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SELLERSVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA



THE HOME OF

"Carillonic Bells"

Schulmerich Electronics

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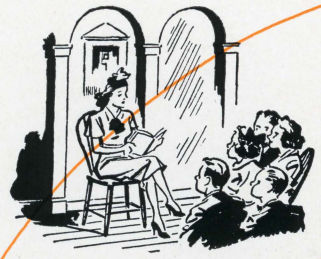





CARILLONIC BELLS. Through the melody of these unique, modern bells, many churches now extend their message far beyond the pew. Carillonic Bells are brilliant in tone; may be played independently or in conjunction with the organ and are easily installed. Reasonably priced.

TOWER MUSIC SYSTEMS. Send forth the joyous songs of cheer and praise. Schulmerich Tower Music Systems afford matchless tone, allow "broadcast" of chimes, organ, choir and records from church tower.

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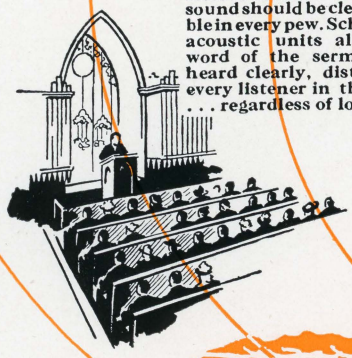

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Like Ever-Widening Ripples on a Pool . . .

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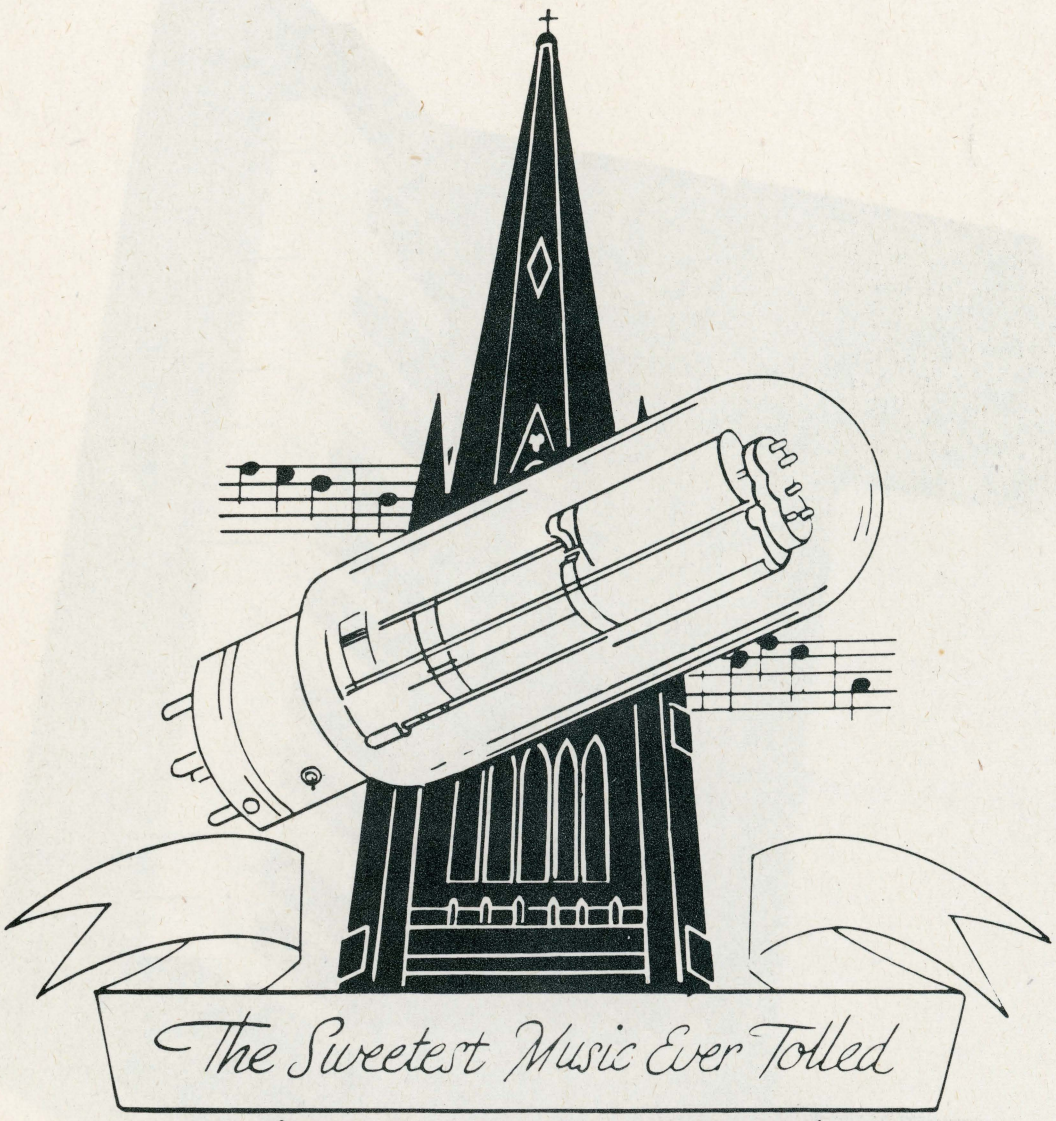
CARILLONIC BELL KEYBOARD



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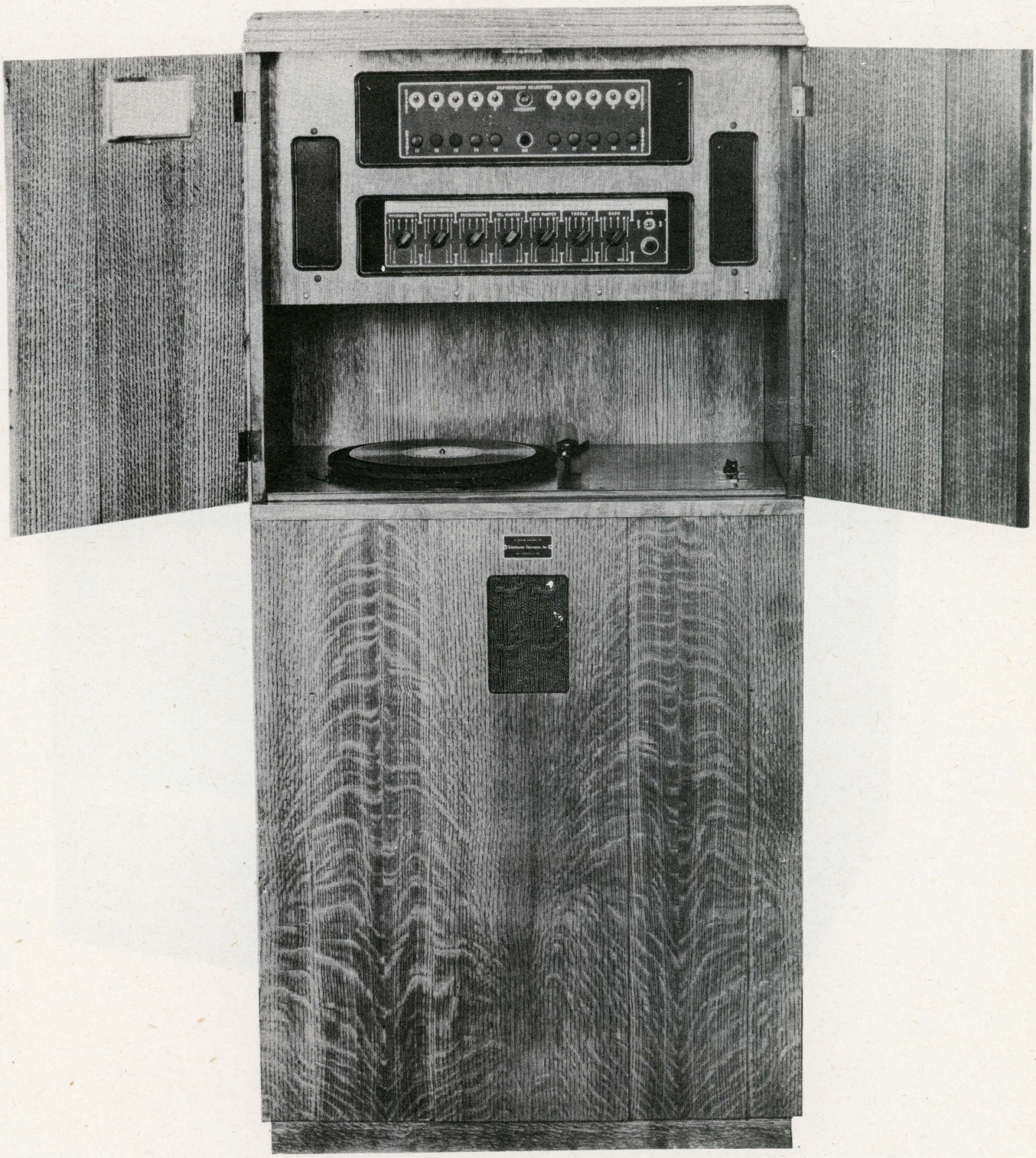

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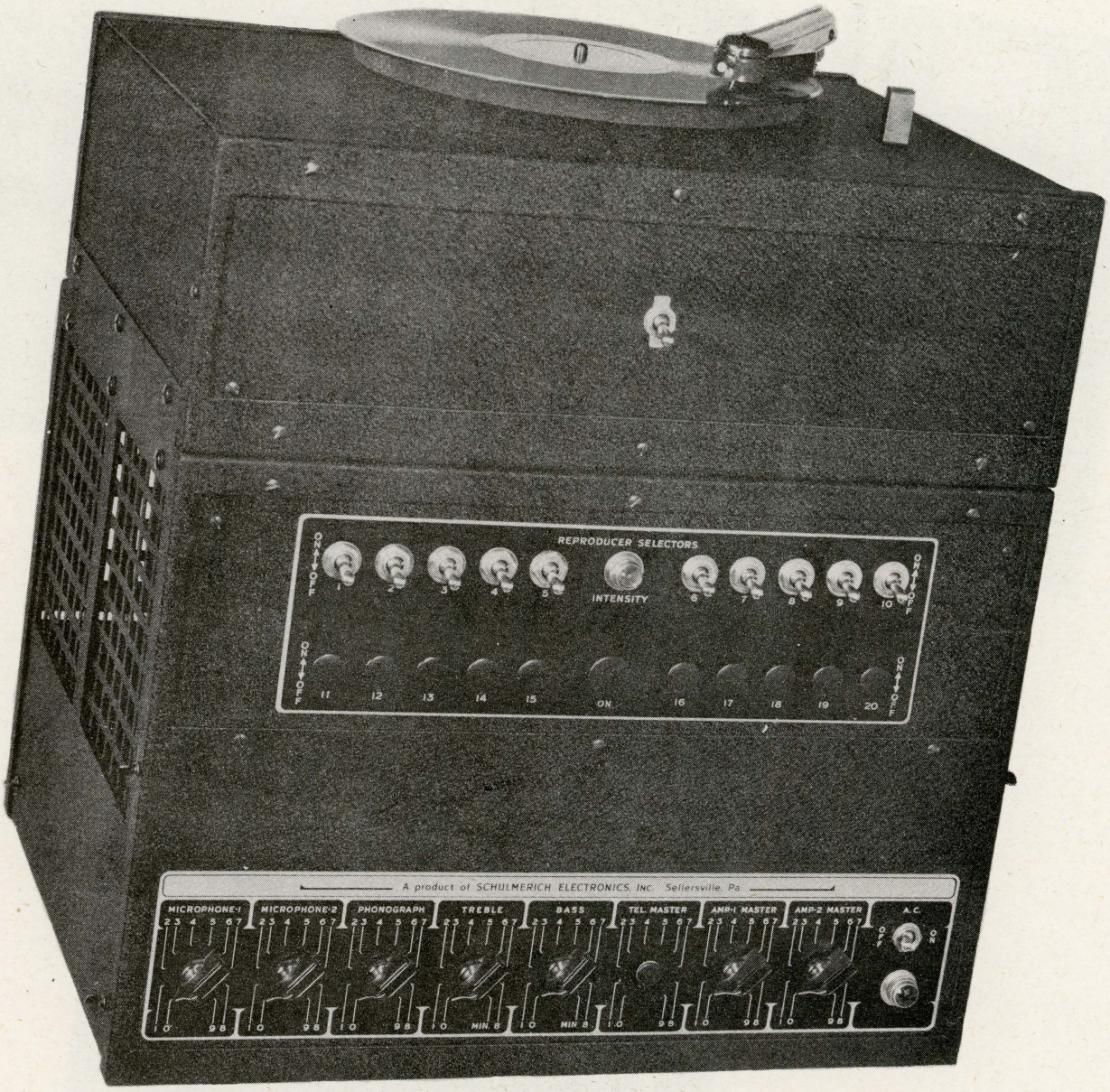

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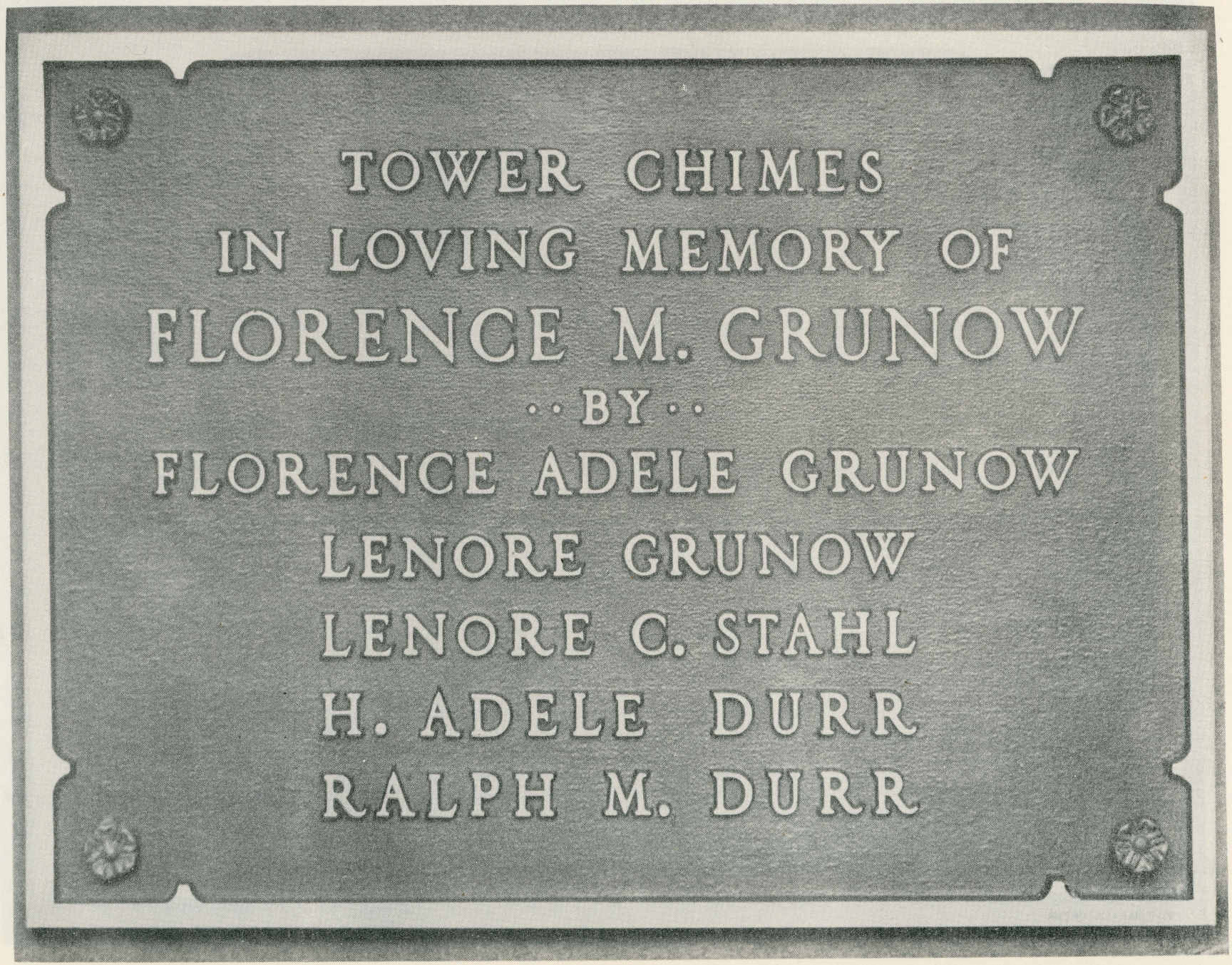
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LENORE GRUNOW
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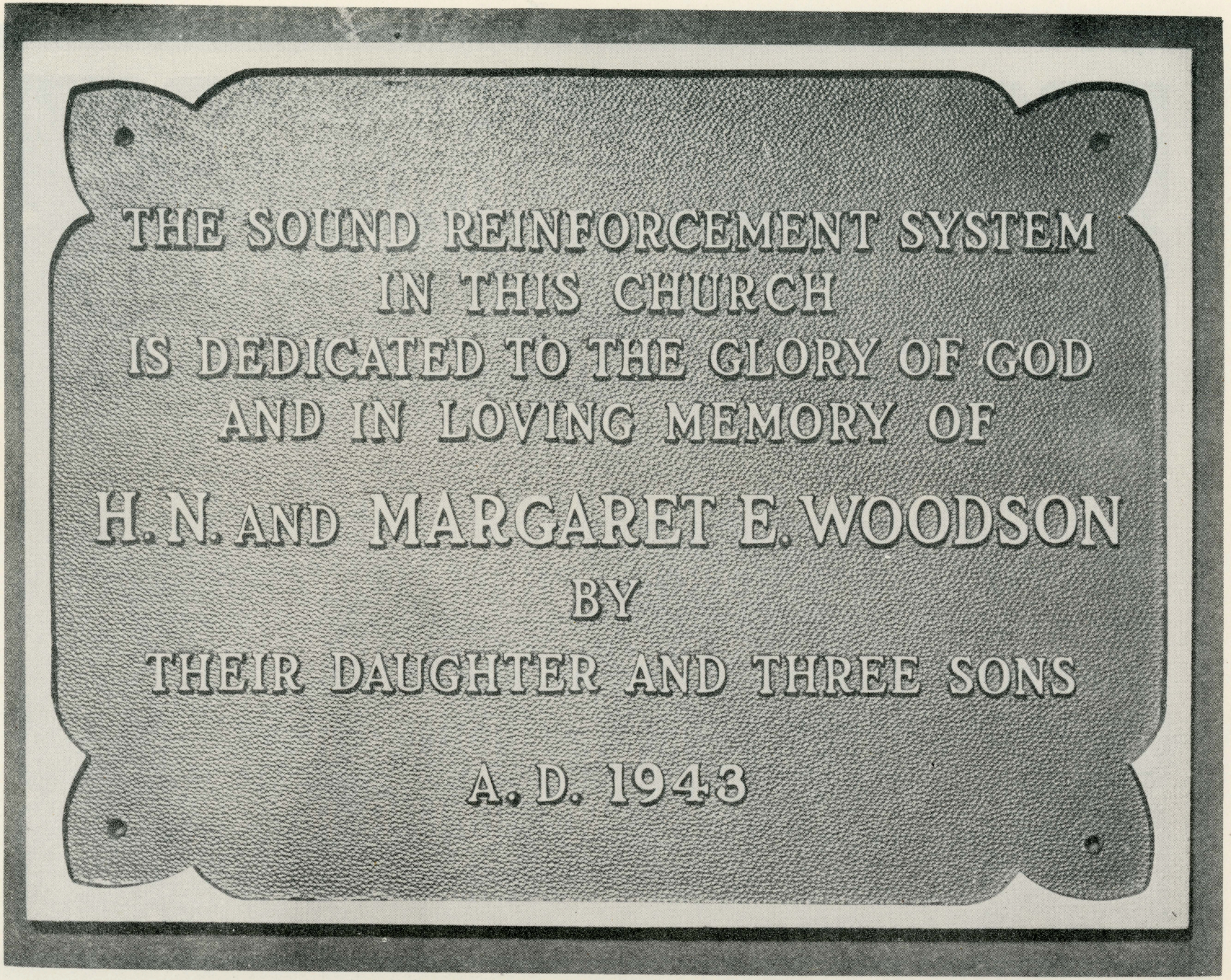
RALPH M. DURR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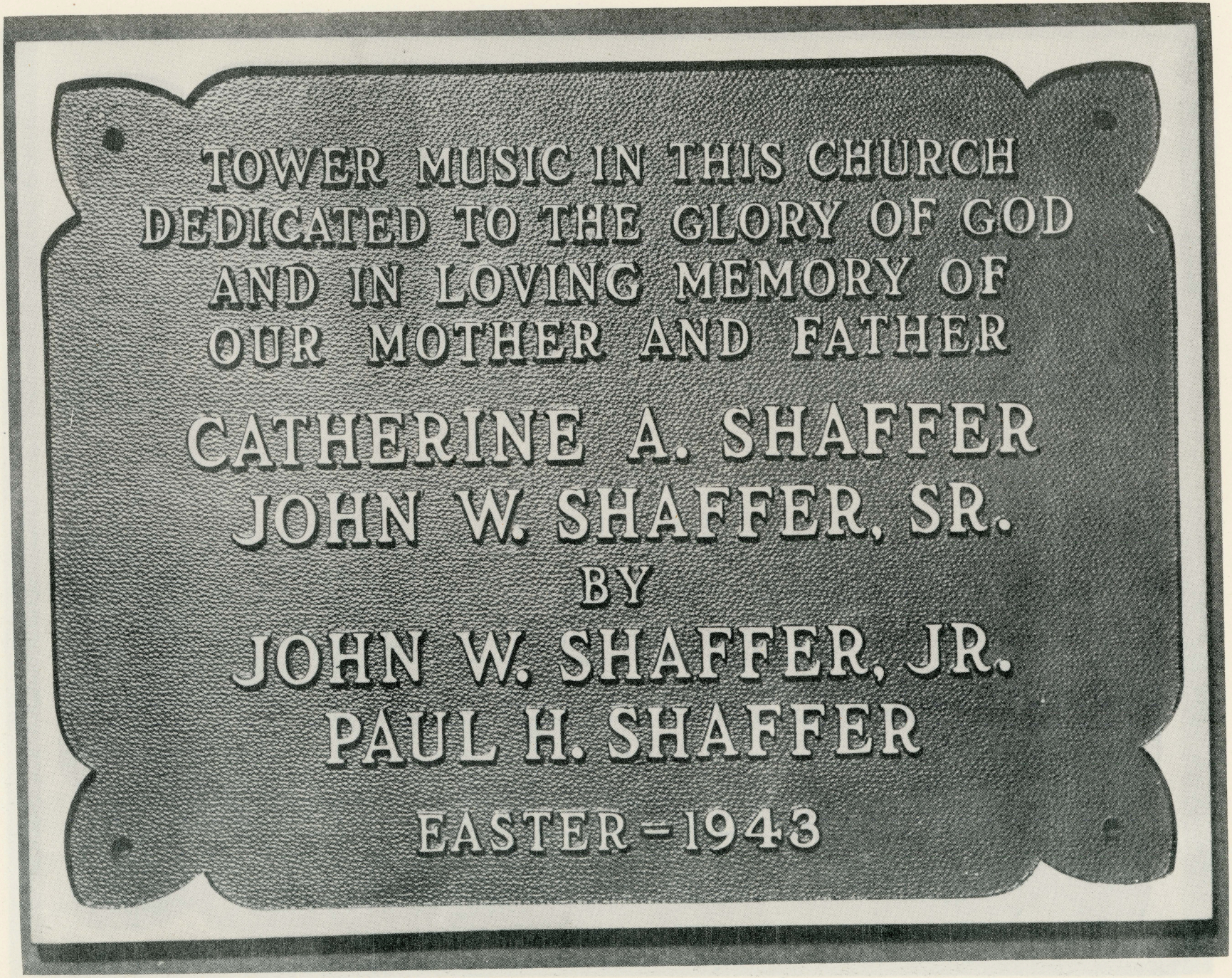
THEIR DAUGHTER AND THREE SONS
A. D. 1943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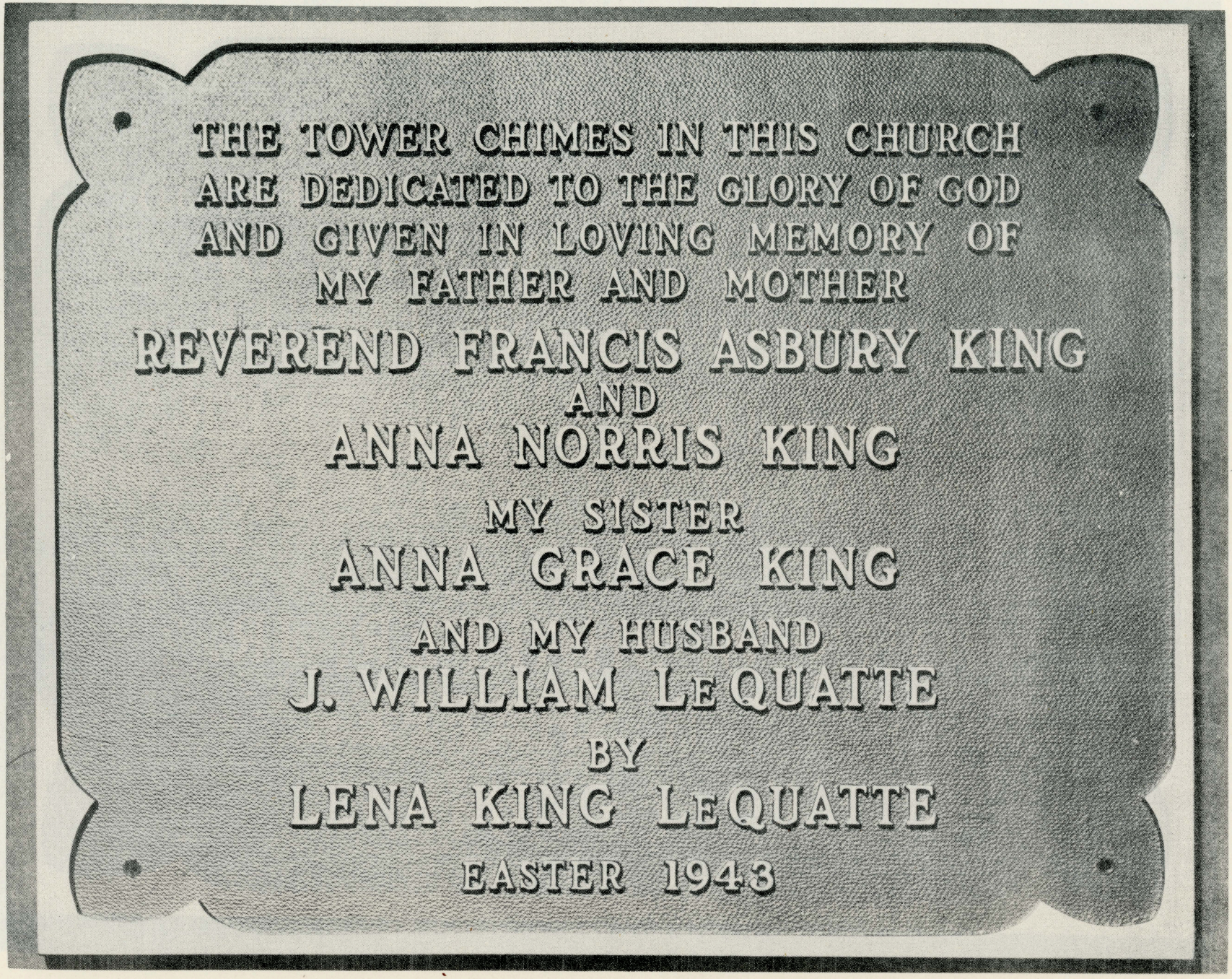
JOHN W. SHAFFER, SR.
BY
JOHN W. SHAFFER, JR.
PAUL H. SHAFFER
EASTER - 1943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MY FATHER AND MOTHER
REVEREND FRANCIS ASBURY KING
AND
ANNA NORRIS KING
MY SISTER
ANNA GRACE KING
AND MY HUSBAND
J. WILLIAM LEQUATTE
BY
LENA KING LEQUATTE
EASTER 1943


