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**Weather Guess --**  
KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE: --  
Scattered clouds, slightly warmer  
in west portion Tuesday; Wednesday  
rain, slightly warmer.

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## THE LISTENING POST

I was intending to write a neat graceful Christmas column today. It is Christmas Eve and all of us are looking forward to a happy day tomorrow, with loved ones at home and with good cheer quite evident in every direction. Instead of the neat and graceful Christmas column, however, I am writing a column about the flu. Perhaps this will add nothing to the spirit of Christmas, but the facts are that I am whamming away at a typewriter this morning with little idea of what is coming out of the machine; this being the first time I have been at the office in three days. The past three days have been spent at home wrestling with the flu devils and in general being an utter nuisance to the Authority in Charge, who was working mightily to bring about a fitting Christmas celebration.

I didn't feel particularly well during the middle of last week. I tried to tell myself that I was merely tired, for I had a couple of days in which I really had to work. I know, however, that there was more to this feeling than being merely tired. Friday afternoon I was so acutely tired that I went home and went to bed. I told myself that I would be all right by the next morning, after resting and sleeping. When I tried to eat something for supper that night I knew the flu devils had me. There was no taste whatever to any sort of food, and as for water--well, I simply could not taste it. I had a feeling for sour things but when I tried them I found out that I did not want those things either. In fact, I did not want anything. All I wanted to do was to crawl into a bed and stay there.

Flu is an odd thing. It seems to amount to no little. I was never very sick during the three days I wrestled with the infectious disease. There was nothing about it which indicated real illness, and I have been clear many times with other diseases which did not even put me in bed. But there is something about the flu which takes away all energy, all desire to move, all desire to eat or drink. All I wanted to do was to stay in bed and move as little as possible, and my thought of food or drink was enough to drive me distracted.

So Saturday passed and Sunday came along by this time I had resigned myself to being at home and in the way of everything and everybody. I had a new insight into how much work there is in keeping a house going. I never knew before how greatly needed a vacuum cleaner is needed, and I had never realized how annoying they could sound when a fellow wanted to sleep and be perfectly lazy. But I could not do anything about it, for I could not see that I was throwing all the machinery of the home into reverse gear. I simply did not belong there at all and I knew it, but there was nothing I could do about it.

So Saturday night was a sort of a nightmare and I thought I would be on the road to recovery by Sunday morning. But Sunday morning I had no desire to get up at all, and I did not stir out of the house all day. Sunday night I was feeling a great deal better and felt that I might get down to work Monday morning. But along about three o'clock in the morning I woke with a feeling that somebody had closed a zipper on my throat completely. It felt completely closed up. I was worse than I had at any time and I got up and doctored and worked

## President Will Talk To Nation Sunday Night

Report Of Foreign Relations, National Affairs Promised

Washington, — President Roosevelt will broadcast to the American people next Sunday night a report on his administration of national affairs and conduct of foreign relations. The chief executive will speak from 8:30 to 9 p. m. (CST) over all major networks. Stephen T. Early, White House press secretary, announcing arrangement for the address, said today Mr. Roosevelt would "report to the country regarding the present emergency."

It was expected that much of the President's address, his first since the November election, would be devoted to the national defense program and to the administration's aid-to-Britain policy.

In some administration quarters, the speech was regarded as a sort of "preview" for the President's forthcoming "state-of-the-nation" message to the new Congress.

**Background Of Issues?**  
Some speculated that Mr. Roosevelt might have in mind giving the country the background of some of the issues to be advanced in his message to Congress.

Among other things, this message is expected to discuss the matter of further aid to Britain and perhaps present formally the "lease-lend" plan of assistance which Mr. Roosevelt outlined at a news conference last week. This proposal would have the United States lease or lend war materials to Great Britain, to be returned or replaced when the present conflict is over.

There has been speculation, too, that the President might ask the new Congress to alter the neutrality law and permit American ships to carry arms to Britain. The possibility of taking over some of the foreign ships in American ports and eventually making them available to the British is understood to be another question which the administration is studying.

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With regard for an hour or more, I know that I would never be able to work Monday. Which shows that a fellow never can tell. For I went about six o'clock and felt pretty good. I got up, managed to eat a little breakfast and came on to work. I didn't feel any too good, but I felt a lot better than I had been feeling.

