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In the Interest of All

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Society will be held on Wednesday, December 6, after the usual by-noon at one o'clock.

On Tuesday evening, December 7, a "Parcel Post Sale" will be held in the social room. This will be a sale of packages each worth ten cents. Come and enjoy the fun.

On Sunday afternoon, December 2, a cake and candy sale will be held in the Sunday School room. The proceeds will be applied to the organ fund.

The first of the cottage prayer meetings to be held weekly during the winter months will be on Friday evening, December 8.

On Sunday morning last Mr. Ketels preached on "Gratitude." The text, "Where are the Nine?" was taken from the story of the ten lepers who were cured; only one of whom returned to give thanks to Jesus for the great boon conferred upon him. All ten possessed the faith necessary for their cleansing, but nine lacked the saving grace of gratitude.

Gratitude is not a gift but a growth. To be grateful we must be humble—acknowledging our obligations. Pride is not compatible with gratitude. True nobility of character is necessary for the growth of this grace. It is expression comes in kindness and gentleness to those who continually are conferring blessings upon us.

The blessings of life are both temporal and spiritual. We are too apt to take for granted the common everyday blessings—the sure mercies of David. We become self complacent; forgetting that "God is the giver of every good and perfect gift."

The greatest spiritual blessings come from life's most troublous times. Even these we should thank God for. In our darkest hours we are drawn into closer communion with them.

His goodness is constant. The physical and material world is full of change—light to darkness—heat to cold—pressure to pain. But "Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning."

Therefore, let us give thanks to our friends, to our loved ones and to the God over all.

WARWICK JAMES PRICE

Mr. Warwick James Price, of Philadelphia, will give the second talk in a series of five on Current Events, at the Club House on Tuesday afternoon, December 5th, at 3 o'clock. Subject, "Recent Phases in the Ball and Moves."

All those who heard Mr. Price in November on the situation in the Far East, China and Japan, will welcome the opportunity of hearing him on another of the serious questions caused by the present war in Europe. Non-clerical members are charged twenty cents.

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINGS

During the winter months, in the homes of the members of the Methodist Church, there will be held weekly meetings for prayer. The homes in which these meetings will be held will be announced from week to week. Their purpose is to increase the spiritual power of the church and to reach those who are outside any church. The first of the series will be on Friday evening, December 2nd. The prayer meeting is the power base of the church.

She was more as she was fair;
None was on earth above her!
As pure in thought as angels are:
To know her was to love her.
—Samuel Rogers.

WOOLMAN SCHOOL NOTES

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A NEW COLLEGE CLUB

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TWO INTERESTING OCCASIONS

Not only have... but all other... recently launched by... Americanization... tent the meeting of the... Associations to be... public school and... on Friday evening, December 8, at 8 o'clock, when Dr. J. F. F... of the National Bureau... will be the speaker... ing an interest in... promises to be... large delegation... planning to take... all are requested to... together in the... will be a roll call to... ous delegations will... ing. Keep the date... The regular meeting... Home and School... come on the second... in December, the... School auditorium, and will be addressed by Dr. F... of Education of Philadelphia... on "Latest Developments in the Vocational School Idea." Two school buildings make a vocational school in Swarthmore possible. Do Swarthmore people want it?

MEETING OF WOMAN'S PEACE PARTY

The Swarthmore Branch of the Woman's Peace Party cordially invites all Swarthmore women to a meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. E. Walter, 403 North Chester Road, on Monday, December 4, at 4.30.

Mrs. Lucy Biddle Lewis, of Lansdowne, will speak on the subject "Woman and War."

Mrs. Lewis attended the Hague Conference in 1915 and she will return to the Hague within a few weeks for active work on the "Woman International Committee for Permanent Peace."

At this meeting a delegate will be appointed to attend the annual meeting of the Woman's Peace Party, which will be held in Washington, December 8 and 9.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

Put Thursday, December 7th, down on your calendar now. It is the afternoon of the conference of the Associated Charities, which will be held in Room 16, Borough Hall, Swarthmore, at 4 P. M. All are invited to come and give their advice.

NOTES FROM FRIENDS' MEETING

There have been several interesting addresses in meeting recently. Dr. Forbush used the topic "Cheer Leader" and called Jesus Christ the greatest "cheer leader." There have been many famous men in our country who have given their cheering qualities for the uplift of others; Lincoln, Gen. Robert E. Lee, etc.

Dr. Bird T. Baldwin spoke upon Religion in the College and the Place of Religion in the World. At our college there are represented 22 different sects. The largest percentage are Friends, but all are there working together in harmony preparing for a broader life work.

Last week Dr. Louis N. Robinson asked what is the use of a church? After giving several arguments which seemed to indicate that churches as a whole were failing in their usefulness, he finished his address by explaining that nothing else was at all worth while if religion was omitted. The social worker, the prison warden, all were better if they were active members of a church. Like St. Paul, we should say, I count all else as refuse—that I might know then the only true God and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent.

The supper given by the Membership Committee on the evening of the 10th was well attended and was very enjoyable. The illustrated lecture by Joseph Elkington upon Japan and China was very interesting. The cake sale held the same night for the benefit of the Friends' Neighborhood Guild, realized nearly \$12.

The Swarthmore Friends' Aid Society will hold its all day meeting at Whittier House on Fourth day, 12th month, 6th. Invite your friends. Come at 10 o'clock and bring box lunch. After lunch a "Useful Article" sale will be held for benefit of Neighborhood Guild, Philadelphia.

LEMION HILL ASSOCIATION

It is rank heresy to sing "Asleep in Jesus" at a funeral," the Rev. James B. Ely told an audience of 1500 persons at the non-sectarian service conducted by the Lemion Hill Association recently in the Garrick Theatre.

Death has no terrors for Dr. Ely. When you die you gain; you become a winner; that is, if you are a Christian.

"No man ever goes to sleep in Jesus," he declared. "It is only then that he is awake—ever living. Mourning people often say of departed friends, 'O what a loss.' This is rank infidelity. It does not honor the memory of the deceased, nor does it glorify God. Christians can never die physically without infinite gain to themselves, to God and to their bereaved friends."

"For the Christian man," Dr. Ely said, "death is like moving from a single room in a narrow street to a large mansion in the country." He added:

"There is not a man in the world but who considers it a gain when he moves from the narrow quarters where he began his business to a larger, more commodious new building. There is not one who hesitates to pass from the old oxcart of days gone by, to the swift-moving automobile."

"Death," Dr. Ely said, "brought about the absence of physical limitation, and," he asked, "will not this be gain?"

"The grave is a very small place, but it is large enough to be the door to limitless regions beyond."

News Notes

COMING EVENTS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2—
Thanksgiving Conference at Woolman School.
Motion Pictures at the Ideal Theatre, Morton.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3—
11 A. M.
Trinity Church, Methodist Episcopal Church and Swarthmore Presbyterian Church.

11:30 A. M.
Friends' Meeting.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4—
3:30 P. M.
Meeting of the Woman's Peace Party at the home of Mrs. William E. Walter.

8 P. M.
Players' Club at the Woman's Club House.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5—
3 P. M.
Mr. Warwick James Price on Current Events at the Woman's Club.

