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MERRY CHRISTMAS

Our heartiest greetings to you and yours!

Ben E. Perrin Sr.

Ben E. Perrin, Sr., father of Mrs. Richard M. Baker, died Wednesday, December 15, 1965 in the Brookville, Pa., Hospital after a long illness. Other survivors include his wife, daughters, Mrs. Patricia Robbins of Wellsville, Mrs. Shirley Hull of Bolivar; sons, Donald Perrin of Bolivar and Ben Jr., of Patton, California. Twenty two grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Military services were held at the Galbreath Funeral Home in Brookville on Friday with interment in Temple Cemetery at Hazen, Pa.

Mrs. Richard M. Baker accompanied her brother, Donald Perrin of Bolivar to Brookville, Pa., last week to make funeral arrangements for their father, Ben Perrin.

Those attending the funeral of their father-in-law and grandfather were Richard M. Baker, Marsha



Robert Phelps, a surgical patient at the Bethesda Hospital, returned to his home Tuesday afternoon.

Craig Barnes, a medical patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital, has returned to his home.

Arthur Mills and Roger Mills, medical patients in the St. James Mercy Hospital, have returned to their home.

Mrs. Leo Horan, a medical patient in the St. James Mercy Hospital, has returned to her home.

and Stephen; Mrs. Melinda Hoagland; and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker II.

Live Nativity Scene To Be Portrayed By Jasper Wesleyan Church

The West Jasper Wesleyan Church located near Greenwood, New York, is attempting something new this year which has generated a large amount of enthusiasm. Under the direction of the Young Adult Class they are constructing an outdoor manger scene which will feature live animals and live people. Plans call for the use of a donkey, sheep, and cows.

Different groups of people will be presenting the scene which the public may see on Thursday, December 23rd from 7:00 to 10:00 P. M., and Sunday, December 26th from 3:00 to 5:00 P. M.

The public is cordially invited to come and enjoy the portrayal of the Birth of Christ in tableau and song. Ample parking space will be provided in order that all

Local Church Services For Christmas Eve

At 8:00 p. m. Friday evening, a Christmas Eve Service will be held at the Andover Methodist Church.

At 9:00 p. m. Friday evening, the Andover Presbyterian Church will hold its Traditional Candlelight Service in the Sanctuary.

The public is cordially invited to attend these Services.

News Briefs Of Local Servicemen

Hospitalman Lyle Nye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto B. Nye, recently was promoted to Hospitalman Third Class.

The following is the address of Grey Ordway:

may view the scene from their cars.

News That's Print To It

Wow! Did our official winter weather ever come in with a bang! After having the temperature range between the 20's and 40's for so long—then to be hit with below zero weather—kinda takes your breath away.

According to the boys down at the Pump Station, the recorded high and low since Saturday is as follows: Sat., Dec. 18th—L 23; H 28; 19th—L 19, H 24; 20th—L -8, H 21; 21st—L -5, H 30—and at 2 A. M., this morning it was Zero, warming up to a high of 33 during the day. According to the next 4 day weather forecast—we are in for more warm weather; with possible rain, freezing rain, and maybe a little snow. However, the prospects sure aren't very good for a deep fall of snow for an "Old Fashioned White Christmas". Maybe the weather man will be wrong—who knows?

Speaking of freezing rain reminds us that if this does occur, all you motorists had better be extra careful—at least during the Christmas Holidays. Not only as far as you are concerned—but especially for the other guy that may have had a few belts too many.

We understand that last Friday night an out-of-state motorist put a couple of local drivers in the ditch with his zig-zag driving and scared the daylights out of them. However, according to the local Police Report, he was caught and pled guilty to driving while intoxicated.

We can't help but feel sorry for anyone that has to pay a stiff fine—especially at Christmas Time—as well as face the probability of losing his driver's license, but, how much sorer we would feel if the same driver put friends of ours—or even us—in the hospital just because of his erratic driving habits.

Then Monday night in Horneil while on our way to visit someone in the hospital, we stopped in back of a business place to go in and get a shoe shine (so we would pass the "eyeball test" of those pretty nurses) leaving a passenger in the car until our return.

When we came out a few minutes later we learned that we had missed a scene which sounds real funny in a joke. It seems that a man came staggering out of the rear door of a near-by bar—and was more than a little unsteady on his feet. In fact, he had to hang on to the side of our car to balance himself until he could grope his way—yes, you guessed it—to his car, climbed in, and after fussing around a couple of minutes, got it fired up and roared away.

Of course by the time we returned to the car, it was too late to get his license number and thus report it to the police. But, you'd better believe that we were on the alert—and hoped that we wouldn't meet him coming towards us!

The old joke that we heard sometime in the past was about a driver that was stopped by the police for his erratic driving and when asked why he was driving in such an intoxicated condition answered: "What the heck, I'm too drunk to walk home—so how else do you think I'm going to get home unless I drive!"

But to see it actually happen in actual life—think of the tragedy that could occur before he got home!

Seems to us we recall an expression something about being our brother's keeper, and, in a case like this as a responsible citizen it would appear to be the duty of all of us to report such irresponsible actions to the police—whenever possible to get the license number of the car. 10-4?

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Don't Drive After Drinking