

Church News

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
 6th St. & 2nd Ave.
 Sunday:
 11 a.m. Sunday School.
 11 a.m. Church service.
 The public is invited.
 Communion services will be held this Sunday at Christian Science Society-Plattsmouth and also at all Christian Science branch churches and societies throughout the world. The church tenets will be read, and the congregation will be invited to kneel in silent communion.
 The Lesson-Sermon is on "Sacrament," and Bible readings will include this verse from Matthew 5: "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness; for they shall be filled."

CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH
 On the Plattsmouth & Louisville Road
 A. B. Lentz, Pastor
 Sunday:
 9:30 a.m. Sunday school.
 10:30 a.m. Services. Sound film on Detroit Convention forming the new Lutheran Church in America.
 2 p.m. Annual Congregational meeting in church auditorium.

EBENEZER EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH
 Murdock, Nebraska
 Orville W. Matzke, Minister
 Sunday:
 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship; Boys and Girls Fellowship.
 10:30 a.m. Sunday school.
 7:30 p.m. Jr. Hl. and Sr. Hl. "Y" Hour; Adult Bible Study.
 8 p.m. Combined evening worship.
 Monday:
 7:30 p.m. Jr. Hl. Youth Fellowship Business Meeting.
 Wednesday:
 7:30 p.m. Rev. Richard Seen, Missionary to Brazil, will speak. Missionary offering will be received. Fellowship hour in the church parlors follows the sanctuary service.
 Thursday, Jan. 17:
 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

CALLAHAN COMMUNITY CHURCH
 Murdock, Nebr.
 Edmund Neubauer, pastor
 Sunday:
 10 a.m. Sunday school.
 11 a.m. Worship service.
 7:30 p.m., Evening service.
 Wednesday:
 8 p.m. Bible study and prayer meeting.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 North 9th Ave. E Plattsmouth
 Pastor, Gene R. Swim
 Sunday:
 9:30 a.m. Pre-service prayer.
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School Classes for all ages.
 11 a.m. Morning worship.
 6:30 p.m. Christian Training class.
 7:15 p.m. Pre-service prayer time.
 7:30 p.m. Evening service.
 Monday:
 7:30 p.m. Annual business meeting.
 Wednesday:
 7:30 p.m. Bible study and prayer meeting.
 8:30 p.m. Choir practice.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 206 N. 3rd St. Plattsmouth
 The Rev. John D. Allen, Rector
 Sunday:
 7:30 a.m. Holy Communion.
 9:30 a.m. Church school.
 10:30 a.m. Holy communion and sermon.
 Monday:
 6:30 p.m. Annual Parish Meeting preceded by dinner.
 ST. PAUL'S
 United Church of Christ
 5th and Avenue A
 James Stroh, Supply Pastor
 Friday:
 7:30 p.m. Women's Guild business meeting.
 Sunday:
 8:30 a.m. Worship service.
 9:30 a.m. Sunday school.
 Jan. 20:
 6:30 p.m. Covered dish supper with annual congregational meeting following.

SUSPICIOUS DRIVERS
 Wilmington, Ohio — The Chamber of Commerce members decided to give motorists a break while doing their Christmas shopping.
 The meters were covered with hoods in order to allow the shoppers to park free. But some motorists persisted in raising the hoods and feeding coins into the meter.
 Next year the mayor thinks the chamber's program should be given more publicity.

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IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
 3 Miles SW of Louisville on Highway 50
 The Rev. T. H. Vogel, Pastor
 Louisville, Nebraska
 Saturday:
 9 a.m. Saturday School for the parish at Immanuel.
 Sunday:
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School.
 10:30 a.m. Worship service.
 Monday:
 8 p.m. Council Meeting.
 Wednesday:
 8 p.m. Adult Group.

