A CHRISTMAS SERMON

We will have no more messages for you until after Christmas. The great event is only six days off. We are not nearly ready for it, nor are you, we surmise. Few ever are: either with the material gifts or the spiritual awakenings that make Christmas.

It's a wonderful festival, yet it has always been fraught with mystery for us. What can it be that seems to soften the hardest heart on that day? What is the occult power that flits the trace of a smile

and creates the conscience that has declined. lashes him for every ignoble act.

been art or love and life would have with the variation that restraining authority with sufficient emphasis to The buck came down off of Bald been as cold as the poles.

started man to seeking for some of promotion emorement as in the explanation as to when, why, how past. The office to which Mr. adopted this idea in the matter of and it's got horns." The elder Curexplanation as to when, why, how past. The explanation as to when, why, how past. The olice to which the had been made. It was the Woodruff will be named is new and the flexible provision of the Grundy tin was not able to get a good sight gift that started Melchior, Caspar without constitutional sanction. But tariff law and got away with it. of it and while he was shifting and Balthasar following the star it is within the law and no doubt the popular reaction to that achieve view of the deer and shot. One Altona is Aglow with Christmas the piece, it was necessary to allow six that flooded the Judean hills with will provide for the incumbent a liblight on the Christmas eve twenty eral salary and plenty of trouble ment. ngnt on the Christmas eve twenty eral salary and pienty of trouble. The big stick was a potent force party lost no time in bringing the

next Thursday, all was vened in and keen investigator and he will big stick with "soft speech." In State highway right in front of his mystery. Then came Christ, the be a busy man if he fulfills Pinchot's veil was torn asunder and the cause promises. the proof of all that had been wonnouncement lies in the fact that Mr. ployment of that form of persuasion. game protector Thomas G. Mosier. derment before was presented.

Marvel and argue as we will about Christmas, the very word is radiant with holiness. No matter how low and mean we might have been at other times during the year then we are at our best. It is the miracle season for love reborn. And why? Commonwealth, traditionly the prem-Account for it, if you can, in other way than that the God-given soul within us, subconsciously or "Peace on Earth and Good Will toward Men."

Laugh clown, laugh at our preachment. But listen to this: No matter who you are: how vile, how scoffing, how humble, how rich, next Thursday you will do something-just do at any other season. It might organizing the Legislature. That is features. There were no verbal nor he only a pleasant word. It might be a smile that flicks a sullen face. You'll do it and it will be God's Senators Resent Hoover's Aspersions hand that makes you do it.

You might not admit it. If you don't, hunt for another explanation as to why you do things on Christmas day that you rarely do at other times.

such reaction to it other than the gold, and frankincense and myrrh that were carried to the manger in the hands of such politions. The route and not a trace has been found of the outdoor Christmas lighting efficus. Altoona will be illuminated him from that day to the present. It is and not a trace has been found of the outdoor Christmas lighting efficus. Altoona will be illuminated him from that day to the present. It is and not a trace has been found of the outdoor Christmas lighting efficus. Altoona will be illuminated him from that day to the present. It is and not a trace has been found of the outdoor Christmas lighting efficus. Altoona will be illuminated him from that day to the present. There has always been a suspicion each day from 4:30 to 11 o'clock. Christmas is the season of giving. that were carried to the manger in strument in the hands of such polit- to the Gamble mill and also that a the Little Town of Bethlehem many, world with hope and it went in thanksgiving and praise for the gift of His Son.

The ologias might smile indulgently, others might tap their heads, but our concept of the universality of the christmas spirit is really the took to "crash the gate" of the \$5249.47 in the water fund. The rewas found. exemplification of experimental relig-

Santa Claus myth that made us happy as children when Christmas came, misery." Yet he has done nothing for a contribution toward the exour hearts didn't die when we discovered that the jolly old elf was only a fantasy. Oh, no! It came into its own with the materity of has been playing for a re-election, reason, to ask you and me just Near the close of the last regular B. Shattuck had been in Bellefonte next Thursday. We are all eager got away with it. But it looks as of the reservoir, and will prepare for the day. Eager, because we want if he has overplayed his hand this several sets of tentative plans for to then exemplify the spirit of time. "Peace on Earth and Good Will

toward Men." . Account for this spirit in any way you like, but you can't explain it in any other way than that God gave you a soul and his Son's coming revealed it to you.

It's only a little journey From the dawn to the sunset of life Let's try to make it a pleasant one And ban all the discord and strife.

It's only a little chasm, That reparates friend from foe Let's bridge it and be happy As on the same journey we go.

