who can, upon occasion, beat their fathers.

Winners will be decided upon the basis of three strings for each bowler with the total pinfall of each pair to count. No handicaps of any kind will apply. Local favorites are Ed and David Ames and Fred and Bill Smullen with Russ Kelley, Sr., and Jr., from Thomaston a threat to take it all. Scores may be turned in any time during the evening and at the same time, the lanes will be open to the general public.

Ten Mumps Cases In Thomaston In Week of Dec. 17

Ten cases of mumps were reported to the State Department of Health from Thomaston for the week ending, Dec. 17, according to the department's weekly communicable disease report. The number was the largest from any town in the state for that week. Chickenpox, mumps and measles were the most frequently reported diseases around the state during the reporting week.

Other Knox County communities reporting communicable disease cases were: Washington, five cases of mumps; Warren, four cases of mumps reported; and other cases in the town unreported; and Rockland, one case of tuberculosis.

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Meeting Tuesday, Dec. 27
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Knox Fuel Oil Dealers Meet In Wiscasset

WISCASSET — The Knox County Fuel Oil Dealers' Association held its December meeting at the Ledges in Wiscasset on Dec. 15. The meeting was conducted by the association president, Willard T. Wight of Camden.

Merry Christmas

We at The Courier-Gazette have many a reason, To wish you the best in this joyous season, For the story of Christmas has lasted through the ages, And to it we would like to devote many pages, The birth of Christ is the best news ever heard, And is worth all we can say in the printed word.

As long as there is a Christmas each year, There's nothing in this world that we need fear, When children open their gifts on Christmas Day, And the family joins in with them at play, We can thank the Lord for a world at peace, And for brotherly love which will never cease.

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ROCKPORT HOOP SQUADS SPLIT ANNUAL BATTLES WITH ALUMNI AS BOYS WIN AND GIRLS LOSE

ROCKPORT — The Rockport High School teams split games with their grads Thursday night. The boys defeated the Alumni 48-45 while the girls lost to the Alumnae 53-35.

The Alumni started fast and led by eight at the end of the first quarter but ran out of gas and the schoolboys caught up before the half and went ahead to stay. However the grads gave

it a good try and were threatening up to the end.

The varsity won it on the foul line where they owned a 21-11 advantage. The high school presented balanced scoring with four in double figures. Dave Farley and George Pinkham were tops with 11 and the two Keiths, May and Crockett, scored 10. Denny Merrill's nine was tops for the grads.

The girls were not so fortunate as their Alumnae led throughout. Sara Simonton of the grads had a good night with 29 points, while Linda Barrows dumped in 22 points for the high school.

Score:
Rockport High (49)
F. May 2(6), Thurston 1(1), Farley 4(3), Pinkham 4(3); c. Crockett 2(6); g. Peasley, Frye 1(2).

Alumni (45)
F. C. Crockett 3(1), C. Farley 1(5), R. Thorndike 1(1), G. Starr 1; c. L. Thorndike, D. Starr; g. Salminen 2, Graffam, Turner 1(2), Merrill 4(1).

Rockport 7 26 38 49
Alumni 15 23 34 45
Officials: Dearborn and Leonard.

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TIME ON THEIR HANDS — The Rockland High School Tigers will have a new time clock and scoreboard when they go into action against Old Town next Tuesday. Edgar Robinson and Bob Seliger of the Rockland Public Works Department are shown installing the new Fair Play basketball scoreboard. The old scoreboard was traded in on the new one. Photo by Campbell

ROCKLAND HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL Rockland vs. Old Town TUESDAY, DEC. 27

First Game 6:15 P. M.

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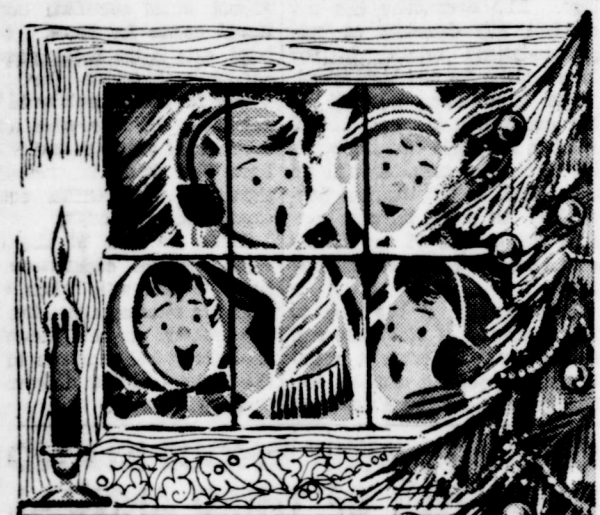
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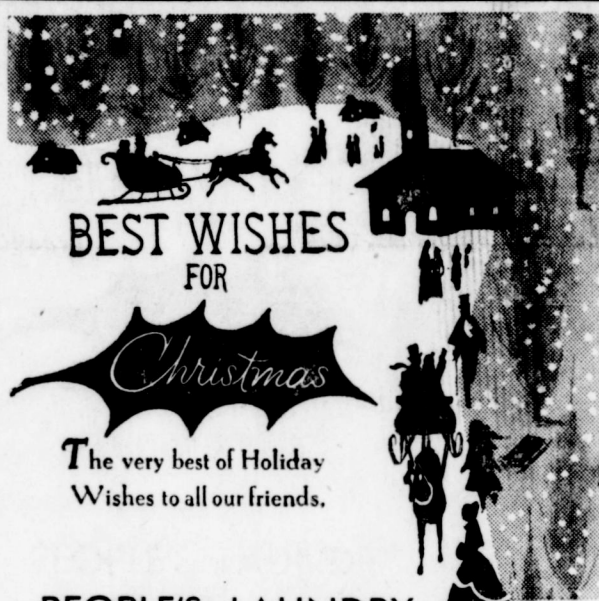
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Social Events

Brownie Troop 24 held a Christmas meeting and party at the home of their leader, Mrs. Russell Wolfertz, 4 Lake Avenue, Tuesday afternoon. The girls worked on Christmas presents for their fathers and mothers. Jackie Benner won the special game prize. Gifts were exchanged from the beautifully decorated Christmas tree and refreshments were served. Those assisting Mrs. Wolfertz were Mrs. Barbara Carpenter, troop committee member, Rebecca Orne, junior aide, and Karen Duff. Those attending were: Barbara Baker, Aili Aho, Lynette Bean, Bonnie Benner, Jackie Benner, Lorraine Lufkin, Karen Hill, Debra Hanley, Cindy Wolfertz, Julia Duff, Carolyn Carpenter, Carol Coffin, Donna Kelsey, Cindy Estabrook, Susan LaGassey and Cindy Murgita.

Miss Adams, a graduate of Northfield School for Girls and Mount Holyoke College, at present is on the faculty of Rosemary Hall School, Greenwich, Conn.

Mr. McKean, who graduated from Mount Herman School and Williams College, spent last summer studying at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, and the University of Basel, Switzerland. He now is in his final year at the Yale Divinity School, New Haven. He is the grandson of Rev. Philip L. Frick and the late Mrs. Frick. A July wedding is planned.

WALDOBORO

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Jerry Pitman and Mrs. Ida Smith of Rockland have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Genthner, Pine Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Achorn of Boston are in town to attend the funeral services of his aunt, Mrs. Ethel Ludwig.

Mrs. Henry K. Crowell, Mrs. Fred Genthner, Mrs. Donald Wallace and son Damon were in Damariscotta Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Creamer are in Portland to meet their daughter Shirley who will be home for the holidays.

Frank Sheffield has returned from Knox Hospital where he has been a surgical patient.

Henry Crowell and Raymond Jones were in Rockland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lush and baby are visiting relatives in Portland.

Summer Resident Of Friendship To Be Married

FRIENDSHIP — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adams of Bristol, R. I., announce the engagement of their daughter, Deborah Ann Adams, to Philip Frick McKean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Raleigh McKean of Pittsfield, Mass., and Friendship.

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Marriage of Tenants Harbor Man Announced

GEORGETOWN, MASS.—Miss Susan Hartman, daughter of Mrs. William Hartman and the late Mr. Hartman, and Benjamin G. Hall, son of Mrs. Donald B. Doe of Tenants Harbor, were married in a candlelight ceremony Tuesday at the home of the bride in Georgetown.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Sally Hartman, and Daniel W. Hall, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

Mr. Hall is a graduate of Gorham State Teachers' College in Gorham and is now teaching at Burns School in Saco.

