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Waldwick Man Critically Ill After Accident

Thomas K. Ruby, 69 of 10 Brearly Crescent in Waldwick was taken to Valley Hospital Saturday by the Allendale Ambulance following an accident which occurred on E. Allendale Ave. He is in critical condition.

Mr. Ruby's car went out of control in front of the Pfaff residence at 132 E. Allendale Avenue. The car struck a tree and Mr. Ruby suffered a fractured wrist and lacerations of the hand and the left knee. His head also hit the windshield when the car crashed.

Bob Judson and Jack Comley of the ambulance corps attended the case. Officer Frank Parenti investigated the accident and reported that considerable damage was done to Mr. Ruby's car which hit the tree head-on.

SANTA CLAUS AT SCHOOL DECEMBER 23

Santa Claus is coming to town on December 23rd at Brookside School. The occasion is the annual Holiday Observers Christmas party for all children in the borough. The party will start at 7:30 and all the guests will receive Christmas presents and candy from Santa himself.

This annual party is one that the Observers have given for many years and is always looked forward to with maximum interest by all the youngsters in the borough.

GARDEN SHOW WINNERS CITED

Amid holly and red berries pine cones and candles the Allendale Garden Club's Christmas show was successfully staged last weekend at the Epiphany Parish House.

First prize winners included: Mrs. Howard Bellows, Mrs. R. E. Robbins, Mrs. Hans Leon, Mrs. Percy S. Doty, John Doty, Mrs. E. R. DeBeixedon, Mrs. H. E. Ahren, Harry Ahren and Mrs. J. M. Standing.

Winners of second prizes included: Michel Pasquier, Helene Pasquier, Mrs. Howard Bellows, Mrs. J. M. Standing, John Doty, Mrs. S. E. Staines, Mrs. H. E. Ahren, Betty deBeixedon, Mrs. M. Lightweis, Mrs. Michel Pasquier, Mrs. T. B. Dunn and Mrs. R. M. Cunningham.

In the Children's Class winners were Dale Larkin and Mary Elizabeth Hutchinson.

The staging was done by John Doty. Judges for the Christmas included Mrs. J. B. Johnson of Pompton Lakes, Mrs. Chester A. Burt of Park Ridge and Mrs. E. V. Romaine of Ridgewood.

HORSE SICK

Paula Pfister's horse, Buck, is ill with a virus and has had to have the veterinarian three times this week.

MILK JUMPS 1c IN PRICE FOR SCHOOL KIDS

Due to the state wide increase in the price of milk, school milk will go up one cent on Monday morning. The price will be 7 cents a bottle for those who buy milk at school, instead of 6.

The price of the school lunches (25 cents) will not be affected by the increase in milk prices.

The school is sending a note to parents by way of the school when notifying them of the increase. A spokesman for the Board of Education said that the Board regretted having to take this action, but said that there was nothing that could be done in view of the state wide boost in milk prices.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS TUESDAY

Allendale's Unit 204 of the American Legion Auxiliary will meet next on Dec. 15 at the home of Mrs. Fred Hegeman, president.

Mrs. Hegeman and Mrs. William Smith participated in the Auxiliary's Christmas party for veterans at the Veterans Hospital at Castle Point, N. Y., on Dec. 3. Unit 204 sent gifts and magazines to the veterans.

ARCHER CANTATA FEATURES SLIDES

The Choir of Archer Memorial Church under the direction of Mrs. Gilbert E. Nichols will render on Sunday evening Dec. 13th, Dudley Buck's "The Coming of the King." This is a most popular and tuneful Cantata and this year an added feature will make it even more enjoyable. As the Cantata progresses, the story will be highlighted by kodachrome slides of great masterpieces. Many of the World's famous pictures of the Birth of Christ will be thrown on a screen as appropriate background for this outstandingly beautiful music.

Either feature, music or pictures, would provide perfect entertainment; the combination assures everyone of an unsurpassed Christmas Musical Treat. The time is 8 p.m.