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AND IN GRATEFUL RECOGNITION OF
THE SACRIFICE AND SERVICE OF THE
MEN AND WOMEN FROM
CHRIST CHURCH
SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES
WORLD WAR II · · · LENT 1945


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TOWER BELLS IN THIS CHURCH
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THE GLORY OF GOD
AND IN HONOR OF
THE MEN AND WOMEN
FROM THIS CHURCH
IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY
WORLD WAR II
A. D. 1944


THE CARILLONIC TOWER BELLS
IN THIS CHURCH
ARE DEDICATED TO THE GLORY OF GOD
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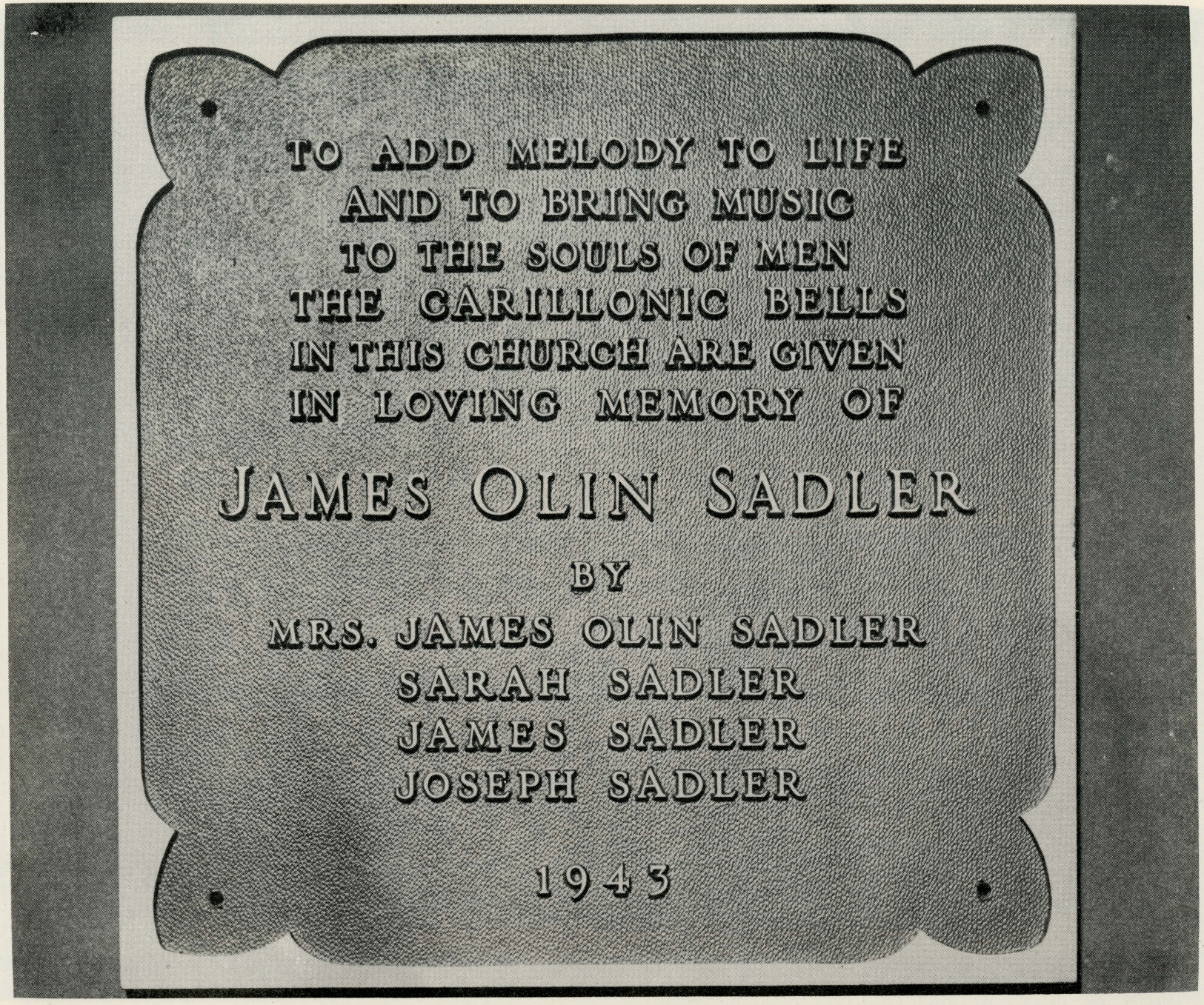
ELIZABETH HEDRICK
BY
DAISY H. HEDRICK
BURL V. HEDRICK
A. D. 1943


TO ADD MELODY TO LIFE
AND TO BRING MUSIC
TO THE SOULS OF MEN
THE CARILLONIC BELLS
IN THIS CHURCH ARE GIVEN
IN LOVING MEMORY OF
JAMES OLIN SADLER
BY
MRS. JAMES OLIN SADLER
SARAH SADLER
JAMES SADLER
JOSEPH SADLER
1943


CARILLONIC BELLS
AND
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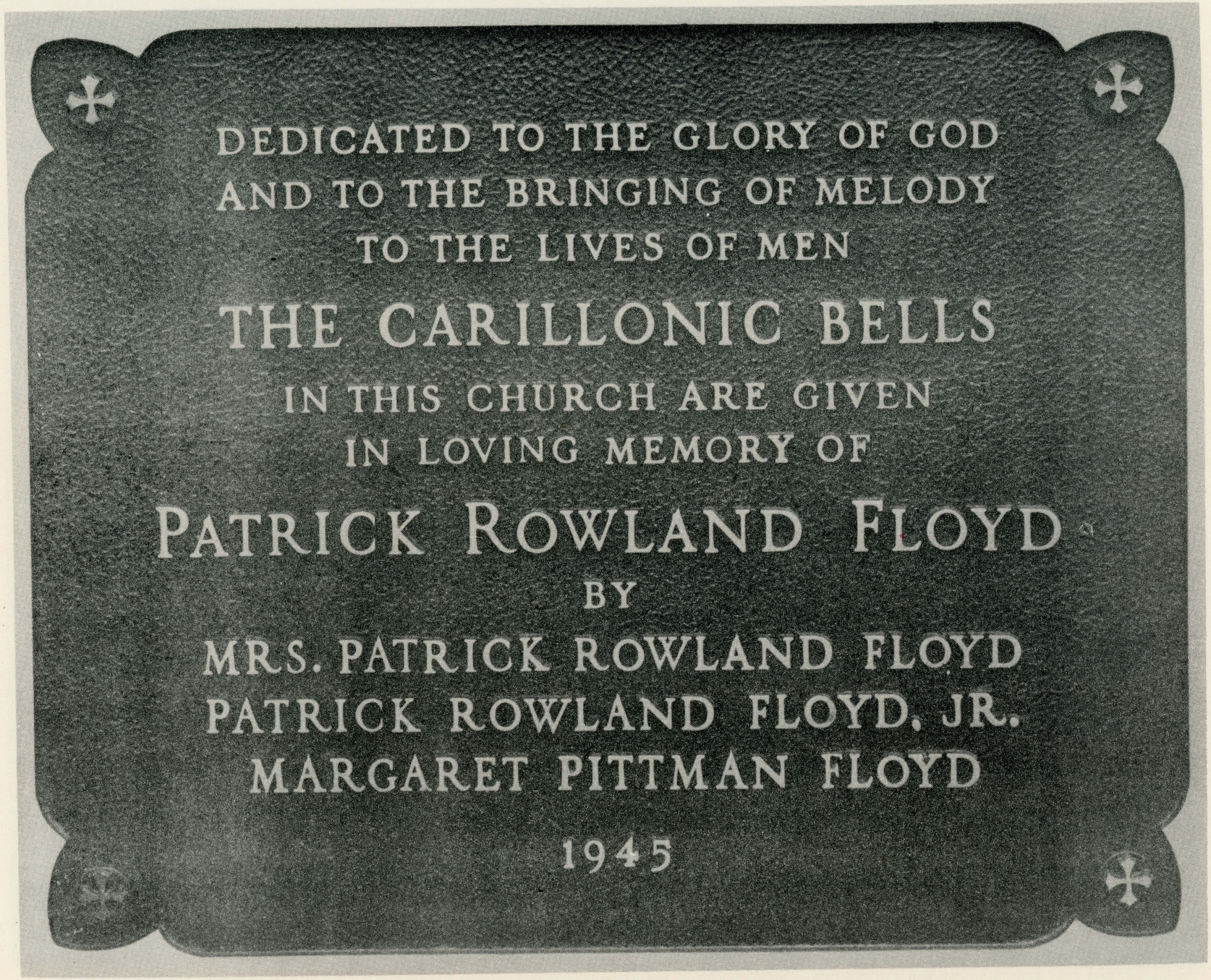
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PATRICK ROWLAND FLOYD
BY
MRS. PATRICK ROWLAND FLOYD
PATRICK ROWLAND FLOYD, JR.
MARGARET PITTMAN FLOYD
1945


THE CARILLONIC BELLS
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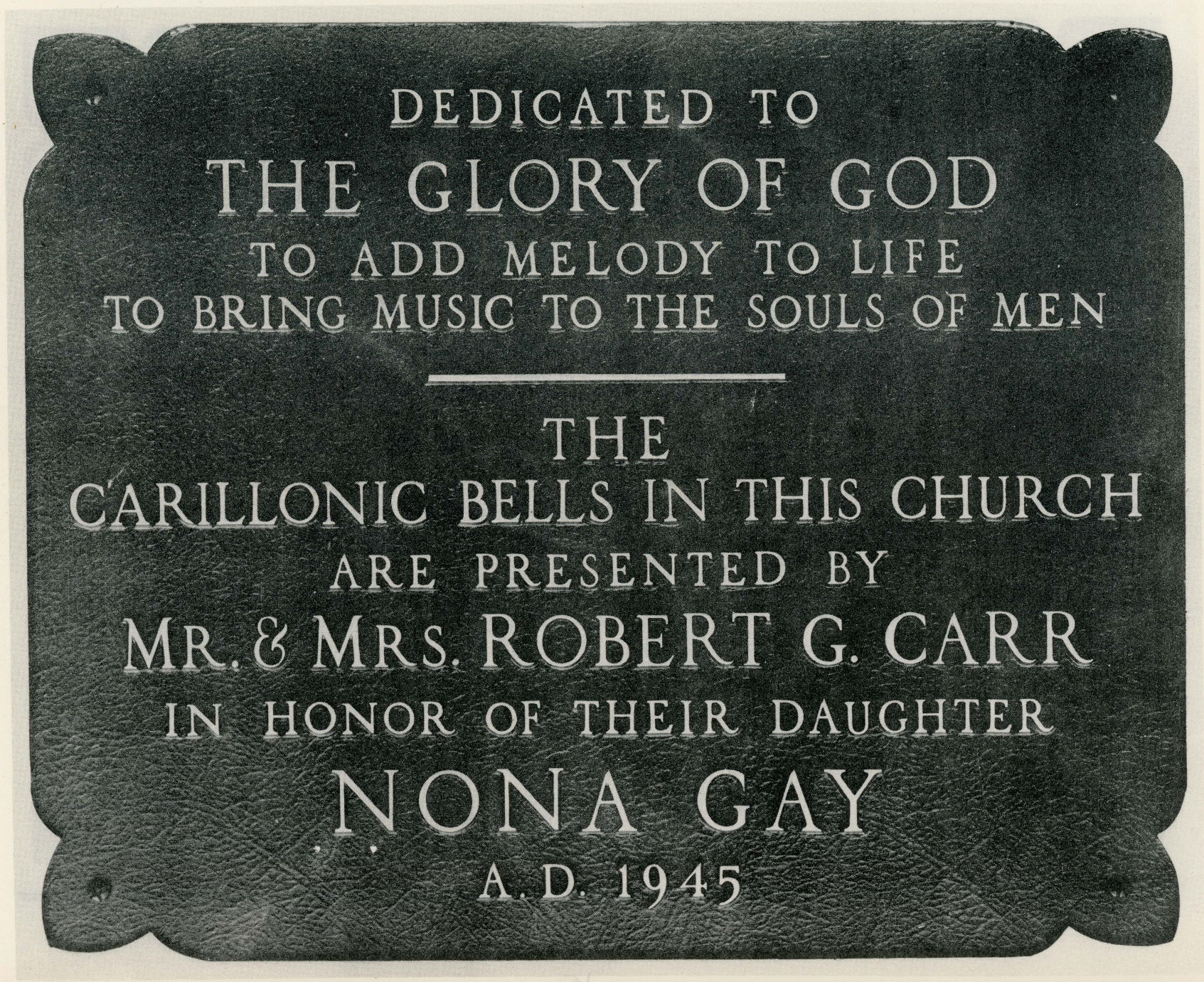
THE GLORY OF GOD
BY
HELEN E. HOVEY
IN LOVING MEMORY OF HER HUSBAND
HENRY MORRIS HOVEY
AND DAUGHTER
LENA MAE BOLSTER
A.D. 1941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MR. & MRS. ROBERT G. CARR
IN HONOR OF THEIR DAUGHTER
NONA GAY
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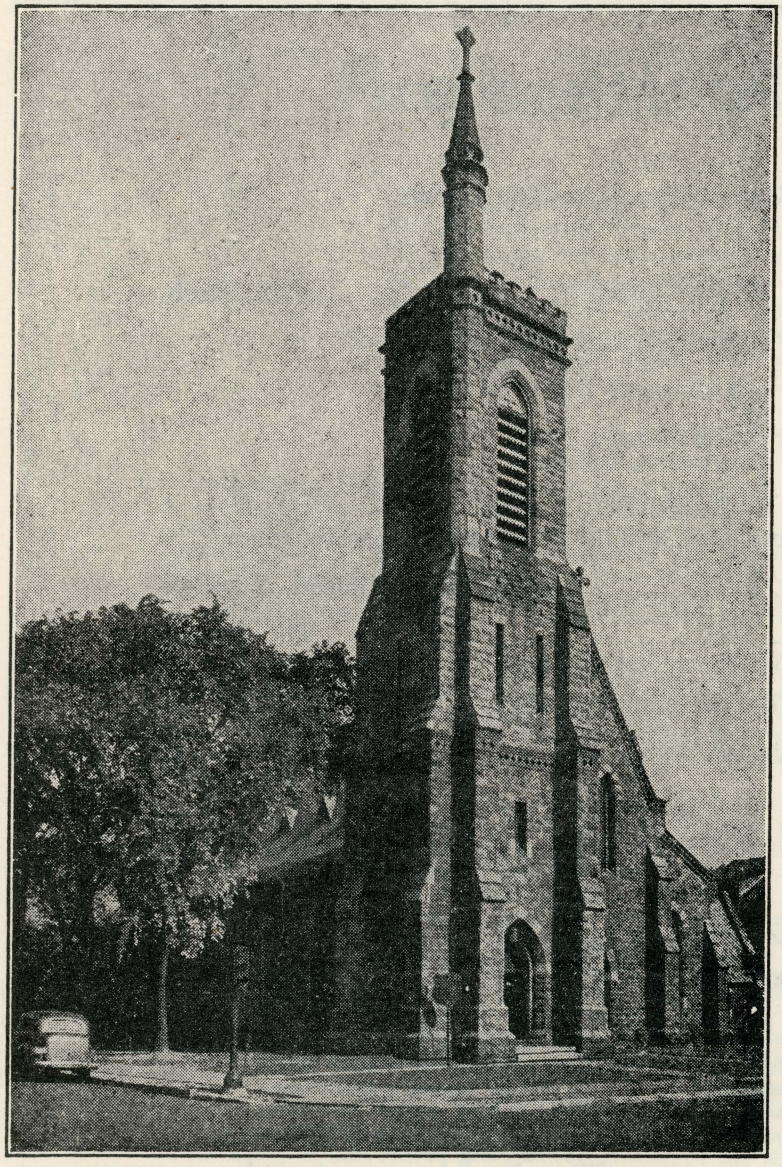

PROGRAM OF DEDICATION

FOR THE

Carillonic Tower Bells

Second Sunday After Easter — April 15, 1945

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Canon Stuart F. Gast, M.A.

WILLIAMSPORT 10, PENNA.

Order of Service

John K. Zorian, Organist and Choirmaster

Prelude—"Awake, Thou Wintry Earth" ..... J. S. Bach

Processional Hymn 37—"When Morning Gilds the Skies"

Shortened Mattins

Hymn 445—"O God, Our Help in Ages Past"
(Verses 2, 3, 6 descant)

Presentation of the Bells to the Parish
W. Updegraff Mussina and Malvin F. Gstalder, co-chairmen

Acceptance of the Bells ..... Frank A. Nicholson, Warden

Service of Dedication ..... The Rector
(prayers on opposite page)

Doxology—Played on Bells, then sung by all.

National Anthem—2nd stanza, hymn 429.

Hymn of Dedication

The Church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord;
She is his new creation
By water and the word:
From heaven he came and sought her
To be his holy bride;
With his own blood be bought her,
And for her life he died.

Aloft in yonder tower,
Now sound our hallowed Bells;
Whene'er we hear their message,
O may we heed it well.
Their notes, to us appealing,
In tones so rich and clear,
Shall call us all together,
God's Holy Word to hear.

Their joyous peals resounding
On every common day
Should stir our hearts to gladness,
To sing, to love, to pray.
And when our spirits waver,
Or trials harsh assail,
Then may their sacred message
Say, "Christ shall never fail."

Thus shall our joys and sorrows
Be mingled with their sound,
'Til we in heaven's mansions
God's holy throne surround,
With many thousand voices,
To glorify the Lord,
Whose Name by men and angels,
Is worshipped and adored. **Amen.**

Sermon ..... Father Gast

Anthem—"On Wings of Living Light" ..... J. S. Matthews

Closing Prayers and Benediction

Recessional Hymn 521—"Rejoice, the Lord Is King"

Postlude—"Triumphal March" ..... Noble

Program of Dedication

V. Our help is in the Name of the Lord:
R. Who hath made Heaven and Earth.
V. Blessed be the Name of the Lord:
R. Henceforth and for evermore.
V. O sing unto the Lord a new song:
R. For He hath done marvellous things.
V. Lord, hear our prayer:
R. And let our cry come unto thee.

Let us pray

Almighty God, who from ancient times hast put it into the hearts of Thy people to make offerings for Thy Service and the use of Thy Sanctuary and who hast been pleased at all times to accept gifts at their hands; We pray Thee to accept these Carillonic Bells which we now set apart in Thy Name. May Thy Blessing rest on these Bells and those who have given them that Thy Church may be benefited, Thy worship made more worthy, and Thy Name may be exalted and glorified continually; we ask this in the Name and for the Merits of Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Almighty God, who by the mouth of Thy servant the Psalmist hast bidden us give praise to the Lord with singing and instruments of music, be pleased to accept this offering of Thine own bounty; Bless and hallow these Carillonic Bells for our use and to Thy great Glory. May they thru this generation and those to come serve to remind Thy faithful people of our duty to come together to praise and worship Thy Holy Name.

Grant, O Lord, that all those who with their outward ears shall hear the music of these Bells, may be stirred inwardly in their hearts and draw nearer in spirit and in truth to Thee, who art the God of their salvation, the Giver of all goodness, the Source of all life; thru Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

O God, the strength of all those who put their trust in Thee; Bless, we pray Thee, our soldiers, sailors and airmen; our chaplains, doctors, and nurses; and all enlisted in the service of our country, particularly those who have gone forth from this community, and especially those from this parish. Give Thy holy angels charge over them to protect them from all harm; deliver them in all temptation, and if it be Thy gracious will, bring them safe home; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

DEDICATION AND BLESSING

In the faith of Jesus Christ our Lord we dedicate and bless these Carillonic Bells to the Glory of God and in grateful recognition of the Men and Women of this Parish serving in the Armed Forces of our country.

+ In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. **Amen.**

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WE EXRESS OUR GRATITUDE TO THE FOLLOWING WHOSE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE HAS MADE THE CARILLONIC BELLS A REALITY. WE TRUST NO SINGLE CONTRIBUTOR HAS BEEN OMITTED FROM THE LIST.

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Mrs. Mark Anthony
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Mr. and Mrs. John Zwisle



Dedication

OF THE

CARILLONIC TOWER BELLS

IN TRIBUTE TO

PASTOR-EMERITUS W. F. STECK

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Evangelical Lutheran Church

MUNCY, PENNSYLVANIA

JOHN W. WHETSTONE, Pastor

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VESPERS — 7:30 P. M.

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

JULY 15, 1945

Order of Service

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MRS. KATHRYN W. STOLZ, *Organist*
MRS. WILMER WALTMAN, *Choirmaster*

Prelude

Hymn 198—"The Church's One Foundation."

Vespers—Page 40.

The Psalm—No. 150, Page 209.

The Lessons (Eisenach Lectionary) and Responses

Numbers 10:1-10
Isaiah 55:6-11
I Timothy 6:6-12
St. Mark 4:26-29

Hymn 424—"God Himself is Present."

OFFICE FOR THE BLESSING OF TOWER BELLS

The officiating Minister standing before the Altar shall say:

Our help is in the Name of the Lord:

Response: Who made heaven and earth.

Praise ye the Lord.

Response: Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him in the firmament of His power.

Give unto the Lord the glory due unto His Name:

Response: Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

Response: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

The Lord be with you.

Response: And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

O God Who by Thy servant Moses didst command that silver trumpets should be made to call the people to holy assemblies; Bless, we beseech Thee, *these Carillonic Tower Bells*, dedicated to Thine honor and glory, and grant that their voices may sound forth from generation to generation, ever calling Thy children to holy convocation in praise and worship of Thy glorious Name; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord.

Response: Amen.

Then shall the officiating Minister say:

Blest and dedicate be these Bells to the honor and glory of Almighty God, In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, Amen.

Sing forth the honor of His Name: make His praise glorious.

Hallowed also be these Bells as a tribute and as a memorial to

THE REVEREND WILLIAM F. STECK
former Pastor, and now Pastor-Emeritus, of this Congregation.

(The largest Bell shall be struck three times, thrice, then all the bells—in a perfect scale—shall be struck in rotation, beginning with the highest in tone, and running down the scale to the lowest; this shall be done thrice, and then shall the largest Bell be rung seven times.)

THE INTERCESSORY PRAYER

Almighty God, Who dost endow Thy children with manifold gifts and graces, blessing their lives with the treasures of beauty and harmony, and dost make skillful their hands to the creation of the useful and the beautiful: Accept this our offering which we have dedicated to Thy service and grant that its use may ever be an hallowed one and that its sound may never cease to call men unto Thee;

Response: We beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord.

We humbly pray that its voice may ever be a joyful sound to Thy children, calling them to worship and prayer, that they may enter into Thy gates with thanksgiving and into Thy courts with praise;

Response: We beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord.

Order of Service

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We humbly pray that its voice may ever be a calling to remembrance to those who have strayed from Thy Way;

That it may call in solemn rebuke to the careless and indifferent;

That it may ring forth a sure welcome to the sinner and whosoever will come;

Response: We beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord.

We humbly pray for those, who, through the sorrows and sufferings of this present life, are prevented from coming to Thy House, that its sound may bring to mind Thy love and compassion for all who suffer;

Thy courage and help for those who are sore beset;

Thy peace for those who are heavy laden; and

Thy comfort for those who mourn;

Response: We beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord.

We humbly pray that when it tolls forth the message of the passing of a soul into the Life that knows no ending, we may rejoice and give thanks for the victory which our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, hath obtained for us and for all who sleep in Him, and ever seek Thy Grace that we may so live as to enter the rest prepared for the children of God;

Response: We beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord.

And when it sounds forth, far and wide, in rejoicing and thanksgiving, may we lift up our hearts in adoration and praise to Thee, O God, The Father, the son, and the Holy Ghost, Who livest and reignest evermore.

Response: Amen.

Then shall the Minister and the Congregation say:

Our Father, Who art in heaven; Hallowed be Thy Name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven; Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil; For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

(As the Lord's Prayer is prayed the Prayer Bell shall be rung.)

Hymn 214—"O Thou Whose Feet Have Climbed Life's Hill."

The Sermon—"The Returning Word of God."_____PASTOR WHETSTONE

The Offering

The Offertory—"Bells of Praise"—*H. W. Petrie*_____THE CHOIR

The Offertory Prayer

Hymn 202—"Rise, Ye Children of Salvation."

