



Christmas Always

There'll always be a Christmas—
The bells, the candle glow,
And babies' stockings by the fire
Because we will it so.

There'll always be glad greetings
To ring through every land,
And carollers will sing to hearts,
And hearts will understand,

We'll always watch the heaven,
Watch one star's Christmas glow—
We'll always have a Christmas,
God help us keep this so!

209, 214 Bulletin Boards Named Best by Judges

Miss Unity Nash's room 209 and Mrs. Lena Hedrick's room 214 took first and second places in the annual Christmas bulletin board contest sponsored by the Junior Pointer. Other top displays named by the judges were those in Mrs. Elizabeth Beamon's 205, Mrs. Frances Hogue's 115 and Mrs. Grady Moore's 117.

Miss Nash's board created by Linda Henry and Zana Lanier pictures three expressive angels singing "Silent Night."

In Mrs. Hedrick's room one is greeted by an expansive snowy scene with tiny buildings tucked in the hillsides. Lelia Clinard planned and did much work on the scene. Helping her were Joyce

Cargal, Judy McDowell and Hope Knight.

Room 205 extends a Christmas card from everyone in the room. This is emphasized with pictures of students. Bobby Livengood, Juanita Cox and Roy Irwin made this one.

Mama Santa's kitchen and Papa Santa's workshop are seen in 115. Working on this were George Purcell, Betsy Creech, Joey Rowe and Lowell.

A hand-drawn choir sings "Joy to the World" in 117. Eilene Leffler, Ginger Shaw, Jackie Poole and Muriel Proctor were the main ones who worked on this one.

Judges were Judi Yow and Rebecca Ragan from the Pemican staff of Senior High School.

Room 214 Leads In Attendance

Mrs. Lena Hedrick's eighth grade, 214 has just calmly ignored the Asian flu bug during these first three months of the school year. With the attendance records of other rooms hitting in the 80% bracket, 214 has consistently led the school with this record; first month, 99.4%; second month, 96.7%; third month 95.6%.

Ninth Grade Girls Hold Seasonal Home Ec. Luncheons

Judy Cameron

In keeping with the traditional Thanksgiving idea of the Horn of Plenty, and yellow and bronze chrysanthemums as their decorations, the two annual home-economics luncheons were held by the ninth grade girls of Miss Blount's cooking classes on Nov. 22 and Nov. 25 in the living room of the home-economics department.

Every year the ninth grade girls in the home-economics classes look forward to this affair, since it is one of their biggest projects.

On Nov. 22 Carolyn Conrad served, Rose Ann Boyles acted as hostess, Ellen Eaves as host, Mary Muckenfuss as guest and Genna Crater as assistant. The special guests were Mr. J. C. Boyles, Mr. Weaver, and Mrs. Erath.

On Monday, Nov. 25, Loma Leonard and Mildred James were the host and hostess, Nancy Hunt was the guest and Maria Sechrest served. The special guests were Miss Limhouse, Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Clayton.

This project concluded the twelve weeks of cooking in the home-economics department.

Seventh and ninth grade leaders in this department follow:

First Month	
Seventh grade	98.5%
116 — Miss Brawley	
Ninth grade	99%
210 — Mrs. Briggs	
Second Month	
Seventh grade	93.4%
213 — Mrs. Moore	
Ninth grade	94.7%
211 — Mrs. Burns	
Third Month	
Seventh grade	92.11%
119 — Miss Coley	
Ninth grade	94.7%
209 — Miss Nash	

The school as a whole did not fare as well with the invader from Asia as did 214. The tumble in attendance, school-wide, is seen in the following figures. For the first school month the percentage was 96.4%. The second month it was 90.6% and, in the third month, it dropped below 90%, being 88.7%.

'Winter Wonderland' To Be Dance Theme

Donna Rae Clement

"Winter Wonderland" is the theme for the Christmas dance to be held Friday, December 13 from 7:30 to 10:00 in the Junior High gym. Entertainment at the intermission will be furnished by the "Hoboes" band consisting of J. R. Maners, Bob Zimmerman and Jerry Long. Refreshments will be made by the home economics department. Student Council will sponsor the dance.