"Jack Horner Pie" at the Presbyterian Church.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6—
10 A. M.
All day meeting of Friends' Aid Society at Whittier House. Box luncheon.

P. M.
Mid-week prayer service at the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7—
Parcel Post Sale at the Methodist Church.
Cake and Candy Sale at the Woman's Club by the Needlework Guild.

4 P. M.
Conference of the Associated Charities, in Room 16, Borough Hall.

I don't mind much 'cause I am small,
But on Thanksgiving Day
I wish that I was six feet tall,
And hollow all the way!
—A. C. H.

Dr. William T. Ellis is being congratulated on his recovery from his recent troublesome ailment.

Miss Fannie Minger, from New York City, is visiting Mrs. John W. Adams.

Rev. and Mrs. George A. Marr held a family Thanksgiving dinner on Thursday.

Rev. Mr. Cooter, president of Washington College, Tennessee, visited Mrs. Margaret M. Barber last week. This college for white mountaineers is one in which Mrs. Barber has been deeply interested for years.

Mrs. Gates, of Vassar Avenue, is recovering from a painful indisposition.

The College swimming pool affords unlimited amusement to the young people of the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hall, of Vermont, who have been visiting in Swarthmore, left for Plainfield, N. J., on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Channell will entertain Mr. and Mrs. A. Warren Grey, of Kennett Square, Mr. Joseph Graham White and family, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Ruth Anna Grey, mother of Mrs. Channell, on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Winter Andrew entertained a number of relatives on Thanksgiving Day.

The Morton-Rutledge Band accompanied the Swarthmore team to Haverford last Saturday.

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News Notes

All orders for Christmas baking must be sent in to Booth's Bakery before 10 o'clock Saturday night, December 23. A special delivery will be made on Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Emmore are taking a trip to Bermuda.

Do your shopping early. Only seven shopping days left before Christmas.

The "News" appreciates all the personal sent in to the office. All friends enjoy reading about each other's doings, and Swarthmore is a very friendly community.

The mother of Mr. E. B. Jones, of Lafayette Avenue, is much improved in health.

The Jack Horner Pie at the Presbyterian Church last week netted the Ladies' Aid Society a comfortable sum. Such entertainments are a distinct benefit to any church, conducive to the spirit of friendliness and sociability among the members, thus deepening the interest in church affairs.

Mrs. Louis Sheenman has the sympathy of her Swarthmore friends in her great bereavement. Within one month her father, mother and mother-in-law passed away.

The beautiful snow has come at last. Now get out your snow shovel or the Burgess will get you.

At the Ideal Theatre, Morton, this Saturday they present Charles Ray in "The Deserter"—a fine military drama that every boy, little or grown up, will want to see.

Mr. C. W. Jones' car goods store at Yale and Chester Road will be closed for a week or ten days.

Lewis Larson's telephone number is 512.

If all the other Swarthmore organizations kept the "News" as well informed about their activities as the churches do, there would be a greater variety of facts and comments in this little home paper.

Mr. E. A. Stockton spent a few days in Washington, D. C. this week.

The high cost of living is being investigated. Now that the government has taken it up, we expect that some of the exorbitant prices will be greatly reduced before long.

Prof. I. Franklin Jameson, Ph.D., LL.D., head of the Department of Historical Research of the Carnegie Institute, Washington, D. C., was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Tuttle last Friday night. Dr. Jameson's daughter, Miss Katrina, is a senior at the Mary Lyon School.

A FINE NORMAL SCHOOL

The West Chester State Normal School is attended by pupils from all sections of this State, and from numbers of other States and territories as well as from foreign countries. When we say this we practically say much more; we say that it is a fine and progressive institution and that its methods and management are of the best. That this is a fact is surely shown by the increasing numbers who avail themselves of the opportunity the school affords them, of laying the foundation in their young lives for the upbuilding of a successful career. Miss Sarah B. Place and Miss Dorothy E. Larned, both of Swarthmore, are named in its list of pupils.

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WILLIAM S. BITTLE

PROF. HAYES' POEMS

(Continued from Page One.) ment lingering alike round venerable cathedrals and the tranquil meeting-houses of the Society of Friends; ocean and clouds, birds and flowers; the charm of the Brandywine meadows; the storied scenes of Pennsylvania; home-love and music and the friendship of books—these are the subjects of my unambitious song, in whose quiet lines I have sought to follow Wordsworth's faith, that "We live by admiration, hope and love."

If no tragedy, no deep passion, inform my pages,—my paths have been rather those of pleasantness and peace. I have found the common daylight sweet, and left to heaven the rest. Unsatisfied by the debate and jargon of modern life, I have found solace in the woods and friendly fields; for

"Tis my dream That best on dawned hills I seek the Master's face,"

More nearly find Him by a sunlit stream."

The volume contains some 500 pages, and includes all the author's books of verse: "The Old-Fashioned Garden," "The Brandywine," "Swarthmore Idylls," verses from Brandywine Days, In Memory of Whittier, Old Quaker Meeting-Houses, Molly Pryce and Roger Morland; besides new Swarthmore Idylls second series, and several hundred Later Poems heretofore unpublished in book form, among them a group, Old Chester County, celebrating the author's native countryside.

COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of Council was held on Thursday, December 7. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Highway Committee.—The committee was authorized to buy two back tires for the borough auto truck. \$200 was appropriated for highway incidentals. Work on South Chester Road was reported finished. Patrolmen Committee.—The borough secretary was authorized to notify property owners on south side of Harvard Avenue, between Vassar and Park Avenues, to raise sidewalk to proper level.

A communication received from Howard B. Green was referred to Public Safety Committee with power to act.

House Committee.—Various bills were reported and vouchers were ordered drawn in payment of the same.

The fine of W. T. Ackerman for building a garage in rear of Prof. Winner's house on Park Avenue, without obtaining a building permit, was reduced \$35, it being his first offense.

The secretary's report was accepted and filed.

Highway Committee.—The committee was empowered to make contract to put Chester Road and Rutgers Avenue in first class condition as authorized by the Springfield Water Company; they to pay the expenses of the same.

Messrs. Pugh and Hubbard were paid \$500 on account of work done on North Chester Road.

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WOMAN'S PEACE PARTY NOTES

(Continued from Page One.) There was a hearty response to the invitation of the Woman's Peace Party to meet at the home of Mrs. William F. Walker on the fifth. Mrs. Lucy Hiddle Lewis, of Lansdowne, told us graphically of that wonderful meeting in the Hague in May, 1915, when twelve hundred women from all parts of the world met to protest against the present inhuman, unchristian way of settling disputes between nations. Mrs. William I. Hull gave an earnest plea that Swarthmore women unite in this work of creating a popular demand for the fairer, saner, more human, more christian way of settling international disputes. In a peculiar way it is woman's place to urge arbitration, for man's chivalry still urges him to try to defend his woman by force. It is for woman to say "I do not wish to be defended by the present unchristian system." The women of Europe do not seem to be defended properly. The Women's Peace Party does not say to a boy "You cannot protect your mother if a wild beast attacks her." It does say "war is not the way to settle disputes between nations."

