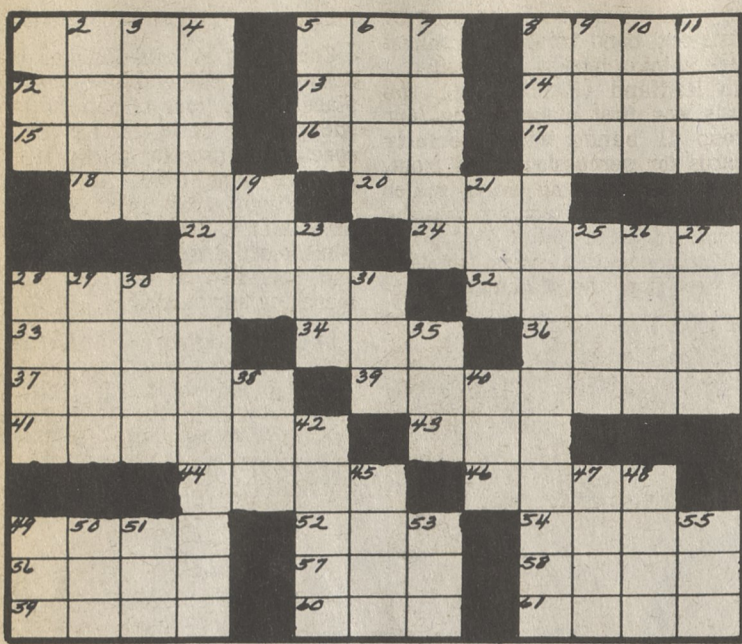


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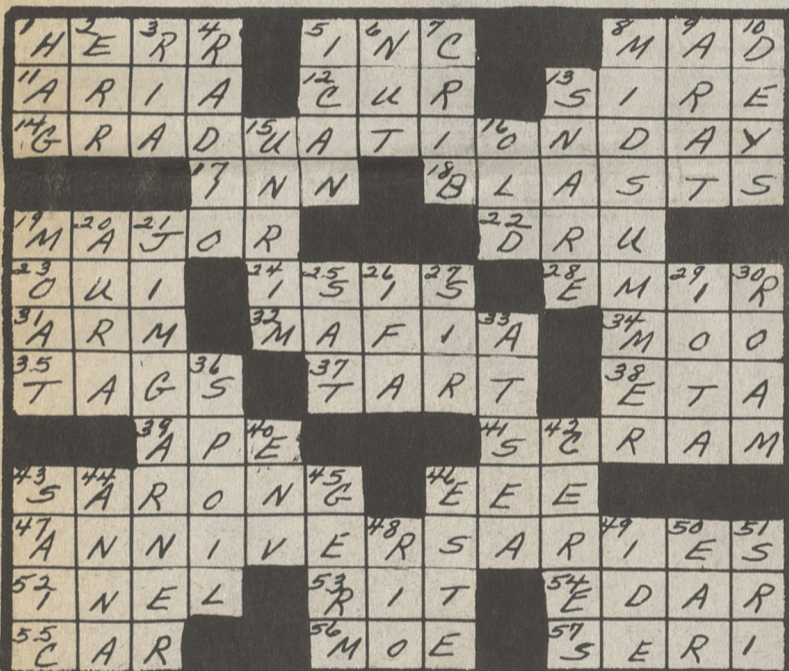
ACROSS

1. Con Job
5. Civil Conservation Corps
8. Hastened
12. Opera Highlight
13. Novelist Levin
14. Dutch Coin
15. Peas' Abode?
16. Melody
17. Prod
18. Stinging Insect
20. So _____ (2 Wds.)
22. Carney
24. Split
28. One Part in a Hundred
32. Weighing Machine
33. Beehive State
34. Weight Measure
36. Old
37. Swaggered Gait
39. Drive Faster
41. Enhance Food
43. Uncle: Sp.
44. Ogler
46. Famed Lioness
49. Lamb or Pork
52. Turmeric
54. Creep Slowly
56. Revise
57. Vitality
58. Treaty Org.
59. High Cards
60. Spanish Queen
61. Joke (2 Wds.)