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 2 blocks S. of High School Weeping Water, Nebraska
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 Sunday:
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 Thursday, Jan. 17
 8 p.m. Annual Voter's meeting.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
 Elwin Coolman, Pastor
 Library Auditorium
 Thursday:
 7:15 p.m. Women's Department meet at the home of Mrs. Elwin Coolman.
 Sunday:
 9:45 a.m. Church school.
 11 a.m. Church School.
 Wednesday evening:
 Youth meeting at Council Bluffs Central with Apostle Oakman.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 7th Street and 2nd Ave.
 Robert O. McLeod, Pastor
 Thursday:
 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal in the sanctuary.
 Saturday:
 9:30 a.m. Confirmation Class at the C. E. Building.
 Sunday:
 9:30 a.m. Church school in the Christian Education Building on south Chicago Avenue.
 9:30 a.m. Adult Church school class in the Church Fellowship Room.
 11 a.m. Worship service in the sanctuary.
 6:30 p.m. Martires (couples club) will meet at the Manse for a covered-dish supper. The new officers will be installed. New couples are invited.
 Wednesday:
 6:30 p.m. The annual Congregational and Corporation meeting will convene after a covered dish supper.
 NOTE: The Women's Association Circles will meet on Wednesday, Jan. 23.

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Jordan Opens Bethlehem To Pilgrims at Christmas

A gate in Jerusalem is opened wide at Christmastime to permit pilgrims to pass from Israel into Jordan to worship in Bethlehem.

As the snow flies, it is only five miles south to the place of Christ's birth. The little hilltop town is a magnet for the many Arab Christians living in Israel and for followers of the Protestant, Roman Catholic, Orthodox, and Armenian faiths.

Most of the sites associated with Christ stand in the present-day Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, the National Geographic Society says. These weathered the Arab-Jewish war with little or no damage, and the Jordanian Government has proved to be a careful, diplomatic custodian of places held holy by peoples of various religions. In times of tension, every effort is made to keep the pilgrim routes open.

Through Judean Hills
 The way to Bethlehem winds through the bleak Judean hills. It is crowded before Christmas with visitors hurrying on foot, in cars, taxis, and buses.

As the road nears town, cultivation increases. Terraces rib the hillsides. Bedouin girls follow wheat harvesters to glean grain. The music from shepherds' reed flutes echoes thinly in the crisp air.

Looking eastward over stark wilderness, a traveler can see the deep cleft of the Jordan River and the Dead Sea. Beyond, blue haze hovers over the mountains of Moab.

The valley route would have been warm in winter and easier on Mary than a more direct trail over mountains of the interior. The carpenter and his young wife found Bethlehem stirring dustily with crowds of people and animals. The census decreed by Caesar Augustus was underway, and Judeans like Joseph had to appear in the city of David, whose house and lineage they claimed, to register their households.

Bethlehem was then an insignificant little town, though it had been a caravansary since about 900 B.C. But it did have long to wait for fame. Jesus' birth there in a manger put Bethlehem promptly on the map.

Origin Among Pilgrims
 Pilgrims soon started seeking out the stable-grotto linked to the Nativity. One of the first carefully documented pilgrimages was made about A.D. 238 by Origen, the Greek writer-teacher-church father.

Origen reported: "Everyone in the country knows it, and the pagans will tell again and again to him who cares to hear it, that in the said Jesus whom the Christians admire and adore."
 In A.D. 330, Emperor Constantine built a basilica over the grotto. The church was restored and enlarged in the 8th century, the National Geographic says. Beneath it are many passages and grottos, including the cell where St. Jerome wrote the Vulgate version of the Scriptures. The basilica's towers rise in majesty over present-day Bethlehem whose weathered stone buildings huddle shoulder to shoulder on the crest of a prowlike hill.

Living in Bethlehem are some 19,000 people, mostly Christian Arabs and Semites of Canaanite or Jewish stock. Their dress evokes Bible times, but everything's fairly well up to date in Bethlehem city. There is a thriving Lions Club and a Chamber of Commerce.

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Greenwood

New Year's eve guests at the LeRoy Haertel home were Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hardcock, of Alvo, and New Year's day guests were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Schroeder and family of Talmage and Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damme of Cook.

Friday afternoon coffee guests of Mrs. Gordon Hansen were Mrs. M. R. Hansen and Mrs. Richard Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright and family returned home Saturday, Jan. 5, from a trip of visiting relatives and sightseeing. They visited Mr. Wright's parents at Rialto, Calif., and also his sisters and brother and families. They visited the Disneyland and Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico. Visited Mrs. Wright's sister and family at Dallas, Texas and a nephew at Wichita, Kan.

