

SHAVERTOWN

The little old home town took on a festive air over the weekend as Christmas lights went up on a number of homes throughout Shavertown.

On Pioneer Avenue, Ray Davis was among the first to add a beautiful aura to his place with the use of multi-colored bulbs. The Chamberlain and Joe Allen families made ready for the children's favorite holiday with the addition of large replicas of old St. Nick to their front doors.

Dr. Bucan was first to decorate on West Center Street as were the Bob Voelkers on Ferguson Avenue. Mrs. Dorothy Schooley placed lighted candles in her cozy apartment windows.

The Charles Tyrells, Robert Ashbridges and Frank Wallace added a bright spot of color to West Mt. Airy Road.

On Main Street, Mr. and Mrs. George Rice took great pleasure in setting up their bright display. Mrs. Caroline Jozwiak and Harry Ell of Lehigh Street added a touch of the holiday spirit by their lovely arrangements.

The Stanley Kacacinski's did their bit to urge on late decorators on East Center Street, while the Byron Kitchens, McCarty's and Dierolf's did their share to make East Franklin Street attractive.

Herbert Hill, across from the Flower Shop, has one of the nicest arrangements on lower Pioneer Avenue, and Tom F. Heffernan was out bright and early Monday morning, trimming his residence in Druid Hills.

James Street was really lovely with the Bill Dungey, Don Kreidler, Roy Trexlers, Ed William's and Hilbert Stark families taking great delight in adding the Christmas spirit to their beloved home sites. The Dungey's always decorate early. Bill had his trimmings up several weeks ago for Ann loves the Christmas season and thinks everyone should enjoy a longer one. Then, too, Bill says, it's nicer to work outside before the bitter, cold weather sets in to stay.

The big trees in front of Shaver-

town Shopping Center and in the large front window of Wyoming National Bank are just lovely this year and certainly are conducive to putting one in a festive mood. The bank also has gorgeous pots of poinsettias placed in appropriate spots throughout the interior, making it a pleasant place to work and do business in.

Back Mountain Lumber and Coal Company has lovely Christmas displays and Henry's Gift Shop is attractive across the way. Evans and Hall's Drug Stores have stocked their counters with all sorts of cards, gifts and wrappings. The Shopping Center, likewise is adorned with individual glamour and merchandise in each shop.

It is indeed the Season to commemorate the birth of the Christ Child and we seem to have a more compassionate feeling toward our fellowmen. Yet there are those, sick and lonely in our town, to whom a little card, a token remembrance or kind thought would mean a happier and more blessed Christmas.

The youth of Shavertown Methodist Church began their tour on Sunday evening, singing carols which we all so much enjoy. They will continue this pleasant custom for two more weeks, adding a glow of happiness to our busy lives. Bill Davis is in charge of this program and accompanies them.

The three Combined Choirs of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will offer an outstanding program of Christmas music at the morning service on Sunday, Gordon Wolverton is directing. New vestments made by Mrs. Sophie Hackling, the Sarah Circle, mothers and friends will be worn by the Chapel Choir.

Rev. Robert Yost, pastor of Shavertown Methodist Church will have Christmas Dinner with his two sisters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lynch and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Winters of West Pittston. This has been his custom for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Evans, East Center Street, will have as holiday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Evans,

Jr., and children, Diane and Erik, Lexington, Kentucky. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Milton Evans and family, Summit Street.

William J. Thomas, Lehigh Street, entered General Hospital Sunday for a check up. The Thomases will have as Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas, Jr., and children, David and Charles, Cleveland, Ohio.

Charles Malkemes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Malkemes, Franklin Street, left Monday with William Smith, Albany, N. Y., for a visit to Ugal, Florida. His sister, Mrs. David Hess, lives there with her family. Her husband is employed at Cape Canaveral.

Charles, expecting to do some swimming in a warmer climate, packed his bathing suit but has found the temperatures to be 20 degrees in that area and the coldest spell most of the natives have known. He will return for Christmas. His fraternity brother, Mr. Smith, will spend the holidays with the Malkemes family.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Stephen Johnson in her recent bereavement. Steve will be greatly missed by his many friends and associates.

AUXILIARY PARTY
Neshitt Hospital Auxiliary, Shavertown Branch, had a lovely party at St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Wednesday. The unusual and handsome decorations which brightened every corner were the work of Mrs. H. H. Rymer. Mrs. Leon Beisel presided. Mrs. William Thomas reported on the Board meeting held Wednesday morning in Kingston. Mrs. Fred

Eck led carol singing. Mrs. Newton Ness gave piano selections.