Art Department and the Social Committee will make and put up decorations. Social Committee is made up of: Donna Raye Clement, chairman, J. R. Maners, co-chairman, Genna Crater, Edwin James, Candy Crawford, Larry Patton, Ellen Eaves, Charlie McAnally, Jimmie Hughey, Patsy Peatross, Edgar Banks, Pamela Rogers.

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Key members of band: seated left to right: Peggy Wiley, Patsy Safrit. Standing left to right: Charles Cooke, Bill Okey, Trudde Herbert, Roger Driggers.

Band, Girls' Chorus to Give Annual Christmas Program

Sue Latimer

This year the Christmas program will be presented by the Junior High Concert Band under the direction of Mr. David Duncan and the eighth grade girls' chorus under the direction of Mrs. Lena Hedrick. The title of the program is "The Christmas Story." It is a stage presentation of the story as told in the Gospels according to Saint Luke and Saint Matthew and is written by Paul Yoder. The program will be presented December 18 in the school auditorium.

In addition to the band and chorus, tableau scenes and narration will also be used. Teachers in charge of the tableau scenes are Miss Mildred Knox, Mr. Ingle Cook and Miss Wilson. Miss Knox has charge of the scene of angels and shepherds, Mr. Cook has charge of the scene of the wise men. The scenes will be done in the background in pantomime. Judy Culp will narrate the program.

The audience will join in the final number of the program which is "Joy To The World."

Red Cross Sponsors The Distribution Of Favor Trays

Connie Newnam

This year, in addition to collecting money for their drive, the Red Cross is sponsoring the distribution of favor trays to hospitals in the North Carolina area. Thanksgiving favors were "turkey nut cups" made from sections of paper mache, egg cartons and construction paper. Students, June Jordan, Barbara Payne, Dolly Lewellyn, Sandra Carroll and Alice Robertson of Miss Patsy Harrelson's third period art class created them.

Christmas favors are being made by Mrs. Ida Pickens' homeroom. They will be sent to veteran's hospitals in North Carolina. The favors are in the form of Christmas trees with ornaments of metallic paper. The students were not allowed to use wire or staples to put the trees together, so they invented the use of yarn to lace them. The bases are made of dixie desert cups with wooden thread spools giving balance. Enough room will be left under the tree for nuts and candy.

In Junior High the Red Cross Committee is sponsoring the project. Linda Cabot is chairman of this committee.

Junior Red Cross activities are under the general supervision of Student Council. Council activities are directed by Mrs. Laura Phillips.

Two Teachers to Marry Over Holidays; Many to Travel

Melinda Causby

Wedding bells will chime with Christmas bells for two Junior High teachers. Miss Shelby Mosley, teacher of 202, will return after the holidays as Mrs. Philip Henshaw. Mr. Donald Kearns of room 5 is marrying Miss Margaret Westmoreland, teacher at Tomlinson School. Miss Gayle Privette, eighth grade teacher, is planning a trip to Cincinnati, Ohio during her Christmas vacation. Mrs. Ida Pickens, art teacher in room 4, will spend Christmas day in Voorheesville, New York and New Year's in Baltimore, Maryland.

Many states in the Union are being visited by Junior High teachers. Mr. Hebert M. Carroll is going to Grahn, Kentucky. Mr. Oscar I. Cooke, Miss Helen Dickson and Miss Virginia Calhoun are to visit in South

Carolina. Mrs. Doris Cox, Mr. Charles Weaver will go to their homes here in the old North State.

"I will spend my Christmas playing Santa Claus," laughed Mr. Robert McGowan.

201 Goes 100% For Junior Pointer

Mrs. Helen Miller's homeroom 201 is the only room in the school to come in with 100% subscriptions to the Junior Pointer since the last issue of the paper came out.

This room did not have very far to go, though, because it reported 29 subscriptions before the first issue of the paper. The other 100% room is 214, Mrs. Lena Hedrick's room.