DOWN

1. Tree Fluid
2. Boast
3. Famed Opera
4. The Bay State
5. Intelligence Agcy.
6. Bay Abode
7. Worries
8. Palmetto State
9. For: Sp.
10. Work Unit
11. Presidential Initials
19. Ahead: Prefix
21. Correspondence Schools
23. Explosive
25. Shakespeare's Villain
26. Winter Vehicle
27. Ancient Persian
28. Cat
29. Feminine Suffix
30. _____ Avis
31. Also
35. Peanut or Pecan
38. Plaything
40. Even Game
42. Daring
45. Check
47. Obstacle
48. Deeds
49. Intersected
50. Dutch Commune
51. Hebrew Letter
53. MD's Org.
55. Pig

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER



Church choirs plan cantata

"Love Came Down", a cantata depicting the birth of Jesus, will be presented by the combined choirs of the Idetown and Lehman United Methodist Churches and Trinity Presbyterian Church of Dallas. The choir is directed by Shirley A. Mahle, with accompaniment by Elaine St. Clair as pianist and Virginia Swanson as organist.

Two presentations will be given. The first will be on Sunday, Dec. 15, at 7 p.m. at the Idetown U.M. Church, with Rev. Michael Shambora as the narrator. Then, on Dec. 22, at 11 a.m. during the morning worship service, the cantata will once again be presented at the Trinity Presbyterian Church with Dr. C. Warren Koehl as the narra-

tor. The following are members of the choir: Charles Bartlett, Lois Baumgartner, Catherine Bolinsky, Charlotte Calkins, Lorraine Coburn, Gertrude Davenport, Meryl Davis, Betty DeBarry, Nancy Dolinsky, Debbie Doughton, Helen Dymond, Kathy Gregory, Lois Ide, Richard Ide, Jean Lipski, Carlene McCaffrey, Pat Miers, Kippie Morgan, Dorothy Park, Ellen Park, Edith Pillarella, Dru Roberts, Debbie Shambora, Linda Van Gorder, Robert Van Gorder, Donald Weidner, and Marriane Williams. Rev. Michael Shambora and Rev. Andrew Pillarella join together in inviting the public to attend this warm and loving Christmas story through music.



MRS. RUTH POYNTON

R. Poynton notes birthday

Mrs. Ruth Poynton, 214 Meadows Apartments, Dallas, will celebrate her 80th birthday, Wednesday, Dec. 11, at a family dinner given by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. George Poynton of Dallas.

Mrs. Poynton, long-time resident of the Back Mountain, lived on Shaver Avenue, Shavertown, for 35 years before moving to The Meadows Apartment Complex.

She is a member of Shavertown United Methodist Church, the Ruth Circle, Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter 396; Nesbitt Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and the Marathon Card Club.

She and her late husband, Cecil Poynton, were the parents of one son, C. George Poynton. Mrs. Poynton has three grandchildren, Julie, Kristel and Laura and one great-granddaughter, Jennifer.

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Obituaries

MELVIN EVANS
Melvin Evans, 79 Park St., Benton, died at his home on November 28 following a lengthy illness.

Surviving are his wife, the former Helen Mae Hess, with whom he celebrated his 55th wedding anniversary on August 18; a son, Bruce, of Benton RD 3; daughters, Mrs. Ronald Keller, RD 1, Stillwater; Mrs. E. Lee Remley, RD 1, Benton;

Services were held December 1 from Strausser's Home for Funerals, Benton, with Rev. David Plank of the Benton United Methodist Church officiating. Interment, Hanover Green Cemetery.

JOSEPH YENASON

Joseph F. Yenason, 79 Parrish St., Dallas, died November 30 at NPW Medical Center, Plains Township.

Surviving are his wife, the former Isabel Sabbatini, formerly of Wilkes-Barre; sons, Joseph Michael, of Trucksville and John Anthony, of Dallas; a daughter, Mrs. Roy Huggins, of Dallas; two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held December 3 from the Yeosock Funeral Home, Plains Township,

with a Mass of Christian Burial in Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas. Interment, Sacred Heart Cemetery, Dallas.

