

Principal Stutts Names Erwin Honor Roll Pupils

The Honor Roll for the second period at the Erwin Schools has just been released by Principal D. T. Stutts. Students on the Honor Roll for this period are as follows:

FIRST GRADE: Larry Johnson, Jimmy Smith, Theresa Coleman, Carolyn Johnson, Susie Morgan, Becky Whittington, Joe Williams, Roy Avery, Sylvia Beasley, Janice Davenport, Barbara Ralph, Frances Tadlock, Eddie Lee, Ronald Peterson, Wade Turner, Jimmy Wade, Ann Ennis, Brenda Kay West, Brenda Ivey, Kathy Whittington, Ray Baker, Sue Hall.

SECOND GRADE: Roy Godwin, Kelly Horne, Donny Keith, Bud King, Ricky Odom, Ronnie Roundbush, Larry Whitman, Shirley Byrd, Jonnie Ennis, Faye Lucas, Carolyn Poole, Connie Quick, Donald Turnage, Ruby Williams, Ann Adair, Patricia Byrd, Billy Melvin, Jimmy Woodruff, Joe Odom, Bobby Phillips, Jimmy Quick, Melba Harden, Linda Lucas, Mary Simmons, Frank Ralph Jr., Dwight McKee, Jo Ann Turnage, Sarah Smith, Martha Ann Ralph, Vickie Williams.

THIRD GRADE: Dorinda Avery, Sharon Murray, Michael Dubis, Kenneth Strickland, Dicky Smith, Johnny Whittington, Judith Prince, Janette Reeves, Deloris Royal, Jimmy Bruton, Carolyn Tyson, Elizabeth Faircloth, Junior Tew, Thomas Moore, Joyce Avery, Faye Parker, Brenda Ravnor, Sandra Wade.

FOURTH GRADE: Barry Griffin, Larry Odom, Mary Alice McLean, Frankie Messer, Sandra Ralph, J. C. Melvin, Billy Spell, James Earl Core, Wanda Lee, Judy Strickland, Diane West, Betty Jos Dorman, Edward Sneed, Marcella Griffin, Caron Bethune, Carol Toth, Shelton Price, Michael Broadwell, Wynan Autry, Edward Caldwell, Jerry McCaskill, Edwin Stone, Woody Woodall, Gayle Ennis, Linda Johnson, Sue Reardon, Vivian Smith, Winifred Turner, Carolyn Whittington.

FIFTH GRADE: Earl Moore, Mickey Crawford, LaVern Johnson, Connie Stewart, Rosemary Adair, Brenda Johnson, Elizabeth Moore, Pat, Burlington, Linda Autry.

SIXTH GRADE: Judy Williams, Bobby Norris, Joyce Lee, Stephanie Taylor, Dalton Tyndall, Joe House.

SEVENTH GRADE: Westra Hawley, Lois Penny, Devon Dorman, Judy Stevens, Nancy Glover, Buddy Glover, Kenneth Byrd, Jerry Williams, Ruth Avery, Joye Ennis, Dorothy Maynard, Janette Morris.

EIGHTH GRADE: Larry Turnage, Patsy Branley, Janice Byrd, Heiron Norris, Kenneth West, June Turrlington, Joyce Lockamy, Charlotte

Cameron, Betty Hommock, Mary Page.

NINTH GRADE: Margaret Cummings, Margiel Eanes, Mary Hall, Etta Jean Horne, Ellene Avery, Tommy Stevens.

TENTH GRADE: Lucrecia Bass, Diane Ralph, Emily Grant Thomas, Barbara Hudson, Manline Wiggins.

ELEVENTH GRADE: Rachel Byrd, Annie Ruth Coge, Freds West, Wilma Hogue, Patricia Warren, Pat Whittman.

TWELFTH GRADE: Mary Faye Ennis, Rilla Byrd Godwin, Nina Ruth Grimes, Judith Holmes, Doris Jackson, Elladene Johnson, Shirley M. Norris, Phillip Keen.

Erwin Soldier In Iceland

KEFLAVIK, Iceland (FHTNC)—Spending a Christmas far from home is not the happiest thought in the world to be sure.

And in Iceland, where the Army, Navy and Air Force compose the unified Iceland Defense Force, Christmas this year will, if predictions fall true, be one of the shortest and perhaps the gloomiest days ever experienced by Americans stationed here.

Serving at the headquarters for this sub-Arctic outpost, is Pfc. Ronnie F. Patterson, USA, of 204 N. Ninth St., Erwin, N. C.