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Rev. David P. Surette, Pastor

St. Bernard's Church

Once more the season of Christmas comes at a time when uncertainty, rebellion, brutality and disasters beset a troubled world. Yet despite all this we are able to recall to memory the one event that changed the world's history.

On Christmas Day we celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ, true God and true man. There is no other reason to celebrate Christmas. If Christ showed His love and mercy toward us, by taking flesh or becoming incarnate, then we in turn should show our appreciation of this fact.

At this time we have greater need of sober reflection about the meaning of Christmas than at any other time of the calendar. What we need, above all, is to bring to our celebration of the birth of Christ the desire and disposition to see the entire story in the light of Christian Faith, in terms of Christian Love. Our Lord came to teach us the way of God and the way to God. He began teaching from the very crib of Bethlehem. That teaching can resolve itself in a short phrase—God's love towards man.

This is the whole meaning of Christmas. To understand its lesson we must exercise the supernatural virtues of Faith and Love (Charity). We cannot sanctify human sentiment, however beautiful, without bringing it in contact with God. Since there is really no Christmas without Christ then with Christ at Christmas time we can become truly happy.

The love of Christ is for all men without exception. This truth must be understood if we desire a better world. The problems in the world are mostly of man's making. Shall we leave the solution of these problems in man's hands when, more than not, he has failed in his faith and has neglected the love due God? Does not the Prince of Peace, whose birthday we observe on Christmas Day, have an answer to our many uncertainties? He gave us the answer in His commandments of love and by the example of His life and death.

Truly we can envision the words of the book of Wisdom (Wis. 18-14,15):

"While all things were in quiet silence, and the night was in the midst of her course, Thine Almighty Word, O Lord, leaped down from Thy Royal Throne."

It is our sincere wish that you may enjoy a happy Christmas, inspired by the Holy Child of Bethlehem.

WARREN

Dana Smith, 3rd, from the University of Maine, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Smith, Jr., at Thomaston.

Clarence York from Fort Dix is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard York.

James Perry, in the Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Perry, is expected for the holidays.

The Health Council will meet, Tuesday, and will have a Christmas party.

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Rockland — An accident on Camden Street at Achorn Street Thursday morning at 9:55 o'clock caused an estimated damage of \$175. William A. Otto, 69, of Camden told police that he was following a car driven by Clifton B. Mitchell, 34, of Camden when the latter made a left hand turn into Achorn Street. He said that he did not see a directional signal and collided with the other car. Damage to the left front fender and headlight of the Mitchell car was estimated at \$150 with \$25 damage to the right front fender of the Otto car. There were no injuries.

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Rockland — Sidney L. Cullen, 53, of Rockland, had the right rear fender and door of his 1960 station wagon damaged to the extent of \$75 when he turned off into the alley by The Courier-Gazette office on Main Street at 8 a.m. Friday. Police said that a car driven by Pearl M. Robinson, 19, of Warren was pulling away from the curb and both vehicles collided. Damage to Miss Robinson's car, a 1953 sedan consisted of a broken front headlight and was estimated at \$10. There were no injuries.

Rockland — The Rockland Kiwanis Club will view the new Gulf Oil Corporation's film "Festival America" at its Tuesday evening meeting. The film, which includes the Maine Seafoods Festival as one of the leading festivals of the nation, will be shown the same evening to the Festival officers and directors. On Friday, the film will be projected for the Rockland Rotary Club. All showings are through the courtesy of the Maritime Oil Company, Coastal Area Gulf distributors.

Rockland — The Knox County Fish & Game Association, as its Christmas project, has agreed to finance tonsillectomies for three children through the Rockland District Nursing Association, and has made a cash contribution to the Salvation Army.

Municipal Court

FRIDAY
Henry F. Lee, 39, of Camden appeared in Rockland Municipal Court Friday morning on a charge of driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor on Route 17 in Rockland, Dec. 17. He had pleaded not guilty when the case was first heard Monday and Judge Adams said that the respondent's blood count was one of the highest he has ever seen at .30 and rendered a judgement of guilty with a fine of \$150. The decision was appealed to the February term of Superior Court and Lee was released on personal bail of \$300.

Joseph Maguire, 44, of Thomaston pleaded guilty to discharging a firearm within the town limits of Thomaston on Dec. 22. He allegedly discharged a .22 caliber rifle on Mechanic Street on the day in question. The case was continued for sentence until Dec. 30 on personal bail of \$50.

Two charges against Alfred Miller, 18, of Rockland were dismissed by Judge Adams. One was for driving without an operator's license on North Main Street, Oct. 23. The other was for larceny of automobile fender skirts valued at \$10 on May 10. Both cases had been continued to await the termination of the defendant's probation period.

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Hospital In Readiness For Christmas



KNOX HOSPITAL NURSERY — Mrs. Elta Andersen, nursery supervisor at the Knox County Hospital, and creator of the Nativity scene shown above, is shown attending twin girls born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mank of North Waldoboro, Dec. 10. The hospital is all decked out for the holiday season and if the stork is on time there will be a Christmas baby under the tree. Photo by Campbell

The American Legion in Camden has sent in enough filled stockings to go around to the children and from all appearances it would seem that there will be no disappointments in Knox County General Hospital come Christmas Day.

Thomaston
Harold Dolliver is a medical patient at Knox Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Soderberg are spending the Christmas weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Magill in Whitinsville, Mass.

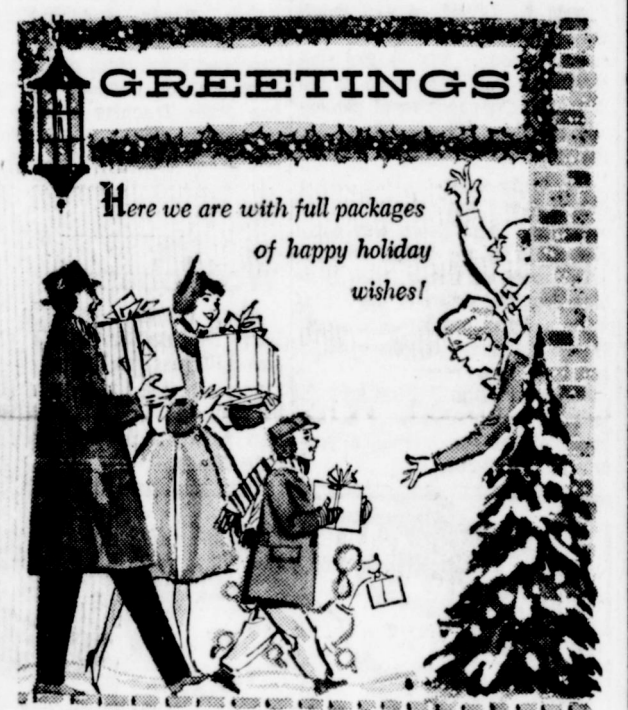
BORN
Robinson — At Knox Hospital, Dec. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson of Thomaston, a son.
Fogg — At Knox Hospital, Dec. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Fogg of Rockland, a son.

MARRIED
Frenning-Wotton — Washington, D. C., Dec. 23, John Winslow Frenning of Boston and Mary Wotton of Boston, by Rev. Canon Frederick H. Arterton.
Hall-Hartman — At Georgetown, Mass., Dec. 17, Benjamin G. Hall of Saco and Susan Hartman of Georgetown, Mass.

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of Myrtle L. Upham who passed away Dec. 26, 1958.
Today recalls sad memories of you dear one who has gone to rest.
And the ones that think of you today are the ones that loved you best.
Nothing can ever take away the love a heart holds dear.
Fond memories linger every day, remembrance keeps you near.
Sadly missed but lovingly remembered by her husband, Wayne Upham, and son, Oscar Upham, and family.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to express sincere thanks and appreciation to all of the many relatives, neighbors and friends for cards, fruit, gifts and kindness to me during my stay at the hospital. The excellent care given me by the nursing staff at the Camden Community Hospital, Dr. Jameson, Dr. Hawkins and Dr. Millington will always be remembered. Special thanks also to the Camden Fire Department for their prompt ambulance service. Thank you one and all.
Fred B. Kimball
Rockport, Maine

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our mother who passed away Christmas Day 1959.
Some folks there are, it seems to me,
Stand straight and firm, so like a tree
Whose hidden roots are strong enough
To hold through weather smooth and rough.
Their roots will never come to rest,
But grow and grow for a higher test.
Of life far greater that shall be
Life that leads to eternity.
Sadly missed by her family
Mrs. Frederick Sparrow
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CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for their beautiful floral tributes, cards of sympathy and other acts of kindness shown to us during the recent loss of our loved one. Our special thanks to Planders Funeral Home, Rev. Frederick Mills, Meduncook Lodge, AF&AM, and those who acted as bearers for their services.
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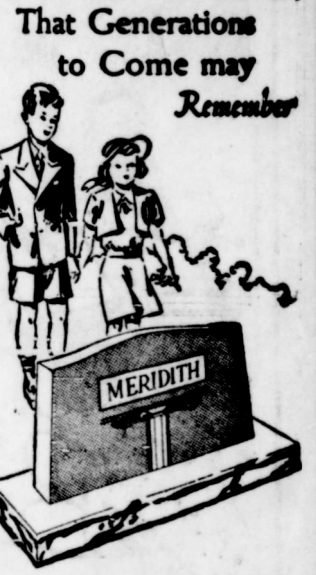
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Social Events

Marjorie Mayo

Miss Patricia A. Stratton, a freshman in the physical education course at Bouve-Boston School, which is affiliated with Tufts University, Medford, Mass., is at home for the Christmas vacation. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Rupert L. Stratton, 112 Beech Street.

