

CHURCHES PLAN OBSERVANCE OF CHRISTMAS DAY

Special Exercises Will Mark Celebration of Birth of Savior.

ELABORATE PROGRAMS

Christmas day will be observed in the Indianapolis churches with special musical programs, Christmas sermons and presentation of Christmas plays.

At St. Paul's Episcopal Church on Christmas eve, 10:30 o'clock, the following carols will be sung: "Joy to the World," "The First Noel," "Good King Wenceslas," "Three Kings of Orient," "I Saw Three Ships," "Silent Night," "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing." The procession will come upon the Midnight Clear. It will be followed by a semi-choral communion. On Christmas day the first service, which will be held at 10 o'clock, will be without choir music. At the regular 10 o'clock service, when the Rev. Lewis Brown, D. D., rector, will preach his Christmas sermon, the following musical numbers will be given: "The Christmas Story," "Silent Night, Holy Night," "The Angels Sing," "Adeste Fideles." The members of the choir are as follows: Miss Mary Homberg, soprano; Mrs. J. J. Voecker, contralto; Edward Holloway, tenor; Oliver I. Hansen, bass; Clarence Carson, choir-master and organist; and Carl J. Sell, assistant organist.

All Saints Cathedral—Christmas day at 7 o'clock and a 10 o'clock service will be held. Bishop Joseph M. Francis will preach a Christmas sermon at 10 o'clock. St. Michael's Church—Christmas eve a special musical program will be given. Under the direction of H. A. Miller, director, the choir will sing the following selections: "Joy to the World," "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," "Silent Night, Holy Night," "The Christmas Story," "The Angels Sing," "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear." Mrs. Fred Patterson is the pianist. The soloists are: H. B. Miller, contralto; Mrs. Irene Brown, pianist. The primary department, under the direction of Miss Ethel Carney, will give a number and the Junior department, directed by Mrs. Mary Henley and Mrs. Eva Aschcraft, will present a play. Northwood Christian Church—Christmas eve the new church building at Central avenue and North Sixth street will be opened with a special Christmas service. "Why the Chimes Rang" will be read by Mrs. Hiram B. Spencer and the choir will sing "The Christmas Story," "Silent Night, Holy Night," "The Angels Sing," "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear." Mrs. Fred Patterson is the pianist.

St. Peter and Paul Cathedral—Christmas eve a Midnight Mass will be held. A musical program will be given by Frances B. Spencer, organist, and Ruth E. Murphy, violinist, assisted by string orchestra. The procession will be conducted by the Rt. Rev. Joseph Chastain, D. D., celebrant; officers of the mass, assisting clergy and acolytes; Ecce Sacerdos Magnus. The mass proper will consist of six movements: "Kyrie Eleison," "Gloria," "Credo," "Sanctus," "Benedictus" and "Agnus Dei."

On Christmas day at 10 o'clock a program of organ and orchestra will be given. High Mass will be held at 10:30 o'clock, which is the same as Midnight Mass, and in the afternoon Pontifical Mass will be held at 4:30 o'clock. The program will include an organ recital and vocal numbers by the male choir, the members of which are as follows: H. E. Calland, George A. Smith, H. P. Hagani, Chris A. O'Connor, T. A. Neale, Elmer A. Steffen, M. G. De Laet, Edward La Shelle. Elmer Anderson Steffen, director.

Sacred Heart Church—The first service of the day will be held at 4:15 a. m. Christmas day, when a procession to the Christ crib will be made with the children singing carols. The first high mass will be held at 8 a. m. The second high mass will be held at 10 o'clock in the morning and a vesper service will be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

St. Mary's Church—The Christmas day services will open with midnight mass Christmas eve, followed by low mass at 8 a. m. The regular high mass will be held at 10:30 a. m., at 3 o'clock in the afternoon vespers will be held. The members of the choir, which will give special selections at the services, are: Soprano, Mrs. Joseph Lauber, Misses Alina Sellmeyer, Edna Buennagel, Lucile Lauber, Misses Gussay, alto, Misses Hilda Rottmann, Ruth Hauser, Henrietta Schuck and Clara Koers; tenor, Messrs. J. Lauber, Albert Berberich and Joseph Lauber; bass, George C. Schmidt and Thomas Keller; librarian, Frank Knochel; organist, Mrs. George E. Schmitt.

