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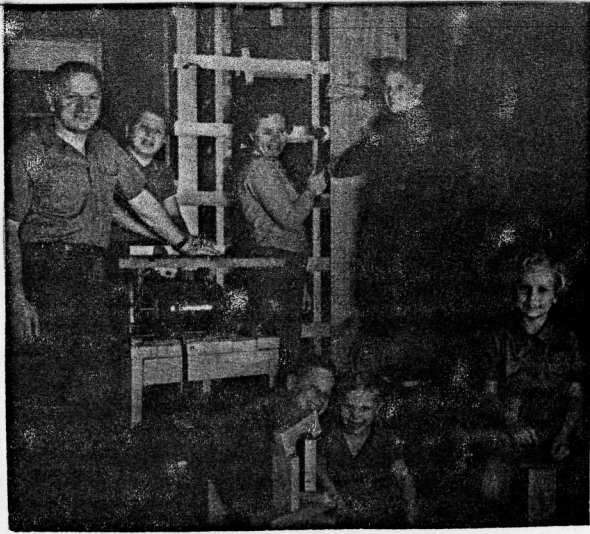
WE'RE ALREADY FOR CHRISTMAS. IN FACT WE'RE MORE THAN READY. WE PLANNED TO CUT DOWN ONE OF THE SHRUBS FOR A TREE. THE BOYS CUT DOWN THE WRONG ONE SO NOW WE HAVE TWO TREES. BY OUR PICTURE YOU CAN SEE THAT OUR BIG PROJECT THIS YEAR IS FINISHING SEVERAL ROOMS IN OUR BASEMENT. CY STARTED THE PROJECT IN AUGUST. WE GO VERY SLOWLY BUT WE DO GOOD WORK.

WE ACQUIRED A BOAT THIS FALL, THANKS TO CY'S GENEROUS BROTHER, SPENCE. LAWNMOWING AND THE BASEMENT PROJECT CAME IN 2ND, WITH THE OHIO RIVER PLACING 1ST. BOATING IS FUN.

CY'S PARENTS BOTH DIED DURING THIS YEAR. WE'VE HAD SADNESS AS WELL AS PLEASANT TIMES

OUR CHILDREN ARE BECOMING ADULTS. EDWARD, - NOW 14, 9TH GRADE, LETTERED IN "JV" FOOTBALL. LIKES THE "TWIST", HIS OBOE AND-YES, SCHOOL. GARY - NOW 12, 6TH GRADE. IS OUR "A" STUDENT, VIOLINIST, AND JUST DISCOVERED GIRLS ARE NICE. HE AND JAMIE WENT BY TRAIN TO UTAH WHERE THEY SPENT THE SUMMER WITH THEIR GRANDMOTHER WALKER. MARTY - 5TH GRADE, STARTED TROMBONE THIS YEAR. STILL WIGGLY, HAS A 4-H GEOLOGY PROJECT. JAMIE - IS A BUSY 4TH GRADE BROWNIE. BEGAN 4-H SEWING. STILL TAKES PIANO. AL - A 3 1/2 YR OLD CHARACTER. LOVES RIDING THE "ATORELLA". ESCALATOR TO YOU ILLITERATES. ALL OF OUR BEST WISHES TO EACH OF YOU.

The Kears.



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