John Koster, a student at the Maine Central Institute in Pittsfield, and Miss Lucille Koster, teacher in the public schools in Marblehead, Mass., are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Koster, Samoset Road.

Mrs. Wesley Knight entertained the Piremen's Auxiliary, Wednesday evening, at her home on Old County Road. The Auxiliary doll, wardrobe and crib were awarded to Mrs. Theresa Withington, 38 Linden Street. A pot luck supper was served by the hostess followed by a Christmas tree and exchange of gifts. A new member, Mrs. Bonnie Faye, was welcomed by the group. Each member revealed their secret pal.

Those attending were Mrs. Agnes Russell, Mrs. Louise Thomas, Mrs. Ernell Robishaw, Mrs. Dorothy Dyer, Mrs. Marie Thurston, Mrs. Alma Luce, Mrs. Kay York, Mrs. Arlene Hooper, Mrs. Leona Phillips, Mrs. Pauline Russell, Mrs. Doris Dudley and Mrs. Barbara Widdecombe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley B. Harvey and children Diane and Deborah of Bayonne, N. J., and Miss Marion Harvey of Braintree, Mass., are spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Emma Harvey, Berkeley Street.

Anderson Camp Auxiliary has been invited to go to Warren Wednesday to attend the E. A. Starrett Auxiliary Christmas party. There will be a Christmas tree and exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Juliette B. Cross and her stepfather, Herbert Kalloch, are spending the Christmas weekend in Manchester, N. H., as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Maple and family.

Miss Mary (Midge) Grispi is home for a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mario Grispi, 135 Park Street, from her teaching duties at Chelmsford Junior High School, Chelmsford, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chester and son John, Jr., of Wiscasset are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Mullen, 60 Grace Street, for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Johanna Hamalainen will be honored at an open house on Monday afternoon from 2 to 5 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Hamalainen, Park Street. The affair is in celebration of Mrs. Hamalainen's 80th birthday.



Miss Nancy Gray

To Wed Owls Head Man

OWLS HEAD — Rev. and Mrs. Richard W. Gray of Willow Grove, Pa., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Nancy Gray, to Richard W. Strong, son of Wilbur W. Strong of Owls Head and Mrs. Ruth Strong of Garden Grove, Calif.

Miss Gray is attending Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill., where she is a literature major. Mr. Strong is an electrical engineering major at the University of Maine. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mildred Staples Bride Of Donald Lewis On Friday

Miss Mildred Staples, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Staples, 38 Thomaston Street, Rockland, and Mr. Donald Otis Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Lewis of Ash Point, were married at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. The double ring ceremony was performed at the Rockland Congregational parsonage by Rev. Charles Monteith, pastor of the church.

The bride wore a green jersey sheath dress with matching accessories. Her gown was complemented by an orchid corsage. The maid of honor, Miss Barbara Staples, sister of the bride, wore a light green wool dress. Wayne Lindsey of Owls Head acted as best man.

Following the ceremony, a wedding party was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents in Ash Point.

After the party, the couple left for a wedding trip to New York City. On their return, they will make their home at 56 Talbot Avenue.

Mrs. Lewis graduated from Rockland High School. Mr. Lewis is a graduate of Rockland High School, attended Farmington State Teachers College and served in the U. S. Air Force. He is now employed at H. H. Crie's Hardware Store in Rockland.

Waldoboro

Mrs. Caroline Mitchell will leave Monday for Florida where she will pass the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilshire of Texas are spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Lucille Bangs.

Former Rockland Girl Is Wed In Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Miss Mary Wotton of Boston, formerly of Rockland, became the bride of Mr. John Winslow Frenning of Boston Friday afternoon at 4:30.

Miss Wotton is the daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Whitney Wotton of Boston and Charles Crockett Wotton of Owls Head. Mr. Frenning is the son of Mrs. Herbert L. Sherman, Chevy Chase, Md., and the late John Jacob Frenning of Belmont, Mass.

Bethlehem Chapel, National Episcopal Cathedral in Washington, decorated for the Christmas season, was the scene of the ceremony performed by Rev. Canon Frederick H. Arterton of the Cathedral.

The bride, given by her father in marriage, wore a street length off-white brocade sheath dress with matching jacket and an off-white veiled hat. She carried a cascade bridal bouquet of white carnations and green ivy.

The matron of honor, Mrs. William Wilson of Boston, sister of the bride, wore a royal blue silk

sheath dress with a pink flowered hat. She carried a cascade bouquet like that of the bride.

Peter Barbey Frenning of Tonawanda, New York, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

The bride's mother wore a lilac silk shantung sheath dress with matching jacket and hat. The gown was complemented by a white camellia corsage. The bridegroom's mother chose a royal blue sheath with a pink

flowered hat. The outfit was complemented by a pink camellia corsage.

A reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents in Chevy Chase following the ceremony.

Mrs. Frenning is a graduate of Rockland High School and Boston University in the College of Business Administration and Mr. Frenning graduated from Harvard College.



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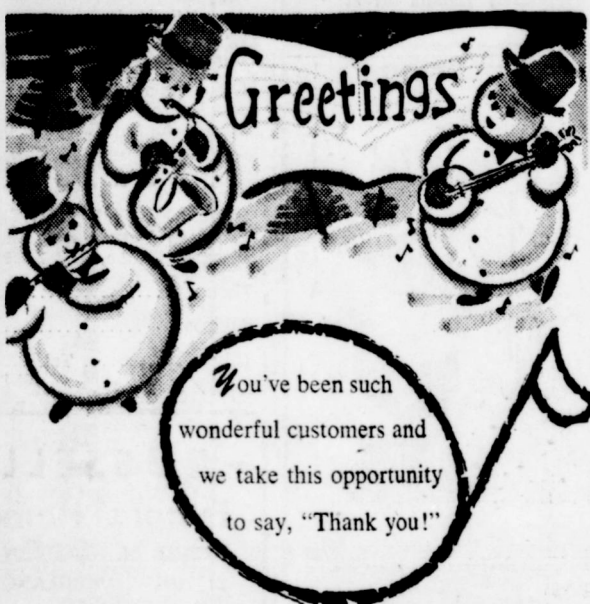
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Church News

St. Peter's Episcopal Church. Rev. Canon E. O. Kenyon, Obl. I. W., Rector. Sunday services: Matins, 9:15; Parish Communion and sermon at 9:30; Church School, pre-school through grades three at 9:30, grades four and five at 10:30; parish breakfast at 10:30; high school at 6:30 p. m. Weekday services: Mass on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 7:30, Wednesday at 6 a. m. Church School of grades six, seven and eight on Saturday at 4 p. m.

St. Bernard's Catholic Church. Park Street, Rockland: Sunday Masses - regular schedule: 8:00 and 11:00 a. m.; St. James' Church, Thomaston, 9:30 a. m.; Our Lady of Good Hope, Camden, 9:30 a. m. Confessions in Rockland: Saturdays, 3:30 and 7:00 p. m. Baptisms, Sundays at 1:00 p. m.

Services for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, "Mormon Church", are held each Sunday morning at 10:30 in the GAR Hall in Rockland. The Priesthood meeting for the men is held at 9 a. m. Sunday at the GAR Hall. The Relief Society for the women is held Wednesday evening at 7:30. Everyone is welcome.

The Rockland congregation of the Church of Christ meets at the GAR Hall at 3 p. m. Sunday. A general invitation is extended to all attend these services.