Members of the choir participating are Sopranos: Mrs. M. Di Sandre, Mrs. R. Feldman, Mrs. H. Goodrich, Mrs. E. Kershaw, Mrs. C. Mallinson, Miss Jessie Moran, Mrs. E. Webb and Mrs. F. Wright. Altos: Mrs. M. Christopher, Mrs. G. Cory, Mrs. T. Deets, Mrs. G. Higbie, Mrs. J. Kaulfeld and Mrs. J. Witmer. Basses: John Crothers, Edward Hamilton, Charter Mallinson, Frank Meek and John Witmer. Tenors: Myriad Christopher and George Erickson.

VACATION STARTS DECEMBER 23

The Christmas vacation for school children starts Wednesday, Dec. 23 at 1 p.m. and ends at 9 a.m. January 4.

County Blood Bank Drive Needs Boost

The appeal for funds for the county blood bank has met with only limited response, reports Archie Farrell, chairman of the drive. He said he couldn't help but be disappointed in the returns that have been received in answer to a letter which was sent to all residents of the borough.

The letter pointed out that Allendale's quota in the county wide drive is only \$700. This money will be added to funds received from other municipalities to build a blood bank which will insure a ready supply of pure blood, quickly available for transfusion, which could mean the difference between life and death in emergency cases.

Mr. Farrell admitted that the timing of the appeal, just before Christmas, may be responsible for the lack of response. But he said, this would be a good time for people to give to the blood bank as a part of their Christmas giving.

One contribution received by Mr. Farrell gave him great encouragement, however. It came from a resident who wrote that he has known the need for blood and recognizes the great service a blood bank can render a community.

The letter said in part — "I certainly want to be part of the group that help you reach the Allendale quota. Beyond this, I would like to contribute to the blood bank when this phase is established.

"Only too well do I know how important blood was to my wife in her emergency some years back. I would further like to offer my services to you in any capacity that you see fit, in order to help you obtain your objective."

Mr. Farrell asked residents again not to overlook this appeal in the midst of the Christmas rush because Allendale will benefit greatly from this project in the years to come.

XMAS PARTY HELD AT ZANE'S

Twenty members of the American Home Department of the Woman's Club attended the monthly meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. Raymond Zane. Following the refreshments the members exchanged Christmas gifts and a card party followed. Mrs. Zane was assisted by Mrs. F. A. Van Sickle, Mrs. Thorlief Berntsen, Mrs. Jay S. Morris and Mrs. William Previdi, department chairman.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEET NEXT FRIDAY

At the regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Club next Friday, December 18 a Salamagundy Christmas Party will be sponsored by three Club officers. All members are urged to attend and join in the holiday festivities.

Dr. Twichell Resigns; Heads Essex Co. Schools

Dr. William S. Twichell who for the past six years has been superintendent of the Ramsey school system has resigned that position to accept the post of superintendent of schools in Essex County. His resignation, presented to the School Board last week, becomes effective on February 28.

HOLIDAY OBSERVERS PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR KIDS

The Annual Christmas Party as sponsored by the Holiday Observers will be held December 23, 1953 at 7:30 p.m. in the Allendale School Auditorium. All school age children of Allendale are urged to attend to talk to Santa Claus, see Woody Woodpecker and many others in 55 minutes of cartoons, sing carols and receive a box of hard candy.

The Holiday Observers decorated the town as usual last Saturday and Sunday with the help of the Chamber of Commerce. The trees and lights are donated yearly by the Observers as is the electricity for the lights.

The large tree in the center of the plaza was donated by Mr. Edward Hamilton of Allendale and The First National Bank of Allendale and decorated by the Holiday Observers.

The Observers also welcomed Mr. Carol Porter and Mrs. Joe Lichtenburger as members of the organization.

The Holiday Observers will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday and Sunday morning, Dec. 12 and 13 in front of the post office to complete the decorating of the town. The Chamber of Commerce is invited to attend.

Joseph Waldo Griffiths

Mr. Joseph Waldo Griffiths, former Allendale resident, died December 1, at St. Petersburg Florida.

Joseph Waldo Griffiths was born on September 21, 1871 in New York. He married Ella Marie Burtis in Rutherford in 1894 and moved to Allendale in 1900 where he was resident until 1941 when he retired and moved to St. Petersburg, Fla.

He was a descendent of a long line of Baptist preachers and his grandfather conducted the first Sunday school in America which is recognized today by a monument in McDougal St., N. Y. C.