Versicle and Response—Page 44

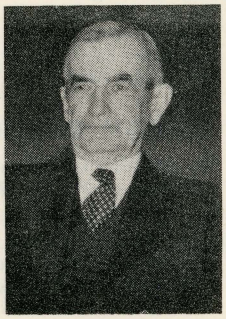
The Canticle—The Nunc Dimittis

The Prayer

The Benedicamus

The Benediction

Hymn 467—"Saviour, Breathe an Evening Blessing."



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PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

DEDICATORY ANTHEM—"Send Out Thy Light"....Gounod
Soloist—Mr. Loyd Kerr

SERMON—"In Tune With The Infinite"....Dr. E. D. Henson

Invitation Hymn "Beneath The Cross of Jesus"..... 254

Benedictory Hymn..... 42

Postlude.....Riggle

The Carillonic Tower Bells and Tower Music system which we are dedicating today have been given to First Christian Church by Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Carr in honor of their daughter, Nona Gay. This lovely gift will add much to the worship of this church and will also serve as a reminder to the entire community of the spiritual values to be found in the Gospel of Christ. An automatic playing disc will be installed in just a few months which will at appropriate times during the day play great hymns of the church for the entire city to hear.

We take this means of expressing to Mr. and Mrs. Carr and Nona Gay, our deep and sincere appreciation for this valuable and meaningful gift, and may God's richest blessings rest upon us as we continue to work in His church for the full realization of the Christian ideal in this our church and community.

The Dedication placque will read:

DEDICATED

To the Glory of God
To add melody to life
To bring music to the souls of men

The Carillonic Bells in this church are presented by Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Carr in Honor of their daughter, Nona Gay.

All numbers played today by Miss Mary Bain Spence are selections comprising "Suite Joyeuse" for Organ by Roland Diggle.

Tower Bells and Music System manufactured by Schulmerich Electronics, Sellersville, Pa. Installation by Mr. J. K. Snyder.

First Christian Church

Harris at Oakes

San Angelo, Texas

Morning Worship

Sunday, October 21st, 1945

10:45 O'clock

DEDICATION OF

The Carillonic Tower Bells

and

Music System

Presented By

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Carr

and daughter, Nona Gay

E. D. Henson, Dedicating Minister
Miss Mary Bain Spence, Organist
Mr. E. H. Williams, Choir Director
Mrs. W. C. Hackler, Church Secretary

Order of Worship

PRELUDE OF CARILLONIC MUSIC

Organ Prelude — "Prologue" ..... Diggle
Miss Mary Bain Spence, Organist

Call to Worship

Processional Hymn—"Jesus Shall Reign" 400

The Lord's Prayer (In Unison) ..... Response—Gloria Patri

Responsive Reading 521

Pastoral Prayer ..... Dr. E. D. Henson

Communion Hymn — "Holy Ghost With Light Devine"
(Stanzas 1 and 4) 122

Service of Communion

Offertory Prayer

OFFERTORY OF CARILLONIC MUSIC

DEDICATION OF CARILLONIC BELLS

PRESENTATION OF CARILLONIC BELLS — by Dr. E. D. Henson in behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Carr and daughter, Nona Gay.

ACCEPTANCE OF CARILLONIC BELLS — by Mr. Emmett Westbrook, Chm. Board of Trustees, in behalf of First Christian Church.

Hymn—"The Church's One Foundation" 140

THE ACT OF DEDICATION

Ring out ye Bells in tones most clear,
Ring out your message far and near;
In tones of love call those who roam
To turn again to church and home.
Call those who sin to find release,
Call those who mourn to God's sweet peace;
Call those who falter on the way,
To seek the light of Christ's new day.

Ring out ye bells through storm and strife
The message of Eternal life,
In tones of firm and joyous power
Call men to match this glorious hour;
Call those beneath life's crushing load
To find a blessed upper road
That joins with others on the Way
That leads at last to Christ's new day.

Ring out ye Bells to Age and Youth
Ring out and tell of God's great truth;
In tones triumphant o'er our fears
Ring out the gloom of coming years.
Ring out with Faith and Hope and Love,
Ring out your message from above,
Until at last from cares set free,
We find our hearts as one with Thee.

Minister: To the glory of God our Father, to the service of Christ and His Church, to the quickening influence of the Holy Spirit:

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Congregation: We dedicate these bells in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

DANIEL CALHOUN ROPER

April 1, 1867—April 11, 1943

Daniel C. Roper was a devoted trustee of The American University. Shortly before his death in the early spring of 1943, he participated in a panel discussion in the auditorium of Hurst Hall with Professor George A. Tesoro, a scholar from the University of Rome who had found within The American University a congenial refuge from the proscription of Benito Mussolini.

On that occasion Mr. Roper said:

"We are face to face with undreamed-of upheavals. We are likely to live through darker days than any our country has ever experienced. We must steel ourselves against hysteria and disunion. We must set our house in order and face the future with open eyes and courageous hearts."

For a half century Daniel C. Roper served the American people. He rose from a country school teacher to a secretary in the President's cabinet, from state legislator to minister to Canada. His career won him the friendship of people everywhere in America and gave him a knowledge of America, its problems, and opportunities possessed by few others.

1892–1894—Member of the House of Representatives, State of South Carolina

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1916—Chairman, Organization Bureau, Woodrow Wilson Campaign

1917—Vice Chairman, United States Tariff Commission

1917–1920—Commissioner of Internal Revenue

1933–1938—Secretary of Commerce

1939—United States Minister to Canada

As a 1945 Christmas gift a group of associates of Mr. Roper presented the carillon to The American University. The Honorable William A. Julian, Treasurer of the United States, was chairman of the gift committee. The Honorable Ernest G. Draper, a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, was its secretary.

A condition of the gift, accepted by the Board of Trustees, provides that the University will hold each spring a Roper Service at which an outstanding American leader will give an answer to the searching question asked by Mr. Roper:

"One great question which should be ever present in our thinking and which cannot be answered with emotional impulses or trite platitudes is, how can we save and safeguard the cherished American way of life."

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1893—1946

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HURST HALL

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Eight o'Clock

Program

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY CHORUS.....*Almighty God of Our Fathers*
(James)

INVOCATION.....Professor James H. Phillips
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PROCESSION OF THE NATIONS

"Here shall be erected a great university dedicated to the love of peace and human understanding, an enduring watchfire against social evils, man's malice and greed, cruel war, chaos, and despair."

Bishop John Fletcher Hurst in purchasing the campus site in 1891.

DANIEL CALHOUN ROPER: HIS FIFTY YEARS OF PUBLIC SERVICE
President Paul F. Douglass

DANIEL CALHOUN ROPER: AN AMERICAN.....*Incidents from His Life*

Mr. Roper is represented by Lieutenant Commander Lowell Hattery, an Instructor in Public Administration in the School of Social Sciences and Public Affairs.

I. AMERICA IS ITS HOMES
The Roper living room during the Woodrow Wilson campaign

II. AMERICA IS MEN SOLVING PROBLEMS
The Secretary of Commerce

III. AMERICA IS FAITH IN PEOPLE
A panel in Hurst Hall

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY CHORUS.....*Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones*
(Traditional Seventeenth Century)

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THE CARILLON.....*America the Beautiful*

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THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY CHORUS

O beautiful for patriot dream
That sees, beyond the years,
Thine alabaster cities gleam,
Undimmed by human tears!

America! America!
God shed His Grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

PRAYER OF STUDENT GENERATIONS.....Kenneth Jones

BENEDICTION.....Professor James H. Phillips

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY CHORUS.....*Alma Mater*

Tomorrows pass so soon behind us
Into shadows of the past.
So the years will often find us
Calling days that flew so fast.

Come, come, days that we treasure,
We live in you—
We yearn now for the pleasure
At college we knew;
Friendships will always bind us;
In youth we live, for mem'ries
Of Orange and Blue—
Come, days fullest in measure
Of our A. U.

RECITAL—Daniel Calhoun Roper Carillon.....James L. McLain
Chairman, Department of Music
College of Arts and Sciences

Sunday Church School—9:45 A. M.
Miss Elizabeth Middlemas, Superintendent

Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.
(Nursery for small children)

Buffet Supper and Forum for Young People
18 to 30 6:00 P. M.

Senior Hi Young People—7:00 P. M.

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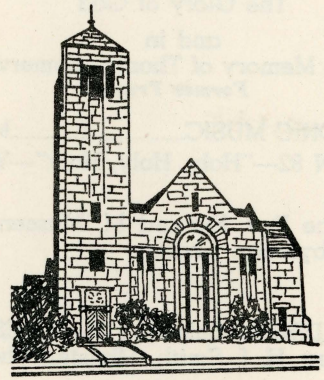

Vesper Service

October 17, 1943

4:30 P. M.

Dedication of
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PRELUDE OF CARILLONIC MUSIC.....Mr. G. J. Schulmerich

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 82—"Holy, Holy, Holy"—Verses 1 and 3

*THE DOXOLOGY

*THE INVOCATION—The Rev. Richard M. Mussen, Minister, The Sherwood Presbyterian Church

*THE GLORIA PATRI

†

THE RESPONSIVE READING of Selection 37—"BLESS THE LORD, O MY SOUL"—The Rev. H. J. Smith, Minister, The North Washington Baptist Church

SOLO—"OPEN THE GATES OF THE TEMPLE"—Miss Eleanor McQuaide

THE INSPIRATION FROM GOD'S WORD—I Corinthians 3:6-23 inclusive The Rev. H. W. Burgan, D.D., Minister, The Hamline Methodist Church

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HYMN 419—"Children of the heavenly King, As ye journey, sweetly sing;"—omit verses 3 and 4

OFFERTORY OF CARILLONIC MUSIC.....Mrs. George A. Tew

DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING

SOLO—"Face to Face".....Miss Helen Dunbar

DEDICATORY SERMON—"The Grace and Joy of Giving" The Rev. J. Herbert Garner

PRESENTATION OF THE MEMORIAL CARILLONIC TOWER BELLS—Thomas Somerville III

ACCEPTANCE OF THE MEMORIAL CARILLONIC TOWER BELLS—Henry C. Young, President, Board of Trustees, The Sixth Presbyterian Church

UNVEILING OF THE MEMORIAL TABLET—Thomas Somerville McInerney, Grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Somerville

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Minister: In loving memory of him whom this gracious gift honors:

Congregation: We dedicate these bells.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION—The Rev. R. Paul Schearrer, Minister, The Takoma Park Presbyterian Church

*DEDICATORY HYMN:

"Aloft in yonder tower,
Now sound our hallowed bells;
Whene'er we hear their message,
O may we heed it well.
Their notes, to us appealing,
In tones so rich and clear,
Shall call us all together,
God's Holy Word to hear.

Their joyous peals resounding"
On every common day
Should stir our hearts to gladness,
To sing, to love, to pray.
And when our spirits waver,
Or trials harsh assail,
Then may their sacred message
Say: Christ shall never fail.

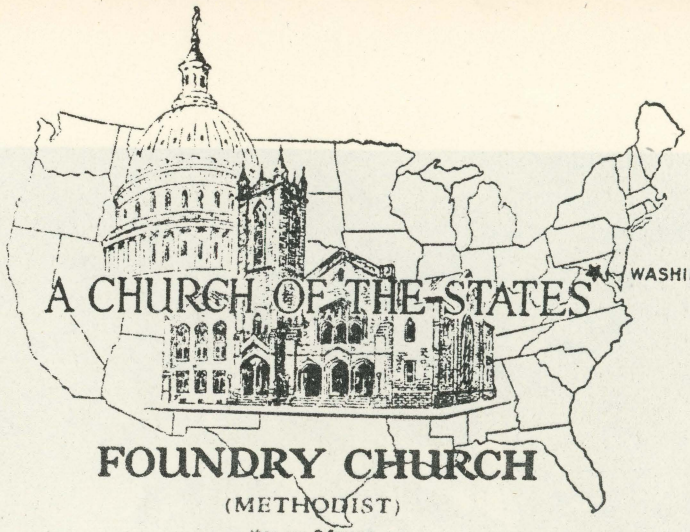
"Thus shall our joys and sorrows
Be mingled with their sound,
'Til we in heaven's mansions
God's holy throne surround,
With many thousand voices,
To glorify the Lord,
Whose name by men and angels,
Is worshipped and adored."

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE OF CARILLONIC MUSIC.....Mr. G. J. Schulmerich

* Congregation please stand

† Interlude for seating



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CHURCH STUDY
1500 16TH STREET

June 12, 1943.

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Glenside, Penna.

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I have your letter with regard to your desire for a picture of the Church Tower. A picture was taken of the Tower at the time of the dedication of the Chimes which I think may appeal to you. It is quite striking. I do not know whether I can reach the man who took the picture or not. However, if you will take good care of it, I will send you my own copy, hoping that you will return it. With that we will send also a picture of the Church which shows the tower and its relation to the rest of the building.

We cannot speak too highly of the ministry of the Chimes which you installed. They seem to create an atmosphere of worship which far exceeds the confines of the sanctuary. As people listen, in their homes and as they walk along the streets, there is no question, from the comments that come, that the playing of the old Hymns awakens uplifting memories and leaves a spiritual deposit in the hearts of many. The ministry of the bells, which are pure and clear in their tone, is now a vital part of the message of Foundry Church.

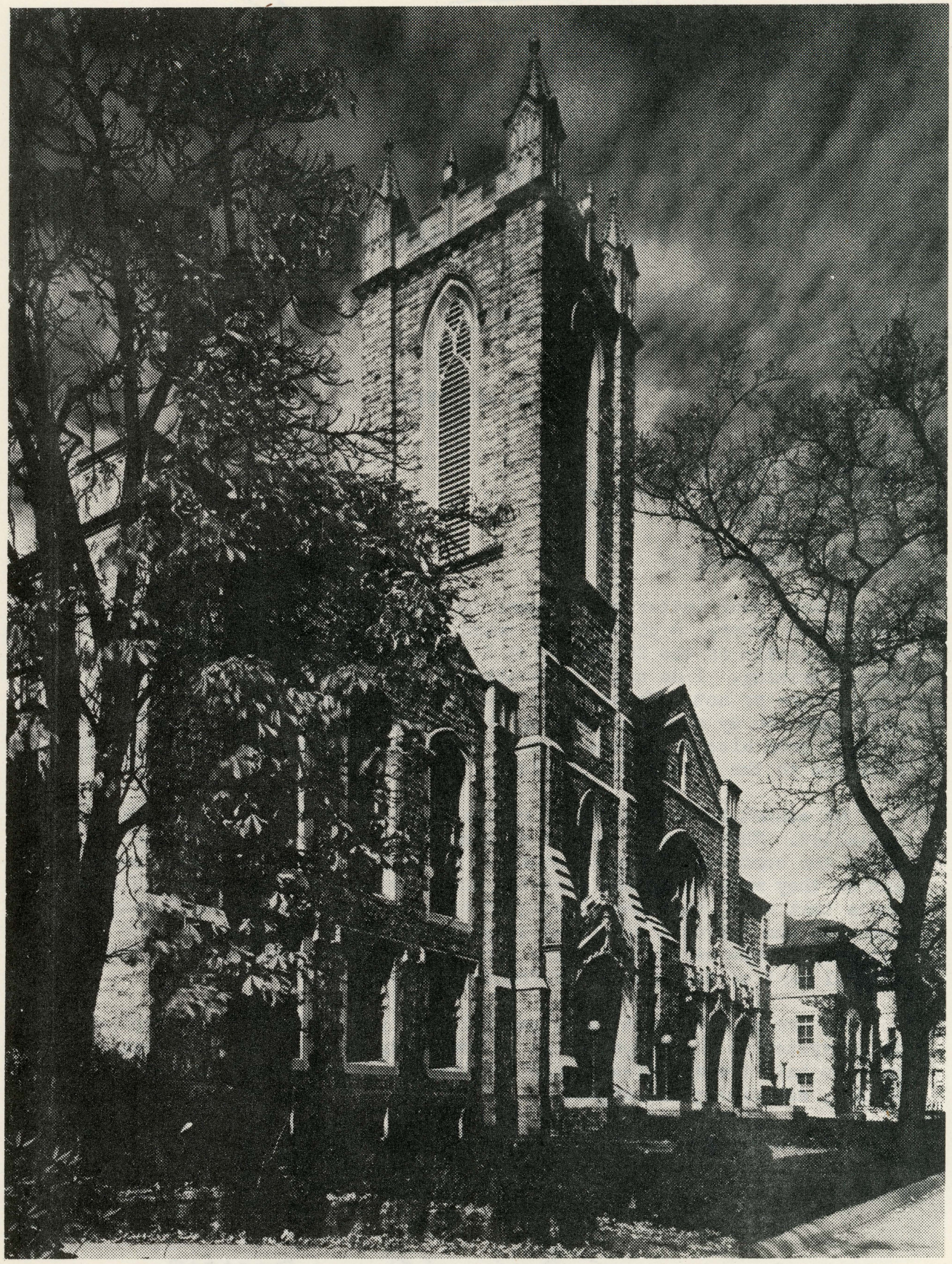
We are so glad that it is possible for you to install you amplifying system in the Chapel which is now being built. It will mean much to have the services in the sanctuary heard perfectly in the Chapel, especially the organ.

With every good wish, I am,

Yours ever,

Frederick Brown Harris

FBH/bm



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GETTYSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
ABDEL ROSS WENTZ

November 2, 1943

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I have your letter of October 25th concerning some statement about the performance of the tower bells.

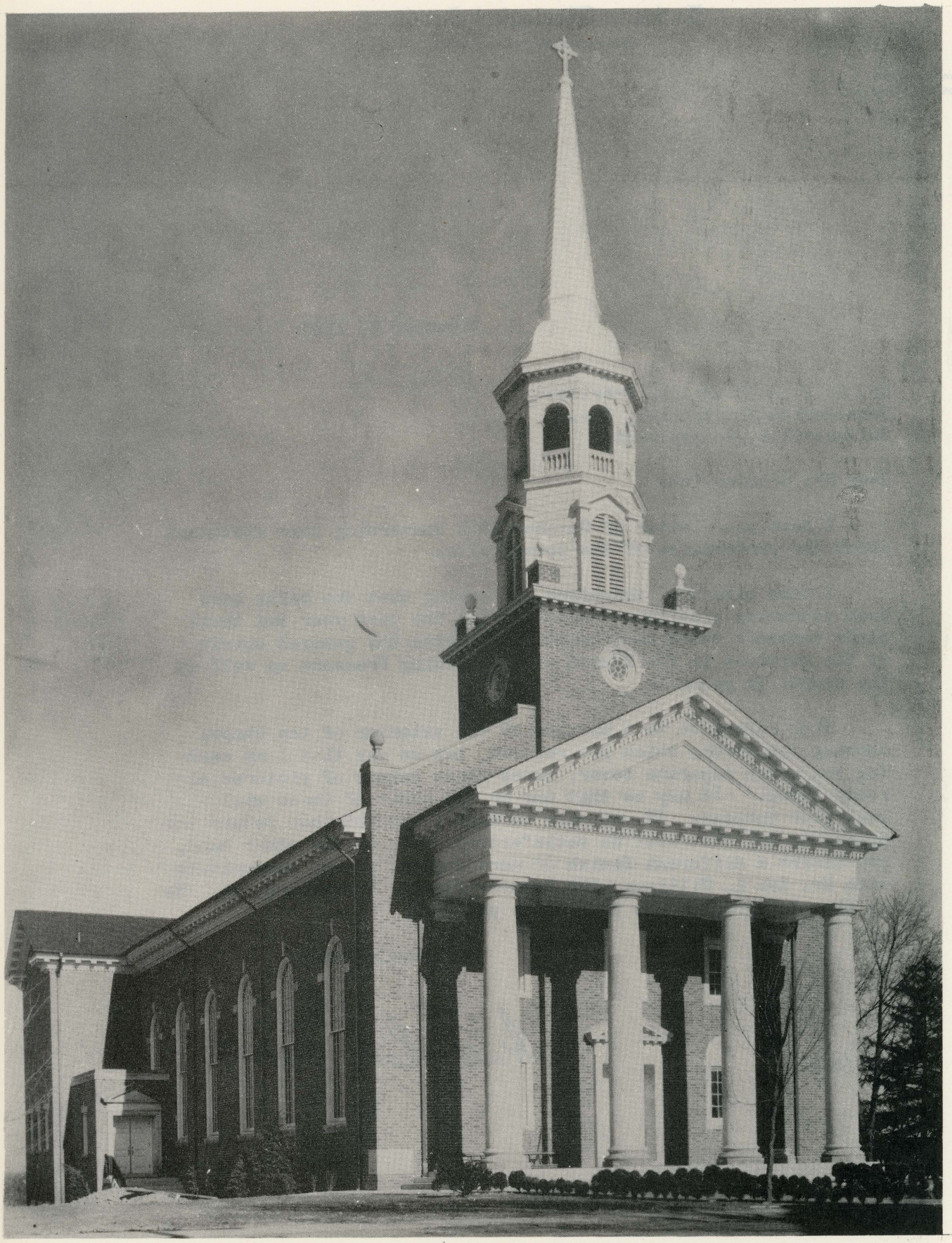
I take pleasure, therefore, in saying that the bells have been rendering excellent service during the past year and their clear resonant tones have served to elevate the general spirit of the services in The Church of the Abiding Presence as well as the campus in general.

With reference to a picture of the exterior of the Chapel showing the tower, which you request, let me say that I am sending you under separate cover, three gloss prints of pictures already taken. It may be that one or the other of these will suit your purpose. If you care to make a cut and then return the prints to us, that will be satisfactory. If, on the other hand, you desire a different finish or more copies, please communicate with Mr. Ira L. Williams, 205 Hanover Street, Gettysburg, Pa. He is the photographer who took these pictures.

Sincerely yours,

Abdel Ross Wentz

ARW/cfb



Laura E. Ramsey
Director of Education

THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Seventh and Main Steets, La Crosse, Wisconsin
FREDERICK W. HYSLOP, Minister

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Youngberg
Directors of Music

March 1, 1946

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Penn.

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

We have been very pleased with the carillonic bells, tower music system and hearing aids you installed for us. We feel that we have been able to extend the ministry of the church into the community through the playing of the bells and the use of sacred music programs. These have been well received and favorably commented on by many.

Lately we have been making increasing use of our sound system to play records for a music appreciation group, for a Junior High Sunday evening club using the "All Aboard for Adventure" recordings and for a mid-week gathering when recorded programs telling the story of our missionary and relief work have been used.

Your installation has been most satisfactory and we have appreciated the service you have given us under difficult war time conditions.

Cordially yours,

Fred. Hyslop



First Presbyterian Church
Marietta, Georgia

ALTON H. GLASURE
PASTOR

January 5, 1946

Schulermich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Penn.

Gentlemen:

I would like to express to you the great joy which our Church and community is experiencing with the installation of your Carillonic Tower Bells. I had just spent sometime in New York City this past summer and heard the famous bells in the Riverside Church several times. I think the tone quality of your bells is just as good as those in the Riverside Tower.

The bells are a particular joy to us because they can be heard throughout the community and are an inspiration to all alike - the high and the low - the rich and the poor. Let me congratulate you upon the achievement of this musical instrument.

Very truly yours,

Alton H. Glasure

Alton H. Glasure

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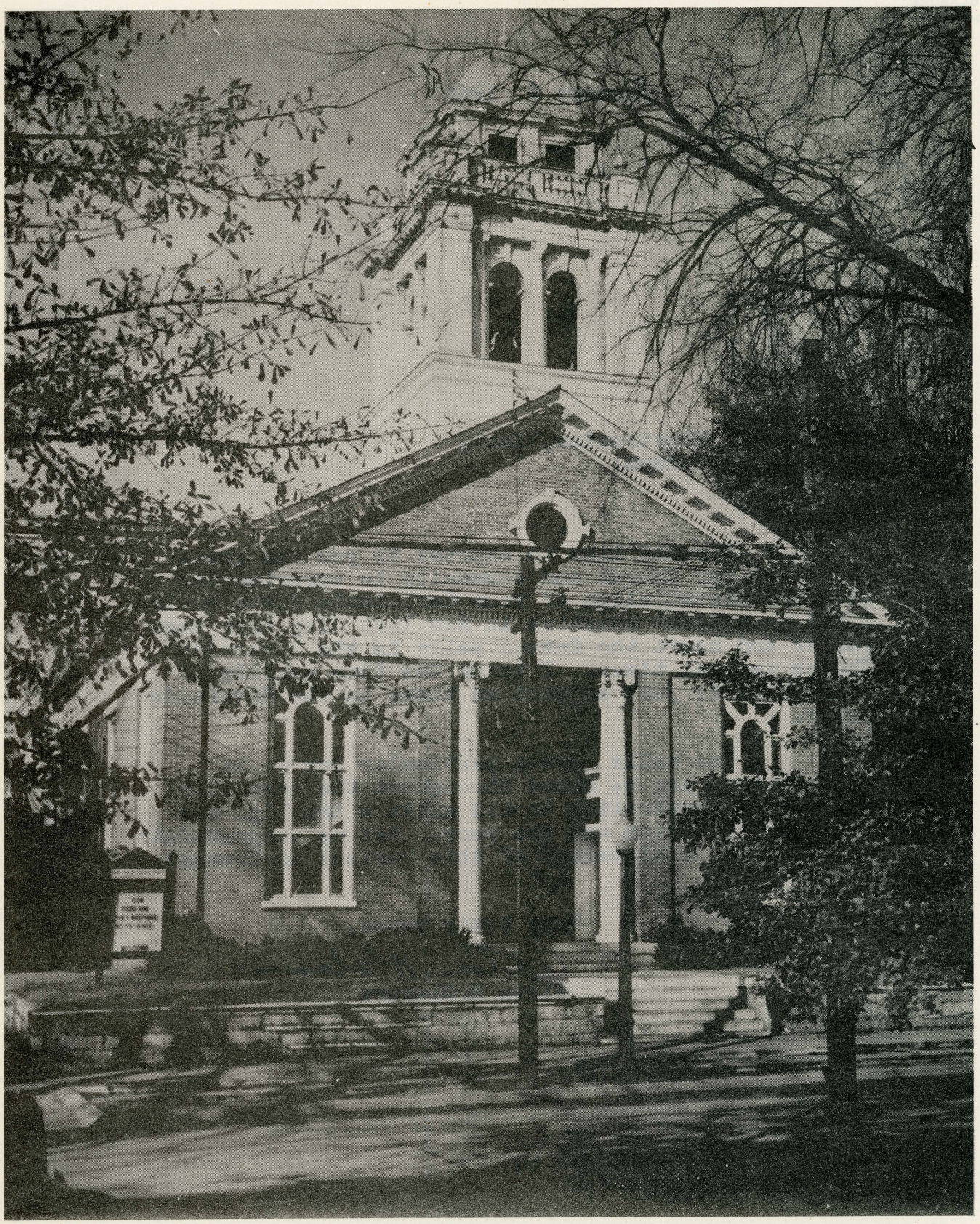

G. C. SPEIDEL
DIRECTOR WESLEY FOUNDATION WORK
ROOM 4, MADISON HALL

MISS MARY F. WEBB
CHURCH SECRETARY
TELEPHONE 841

The First Methodist Church

FIRST AND JEFFERSON STREETS
C. FRED WILLIAMS, D. D., MINISTER
106 EAST HIGH STREET
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VIRGINIA

December 6, 1945

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I am delighted to give an expression of appreciation for the Carillonic Bells which your company installed in our Church one year ago. These bells are heard with delight by a large number of people in and around our city, and have occasioned many tributes of gratitude to those who made the gift possible.