Mrs. Charles Perkins reported twenty-five gifts already taken to the hospital for sale by the Auxiliary and thirty-five more received on Wednesday. Members contributed money usually spent for exchange gifts to the Fund for the new Nurses Home.

Linda Woolbert, student nurse at Geisinger Hospital, is spending a two week holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Woolbert, Main Street.

Jerry Lukasavage, W. Center Street, bagged his first deer while hunting with his uncle at Loyalville the first day of hunting season. It had six points and weighed 130 pounds. He is a student at West Central High School.

George Bednar, student at Notre Dame University, is spending the holiday with his mother, Mrs. George Bednar, Hazletine Street.

Marilyn Eck, student at Susquehanna University, and Dorothy, student nurse at Allentown State Hospital, were home for the weekend.

Mrs. Fred Eck reports twenty-five gifts received from parishioners of St. Paul's Lutheran Church for patients at Retreat Hospital for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Malkemes, Ferguson Avenue, spent the weekend in New York City where they visited Radio City, and the big stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Line, Mt. Airy Road, will have as Christmas guests, their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Cole and daughters, Helen and Lois, Windsor Locks, Conn.; Howard Yetter and

Helen Yetter, Wilkes-Barre. Mr. Yetter is the father of Mrs. Line, Miss Yetter her sister.

POSTOFFICE BUSY

Jean Glahn was bustling about our busy Post Office, spic and span in her new official blue uniform. Dick Griffith was also busy. It appears the local staff will get no help for the holiday rush. A carrier or two would ease the lateness of delivery during the peak season.

The Children's Choir of St. Paul's Lutheran Church were entertained

on Wednesday by Mrs. Ruth Voelker and Mrs. Fred Daley. Ruth is the lady who trained these young voices. Miniature decorations in red and green set on miniature tables fascinated the youngsters.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hall will have as Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cleave, Mt. Morris, N. Y.; William Kraft and Mrs. Frances Abel, Dickson City; Jack Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jewell and youngest grandson, Edward II, Shavertown.

Mrs. William Glahn, East Center Street, found a black, medium sized dog tangled up in the shrubbery in her back yard last weekend. The poor fellow was dragging two chains. When she released the chains he took off for home. Anyone missing two dog chains may have same by contacting Mrs. Glahn.

The parish of St. Therese's Church expresses its appreciation to the Holy Name Society for their contribution of one hundred new chairs for the church auditorium and to

the Altar and Rosary Society for their donation of new dishes.

A very Happy Christmas to you all

Largest Black Bear

The largest black bear on record in Pennsylvania is a 633 pound bruin, weighed on the scales before being dressed. It was killed by Herman Crokyndall near Milford, Pike County, December 4, 1923, and was nine feet long.



Season's Greetings

To One and All We Wish a Christmas Bright
With Promise and Full of the Joys of Living

NATONA MILLS
DALLAS, PA.

Harveys Lake

Alderson Methodist W.S.C.S. was entertained at the home of Mrs. Helen Hartman for the Christmas Party, on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Wagner and Eleanor Humphrey assisted in serving.

A short business meeting was conducted by President Mrs. Amos Hunsinger. Mrs. Theodore Heness had charge of the worship service.

Mrs. Fred Eister, wife of the pastor, spoke on Christmas in Puerto Rico. Mrs. Albert Armitage had charge of games. Prizes were won by Mrs. Howard Higgins, Mrs. Garvin Smith and Mrs. Heness. Gifts were given and a social hour followed.

Attending besides those mentioned were Mesdames: Robert Krown, Rose Krown, Gilbert Carpenter, Peter Delaney, Alfred Rogers, Lee Zimmerman, Ida Rogers, Gertrude Orr, Clarence Montross, John Hudson, Jessie Garinger, Joseph Rauch.

A special Candlelight Service will

be held in the Alderson Church Christmas Eve for the four churches of the Charge. The service will be at 11 p.m. after which "Open House" will be at the parsonage, with Pastor and Mrs. Fred Eister and family as hosts. Everyone Welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne, Greensburg, announce the birth of a son, Lawrence Herbert, on November 22. This is their fourth child. Mrs. Payne is the former Mary Garrity. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Garrity spent last week-end at the Payne home and attended the christening and were made the baby's godparents.

My mother, Mrs. Jessie Garinger, celebrated her 83rd birthday Tuesday. She is in good health.

Christmas Program of Alderson Sunday School will be held Sunday evening at 6:30. The children and young people will have charge

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DALLAS



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Joy in friendship is one of the great pleasures of Christmas, and so it is with much warmth that we wish our friends and patrons a Merry Christmas.

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DALLAS

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We hope that all your dreams of a joyous holiday come true and that many more happy occasions will come your way in the days to follow.

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