LOUISE ARMBRUSTER

Louise C. Armbruster, of 158 Staub Road, Trucksville, died December 1 in Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Surviving are sisters, Mrs. Joseph Jones, Trucksville; Mrs. Carl Rutcosky, Cherry Hill, N.J.; Mrs. Robert Spagnola, Miners Mills; brother, Fred, Wilkes-Barre; 25 nieces and nephews; 16 great-nieces and great-nephews.

Funeral services will be held today at 9:30 a.m. from the Simon S. Russin Funeral Home, 136 Maffet St., Plains, with a Mass of Christian Burial in St. Therese Church at 10 a.m. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, Hanover Township.

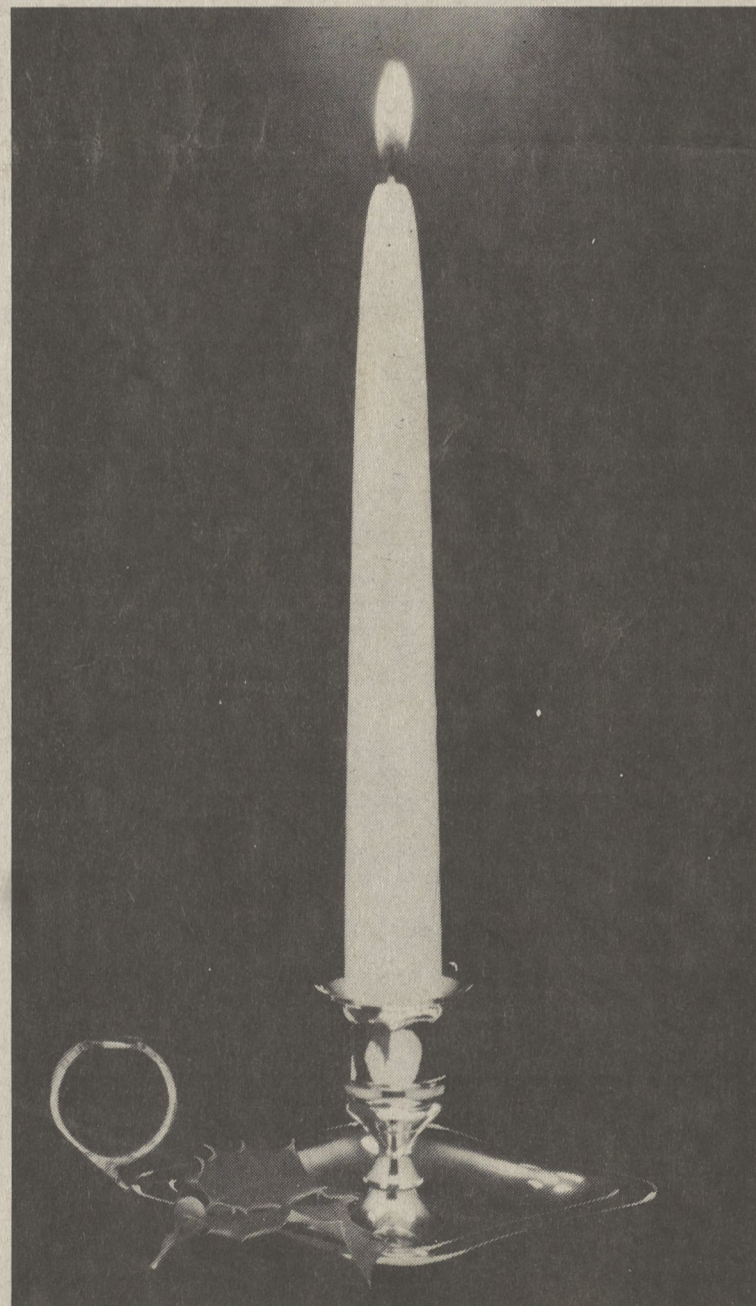
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