In Allendale he was president of the Board of Education for several years in the early 1900's and clerk of the Vestry, Church of the Epiphany. He was one of the early members of the Allendale Garden Club in its origination.

He is survived by an only son, Burtis Waldo Griffiths who resides in Charlotte, N.C.

A GOOD XMAS PRESENT

A little Girls Christmas can be made happy, by the return of a little red box pocketbook that was lost on Allendale wallet with pictures and other personal details. The owner is

His new post also carries with it that of secretary of the Vocational School Board of Essex County.

Commenting on the resignation which has been accepted with regret by the School Board, Kenneth G. Van Wynon, Board president, said no steps have been taken to replace Dr. Twichell.

The Board, through its president, yesterday issued a statement announcing Dr. Twichell's resignation, part of which is as follows:

Dr. Twichell devoted a large part of his time helping the school board plan for Ramsey's rapidly expanding school population. The dedication of the Tisdale School this fall represented the first phase of this plan. Schools will be on double sessions again next fall and plans for a second school must soon get under way. Dr. Twichell's skill and guidance will be missed in this second phase of the elementary school problem.

"The high school problem faced by the Ramsey Board was coordinated by Dr. Twichell and resulted in the proposal for a regional school for Weckoff, Franklin Lakes and Oakland."

The energetic superintendent was born in Paterson and graduated in 1926 from Montclair Normal School now Montclair Teachers College. He received his doctorate in education from Columbia University in 1951. He was supervising principal of schools of Hopewell Township when called to Ramsey in 1947. He and Mrs. Twichell have two daughters: Molly, a student at Temple University, Philadelphia, and Lynn a student at Syracuse N. Y. University. Both are graduates of Ramsey High School.

Dr. Twichell's father, William S. Twichell Sr. was also an educator and served for many years as principal of a Paterson school before his retirement and subsequent death several years ago.

GARDEN CLUB HOUSE DISPLAY

This year again the Allendale Garden Club will sponsor a Christmas decorating contest among the residents of town. Judging will be grouped into three classes, doorways, windows and entire houses.

Residents wishing to enter the contest are asked to fill out an entry blank at the Post Office.

little Judy Anderson who will be grateful if even the cards and pictures are mailed to her to Schneider Road or phone Allendale 1-3316. Ave., it contained \$6.00 and a

The Lee Library

The Christmas season is here the time for singing, rejoicing, giving and receiving of gifts and general merry making. Everyone is lucky, children are excited, anticipating the coming holiday and the arrival of Santa Claus. The lovely old Christmas carols are heard once again, together with some new songs written for the Christmas season. This is a time for happiness, when families are reunited, children are home from school, gaily decorated doors are flung open to greet old friends and neighbors with warm hospitality. A feeling of peace and good will to all men fills the air.

In all our preoccupation with the outward aspects of the holiday season, let us not lose sight of the fact that, above all Christmas is a religious holiday. It is the birthday of Jesus Christ, who was born in a manger in Bethlehem. It was a humble beginning for a man who never lost his humility in his short life on this earth. Let us each take time out in this busy Christmas season to read the story of the Nativity and to thank God for his priceless gift to the world — Jesus Christ.

his son. Let us give of our plenty to help those less fortunate than we, and help them also to know the true meaning of Christmas.

Here are some suggestions for Christmas reading — "The Story of the Nativity," "A Christmas Carol" and "Christmas Stories by Charles Dickens."

"The Birds Xmas Carol" by Kate D. Wiggins.

"The Other Wise Man" by Henry Van Dyke.

"Thee Miracle on 34th St." by V. Davies.

"While the Angels Sing," by Gladys Carroll.

"Wakefields Course" by Mazo De La Roche.

"Sleigh Bells for Windy Foot," Frances Frost.

"A Tree for Peter" by Kate Seredy.

"Turkey for Xmas," by M. De Angeli.

"A Christmas Garland," by M. Tarrant.

If you are planning to give books for Christmas, we have at the library, carefully selected lists from which you may select a book or books for every member of the family.

Library Hours — Mondays and Fridays, 3:15 to 5:15 - 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Library Closed Christmas Eve
Lee Library will be closed Christmas, Friday December 25th.