The Bells are played every Sunday morning and afternoon, prior to the stated services, and are also played following the vesper service (afternoon). Just recently arrangements have been made to have a brief recital every day of the week exactly at noon. This added service is also greatly enjoyed by the community.

With best wishes, I am,

Cordially and sincerely,

C. Fred Williams



First Baptist Church

ALBERT VENTING, PASTOR
EDWARD GLOVER, ASSOCIATE PASTOR
DR. H. McCAMEY, MEDICAL MISSIONARY, AFRICA

107 EAST WILLINGHAM ST.

Cleburne, Texas

April 10, 1946.

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pa.

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

Enclosed you will find a picture of the chancel at the time when we had our campaign for the chimes. Each bell represents two hundred dollars ($200). There are 25 bells. The large bell hanging above them all is purely decorative. You will notice that we have the bells arranged in the form of the "Westminster Chimes", and as each section was subscribed the choir and congregation sang as far as the money permitted, while the "Amen" was not sung until all the money was subscribed, the "Amen" being the twenty-fifth bell. We used the following words as we sang the Westminster Chimes: "Praise ye the Lord with sound of bells; Ring forth the Truth--His Gospel tells; Praise ye the Lord with sound of bells. Amen". Cards were passed through the congregation and the members were urged to pay for a bell or a part of a bell, $200 or less. As the subscriptions were brought forward, a man sat at a table on which there was a large bell such as is used in civic clubs, and with each $200.00 he rang that bell, and the streamer was hung across the bell in the chancel. We had a great deal of pleasure in the simple service, and within twenty minutes the total subscription had been raised. Should you desire further information we would be glad to talk it over with you when you come our way.

With highest personal regards, and with the hope that we may have the pleasure of seeing you, I remain,

Yours most sincerely,

Albert Venting

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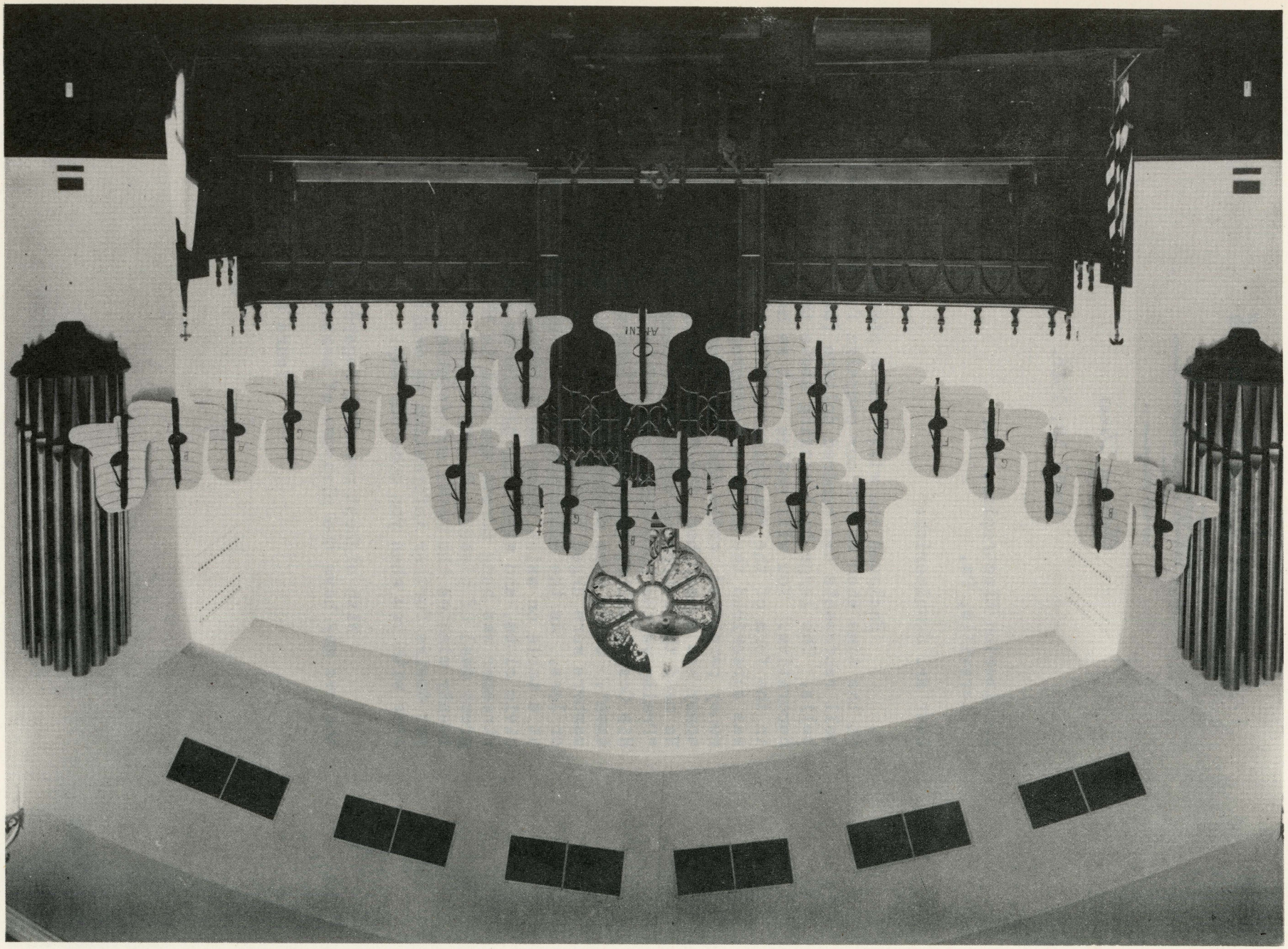
Enclosure



CHRIST CHURCH PARISH
WILLIAMSPORT 10 PA.

June 4, 1945.

Schulmerich Electronics,

Sellersville, Pa.

Gentlemen:

Our Pa rish is enthusiastically grateful to your Company for giving us, and our community the privilege of enjoying such fine bell music. The set which you installed has proven more than satisfactory, and is everything that you represented it would be.

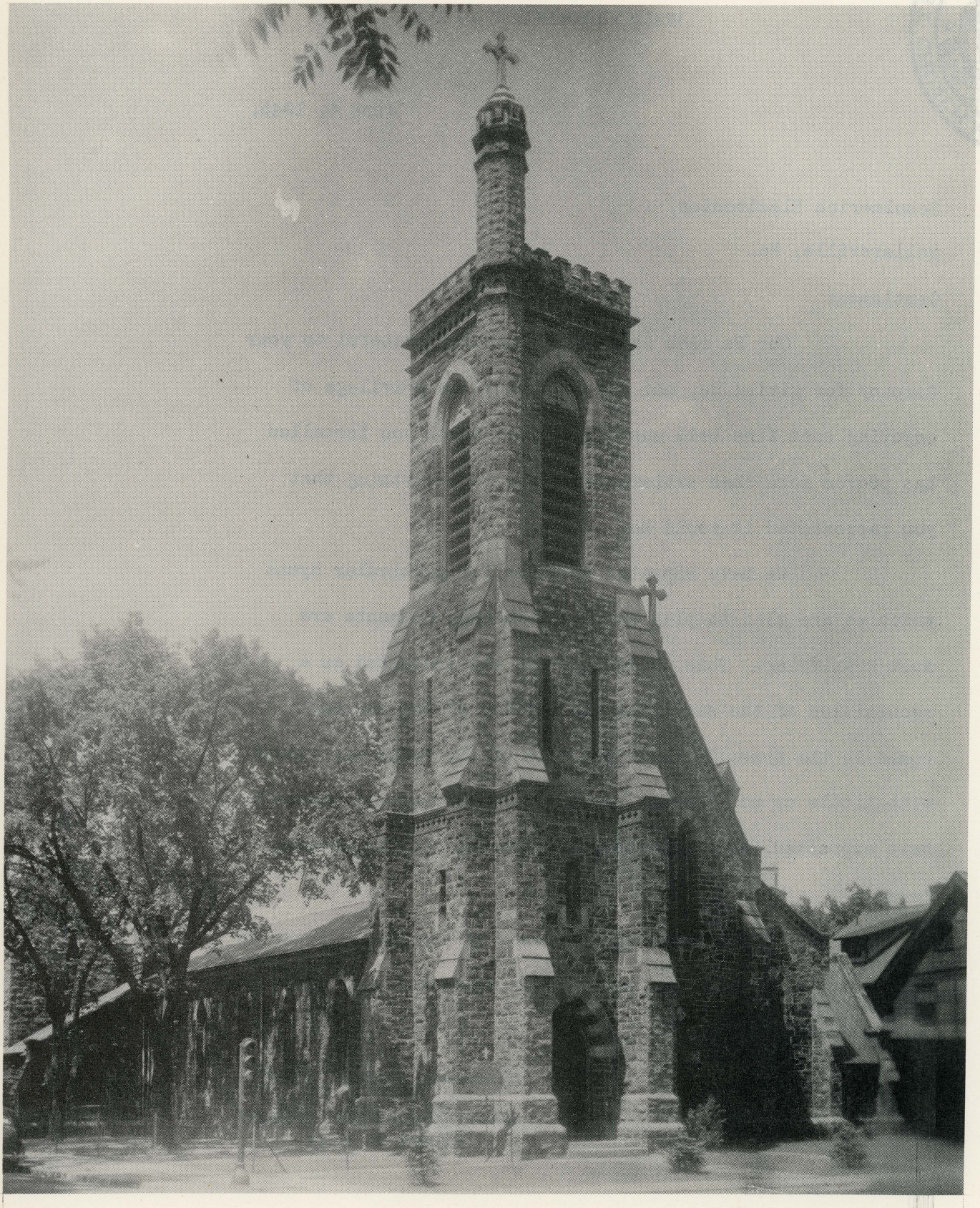
We have repeated requests for particular hymns which we are glad to play and the favorable comments are most gratifying. This Carillonic set was installed as a recognition of the sacrifice and service of our men and women in the Armed Forces. The cost of the bells was raised with little or no efforts, and the service members, themselves, have expressed their gratitude and appreciation in glowing terms.

If I can serve as reference at any time, please do not hesitate to call upon me. Thanks again for your courteous and efficient service.

Sincerely yours,

Stuart F. Gast

Stuart F. Gast



GRACE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Clarence Damschroeder, Pastor 3993 Park Blvd. San Diego, Cal.

— A Changeless CHRIST for a Changing World — — Residence, Office and Study in Church Group —

November 1st, 1945

Schulmerich Electronics Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

Our Carillonic Bells have now been in use exactly a year, - and a year, indeed, it has been when our bells could make a real contribution to the spirit and morale of our community. Instead of our tower standing forth mute it spoke and sang its message of cheer, courage and comfort not only on regular occasions like Sundays but in the midst of the din of V-E and V-J days, thus lending a much needed spiritual note that the church would have found difficult to bring to so large a circle of auditors. Similarly the bells served on the occasion of President Roosevelt's death and the day of his burial. Also each evening until victory was announced the bells sounded under a familiar tune "A Prayer for our Absent Ones" and "A Prayer for our Country" - the words having been published in the newspapers. Even now phone and personal calls are still being received asking for a resumption of the bell ringing each evening, indicating perhaps better than anything else could that the bells are much appreciated in the neighborhood. This is easily understood as their tone is always true and the sounds produced mellow and satisfying.

The same may be said of the bells when used with the organ in the church service. And on the mechanical side I still recall the unusual difficulties encountered in the installation due to the construction of our building (reenforced concrete), yet all were solved in a skillful manner and with special concern not to mar the architectural attractiveness of the church edifice.

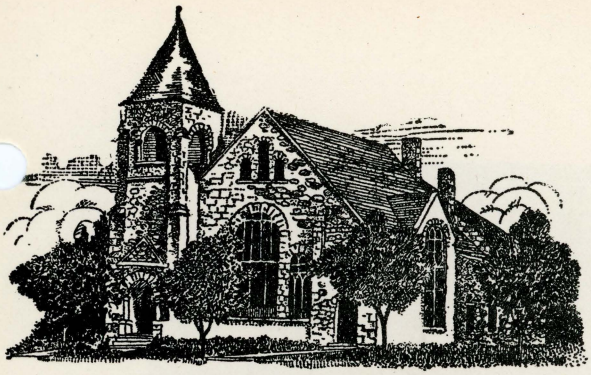
All in all, then, the bells have met our every expectation.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence Damschroeder

Clarence Damschroeder, Pastor





FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
CHESTER E. WHITTIER, PASTOR
HELENA, MONTANA

MANSE:
403 N. WARREN STREET

October 26, 1945

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pa.

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I am most happy to write this letter in answer to your request for one telling what our church thinks of the Carillonic Tower Bells installed almost two months ago.

The Bells were installed and first demonstrated on Sunday September 9th. After the service that morning, when pledges toward the purchase of the Bells were received, it was discovered that over half of the cost had been pledged, and about one third of the cost received in cash. The response was enthusiastic, not only of the church but of the community. The first two checks were from non-members of the church, a letter accompanying one of these checks congratulated the church for making this fine contribution to the community. Before two weeks had passed the total amount was pledged, and over subscribed, and cash was on hand to pay for the Bells. Sunday September 30th. we had a service of dedication of the Bells. Once they were heard they had sold themselves!

The response of the community is still one of commendation. The only criticism I have heard is that we do not play the bells as often as some would like to hear them. We feel it is better to have people eager to hear them played rather than to play them too often. At the hospital, two blocks away, patients and nurses look forward to having them played. School children stop their play and talking to hear them as they are played just before nine o'clock two or three times a week. Members of the four churches situated closely about our church speak of what a fine spiritual influence the Bells give as they are walking to their churches, for we play them for fifteen minutes before the hour for church each Sunday morning.

About two weeks ago your engineer who installed the bells came back to make any adjustments that might be needed. We could tell him of nothing to be done and he could find no adjustments necessary to be made.

Last evening at a Trustee's meeting it was voted to use some of the surplus money subscribed for the Bells to add some other equipment, among which is the Electric Ear Deaf System.

We are glad to recommend the Bells to any other church contemplating the purchase of them, and to recommend your company as one that tries through its representatives to give absolute satisfaction and real service to any church it may serve.

Most sincerely,

C. E. Whittier

First Presbyterian Church
Lexington 15, Kentucky

Robert Whitfield Miles, D. D.
Minister

December 22, 1945

Miss Laila Wild, Educational Director
W. A. Bull, Church Treasurer
Miss M. L. Akerman, Secretary

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Penna.

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

We have had our carillonic tower bells in operation now for a month and are delighted with them. Our dedication service was held the Sunday before Thanksgiving, thereby enabling us to add this beautiful note of praise and Thanksgiving at this season when we were all particularly grateful. During the Christmas season they have played each afternoon at 5 o'clock and there have been many comments over the lovely effect of the Christmas carols on the air.

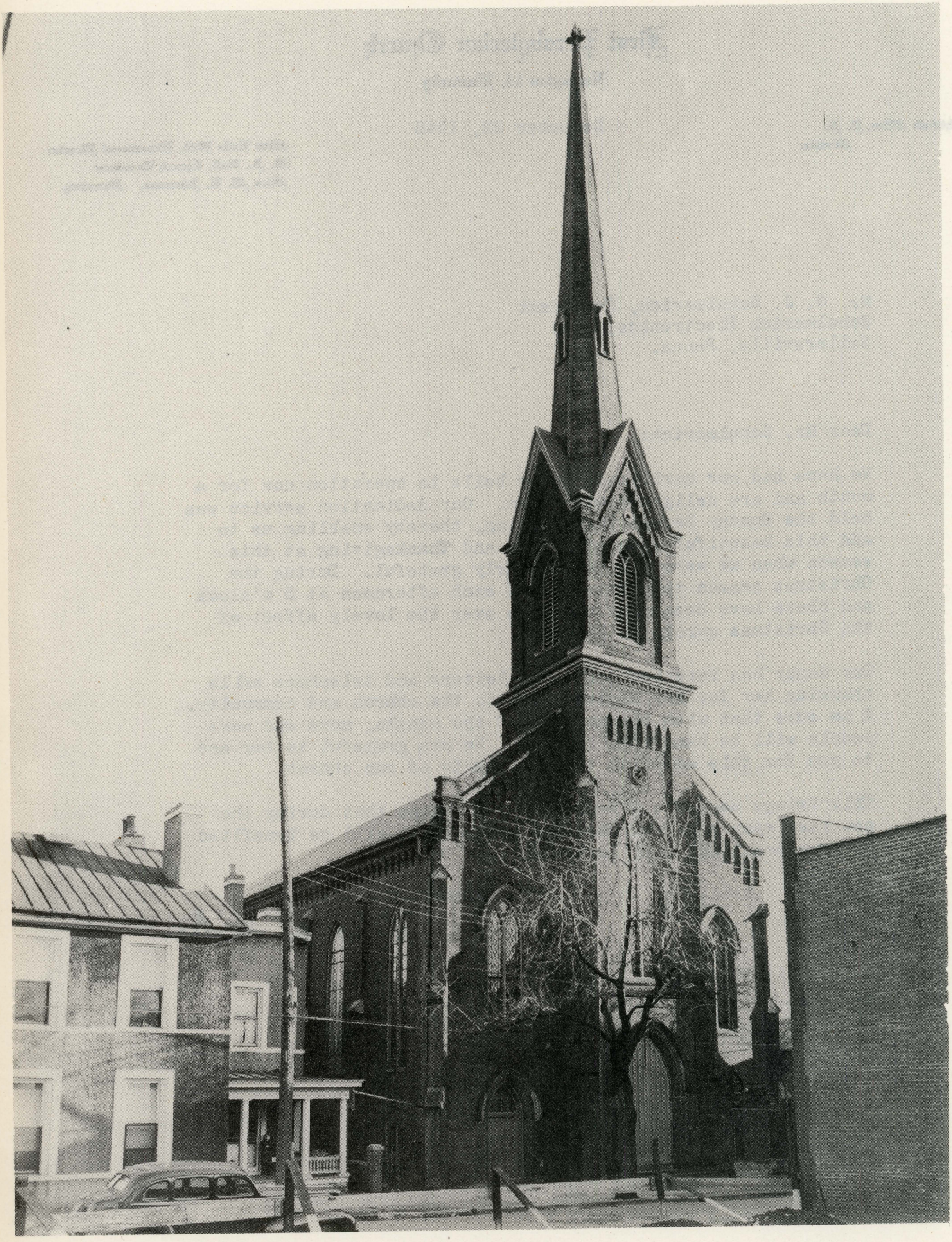
Our donor has received scores of letters and telephone calls thanking her for her contribution to the church and community. I am sure that with the passing of the months, more and more people will be benefited by them. We are grateful to her and to you for this addition to the worship of our church.

This brings season's greetings and the hope that during the new year many more churches and communities will be benefited by your beautiful carillonic bells.

Sincerely yours,

Robert W. Miles

RWM/mla



Christ Church
REV. HOWARD E. GANSTER, RECTOR
326 N. UTICA ST. TEL. MAJESTIC 1650
WAUKEGAN, ILLINOIS

December 24, 1945

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Attention: Mr. G. J. Schulmerich

Gentlemen:

The Carillonic Bells, the product of the Schulmerich Electronics, Inc., were installed in the tower of Christ Episcopal Church, Waukegan, Illinois, on Wednesday, November 21st and rung for the first time on Thursday, November 22nd, (Thanksgiving Day).

They have been a source of great joy to the forty thousand people of this community irrespective of race, creed, or nationality. Literally, hundreds of people have stopped the rector on the streets and in places of business to express to him their delight in the bells.

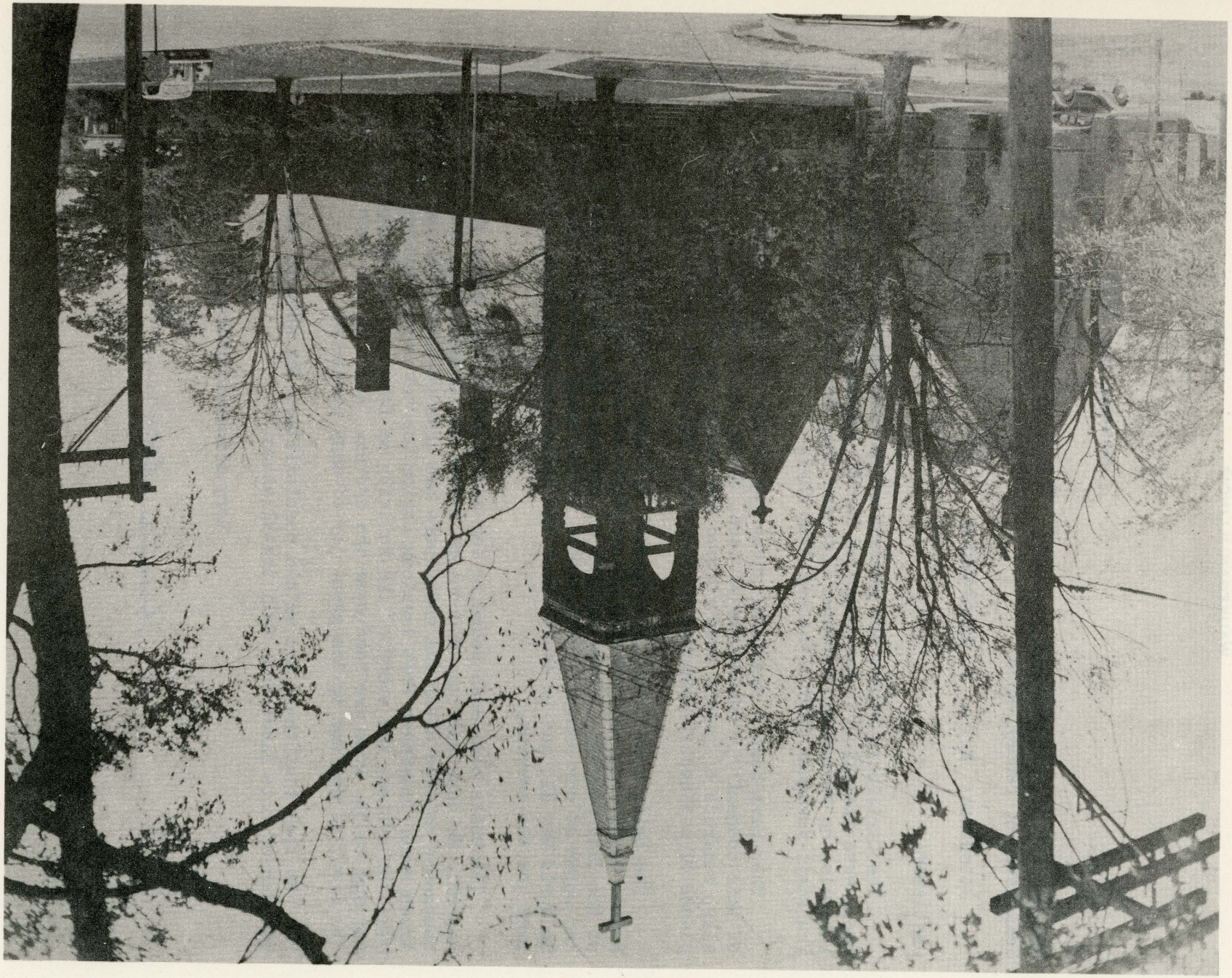
The bells were formally dedicated on Sunday, December 9th (Pearl Harbor Sunday) in the presence of the Mayor of our city and the members of the City Council. Large numbers of the more than five thousand men and women of our community who served in the armed forces of the country in World War II, and in whose honor the bells were installed, were present for the service.

The bells have been heard as far as one and a half miles from the church. We have used the microphone system for broadcasting community emergency notices after the newspapers had gone to press; the nationally known Homer Dahringer Post American Legion Quartet sang Christmas Carols over the system; the story of the Nativity as found in the Gospel according to St. Luke was read over the system. All this has been done to the Glory of God and to the great joy of many thousands.

We feel that there are untold possibilities for good in the possession of this Electronic Bell installation.

Very sincerely yours,

Howard E. Ganster, Rector



DILWORTH METHODIST CHURCH
605 EAST BOULEVARD
CHARLOTTE, 3, NORTH CAROLINA

TELEPHONE 3-3600

HOWARD P. POWELL, D.D.
PASTOR

PAUL H. DUCKWALL
ASSISTANT TO THE PASTOR
DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

MISS CLARA WEBSTER
CHURCH SECRETARY

July 26, 1944

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The Schulmerich Electronics, Inc. installed in Dilworth Methodist Church, Charlotte, North Carolina, the Carillonic Bell System in December 1941. We have been greatly pleased with the performance of the system and with the quality of service which the bells have provided. We believe that they have done more than any other part of our physical equipment to inspire and to encourage interest in the Church. We believe, too, that they have brought many worshipers to the services of the Church who otherwise might not have come.

The timely inspiration rendered by the bells during these days of war in calling people to prayer and to worship will remain in the hearts and minds of the people of the Dilworth community for many years to come. We believe that this has been a service which cannot be estimated or even associated with the amount of money invested. Such an influence transcends any appraisal of material things.