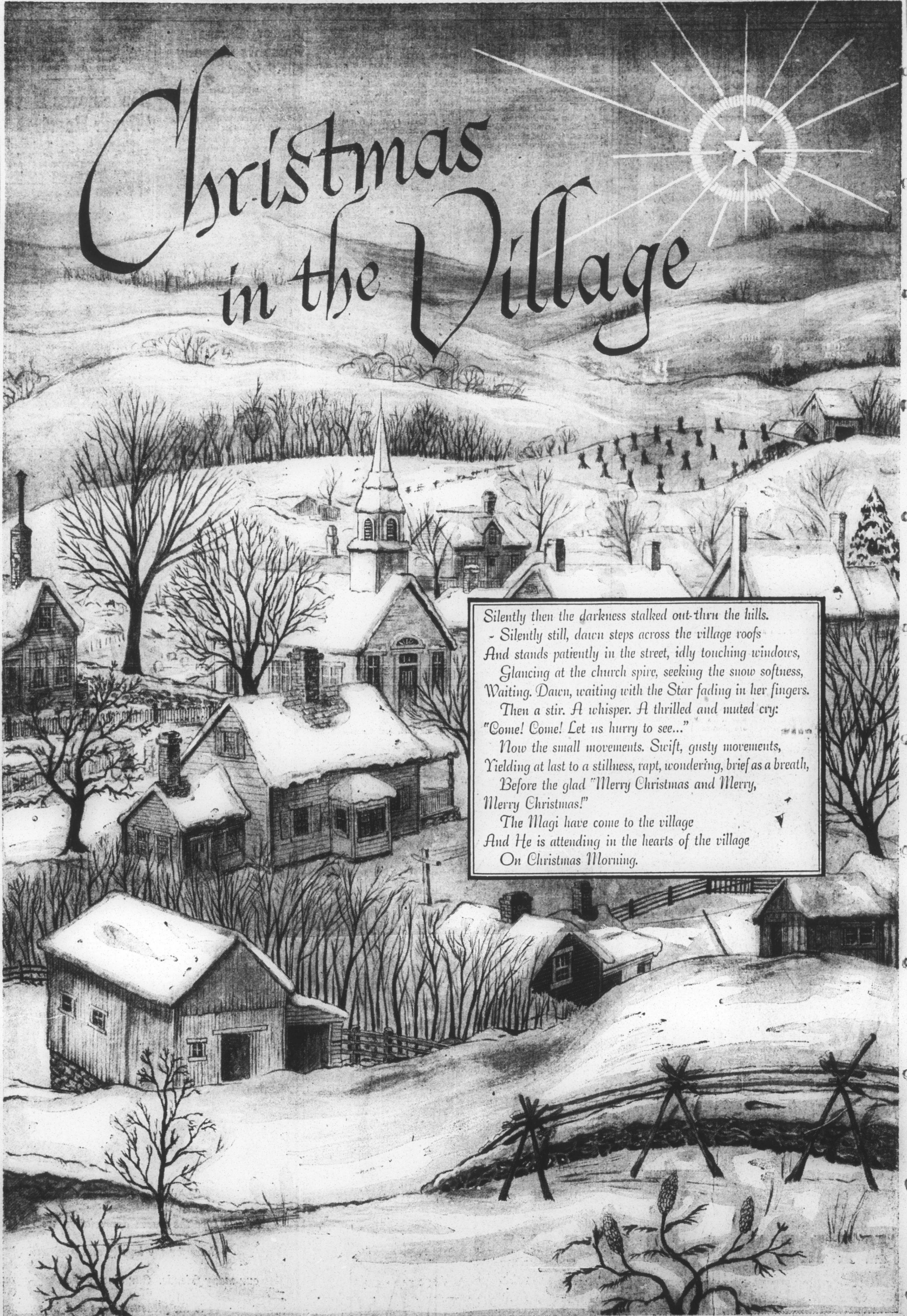
Reason for the dismal Christmas in Iceland is the prediction of the Base weatherman that "if they wanted a white Christmas, they would have to be somewhere else besides Keflavik."

In his official prediction for Iceland's Yuletide, the weatherman said: "The sun will rise at 10:23 a. m. (local time) and set at 2:36 p. m. (Only four hours and 13 minutes of daylight). The day should be cloudy with snow flakes in the air. The maximum temperature 39, the minimum 31 degrees. Wind will be from the southeast at 20 knots."

Most popular theory for Iceland's unusually temperate climate is the warm Gulf Stream, which flows along both coasts of Iceland. Meeting with cold air from the giant ice floes north of Iceland, the climate produced in the winter is mild, foggy, and most erratic.

Whatever the reason for the climate, the prophet, running the risk of being tabbed the "Scrooge of Iceland," followed the example of all good weathermen and put himself way out on the proverbial limb. The question now is "Will Dame Nature saw it off. Come Dec. 25?"

Christmas in the Village



Silently then the darkness stalked out-thru the hills.
- Silently still, dawn steps across the village roofs
And stands patiently in the street, idly touching windows,
Glancing at the church spire, seeking the snow softness,
Waiting. Dawn, waiting with the Star fading in her fingers.
Then a stir. A whisper. A thrilled and muted cry:
"Come! Come! Let us hurry to see..."
Now the small movements. Swift, gusty movements,
Yielding at last to a stillness, rapt, wondering, brief as a breath,
Before the glad "Merry Christmas and Merry,
Merry Christmas!"
The Magi have come to the village
And He is attending in the hearts of the village
On Christmas Morning.

Season's

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