Merry Christmas to all.

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5-YEAR-OLD MEETS HOWDY DOODY ON TELEVISION SHOW

"Peachy" Hines, otherwise known as Caroline, age 5, got tapped for a part in a Howdy Doody commercial on last Friday evening's show and performed like a veteran. She and Clarabelle demonstrated Christmas toys to the TV audience, and although her performance was brief, it was memorable.

"Peachy" and her brother David and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hines of Powell Road went to the performance with Mrs. Janet Malley and her four children; Joanne, Chuck, Mary Ann and Dick.

It was while the group from Allendale was waiting in line outside the studio that "Peachy" was asked to take part in the commercial.

MRS. FRANK MC CORD GRADUATES AS NURSES AID

In what proved to be one of the largest Graduating classes of Nurses Aids in this area our own Alice Mc Cord was capped and received her pin of honor as an angel of mercy. Our congratulations to you for a hard job well done. Keep up this fine work.

POWER BLACKOUT STALLS CHRISTMAS LIGHT DISPLAY

Instead of the downtown area being ablaze with Christmas lights and the giant tree aglow with hundreds of brightly colored bulbs, a total blackout was imposed on the business section, until Wednesday evening.

Rockland Electric Company and electrician Everett Braut were hard at work, as were others who helped to put up the Christmas decorations, to try to locate a short in the electric circuit.

Working on the lights was made extremely difficult because the work had to be done after hours in the dark.

Police Chief Robert Wilson expects the installation of two streetlights to be complete by tomorrow. Both had been knocked down some time ago.

Members of Holiday Observers worked diligently last weekend to get the Christmas trees attached to the poles and strung with lights. The big Christmas posters, which belong to the Chamber of Commerce, are in place in front of the Van Houten Real Estate office, on top of the Public Safety office and old Santa himself looks down on the town from the roof of the flat-iron building.

The short circuit which developed in the electrical system was not discovered until

RAMSEYITE PLAYS ANCIENT MUSIC

On Tuesday, December 1, Ramsey High School was entertained by J. Phillips Robertson and his Musical Round-up of 20th Century B.C.

From the time he made a surprise entrance from the rear of the auditorium in full shepherd's regalia, playing his ancient bagpipe, to the time of his exit his program was enjoyable and educational.

Mr. Phillips Robertson developed his hobby while engaged in a Broadway show and carrying on his musical studies.

Some of his unusual instruments were the lute, desert violin, tamboura, horn pipe, jaw bone, ram's horn, and Egyptian harp while others were the flute, oboe, cymbals and timpani.

He also gave an interesting short talk about clothing and traditions during that time.

VISITS OCEAN LINER

Dick Kanning, son of Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Kanning, visiting the new ocean liner S. S. United States, last week as a part of the Bergen Evening Record program for carriers.

The displays were in place. Lack of power was extremely disappointing to the Observers who had counted on lighting up the town last weekend.

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Keep It a Merry Xmas

As we watched truck loads of freshly cut Christmas trees go by we just couldn't help thinking how many tragedies could be averted around this, the most joyful time of the year, if only rules of safety were adhered to. Here are some simple facts to follow.

The United States Forest Products Laboratory of the Department of Agriculture has some helpful suggestions.

If you get a tree early, it's a good idea, the department says, to keep it standing in water—the longer the better before you haul it before the fireplace.

The department also has these recommendations.

Buy a tree that has been recently cut. Slice off the end of the trunk diagonally at least one inch above the original cut end. Stand the tree in a container of water and keep the water level above the cut surface so long as the tree is in the house. If the tree is not to be set up for several days, it should be kept standing in water—in a cool place.

The department says: "If started in time, this treatment not only will prevent the needles from drying out and becoming flammable, but it also will keep them fresh and green." So they won't catch fire.

The government can supply you booklets about how to treat a Christmas tree chemically once you get it by the fireplace. (Just drop a line to U. S. forest products laboratory, Madison, Wisconsin.)

Here are other government suggestions: When you stack a yule tree in a room, take a good look at all electrical connections. There may be an exposed wire. If so, fix it.

Avoid accumulation of combustible decorations on or beneath the tree.

Place the tree so that its accidental burning would not ignite curtains or other combustible furnishings.

