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DECEMBER EVENTS CHRISTMAS 1958

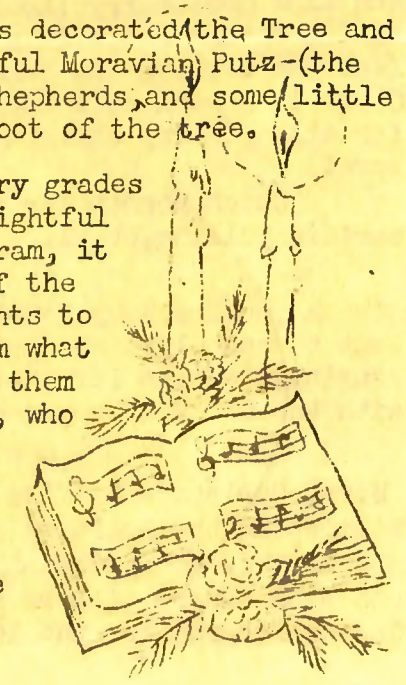
CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS AT THE SCHOOL

Each of the elementary rooms is planning its own room program, its Christmas Tree, and exchange of gifts. High school and seventh and eighth grade students will use the library tree as a center for their Christmas singing and gifts. The eighth grade will present a play: CHRISTMAS GIFTS. Brenda and George are brother and sister, Mable is their mother; Louise is the good neighbor who brings them gifts; Wayne is Santa Claus.

Betty Helen is our Christmas accompanist. She has been playing for the 7th and 8th graders and will play on Friday for the high school group.

Juniors and seniors decorated the Tree and have made a beautiful Moravian Putz-(the Manger Scene, the Shepherds, and some little Villages) at the foot of the tree.

Since the elementary grades gave us such a delightful Thanksgiving program, it is now the turn of the high school students to entertain, and from what we can glean from them and Mr. Rondthaler, who is coaching them, the "show" they are planning to give on Thursday afternoon will be a good one.



Sunday night, December 21: The Choir of Oracoke Methodist Church will present a Cantata THE CHRISTMAS STORY, with Rev. W. W. Clarke as narrator. Soloists are Mrs. Neva O'Neal who sings "Sleep, my Little Jesus; Danny Garrish, "Calm neath the Sky"; Calvin O'Neal, "What Child is This?"; and Wallace Spencer, "That Glorious Song."

Tuesday night, December 23: Christmas Program at the Assembly of God Church.

Wednesday night, December 24: Christmas Program at the Methodist Church.

There will be several square dances during the Christmas Holidays...the traditional ones on Christmas and New Year's Eve and a Friday or Saturday night one, depending on when movies at the theater are scheduled.

School closes Friday, December 19th, and doesn't reopen until Monday, January 5, '59.