St. John the Baptist Church. Thomaston: Holy Communion every Sunday at 8 a. m., preceded by morning prayer at 7:40 a. m. Sunday School every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Communion breakfast at 9 a. m. each Sunday at the Knox Hotel.

Christmas Sunday at the Pratt Memorial Methodist Church, Merle S. Conant, pastor, will preach on the subject "Names of the Truth." The junior choir will present a program of Christmas carols before the service. Anne Davis will play "March of the Magi" by Harker, Pastoral Symphony" by Handel, and "Hallelujah Chorus" by Handel. The adult choir will sing an anthem, and Janet Jordan will present the solo "The Virgin's Lullaby" by Moriarty. The Church School will meet at 11 o'clock for study and fellowship. The older classes meet at 11:30 in the sanctuary. The senior choir will rehearse on Thursday evening at 7:15. Ann Davis will direct. The sub-district cabinet of the Methodist Youth Fellowship of the Augusta District will meet in this church on Friday evening of Dec. 30.

At the Littlefield Memorial Baptist Church, Rev. Cleaves Henderson, pastor: Sunday School begins at 9:45 a. m. with the Christmas worship service at 11 o'clock. Baptist Young Fellowship Groups will not meet on Christmas Sunday.

A special Christmas Vesper Service will be held at 7:15 o'clock. This will include the singing of traditional Christmas music, and participating in the service will be young people home for Christmas from colleges, the service, and employment away from home. The pastor will have a brief Christmas meditation.



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CHRISTMAS SERVICES

ROCKLAND CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Rev. Charles R. Monteith, Pastor. Sunday - 9 a. m. Organ Prelude, "The Manger" Alex. Guilman. Processional Hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" Invocation and Lord's Prayer Sacrament of Christian Baptism Moments With The Children Hymn, "There's a Song in the Air" The Scriptures Anthem, "Mary Had a Baby" Traditional The Junior Choir directed by Mrs. Charles A. Haynes Pastoral Prayer and Choral Response Offertory Anthem, "What Do You Hear" Catalan Carol The Junior Choir Doxology Sermon, "The World's Best Hope" Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" Benediction and Choral Amen Organ Postlude, "Pastoral Symphony" (Messiah) Handel 10:40 a. m. Organ Prelude, "The Manger" Alex. Guilman Processional Hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" Invocation and Lord's Prayer Sacrament of Christian Baptism Moments With The Children Hymn, "There's a Song in the Air" The Scriptures Anthem, "The Prince of Peace" Wilson The Senior Choir directed by Mrs. Howard E. Rollins Pastoral Prayer and Choral Response Offertory Anthem, "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming" Praetorius Doxology Sermon, "The World's Best Hope" Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" Benediction and Choral Amen Organ Postlude, "Pastoral Symphony" (Messiah) Handel

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. Roy I. Bohanan, Pastor. Sunday - 10:45 a. m. Prelude, "Christmas Fantasy" Kohlman Organ, Miss Charlotte Cook Piano, Mrs. Reta Robinson Call to Worship, "Joy to the World" Handel Doxology Invocation, The Lord's Prayer and Gloria Patri Choir, "The Birthday of a King" Neidlinger Solo by Mrs. Kent Stanley Responsive Reading, "O Come, All Ye Faithful" Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" Scripture Reading Duet, "Down From His Glory" de Capus Peter and Timothy Corey Pastoral Prayer and Choral Response Announcements and Registration Offertory, "What Child Is That?" Rowley Choir, "My Gift" Murray Solo by Carol Philbrook Children's Sermonette, "A Christmas Star" Hymn, "There's a Song in the Air" Sermon, "A Heavenly Visitor" Hymn, "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne" Benediction and Choral Response Postlude, "Angels From the Realms of Glory" Wilson 7:00 p. m. Prelude, "The Christmas Song" Adam Organ, Miss Charlotte Cook Piano, Mrs. Reta Robinson Hymn and Prayer Carol Sing Junior Choir, "Do You Know the Song?" Fillmore Announcements and Offertory Broadcast, 7:30 to 8 over WRKD Theme Song, "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story" Greetings to Listeners Junior Choir, "Angels We Have Heard on High" Old English Scripture (Matthew 2:13-18) and Prayer Announcements Solo by John Graf, "The First Noel" Sermon, "Safe in Egypt" Rev. Roy I. Bohanan Prayer and Hymn No. 173 Benediction Postlude, "Thou didst Leave Thy Throne" Matthews

TENANTS HARBOR BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. Harold Haskell, Pastor. 10:30 a. m. Organ Prelude, "Adoration" Bentley "Softly O'er the Manger" Rand

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LITTLEFIELD MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. Cleaves Henderson, Pastor. Miss Carol Elwell, organist Mrs. William Dorman, pianist Christmas Sunday at 11 o'clock Organ Prelude Doxology Call to Worship Minister: "For unto us a child is born, unto us a Son is given." People: "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." Gloria Patri Invocation and Lord's Prayer Responsive Reading, "Christ Foretold" Hymn, "O Come, All Ye Faithful" Scripture Reading, Gospel of Luke 2:1-15 Solo Miss Miriam Dorman Pastoral Prayer Reception of Tithes and Offerings Offertory Anthem, "Glory Be To God" Choir Announcements Hymn, "Silent Night, Holy Night" Message, "Glad Tidings" Hymn, "Joy To The World" Benediction Organ Postlude

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Rev. William J. Robbins, Pastor. Ruth Dalton, organist Esther Rogers, choir director Dudley Harvey, trumpeter Christmas Day - 11 a. m. Organ Prelude Carols by the Choir Call to Worship Choral Response, "All Glory Be To God Most High" Invocation and Lord's Prayer Hymn 170, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" Affirmation of Faith Doxology The Reading of Scripture Anthem, "There Were Shepherds" Vincent Meditation and Morning Prayers Trumpet Solo Offertory (Choral) Korman Hymn 167, "Silent Night, Holy Night" The Sermon, "Christmas Day In The Morning" Mr. Robbins Hymn 163, "Joy to the World!" Benediction, Choral Response Organ Postlude

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Monday	Matthew	2	1-10
Tuesday	Luke	2	18-21
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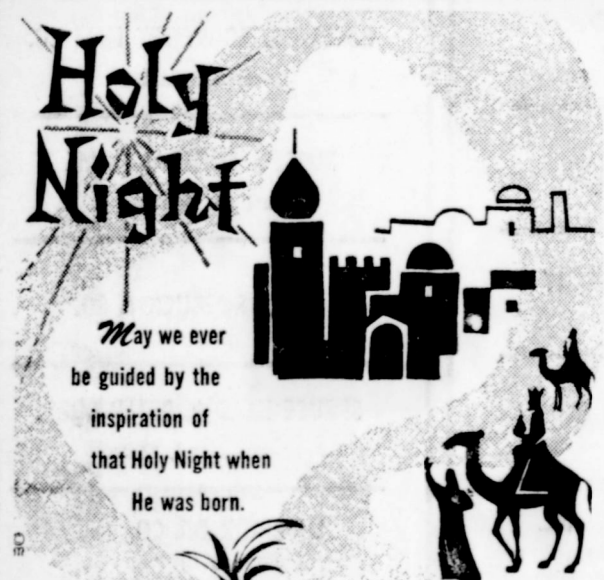
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ROCKPORT

A special Christmas service will be held Saturday evening from 11 p. m. to 12 midnight at the Rockport Baptist Church.

Miss Beverly Clough entertained, Wednesday evening, at a dinner party in honor of her birthday. Guests included Miss Susan Goodridge, Miss Meg Fisher, Miss Pattie Greene and Miss Debbie Hanna.



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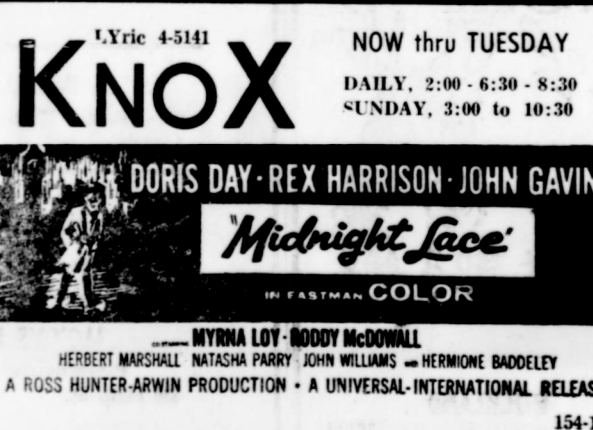
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Church News

Mass will be celebrated Sunday at 9:30 a. m. at St. James' Catholic Church.