Give Your Jewelry a New Look

Does your jewelry have that tired, dingy, end-of-summer look? Perspiration and soil from the skin can cause metal jewelry to turn green, and cords used for bead bracelets and necklaces to become gray and grimy. Your pet jewelry may look so bad, you want to get rid of it.



But don't! Not until you've tried washing it," advises Winifred S. Carter, Procter & Gamble's director of household information. Most jewelry is washable, if you take care. Use a detergent for washing, like Joy, which is a detergent in liquid form. It sudses instantly and is very economical since one bottle cap full makes all the suds you'll need for any type of light washing. Hold your jewelry in your hand, or place it on the wash basin, then scrub it with a soft bristled brush which has been dipped in the suds. Scrub until the discoloration is gone, then rinse in clear water. Pat the rinsed jewelry completely dry with a soft towel. You'll be surprised at its new look.

Mrs. Carter cautions against washing pearls or jewelry set with pasted stones. However, stones set in prongs, like diamond rings will sparkle bright as engagement day after a bath in detergent. Try it and see. (ANS Features)

RAMSEY HIGH SENIOR IN SEMI FINALS TELEVISION CHANNEL 13

Delayne Buch, Ramsey High School senior, will participate in the semi finals of the television program "Junior Town Meeting" Wednesday December 16th at 8 o'clock, on WATV Channel 13.

A recent winner upon the program, Delayne will compete against three other program winners. Each speaker will present a prepared point of view. Following the audience will direct questions at the panelists.

Mimi Knecht will accompany Delayne as an alternate on the program.

WYCKOFF WINS TOUCH FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The Northwest Bergen county Elementary Touch Football League season concluded with Wyckoff winning the crown and Ramsey in runner-up spot.

The League this past fall consisted of the following district Elementary Schools: Allendale, Ramsey, Waldwick, Mahwah, Wyckoff and Franklin Lakes.

Wyckoff, in an undefeated season won all five of its scheduled games. Ramsey in the runner up spot posted four wins against a lone defeat administered by Wyckoff. The score of that game was Wyckoff 19, Ramsey 0.

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MISS J. CHRISTOPHER ON XMAS COMMITTEE AT BEAVER COLLEGE

Jenkintown, Pa. December 4—Santa Claus will visit the Beaver College campus on Monday afternoon, Dec. 14 when the members of the college's YWCA will entertain the children from Christ's Home, Warminster, at a Christmas party.

Forty children, ages 6 to 10, will arrive at Montgomery Hall at 1:00 p.m. for an afternoon of fun and frolic with the Beaver students. Games have been planned for their entertainment and refreshments will be served. Highlight of the afternoon will be the arrival of Santa Claus who will give each child a Christmas gift.

Adelle Bovenkerk, of Glen Rock, is in charge of the arrangements for the party. Committee heads include: Joan Haly, of Upper Darby, Pa., and Patricia Christopher, of Allendale, entertainment; Nancy Hess, of Philadelphia, Pa., and Joan Stoney of Lakewood, refreshments, and Helen MacLeod of Baltimore Md., publicity.

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SCOUTERS DINNER BIG SUCCESS

"Meet the Rising Tide of Boys," was the theme for the annual Scouters Dinner, held by the Ramapo District of the North Bergen County Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of America. This annual affair was held Tuesday evening, December 8th in the Oakland Chateau on Rte. 202 in Oakland, and started at 7 p.m.

A Roast Beef dinner with all the trimmings was the menu. Mr. Dan Laverty of Wyckoff, General Dinner Chairman introduced the guest speaker for the evening Mr. Cesar Bertheau of Mahwah, president of the Hackensack Trust Company and vice president of the North Bergen County Council Inc., B. S. A. Mr. Bertheau selected the subject, "Juvenile Delinquency, How the Boy Scouts of America is coping

with it." Other guests for the evening included the Reverend John K. Highberger of the First Presbyterian Church, Ramsey, the Reverend Highberger delivered the invocation. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Price, Mr. Price is the Scout Executive of the North Bergen County Council, Inc., B. S. A. and Mr. Wallace Hill, Deputy Regional Scout Executive of Region Two.