It's only a little distance To the home of some one, forlorn, Let's all find time to go there With gifts on Christmas morn.



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Mr. Pinchot's New Cabinet.

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The Governor-elect has removed A break of some kind between the the veil of secrecy concerning his President and the leaders of his when they meet on Christmas? cabinet in part, at least. In an an-party in the Senate was inevitable, committed to the Centre county jail, Why is it that every one who has a nouncement, issued the other day, For months their lines of action last Saturday, by justice of the home wants to be there then more he names Clyde L. King, of Chester have been diverging. The Senators peace E. T. Haynes, of Snow Shoe, than at any other time of the year? county, for Secretary of Revenue, have been patient, even indulgent for a period of 132 days for two All of these questions have prob- William A. Schnader, of Philadel- from the beginning. Hoover's in- violations of the game laws. Mr. ably haunted your mind as they have phia, as Attorney General; George experience in public affairs, his pre-Stark was captain of a hunting ours. Have you ever tried to an- W. Woodruff as a special counsel to dilection to pass the buck and his party in the mountains near Snow ours. Have you ever then to all w. woodrun as a special counsel to uncertain to party in the mountains hear of and the very loop of the curtain, swer them for yourself? It isn't a hold utility corporations in line, and evasion of responsibility have creat. Shoe and did not have a roster of And the very loop of the curtain, P. Stephen Stahlnecker, as secretary ed sympathy rather than censure of his party. For this he was There is a soul in every human to the Governor. These are all practical and experienced men. So fined \$25 and costs of \$3.00. He being. The soul was God's gift to old associates of the Governor-elect. long as he referred all important was also caught standing on watch man when He created him. It is the Mr. Woodruff was Attorney General matters to commissions and finally after he had killed his deer for which "little something" within us that is during his first term, Mr. King was yielded completely, as he did in he was fined \$100 and costs of \$4.00. eternally trying to speak with our Secretary of the Commonwealth and signing a tariff bill he detested, the As he did not have the money to pay tongue, to think with our mind, to Mr. Schnader assistant Attorney party leaders in the Senate, though his fines he was committed to jail work with our hands. Some under- General. It is said that Ellen G. disappointed, were not publicly for a period of 132 days. stand what it is; others don't and Potter was invited to assume her critical. however, in every human, whether but because her public berth in New complaint. Many of his nomina- years old in November, shot his agnostic. It is the God in man that a higher salary than the one offered versive of party harmony, and urday afternoon. He and his younghe be Jew or Gentile, heathen or Jersey is very congenial and carries inspires every noble thing he does her by Governor-elect Pinchot, she

Without it there might have Mr. Pinchot's previous administra- he is the real master of the counthis side of Curtin, to see if there been science, but there couldn't have tion on all controversial subjects try and that if he would assert his were any wild ducks on the dam. with the variation that restraining the same was the people that he is a Eagle mountain and was first seen Like the breath from some vase utility corporations will have first impress the people that he is a Eagle mountain and was first seen Like the breath from some vase Strangely, it was the gift that consideration in the future instead man of force, the Senators and by Bob Curtin who called to started man to seeking for some of prohibition enforcement as in the everybody else would yield. He his father that "there is a deer, cradle of God's second great gift to Scranton Spring Water company in the hands of Roosevelt. He had deer to Bellefonte. Scranton Spring water company and the audacity to and the Clarion Power corporation. The popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the audacity to Motoring down from Tyrone, late Altoona Booster Association has the Altoona Booster Association has the popularity and the Altoona Booster Association has the Altoona Booster Association ha and the Clarion Power corporation. The population and the Clarion Power corporation. The population and the Clarion Power corporation. The population are described and the Clarion Power corporation. The population are described and the Clarion Power corporation. The population are described and the Clarion Power corporation. The population are described as a capable lawyer use it with effect. But it will be saturday evening, A. Miles Barr sponsored outdoor Christmas lighting are described as a capable lawyer use it with effect. But it will be saturday evening, A. Miles Barr sponsored outdoor Christmas lighting are described as a capable lawyer use it with effect. Before the event we celebrate M. Woodrun is a capable lawyer remembered that he associated the killed a buck which jumped onto the next Thursday, all was veiled in and keen investigator and he will be stick with "soft speech". To

Stahlnecker will be assigned to a Hoover appears to be lacking in and his fidelity to the person and big stick, the other day, instead of political estate of the Governor- placating the Senators he provoked imagined him in any office of less the quarrel will be remains to be importance in the new administra- seen. tion than that of Secretary of the ier post in the cabinet. He has been of the Pinchot family for many pear on page seven of this issue otherwise, floods our nearts and years. But if "Steve" is satisfied and covers a wide range of thought. voted to his chief and efficient.