So I guess I will manage to observe Christmas after all. I hope so, at any rate. I only had to be able to tear into the turkey, and the country has with my usual manner, but if nothing happens in the meantime I believe I will be able to look at food without distaste by Christmas Day.

## Weatherman Says We Can't Look For Any Christmas Snow

There was little prospect Monday of a white Christmas for the nation.

Temperatures already above normal probably will rise even higher in most sections of the country Christmas Eve, G. R. Dunn, weather forecaster at Chicago, predicted.

There was no forecast of snow in any section and light snow that fell late last week in North Carolina, New York, New Jersey, Michigan, and Wisconsin was expected to melt under the rising mercury. Even the heavy snows of last week in Michigan which early last week covered the state were expected to melt. The Weather Bureau forecast

## White House Yule Season To Be Quiet

Washington, — From the White House to alley dwellings, bustling preparation for Christmas were in progress Monday, but beneath it all there was an undertone of sadness, especially in diplomatic homes.

Everyone in the White House executive office knocked off work in midafternoon and trooped into the handsome oval room to say "Merry Christmas to you, Mr. President—and to you, Mrs. Roosevelt."

Each received in return a happy yuletide wish, a handshake from the President and Mrs. Roosevelt and a sterling silver key ring from which dangled a miniature of "Fala," the perky black Scottie who is never far from his master and often gets his daily rations from the Presidential hand.

Some Senators and Representatives planned to spend Christmas here. Others joined homeward bound throughs which jammed outgoing trains, planes and roads. Secretary of State Cordell Hull and Mrs. Hull plan a quiet Christmas at their hotel apartment—international affairs permitting. Any way Mrs. Hull hopes the Secretary will get to "rest a bit" in a new red leather chair, her Christmas gift to him.

## Princess Friend Of Hitler Still In United States

Washington, —The Justice Department today said Hungarian Princess Stefanie Hohenlohe is still in the United States, despite a previous deportation order, but that she now had agreed to leave at a specified time within the next twenty days.

Attorney General Robert H. Jackson originally had ordered the Princess to leave this country not later than midnight of last Saturday. Officials would not disclose why the Princess had violated the original expulsion order or why the extension of time had been granted.

## British Report Sharp Drop In Ships Lost

London, —A total of 61,478 tons of merchant shipping was sunk by "enemy action" during the week ending December 15, the Admiralty reported Monday. This marked a sharp decrease from the weekly average of 62,087 tons.

An authoritative source said "you cannot take it from this that the danger to shipping from air, surface and underwater raiders has passed," but he pointed that the December weekly average of losses based on figures to December 15 was 71,000 tons, the lowest in last six months.

Of shipping reported sunk in the week, the Admiralty said five vessels totaling 30,200 tons were British and two totaling 10,045 tons were Allied.

Generally fair weather for most of the nation, but another of the intense series of storms of the last few days was approaching the North Pacific coast and a moderate disturbance was moving northeastward out of the Gulf of Mexico.

A heavy rain and wind storm already has lashed across the northern Pacific region, howling over trees, power lines and even some buildings. Communication lines were snapped temporarily and power lines out of the Bonneville dam were down. A girl was injured near Kalama, Wash., when a tree crashed through the wall of a dance hall and two other persons were injured in accidents that resulted from the storm.

## Prince Olaf Of Norway Says Nation Hopes To Beat Nazis

New York, —Crown Prince Olaf of Norway declared today that his countrymen not only were undefeated but hoped "to drive the German invaders from our land and all the other countries they have seized."

Traveling incognito, Olaf arrived from England aboard the Pan-American Airways flying boat Dixie Clipper. Soon afterward, he departed for Washington to join the Crown Princess Martha and their three children.

After spending the Christmas holidays with his family, Olaf expects to go to Canada to inspect the training camp of Norwegian naval and military units and Royal Air Force squadrons. He intends to return to England in five or six weeks.

At Washington, Olaf called on President Roosevelt to say hello and Merry Christmas. The 37-year-old prince, a general in the Norwegian army, and his father, King Haakon, have been in England, rallying their countrymen as Allies of Great Britain.

The Crown Princess and her three children came to the United States several months ago at the invitation of President Roosevelt and have taken up residence at an estate near the Capital.

## Lifer Set Free On F. B. I. Evidence On Handwriting

Detroit, —Evidence produced by handwriting experts of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington today won freedom for Lonnie Jenkins after he served nine years of a life term for murder.