Mrs. Lydia S. Parry and her sister, Mrs. Anna S. Williams, of Wilmington, were appointed delegates to attend the national meeting in Washington, held December 8, 9, 10.

Mrs. Hull and Mrs. Lewis also attended the meeting.

It was decided to hold meetings of the Swarthmore Branch of the Women's Peace Party to study and discuss topics that help toward the "international mind." Mrs. Fisher Ashton has offered her house for the next meeting, and due notice of the date will be given.

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN!

A motion was made at the last meeting of the Board of Directors of the Swarthmore Publishing Company and unanimously passed as follows: At the expiration of every subscription that the subscriber be notified once a month for three months, and if subscription is not paid by that time the paper will be discontinued.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

of The Swarthmore National Bank, Swarthmore, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the Close of Business on November 17th, 1916.

Table with Resources and Liabilities sections, listing various assets and liabilities with dollar amounts.

Capital stock paid in \$30,000.00; Undivided profits \$28,223.60; Less current expenses and interest reserved for all interest accrued \$2,262.40; Amount reserved for all interest accrued \$2,262.40; Total \$55,703.20.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of November, 1916. ALBERT N. GARRETT, Notary Public. Commission expires January 16, 1917.

A MARVELOUS PRODUCTION

(Continued from Page One.) thing on a more extensive scale, the screen successes in this instance, anything ever done on the speaking stage. The grandeur and impressiveness of the thirteenth century funeral procession replaces the eloquence and description in Shakespeare's own words. The silent drama has made it possible to visualize the ceremonies in which hundreds of persons participated, with its long procession of church dignitaries, attendants, friends, and relatives. Scores of horses are used in the procession, and a modern counterpart of an ancient Italian castle was used for the setting.

All Shakespeare enthusiasts will want to see this wonderful production on December 30, at the Ideal Theatre, Morton.

Just Published, "The Collected Poems" of John Ruskin; "The Little Press" at 30 S. Seventh Street, Philadelphia. (Also an sale in College Bookstores.)

IDEAL THEATRE MORTON

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IDEAL THEATRE MORTON Charles Ray in "The Deserter" Fay Tincher in "Laundry Liz"

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THE COST OF LIVING TO BE DISCUSSED

Everyone Welcome

Monday evening, January 8, the Home and School Association will discuss at its regular meeting the question, "How Can We Best Meet the Present High Cost of Living?" Mr. Peter Hamilton, an active business man of New York City, connected with one of the largest financial institutions, will be the chief speaker of the evening, and will present in his opinion as a practical business man is the best solution of this problem. He will show about 20 slides to illustrate his talk. Other speakers will be on hand and there will be a general discussion. In order that there may be plenty of time for discussion, all are earnestly urged to be in their seats in the High School auditorium promptly at 8 o'clock. As Mr. Hamilton will be the first speaker, late comers will miss the most valuable and important part of the discussion of this most vital question.

All interested in how this question can be solved right here in Swarthmore are cordially invited to attend this meeting, whether members of the Association or not.

DR. PETER ROBERTS AT THE WOMAN'S CLUB

The Swarthmore Woman's Club is fortunate in being able to secure for its educational afternoon on Tuesday, January 9, Dr. Peter Roberts, of New York, author, immigration expert and secretary of the International Young Men's Christian Association. Dr. Roberts knows the anthracite coal situation in this country as no one else does, and has written the only authoritative book upon it. He is called as an expert into consultation with President Roosevelt at the time of the threatened anthracite coal strike, and helped materially.

PROF. PEARSON COMPLETES TOUR OF UNITED STATES

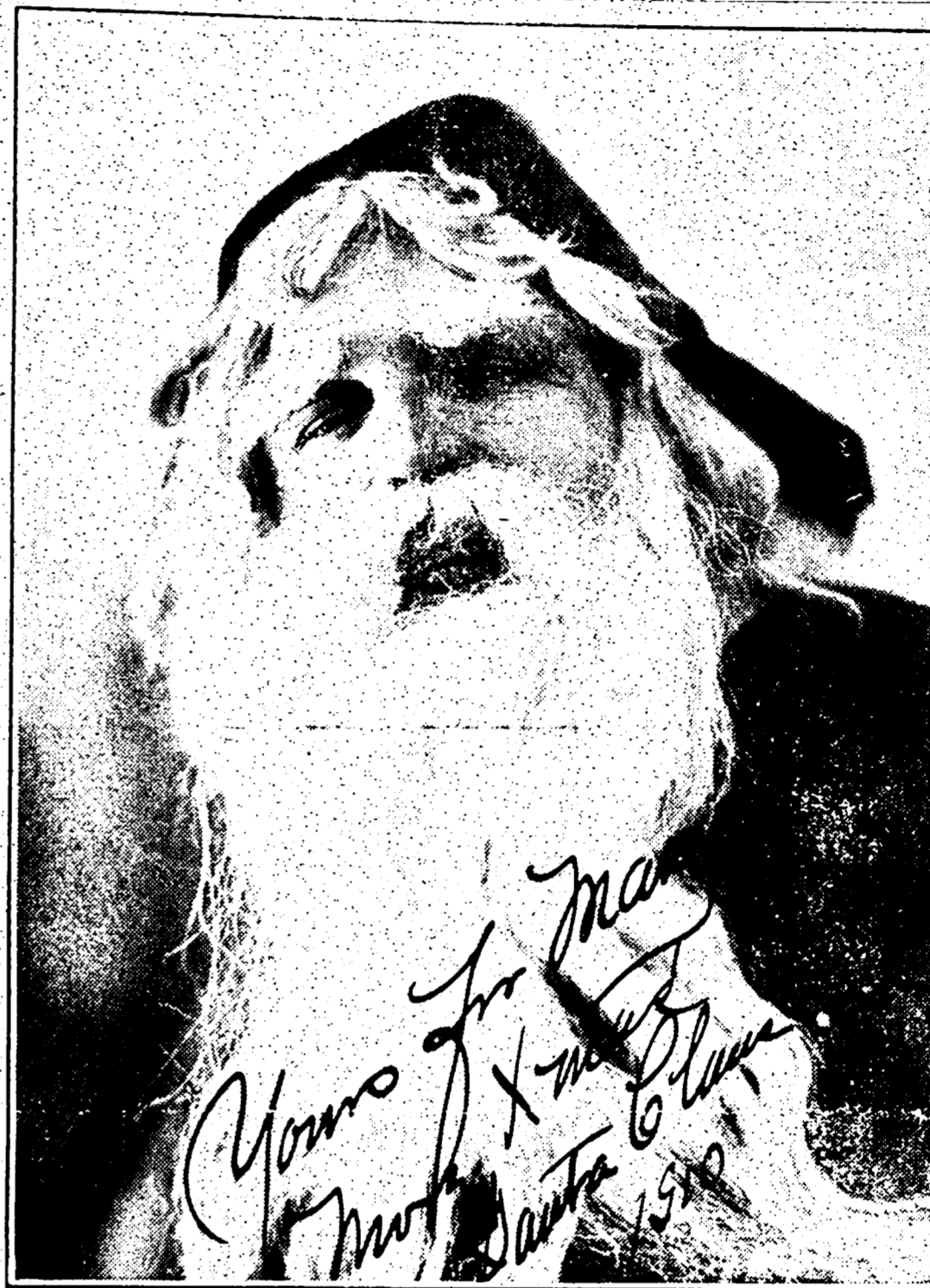
Last Saturday afternoon Professor Paul M. Pearson, head of Swarthmore's public speaking department, started out on a brief lecture tour, and when he returns at the end of the week he will have been in every State in the Union. Some years ago Dr. Pearson discovered that his extended globe-trotting had taken him into every State except Maine. This excursion will complete the forty-eighth, as he held an engagement in Old Town, Maine.