-It has been announced that the The regular session of borough Philadelphia machine will offer no council, on Monday evening, was opposition to Mr. Pinchot's plan for short and devoid of any unusual ominous, to say the least.

consin, has obtained a correct meas- and as yet no sign of an opening. ure of President Hoover. In a de- President Walker stated that the bate in the Senate, the other day, proper thing to do is to drill the Mr. Blaine declared that Hoover is a rock. ical sharks as Jim Watson, of In- test of the new pump had been made in the minds of some men that in diana, and others of that inferior on Monday afternoon. A few adtent to get him out of their way. and the pump ready to put in ope-Senator Blaine added that "his en_ ration. Until this is done no definite gineering ability has been limited figures on what the pump will be to a gas engineer."

ment made to the press correspond. was also asked and authorized. in other words creeping years and ing the treasury" and playing poli-increasing wisdom dispelled the ents he accused Senators of "raidbut that "little something" down in but play politics since he began his penses of the Legislative committee worked himself into the White ute \$10, which was authorized. House and since his inauguration what we are looking forward to session he bluffed the Senate and on Saturday and made an inspection

As Senator McKellar has shown When done these plans will be subthe charge of raiding the treasury mitted to council for acceptance or comes with poor grace from him. rejection. He began raiding the treasury even before his installation and has been Power company, was present and practicing it ever since. But he asked if council would be interested wants entire control of the loot ob- in selling the standard lighting systained by the raids. By manipula tem to the company and permit tion of the flood relief fund in 1927 them to introduce a more up-to-date he was able to obtain for his own system which he believes will give benefit the electoral votes of Tennes- the town better lighting facilities. see and Kentucky in 1928. Now he The matter was referred to the demands absolute control of all re- Street committee for consultation lief funds for the present emergency with Mr. Lightner to find out how for use in the campaign for re- much of an increase it will mean in election in 1932. Naturally and the monthly bills for light and reproperly the Senate resents his as- port back to council with plans, etc. persions.

friend for a Christmas present.

They have had plenty of cause of James C. Furst, who was sixteen there was no expressions of resent- tin and Hayes Darby, piloted ment. But a few months ago some by John Curtin Sr., had gone That was God's greatest gift to al or continuance of the policies of influence persuaded Mr. Hoover that down to the old Masonic camp, Comes a thought of the gracious presence

The only surprise in the recent anstrong arms is essential in the emhome with him and turned it over to ness district, as well as in the after handcuffing his wife and Schillo, subordinate position. That he is a one or the other of these essentials capable secretary is beyond question and in his attempt to swing the Missing Youth Indicted For Murder them. What the ultimate result of

the "guide, philosopher and friend" the Editor" this week. They ap-

Session.

The Street committee reported that the cesspool being dug on east Howard street is now down to a Senator Blaine, Republican of Wis-depth of 36 feet through solid rock

able to do can be given. The com-With this meager equipment for mittee reported a balance in the leadership President Hoover under- borough fund of \$2355.82 and

The Special committee recom-

Mr. Cobb, of the Water committee, reported that borough engineer H.

Mr. Lightner, of the West Penn

Borough bills amounting to \$1555 .-35 and water bills \$3023.15 were ap-Send the Watchman to some proved for payment, after which council adjourned.

President Hoover and the Senate. A Few Final Stories of the Hunting

Thomas Stark, of Snow Shoe, was

Austin Furst, son of Mr. and Mrs.

returned an indictment against reatured in Attoona and it is doubt.

George Clark Skidmore charging ful if any city is more beautifully him with the murder of Charles lighted for the Christmas season.

Hammor a crimpled researching at Each side of the streets in the lighted for the christmas season. -We think you will be both in the did not city, on the evening tendant in that city, on the evening of September 20th, and also return-Uncilino, as participants in the hold is worth going miles to see. up which resulted in the murder. down as certain that he will be de-Borough Councilmen Held Brief So far as known no return was made there is a large community Christagainst Leonard Skidmore, a student mas tree located in the Logan House charge of being an accessory after Street, which also presents a beautithe fact.