Jenkins was convicted of slaying his wife and much of the testimony centered around suicide notes. The State contended they were forged and Jenkins maintained they had been written by his wife. Jenkins' daughter, who had fought almost single-handed for her father, obtained through counsel statements from the F. B. I. that the suicide notes were written by her mother and could not have been written by a roomer in the Jenkins home, as the State contended.

Judge Christopher C. Stein immediately granted a motion for a new trial, then dismissed the case.

## 16 Hungarian Nazis Convicted Of Plot To Kidnap Horthy

Budapest, Hungary, —Sixteen members of the Nazi Arrow Cross party, including Deputy Karoly Wirth, were convicted today of plotting to kidnap Regent Admiral Nicholas Horthy and install a Nazi regime for Hungary.

They were sentenced to prison terms, Wirth receiving the greatest—four and a half years. The formal charge was lese majesty, a crime against the sovereign.

## Pastor Killed Trying To Make Money For Child's Gift

Seattle, —Twenty-month-old Marjorie Keen's eyes danced as she admired a gaily dressed cheap doll in a toy show window. "I'll make enough tomorrow to buy her that doll for Christmas if it's the last thing I do," Herbert Marvin Keene, her unemployed father, told his wife that night.

It was. He was killed Friday in a 30 foot plunge off a railroad viaduct while catching a pigeon that would have netted him 30 cents.

## Stalin's Birthday Is Unmentioned

Moscow, —Joseph Stalin's 61st birthday anniversary passed today without formal observance. A year ago it was celebrated. There was no mention of the birthday in today's press.

**Pedestrian Should Be Seen, Not Hurt**  
Frankfort, Ky., —The pedestrian should be seen and not hurt. Adaptation of the time-honored advice as to children, being "seen and not heard" at the dinner table, will prevent hundreds of Christmas tragedies.

That was State Highway Patrol Captain Jack Nelson's message to motorists today as they hurried for Christmas most likely observed Sunday morn.

## John Dunn Is First Lieutenant

John Allen Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dunn of Water Valley, Miss., and a special student in the College of Commerce at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, has been appointed a first lieutenant in the University's R. O. T. C. regiment by Lieut. Col. Howard Donnelly, commandant.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Billie Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lowe, underwent a tonsillectomy yesterday at the Haws-Weaver clinic and is doing fine.

V. E. Jackson is improving at the Haws-Weaver clinic. Miss Alice Lunsford remains about the same at the Haws-Weaver clinic.

Christine Babb has been dismissed from the Haws-Weaver clinic. Lester Moore is improving at the Haws-Weaver clinic.

Mrs. Claude Bell and infant daughter were dismissed yesterday from the Haws-Weaver clinic. Mrs. R. G. Overing, Hickman, has been admitted to the Haws-Weaver clinic.

Russell Mardis, Moscow, has been admitted to the Fulton hospital for treatment. Mrs. Virgil Smith and baby are doing nicely at the Fulton hospital.

Mrs. Glynn Knighton has been admitted to the Fulton hospital. Gus Farmer is improving at the Fulton hospital. Henry Amberg is getting along fine at the Fulton hospital.

## Husband Loses As Bride, 15, Prefers Parents

Clarksville, Tenn., —A Tennessee child marriage went on the rocks here Monday when a 15-year-old girl, bride of three days, chose her parents instead of her husband.

Parents of the girl, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bryant, District 4, were responsible for the arrest Monday of the bridegroom, Lacey Brown, 20, on a charge of swearing falsely to the girl's age.

General Sessions Judge Ridley R. Goodpasture dismissed the charge against the husband, who then sought by a writ of habeas corpus to recover his bride in Judge John T. Cunningham's court. Judge Cunningham offered the girl her choice—husband or parents. She chose the latter.

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## Biggest Yule Season Yet Reported By Florida Cities

Miami, Fla., —Santa Claus, in the form of hundreds of thousands of winter visitors, already has arrived in Florida to bring the State what promises to be the biggest Christmas season in its history.

Travel agencies, rail, bus, steamship and air lines, hotels and other authorities call it the biggest Yuletide season on record. Cities and towns throughout the State report business gains in line with the rush days of the Florida boom fifteen years ago.