Mrs. Clark Haydon of Ho-Ho-Kus was the pianist for the evening.

The traditional Tomahawk Award was presented to the community having the highest attendance at the dinner. The Award will then be kept for the next year by the unit in that community having the greatest representation.

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LEGISLATURE ACTS ON UNEMPLOYMENT

The New Jersey Legislature harnessed its emergency powers last week to make \$500,000 immediately available to the Unemployment Compensation Commission to speed up the paying of long overdue benefit claims.

Both houses approved the bill under emergency vote and Governor Driscoll was expected to sign it immediately.

The legislators learned that since mid August, the backlog of unpaid claims has jumped to 65,000.

The situation came about when the Federal government cut back some \$817,985 in operating funds. It meant dismissal of some 500 employees in N. J., about 250 of whom were directly connected with the unemployment compensation benefit program.

Republicans and Democrats

alike gave speedy approval to the bill introduced by Senator Frank W. Sherahin, of Passaic County, Senator Samuel Bodine of Hunterdon, and Senator Bruce Wallace of Camden.

The UCC, under Director Harold G. Hoffman, reported it tried to meet the situation by working its staff overtime, but on Sept. 1 funds ran out and overtime was discontinued. Twelve part time benefit offices in the state were closed, putting three full burden on the 36 permanent offices.

Still heavier claims are coming in the last two weeks of this month the UCC reported.

By rehiring workers and adopting overtime schedule, the UCC can step up its claims by 15,000 a week, it was reported, thus cleaning up the pending cases as rapidly as possible.

STATE CIO WANTS STATE TO CHECK RENT SITUATION

Rents should be reduced wherever the landlord fails to repair or redecorate living quarters within a three year period, the New Jersey State CIO said recently.

The painting decorating provision was fifth in a list of seven regulations submitted by State CIO Counsel Sol Kapelsohn to State Rent Control Director Chester K. Ligham, who had requested CIO suggestions on state rent policies.

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Girl Scouts Notes

Brownie Troop 79
 We are almost finished with our Pot Holders. On Monday we sewed them with green thread.
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Brownie Troop 130
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Troop 50
 On Monday we sang at Archer Hall as scheduled. We learned "I Saw Three Ships" and another Christmas Carol. Last week on Wednesday, ten of our girls went to Saddle River on our Cyclist Badge. This Wednesday we are planning to go around Brookside and Forest Road. We hope it will be another successful trip. Jane Pardew and Bonnie Anderson, Scribes

Senior Girl Scouts
 There was a special meeting on Nov. 30 as we had a guest speaker. Mr. Eddie Downs, a television and radio director. He won the Peabody Award in radio for a soap opera "Through the Storm." He has been associated with Kate Smith, Henry Aldrich Show, all on television and his latest program is "Walk a Mile" on radio. He discussed with us various

phases of radio and television as a career. Acting, script writing, advertising, and technical work were among the topics he informed us on. The interesting subject along with the winning personality of Mr. Downs made the talk thoroughly enjoyable to the troop.

At our Dec. 7 meeting we continued work on our stuffed animals and started some sock dolls for the orphanage. Secret pals were issued to the newer members who did not have them previously.
 Helene Pasquir, Scribe

Boy Scout News

Allendale BSA Troop 59 turned out almost 100 per cent last Saturday morning for a heavy weekend of camping and test passing at Camp NoBe BoSco. There were 33 boys present also 9 adults on hand to provide transportation and supervision. A fine program was directed by Scoutmaster Donald N. Anderson. The program was topped by

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a roaring Council Fire Saturday evening at which time 7 boys who had joined Sept. 1st were invested as tenderfoot scouts. They were John Fallon Dick Olsen, Douglas Yennie, Roy Voorhis, Herbert McCord, Timothy Hughes and George Lott. The Court of Honor, also held that evening presented Gregory Price, Dick Kanning, and Carleton Conklin with their first class badges.

The Kit Carlson Patrol of which Robert Papon is leader, received the weekend at camp free, and had no KP details as a reward for topping the Patrol Sales of Christmas wreaths. The Scoutmaster announced \$750 worth had been sold.

Other weekend activities included a five mile hike, a tour of the camp site in the Daniel Boone area selected by the Troop for its Summer camping activities in 1954. This area has eight large lean-to shelters and one cabin to accommodate the troop.