Morning prayer will be observed at 7:40 a. m. followed with Holy Communion at 8 Sunday at St. John's Episcopal Church. A Christmas program will be held Christmas Eve at 7 p. m. at the church. Coffee will be served. Monday at 1:30 p. m. a meeting will be held.

There will be no Church School Sunday at the Federated Church. There will be a special family Christmas worship service at 11 a. m. with carol singing featured. The Youth Fellowship meeting will be omitted. On Wednesday the Youth Group will meet at 1:30 p. m. and tour the Cement Plant. On Thursday, a Cub Scout Pack meeting will be held at 7 p. m. Friday, the Church School party and tree with a film and presentation of gifts is scheduled. Each class will present at

this time the projects it has been working on.

Sunday School starts at 10 o'clock Sunday at the Assembly of God Church followed by Christmas service at 11 with Rev. Calvin Rogers speaking. C. A. Young People's Group meets at 6 p. m. with the evening service scheduled for 7 o'clock. On Tuesday, prayer service at 7:30 p. m. On Thursday, Bible Study at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School will begin at 9:45 a. m. Sunday at the Baptist Church followed with worship service on Christmas Day at 11 o'clock with Rev. John Fitzpatrick preaching. BYF Group will meet at 6 p. m. On Thursday, prayer service at 7 p. m.

The Holy Trinity Lutheran Church will hold its Christmas program at 7 p. m. Sunday evening at the church with Rev. and Mrs. Mathias Joensuu present. Refreshments will be served and children will take part in the program.

West Rockport

MRS. MABEL HEALD

Correspondent

Christmas Program

The Sunday School Christmas program and tree were held at the local church auditorium on Wednesday evening. In spite of the storm there was a very good attendance.

Every member of the large group of nursery and primary department gave a recitation and took part in the chorus. This group was under the direction of Mrs. Jane Pendleton and Mrs. Ruth Wade.

There were recitations by Mrs. McDougall's class of Susan LaChance, Mary Rytiky and Alan Counce. Robert Hamalainen represented the boys' class with a piano solo.

Scripture reading of the Christmas story by Rev. C. W. Small, prayer by Philip Carroll and leading the congregation in singing Christmas carols was Rev. Orel Ward.

A piano solo by Amy Crockett from the young people's class. Accompanists for the evening included Mrs. Gladys Keller for congregational singing, Mrs. Ruth Wade for the primary singing and Miss Amy Crockett.

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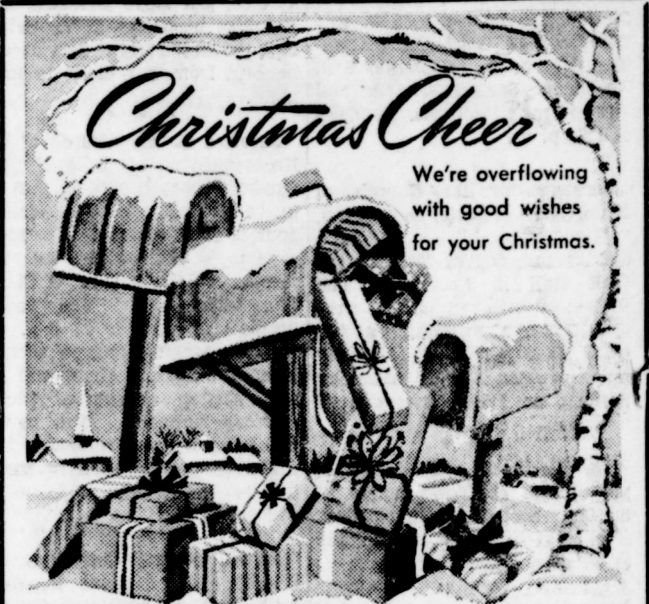


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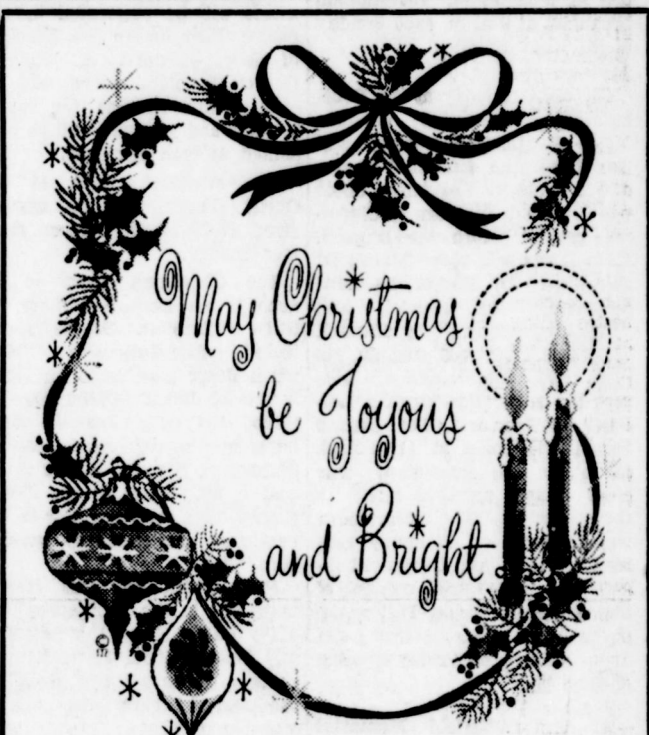
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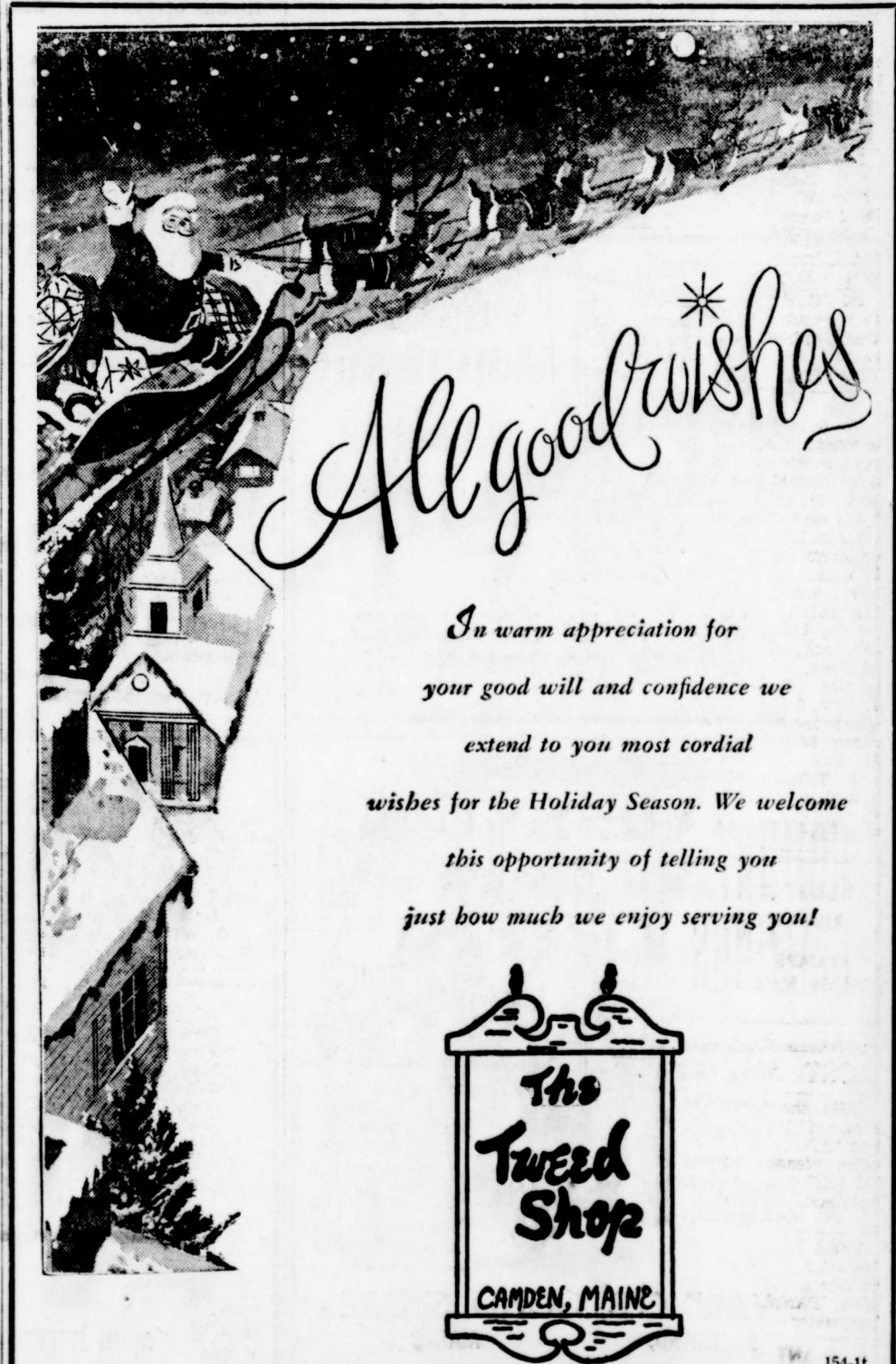


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CAMDEN

MRS. KENNETH HERRICK
Correspondent
Tel. Cedar 6-2197

Mrs. Forest McKenney returned to her home on Harden Avenue on Wednesday after being a patient at the Camden Community Hospital for several weeks.