Thursday afternoon visitor with Mrs. Myrtle Coleman was Frank Coleman of Washington, Kan.

Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brakhaage were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Krieser.

New Year's eve visitors at the Oliver Boller home were Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Boller and family of Ashland. New Year's day visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Boller and Renee of Lincoln. Friday evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Tinnean and LeRoy. Saturday afternoon coffee guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kelm Hansen and Sunday dinner guests were Mrs. Glen Boller and daughter.

Emil Meisinger spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tweton of Omaha and Sunday afternoon with his brother Ed Meisinger of Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hansen had New Year's dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hansen of Valley.

New Year's eve dinner guests at the Gordon Hansen home were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hammer and family of Eagle. Additional evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lloyd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Weideman and Debra left this past week for their home in Goldsboro, North Carolina after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rector, other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Richard Nickels and Christine were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Christensen returned home on Monday after spending the Christmas holidays with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts and Tracy of Dallas, Texas.

Earl Freeman of Avoca was a Sunday afternoon caller of Mrs. Ed Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jensen of Avoca were New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Nielsen.

New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McVay were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Renner and boys of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Renner and Mrs. J. E. Renner.

Mrs. Adam Cook and Mrs. Alberta Allen are spending a few days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook and family in Omaha. A New Year's Eve party was held on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barkhurst to celebrate the birthday of Mr. Barkhurst. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kinton, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Wiles, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Lauritzen, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cherry, Mrs. Alma Berner and Mrs. Ethel Hermann. High score prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Fleming and low score prizes to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jameson. Mrs. Fleming also won the traveling prize. A cooperative lunch was served at the close of the evening of pin-cle.

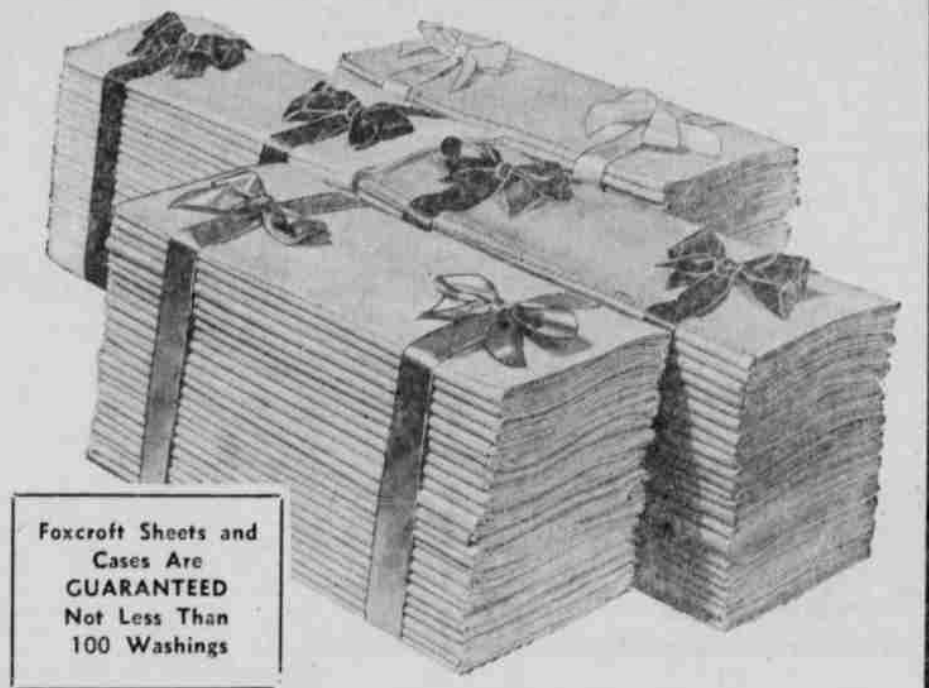
Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Lauritzen, Jr. visited on Monday with Mrs. Peter Olsen at Rest Haven. Mr. and Mrs. Hy Kirchoff attended the 50th wedding anniversary reception on Sunday afternoon for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Michelsen, Sr. They later visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Reckard and Mrs. Peter Olsen at Rest Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Anderson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pulson and children of Omaha were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Frank Pace. Sunday afternoon, lunch and evening were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jewell and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Isaac and boys of Manley.

January WHITE Sale

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