Miami merchants said Christmas trade was up 25 per cent over that of last year and credit business in the Miami area registered a gain of 18 per cent, due principally to increased down payments on merchandise.

Jacksonville reported a gain of 30 to 35 per cent, with additional increase anticipated as more soldiers arrive at nearby Camp Meade.

Tampa, with increased activity in her shipyards and a new Army field to draw from, expects a gain of 15 per cent in Christmas trade.

Other cities throughout the State from Pensacola to Key West, reported similar gains. The gain ranged from about 10 per cent to 35 per cent.

## Johnson Refuses To Free Miners Of Everts Fight

Promises To Insist Upon Release Minute They Are Eligible

Frankfort, Ky., —Gov. Keen Johnson refused executive clemency again late today to four Harlan county miners serving life terms following the 1931 "Battle of Everts," but promised he would "earnestly insist" upon their being "immediately released" when they became eligible for pardon next August.

The governor said, "It is unfortunate that this case has been presented to me as one to show whether I am friendly to labor" and a few minutes later he accused Herbert Mahler of New York of trying to "put me on the spot."

Johnson told a labor delegation of some 35 persons including the wives of two of the men and the mother of another that he had come to the conclusion he could "best serve the state by sustaining the verdicts of the courts," and not by trying to "decide" cases.

**Disputes Mahler Story**  
His charge against Mahler, secretary-treasurer of the Kentucky miners defense, to whom he said he had given 50 hours in conferences in previous pleas, came when Mahler declared there was proof that Al Benson, one of the four could not have fired any shots in the clash near what the miners called the "Free City of Everts" in which four men lost their lives.

Johnson interrupted to say that W. B. Mahler, one of the three convicted miners pardoned in 1935 by Gov. Ruby Laffoon, had been convicted though it was proved he was not near Everts when miners and deputized mine guards clashed in the long drawn out struggle over unionization of the coal mines. "They were indicted on charges of conspiracy," he added.

## MISSION CHRISTMAS TREE

The Mission, under the direction of Mrs. Sophia McDowell, will celebrate with yuletide songs, recitations etc., in addition to the usual tree. A Santa Claus bag of candy, nuts, fruit etc., will be given to all the children. Presents may also be placed on the tree by individuals. The public is cordially invited. Time 5 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Old Methodist Church, corner of State Line and Plain streets.

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### Editorial

#### A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

Mrs. Frances Redfearn, whose death a few weeks saddened so many hearts in Fulton, was a woman of many talents. Among other talents, was the ability to write verse, and while this accomplishment was not generally known, she used it many times to bring comfort and pleasure to her friends. Mrs. Redfearn might have been a poet had she devoted her full efforts to the work, but her life was a full one and devoted largely to those she loved. Thus it was that she used this rare gift of verse making—to bring pleasure and comfort to the friends she loved.

Some eight years ago she wrote a verse to a dear friend in Fulton who had suffered a vital loss. Mrs. Redfearn had just gone through the same tearing sorrow a few months before, and in the verse she wrote this friend at Christmas she revealed a tender understanding and an unbreakable philosophy that must have meant a great deal to her in her last years when she knew a great deal of sorrow. Because of this tender understanding, this sturdy philosophy, and because Mrs. Redfearn was so well loved by so many in Fulton, this verse is published in this column today. It should be borne in mind that it was written from Mrs. Redfearn to a dear friend at Christmas time. It was her way of saying "Merry Christmas" to a friend who was in deep sorrow at that time.

#### Christmas Faith

I question if Christmas can ever be merry  
Except to the heart of an innocent child;  
For when time has taught us the meaning of sorrow,  
And sobered the spirits that once were so wild,  
When all the green graves that lie scattered behind us,  
Like milestones are marking the length of the way,  
And echoes of voices that no more shall greet us,  
Have saddened the chimes of the glad Christmas Day;  
We may not be merry, the long years forbid it;  
The years that have brought us such manifold smart  
But we may be happy if only we carry  
The spirit of Christmas deep down in our hearts.  
Three fold is the spirit thus blending together;  
The faith of the shepherds who came to the king,  
And knowing naught else but the angels' glad messages,  
Had only the faith to His cradle to bring.  
The hope of the Wise Men, which rose like the Day Star  
To lighten the centuries midnight of wrong,  
And the love of the Child in the low Manger lying,  
So tender and patient, so sweet and so strong,  
Hence I shall not wish you the old Merry Christmas,  
Since that is of shadowless childhood a part.  
But one that is holy and happy and peaceful,  
The spirit of Christmas deep down in your heart.

