



On Christmas Eve the Inland Children's Chorus Re-creates in Song the Beauty of the First Christmas

Both Dayton Radio Stations to carry Christmas Eve Broadcast of "The Story of Bethlehem" as transcribed by our Children's Chorus.

A GAIN this Christmas Eve, our own Inland Children's Chorus, which has become such a unique and beloved part of Dayton's holiday tradition, follows its mid-December appearance with the Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra by a broadcast over both Dayton radio stations of "The Story of Bethlehem."

Organized in 1936 by Colonel Wallace S. Whittaker in order to give the children of Inland employes a musical education that they might not otherwise enjoy, these Inland children between the ages of 8 and 16 have made a notable contribution to the cul-

tural life of Dayton. Their training and choice of good music has brought wide acclaim to them and to their director, Mr. Richard Westbrook.

So popular has been the appeal of the Chorus with the Dayton Philharmonic that in their 8th consecutive appearance they gave a repeat performance on December 17th, thereby enabling many more people to hear them.

However, no Chorus appearance can reach all of those Inlanders and their friends who would like to hear them, as does the Christmas Eve one-half hour broadcast, over station WING from 9:30 to 10 P. M. and over station WHIO from 10:15 to 10:45 P. M. On this night of nights thousands of Daytonians gather in their homes and see their minds eye picture of the children as they take their places in a serene setting of silver gray. Then they visualize the dramatic moment when the children open their books in unison,

the director raises his hand and . . . the air is filled with the song of children re-creating "The Story of Bethlehem" . . . the first glorious Christmas nearly two thousand years ago.

Time schedule of the Inland Children's broadcast of "The Story of Bethlehem," Christmas Eve, December 24:

Radio Station WING—9:30 to 10 P. M.
Radio Station WHIO—10:15 to 10:45 P. M.