St. John's Church—The children's choir, accompanied by the orchestra of the parish, will furnish the singing at music at the 9 o'clock mass on Christmas day. During the mass the following program will be given: "Silent Night," the orchestra; "While Shepherds Watched," "On Judea's Hillside," "Hark! The Angels Sing," "Adeste Fideles," and "Rejoice."

Our Lady of Lourdes—Midnight High Mass will be held Christmas Eve and High Mass also will be held at 8 and 10 o'clock in the morning. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon vespers will be held. The members of the choir which will sing are: Mrs. A. B. Tracy, Mrs. P. J. O'Connor, Mrs. J. A. Reiss, Mrs. William Bright, Mrs. J. A. Eurgason, Misses Hazel Ash, Marion Melzer, Elizabeth Davis, A. B. Tracy, Charles Dougherty, William Stappeler, Fred Flynn, James Critzer and H. H. Robertson, director. The choir will be assisted by William C. Hopper, violin; P. L. Montani, flute; Harry Lamb, tuba; and Mrs. R. L. Jenne, organist.

Holy Cross Choir Selections. Holy Cross—The following persons will take part in the choir selection at the 10 o'clock service: Soprano, Misses Julia Colbert, Mabel Grosz, Genevieve Du Jolito, Mrs. John Schmitt; alto, Misses Frances Conway, Miss Sara Courtney, William Murray; tenor, M. E. Bradley, Joseph Rick, Harold Roy, Jacob Smith, Jr.; George Wren; organist and director, Miss Helen Colbert.

Philip Neri Oratory—The same program will be given at the Midnight Mass Christmas eve and at the high mass Christmas day. The members of the choir who will sing the mass are: Soprano, Misses Lucile Boerig, Cora Stegmann, Mary Moorman, Marian Kennedy, Lela Kennedy, Camille Kennedy, Margaret Corydon, M. Moran, Mrs. E. J. Walpole and Mrs. Charles O'Donnell; alto, Mrs. Carrie Koehler; tenor and Miss Frances Shiel; tenor, Frank O'Brien, Eugene Murphy, T. J. Walpole, E. Gorman; bass, Charles O'Donnell, E. Knaspe; bass, Thomas Healy, Carl Boerig and Harry O'Brien; orchestra, A. Davis, violin; Paul Horan, cello; Lowe, violin; Mr. Keene, clarinet; Maurice Nehlen, saxophone; organist, Mrs. Anna R. Mahoney; director, Frank O. Wilking.

Dry Law Violators Fined and Sentenced

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Society

Founders day will be observed by members of the Kappa Alpha Theta Society, with a luncheon and dance, Jan. 15, in the Riley Room of the Claypool Hotel. Mrs. Laura Pantar is chairman of the dance committee. Mrs. Walter Krull is in charge of the luncheon arrangements and Miss Ruth O'Hair heads the program committee.

Arthur Saperston of North Pennsylvania street, and his guest, John Carriag of Seattle, Wash., will pass the week-end with William M. Hutchison at his home in Brazil.

Mrs. Willard Boite of Irvington, entertained Wednesday with a bridge-luncheon for Mrs. A. G. Barnard, who will go to Minneapolis next week, for permanent residence.

Miss Martha Gault of Muncie, will be the guest of Mrs. Jay A. Craven, 82 North Hawthorne Lane, over the week-end.

Mrs. Joe Brumberg of Buffalo, has come to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Medias, 721 North Delaware street.

Phi chapter of Kappa Alpha Phi held its annual dance Thursday night in the Riley Room of the Claypool Hotel. Christmas decorations were used and several special dances with vari-colored balloons and confetti for favors were featured. Little Babe Meyers, four-year-old daughter of Mrs. E. H. Shiel, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Shiel and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shaw.