S. P. M.

The S. P. M. held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. John Dolman Wednesday, December 13. The organization, one of the oldest in Swarthmore, whose name stands for Sociability, Philanthropy and Music, is planning a busy winter, making surgical dressings and pillows for hospital trains, to be distributed through the Emergency Aid Committee to the war hospitals abroad.

NOEL

Jeannette Everett Laws has written a charming little play was rendered, entitled "Snow White." The play was dramatized by Constance and Carolyn Hearne and Eleanor and Florence Fouts. Miss Grace and the Christmas spirit pass!



Here's a jolly saint for you
He is coming swiftly, too,
With his dashing reindeer train.

Everywhere his couriers go,
Joyous children, high and low,
Welcome good St. Nick again.

BROWN—SELLERS

At four o'clock on last Monday married to Mr. J. Morton Brown at her home on North Chester Road. There were sixty guests present, work of procuring signers to this. Petition to Legislature. We, the undersigned citizens of Pennsylvania, believing that feeble-mindedness is a serious menace to the welfare of the State, do hereby respectfully petition the General Assembly of 1917 to make liberal provision for the feeble-minded in Pennsylvania.

CIVIC SECTION OF THE WOMAN'S CLUB

This committee has been asked to operate with the Public Mind Association of Pennsylvania in the Tuesday mornings from ten till twelve o'clock, the largest attendance at any one meeting being twelve persons. A sewing machine has been loaned the committee, and a bandage winder machine was donated by Mr. L. S. Clark, of Bryn Mawr, who invented it. By the use of this the bandages may be wound by foot power, as a sewing machine is run. About twenty-five dollars has been donated to buy the gauze cotton and unbleached muslin necessary for the work. Forty bandages of seven yard length have been made, one hundred tampons, twenty-five absorbent pads, ten body binders and various other surgical dressings. They have been taken to the Emergency Aid to be sent to hospitals in France. The date of the next meeting of the committee will be January 2, 1917 when it is hoped many will respond by their presence to the urgent need for these aids to surgery. This is a practical way of helping the wounded soldiers of all the warring countries. Knitted wristlets, scarfs, socks and sweaters are also in great demand and can be done in odd moments at home.

WOMAN'S CLUB

The War Relief Committee of the Woman's Club have had four meetings, held in the Club House, on Tuesday mornings from ten till twelve o'clock, the largest attendance at any one meeting being twelve persons. A sewing machine has been loaned the committee, and a bandage winder machine was donated by Mr. L. S. Clark, of Bryn Mawr, who invented it. By the use of this the bandages may be wound by foot power, as a sewing machine is run. About twenty-five dollars has been donated to buy the gauze cotton and unbleached muslin necessary for the work. Forty bandages of seven yard length have been made, one hundred tampons, twenty-five absorbent pads, ten body binders and various other surgical dressings. They have been taken to the Emergency Aid to be sent to hospitals in France. The date of the next meeting of the committee will be January 2, 1917 when it is hoped many will respond by their presence to the urgent need for these aids to surgery. This is a practical way of helping the wounded soldiers of all the warring countries. Knitted wristlets, scarfs, socks and sweaters are also in great demand and can be done in odd moments at home.

MRS. D. S. LUDLUM, Chairman.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

"The Swarthmore News" will begin the New Year with a new system of book-keeping. You are earnestly requested to co-operate by paying all 1916 bills before January 1, so that we may start out with a clean sheet.

News Notes

COMING EVENTS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22—Motion Pictures at the Ideal, Morton.
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24—11 A. M.—Trinity Church, Methodist Episcopal Church and Swarthmore Presbyterian Church.
12:30 A. M.—Friends' Meeting.
MONDAY, DECEMBER 25—Christmas Day.
Early morning service at Trinity and Presbyterian Churches.
5:30 P. M.—Christmas entertainment at the Presbyterian Church.
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27—Mid-week prayer service at the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches.

Now gentle poets love to sing
About the Christmas bells that ring
"O'er hills and dells,
Ah, while we listen in our homes,
Let's not forget the needy ones,
Who'd rather heed the cheery tones
Of dinner bells."
A. C. H.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. S. Bishop will hold a family reunion on Christmas Day.

Mrs. D. S. Ludlum will entertain a family house party for the holidays. The guests will be a brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Pugh, of Albion, Mich.; two sisters, the Misses Mary and Jane Pugh, of Brooklyn, and two nieces, Miss Beth Thompson and Mrs. Morris K. Parker, of New York. The guests will remain over Sunday and Monday.

At the Ideal Theatre, Morton, on next Wednesday, December 27, they will present that most of photoplays for children or grown-ups, "Little Mary Sunshine," an excellent offering for the holiday week.

Among the Swarthmoreans spending the winter in Philadelphia are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eskine and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wirt.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hodson, of Dickinson Avenue, will entertain Mrs. Rossman Fowler and two children and Mrs. Rae Parker, of New York City, over the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Rossman Fowler is the twin sister of Mrs. Hodson, and bears a striking resemblance to her.

Remember the Gift Shop at the Swarthmore Tea Room. Many useful and beautiful little gifts may be purchased at a very reasonable price. Be sure to get some of those delicious Christmas cookies. Among them you will find litchken, springerle and almond cakes.

The Swarthmore Assembly will hold their second dance on Saturday evening, December 23.

Miss Neva Symes, daughter of Judge Symes, of Mount Vernon, New York, spent the week end with Miss Grace Stockton.

Mrs. Ferris Walton Price, who is spending the winter with Mrs. Albert Thatcher, has issued cards noting that she is open to engagements to teach classes in Parliamentary Law and to give private instruction in the conduct of meetings. Beginning the first of the year, Mrs. Price will teach Parliamentary Law to the Woman's Club of the Ethical Culture Society.

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.
The greetings of the season to all the readers of the Swarthmore News. Our wish for each and everyone is, that the spirit of this glad Christmas time may be extended throughout the whole year and that the writers for this little home paper, and the readers of it may draw closer to each other as they strive to develop the true community spirit.

