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The Christmas Story

LUKE 2:4-18

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David):

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.

And all they that heard it wondered at these things which were told them by the shepherds.

Box of Gifts Goes To York Home—

ATKINSON—Mrs. Joe Roche was hostess to the full membership of the Atkinson extension club at her home Wednesday, December 13. Twenty ladies gathered around the large Christmas tree which was heaped with gifts. These included those from one mystery sister to another and gifts for the box that will be packed for their "adopted" children—members of the children's home at York. Newly-elected officers will take office in January. They are, Mrs. Robert Martens,

president; Mrs. Eli McConnell, vice-president; Mrs. Warren Marr, secretary and treasurer.

Legion Host to 100 Children—

ATKINSON—Nearly 100 little folks and their parents gathered at the Legion club rooms Sunday afternoon for a Christmas party. The occasion was an annual event sponsored by Farley-Tushla post for the benefit of the children of Legionnaires. Guests said the rooms bulged with Christmas atmosphere.

Give The Frontier for Xmas!

The Hope of Men of Good Will



PRAIRIELAND TALK—

Bringing Bit of Sunshine into Dreary Lives Practiced by Group of Lincoln Young Folks

By ROMAINE SAUNDERS

LINCOLN—While visiting a friend, who has been on a bed of affliction for many weeks, a group of young people came in. The object of their visit was to bring to that afflicted one a little cheer in song and violin music.

After a number of selections one of their number, a young man, offered a short prayer to invoke divine care for the sick. With words of cheer and a number of the group grasping the hand of my friend in bed they departed, leaving in that room the radiance of youth who find a greater pleasure in bringing a bit of sunshine into dreary lives than following the giddy round of the social whirl.

They visit jails, the penitentiary, and wherever there are found the lonely shut-ins.

Young man, young woman, do you want a thrill? You will find it in glowing lustre in such service to humanity.

The advice of a 105-year-old grandma over in Omaha is worth more than all the clutter of the highbrows. She says: "Take things as they come and be cheerful." A Hollywood notable not yet 30 is taking his third-mate to divorce court . . . Federal court in Lincoln has under judicial consideration an interstate racehorse deal by and between Nebraskans and Californians . . . The Portland Oregonian, a newspaper that has weathered the vicissitudes of the trade for 100 years, has been sold to New York capitalists for 5-million-dollars. The Oregonian, Seattle Post-Intelligencer and San Francisco Chronicle were for many years the outstanding newspapers of the Pacific coast region . . . Senator Adams, of Lincoln, is talking sales tax, thinking thereby to reach those who "never had a tax receipt." The apartment tenant



Romaine Saunders

Most of the drapery of autumn's gold and crimson so soon fade, like the rose that in the radiant summer sunbeam unfolds its velvet petals and when frost silvers field and meadow its fragrance and color is gone. The days are cold. Across dome above a trail of smoky haze has formed. Leaves so lately sheathed in autumn tints now lie crumpled and brown upon the ground.

A dreary winter is heard among the bare branches as the winds goes sweeping by, a dreary sound where so lately cardinal and thrush poured forth their morning song. Fields that short weeks ago were clothed in sylvan green now lie desolate and bare. Frost has chilled the earth, winter lays a remorseless hand upon prairieland.

And so the ever changing season writes upon the scroll of years the lessons of our lives; budding springtime of childhood, the radiant summer sheen of youth, autumn tints of later years, and autumn fades into snow-crowned days of venerable age.

A national figure in the Sons of the American Revolution, in an address in Lincoln, cracked down on the one-world government idea over which the delegates at Lake Success are wasting time. Patriotic organizations are definitely opposed to what George Washington warned against, "entanglement in foreign alliances." With something like this in view congress takes a hand in the Truman Aflée conference.

If you are an average 70-year-old you have eaten 50 acres of fruits, and vegetables, 26 acres of grain, 2,400 chickens, 150 head of cattle, 251 sheep and 310 pigs, and drank the Elkhorn river dry. Holiday is being observed 71 days during the year. Nebraska and Idaho each can muster eight special days, while Texas has 17 of them.

A patriot down at Wahoo discounts the idea of straightening creek and river channels to control floods, and says it can be done by "retaining water at its source." We invite him up here to see how the pioneers did it when the Elkhorn took a notion to spread out a mile or so. And as the "source" of flood waters on prairieland is the sky overloaded with moisture it would be interesting to know how the gentleman at Wahoo expects to cork up the clouds.

Scientists and educators, statesmen and soldiers, professionals and amateurs, churchmen and agnostics, and most of the rest of us have become shallow in our thinking, occupied with trifles. No outstanding figure in any sphere of human endeavor who is able to throw a hasso over troubled elements and swing them up to a whistling post.

From John Hopkins university in Baltimore comes a call for 1,000 female crickets. A member of the faculty will devote his time and talent to the study of the world shaking problem of the eating habits of lady crickets.