We believe that no Church could make a better investment in its equipment than the installation of the Carillonic Bells. We cheerfully recommend the Schulmerich Electronics, Inc. for this service.

We have found Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President of the company, to be reliable and trustworthy and it has been a pleasure to do business with him.

Respectfully submitted,

Howard P. Powell:cw

Howard P. Powell

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
MAHONING ST. at GARFIELD AVE.
MILTON, PA.

PAUL H. SMITH, S. T. M., Pastor
52 Mahoning St.

September 25, 1945

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I am happy to know that you find the picture of our Church pleasing and I do wish to say to you at this time that "The Carillonic Tower Bells" installed by Schulmerich Electronics, Inc. have certainly enriched the services within Trinity Lutheran Church. They have contributed to the spiritual life of our entire community as their mellow tones are heard each noon throughout the week. They serve to recall the message of the Church and her Gospel at a time of the day when there is a danger that it be forgotten.

My very best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Paul H. Smith

Paul H. Smith

PHS/CEL



RECTORY, ST. NICHOLAS OF TOLENTINE
2342 ANDREWS AVENUE
NEW YORK 53, N. Y.

AUGUSTINIAN FATHERS

November 6, 1945.

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pa.

Gentlemen:

The installation of the Carillonic Tower Bells which you have installed in the towers of St. Nicholas of Tolentine have added considerably to the ecclesiastical effect in reaching the members of our Parish and as well extending the influence of the Church throughout the entire community.

It has long been my desire to place Bells in these towers to add aural strength to their dignified beauty. From the many comments we have received from members of our Parish as well as persons of all religious faiths, it is evident that the Carillonic Bells have added materially to the community life.

I shall be most happy to extend a welcome to anyone desirous of hearing this instrument which is now played at regular times each day.

May I thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very sincerely yours,

Father B. J. Zeiser, O.S.A.

(Rev.) B. J. Zeiser, O. S. A.
Pastor

Trinity Episcopal Church
NINTH AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET
Greeley, Colorado

January 7, 1946

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I know you would be interested in the comments and reaction of my parish and of the community in regard to the carillonic tower bells which you installed in Trinity Church.

Every comment received has been most complementary. Many of my people have remarked on the clear, true, and lovely tones of the bells. The community has sent in numerous requests that we play the bells more often, as they enjoy hearing them very much.

I think it is particularly interesting to note the comments of the ministers of other churches, who have said repeatedly that our bells add a great deal to the reverence of their churches.

I think it is also interesting to know that they are attracting more and more people to our services who have not attended churches before with any regularity; upon questioning, we discover that the bells arouse an urge to worship God in His church, and so they come to the church with the bells.

I would like to extend my personal thanks for your splendid services and the cordial cooperation which you have evidenced in all our dealings. Not only are the bells a great source of pleasure, but I feel equally so in regard to your attitude and our association.

Thank you for your many courtesies, and accept our deep gratitude for making available this splendid addition to our church.

Cordially yours,

Chas. V. Young

Chas. V. Young, Rector

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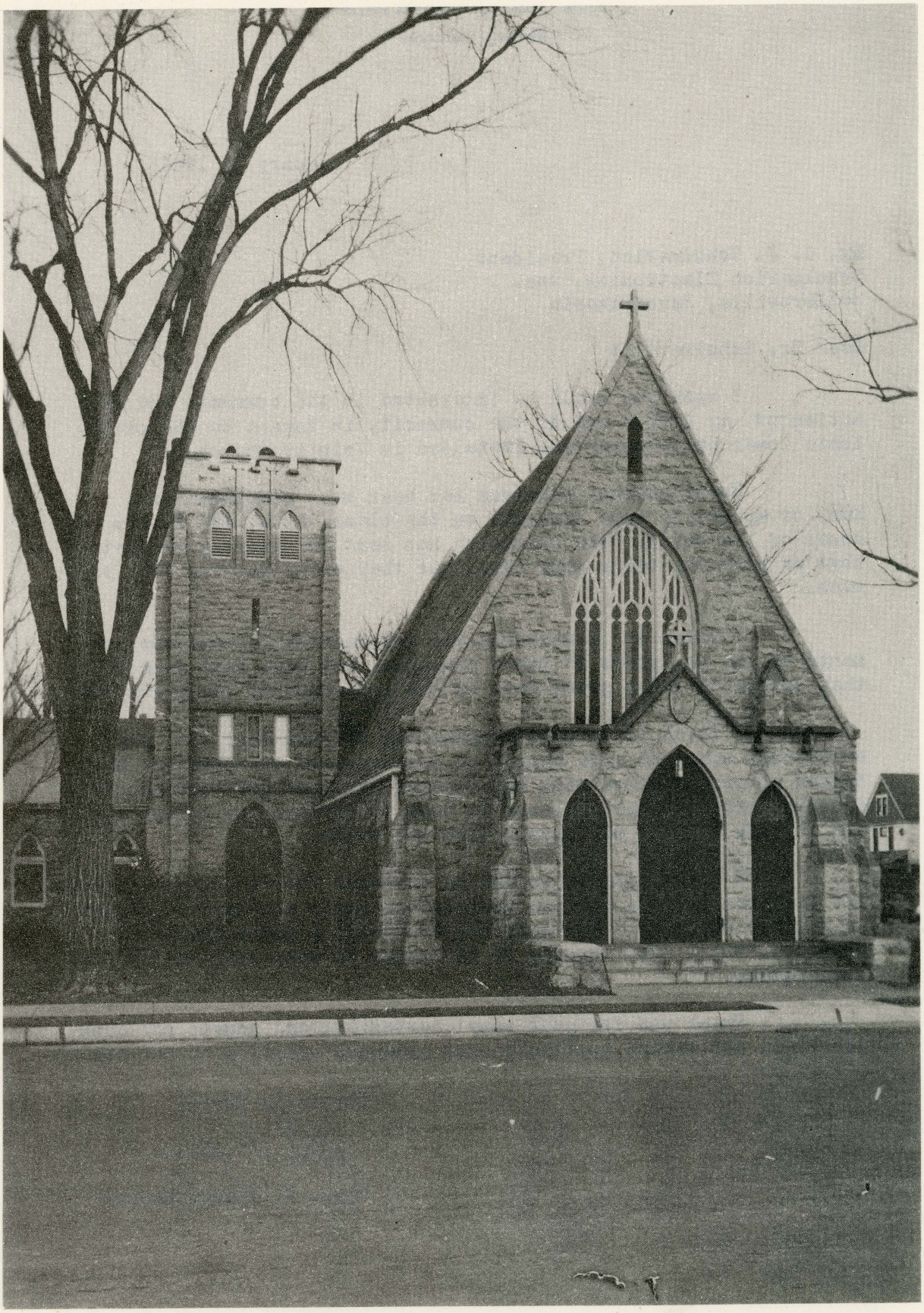


THE SIXTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
16TH AND KENNEDY STREETS, N. W.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

J. HERBERT GARNER
MINISTER

June 4, 1945

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

Thank you for your attention to our Carillonic Tower Bells. They are now operating in excellent manner..

Your Schulmerich Carillonic Tower Bells have been in the tpwer of our Sanctuary for more than a year and a half. It is conservative at the best to say that thru them we have been able to inspire and refresh Christian faith for the thousands of people who hear them. Thousands? - yes, thousands, for we are situated in a densely populated residential home and apartment house area of The Nation's Capitol, within one block of one of the major street car and bus terminal and transfer points, and at one of the main entrances to Rock Creek Park which attracts throngs of visitors weekly..

On D-Day and VE-Day, we proclaimed messages of repentance and forgiveness, hope and comfort, challenge and faith, with the hope that all heard might seek and pray for Christ to rule the hearts of all mankind..

One very unique feature about our use of the Tower Bells is that, periodically, Jewish hymns are played one hour before the hour of Friday Prayer Services for the Jewish people who live in our area.. At times, we have also played The Rosary and Ave Maria, for our Catholic nabors, and hope to make even greater use of this medium as interfaith understanding and cooperation..

Please know that we appreciate the accuracy of tone, the adequacy of volume, the graceful dignity of strong, yet mellow quality in every note, the facility of operation and the personal character of your interest in perpetuating satisfaction with everything about your carillonic tower bells..

With kind personal regards, and hoping that I may see you in the early future, I am

Cordially and sincerely yours,

J. Herbert Garner



MISS JANIE SEAMSTER
CHURCH SECRETARY

G. G. MILLER, TREASURER

C. C. HINTON, CLERK

Hocutt Memorial Baptist Church

A. P. STEPHENS, PASTOR

Burlington, North Carolina

M. W. RANKIN, MISSIONARY
TSUNYI, KWEICHOW PROVINCE, CHINA

MRS. PHAN YUN FO, NATIVE MISSIONARY
SHIUCHOW, CHINA

January 8, 1946.

Schulmerich Electronics,
Sellersville, PA.

My dear Mr. Schulmerich:

The people of the church and our friends throughout the surrounding communities are greatly pleased with our new Carillonic Bells. They add beauty and dignity to our worship services.

Different musicians play them at noon for 15 minutes every day in the week. Our friends have expressed their appreciation for this service. They have requested time and time again that we continue this noonday broadcast.

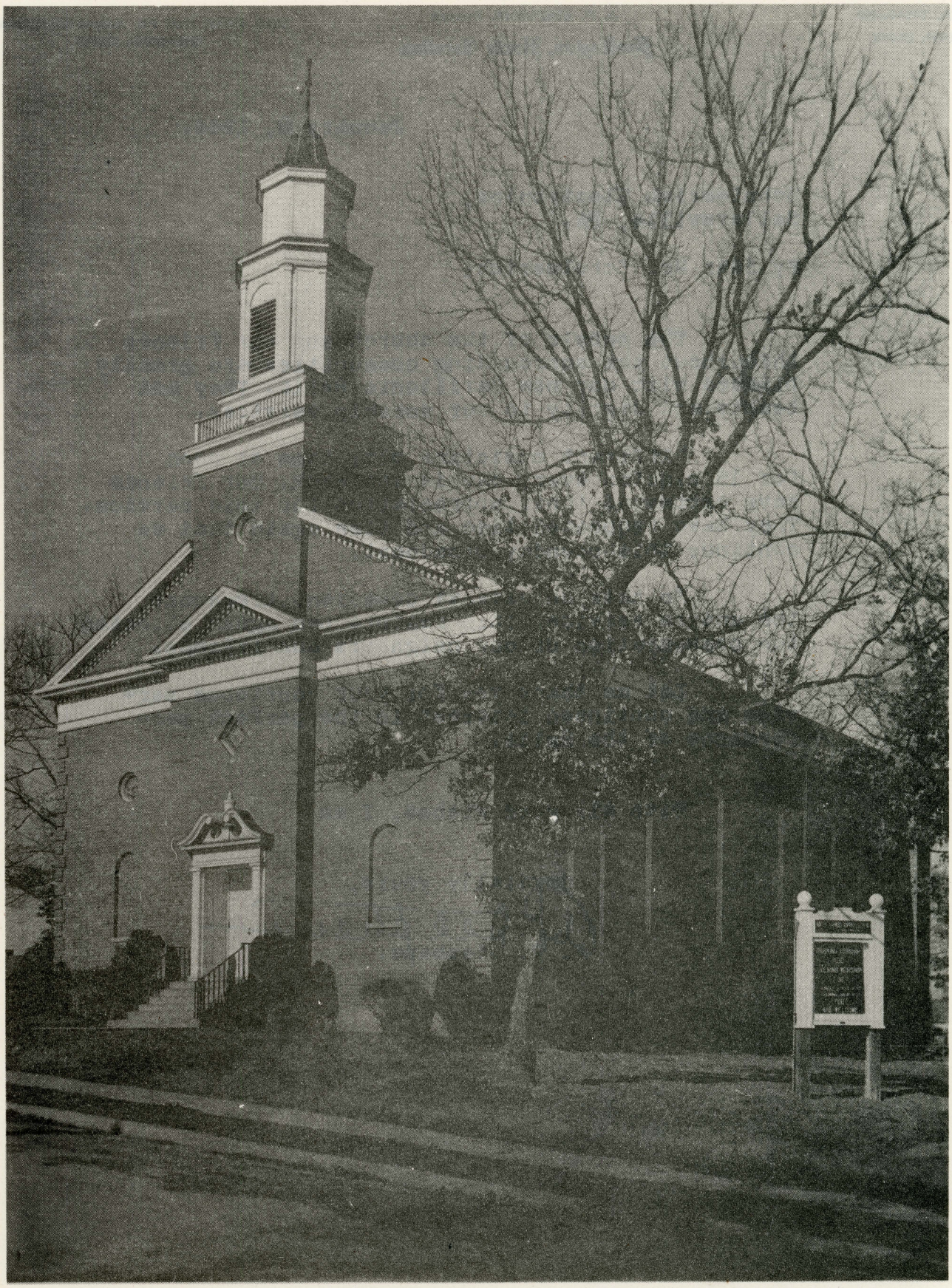
We have, on several occasions, broadcast the entire service. This feature has again elicated the commendation of our neighbors and friends.

Let me thank you for your courteous service and continued interest in the perfect performance of the Bells.

With all good wishes, I am

Cordially yours,

A. P. Stephens.



Central Methodist Church
JOS. H. ARMBRUST, PASTOR
JOS. E. CALDWELL, ASST. PASTOR
MONROE, NORTH CAROLINA

March 8, 1945.

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

The tower bells you placed in Central Methodist Church, Monroe, N. Carolina, have been an increasing source of satisfaction to our congregation and the public. I have heard businss men say that they wait eagerly for the bells to sound every morning at 10:00 A. M. when they sound a call to prayer.

The bells have meant much to the morale of the community. The thousands of soldiers from the nearby camp hear them daily. They have been of inestimable value to us. We would not be without them for anything.

Sincerely yours,

Jos. H. Armbrust

Jos. H. Armbrust, Pastor,
Central Methodist Church,
Monroe, N. Carolina

B. V. HEDRICK
CHAIRMAN OF BOARD

LEROY A. SMITH
CHURCH SECRETARY-TREASURER

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

WALTER J. MILLER, MINISTER
SALISBURY, N. C.

July 25, 1944

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I enjoyed seeing you and regretted that I had to leave to take part in the service at the Church. I hope that you will soon be coming this way again.

We have had the Carillonic Bells which you installed for about eighteen months now. They have added very much to the services of our Church. In addition to their use on Sunday, we play them each day at noon for fifteen minutes. We have had many favorable comments about them.

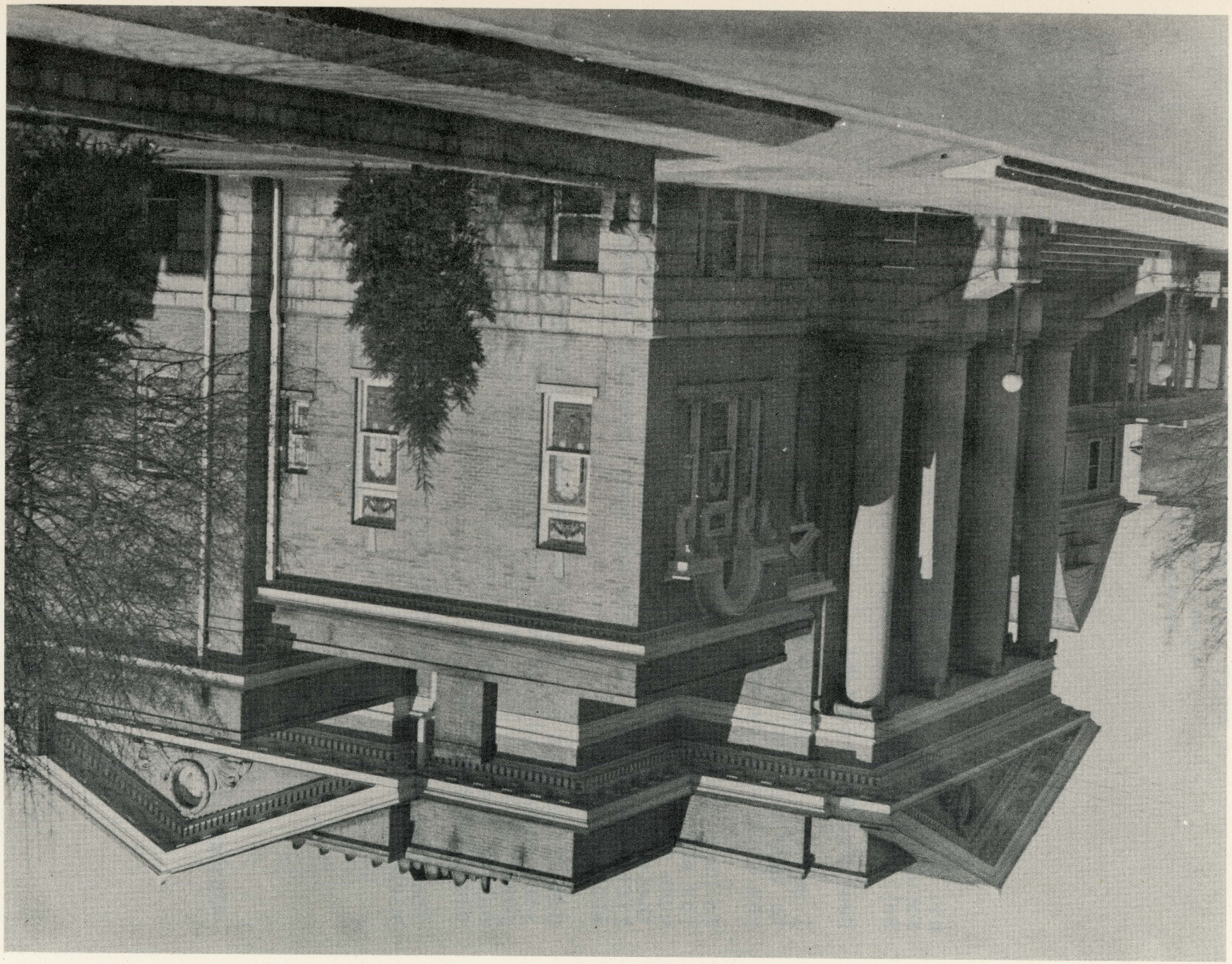
One thing that has impressed me very favorably about your company is your willingness to cooperate in every possible way. You have been interested not only in making the sale, but in seeing that the equipment gives complete satisfaction.

Thanking you for your friendly dealings and with best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Walter J. Miller

WJM:br



GRACE CHURCH, EPISCOPAL
RADFORD, VIRGINIA

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, EPISCOPAL
CHRISTIANSBURG, VIRGINIA

WILFRED E. ROACH, RECTOR
210 FOURTH STREET, WEST
RADFORD, VIRGINIA

July 26, 1945

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pa.

Dear Sir:

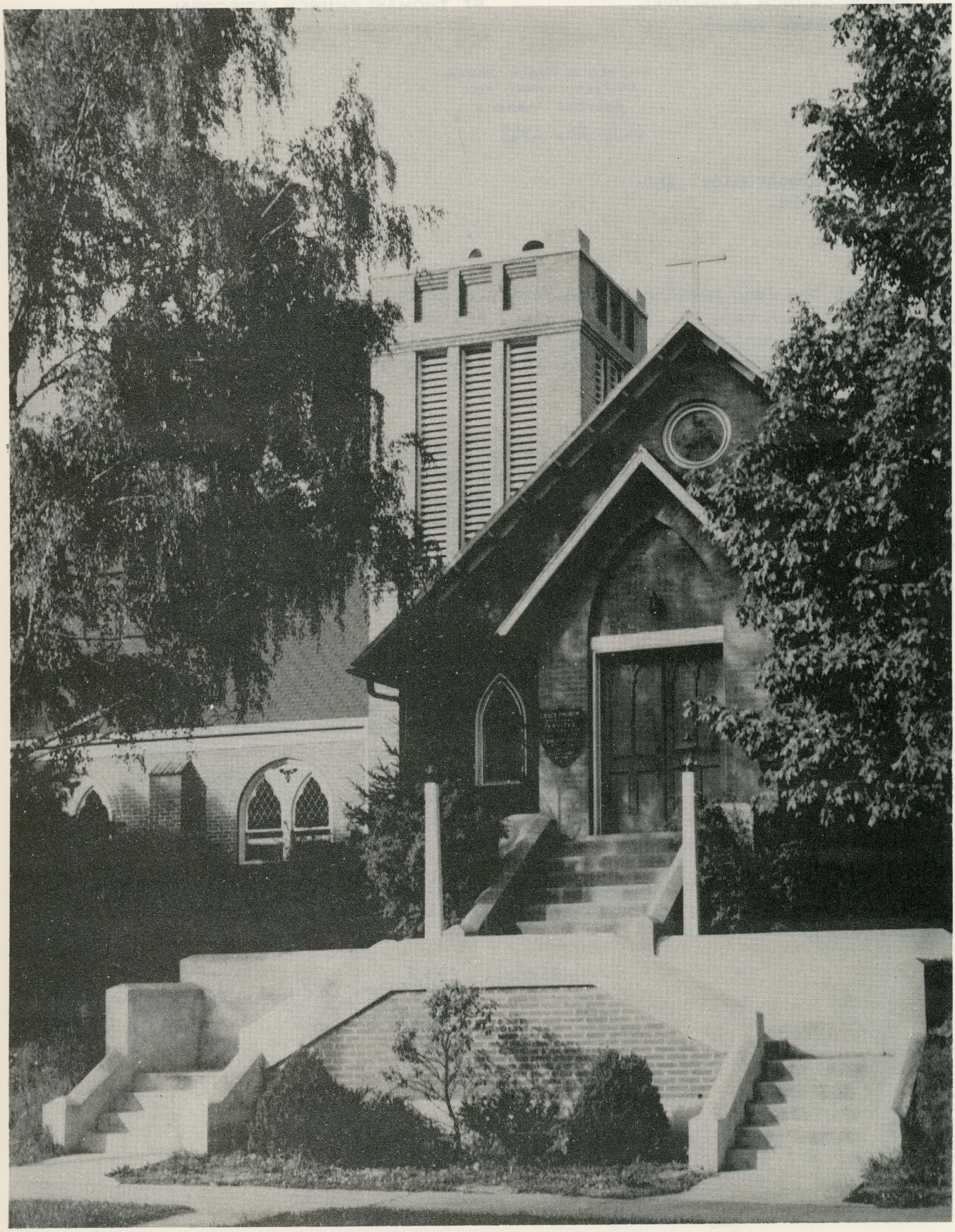
At the June meeting of the Vestry of Grace Episcopal Church Dr. Minor Wine Thomas, Mr. W. H. Garking, and Rev. Wilfred E. Roach were appointed as a committee to draw up some appropriate remarks concerning our Tower Bells. Enclosed herein you will find our remarks.

Mr. W. H. Garking, Senior Warden of Grace Episcopal Church, Radford, Virginia, is of English descent and was confirmed by the Archbishop of Canterbury in the English Church. During his life in Radford as a Tailor and the Owner of Garking's Cleaning and Pressing Co., he has always been active in the church but he always missed hearing his native church bells in the English Churches. This fact and his consideration for the people of the community created a desire to give a set of bells to the church as a Memorial to his wife and two sons.

After careful consideration, Schulmerich Electronics was selected as the company to make the installation. This installation has been very successful and has meant a great deal to the church and the community. The bells are an added musical feature for the regular services of the church. The people in the community are delighted with them and many of the people have remarked that they use the period of the ringing of the bells for daily prayer. In close vicinity to the church is the Radford Community Hospital. Many of the patients have remarked to the Rector of the church how the bells have inspired them during their sickness.

As a joy to the community, an addition to the plant of the church, and an adequate means of witnessing to the Christian faith, the Towel Bells are a great success.

Signed: Minor Wine Thomas
Wilfred E. Roach



Saginaw, Michigan,
January 26, 1943.

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Glenside, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

My Grace congregation desires to express their sincere appreciation for the fine set of Carillonic Bells which you recently installed for us. We use them every Sunday and we have used them many times during the Christmas season. Words of high praise have come to us from many other people besides the members of our Church. I know definitely that some people have attended our services for the first time because they heard our bells!

Without exaggeration, I want to say, we are more than pleased, we are really thrilled by their sweet tones and the fact that they can be heard by our people living almost two miles from the Church.

Your services, too, have been of the best and most cordial. We shall not hesitate to recommend our Bells to anyone who may be interested.

Cordially yours,

Irvin M Otto

Pastor

P.S. I forgot to mention that we are also pleased with the Electric Ear, or Aid-To-Deaf which we had installed at the same time. Some people are coming regularly to Church now who have not been attending because they could not hear.



The First Baptist Church of Pittsfield, Mass.

REV. PAUL LEE STURGES
MINISTER

ANNA L. FLEET
Secretary

B. MYRA WHITTAKER
Director of Religious Education

ARVILLA C. BULLOCK
Director of Music

April 27, 1943

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Glenside, Pennsylvania

Gentlemen:

"Now that we have had the Carillonic Bells in our Tower for a period of one and one-half years, I should like to express our delight in possessing them. They were received in the community with high praise, and I am happy to say, with a growing appreciation. This is especially commendable for the musical taste of the Pittsfield people is most exact."

Sincerely,

Paul L. Sturges

Paul L. Sturges

St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Wellsboro, Pa.

The Reverend Albert H. Head
Rector

Rectory : 53 Walnut St.
Phone : 466 J

January 15th 1946.

Mr George Schulmerick, President.
Schulmerick Electronics Inc.
Sellersville, Pa.

Dear Mr Schulmerick;

The Carillonic Bells your company installed in our Church have now been in use just over a year. They were installed in time for Christmas 1944.

During the time they have been used - and we use them for the community as well as for the Church services - they have come to be a very real part of our community life. People in the town are quick to ask the reason, if the Bells are not heard during any one week.

During the troubled times the world and our country have been through, I know of nothing that could have meant more to us and to our community , than the Bells. They were installed as a memorial to five young men who lost their lives in the war, from our parish, and honoring all the men and women from our parishes who were serving their country in the armed forces, to the number of fifty two. As they rang out in honor of them and in memory of those who gave their lives, so on V E and V J Days they rang out in joyous commenoration of the fact that Peace was coming again to the world. As they rang out at Christmas time with the Christmas Carols, they told the story of Christmas in their own way. The whole town would, I believe, pay much more to keep them than we did to get them. It may be of interest to you to know, that while we realize nothing can be promised regarding the distance they Bells will "carry" yet they have been heard distinctly at Christmastime, four miles away.