A CHRISTMAS EPISODE.
A stranger arrived in Swarthmore a few days ago, who was attracted by the brilliant literary lights that abound so plentifully in this select community. After finding a comfortable abiding place, he started out to see the town and ostensibly to do some Christmas shopping. He visited the Swarthmore Tea Room and saw on sale copies of the Swarthmore News. Eagerly scanning the beautiful cover and noting the many Christmas Suggestions, he determined to visit each one of the places advertised. After he had partaken of a delicious luncheon he purchased Christmas Cookies and some of the exquisite little Gifts on display, which he ordered to be sent home immediately. Then he went to the Marot Greenhouses and bought some beautiful Christmas Plants and other Christmas Greens, after which he stopped at Hannum's and purchased Table Specialties and a Christmas Tree. As he walked down Park Avenue he saw Bilton's beautiful Holly Wreaths and ordered a dozen, also a Turkey and many other good things to eat. He next came to the attractive windows of Booth's Bakery, with Santa Claus among all the Christmas Goodies, and longing for the old-time Candy Toys impelled him to enter. When he saw all the delectable dainties he bought Candy Canes, Pop Corn, Huyler's Candy, Plum Pudding and Table Favors, after which he sat down to eat some of their delicious ice cream.

cession there followed selections by Carruso, Eames, Semblich, Melba and many other famous singers. At the request of a bystander many popular airs were played, and then the sweet and old familiar tune of "Silver Threads Among the Gold" wafted out and was followed by "Little Town of Bethlehem." As the melodious sounds ceased the stranger arose as from a dream, but before leaving he placed an order for many of the records heard. Then wending his way to the office of the Swarthmore Building Association he purchased a number of shares of stock and expressed his appreciation of the many advantages of this delightful suburb. Just at this psychological moment Mr. J. F. Taylor came along with one of the new Dodge Motor Cars and offered to show him the town. Gladly accepting the invitation, the stranger was so delighted with the car that he purchased one for his wife's Christmas present. Alighting at the Swarthmore National Bank, he was suddenly reminded of all the money he had saved by buying from the advertisers in the Christmas Cover, so he thereupon deposited his savings in the Christmas Fund. Thus ended the most delightful shopping tour he had ever experienced.

It is believed that bringing the whole school together for a service which will interest all ages and at the same time emphasize the true meaning of Christmas will be an inspiration to all, and will make a delightful break in the day both for scholars and parents.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
The C. E. Society has accepted the request of the County Union to hold its meeting here January 23rd.

The offering for Armenian and Syrian relief and for the war children amounts to \$425.

Mr. Tregoe is the Secretary of Literature of the Woman's Missionary Society to receive subscriptions for all home and foreign missionary work. It is desired that the Assembly Herald, the publication of all the Church Boards, be in every home.

The session has requested the Ladies' Aid Society to have charge of the decorations of the church Christmas Sunday.

Special orders of service have been prepared for the morning sermon which will be "On Earth, Peace." At verses the service will be grouped around Gabriel's Cantata, "The Nativity." The brief address will be upon "Let Us Go Unto Bethlehem." The church will observe the World's Week of Prayer, beginning Sunday, December 31st, and closing Saturday, January 7th, with daily evening services. The other churches of the borough and the Friends are invited to attend these services if they themselves are not observing the week.

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A BIRTHDAY PARTY
Alma and Marion Burgett, of 210 Harvard Avenue, were given a birthday party on last Saturday evening in honor of their birthday anniversary. Their little guests had a delightful time with music and games until they were summoned to the dining room, which was prettily decorated for the occasion. Sandwiches and various fruits were served, cakes, ice cream and candy. After the feast was over there were more good times and all were sorry when eight o'clock came and "good-by" must be said.

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TWO CHRISTMAS POEMS
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And may I have kept in your hearts
And may I have kept in your hearts
This year of Wordsworth's
Love that makes brothers of all men
Love that makes brothers of all men
Love that makes brothers of all men
Love that makes brothers of all men
Love that makes brothers of all men

THE NORTH DAKOTA PLAN OF BIBLE STUDY
Prof. Squires, of the University of North Dakota, describes in the Bible Study in 1917. The plan is as follows: a Bible Study—a good copy of the Bible and New Testament in the original languages and a dictionary.

THE NORTH DAKOTA PLAN OF BIBLE STUDY
When Christmas comes I never mind
Like to get up prompt an' go to school,
An' do my sums,
An' clean the walks 'bout waitin' to the table,
Though I like steddin' better, as a schooler,
An' do my sums,
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An' do my sums,

CHILDREN'S DAY AT THE WOMAN'S CLUB
Stockings and the children in the singing of Christmas carols between the girls of the play. The beautiful scenery was added so much to the garden of forest scenes, was loaned by the Women's Club.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES
The cottage people of the Methodist Church will be held on Friday evening at the home of Mr. Vincent, 1534 Chestnut St. There will be a Christmas and a Christmas service on Sunday morning next.

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WHEN CHRISTMAS COMES
When Christmas comes I don't forget
To give
To give
To give
To give
To give
To give
To give
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PENNSY ISSUES INTERESTING BOOKLET
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ANNUAL MEETING.
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Swarthmore National Bank, Swarthmore, Pa., for the election of Directors, will be held at the banking house in Swarthmore, Pa., on Tuesday, January 9, 1917, between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock P. M.
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News Notes

Mr. Samuel S. Green of Barrow, Florida, has been spending this week with his brother, Mr. Robert P. Green.

Mrs. A. S. Powell would like to find homes for two half grown kittens. Telephone 12-R.

Mrs. Clara Price Newport has issued invitations for a tea on Saturday, the thirtieth of this month, in honor of Mrs. Ferris W. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ashton, of Buffalo, N. Y., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Taber Ashton.

Mrs. Oscar Tyson of Yorkers, N. Y., is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wood.

The Swarthmore Branch of the Needlework Guild of America wish to thank the people of Swarthmore for their response to the plea sent out by the Guild for more garments to be sent in the annual distribution.

On last Tuesday afternoon seven hundred and fifteen garments, all warm and fresh and attractive were collected in the Women's Club House and the following morning were packed and sent to their destinations.

A barrel was sent to the Baby's Hospital, another to the Home Missionary Society, another to the Deaconess Home, while Mr. Charles Smith delivered several boxes of garments to the hospital at Chester, and Miss Helen Ginn selected about half a hundred for the poor around our own neighborhood.

A package was also sent to the Neighborhood Guild and another to Dr. Schell's Hospital in Media. Letters have already been received by the secretary of the Guild thanking for in most heart-felt terms for the much needed garments, and saying that the people of Swarthmore could only see the want and poverty of the homes into which their beautiful clothes go, they would feel repaid a hundred fold for the time and effort which they expended, and realizing they would realize that never before did they create so much happiness with so little outlay of money as trouble.

Next year the Guild hopes to give an opportunity to every family in Swarthmore to have the privilege to contribute to the mission and beautiful charity.

Remember the Special Christmas Baking at Booth's, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stockton and Mrs. Jackson, of 124 Park Avenue, will host home for New Year's Day from 4 to 8 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sellers and their daughter, Florence, of New Haven, Conn., are spending the Christmas vacation with Mrs. Jimmie Poland.

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In the advertisement of "The Collected Poems" of John Russell Hayes in our last issue a mistake was made in the reference to "Biddle Press." It should be Biddle Press.

A subscription to the Swarthmore News will be an acceptable Christmas gift.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stockton are spending a few days in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford have returned from Atlantic City, after a three weeks' sojourn.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Adams will entertain the Five Hundred Club on Thursday evening of next week.