Fondest love always,  
Frances

## 16 Years Ago

(Dec. 24, 1924)

Ual Killebrew, who is in school in Bowling Green, is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Killebrew for the holidays.

"Cutie" Whitnel, of this city who was the first to make a touchdown against the strong Harvard team while playing on the Centre college team, will play in the all-star game at Mayfield Friday.

Mrs. J. R. Graham, who has been taking treatment in the Methodist hospital, Memphis, has returned home and is reported improving.

Miss Florence Wade, W. R. Butt, Jr., and Randolph Kramer played in the canata given by Miss Mabel Wright, violin teacher of Mayfield.

Dear Santa: I am a little boy seven years old. I want a football, some fireworks, games, story books, candy, nuts, fruit and anything you would like to bring me. I go to school and I wrote this all by myself. Your little friend, Bob King.

Lowell Valentine, who is attending school in Bowling Green, arrived this morning to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Valentine on West State Line.

M. C. Payne and Harry Murphy are spending the holidays with relatives in Nashville.

James Weaver Howard returned today from Chicago to spend the holidays with home folks.

### Selected Feature

#### THE MEN OF VICHY ARE NOT TO BE COERCED

The Vichy regime under Marshal Henri Philippe Petain stands firm on its dismissal of Pierre Laval as Vice Premier and Foreign Minister, if reports from the capital of unoccupied France are to be credited, and this resistance to German demands may have far-reaching effects on the European conflict.

The puppet government refuses to be the puppet government that Laval would have made it. The octogenarian Petain is not the nonentity that his appointed successor supposed him to be. Something of the old spirit of France has returned to the Men of Vichy given impetus by the heroic defense of the British Isles and by British and Greek successes in the Mediterranean. The vague promise of collaboration in the armistice terms is not to be distorted into military aid to Germany.

The Berlin press refers to the ouster of Laval as the Vichy putsch. It characterizes Petain and his associates as anti-Axis. It remains unoccupied France that it is a defeated country and that the war may be resumed at any time. The fulminations are understandable. Petain scotched the Hitler-Laval plot to overthrow the Government. He blocked the usual procedure of Nazi domination of putting in power a Seiss-Inquart or a Quisling and when such regime became unpopular of taking over complete control. The methods employed in Rumania might have been employed in France in a halt had not been called. And the Vichy regime is in a position to call a halt.

There is no mistake the fact that Hitler wants the French fleet in order to aid Italy and he wants the French colonies in Africa for air and naval basis. He will probably get neither now. Petain will not go to war against Britain and his loyal lieutenant, Weygand, will not surrender the colonies. With continued British and Greek successes the fleet and colonies might go over to the British side—the side that holds the only hope for the French nation. If German pressure is exerted on Vichy such a shift might follow automatically.

A defeated nation has stood in the way of the victor. The resistance of the Vichy regime to the demands of the Reich may have its effects in other conquered countries. The Men of Vichy, however, are not to be coerced. From now on it may be expected that they will be courted by both sides.—Courier-Journal.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Marth are leaving today for Burlington, Ky., to spend Christmas with their parents.

Mrs. H. C. Goode of LaCenter, Ky., is arriving today to spend tomorrow with her son, Rev. B. R. Ladd and family at their home on Park Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Walker of Jackson, Tenn., will arrive tonight to spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Roy McClellan and family, Carr street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen and daughter, Mary Zou, of Paducah visited Sunday with their son and brother, Tom Allen and wife.

Miss Patsy Ruth McClellan, who has been ill of flu for the past ten days, is reported now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith have as their Christmas guests their granddaughter, Mrs. Woodrow Calvin and Mr. Calvin of Cincinnati, and their daughter, Mrs. Jack Marshbanks and children of Jackson, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Merryman of Mayfield will visit briefly tonight with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merryman, College street. They will be enroute to Lexington, Tenn., to spend Christmas with Mrs. Merryman's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall are leaving today for Covington, Tenn., to spend Christmas.

#### SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

Cannehon, Ind.—If a man bites a dog, that's news.

If a dog shoots a dog, that's like what happened on Charles Goering's hunting trip. He told the story this way:

Goering, with two dogs following, started down a hill, his shotgun at his side.