Miss Myrtle Pratt, who has been studying voice in Chicago, has come to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pratt, 18 East Thirty-second street.

Members of the Home for Aged Women were entertained by the board of directors Thursday afternoon with an interesting Christmas party. Christmas carols were sung by girls of the Junior Matinee Musical, who were dressed in white ensembles, carrying lighted candles. The remainder of the program included numbers by Miss Eleanor Kirby, reader; Mrs. Alfred Conklin, violinist; accompanied by Mrs. Thomas Baxter and the Harmonic Club Orchestra, which played the "Toy Symphony" (Haydn). A surprise feature of the party was the large gayly illuminated Christmas tree, hung with gifts, which were distributed among the guests.

Miss Mildred Mason of Piquette, Ohio, is the house guest of Miss Gertrude Ziegler, 133 East Thirtieth street, on Sunday evening. Miss Ziegler will receive informally for Miss Mason.

Among the attractive weddings of the Christmas season was that of Miss Catherine Marie Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Beck, and Lieut. Charles David Williams, which was solemnized in Christ Church Thursday. Festoons of laurel, floor baskets of white roses, together with palms, ferns and bay trees, were effectively arranged, making an attractive background, under the glow from tapers set in cathedral candelabra, for the ceremony. The Rt. Rev. Charles David Williams, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Michigan, assisted by the Rev. James D. Stanley of Christ Church, read the service. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Reid Steele sang "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," and "Perfect Love," accompanied by Charles F. Hansen, organist, who played the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin" for the processional. The attendants included Miss Florence Beckett, maid of honor; Allen Brett of Cleveland, best man; Robert Bremer, Howard H. Stanley, Perry C. Leah and Robert Hoexter, ushers. Miss Beckett wore a beautiful frock of Chinese green duchesse satin with an overdress of Brussels lace, a green picture hat, trimmed with steel green ostrich, and her bouquet was a shower of pink bouvardia. The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, William S. Beck, was gowned in an impressive robe of bridal satin, veiled in chiffon, combined with rare old lace. She wore a large white hat trimmed with ostrich and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and sweetheart roses.

The wedding service, a dinner was served to the wedding party in the Claypool Hotel. Lieutenant and Mrs. Williams have gone South, where they will remain several months. Mrs. Williams traveled in a midnight blue satin frock, with seal coat and hat to match.

Miss Marie Meld, who has come from Wisconsin University for the holidays, was the guest of honor at a "600" party given by Miss Ruth Huston, 3653 North Illinois street, Thursday night. Members of the Gamma Phi Delta Sorority composed the guest list of guests. Christmas greens combined with flaming poinsettias were used throughout the rooms with the table appointments and leas carrying out the green and red color scheme. During the evening, gifts were distributed among the guests from a glittering Christmas tree.

Miss Anna Brill, 1918 North Meridian street, has gone to Louisville, Ky., where she will pass the holidays.

The annual Christmas dance of Indiana Gamma chapter of Phi Delta Theta was held in the Hotel Severin last night. A large brilliantly lighted Christmas tree, holly and laurel gave decorative respect to the ballroom. The committee in charge included Frank Osborn, Truman Felt and Walter Shirley.

Anderson Mayor Asks Removal of Screens

Special to The Times. ANDERSON, Ind., Dec. 24.—Mayor Black announced Thursday in City Court that during the Christmas season, city adopt an ordinance compelling soft drink establishments to remove screens from the front of their places of business.

He said the liquor law could not be enforced as long as screens were permitted to hide the nature of the business inside.

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1921 COMMITTEES NAMED BY CLUBS

Federation Head Makes Announcement.

Committees of the Indiana Federation of Clubs for 1921 have been named by Mrs. E. C. Rumpier, president of the State organization.