It is seldom that Swarthmore has the good fortune to entertain within its borders in so brief a space as two days, two such able experts in special lines as Mr. Peter Hamilton, of New York City, who speaks here for the Home and School Association, and Dr. Peter Roberts, also of New York, who addresses the Women's Club on the afternoon of the 21st.

"How Can We Best Meet the Present High Cost of Living?" and "How to Americanize the Foreigner" will be respectively the timely subjects discussed.

A Home and School Association was organized at Children Heights last week, Thursday night, by Mrs. E. A. Yarnall.

A number of Swarthmore people have been attending the Little Theatre this week, where Mr. Charles M. Minter has been playing the leading part in Shaw's brilliant comedy, "You Never Can Tell."

Mrs. Herbert Ohys has been on the list of those down with the grippe.

Mrs. Thomas Downs has also been confined to her home this week with the grippe.

Interested our advertisers who are anxious to place their advertising in this attractive Christmas cover.

Mr. and Mrs. Justice Mitchell and their little daughter are spending the holidays with Mr. Robert P. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Bittler have returned to Swarthmore after an extended stay in Virginia.

The Women's Club will hold open house on New Year's Day, Tuesday, and on Wednesday, January 1st, at 8 P. M. All the residents of Swarthmore are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Robert Sheppard, secretary of the High School Alumni Association.

Miss Alma Daniel has charge of the dress courses.

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They went and gave him silks and spices, and of their riches all the nicest.

And so it came this very way, the source of our Christmas Day.

STUART DALTON, Aged 13.

During the rush of the holiday season, when extra clerks and delivery boys were being employed, a grocer received the following order on the telephone from a customer living in the suburbs:

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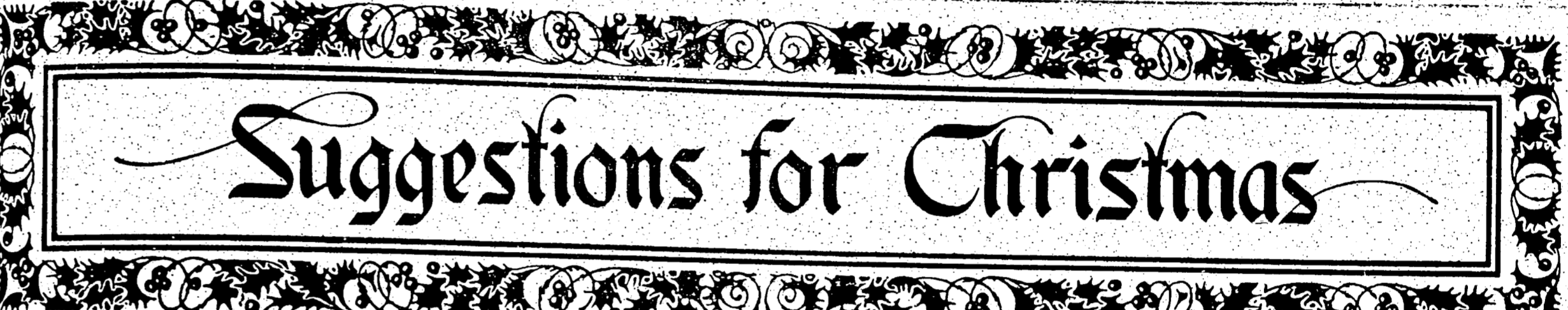
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NEW YEAR COVER

The New Year Cover for the Swarthmore News will be issued on Friday, January 5. On account of ill health it was impossible to complete the cover of this edition.

SWARTHMORE COLLEGE NOTES

Some interesting facts have been gathered from the matriculation records of Swarthmore students. In accordance with the request of the College at the time of entrance, the student body, and usually does, state the religious organization with which he is affiliated. Out of a student body of four hundred and forty-eight this statement was made by four hundred and twenty-four students. The following churches were represented and in the numbers as follows:

Presbyterian	118
Methodist	111
Episcopal	58
Baptist	21
Lutheran	11
Dutch Reformed	11
Congregational	8
Christian	7
Catholic	7
Christian Science	3
Jewish	3
Swedenborgian	2
German Jewish	1
Methodist Protestant	1
United Evangelical	1
Disciples of Christ	1
United Brethren	1
Unitarian	1

424. This statement represents 94.6% of the student body. The remaining students made no statement. The heavy representation of Friends is due to the fact that the College was founded by Friends. It is probable that some of the 5.4% not declaring any church affiliation may be members of churches. Nineteen religious organizations were represented.

COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of Council was held on Thursday evening, December 21. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Highway Committee—Progress was reported on Rutgers Avenue and Chester Road. Contractors Pugh and Hurland were awarded \$700 on account of work on South Chester Road and \$200 on account of work on North Chester Road.

Public Safety Committee—Were awarded \$50 for removing snow, and \$50 for during use of snow plows. Public Property Committee—The tent of Council Chamber and fire quarters were ordered to be paid to the committee. Highway Committee—Various bills were reported and vouchers were drawn on the department of the same. Win. H. Thomas was awarded the contract to furnish horses and men to snow plow over borough side-walks.

W. J. Taylor was appointed Health Officer.

A COMPETENT OFFICIAL

Swarthmore can congratulate itself on having secured the services of a capable and efficient officer of justice. Mr. W. Sweeney, its Chief of Police. Recent events that have transpired in the borough have proved that he is not only awake, but very widely awake, and ready to enforce the law will be acting in the way that they have not only already pervades the world.—North American.

The President and Members of the Woman's Club will keep open house on New Year's Day, and all the citizens of Swarthmore are cordially invited to attend a Reception at the Club House on the afternoon of Monday, January first, from three until six o'clock.

The Members of the Club are trying to revive the good old custom of keeping open house to all their friends on the first day of the year. It is a charming custom full of friendliness and deserves to be honored.

LET SOMETHING GOOD BE SAID

James Whitcomb Riley
When over the fair fame of friend or foe
Of words of dispraise shall fall
Instead
Of words of blame, or proof of thus
and so,
Let something good be said.
Forget not that no fellow-being yet
May fall so low but love may lift
his head,
Even the cheek of shame with tears
wet.
If something good be said,
No generous heart may vainly turn
aside
In ways of sympathy; no soul so
dead
But may awaken strong and glorified,
If something good be said.
And so I charge ye, by the throry
crowns,
And by the cross on which the Sav-
four died,
And by your own souls' hope of fair
renewn,
Let something good be said!

A SWARTHMOREAN RECEIVES HONORABLE PROMOTION

His many friends are congratulating Mr. Carl H. Chaffee upon his recent promotion to the assistant cashiership of the First National Bank of Philadelphia. Mr. Chaffee is regarded in banking circles as one of the most able and promising of the younger banking men, and Swarthmore is proud of this latest tribute to his ability.

MUNSTERBERG'S LAST PUBLIC MESSAGE

The last public message of Professor Munsterberg, contains a vision of "Peace and good will," and in it the writer indicated that he believed such a peace was near. The message was sent to a weekly magazine in New York and made public to-day upon receipt of the news of his death.