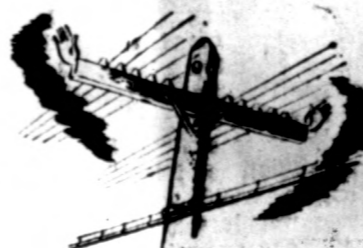
Both dogs dashed in from behind and slid down the gun muzzle. A paw of the second tripped the trigger. The gun went off and killed the first dog.

Amesbury, Mass.—Police were summoned to the next to the last roundup when a farmer reported his turkeys had escaped and were blocking traffic.

"The glint in the eyes of some of the motorists boded no good for the birds," the farmer said after the policeman had corralled the gobblers.

The last roundup comes today

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If you have occasion to use firearms, please be sure your shots are not fired in the direction of telephone lines. A moment's thought before you pull the trigger will prevent distress to your neighbors and save time for busy telephone men.

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when they go to the block.

Portland, Ore.—Apartment dwellers in the west side district found their faucets spouting charged water.

Sid Benedict, water engineer, traced the cause to a nearby service station. The attendant said he accidentally had attached an air compressor hose to a city water pipe instead of to the station's air hose.

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As the year comes to a close we feel that it is fitting to express our sincere appreciation to the many who have helped us make our business what it is. Without these friendships life would be a dull affair; with them it is a happy and glorious adventure through all the days that come. To all we extend our best wishes for a—

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## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

N. M. (SOOK) CULLUM, SOCIETY EDITOR—OFFICE 30

Lovely Christmas Tea Compliments  
Jane Lewis, Bride Elect, Yesterday

Complimenting Miss Jane Lewis, whose marriage to Louis Haynes, Jr., will take place December 26, Miss Ruby Boyd Alexander entertained with a lovely Christmas tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Walnut street. Guests were received between the hours of 3 and 5, and about one hundred guests called during the afternoon.

For the occasion the house was attractively decorated, carrying out the Christmas and bridal motifs. Garlands of holly festooned the archways and a lighted Christmas tree added color to the decorations. A miniature bride with lighted red white tapers on either side was placed on the buffet.

The guests were greeted at the door by Miss Martha Moore, in aqua embroidered net with a corsage of pink carnations. In the receiving line were Miss Alexander, in a model of navy crepe with white camisole bodice; the honoree, Miss Lewis, in a fuchsia moire gown with black velvet bodice and a corsage of pink roses and violets;

Mrs. J. O. Lewis, mother of the bride, in a black chiffon dinner dress with a corsage of pink roses; Miss Kathryn Taylor in blue marquisette with pink carnations; Miss Mary Nugent of Franklin, Tenn., in black brocaded taffeta with a corsage of pink carnations. Others assisting in receiving the guests were Mrs. E. B. Alexander in black crepe and Mrs. G. K. Underwood in black lace.

Mrs. Ira Little, in green crepe with gold head trim and a corsage of pink carnations, presided at the lace draped tea table which held a centerpiece of red carnations and narcissus in a silver epergne. Those serving were Miss Eleanor Ruth Jones, in white net, Miss Ann Godfrey in blue satin, Miss Ruth Graham, in white brocade, and Miss Sarah Nell Alexander in pink net with bouffant skirt. Music was furnished throughout the afternoon at the piano by Mrs. Walter Voelpel, in wine velvet and Miss Sara Owen in black and white chiffon.

GALLEMORE-MORROW  
MARRIAGE IN FULTON

Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Gallemore, Mayfield, has announced the marriage of their daughter, Ann Marilyn, to Dr. Claude Graves Morrow, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Morrors, Paducah. The wedding was quietly solemnized Sunday, December 22, at the Church of Christ in Fulton with the minister, Elder Charles L. Houser, reading the impressive double ring ceremony in the presence of members of the immediate families and close friends. The only attendants were Mrs. Henry Macon Bryor, sister of the bride, and Mr. Fryor.

The couple left immediately after the wedding for a southern motor trip and will be at home in Mayfield after January 1, where Dr. Morrors is associated with his father.

MISS JUANITA MCGEE  
ACCEPTS I. C. POSITION

Miss Juanita McGee, who has been employed in the office of the DuPont powder plant at Millington, Tenn., near Memphis, will arrive tomorrow morning to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McGee, Second street. She will be accompanied by a friend, Douglas Ferris of New York, also an employee at Millington.