Seaside Chapter, OES, will hold its regular meeting, Monday evening, Dec. 26, at the Masonic Hall. Degree work will be conferred with a pot luck supper preceding the meeting.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a Christmas party, Tuesday, at 7:30 p. m. All Legionnaires and ladies and Auxiliary members are cordially invited to attend. The men will bring gifts for the men and the ladies gifts for the ladies, which should be marked.

A Christmas Eve service of worship will be held at 8 p. m. at the First Congregational Church of Camden. The Senior Choir will sing "Jesu Bambino" by Pietro A. Yon. Miss Ann Ziegler will present a solo. A brief Christmas message will be given by the pastor. Families are welcome to attend. The

Tenants Harbor

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Church News Services at the Baptist Church, Rev. Harold Arthur Haskell, minister, will be on the following schedule for the week of Dec. 25 to 31:

Sunday, 9:15 a. m., the Church School with classes for all ages; 10:30 a. m., divine worship with special Christmas music and sermon. All in the community are invited to worship with us this Sunday. The sermon theme, "Angels in an Atomic Age." The choir will sing Walter's "His Name is Wonderful" and "The Christ of Peace," also by Walter; 6 p. m., the BYF and

10:30 worship service only will be held Christmas Day.

A candlelight service with special readings and music by the vested choir will be held at the Chestnut Street Baptist Church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

At the regular meeting of Megunticook Grange held Wednesday evening a Christmas party was held for the children. The welcome was given by Master Frank Milliken. The program presented by Lecturer Mrs. Geraldine Dow, included songs by the group and piano selections by the following pupils of Mrs. Myrtle Wheeler: Andrea Reynolds, Sharon Hart, Jayne Horton, Sybil Clement, Judy Kelley and Alice Trout. Solos were presented by Billy and Sybil Clement and Larry Wilcox. A Christmas tree with a visit from Santa Claus, with the exchange of gifts concluded the program. Approximately 75 were present.

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Church Items

Second Congregational Church: There will be no Church School on Christmas Day or New Year's Sunday, Jan. 1. The children of the school and parents are invited to attend both of these services as a family. Morning worship service at 10:30 with the pastor, A. Dean Lundstrom, having as his sermon theme, "No Gift is Greater Than You". Music will be by the Senior Choir.

The Junior Fellowship meetings for all young people in the community; 7 p. m. the monthly Youth Night service conducted by the young people of our two BYF groups. The worship service tonight will be presented by members of the Junior Fellowship assisted by others in the Senior BYF. Following the opening worship service slides entitled "Bethlehem Judea" will be shown. The public is invited to attend.

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Thorndikeville

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Mrs. Joseph Pushaw accompanied a group from Union on a shopping trip to Portland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Sprowl and children from Hope were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Childs.

The decorations in the various homes are very pretty, some are outstanding.

Warren Baptist Church: Morning service at 10 o'clock. Richard Butler will be at the organ and he and Robert Wyllie at the piano will play the duet, "A Christmas Eve Memory". Harry Stred, Jr., will sing a solo, "Shepherds In The Hush of Night". The choir will sing the anthem "Earth's Weary Waiting Done". Miss Elaine Jordan and Mrs. Virginia Teague will sing a duet. Postlude "Joy To The World", organ and piano duet. The annual church meeting will be held Saturday, Dec. 31, with a 6:30 supper at the Montgomery Rooms.

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THE GRANGE CORNER

OCEAN VIEW GRAUGE

By Nancy Link

Ocean View Grange of Martinsville met Dec. 19 with Brian Routledge presiding during a brief business meeting before a Christmas program and party was enjoyed. Mrs. Meta Holley and Harold Watts were reported ill. Miss Marjorie Banks substituted for the absent lady assistant steward. The Grange was thanked by Master Routledge for flowers sent to the Union bank which opened officially Dec. 19. He is the branch manager for the new bank. One visitor from Owls Head Grange was present and 34 members of Ocean View, with ten guests joining them for the party.

The program, arranged by Mrs. Shirley Bicknell, opened with a reading by Johnny Morse. Santa Claus who had just visited the Tenants Harbor Baptist Church party came in for a short visit and handed out gifts. Mrs. Hattie Tibbets played the piano for the lecturer's march which was won by George Pay. Christmas favors given out during the march were donated by Mrs. Irma Anderson, lecturer of Owls Head Grange. A game was played and declared a tie with all participants receiving prizes. Group carol singing was enjoyed by all with Steve Link at the piano and a male quartette. Elmer Tibbets, Bill Bicknell, Emerson Link and George Pay, leading the singing. The closing thought for the evening was given by Mrs. Bicknell.

Refreshments were served in the downstairs hall after the program and items made for the Grange Christmas sale, which had to be cancelled because of the blizzard of Dec. 12, were sold and auctioned off by Elmer Tibbets, auctioneer.

Because the next two Mondays are legal holidays, Dec. 26 and Jan. 2, the next meeting of Ocean View Grange will be on Jan. 9. Crazy lunch will be served.

WARREN GRANGE

By Nancy Benner

We held our usual meeting Tuesday night. We had several visitors from Owls Head Grange and a delicious clam stew was served after the meeting.

Our Christmas tree and program with exchange of gifts will be held next Tuesday night. Circle march was won by Irma Anderson.

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Knox County Farm News...



4-H CAROLLERS — Members of the Golden Crown 4-H Club made the rounds singing Christmas carols in the Ingraham Hill district of Owls Head Thursday evening. From the left in the front row are Wanda Tims, Vicky Ross, and Linda Knowlton.

In the second row are Mary Rapose, Ruth Holsipple, and June Salo. In the third row are Mary Ann Ross and Donna Haskell. Mrs. Annie Ross, director, is shown in the back as the girls sang "Silent Night" outside of her home. Photo by Campbell



By Henry Teague

For many years egg producers in Maine have used automatic weighing machines which grade eggs according to size. In most instances the eggs are put on the entrance roll-way by hand and then carried across the weighing devices which are balanced in sequence so that the heaviest eggs drop in the first slot of the table and so on.

The eggs are then packed in 30 dozen cases marked according to weight from jumbos to peewees. A pickup van comes to each egg room once or twice a week and takes the pack to a central point where the cases are packed in a trailer truck and hauled to Boston.

In two or three instances handlers have put in central grading. Farmers dealing with a central grading outfit simply clean and pack their eggs in 24 dozen cases and these eggs are processed for size on a big grading machine that operates at the approximate speed of a case a minute. A corps of workers, generally female, stand at the various size stations and pack the eggs both in dozen and multi-dozen cartons. This is a selective process with quality control. These girls take out undergrade eggs and pack them separately. Also there are two large candling lights at the entrance to the grader where eggs with blood spots and other defects are removed.

A charge for grading in plant is made on each dozen eggs. Also a premium of generally one-quarter of a cent a dozen is paid on sizes above mediums. The farmer is paid the regular Boston price only for top grade eggs. He takes a price cut on his B and C grade eggs and in some instances takes an additional cut on his eggs from mediums down.

Farmers selling to firms that do not have central grading, grade and pack in the 30 dozen cases. No quality deductions are made except when the farmer puts in undersized eggs and his pack is definitely dirty and of poor quality. He generally gets a warning first and then if he does not mend his ways, deductions are taken. If his pack continues to be inferior he may be dropped.

The farmers I know take great pride in their packs. Many have spent sizable sums of money in improving egg grading and holding rooms. They handle their eggs with meticulous care, gathering frequently and filling baskets only partly full to avoid breakage.