The chairmen are as follows: Mrs. W. J. Torrance, Evansville, conservation; Mrs. Frank J. Sheehan, Gary, Dunes Park; Mrs. M. P. Hollingsworth, Princeton, waterways; Mrs. Richard Lieber, Indianapolis, forests and forestry; Mrs. Frank Ellis, Logansport, clergy; Prof. Mary Mathews of Purdue University, home, economics and rural life; Dr. Etta Charles, Anderson, public health; Mrs. Philip Zuercher, legislative; Mrs. Allison Fellows Bacon, Evansville, housing and child welfare; Mrs. James Rogers, Logansport, civil service reform and charities; Mrs. Wilmer F. Christian, Indianapolis, industrial and social conditions; Mrs. E. W. Barrett, Muncie, business committees; Mrs. A. W. Roach, Richmond, credentials; Mrs. C. S. Gill, Muncie, elections board; Mrs. Rumpier, Logansport, Indiana, rural schools; Mrs. E. J. Robison, Indianapolis, resolutions; Mrs. O. M. Pittenger, Logansport, extension; Mrs. David Ross, Indianapolis, motion pictures; Mrs. Newman, Columbus, State, education; Mrs. E. K. Montgomery, Shelbyville, cooperative for the blind; Mrs. Rumpier, bulletin; Mrs. Mary Orvis, reciprocity. Educational committees under department of the club include as chairmen: Mrs. Curtis Hodges of Indianapolis, public schools; Mrs. Frank J. Kappes, Vincennes, school patronage; Mrs. A. J. Fieser, Elkhart, school revenue; Mrs. Dalia Hogart, Danville, kindergarten; Mrs. Thomas Stillwell, Anderson, school health; Miss Bertha Latta, Indianapolis, vocational education; Mrs. Albert Newman, Columbus, rural schools; Mrs. Katherine M. Rowland, Crawfordsville, art; Mrs. Elsa Silverstein, Terre Haute, music; Mrs. James Wilson, Wabash, literature; Mrs. Edward Frank, La White, Indianapolis, political science; Mrs. Margaret A. Wade, Anderson, library extension; Mrs. E. W. Barrett, Muncie, history; Mrs. Lillian Berry, Bloomington, Americanization; and Mrs. E. M. Henderson, Indianapolis, thrift.

The legislative council of women of the federation chosen includes the following: Mrs. E. C. Rumpier, Indianapolis; Mrs. Allison Fellows Bacon, Evansville; Mrs. Maude Wilson, Bloomington; Mrs. Walter Bullitt, New Albany; Miss Vida Newman, Columbus; Mrs. U. O. Cox, Terre Haute; Mrs. John Mitchell, Greenfield; Mrs. Ralph E. Kennison, Indianapolis; Mrs. Ella Baggett Keiser, Anderson; Mrs. Sam Mathews, Tipton; Mrs. E. N. Canine, East Chicago; Mrs. James Wilson, Wabash; Mrs. Clara Gilbert, Kendallville; Mrs. Edward Franklin White, Indianapolis; Mrs. Anna Carter, Rockville; Mrs. E. J. Robison, Indianapolis; Mrs. Frank Sheehan, Gary; Mrs. James P. Goodrich, Winchester; Mrs. Mary B. Sharpe, Costello; Mrs. Edward Forger, Indianapolis; Mrs. R. Harry Miller, Indianapolis; Mrs. E. H. Anderson, Mooreville; Alternates—Mrs. Carrie Wilson, Michigan City; Mrs. Wilmer Christian, Indianapolis; Mrs. W. W. Smith, Indianapolis; Mrs. S. M. Grimes, Brazil; Mrs. E. C. Toner, Anderson; Mrs. Curtis Hodges, Indianapolis.

Local fraternal delegates include Mrs. W. W. Woolson, Indiana Historical Society; Mrs. Edward Franklin White, National Municipal League; and Miss Charity Dye, Indiana Historical Conference. Mrs. John Downing Johnson will continue her official capacity as chairman of the Seventh district federation district.