"After the war," the message says, "no trace will remain; those who hated men will look one another in the face with astonishment; the spell will be broken. They simply will not believe that they could misjudge and mistreat their friends so grossly. The subtle power of our mind to forget will be made mankind's blessing."
"As soon as peace is obtained we shall keep the peace, not only by the harsh method of enforcing it, but by the hundred times better method of making it natural. And it can become natural because all the scorn of to-day will fall off like the scab of a healing wound."
"Unless all psychological stigmas decrease, as after this war ends, peace will really be lasting—and I feel sure the end of the war is near; the world Christmas tree will be glistening tomorrow; the fragrance of its candles already pervades the world."—North American.

COST OF LIVING CONFERENCE AT HOME AND SCHOOL MEETING

The present high cost of living is a subject that touches the community on all sides, and as such seemed a fitting topic of discussion at a meeting of the two institutions most closely affected; i. e. the home and the school, to be held in the High School auditorium on Monday evening, January 8, at 8 o'clock. Peter Hamilton, Esq., of New York, a well-known business man and financier, will lead the discussion, in which, it is expected, many others will take part. Mr. Hamilton's subject will be "How Can We Best Meet the Present High Cost of Living?" Every one interested, whether or not a member of the Home and School Association, is cordially invited to attend.

CHRISTMAS CAROLLERS

The beautiful old fashion of carol singing in the streets on Christmas eve was observed by a large band of our borough young people, who sang before many homes on the lower side of the town. The hill-folks could not be visited on account of the long distances to be traversed. The young ladies who were instrumental in bringing about a renewal of this time-honored custom are to be congratulated upon the success of their efforts and upon the pleasure they gave to all who heard their sweet voices ringing out upon the still night air, followed in each case by the hearty shout of "Merry Christmas," given by the singers as they went upon their way.

A CHRISTMAS CARD TO A FRIEND

I never crossed your threshold with a grief
But that I went without it,
Never came heart hungry, but you fed
me, eased the blame,
And gave the sorrow solace and relief.

CHRISTMAS TREAT FOR CHILDREN

Through the kindness of the Woman's Club and other friends, the Welfare Club was enabled to gladden the hearts of a number of little children in Swarthmore. A treat, candy and oranges were provided for the colored children, and a family of five white children, whose mother has been an invalid for several years, were overjoyed by the gifts that were showered upon them.

A YULE-TIDE INCIDENT

A fire at the home of Mr. P. L. Mitchell, 248 Vassar Avenue, on Christmas Eve, caused great consternation in that neighborhood; fortunately, the quick response of the firemen with their chemical engine, soon had the flames under control. The fire started in a closet on the second floor where clothing accidentally caught fire. The damages were very slight.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

"The Swarthmore News" will begin the New Year with a new system of bookkeeping. You are earnestly requested to co-operate by paying all 1916 bills before January 1, so that we may start out with a clean sheet.

News Notes

COMING EVENTS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30—"Romeo and Juliet" at the Ideal Theatre, Morton.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31—11 A. M. Trinity Church, Methodist Episcopal Church and Swarthmore Presbyterian Church.
11:30 A. M. Friends' Meeting.

MONDAY, JANUARY 1—New Year's Day, 4 to 6 P. M. Reception at the Woman's Club. Everybody invited.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 2—Schools re-open.
3 P. M. Current Events at the Woman's Club. Lecture by Mr. Warwick James Price.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3—Mid-week prayer service at the Methodist and Presbyterian Church.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4—Council Meeting.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5—All day meeting of the Ladies Aid Society at the Presbyterian Church.

Said Jones, this Christmas tie of mine,
Is one in which I take great stock,
It is so striking, rain or shine,
I use it, as you may divine,
For an alarm clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Willard Norton, of Wellesley Hills, Mass., are spending the holidays with Mrs. Norton's parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Tuttle, 212 Vassar Avenue.

The windows of some of the homes in town were illuminated with burning candles on Christmas eve. The effect was brilliant and beautiful.

Mr. Adolph Verkes is spending his holidays with his parents on Dickinson Avenue.

Miss Schette entertained a large family party at dinner on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery and small daughter Jane spent Christmas with Mrs. Montgomery's mother.

Mrs. Trego and Miss Lillian Trego were entertained on Christmas day by friends in Philadelphia.

Misses Mary and Margaret Henry spent the Christmas holidays at home.

Miss Charlotte Smith, who is attending State College, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Winter Andrew spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Burton, in Bridgeport, Conn.

Miss Jeanette Everett came home from Smith College for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Philip Howard, Jr., enjoyed the Christmas holidays at home.

Miss R. S. Carlton, of Sardin, Miss., spent Christmas with her cousin, Mrs. P. L. Mitchell.

Richard Sutton is the guest of Mrs. S. C. Wisdom, on Vassar Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Way, from Wittington, spent Christmas in Swarthmore.

Dr. George A. Hoadley has been afflicted with la grippe.



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In the 50 Progressive Class, pay \$10 the first week, 15¢ the second week, 15¢ the third week, and so on for 50 weeks, and we will issue you a check or a pass book with credit therein two weeks before Christmas for \$63.75, plus interest. In the 25 Progressive Class, pay \$10 the first week, 15¢ the second week, 15¢ the third week, and so on for 25 weeks, and we will issue you a check or a pass book with credit therein two weeks before Christmas for \$25.50, plus interest. In the 10 Progressive Class, pay \$10 the first week, 15¢ the second week, 15¢ the third week, and so on for 10 weeks, and two weeks before Christmas we will issue you a check or pass book with credit therein for \$12.75, plus interest.

You May Reverse the Order of Payments If You Wish to Do So

For instance, in the 50 Class, going up, the payments start with \$10 and end with \$2.50. If you desire to do so, you may start with \$2.50 the first week and pay, as less every week until the last week's payment, which will be \$10. Other classes decrease in like manner. Or you may take out a card requiring a weekly deposit of \$2.00 each week for fifty weeks, and you will receive a check, or pass book, for \$100, plus interest. Other classes offered are \$3.00 per week, \$4.00 per week, 10¢ per week, and 15¢ per week.

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Can you think of an easier way to provide money for Christmas presents? Join yourself or get everyone in the family to join. Show this to our friends and get them to join.

No Charge to Join and Everybody is Welcome

The Christmas Savings Club is now open to receive members. Call and let us tell you about our plan, and take your membership. Interest is paid to members who make payments during week they are due and those who pay in advance.

JOIN TODAY! Make Your Christmas a Merry One JOIN TODAY!

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The Swarthmore National Bank paid out \$13,000.00 on Christmas Savings Cards. Join the club now (terms) and be one of the happy number next Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Adams celebrated their wedding anniversary Thursday night by entertaining the Five Hundred Club.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stockton and Miss Grace Stockton will receive their friends on New Year's Day from 4 to 8 P. M. No cards.

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Do you know Sweezy? He's all right, he is never caught napping on duty.

Mrs. Clara Price Newport and Miss Isabel Bronk spent this week at Princeton attending the meeting of the Modern Languages Association.

Miss Conley, of Boston, is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis.

The many friends of Mrs. J. Everett Ramsey will be glad to know that she and Miss Gladys Ramsey have returned to Swarthmore for the winter.