During the warm months, clean eggs are fairly easy to come by, but in the winter conditions change drastically. To sell a good pack the farmer has to do

far more work because wet litter conditions cause far more dirty eggs.

Now for a comparison of the two systems, home grading versus central grading.

The Boston market prices are based on farm graded eggs. Presumably this price is set with a view toward allowing the handler a reasonable profit after removal of some eggs in each case that do not come up to top quality standards for various reasons. It can be presumed that many large handlers who buy farm graded eggs find the method satisfactory, for they have not installed central grading with quality control.

When central grading was installed in a plant in this area, most farmers found it satisfactory as far as the cost of grading was concerned. But many have found that the quality control used has given them less income than they received when they packed at the farm.

This has caused considerable unrest. Many farmers feel that if firms using farm packed eggs can pay the full Boston prices, why can't the central grading plant do the same, less the grading charge. The farmers also feel that central grading emphasizes shell quality which actually is not as important as interior quality. After all who eats egg shells?

With this thought in mind, the farmer wonders why a small stain or a slight check should down grade an egg from A to C quality.

Under the central grading system, the farmer takes a beating on eggs checked, cracked or broken in transit. He takes an extra shrink on eggs stored before grading.

I think that farmers as a whole like the idea of in-plant grading and would also be in favor of in-plant washing. This would hold true only if they were paid the full Boston price provided their eggs were at least of average quality.

We will admit that there have been a few farmers who packed eggs of pretty poor quality. But the depression prices of some of the past few years have eliminated most of them.

We have been in a good price period and egg prices are not bad at the present moment. However, there are indications that we may be in for a price squeeze by next fall. Egg payments may be small enough to cut the farmers' net income to near zero or even below.

It does seem as though the efficient egg farmer should receive the full Boston price for his pack regardless of the method of

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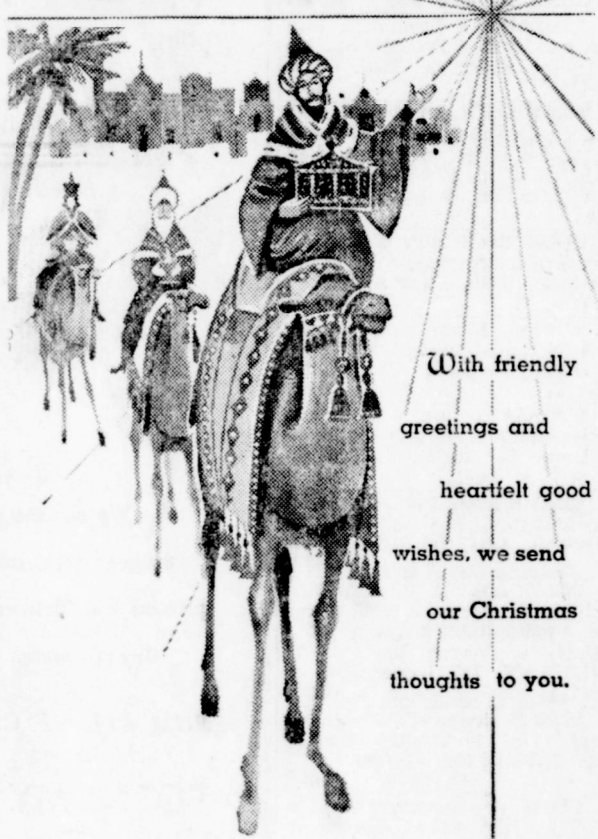
Advent Christian Church

Christmas morning services at grading. Even with that kind of a price he receives little enough for his work. As it works now we actually have a two price system with the man who grades on the farm as the apparent winner.

the Advent Christian Church at Port Clyde begin with the Sunday service at 10 o'clock. Rev. Stanley White will speak on "The Prince of Peace". Sunday School is at 11:10. The Youth Fellowship meeting is at 5:45 Christmas afternoon and will be followed by a musical program at 7. One meeting will be held during the week, the prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7 o'clock.

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FRIENDSHIP

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The ambulance crew of Mrs. Frank Conary, Miss Peggy Jones, Mrs. Albert Roberts and Rev. Everett Pender took Mrs. Nellie Thompson to Knox Hospital on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Lou Baird of Groton, Conn., is spending her Christmas vacation with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman F. Baird.

Miss Leatrice M. Davis of Hartford, Conn., is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell L. Davis.

Church News

The Advent Christian Church will co-operate in carol singing Saturday evening at the Community Tree and then by groups will visit the aged and shut-ins of the town. On Sunday morning Pastor Everett Pender will preach from the subject, "God's Unspeakable Gift." Stillman Haveney will direct the Sunday School at 11:15. In the evening at 7 the Gideons will have charge of the entire service. Russell Neal will plan for special music. The Tuesday service will be in the hands of Rev. William Brusky, a former pastor but now residing in East Norwalk, Conn. Eva Jane Simmons will be the youth leader for the Thursday devotional

service.

Lillian D. Parks of Kennebunkport and Mrs. H. T. Wilson of Malden, Mass., are spending the holidays with their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lawry.

Peggy Jameson, Janet Simmons, Irving Lash, Neil Lash, and Kendall Winchenbach, all students at Gorham State Teachers' College, are spending the holiday vacation with their parents.

Miss Pat Benner, a student at the University of Maine, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Benner.

The Fire Department was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard S. Brown on Thursday for a chimney fire.

Lew J. Wallace is a patient at Knox Hospital.

Miss Laila Cook, a student at Bob Jones University, Greenville, S. C., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elden Cook.

Mrs. Jack Neubig and grandson Jonathan spent Tuesday in Auburn with her daughter, Mrs. John Dillingham.

Lewis Cook, who teaches at McDonough, Maryland, arrived home on Thursday for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Kelwick of Franklin, Mass., spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman F. Baird.

Albert V. Orff returned home from Knox Hospital on Monday.



"Peace on
earth,
good will to
all men" is our
heartfelt prayer at this holy Christmas season.

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UNION

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Peoples Methodist Church will hold a Christmas Eve service Saturday at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Walter Brown will deliver the Christmas message. Special music is planned and at the conclusion of the program a candle-light ceremony given.

Regular service will be held at the church Christmas Sunday at 10:45 a. m. All choirs will render special numbers. Those with poinsettias to be placed in the Sanctuary for the Christmas service in memory of loved ones must notify Rev. Walter Brown.

Orient Chapter, OES, will hold its regular meeting Monday evening, Dec. 26. The Christmas tree and program postponed from last meeting will be held. Refreshment committee is Gladys Cramer, Ethel Creighton and Avis Nichols.

Charlie Danforth is a surgical patient at Knox Hospital, Rockland.

Mrs. Alice Danforth returned home Tuesday from Camden Community Hospital. Mrs. Danforth's daughter, Miss Arlene Clark of Chelsea, Mass., arrived Thursday to visit her mother for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Danforth and children also will be Christmas Day guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Starrett will spend Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Christian Anderson at Sebago Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Demuth and family are to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Demuth in Rockland on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sabin and son will visit relatives in Lynn, Mass., over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Payson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dik Brown and son, all of Worcester, Mass., will be weekend guests of the Curtis Paysons and Philip Morins.

Mr. and Mrs. Berl Nesbit will have as guests over the holidays, Miss Joan Nesbit of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell McCollor.

Arthur Nesbit entered Sisters Hospital, Waterville, Thursday, for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Robbins of Reading, Mass., are guests of Miss Florence Thurston.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Berry and daughter Holly of Kennebunk will be guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Calderwood.

Miss Bernice Carroll of Brockton, Mass., will arrive to visit over Christmas with Mrs. Bessie Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. David Carroll.

Mrs. Helen Cramer left Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cramer and family in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gleason will have as Christmas Day guests, Mrs. Lettie Gleason, Miss Inez Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knopea.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moody will have a family group for dinner and Christmas tree Saturday evening. Invited are Mrs. Florence Calderwood, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Calderwood and family of Rockland and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Calderwood and family of Thomaston.

Mrs. Loretta Rich of Lowell, Mass., will be a visitor over Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Howard.

OWLS HEAD

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Christmas Program

The annual Christmas program of the Owls Head Baptist Church was held Thursday night. The welcome was given by Shelby Ivonen; others taking part in speaking recitations were: Billy Bray, John Walker, David Oakes, James Bray, John Glover, David Ross, Sharon Iott, Kelly Morang, Elaine Lindsey, Joseph Bray, Mark Pulkkinen, and Mike Gustin.