George Skidmore and Baldorf came lighting in the business district, articles. Entrance to the store was to Centre county and went into hid- many homes in the Altoona resiing in the Allegheny mountains. detial districts have arranged beau-Officers traced them here and when tiful outdoor lighting effects in conan attempt to arrest Skidmore was nection with the contest that is bemade on September 27th he shot ing sponsored by the Altoona Booster from the Pennsylvania State line near State highway patrolmen J. G. Association in order to make "Al-Olmes and W. F. Fox, keeper of the toona Bright With Christmas Light." sylvania-Maryland line at Hale, Bedford beacon light at the Rattlesnake, Many automobile parties from the "mediocre politician" who has been The Water committee reported then made his escape as completely surrounding communities are mak. overpraised. His record in the White testing out fireplugs and making a as if swallowed up by the earth, ing night trips to Altoona to see

Weigh Feed to Make Proper Dairy

weigh the feed given to their dairy through at several places, one of

Many cows are overfed, which leaks repaired. Blanev. makes the cost of producing 100 pounds of milk too high and thereduce to full capacity.

fore." Blaney declares.

Feed one pound of grain for each held in the church at Linden Hall sued for \$5500 in connection with an inthree pounds of milk produced by on Monday evening, December 22nd, jury to a pupil's eye. The papers were Guernseys and Jerseys and one pound of grain for each 31/2 or 4 pounds of lifted to apply on the church debt. milk produced by the other breeds The public is invited. of cattle. This method of feeding is flexible, so that cows having a poor quality of roughage can be fed slightly more grain.

If it is actually true that President Hoover and Senator Robinson have come to an agreement it tween the methods of relief in Al. is a safe bet that Hoover has the bany and Washington. In Albany better of the bargain.

A CHRISTMAS MEMORY

This is the street and the dwelling; Let me count the houses o'er-Yes: one, two, three from the corner, And the house which I loved makes four.

This is the very window Where I used to see her head, Bent over a book or needle, With ivy garlanded.

Were full of a charm and a meaning Which woke at her touch and sign.

I began to be glad at the corner, And all the way to the door My heart outran my footsteps And frolicked and danced before-

In haste for the words of welcome, The voice, the repose and grace, And the smile, like a benediction, Of that beautiful, vanished face.

Now I pass the door and I pause not, And I look the other way; But ever like wafted fragrance Too subtle to name or to say.

Embalms the house and the street.

Of a flow'ry shape unseen, Which follows the path of its lover To tell where a rose has been.

-Author Unknown.

For the past several years the efforts many beautiful lighting efother words, intelligence as well as car. He brought the carcass along fects have been created in the busi-

This year the Association, in co-Light and Power Company, has the Ashland hospital. created a more beautiful display of -Down at Elizabethville, Dauphin coun-Christmas lighting than has yet been ty, is a farmer who is today rejoicing in returned an indictment against featured in Altoona and it is doubt. the realization that his friends in need

ed an indictment against Skidmore's parallel with the trolley wires which, own two companions, Eugene Baldorf together with festoons on the cross and other materials necessary for the reand Henry White, alias Henry wires, present a colorful effect that building of the home of the hogs.

In addition to the street lighting ful Christmas effect, in perfect har-It will be recalled that the week mony with the Christmas season.

In addition to the Christmas

water wheel was wide open it used ious wounding. almost the total water capacity of Spring creek, Logan's branch and Christmas package on his porch on

-The State College football by cuts down profits. On the other team did not make any great record hand, many cows are underfed so this season, so far as winning games that they are not permitted to pro- was concerned, but its receipts for the season exceeded the expenditures "Weighing the feed, without a by \$29,317.85. In fact is is the only doubt, will mean more in dollars and athletic sport at the college that cents to the dairymen than ever be- generally has a balance to it's credit.

-A Christmas service will be at 7.30 o'clock. A collection will be

Arkansas, imagines that he is the Alvin Long's hand with a ruler during majority instead of the minority floor leader of the Senate.

There is a wide difference bequick results are obtained.

SPAWLS FROM THE KEYSTONE,

-Through Greyhound motor coach service between Williamsport and Harrisburg, operating via Sunbury, will be inaugurated by the Pennsylvania Gener-

al Transit Company, Saturday. -Russell Lease, of York, Pa., 8 years old, was treated at the York hospital for wounds on his right hand, inflicted when he was attacked by a rat. The boy was gathering wood for fuel in the backyard at his home when the rodent lunged at him and bit him.

