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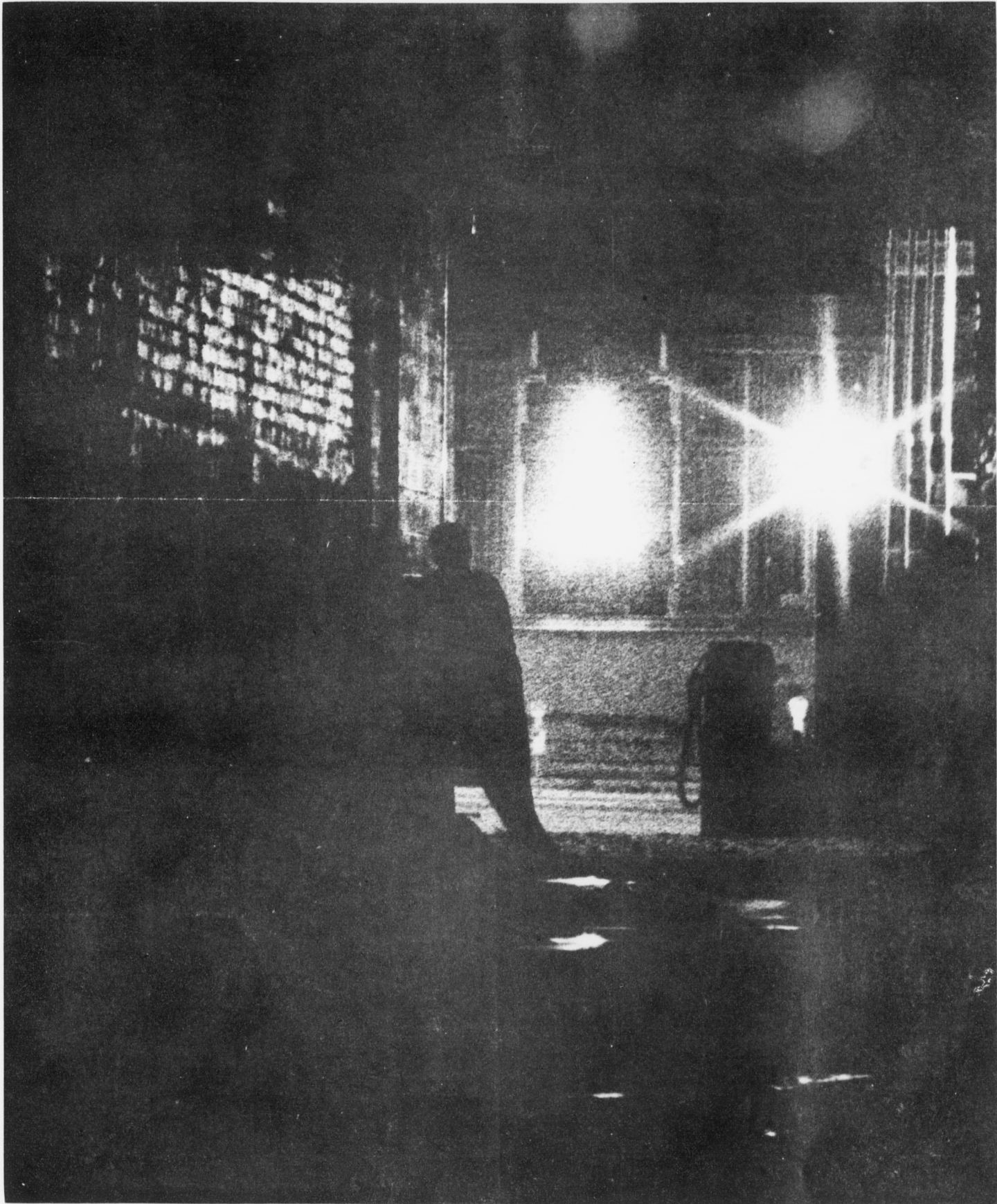
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Christmas Eve 12:00 P. M.



—photo by Stephen Bowles

It's a misty December night: 12:00 p.m.

Mrs. Richardson bought her husband a tie and coat to match tonight.

Jane bought her boyfriend a book of whispering love poems.

Mr. Simpson walked through the rain for party-mixers.

Private Joe Cassidy got a letter from Mom, and killed four men he never knew.

Frank Jackson made a break from Guest Road Prison and was cut down by Hank Mason's double barrel.

Jonathan Jones picked cement out of the bricks in a Birmingham jail-cell marking the days.

Rows of Christmas lights burn all night on a brown stone building, and light up the alley.

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—Will Franklin