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Monday, December 24

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Church, Sunday School Program To Be Friday

The Sunday School Christmas program of the Clarenceville Methodist Church will be a pageant entitled "The Kingdom of The Christ Child." It is to be held in the church Friday night starting at 7:45.

Every department of the Sunday School, along with the four choirs, will present the pageant. The program will bring Santa Claus to the children and there will be treats for them all.

A Watch Night Service will be held Monday, December 31, starting at 8:30 p.m. Motion pictures of people in the church will be shown and refreshments will be served. There will be a candle light communion service at 11 p.m.

Ticket Driver

OTIS E. Puckett of 930 Ladd Road, Wall Lake, was issued a ticket at 3 a.m. Sunday for reckless driving. Farmington police reported Monday. Police stated that Puckett, who was driving with frosted windows, was driving on Grand River Avenue partially on the wrong side of the road for several blocks.

The Department of Defense of the U. S. Government is annually consuming in excess of five million tons of coal.

Meadowbrook Murmurs

By Mrs. Dean Eckert

Everyone, it seems, in Meadowbrook Heights turned into a Frosty the Snowman last week end. Frosted throats and noses greeted our husky telephone voices. Monday morning as we hunted out Christmas time plans. A lot of "no answers", too, even on a sub-zero day like that! Hope that didn't mean sickleheads, but just those last-minute shoppers forgetting the weather.

Despite the downcasted mercury Sunday evening, cars flooded to the Clarenceville Methodist Church to witness "The Life of Christ", a technicolor movie. "Like a trip to the Holy Land 19 centuries ago" whispered through the huge crowd of folks who were grateful they'd braved the weather.

Monday evening, Girl Scouts and Brownies of the Clarenceville Association from all the towns, but warned their hearts caroling about the neighborhood at the start of their Christmas party. Mrs. Santa Claus greeted them at the high school gym where they returned for games, gift exchanging, doughnuts and hot chocolate. The intermediate and high school troops were sent to the evening. New scout hosts for the evening. New president of the Clarenceville Girl Scout Association, we understand, is Mrs. Robert Kidder. She is to replace retiring president Mrs. Vera Hawley, whose "reign" has seen the Clarenceville scouts grow from a small group to over a hundred eager Scouts. During the past year she enlisted successfully the aid of local merchants in backing the Girl Scout activities. Thank you, Mrs. Hawley, from all of your neighbors for your unselfish giving of many, many hours to this wonderful cause.

Seeing their old-home neighborhood on one of the coldest days they could have wished for were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald White, who formerly occupied the present Harold House residence at 2113 1/2 Roosevelt Street. They were dinner guests Sunday of the Maurice Waack family of Scotten Street, and their eleven year old Phillip was plenty glad to spend the day with his old playmate, Billy Waack. Mr. White, a former teacher in the Redford School System, now is superintendent of the Romulus Consolidated School System. Mrs. White also teaches in the Romulus schools. You probably remember her as a well-liked teacher in the Farmington and Clarenceville schools.

Their bags were all packed and their hearts eager for Christmas last year at the holly-trimmed home of the Harold McCagues of 28135 Scotten Street. Then W. John McQuigge, the McCague's brother-in-law, was taken ill and spent three weeks in the hospital instead. So, this Christmas they're following last year's schedule again and Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and nine year old Sharon are hoping to travel from Collingwood, Canada, to our "southern" snowbanks. After their holidays here they will journey on to Daytona Beach, Florida, for a three month sunbake. Mrs. Charles Stimson will accompany them from Collingwood to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. McCague.

Speaking in whispers and sign language for over two weeks, and getting tired of it, are the Robert Watwoods of 2113 1/2 Middlebelt, who have decided against traveling plans for a comfy-cozy Christmas at home with daughter Barbara and "Grandma". Mrs. Archie Wright, Barb was hoping to get her tonsils back in shape in time for her classmates' Christmas party. December, with all the snow she has been wanting, "isn't so much fun any more".

Santa sure "came across" for the Lee Hasleys and he even arrived early at their 29230 Scotten Street home. A long-dreaded-over automatic washer was in his pack for Mom, and Pop found a beautiful brand new car sitting in the driveway. Four-year-old Gary is waiting for Christmas Eve and all he claims he needs from Santa is a "holster". Sounds like his "cowboy stage" has begun. Christmas Eve will be a merry time for the Hasleys with the early part of the evening with her large family at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Barthauer of Detroit. Honored guest will be her young brother Donald, an Army kid who is trading the soft breezes of Hawaii for the Christmas blizzards of Michigan. Hurrying back home, the Hasleys will greet members of Lee's family for a late Christmas Eve supper. The next day they all will meet again at Carleton, Michigan, their traditional Christmas Day meeting place. Hostess is Mrs. Armaida Hoerl, Lee's aunt. Also there will be his mom and brother of Detroit, Mrs. Lena Hasley and Edwin Hasley; and from Plymouth, his sister and family, the Russell Gabels with sons Bruce and Grant.

PLAY CHRISTMAS MUSIC

The singing of carols and Christmas music persons in the area of the Salem Evangelical and Reformed Church have been heard is coming from the church tower. Rev. Carl Schultz, pastor of the Salem Church, stated that the recorded music will be played until Christmas.

Municipal Building To Be Closed Monday

Farmington City offices in the Municipal Building, Farmington Lumber and Coal Company and City of Tupper Lumber Company will be closed Monday, December 24, a city official and spokesman for the businesses reported.

Spokesmen for the Farmington Lumber and Coal Company related that orders for coal placed Friday night will be delivered Saturday. Farmington's City Police station will be open Monday and during the holidays. The drivers' license bureau in the Municipal Building will be closed Monday and Tuesday.

Humecki Promoted To Sergeant In Korea

Nicholas Humecki, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steven N. Humecki, 19415 Angling Road, was recently promoted to sergeant while serving with the 7th Infantry Division in rugged mountain terrain north of the 38th parallel, Army authorities report.

Recognized as the most traveled division in the Far East, the 7th fought its way from Pusan to the Manchurian Border earlier in the war.

Humecki, a squad leader in Company I, entered the Army in April, 1950.

He is a member of the 31st Infantry Regiment.

Seventy bituminous coal mining safety teams from 11 states participated in the National First Aid and Mine Rescue Contest at Columbus, Ohio, in October.

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