Miss McGee will leave Fulton on Friday, December 27, for Jackson, Miss., where she has accepted a position as stenographer in the claim department of the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

KOEHN-WILLIAMSON  
ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and John Christian Koehn announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Joseph Milton Williamson of Nashville, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hugh S. Williamson of Celina, Tennessee.

Miss Koehn was graduated from Fulton High school in 1935 and attended Monticello Junior college. Mr. Williamson was graduated from Celina High school and attended Tennessee Polytechnic Institute at Cookeville, Tenn. He is connected with the Young-Neal Company of Nashville.

The wedding will take place January 26.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Casey announce the birth of a 8 1-4 pound daughter, Madge Elaine, born today, December 24, at their home on Park Avenue.

## PERSONALS

FOR RENT: First class furnished house-keeping apartment with heat. Phone 430. Adv. 304-tf. Rev. and Mrs. Warren Clapp and little son, Joe Warren, of Hickman, Tenn., and Rev. and Mrs. Joe Clapp of Woodland Mills, Tenn., are spending Christmas in Fulton with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clapp, Jefferson street. Warren has been called to the Baptist church in Tiptonville, Tenn., and will go there the first of the year to make his home. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fry and Atwill Hendrix of Union City will spend

tomorrow in Fulton with Mrs. Fry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flippo, Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham and daughter, Anna, will spend tomorrow in Ralston with Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Whitlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Baird and son, Danny, of Pickwick Dam are arriving today to spend Christmas with Mrs. Baird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McDade, Highlands.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bondurant of New York City arrived in Fulton yesterday to spend the holidays with the former's mother, Mrs. Ed Bondurant, Highlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham and daughter, Anna, attended the funeral of Mrs. Graham's cousin, Mark Mitchell, yesterday in Gleason, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell McDade and daughter, Ann, have as their house guests during Christmas Mrs. McDade's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Conley of Halls, Tenn., her sister, Mrs. B. A. Partee, Jr., Mr. Partee and baby of Trenton, Tenn., and her brother, P. B. Conley, Mrs. Conley and two sons, Bobby and Paul, Jr., of Alamo, Tenn. Billy Browning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Browning, is ill of flu.

Miss Mary Moss Hales is recovering from an illness of flu at her home on Park Avenue.

J. D. Hales of Bowling Green Business University is spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hales, Park avenue.

Mrs. Ida Poe will leave in the morning for Cairo to spend Christmas with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Poe.

Mrs. N. B. Lovelace, Mrs. Stella Ellis, Miss Corine Lovelace, Harry Potter, Miss Margaret Potter will spend Christmas Day in Paducah with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dunning.

Miss Martha Neal Houston is ill of flu at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mullins, Fourth street, are expecting the following guests tomorrow: Mr. Mullins' sister, Mrs. Lester Jones and Mr. Jones of Ashland, N. C., his nephew, Ernest Mullins, Jr., and Mrs. Mullins of Ripley, Tenn., and Mrs. Mullins' cousin, Mrs. Louise Doran of Nashville, Tenn.

Cecil Gardner of Vicksburg, Miss., arrived this morning to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gardner, Commercial Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thomas and Mrs. James Allen Willingham will arrive here tonight from Memphis to spend Christmas with W. A. Terry and family.

Mrs. H. W. Shupe is leaving tonight for McConnellsville, Ohio where she will spend Christmas with her husband who is a patient in Rocky Glenn Sanatorium.

Carl Edwards Jones of New York City is arriving tomorrow for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Lula E. Jones, Carr street.

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by Dorothy Greig



It may be heresy even to hint at such a thing . . . but there are some irrepressible souls who think the best part of the holiday turkey is its final wind-up as turkey soup. Such honest turkey flavor, they claim, almost more than the turkey meat itself had, as though the very essence of flavor had been saved for this, its glorious finish. And I agree, for my own turkey soup is something of which I'm really proud. You see, I add condensed cream of mushroom soup which gives it an extra fillup of delicate flavor, and a smoothness of texture that is a delight to the palate. Here's how it goes:

Bones of one roast turkey  
2 quarts cold water  
1 carrot, sliced  
1 stalk celery  
2 slices onion, medium size  
Put all ingredients into a stewing

kettle, bring to a boil and simmer, covered, for 2 hours. Strain. Makes 1 1/2 quarts stock.