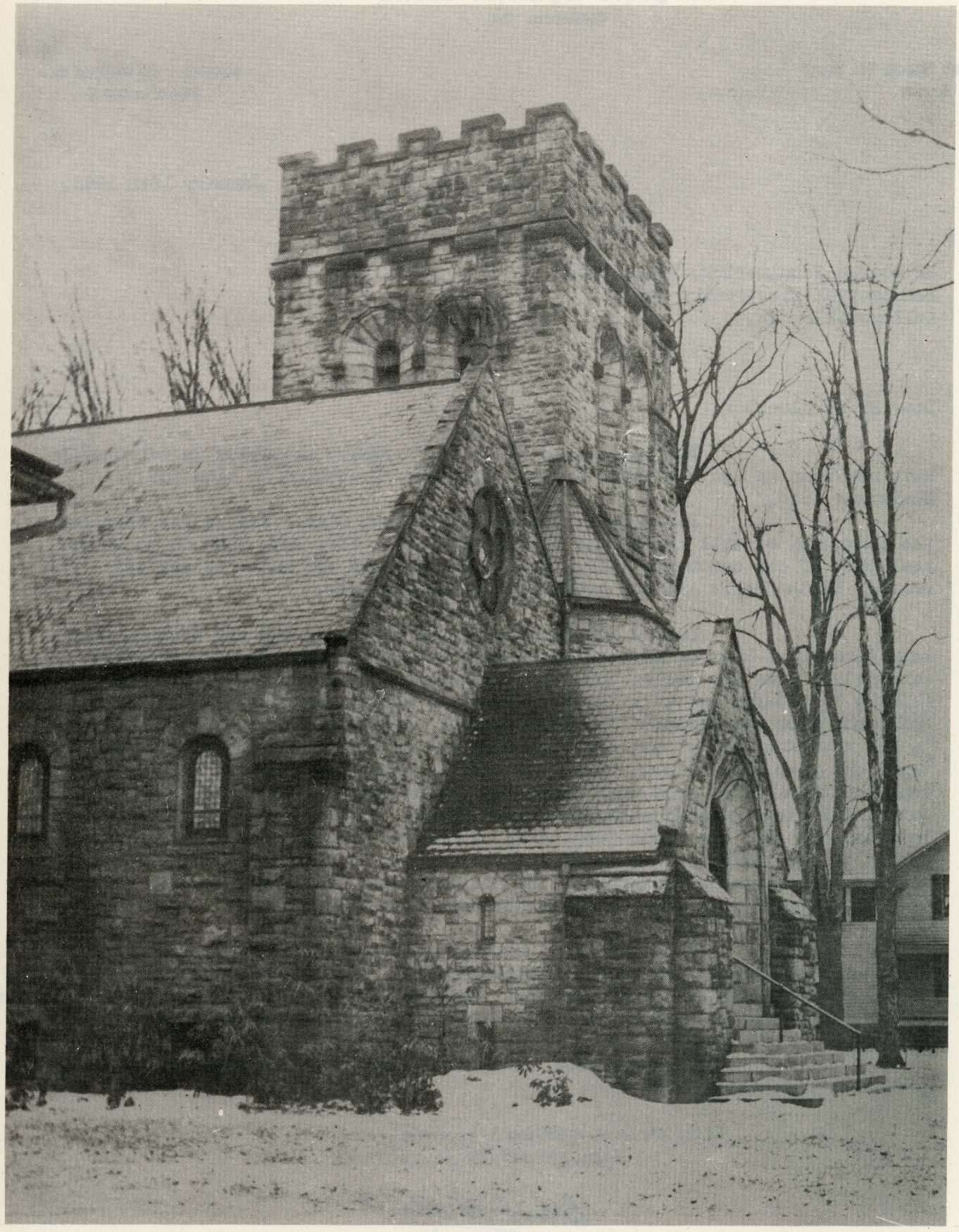
May I add that working with your company and with your engineers has been a real joy. I personally feel that I made new friends by coming in contacttwith you and your courteous employees. We are always glad at the Rectory to have them drop in and see us on the way to make other installations.

If at any time I can be of service in recommendingthe Bells please do not hesitate to write me.

With kindest personal regards,
Very sincerely yours,

Albert H. Head

Rector
St Paul's Church.



THE METHODIST CHURCH
MARKET AND THIRD STREETS
BLOOMSBURG, PENNA.

MRS. R. B. DYSART
CHURCH SECRETARY
OFFICE 130 W. THIRD STREET
TELEPHONE NO. 309

SAMUEL WILLIAMS STRAIN
MINISTER
PARSONAGE 311 MARKET STREET
TELEPHONE NO. 770

March 28, 1946

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Penna.

Gentlemen:

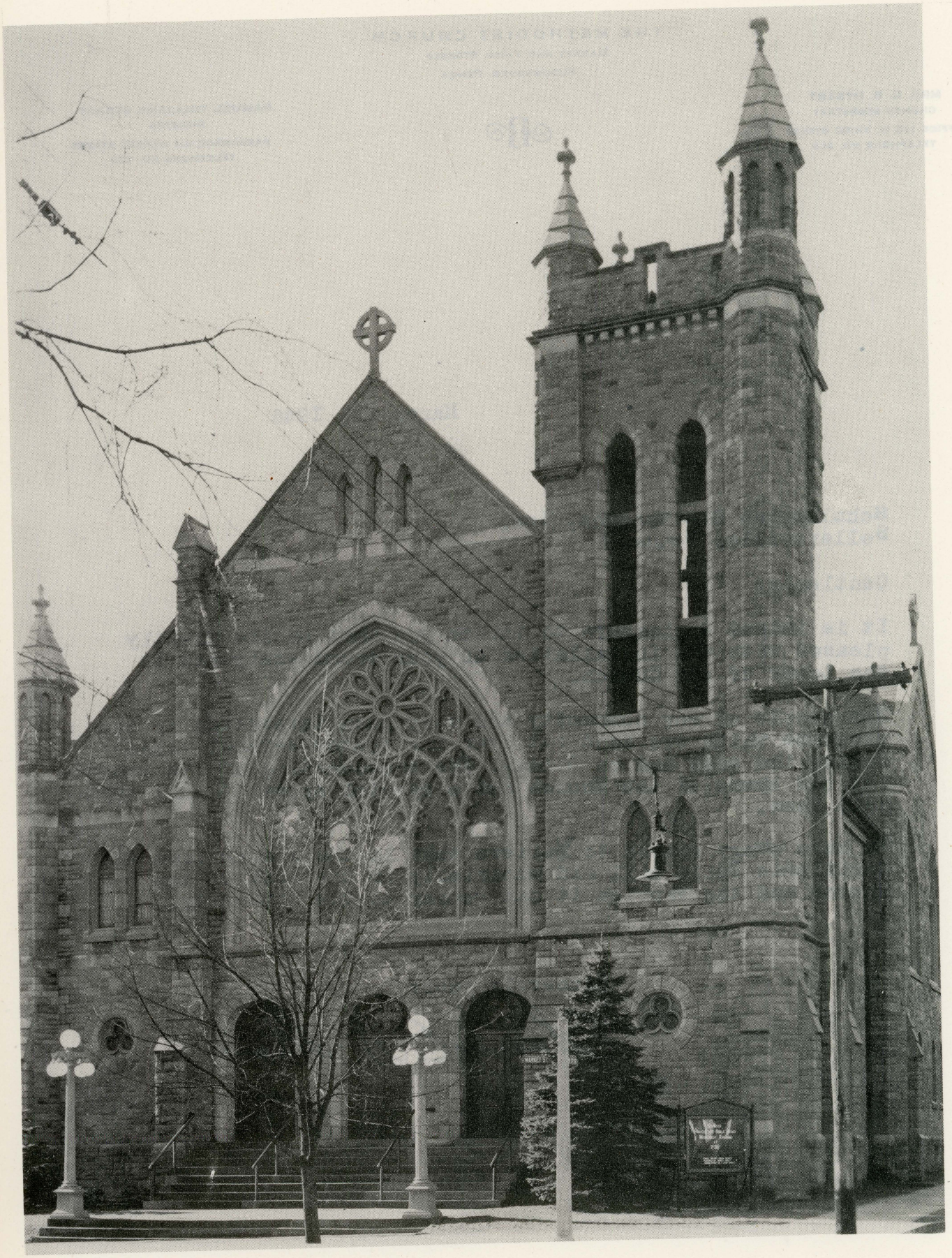
It is indeed a pleasure to inform you that we are greatly pleased with the installation of your sound equipment in the tower of our Church.

The people of our community are very much interested in the programs which are send out over the system several times during the week and on Sunday. The broadcasting of the beautiful old hymns of the Church has a special appeal to all that hear them.

We have every reason to believe that in the coming days the Carillonic Bells will aid materially in the work of the Church and the service it can render to the community.

Sincerely yours,

Samuel W. Strain



SAINT JOHN'S EVANGELICAL CHURCH

2101 NEWBERRY ST., WILLIAMSPORT, PA.

ELLIS JAMES BAYNE, MINISTER

Parsonage—821 Funston Avenue
Telephone 6365

Director of Senior Choir,
MRS. EDWIN ROBERTS

Director of Youth Choirs and Organist, MRS. A. J. RYAN

Church Telephone, 5569
Church Secretary,
MRS. FLOYD JOHNSON
Church Janitor, HERBERT ADAMS
2010 Newberry Street
Missionary in Africa,
MISS LUCY ROWE

January 30, 1946.

Mr. G.J.Schulmerich, President:
Schulmerich Electronics Co.
Sellersville Penna.

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

In June 1945 you installed in our church the complete system for broadcasting The Carillonic Bells from the tower of our church and the public address system for use in the several parts of our church plant.

This complete installation was the gift of one of our families as a memorial to the 204 young people from our church and school in military service.

The members of our administrative council the donors and I wish to take this means to thank you for several things that have made this one of the most pleasant and profitable projects in many years.

First a word of personal appreciation to you for your presentation and planning. You were very kind and thoughtful in your first contacts. Then a word for the men who installed the equipment. They did a fine job and with a good spirit.

Now for the word you will appreciate. The people of our community have given a wonderful response to this new service that our church has rendered. During the recent Christmas season we had many comments of appreciation. Friends of the other churches and other faiths have spoken words that told how much joy they had in hearing The Bells from the organ or from records. Twice we broadcasted from the tower hymns from the congregational singing of union services of six congregations. Neighbors have enjoyed all of this to the extent that they have given gifts to buy new records.

We have had requests for more broadcasts but have limited these to periods when we will not disturb but rather create the desire for more.

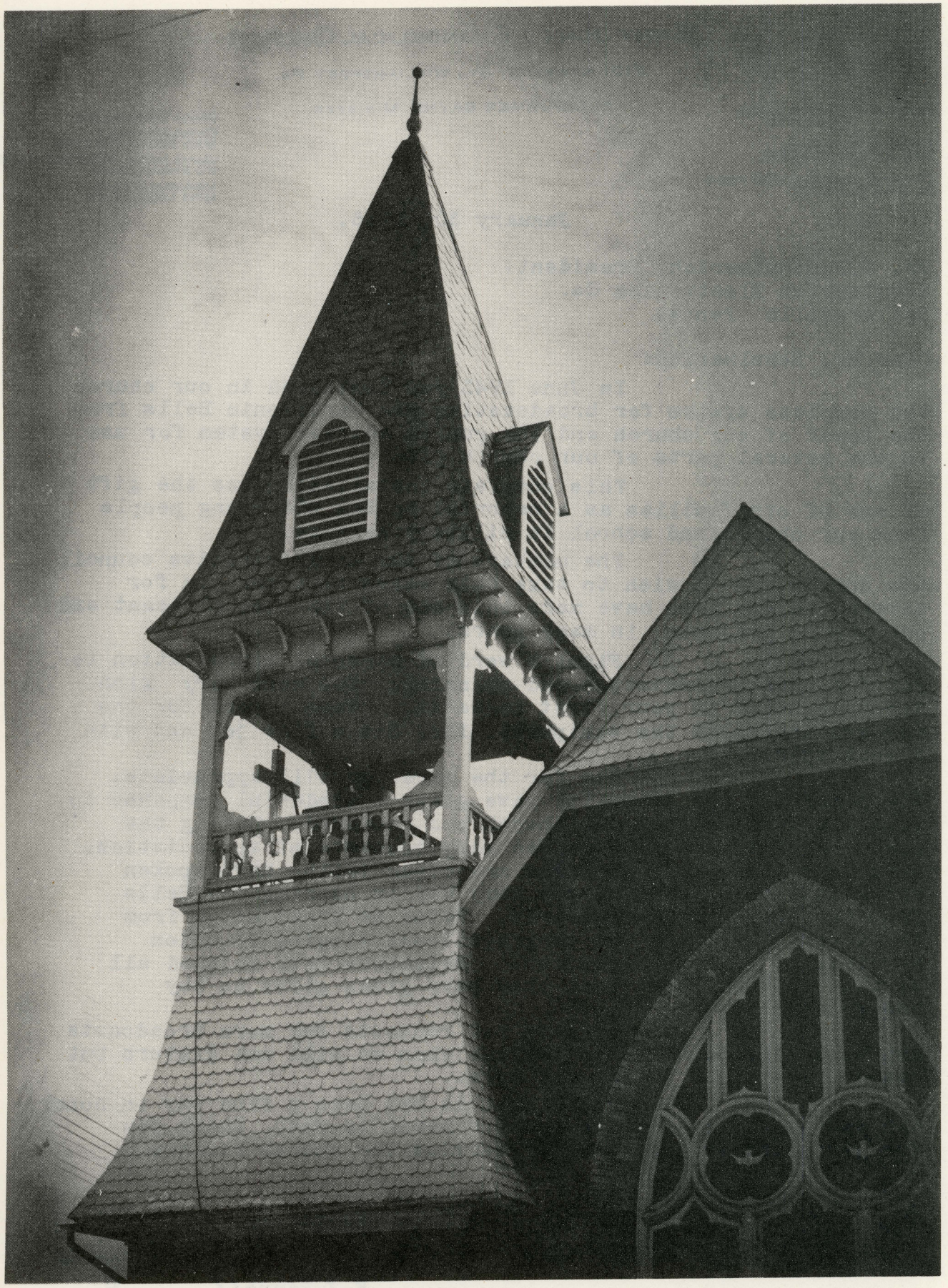
We think this has been a fine way to honor our young people and give greater honor to God. Thank you for your part in this greater service our church renders.

Sincerely,

E. J. Bayne

E.J.Bayne

EJB-GJ



REV. R. E. KRAMER, *Pastor*
10 E. MAHANOY AVENUE

JOSEPH E. WILSON
Secretary

Christ Lutheran Church

MAIN STREET AND MAHANOY AVENUE
MAHANOY CITY, PA.

February 4, 1946

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,

Sellersville, Pa.

Gentlemen,

We cannot speak too highly in praise of the set of Electronic Carillonic Tower Bells installed in the tower of our church in June 1945. They have been the source of immense satisfaction to the pastor and members of the congragation as well as to neighbors and friends of the congregation.

There is a splendid reproduction of clear bell tones that far surpass that of neighboring church bells. Our musical tower has set our church apart from all the rest and the general public has been warm in expressing appreciation of these bells.

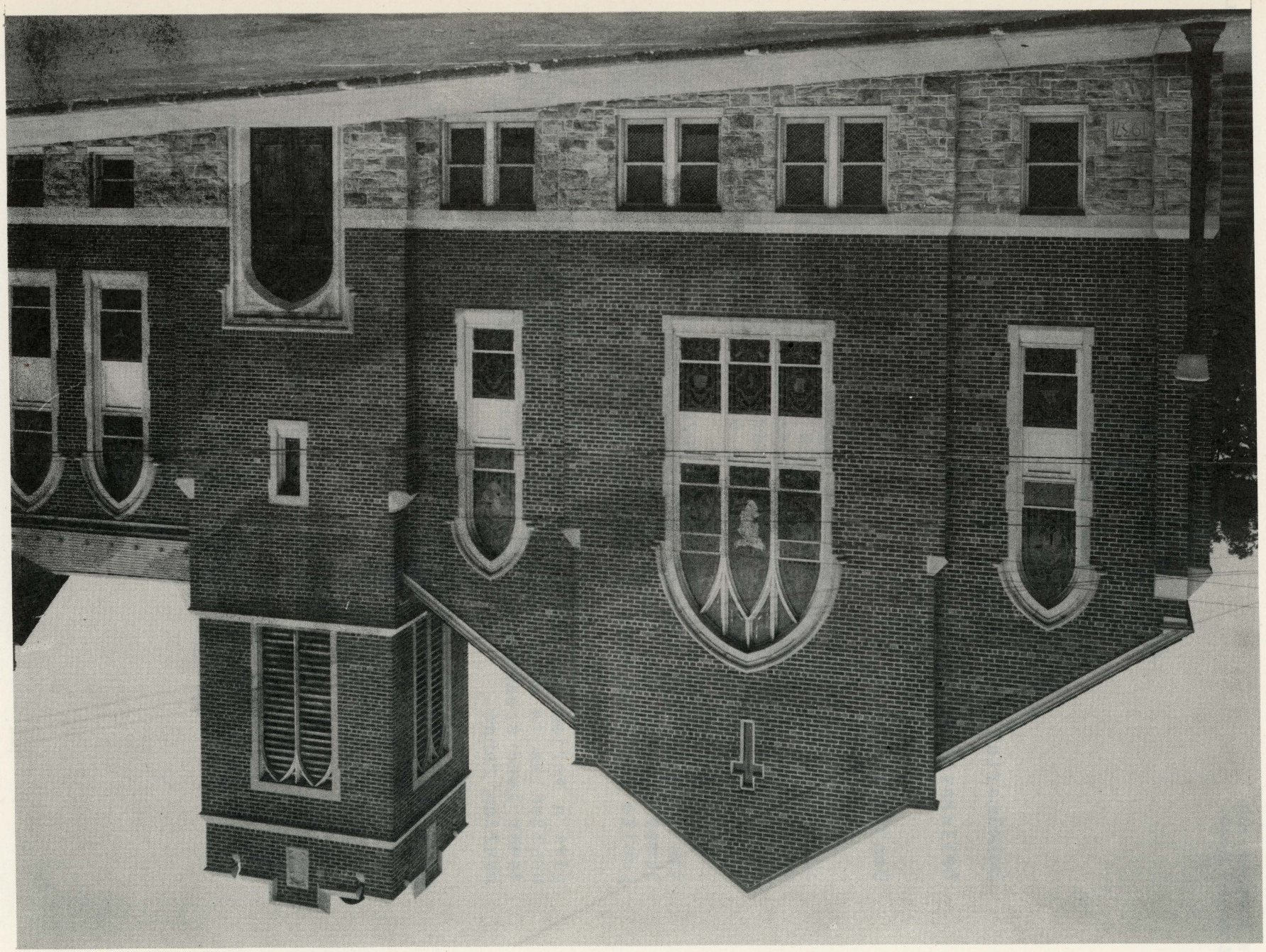
The Christmas season afforded us an opportunity to give a varied program every evening. The microphone arrangement enabled us to send organ music and choir numbers out over the tower loud speakers to the enjoyment of all who are within hearing range.

We can certainly recommend them as a most ideal memorial to some loved one.

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Kramer

R. E. Kramer, pastor



GROVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
REV. JAMES J. MENTZER
332 BLOOM STREET
DANVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA

March 7, 1945

Schulmerich Electronics
Sellersville, Penna.

Dear Sirs:

I am happy to write you expressing our complete satisfaction with the carillonic tower bells recently installed by you. The bells have been in operation for several months now and they have given complete satisfaction. Their rich, pure tones are much appreciated in the community. They have added greatly to our services of worship and have made available the ministry of music to the whole community. We look forward to many years of increasing enjoyment of our tower bells.

Cordially yours,
James J. Mentzer
James J. Mentzer.



First Baptist Church

ZENO WALL, Pastor
HORACE EASOM, Educational Director
BEVERLY CLARK, Secretary

Shelby, N. C.

June 22, 1946

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

After six months' use of the Carillonic Bells in our church I am happy to assure you of the increasing usefulness and delight which they are giving to our church and community. As far as I know the bells are giving complete satisfaction and proving very effective in calling the people to worship with their beautiful tones which float over our town just before each service.

We have already recommended this system to some and are very much gratified to know that a number in our section have purchased the bells.

The microphone pickup is also very useful in singing the old hymns and playing the organ for the people. We do not want to be without this system.

I am enclosing a paper and folder, both of which show pictures of our church. With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I am

Most cordially yours,

Horace Easom

Horace Easom
510 W. Marion St.
Shelby, N. C.

HE:bc
Encl.

GINTER PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
WILMINGTON AVENUE AND BROOK ROAD
RICHMOND 22, VIRGINIA

T. RUPERT COLEMAN
MINISTER

CHURCH STAFF
MRS. H. G. CARTER
MRS. GANELLE L. WHITE

February 5, 1946

To Whom It May Concern:

In September, 1945, the Schulmerich Electronics, Inc. installed in our Church a set of Carillonic Bells, with the Tower Music System. The Bells are a memorial to those serving and giving their lives in World War II.

There is nothing, of which I am familiar, that our Church has done which has received such enthusiastic approval and praise by our membership as has this memorial. We have been impressed and pleased because of the excellent reception that the people of the community and city have given to this additional service by our Church.

Located two squares from us are two Theological Institutions. The administrative officers and the student body of these institutions have formally expressed their high appreciation and approval for this beauty from our Church tower. The playing of the Bells before every service in the Church has added a distinct spirit of reverence and "Church-mindedness" to our entire community.

The Bells are so beautiful and appreciated by friends in the community, who are not members of our congregation, that voluntary requests have been made for the privilege of making donations, exceeding $500, toward the cost.

Never have we had business relationship with any company that did more to satisfy us in the fulfilment of its contract. Mr. Schulmerich, the President of the company, not only has seen that the entire contract was fulfilled, but he has done everything in his power to carry out the expectations of our congregation. It gives me pleasure to commend him and his company without reservation.

If further information is desired, please feel free to communicate directly with me.

Enthusiastically submitted,

T. Rupert Coleman

T. Rupert Coleman
Minister

COLLEGE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

AND

THE HOUSE BY THE SIDE OF THE ROAD

WEST SOMERVILLE • MASSACHUSETTS

CHURCH OFFICE, 14 CHAPEL STREET

ARCHIVER J. STRAIT, Minister

East Wakefield
New Hampshire
August 20, 1941

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich
Schulmerich Electronics Inc.
Glenside, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

The Carillonic Tower Chimes and Sound equipment which you installed in this church a year ago have proved to be a great asset to the church and community. The deep, soft tone of the bells is pleasing to the ear. By use of the time clock we send forth the music of the great hymns twice every day. The music of the organ, the broadcast from the tower is frequently requested by neighbors in the community. The recording equipment has enabled us to record the music of the choirs, and has been of real assistance in the training of the choirs. At Christmas and Easter time we are enabled to send forth lovely programs of carols. You will be happy to know that the system has functioned satisfactorily with a minimum of attention.

Very truly yours,

Archiver J. Strait

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Archiver J. Strait



CHURCH OF CHRIST
(Christian Church)
FREMONT, MICHIGAN

W. MARSHALL ROGERS, Minister
3 East Elm Street

March 19, 1945

G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Penna.

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I am enclosing the picture of the Church which you requested and am glad to say that we are greatly pleased with our Electronic Carillon which you installed in our Church. Although the Tower of our Church is quite low, the Bells are heard in the daily vesper programs for distances up to four miles, depending of course, on the atmosphere and wind direction. The organists of six of the Churches in town each play the carillon one day each week, and enjoy doing it very much.

The Carillonic Bells have become a community institution with all people of the town, regardless of Church affiliation. They enjoy them very much and are as much interested in them as our own Church members.

The tone qualities of the bells are perfect reproductions of the large cast bells. In fact, most people who hear them are under the impression that there are large bells in the Tower.

We are very glad to recommend them to others.

Very truly yours,

W. Marshall Rogers



FIRST CHURCH UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST
MECHANICSBURG, PENNA.

September 30, 1943

To Whom it May Concern:

A little less than a year ago a unit of Carillonic Bells was installed in our Church plant. Each evening of every week, devotional music has been flowing from the Tower, without any failures. The testimony of the whole community is one of appreciation. The music is neither harsh nor objectionable even to the residents living in the immediate vicinity of the Church building. Shut-ins who cannot come to the services are especially grateful for this ministry of music.

The unit is easily adaptable to a wide variety of uses in services within the auditorium and Sunday School section of our plant. Six years ago our organ chimes were replaced with a set of the best organ chimes available, but now these new chimes are almost never used because they sound thin compared with the full tones of the Carillonic Bells.

The unit is a memorial gift by one of our members. Few memorials can minister so widely and effectively.

C. Guy Stambach

C. Guy Stambach, Pastor

ST. MARY'S
SILVER RUN, MD.
Organized 1762

PARISH ABROAD
Tadeikonda, India

SILVER RUN LUTHERAN PARISH

F. R. SEIBEL, S. T. M., Pastor
WESTMINSTER, MARYLAND
R. F. D. No. 1
Parsonage Phone
SILVER RUN 446

ST. MATTHEW'S
PLEASANT VALLEY, MD.
Organized 1879

May 17, 1945

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

The Carillonic Bells which you are recently installed in St. Mary's Church make possible the use of the great Hymn tunes of the Church both as a call to worship and as integral parts of the worship itself, in the soul-stirring depths of bell tones.

One individual whose home is two miles distant and who was familiar with the Cathedral carillons of pre-War Europe, frequently praises the clarity and range of our installation and repeats his original astonishment at finding this in a comparatively small rural Church.

The daily angelus serves both as inspiration and comfort to the "shut-ins" and as a challenging reminder to the "hold-outs" of the community.

The integrated sound system has been a boon to the hard-of-hearing during worship services and has proved itself adaptable to a number of unespected and diversified uses.

"St. Mary's-by-the-road" has long been the "stone Church with the warm heart" but its singing tower with "The Sweetest Music Ever Tolled" has greatly extended the effective beat and enfolding warmth of that heart.