Of the nine seniors of Union college, of Lincoln, whose names will be in this year's "Who's Who of American Colleges and Universities," one is George Kyriakakis, of Heliopolis, Egypt.

A dollar bill survives passing from one pocket to another a period of nine months, when it gets to the scrap heap.

ATKINSON NEWS

A Christmas sack social is planned in school district 76.

Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Hughes and family left Wednesday, December 20, for Woodward, Okla., where they will spend the Christmas holidays with the pastor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E.

Hughes. Frank Murray will have charge of the services at Atkinson and Emmet during their absence. They expect to be gone about 10 days.

Mrs. N. P. McKee was in Omaha Sunday to meet her daughter, Mary Ellen, who will spend Christmas holidays at the home of her parents. Miss McKee is an instructor at the University of Washington, at Pullman.

Guests at the James Kubart home who helped Charles Kubart celebrate his birthday anniversary Sunday, December 19, were; Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Osborne and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gans and daughter, Mary and Clarence Kramer, Clement Groff and Mr. and Mrs. Clement Cleary.

Members of the Avon Shakespeare club held the annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Claude Humphreys Friday, December 16. The hostess served a 1 o'clock luncheon to her guests and the lesson was dispensed with for the holiday meeting. There were 15 members present.

Christmas Dance

Butte Legion Ballroom

Monday, Dec. 25

Leonard Presents

the STARLIGHTERS

FLAVORFUL FOODS FOR FINER FEASTIN'



- STUFFED OLIVES SUPERB. Manzanilla, No. 5, 3-oz. Jar 33c
- GIANT RIPE OLIVES LINDSAY, Buffet Tin 25c
- SWEET PICKLE RELISH GEDNEY, Pint Jar 29c
- SWEET MIXED PICKLES GEDNEY, Pint Jar 34c
- SPICED CRAB APPLES RUSTIC, 16-oz. Jar 21c
- CRANBERRY SAUCE OCEAN SPRAY 2 1-lb. Whole or Strained Tins 29c

Oregon Rasp. 1-Lb. Jar 25c
PRESERVES

Pillsbury's Pkg. PIE CRUST MIX 19c
Flaky Crusts Every Time

Nancy Ann 20-Oz. Loaves EREAD 2 for 29c

GRAND STOCKING FILLER HARD CANDY MIX 25c
Kiddies Love It. 1-Lb. Bag

BUTTERY NUT-FULL PEANUT BRITTLE 25c
M-m-m It's Good, 1-Lb. Bag

DELUXE CHRISTMAS CANDY COCOANUT FLAKE 33c
You'll Want More, 1-lb. Bag

- FRUITS FOR SALADS SUPERB. 16-oz. Can 29c
- SLICED PINEAPPLE SUPERB. No. 3 Can 33c
- SWEET PEAS SUPERB. Large 2 No. 303 Cans 29c
- SWEET POTATOES SUPERB. Whole No. 2 Can 23c
- DATE NUT BREAD DROMEDARY, 4-oz. Tin 19c

FRIDAY TILL FRIDAY
Special
"whambo"
JUMBO THIN SHELL
WALNUTS
39c LB.
THIS ITEM ONLY PRICE GOOD THRU DEC. 28

HOLIDAY FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

LETTUCE, 2 Heads 25c

CARROTS, 2 Bunches 19c

ONIONS and CABBAGE, 3 Lbs. 13c

GRAPES, 2 Lbs. 25c

GRAPEFRUIT, 5 for 23c

SALAD DRESSING SALAD BOWL, Quart Jar 49c

PREMIUM - PURITAN - STAR - HOLIDAY WRAPPED

GIFT HAMS

Butt End, lb. . . 57c
String End, lb. 39c

WHOLE HAM 12 to 14 lbs.

55c
Morrell's Pride Holiday Wrapped GIFT HAMS 8 to 10 LBS. 59c

Star Pork Sausage, 1 lb. roll . . . 33c
Puritan Sliced Bacon, 1 lb. pkg. 49c
Star Braunschweiger, 10-oz. pkg. 39c

MEAT Complete Line of FISH

Swift's Shortening, 3-lb. can . . . 89c PORK LOIN ROASTS Rib End Cuts, lb. 39c Loin End Cuts, lb. 49c Center, lb. 59c

FINE ASSORTMENT OF HOLIDAY POULTRY



- SPRY, 1-lb. can . . . 38c
- LUX TOILET SOAP, bar . . . 8c
- LUX FLAKES, large package . . . 2 for 23c
- RINSO, giant . . . 59c
- BREEZE, large package . . . 2 for 59c
- SURF, giant . . . 59c
- SILVER DUST, giant . . . 60c

59TH ANNUAL FIREMEN'S BALL

ATKINSON, NEBR.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1950

Starting 8:00 P. M.

At Crystal Ballroom

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Merry Christmas



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