Miss Benah R. Green is giving a Christmas party, to-morrow night, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Justice Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Haines have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anne Haines to Mr. Albert Pray Martin, of Easton, Pa. Mr. Martin is an instructor of German at the University of Wisconsin.

Mrs. Franklin Hardcastle, and her family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Ellis and Margaret Anchia Ellis will spend the coming week-end in Boston.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Dennison and Mr. David Dennison are spending the holidays in Michigan.

Miss Gladys C. Hall has been spending several days this week visiting friends in Baltimore.

Regardless of the tremendous rush at the Post Office the mail was distributed with great despatch.

Ralph Stockton is laid up with a grip cold.

The showing of the splendid production, Romeo and Juliet at the Ideal Theatre, Morton, this Saturday, is an event of special interest to those who seek the better form of entertainment. Special attention is called to the seven o'clock starting time, which the length of the program makes necessary. Second showing will be at nine.

Mr. Stanley K. Wilson addressed the Rotary Club of Philadelphia at its December banquet on the subject: "Books as Boomerangs."

The poem "Xmas" by Miss Jeanette Lewis in our last issue was published in the December number of the Indicator.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cochran and sons are spending the week with relatives in New York.

Remember the New Year dinner at the Swarthmore Tea Room. Reserve your table to-day.

**A HAPPY
NEW YEAR**

William S. Bittle

Fine Groceries and Meats

The stated meeting of the Women's Club on the afternoon of January 9th will bring a noted man to Swarthmore, Dr. Peter Roberts, of New York, who will speak on "How to Americanize the Foreigner." It will be well worth while to accept the general invitation given by the club to come and hear him.

Remember the "Romeo and Juliet" picture at the Ideal Theatre, Morton, to-morrow evening.

Mr. Lewis Morris Gray is spending the Christmas holidays at his home on Kestron Avenue under leave of absence from Uncle Sam. Mr. Gray is one of the oldest members in the service of the Department of Justice, a service which takes him into all sections of the United States in the course of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmons returned last week, Tuesday, from a brief but stormy trip to Bermuda.

The Swarthmore News is the best local paper in Swarthmore. Subscribe for it to-day.

LITTLE TALKS ON HEALTH AND HYGIENE

Dr. S. G. Dixon, State Health Commissioner.

BLUE MONDAY

Is it a habit of yours to get out of bed on the wrong foot on Monday morning? Do you start for the office with a frown on your face and a look in your eye that sets the office boy hunting for an errand outside and starts the whole force with a grouch that lasts for the better part of the day?

Salesmen who make us of psychology in their business are very apt to postpone their Monday calls until after lunch. By that time the atmosphere has cleared a little.

When you come to think of it the week's work too often slips off the ways with considerable friction. In office, school and household, if this is not the rule it is of sufficiently frequent occurrence to make the picture familiar to all.

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ANNUAL MEETING

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New Year's Eve

ALFRED TENNYSON

RING out, wild bells, to the wild sky,
The flying cloud, the frosty light;
The year is dying in the night;
Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.

Ring out the old, ring in the new;
Ring, happy bells, across the snow;
The year is going, let him go;
Ring out the false, ring in the true.

Ring out the grief that saps the mind,
For those that here we see no more;
Ring out the feud of rich and poor,
Ring in redress to all mankind.

Ring out a slowly dying cause,
And ancient forms of party strife;
Ring in the nobler modes of life,
With sweeter manners, purer laws.

Ring out false pride in place and blood,
The civic slander and the spite;
Ring in the love of truth and right,
Ring in the common love of good.

Ring out old shapes of foul disease,
Ring out the narrowing lust of gold;
Ring out the throne and wars of old,
Ring in the thousand years of peace.

Ring in the valiant man and free,
The larger heart, the kindlier hand,
Ring out the darkness of the land,
Ring in the Christ that is to be.

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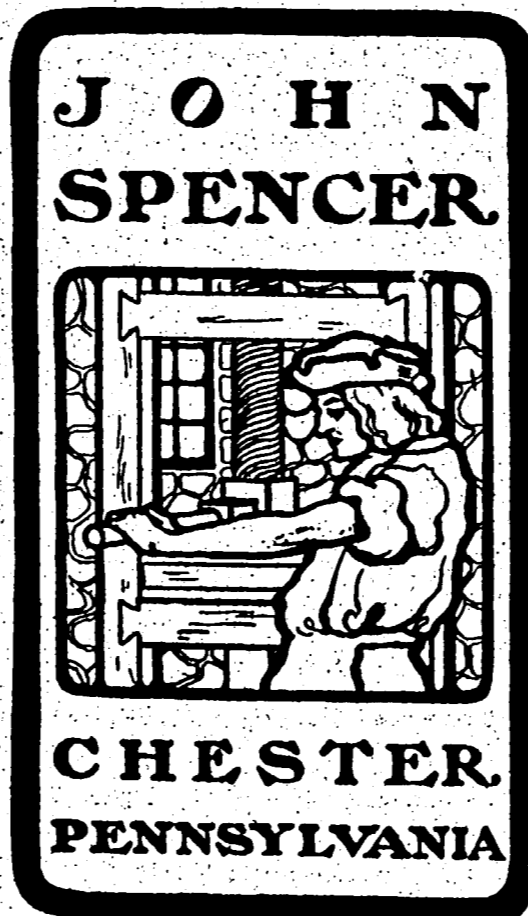
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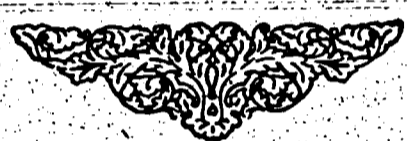
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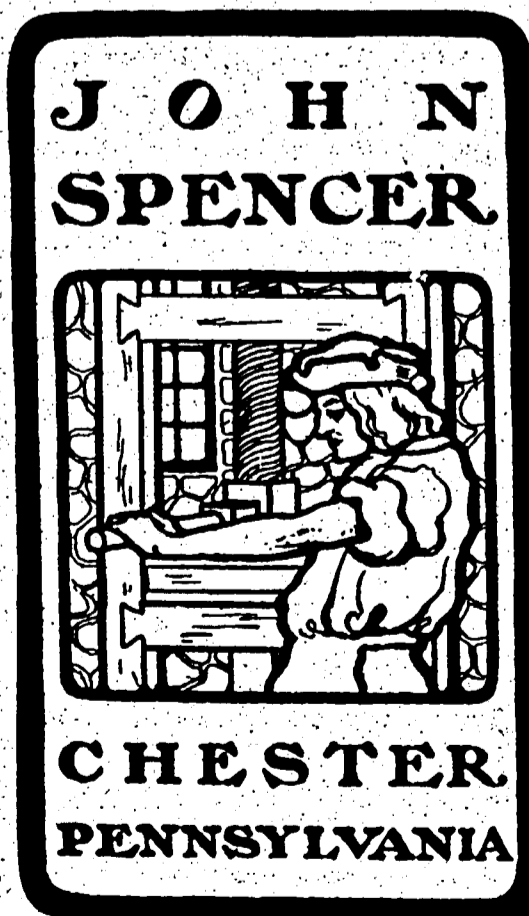
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