Sincerely yours,

F.R.Seibel

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CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF DEACONS

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Second Presbyterian Church
CORNER YARMOUTH STREET AND MOWBRAY ARCH
CHARLES H. GIBBONEY, MINISTER
Norfolk 7, Virginia

Second Presbyterian Church
Norfolk 7, Virginia.

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Penn.

Dear Sir:

I wish to commend to the highest degree the Schulmerich Chimes for their excellent performance at all times. The quality of tone of this instrument is good, equalling that of any mechanical set of instruments with which I am familiar. The action far surpasses that of any mechanical instrument for speed of reaction and delicacy of touch. However, I am most impressed with the complete absence of distortion at high dynamic levels.

Sincerely yours,
Mr. Bailey Barco
Organist and Choir Director

MRS. J. H. HAWKINS
ASSISTANT TO PASTOR

W. H. H. BAGWELL
CHURCH CLERK

First Baptist Church

J. B. WILLIS, MINISTER
208 CHARLOTTE ST.
Hamlet, N. C.

C. E. COGGIN
CHURCH TREASURER

W. C. BONEY
MISSION TREASURER

March 28, 1945

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I am taking this opportunity to say to you that the bells installed in our church by your company have even more than met our highest expectations. Both our church and the donor of the bells are delighted with them. We have perhaps had nothing in our town that has meant more to music appreciation than have these bells.

Cordially yours,

J. B. Willis

J. B. Willis, Pastor
First Baptist Church
Hamlet, North Carolina

JBW:EM

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January 11, 1946

Swaim Memorial Methodist Church
LaSalle and Naldo Avenue
Jacksonville 7, Florida

Dear Friends:

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for the lovely chimes you have made possible for the people of our community to enjoy. These chimes have been a real inspiration to me and I have heard many people say how much they enjoyed them. This is a great evangelistic effort that I am sure is bringing in real results. The Presbyterians in your neighborhood say "thanks".

We pray God's rich blessing upon your splendid church and fine minister. We covet your prayers on our behalf.

With kindest regards, I am,

Cordially yours

Stephen T. Harvin

STH:dp

Reprint of a letter sent by the Pastor of one Church to a neighbor Church in which Schulmerich equipment was installed.

Trinity Episcopal Church
NINTH AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET
Greeley, Colorado

November 5, 1945

The Rev. Arthur W. Farlander
550 Mendocino Avenue
Santa Rosa, California

My dear Arthur:

Gee but it was good to hear from you, and I was so happy to have your letter of October 30th. It certainly gives me great pleasure, too, Arthur, to give you a glowing report of the Schulmerich Carillonic Tower Bells. Frankly, they are simply amazing, and the whole town is practically wild about them. And, really, this is no exaggeration. One comment, which I think you might be interested in, came this last week from Mrs. George Irvin, who lives just a few blocks from St. Luke's, Evanston, and who has heard the chimes of both St. Mark's and St. Luke's (which I understand are mighty fine bells); and yet in spite of this, Mrs. Irvin told me, "I don't know when I've heard bells that thrilled me as much as yours did Sunday. They are so much lovelier than anything we have in Evanston." Perhaps you know of Dr. Boothroyd (Mus.D.), the organist at Grace Church, Colorado Springs, who is a very particular musician. When he heard the bells, the tears came to his eyes, and he said, "These are the first bells that I have heard in this country that remind me of the beautiful bells of England."

The bells are perfectly true-toned, Arthur, and are always in absolute pitch, which takes away one of the objectionable features of tower bells, which of course as you know, change pitch with changing weather and temperature; these never do. There is the fact, too, that they can be used inside as organ chimes, which is a great addition. Hearing our bells, and hearing some grade A Deagans in other churches, we find the tone of ours worlds superior, and honestly, the Deagans sound like little tin pans. We also find, Arthur, that our bells are calling many people to church--and not only our church, but others as well. And so, as you have probably gathered by now, we are very pleased with our bells, and we can certainly recommend them without any reservations. We have also found Mr. Schulmerich exceptionally pleasant to do business with.

By the way, Arthur, I forgot to mention that our bells have been heard as far as three miles north of town, which would perhaps be a distance of five miles from the church--and at the same time were heard five miles south of town, with of course equal distances being recorded east and west. However, I think our good, crisp Colorado air had something to do with that.

Lyn, Nancy and Tis all join me in sending our very best love, and hope we will hear from you soon again.

Cordially yours

Chas. V. Young

Chas. V. Young, Rector

CVY:rms

CHENANGO STREET METHODIST CHURCH
ALLEN AND CHENANGO STREETS
BINGHAMTON, N.Y.

January 27, 1942

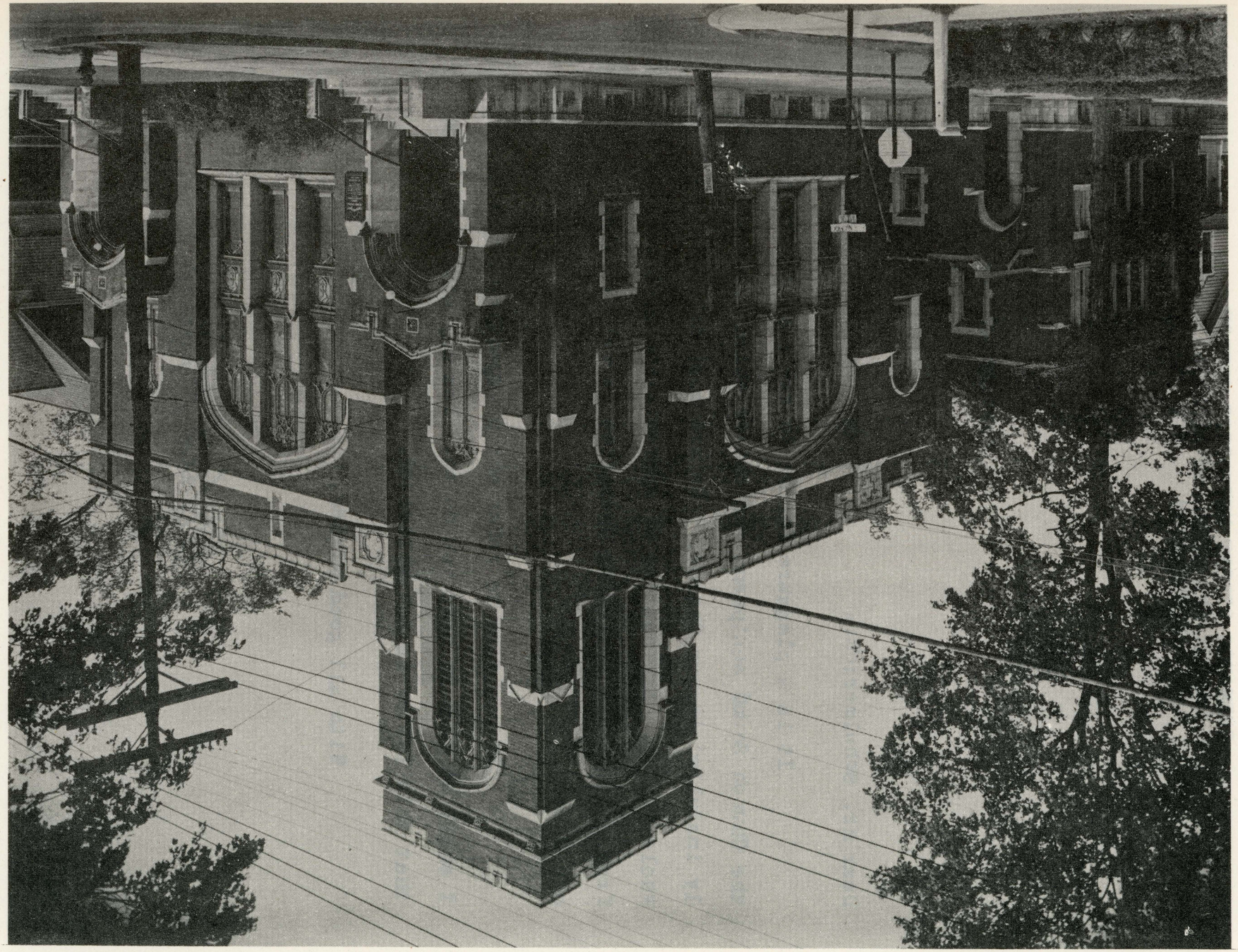
Dear Mr. Schulmerich:-

It is a pleasure for me to say a good word about the Church Sound equipment and chimes which you have recently installed in our Church. We are most delighted with the whole system. Expressions of appreciation have come to us from many people including Catholics as well as those of our own Church.

If you care to refer any prospective buyer to me, I shall be glad to have you do so. You may also tell them that this letter is not solicited.

With all good wishes,

Alfred R. Burke



First Methodist Church
NORTH LAKE STREET
NORTH EAST, PENNA.

MINISTER
CHARLES S. ALDRICH

STUDY AT CHURCH
RESIDENCE: 56 N. LAKE ST.

April 4, 1945

Schulmerich Electronics
Sellersville, Pa.

Gentlemen:

We have now been using the Carillonic Tower Bells you installed for more than three months. We used them a great deal during the Christmas season and again during the Easter season. They have proven very satisfactory.

You will be interested to know that on certain days the bells have been heard as far as three miles out in the country by some of our members. Those who have been confined to their homes have particularly enjoyed the church music coming from their church. With the warmer weather coming when people will have their doors and windows open we expect still wider reception of our bell programs.

The bells are played before and after the morning worship service for a few minutes. Sunday afternoons at 4 o'clock we play them one-half hour for a kind of vesper program of music. Wednesday evenings they are played fifteen minutes before our mid-week service.

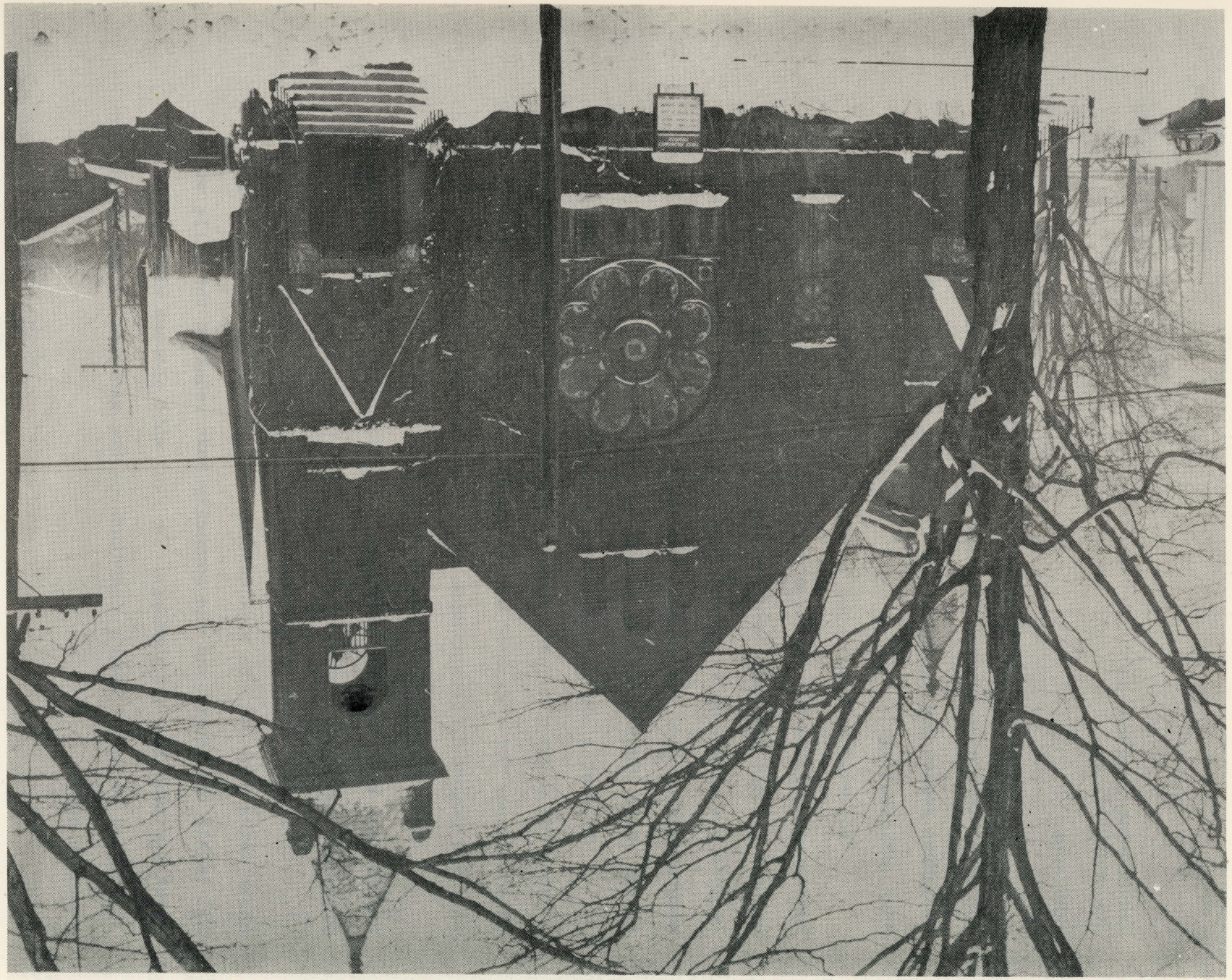
One fine feature of them, we find, is that almost anyone with any musical knowledge can play them satisfactorily. Several of our musicians have played these bells with very good results.

I would like to add that the microphone pick-up for the organ music works very well in broadcasting organ music through the tower. All in all the church and the community have received the bells with great satisfaction and pleasure. We feel well pleased with the installation and believe it will contribute to the services of our church for years to come.

Yours truly,

Charles S. Aldrich

Charles S. Aldrich



OUR MISSIONARIES
DR. AND MRS. CARL D. KRIETE
168 HIGASHI SANBANCHO
SENDAI, JAPAN

Grace Church

"The Evangelical and Reformed Church"

BOWERY AND STATE STREETS
BLACKSTONE 8333

CHURCH SECRETARY
PHILIP E. STOVER
934 BISSON AVENUE
FRANKLIN 1758

ORRIS W. HAULMAN, D. D., PASTOR
207 NORTH PORTAGE PATH
FRANKLIN 3258

AKRON, OHIO

August 8, 1941

Schulmerick Electronics, Inc.
Glenside,
Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerick:

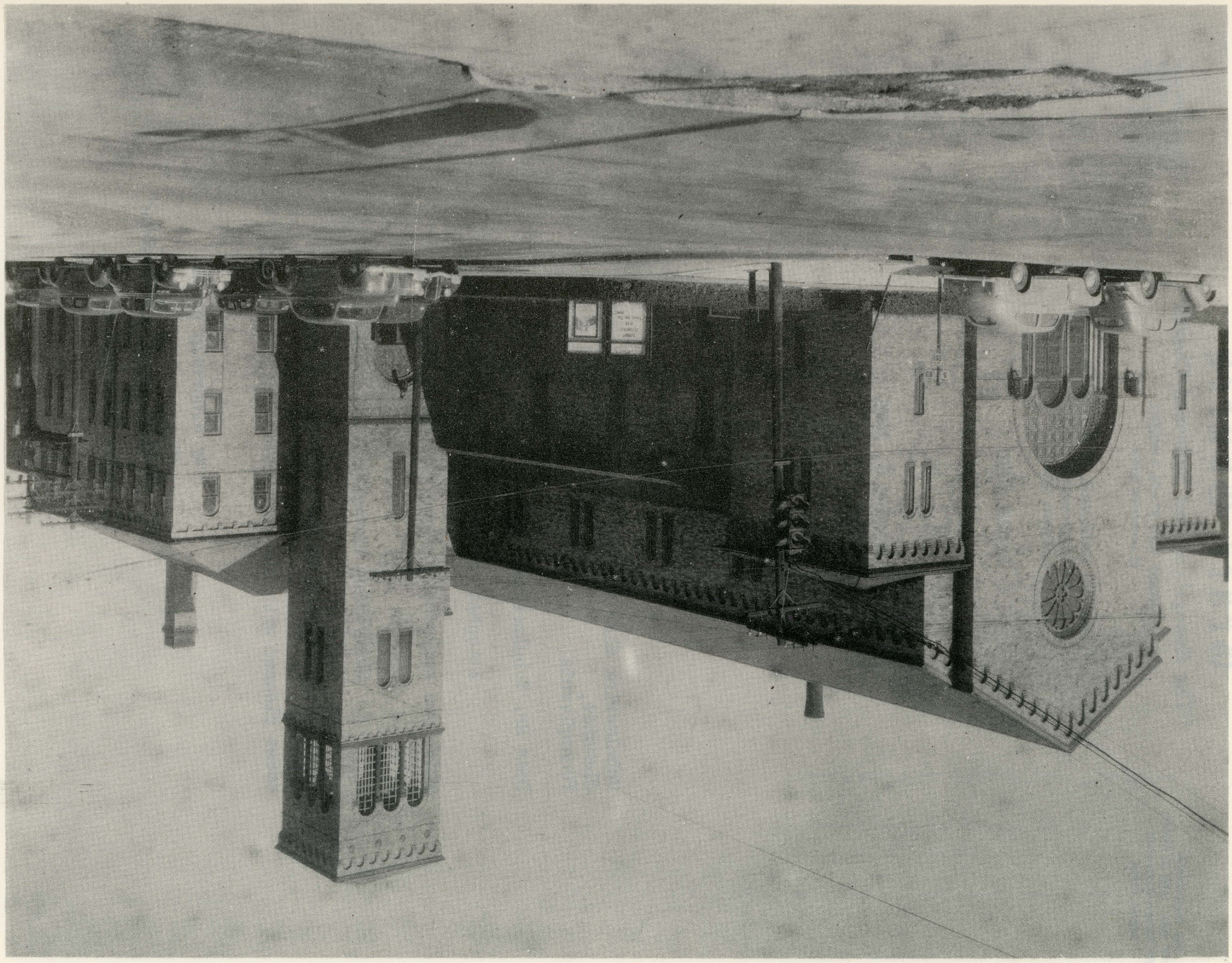
Attached find a picture of our church, which you requested in your letter of August 2.

Everything throughout the whole system seems to be working in good order, and everyone seems pleased with the performance of the system.

Very sincerely yours

Philip E. Stover

Grace Reformed Church



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March 13, 1944

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Att: Mr. G. J. Schulmerich

Gentlemen:

I was very much gratified yesterday when the bells were struck for the first time at 9:00 A.M. Even though it was raining, they threw forth a beautiful sound which was very pleasing to me and to many, many of our Church members and members of other Churches. I feel, as do many others, that these bells will add much to our Church, town and community and I desire at this time to state that I am very much pleased with them in every respect.

Yours very truly,

FHA/t

FRED H. ALLEN

PASTOR—REV. H. F. RHOAD, D. D.

STUDY—113 EAST CLAY STREET

OTTERBEIN CHURCH, UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST
NORTH QUEEN AND CLAY STREETS
LANCASTER, PA.

January 22, 1943

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Glenside, Penna.

Dear Friends:

There are a few things I would like to tell you about the Carillonic Bells which you installed in the Otterbein United Brethren Church in Lancaster, Pa.

First --- The company which installed them are very congenial and mechanically able to do the work well. We found them very willing and even anxious to make any adjustments necessary to bring them in perfect working order.

Second -- The community. The organist plays the bells ten minutes before each worship service. The community expresses their delight in this. A common phrase heard is "They are all right".

Third --- The Church. Our membership just loves to have them played as a part of the worship service. The deep tone quality adds to the worship service to make it more sacred and worshipful.

Pastor

H. F. Rhoad.



First Baptist Church

L. R. VARSER,
CHAIRMAN OF DEACONS

K. M. BIGGS,
CHAIRMAN FINANCE COMMITTEE

R. A. McINTYRE,
CHURCH TREASURER

J. GLENN BLACKBURN, PASTOR

Lumberton, North Carolina

R. T. ALLEN,
CHURCH CLERK

INGRAM P. HEDGPETH,
GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT S. S.

MISS NAOMI BRASWELL,
EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR

April 18, 1944

J. Schulmerich, President
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

The carillonic bells which you recently installed in our church are proving to be a great addition not only to the church, but to the entire community. Our people are enjoying them greatly, both in the services and as they hear them in the community. The people of all denominations have been very generous in expressing their appreciation for them, and the contribution they make to the spiritual atmosphere of the community.

The microphone, which enables us to broadcast over the community the entire service, was used on Easter Sunday morning for a Sunrise Service. The response to the service was the greatest we have had at any service for a long time. This is a valuable part of the equipment you installed for us. We are very happy to have it.

Thank you for your faithful service, and the dependableness with which you carry out your contract.

Sincerely yours,

J. Glenn Blackburn

J. Glenn Blackburn

JGB:b

First Methodist Church
WASHINGTON AT EAST SIXTH
DUNKIRK, N. Y.
SHERMAN H. EPLER, MINISTER

April 11, 1945

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Sirs:

The Carillonic Bells you installed more than a year ago are giving excellent service week after week. The Bells give our church a distinction in the community and we receive many favorable comments about their sweet tones and carrying power. Our church is located near the city hospital and many of the patients thank us for the familiar hymns played by our organist.

We thank you for your fine cooperation and willingness to make the few minor adjustmenst to give us the best use from the Bells.

Very Sincerely,

Sherman H. Epler



Central Methodist Church

Ministers
HENRY H. CRANE
E. SHURLEY JOHNSON
OSCAR G. STARRETT

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June 8, 1943

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, Pres.
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Glenside, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

Thank you for your recent letter which has just come to hand upon my return from an extended lecture tour.

You will be interested to know that last Sunday afternoon we had a music festival with over two hundred in the combined choirs, with Mr. Noble Cain of Chicago conducting and Dr. Filkins at the organ. The music was of such high quality that we sent it out over the tower amplification system. For blocks around it was heard with great delight.

I shall be very happy, indeed, to write any prospective purchaser of your equipment a personal word of high recommendation, not only concerning your equipment, but likewise about the exceedingly gracious personal service you have given us. Our people are delighted, and everything is now more than satisfactory.

With every good wish to you always, I am

Most sincerely yours,

Henry H. Crane

HHC:c


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Ministers:
Resident Pastor—
REV. J. B. BAKER, D. D.
York, Pa.
Missionary Pastor—
REV. HARRY HEILMAN
Liberia, Africa

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church

839 West Market Street
York, Pennsylvania

Sunday Morning Worship Broadcast
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11:00 A. M.

Membership, 1585
Sunday School, 1442
Family Altar League, 650
Fifty-eight Parish Workers
Paid Secretary
Three Choirs
Two Orchestras
Five Missionary Societies
One Ladies' Aid Society
One Altar Guild
Three Luther Leagues
Daily Vacation Bible School
Three Missionaries
Boundless Hope

October 27, 1938

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich
Willow Grove, Pa.

My dear Sir:

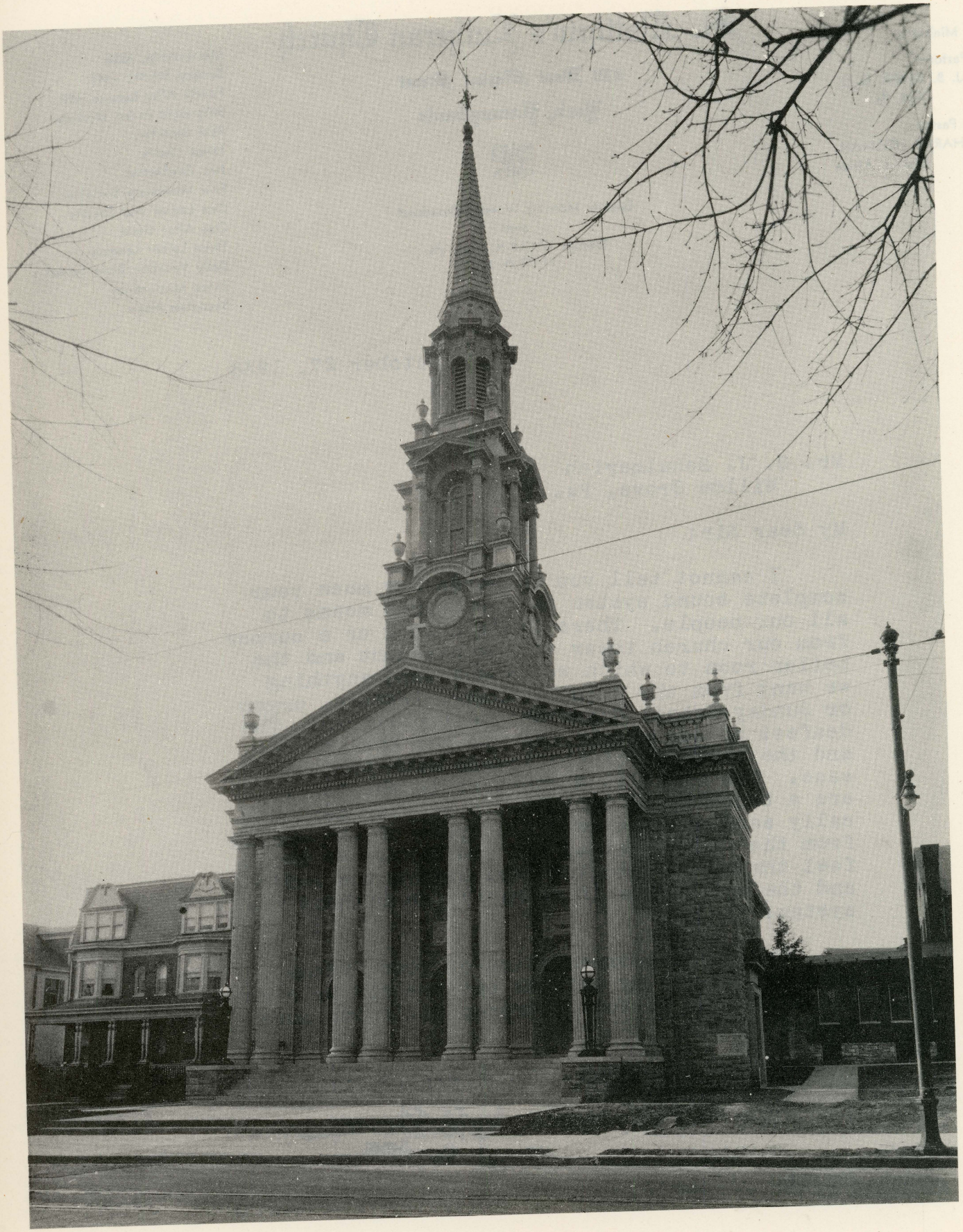
I cannot tell you in words how much your complete sound system in our church means to all our people. There isn't a nook or a corner from our church tower to the basement and the boiler room to which we cannot send anything we want from the pulpit, alter, lectern, organ or Sunday School Superintendent platform. The deafest of our people can now get the sermon and the teaching of the lesson with perfect ease. The eight loud speakers in the tower are a benediction to the city as they periodically send out the dear old hymns of the church from the organ, chimes and the harp. We would feel thrust back to the days before the radio and the automobile if we had to do without the system.