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Ex-Governor's Niece to Testify at Trial

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Miss Irma Louise Flower, a niece of an ex-Governor of New York, will be the principal witness when the case of Theodore Busch, truck driver, held for homicide in the death of Aris P. Campbell, broker, is tried.

Miss Flower said Campbell was driving her to her hotel following a midnight party at a cafe, when, to avoid a truck, he struck a pillar. Busch and Campbell argued as to who was responsible for the mishap, she said, when the next thing she knew Campbell was being lifted into an ambulance with a fractured skull.

3 Killed in Stage Dive

HOOQUAM, Wash., Dec. 24.—Three men are dead and three are in the hospital following an accident in which an automobile stage went into the Humptulips River on a bridge twenty miles north of here today.

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Santa's Sleigh in Need of Wheels

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Santa Claus will have to put his sleigh on wheels, according to the Weather Bureau. Weather reports for Christmas day, issued today, forecast "fair and colder" weather over almost the entire United States, with very little snow.

Snow was predicted for the northern regions of the States bordering the Great Lakes and in northern New England.

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LITTLE THEATER PRESENTS PLAY

'The Star of Bethlehem' Given at Masonic Temple.

Rich, colorful costumes, combined with beautiful scenic effects and effective stage setting, marked the presentation of "The Star of Bethlehem," an arrangement of miracle plays from Coventry and Chester by Prof. Charles Mills Gayley, by the Little Theater Society last night in the Masonic Temple.

The various scenes connected with the birth of the Christ child were staged with artistic dignity, and delightful musical numbers of a quartette, who sang "Yo Olde Tyme" Christmas carols under the direction of Edward La Shelle, off stage, added to the pleasure of the audience. Those singing were Myron Watkins, H. E. Call and Thomas Neale and Mr. La Shelle.

Those taking part in the production included: Mrs. S. T. Bogert, Miss June Gargwin, Miss Marjorie Chiles, Ralph Ballou, Miss Marie Cotter, Theodore Douglas, Miss Louise Douglas, H. L. Earnest, Thomas A. Gallagher, Alexander Hamilton, Miss Dorothy Haynes, Miss Dorothy Hill, H. A. Husman, Paul Iske, Edward La Shelle, Mrs. Edna Morrison, Fred Heckman, Henry Jameson Pierce, Mrs. H. E. Riane, Fritz Schaefer, Mrs. Elizabeth Bogert Schofield, L. Lloyd Wayne, Charles Williams and Richard Young.

On Sunday afternoon a special cast from the Little Theater will present "A Miracle of the Child's Christ," a Christmas play in three scenes, founded on an ancient legend translated by Vernon Lee in the John Heron Art Institute. The players will include Mrs. H. Riane, Mrs. S. T. Bogert, Miss Marjorie Chiles, Mrs. Edna Morrison, Miss Marie Cotter, Mr. R. Adler, Richard Young, Lawrence Neldinger and Mrs. Elizabeth Bogert Schofield. The public is invited to attend.

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ANNUAL PARTY WILL BE GIVEN

Keith's Manager to Entertain Performers Christmas.

The fourth annual dinner party of Bolivar Eggleston, manager of B. F. Keith's theater, to the performers appearing on the Christmas week bill, will be given at 5:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at the Columbia Club. There will be a big dinner and a Christmas tree.

Mr. Eggleston's official invitation to those appearing on the Christmas week bill, is as follows: "To the Artists: The fourth annual Christmas party for those on the bill takes place at the Columbia Club, Dec. 25, at 5:30 p. m.

"In addition to the dinner we'll have a tree, presents 'everything.' 'We want you to be the guests of the theater and enjoy the companionship of your friends.

"We want you to forget you are away from home; enter into the spirit of the occasion and help make our party the brightest day of the year.

The performers are planning to stage a number of stunts and "dope" has it that Emma Carus is going to warble a brand new song during the feast.

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Alhambra DOROTHY DALTON IN "A Romantic Adventuress" Last Times Today and Saturday

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