-The mail must go though it is not the air mail. When carrier Norman A. Harshman, serving Connellsville R. D. 3 in his automobile, was stopped by a snow drift, John Biler, a resident, arrived with a team of horses and pulled Harshman and his car over the entire

-Thieves using motor trucks looted the United Brethren church at Greenpoint and Sarrazahn's Lutheran church, both in remote regions of northern Lebanon county. Chairs, tables and Christmas toys were taken by the thieves, who did not disturb crosses and the American flag.

-The new S. & J. shirt factory which has just been completed at Mt. Carmel in record-breaking time of seven weeks will open the latter part of this week. Nearly 200 girls will be given employment in the factory which has enough orders on hand to keep it busy for several months.

-Eight hours after they staged a payroll holdup which netted them \$1400 theirs for about three hours-three Archbald youths, each 20 years of age, at Scranton on Monday, were sentenced by President Judge E. C. Newcomb of York, Pa., to serve from ten to twenty years in the Eastern Penitentiary.

-Definite assurance has been given the board of trustees of the Lewistown hospital by its building committee that the new \$100,000 annex to the hospital will be completed by Christmas and plans have been made for the formal dedication early in January, when it is expected to have Governor-elect Pinchot as the principal speaker.

-A steel casting weighing 55,600 pounds is being machined at the York plant of the S. Morgan Smith Company. The casting when finished will be shipped to Seattle, Wash., where it will be used in a large power plant. The casting is in one piece and was made by a Pittsburgh concern. Because of

-While John Schillo, Frackville cemefrom above, hidden in the rafters of the cemetery shanty. At an opportune moment Thomas pounced on his rival, beat him up, shot him in the right leg, and band is in Pottsville jail. His wife is operation with the Penn Central under bail as a witness and Schillo is in

-The meat market and grocery store of Sam Perri, at Renovo, was robbed early Sunday morning of supplies including two 20-pound boxes of spaghetti, a crate of eggs, 15 pounds pork chops, against Leonard Skidmore, a student mark, at 11th Avenue and 12th a crate of eggs, 15 pounds pork chops, at the Bellefonte Academy, on the Park, at 11th Avenue and 12th 10 pounds of fresh sausage, six or seven pounds of butter, the same amount of cheese, 10 pounds of lard, five chickens, one whole ham and a part of another ham, a bushel of potatoes, and other

-A certificate of public convenience was granted at Harrisburg on Wednes-Fassett, Bradford county, to the Penncounty. The route goes through Can-Williamsport, Lock Haven, Mill Hall, Bellefonte, Tyrone, Altoona, Hollidaysburg and Bedford. The route

-Walking into police headquarters early on Monday Mrs. "Ollie" Turner. The new water wheel and of Wilkes-Barre, told the desk sergeant pump at the Gamble mill property her husband had bitten off her right they carried there for? The soul, God's first gift to man, filled the the officers and hide in the dense Scranton Electric company. Owing pocket. She was taken to the General the officers and nide in the dense Scranton Electric company. Owing hospital, while detectives rounded up hospital, while detectives rounded up hospital, while detectives rounded up hospital, while her husband. Mrs. Turner produced but most of that territory has been pump is confined to a 6-inch pipe the evidence in police court again later pretty well covered by hunters durit has been impossible to test it up in the morning, and her erring husband ing the deer season and no skeleton to its rated capacity. When the was held for court on a charge of felon--Finding what apparently was a

the overflow from the Spring. When Sunday, Joseph Masteikas, 49, a miner, the race was filled up it was found living in the suburbs of Wilkes-Barre, Centre County dairymen can save that the bank had dried out to such rushed into the house with it and callmany dollars this winter if they will an extent that the water seeped wife, while they were unwrapweigh the rect given to their daily cows, says county agent, R. C. them being a good-sized leak. The the package contained a bomb. Masteiwater was later drained out and the kas was blown into another room, his body torn and twisted and was killed instantly. His wife, her left arm almost severed, and her body covered with burns, fell near the table, which the detonation blew to bits. Parts of the rear of the house was torn away. Three daughters, asleep on the second floor, were not injured. -With the filing of papers in the

Northumberland county court last week to place Miss May Langton, school teacher, under arrest pending disposition of a suit, it was revealed that she is to be father of Alvin L. Long, and gave notice of intent to sue Miss Langton for damages. The papers allege that Miss Langton, who is a teacher in the Na--Maybe Senator Robinson, of talie schools, near Locust Gap, slapped a writing lesson, causing a pen to fly out of the boy's hand and strike him in the right eye. The charge is made that the pen entered the eyeball and resulted in his loss of sight in that member. Attorneys for Long said that he will ask for \$500 for a doctor's bill and \$5000 for injury to his son.