The best recommendation of your system, however, is not my tribute but the six or eight installations in York churches following ours within a year.

Sincerely yours,

J. B. Baker
Per J.B.B.

JBB/IB



FOURTH UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
FRIENDSHIP AND SOUTH PACIFIC AVENUES
PITTSBURGH 24, PENNSYLVANIA

ORVILLE LAWRENCE KUHN, MINISTER
CHURCH STUDY PHONE, MONTROSE 8210

RESIDENCE
1582 WOODBINE STREET
PITTSBURGH 1, PA.
PHONE STERLING 5971

March 15, 1945

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I want you to know that the use of the instrument you installed in our Church is bringing many favorable comments from the people who live in this part of the city. Quite often now I receive telephone calls at noon when I finish playing the records, and it will be some neighbor calling to say, "I just want you to know that the people who live near the Church appreciate what you are doing".

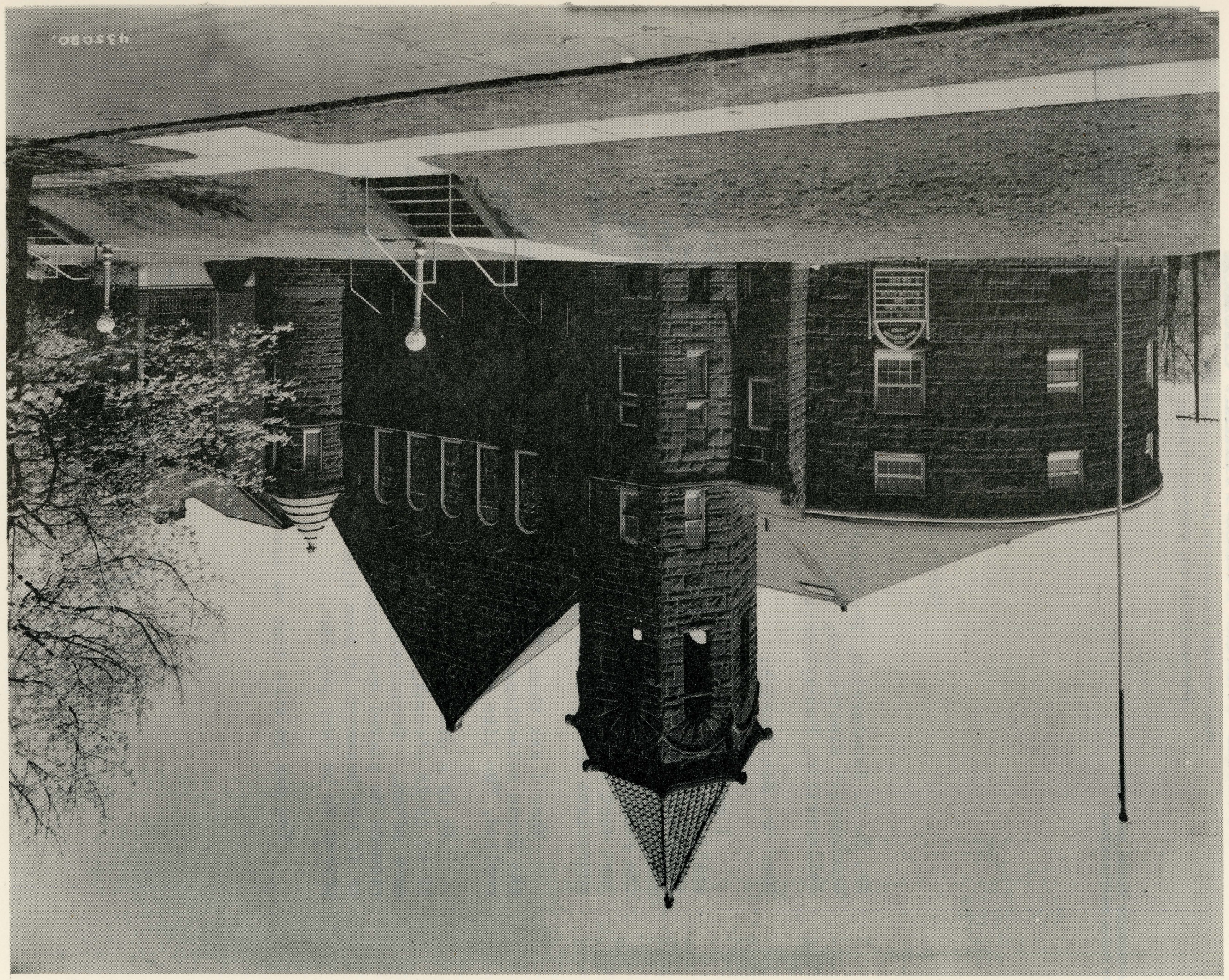
When I ask them, "Which do you like best -- the Chimes, the Organ selections, or the Vocal numbers?", they have always replied, "We like all of it".

It is a pleasure to use this equipment each week day noon from 12 to 12:15 o'clock, and then on the Sabbath Day, we use it much more often. Organizations of the Church have been asking that records be played and broadcast on the speakers in the main room or in the basement at some time during their meetings. This has proved to be very popular.

You can be sure that we are pleased in every way.

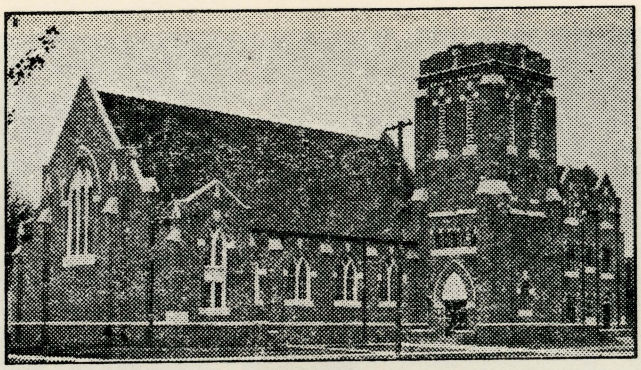
Sincerely,

Orville L. Kuhn



The First Presbyterian Church

LINCOLN AT EIGHTH LEXINGTON, NEBR.



CHARLIE W. SHEDD, MINISTER

October 16, 1945

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich
Schulmerich Electronics Inc.
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich,

Enclosed are a couple of copies of the Dedication Service for our Chime Memorial which was held yesterday.

We want you to know that our tower chimes, as played over the record system, are a huge success and have met with the finest kind of favor with our parishioners and with members of other congregations. We appreciate your fine workmanship as well as your willingness to serve us in so many different ways. I am enclosing a picture of our tower. The speakers are located at the top most point and thus make a fine circulation in the area, both in our city and in the surrounding countryside. Thank you again for your help to us.

Sincerely,

Charlie Shedd

Rev. Charlie Shedd

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Enclosures 3


First
Presbyterian
SUNDAY MARCH 26
SERMON TITLE:
"THE
MANLINESS
OF CHRIST"
WE INVITE YOU
First
Presbyterian
Church

Stony Point Presbyterian Church

STONY POINT, NEW YORK REVEREND LUTHER M. HOLLISTER, MINISTER

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pa.

Gentlemen:

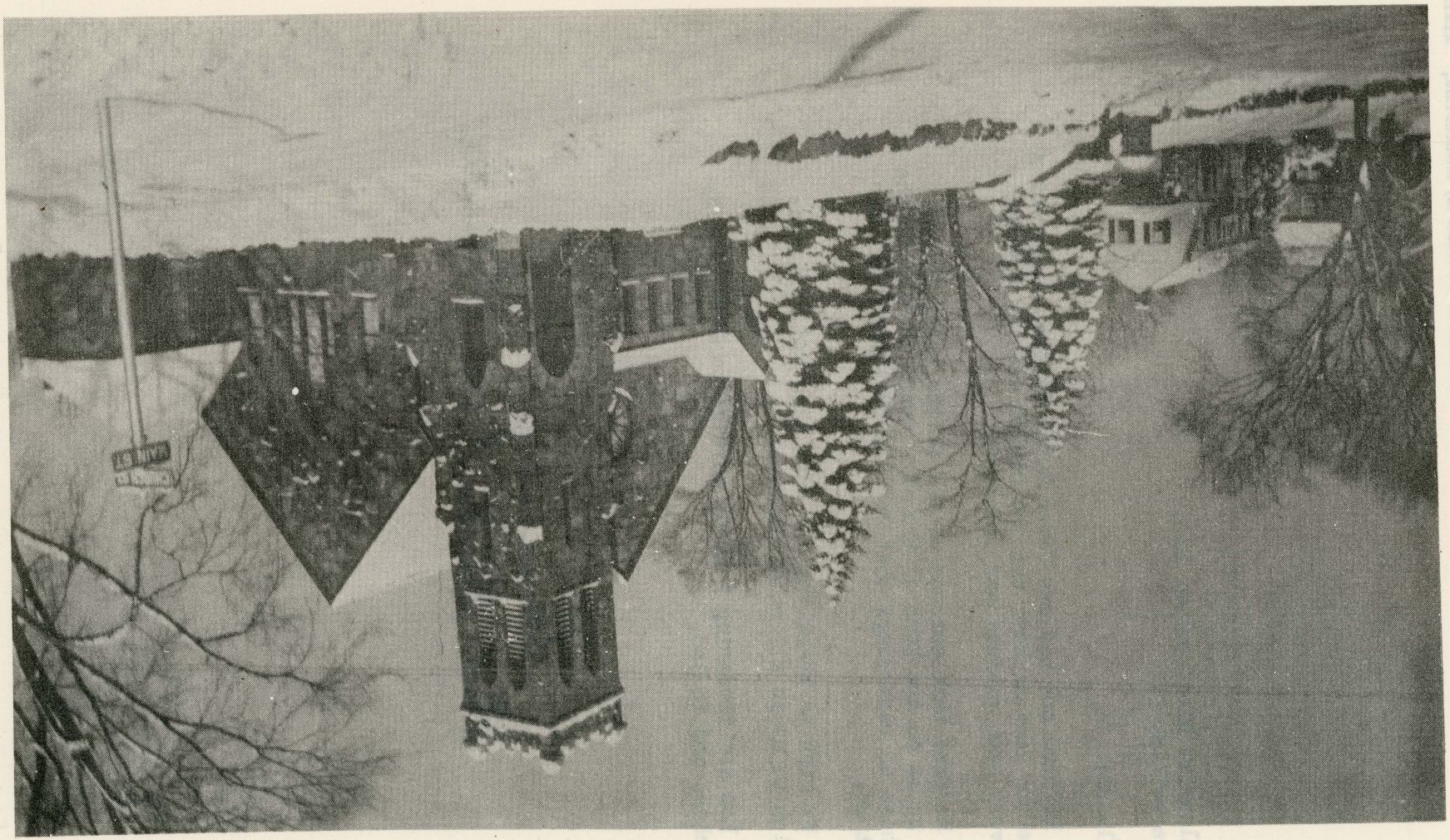
We have now had our Tower Music System in operation since the last of May, and the Church and the Community are very much pleased and impressed.

We find that persons of all faiths enjoy it as much as we do and some of them are ready to help in the purchase of recordings that our record library may be built up.

We wish to thank you for your kind and efficient service to us in all relationships.

You are rendering a great service to Communities, Churches, and to God.

Sincerely
Rev. Luther M. Hollister



SAINT ANDREW'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. August F. Brunn, Pastor ✦ 318 Morewood Avenue
Rev. Henry P. Eckhardt, Pastor Emeritus ✦ 5919 Bryant Court
CENTRE and MOREWOOD AVES. ✦ PITTSBURGH 13, PA.

May 1, 1944

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

My dear Mr. Schulmerich:

The tower chime system you installed for us was a community venture, to assure the neighborhood of our desire to serve all the people. The response has exceeded all expectations however. From every side have come favorable comments, unsolicited, and invariably they report approving remarks by others. Here are some of the statements:

"The chimes are the nicest thing in this neighborhood".
"Your gospel message in chimes - we hope you continue".
"We are sorry when they come to an end".
"Even the 'toughest' workmen stop and hum along. It makes you pause and think".

We could go on and on. For more than four months now, our chimes have been played for about eight minutes at 12:30 noon daily, and we know that windows are opened in offices and homes to hear them. It is no trouble to keep playing them every day, for we know how much these hymns are doing to stir men to thoughts of God, and of all that is associated with the familiar tunes.

Your excellent equipment, with its true reproduction and its range, has greatly increased our church's ministry, and our own people are very proud to hear their chimes as they walk to and from church. We are equally well delighted with other features of your sound system. The difference in the hearing-aids in our pews in like day and night.

We hope Mr. Schulmerich, that many more of our churches may experience this joy, and the opportunities for added service, through installation of one of your systems, and may we thank you again for the courteous and generous service you have given us, at the installation and since then.

Very truly,

Aug. F. Brunn

ph

St. John's Evangelical Church

Dr. August Westerfeld
Moderator
1606 WATSON ST.

Fifth and Jackson Streets
St. Charles, Mo.
C. H. Rohlfing, Pastor
415 S. FIFTH ST. PHONE NO. 1015

Wm. Sparenberg
Financial Secretary
1065 CLAY ST.

June 22, 1944

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Penna.

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

Two and one half years after you installed your complete sound system, hard of hearing aid and tower bells in the St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church, the committee is still agreed that you are not only the best and fairest salesman of a product that is good, but that you have the best product for Church sound equipment.

The entire system was so well received that the equipment, including the separate system on the cemetery could be paid for in full through individual memorial gifts, with money left over.

The one Hymn played daily on the bells at 5:55 P.M. as well as the fifteen minute bell and organ concert on Saturday at 6:45 P.M. still bring words of praise from the people of the community. People from other Churches tell us "your bells do not merely belong to St. John's, they also belong to us as we enjoy them too". The Tower Bells are truly outstanding in their clear, rich tone. They far exceed the ordinary organ chimes. They are truly bells with a bell tone.

I close the entire Sunday Church School, as they remain in their separate class rooms and in the various buildings, from the control cabinet, with a prayer and benediction. In that way, all classes and departments are dismissed at the same time. The hard of hearing aid and sound reinforcement system in the Church is of great satisfaction to all. Many who were not able to hear can now hear every word.

I cannot say everything there is to be said about our complete sound system because of space. The best comment I can make after two and one half years of use is that our people would not want to be without it. It is an asset to our Church. Several Churches, after hearing our system, have expressed their desire to install a similar system as soon as conditions permit.

The work of installation was the best any of our people had ever witnessed. I am very glad to recommend both your system and your organization to all who may be interested in sound and tower systems.

Best wishes,

Cordially yours,

Rev. C. H. Rohlfing



The North Dakota Conference of the Evangelical Church

Cavalier, No. Dak.
February 4th, I946.

Schulmerich Electronics Inc.,
Sellersville, Penna.

Dear Sirs:

The Tower Sound System which we purchased from you nearly a year ago, and was locally installed is working very satisfactorily. We have used it every Sunday morning and evening. Also on V-J Day and during the Christmas season. Many people wondered if we had installed an organ or Carillonic Bells for the sound reproduction is so true.

All who have heard it whether over the air or in the church auditorium speak of it in highest praise. The only criticism that we have had is that we do not play it often enough.

Best wishes to you in your work.

Very Sincerely,

Ira E. Herzberg.

IRA E. HERZBERG
MINISTER
TRINITY EVANGELICAL CHURCH
CAVALIER, N. DAK.

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church

REV. JACOB S. KISTLER, PASTOR
29 LACKAWANNA AVE.

EAST STROUDSBURG, PA., September 6, 1943.

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Glenside, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

Please permit me to tell you that we are greatly pleased that we selected the larger Tower Music System. People from both Hospitals and at the State Teacher's College hear the chimes and singing perfectly. Not only all over our town, but, people in Stroudsburg and for miles around telephone that they hear and enjoy the chimes.

With the use of the time clock, the chimes ring daily and requests are coming in for the chimes to ring at least two times daily. On Sunday, pipe organ music and familiar Hymns are heard in the Sunday School Chapel while the children are gathering or while people enter the Church.

The Electric Aid-To-The-Deaf has been a blessing. One man who could not hear much of the sermon, now can hear every word. The reproducers have made the acoustics in the Church perfect which enables all to hear better and plainer. Small children, three or four years of age can be heard all over the large Sunday School Chapel or in the Church from the Chapel microphone. We are certain that Christmas programs will be enjoyed more than ever.

Words, or even volumes, could not express to you how much we appreciate what you have done for our congregation and the community as a whole by giving us the best that money can buy, in both the ear phones and the Tower System to make, and keep people Churchly minded.

Sincerely yours,

J. S. Kistler

The Green Ridge Presbyterian Church
GREEN RIDGE STREET AND WYOMING AVENUE
SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA

CHURCH PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

March 3rd, 1945.

Mr. G. J. Schmulerich, President,
Schmulerich Electronics, inc.
Sellersville, Pa.

Dear Mr. Schmulerich:

What started with an expressed wish of a departed member of our congregation, and paid for by her bequest, has become the "great expectations" of our community...that is "Green Ridge".

Every day, both at noon and at six o'clock, the "great expectations" of the neighborhood is to hear the hymn broadcast of our church. It seems to fit into the run of things, and many tell of their disappointment through a temporary interruption, as is bound to occur.

As you recall, our instrument is built with an automatic broadcast, record arrangement, operated from a clock, and it is truly wonderful and inspiring to hear these bulwarks of our faith transmitted over the air.

Regarding your instrument as a mechanical application of the newly-devised "electronics", I can only give the best report.

Since its installation it has required little mechanical attention, and its operation is as nearly perfect as such an ingenious device can be.

In connection with the "chimes" on our pipe organ, our Sunday morning "call-to-service" can be said to fairly rival the tower bell chimes.

We are glad to commend the attention of any church to your broadcaster, and we sincerely trust the congregation will respond with the satisfaction that we experience.

Cordially yours,

Chairman
Church Property Committee.

Beverly Hills United Presbyterian Church

MIDVALE ROAD AND FAIRFIELD AVENUE
UPPER DARBY, PA.

Minister
Roy E. Grace, Th.M.
506 MIDVALE ROAD
PHONE, BOULEVARD 0324

April 14, 1945

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Penna.

Gentlemen,

It is now a little more than a year since you installed individual hearing aids in the pews and a tower amplification system for our organ chimes. These have been in continual use and are giving increasing satisfaction. Our hard-of-hearing members are very enthusiastic about the clarity and power of the ear phones. One said to me recently, "I can once more enjoy going to church." The whole community has expressed its approval of the chime broadcast. The playing of the old familiar Gospel hymns is eagerly awaited by the shut-ins. We have had no mechanical difficulties with the installation and count the cost to be a very wise investment.

Sincerely yours,

Roy E. Grace

Roy E. Grace

Forty Fort Methodist Church

WYOMING AND YEAGER AVENUES

Forty Fort, Pennsylvania

STUDY OF THE MINISTER
1047 WYOMING AVENUE
TELEPHONE 7-4518

March 3, 1945

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, President,
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.,
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

May I tell you how wonderfully pleased we are with the Tower Chimes and other equipment which we secured through your Company. For weeks after the Chimes began to ring out over this Community at 7:50 A.M. and 4:50 P.M. people would stop me on the street and say what a wonderful contribution the Forty Fort Church had made to the life of the Community. People of all faiths have enjoyed them. Many offer prayers for the Armed Forces whenever they hear the Chimes. Our own congregation is always pleased when we switch to our own organ and hear it from the Tower as our people are arriving at the Church. Whenever our great annual musicales are held, we send the voices of the five united choirs over the air and the whole community is thrilled to hear the Hallelujah Chorus and other great musical numbers.

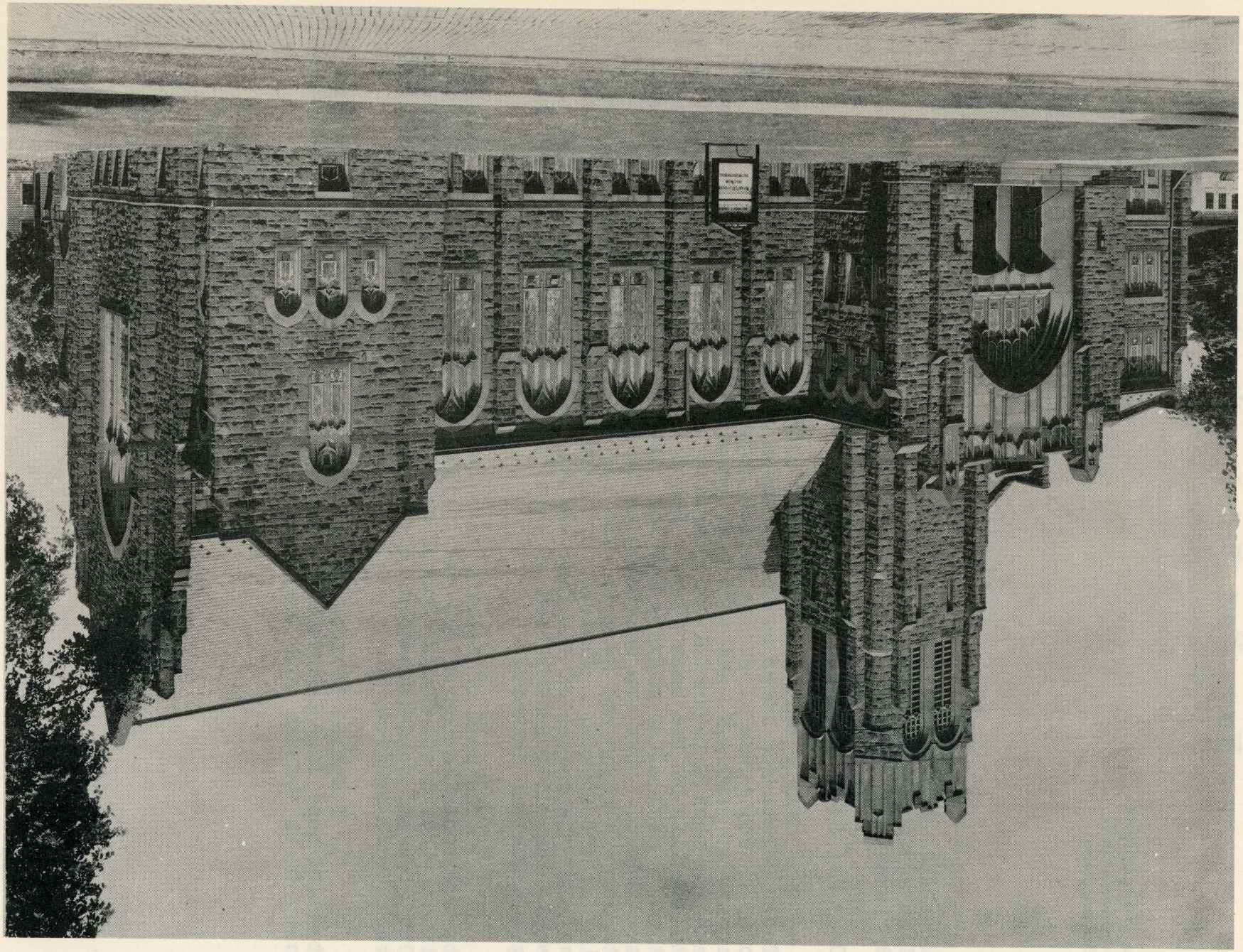
The hard of hearing have been greatly helped and pleased by the installation of the hearing aids, and the speaker reproducers in the Church and Sunday School provide voice and music distribution. Our sick and shut-in members are happy that they have at least part of the Church service.

I cannot be too enthusiastic in my praise of the entire system and hope that increasing numbers of Churches may enjoy what has come to us through your Company.

Sincerely,

Joseph R. Pennell

Rev. Joseph R. Pennell, D. D.



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January 22, 1946

19 Prairie Avenue
Suffern, New York

Mr. G. J. Schulmerich, Pres.
Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Schulmerich:

I wish to express to you our great satisfaction with the installation of the Tower Music System in the Suffern Presbyterian church, as a memorial to our son, Lieut. Frank A. Greene, Jr. Expressions of appreciation have come to us from many people including all faiths, as well as those of our own church. It is a great comfort to myself and family to hear the chimes and music broadcast from the tower. We believe it will add to the spiritual uplift in the community.

Sincerely yours,

Frank A. Greene

Frank A. Greene

FAG/clk


WALTHAM AVE

The Congregational Church

H. E. AND INEZ LACY, Co-pastors
Parsonage 515 First Ave . W.

CORNER FIRST AVE. W.
AND SIXTH STREET

Williston, North Dakota

April 3, 1946

Schulmerich Electronics, Inc.
Sellersville, Penn.

Gentlemen:

The Musical tower chime system purchsed from your company is giving excellent service and satisfaction. The chime notes are heard across the city and into the country-side. One farmer living seven miles east of the city advises that they are heard clearly on his farm. The clean, clear atmosphere of this high altitude with the ability to hear long distances in the sub-zero weather, and on most other days of the year, greatly enhances the value and cover-range of our Tower System.

The public address system and audio-phone circuit which was installed at the same time, and which uses your amplifier, also works very well. The acoustical trouble formerly experienced by persons in our auditorium with its corner pulpit appears to have been over-come, with this installation.

The photographer has been able this week to provide the photograph of the building which you requested in your letter of January second. This photo was taken on one of our coldest mornings, and effectively shows the north and east side of the tower.

Sincerely yours,
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

J. W. Layne .....Chairman Trustees

H. E. Lacy .....Co-pastor