### In Bethlehem

A joyous song was heard,
It trembled with a hallowed name;
The night took up the word.
The starry hosts shone silver-bright
Upon a world forlorn,
And ushered in an age of lightWhen Christ our Lord was born.

WITHIN a manger, shadow-pent

A mother kissed her child,
And all the starry firmament
Looked down in joy, and smiled.
For love had come to clouded earth
That grace might conquer sin.
Who could have known the Christ child's
birth
Had brought God's kingdom in:

ALAS! that men have stilled the song
Which rang that starry night!
Through sterms of hate and conflicts long
How oft has failed the light!
But love's good work is not complete,
Men still shall come from far
To lay their tribute at His feet
And rest beneath His star.

Thomas Curtis Clark

### A REMINDER TO DEPARTMENT HEADS

Catalog copy is due in Dean Moore's office not later than January 3.

You may pick up your December check in the Business Office Dec. 18.

#### APPROVED ABSENCES

In order to participate in a Varsity Basketball Game with Denver University on December 17, the following men will be absent from classes from noon Thursday, Dec. 16 until classes are over on Saturday. December 18th.

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Frank Kudlaty Bob Burton Kendall Bond
Bruce Craig Bill Moran Bill Moorman
Julius Dolnics Bob Young Bill J. Elliott
Gene Schmidt Bob Hendricks Bob Lee

Buster Brannon, Basketball Coach

Ronald Henderson, Gerald Cook, Lewis Gillis, Frank Kasko, Ernest Repass and Douglas Elliot were absent from 11:00 and 12:00 classes Dec. 14 to play in a brass sextet.

T. Smith McCorkle, Dean

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S 921 G186t	Timmons, Bascom Nolly, 1890 Garner of Texas, a personal history. (1st ed) New York, Harper, 1948.
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