Christmas carols were played by Carl Woodman at the organ. The prayer was given by Rev. Cleaves Henderson. Others giving recitations were: Foster Sullivan, Paul Barnes, Peter Walker, Harold Bray, Brenda Stone, Bonnie Stone, Cheryl Iott, Gail Lindsey, Jerry Entwistle, Kathy Gustin, Patty Painter, Donald Morang, Rodney Painter, Joseph Pulkkinen, Peter Oakes, John Entwistle, David Perry, Alan Pulkkinen, Susan Stone, Thomas Bray, Lesley Stenger, Lucy Dyer, Carol Leadbetter, Karen Barnes, Freddie Walker, Rocky Stenger, Janet Hussey, Helen Perry, Celia Bray, Carol Caravino, Frankie Ross, Janie Oldroyd, Jill Farrell, Linda Bray, Janie Dow, Sada Lindsey and Gwendolyn Blake.

Members of the choir who sang Christmas hymns were: Elizabeth Bray, Anne Walker, Susan Oakes, Robert Walker, Judy Entwistle, Sada Lindsey, Helen Perry, Charles Knight, Billy Bray, Gwendolyn Blake, and Janie Oldroyd. Gifts and candy were distributed by Santa Claus who arrived at the close of the program.

The auto is here to stay, but many motorists aren't.

VINALHAVEN

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94 Years Young

Mrs. Allie Lane, a correspondent for many years for this paper, celebrated her 94th birthday Dec. 20 at the home of her niece, Mrs. Samuel Hilder (Nathalie Smith) in Portland. Although confined to her bed from being lame, Mrs. Lane's mind is very alert, enjoys her television and radio and does considerable reading and writing.

The Nit Wits Club enjoyed a steak dinner on Tuesday evening at the Islander Hotel then proceeded to the home of Mrs. Flora Hatch for a social evening and Christmas party. After an exchange of gifts, lunch was served.

Mrs. Mary Wentworth was a Rockland visitor on Friday.

The Pocahontas Order held its regular meeting in the hall on Main Street on Tuesday evening. Preceding the meeting a delicious supper was served followed by a Christmas party with an exchange of gifts.

Miss Sara Bunker of Ridgefield, N. J., and Miss Betty Dearborn of Meriden, Conn., left by jet plane from Idlewild Airport on Saturday to spend the holidays in Jamaica, British West Indies. Miss Bunker and Miss Dearborn spent their summer vacations in town.

Due to the rough seas and strong winds the boat Everett Libby failed to make her afternoon trip to Rockland Wednesday; the second such storm to hit these parts in five days and again the community tree was blown down (more work for the Lions).

The firemen were called out Saturday night to extinguish a chimney fire at the home of Newman Walls. No major damage.

Aubrey Delano left Saturday for Holden, Mass., where he will spend the holidays with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, (Mildred Delano).

Miss June Tibbets left Tuesday for Rhode Island where she will join her nephew and motor

to Washington, D. C., for the holidays; thence to New York City for the winter.

Through this column, your correspondent would like to thank all those who have

been so helpful and courteous since she has been writing the Vinalhaven news. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



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St. George

The members of St. George Grange at Wiley's Corner held a Christmas party for children in the community Dec. 21 at the Grange Hall. Valerie Hill, lecturer, was in charge of the games. Gifts were exchanged during the evening. The children have had a busy week as a program and party was held for them at the First Baptist Church of St. George, Wiley's Corner the night before. A program was given by the youngsters who then stripped the Christmas tree of its popcorn balls and bags of candy before going home. Friday night, Rev. Vernon Jordan of the St. George Church took a group carolling.

Holiday visitors in the St. George area include Miss Dorothy Jackson, who is the guest of Mrs. Winnie Milne and Miss Ruth Hazelton of Augusta, visiting her mother, Mrs. Ardelle Hazelton of Wiley's Corner. Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Minzy, Jr., are expected to be in town for the holidays after spending several weeks in Aroostook. Their daughter, Janice, has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Clyde Grant of St. George.

Miss Leola Robinson of St. George was on vacation last week from her job at Central Maine Power Co. Also vacationing at home in St. George was Mrs. Marianne Skoglund who works in Waldoboro.



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Cub Scouts of Pack 282 will meet Dec. 30 at the Methodist Church vestry at 7:30 p. m. for their annual Christmas party. Three new cubs will be admitted. They are David Dixon, David Bragg and Gene Dinsmore.

Brownie Troop met Monday at the elementary school for its Christmas party. Mrs. Caroline Barrows was assisted by Mrs. Gladys Savage. The birthday of Rebecca Starbird was observed with a decorated birthday cake made by her mother. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Boy Scout Troop 282 received its commission Tuesday evening at the Lions Club room. Charter members are Robert Hamalainen, Steven Lovejoy, Kenneth Lawton, David Eaton, Bruce McIntosh, Robert Bridges, Steven Miller, Steven Desy, Henry Severance and John Larsen. The first troop meeting will be held Jan. 4 at 7 p. m. at the Lions Club room. Any boy wishing to join may do so at this time.

Students of the University of Maine who are spending the Christmas vacation with their parents are: Charles Crockett, David Pound, Maynard Graffam, Jr., Robert Greene, Steve Goodridge, Dennis Merrill, Shirlene Heath, Nancy Young, Joyce Farmer, Debbie Hanna, Virginia Ulmer and Patti Greene.

West Rockport

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoppe were in Sullivan Sunday. Returning home they were accompanied by Mrs. Hoppe's grandmother of North Sullivan, who will spend the winter with them.

George Starr, Jr., and Richard Salminen, students at Farmington State Teachers College, are at their respective homes for the Christmas vacation.

SOUTH HOPE

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunlop of Winesquam, N. H., made a brief call on Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Taylor Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Pease, Lynne and Mrs. Pease were at the Nathan Pease, Jr., home in East Union recently for the observance of Vickery Pease's second birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Annis of Morristown, N. J., who were called here by the death of his father, James A. Annis, were guests of his sister, Mrs. Hazel Hart. Other callers, who attended the funeral, were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Farnam and son Dick of Billerica, Mass., Mrs. Merle Eaton of Chelmsford, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dickens of Naples, and William Gould of Waldoboro.

Mrs. Annie Pease, Mrs. Ruth Pease and Lynne, and Mrs. Arlene Willis attended the Masonic installation at Union on Thursday night when Nathan Pease was installed as master, and Frank Willis as junior deacon.

Mrs. Michael Mayo of Rockland called on her grandmother, Mrs. Annie Pease, Wednesday.

Visitors at the Pease home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pease and daughter Doris of Rockland, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bridges and son of Rockport, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sprowl and three children of Hope, and Mrs. Evelyn Williams of Pownal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robbins visited Mr. and Mrs. Merle Robbins at Washington, Sunday.

Miss Lynne Pease was the guest of her cousin Doris Pease in Rockland Sunday night and Monday.

Miss Brenda Hart is at home from Ricker College for the holidays.

Mrs. Hazel Hart, Mrs. Jennie Tibbets and Mrs. Gladys Mills were shopping in Augusta Tuesday.

APPLETON

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At the last regular meeting of Golden Rod Rebekah Lodge, the Rebekah degree was exemplified before two candidates, Mrs. Paul Sweetland and Mrs. William Gorman, both of West Appleton. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. Ruby Chaples, Mrs. Grace Ripley and Mrs. Inez Ames.

Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Chaples were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Willis and children, Michael, Pat and Shannon, of Woolwich.

Miss Vanessa Moody is home from Gordon College for the Christmas vacation.

Staff Sergeant Charlie Trask, USAF, Washington, D. C., is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Iva Trask.

Rev. William Pantion is home from Gordon Divinity School for the Christmas vacation.

The Christmas Story...



On that night many years ago, as white stars glittered and angels' voices rang out triumphantly to proclaim his coming, there was born unto mankind, a Saviour. Humble shepherds, gathered in the fields tending their flocks, heard the message and came in haste to visit the babe lying in a manger, and they were filled with joy.

Far to the East, the Wise Men saw the great Star of Bethlehem and they followed it to where the Young Child was, bringing rare and precious gifts in their adoration.

Across the ages, the ever-wonderful story of the birth of Christ inspires mankind with a feeling of new hope. Today, in the spirit of the Holy Season, it is for us to rededicate ourselves to His teachings and humbly pray that the ideal of brotherhood will light the way to a lasting peace in this troubled world.

Let us rejoice in the true meaning of Christmas with sincere reverence and harken to the words of the angel, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."

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