1 1/2 quarts turkey stock  
4 tablespoons rice, uncooked  
2 cans condensed cream of mushroom soup  
Cook the rice in the turkey stock until soft when pressed the fingers. Empty the cream of mushroom soup into a saucepan, stir well and add the turkey stock with cooked rice.

For garnish—add 4 tablespoons of chopped tomato (firm part) and 1 teaspoon chopped parsley. Makes 2 1/4 quarts.

Note:  
No salt and pepper were used in this recipe because the seasoning in the cream of mushroom soup seemed adequate. However, you may prefer to add about 1/4 teaspoon of salt and pinch of pepper

Centralia, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gregory of Mt. Vernon and Mark Davidson of Sandoval, Ill., will spend tomorrow here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Norris, and Mrs. Davidson, Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Yewell Harrison and little daughter, Margaret Lee, are leaving this afternoon for Mur-ray where they will visit their par-

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Mr. and Mrs. Atkins Cole are going to Owensboro, Ky., to spend Christmas with their son, Marshall Cole and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Long will leave

Fulton tomorrow morning to spend the holidays in St. Louis with Mrs. Long's father, W. N. Nolan.

Forrest Ladd, accompanied by Miss Virginia Worsham, of Memphis, will spend tomorrow here with Forrest's parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Ladd, Park avenue.

Rev. and Mrs. M. H. Stroud and family of Covington, Tenn., will spend tomorrow in Fulton with Mrs. Stroud's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Legg.

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### MISS NUGENT HERE FOR WEDDING

Miss Mary Nugent, who is a teacher in the city schools at Starksville, Miss., arrived yesterday afternoon from Franklin, Tenn., to spend the holidays with Miss Kathryn Taylor and to attend the Lewis-Haynes wedding Thursday.

### BLACK ROOT ROT INJURED TOBACCO

A survey made by the Kentucky College of Agriculture showed that black root rot injured tobacco in Barren, Christian, Logan, Todd,

Simpson and Warren counties. Dr. R. M. Johnson, plant pathologist of the college, inspected 83 fields of burley and found the disease in 20 of them; also in 37 out of 88 fields of dark fire-cured tobacco, and in 56 out of 101 fields of one-sucker.

Cool temperatures immediately after the tobacco was set were conducive to injury from black root rot, Dr. Johnson said. Despite higher temperatures later in the season, affected plants grew slowly and in some fields were only about half-grown at the normal time of topping.

Burley No 16 tobacco grew normally in fields known to be infected with black root rot and in rows adjacent to dark varieties badly stunted by the disease, according to Dr. Johnson.

### FARM WOMEN REPORT HOME IMPROVEMENTS

One hundred and seventeen members of homemakers' clubs in Mason county reported improvements in their homes in 1940. Some of these improvements as listed by Doris Van Winkle, the county's

home demonstration agent, are 443 articles of furniture refinished, 32 articles upholstered, 102 chairs re-caned, 78 chairs and stools covered, 204 floors refinished, 96 new floor coverings, 196 rooms papered, 70 walls painted, woodwork reconditioned in 171 rooms, 371 new window shades, 373 pictures hung, 63 pictures framed, 74 slip covers made, and furniture rearranged in 266 rooms.

Plainview, Tex.—Sitting in her automobile, Wanda Adams, Wayland College student, suddenly remembered a Christmas gift she had forgotten at a store.

She stepped out and went to a hospital for treatment of bruises.

She also had forgotten the car was parked on a hydraulic hoist at a service station.

### British Make Nearly 5,000 Raids On Axis In Last Eight Months

New York.—The British have made nearly 5,000 air raids on Germany and Italy and Axis-occupied territory in the past eight months, the British radio said today in a broadcast heard here by CBS.

"The Italians have felt the weight of almost 1,000 attacks against targets in Italy, Italian East Africa, Libya and the Dodecanese Islands," the radio said. "Each of the industrial centers of Turin, Naples and Milan have been badly damaged."

### Girl Finds Even Bandits Can Act Like Gentlemen

Mobile, Ala.—Take it from 20-year-old Dorothea Nall, even a bandit can act like a gentleman.

Miss Nall, robbed of about \$50 at the branch office of a laundry here last night, gave police this description of the bandit:

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