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The BULLETIN BOARD you know and love is not being laid to rest with the old year. This newsletter is substituted as a one-time ordeal only due to an illness in the Public Relations Office; the typesetting machine is seriously diseased but Compugraphic medics predict that with a major transplant operation of organs yet to arrive from Boston, the condition will not be terminal.

We are sorry to drop the planned Christmas picture page, regular features and most of the written material. Names-in-the-News and some of the other untimed copy will appear in the January issue when a robust BULLETIN BOARD will be restored to us.

Presented on this sheet are notices of UAH holiday events not to be missed, and the sincere wishes of the Public Relations Office for the happiest of holiday seasons to all the university community.

WEDNESDAY, December 16:
The Music Department's traditional wreath-lighting ceremony is taking a different tack this year. The ten-foot wreath, covered with fresh greenery will still be hung from the third floor of the Humanities Building, and its light will still be visible as far as University Drive throughout the holidays. The program, however, will be moved from the chill of a winter's evening to 12:10 p.m. Dr. D. Royce Boyer, chairman of the Music Department, said the new time will give the campus population a better chance to take part in the informal program of carol singing to the accompaniment of a brass ensemble under the direction of Dr. John Winking. The annual wreath-lighting is sponsored by the three UAH choral organizations: the Huntsville Village Singers, Premier Singers, and the UAH Choir.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17:
Don't forget Dr. Elmer Anderson's Christmas Open House at the Noojin House from 2 - 4:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18:
The Physical Plant, justifiably proud of its new facility at the southeast corner of the campus on South Loop Road, wants to share the building's official opening with the entire university community. You are therefore cordially invited to attend an open house/Christmas reception from 2 - 4 p.m. and enjoy a tour of the building. Y'all come.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19:
The Music Department is extending its holiday spirit to include a concert by the Wind Ensemble in the Huntsville High School Auditorium at 8:15 p.m. Dr. John Winking will conduct the ensemble in a program of festival music by Gordon Jacob and Shostakovich, and conclude with "A Celebration of Christmas" arranged by Floyd Werle. Other selections will include Variants on a Mediaeval Tune by N. Dello Joio and Symphony No. 3 by V. Gianninni. Admission tickets for the performances are $3 and $2.