Assisting Scoutmaster Anderson on the trek were Asst. Scoutmasters J. B. Monaghan, and James Hall, Troop Committee Chairman Norman Kershaw, Explorer Advisor Robert Davis, Committeeman Earl Conklin and the following fathers, Baro Councilman F. McCord, William Indoe and Freeman Winslow.

CONTESTS TO HIGHLIGHT GUILD XMAS PARTY

A Christmas Party will held at Twin Gates on the 17th of December at 8:30 p.m. at the Twin Gates by the Guardian Angel Guild. There will be a corsage contest and all the women of the Parish are invited to attend.

Those attending are asked to bring a wrapped gift for the grab bag.

At the Guild election last week Mrs. P. P. McLaughlin was elected president, succeeding Mrs. William Previdi. Mrs. Walter C. Elschner succeeds Mrs. Nicholas Cleary as vice president. Mrs. Joseph Schulz succeeds Mrs. McLaughlin as corresponding secretary. Mrs. Edward Curtin succeeds Mrs. Albert Scaforo as treasurer.

Mrs. J. E. McGinnis was appointed publicity chairman.

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The Sunday School announces two Christmas services for pupils, parents and friends. There will be a service on Dec. 20 at 7:30 p.m. in which pupils from grades two through high school will participate. The second services will be held at four in the afternoon on the 27th in which pre-kindergarten, kindergarten, and grade one pupils will participate. Both services will be followed by a social hour in the parish house.

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11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Address; Topic: "The Bishops at Williamsburg." Nursery hour in the parish house each week at this hour.

8 p.m. Shortened Evening Prayer and Administration of the Sacrament of the Confirmation by the Rev. Leland Stark, Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Newark.

Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal in the parish house.

Fridays, 4:30 p.m. Young People's Confirmation Class in the parish house, 8 p.m. Adult Inquirer's Class in the Vicarage.

The Rt. Rev. Leland Stark, Bishop Coadjutor of the Episcopal Diocese of Newark, will visit the Church of the Epiphany at 8 p.m. this Sunday for the purpose of confirming a class of 13 young people and five adults, presented by the Vicar, the Rev. B. Hancock. Bishop Stark's visitation

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The Bishop came to the Diocese of Newark from Church of the Epiphany in downtown Washington D. C. He replaced Bishop Ludlow who retired.

There will be a coffee and social hour in the parish house Sunday evening immediately following the Confirmation service.

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Christmas Cantata at 8 p.m. The Chancel Choir under the direction of Mrs. G. Nicholas will present Buck's "The Coming of the King". In addition to the excellent musical interpretation of the Christmas Story, a committee is at work gathering kodachrome slides that will portray the great portion of the story. Thus in art and music we shall have the joy of hearing and seeing the Christmas Story. Everyone is invited to attend Sunday, Dec. 13 at 8 p.m.

9:45 a.m. Sunday School and Class on Churchmanship. 7 to 7:30 p.m. Intermediate Youth Fellowship

Friday (today) 3:30 p.m. Junior Choir, 7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts, 8 p.m. Chancel Choir. Monday Dec. 14, 3 p.m. Brownies and Girl Scouts at the Hall, 8 p.m. Christmas party for WSCS Circles 2, 4 and 6 at the Hall.

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The work is being carried on in Mrs. Staines' basement and a large part of it is being done by the young people of the church, under the direction of Mrs. Craven and Mrs. Staines.

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ILLUSTRATED TALK ON EUROPE

The Education Department met on Tuesday at the home of the chairman, Mrs. B. Perry Hamilton. The group conducted a round table discussion on the United Nations and gave their impressions of their visit to the UN a few weeks ago.

The January Education meeting will feature Mrs. Morris L. Rowen of Ridgewood who will give an illustrated lecture on her recent trip to Europe and England during Coronation month.

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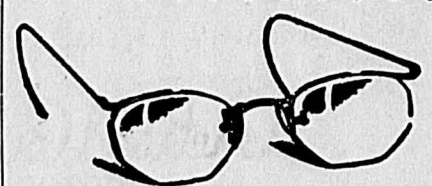
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