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DECEMBER NEWSLETTER

The Bureau for Childhood Development is now functioning as part of the
Department of Health and Human Resources. The new Director of the Bureau is
Gay Koerner. The Lafayette Children's Council is one of eleven Children's
Councils in the state. The others are Allen, Baton Rouge, Caddo/Bossier,
Jefferson, Natchitoches, Orleans, Ouachita, St. Landry, St. Martin and Vernon.

TOYS FOR TOTS - The Lafayette Children's Council is assisting in the Marine
Corps Reserves' Toys for Tots program by coordinating their distribution
of the toys to needy children in hospitals, day care centers, foster homes and special service centers.

AACLD - The Acadiana Association for Children with Learning Disabilities will
meet Thursday, December 8, 1977, at 7:30 P.M. at the Lafayette
Library at 301 W. Congress Street.

CONCERT - Tuesday, December 6, 8:15 P.M., Community Concert by pianist Virginia
Eskind, Municipal Auditorium.

RECITAL - Senior recital of Michael Guidry, pianist, Tuesday, December 6,
8:15 P.M. at Angelle Hall.

CRAFTSMAN SHOW - Pottery and glass made by skilled professional craftsmen will
be shown at the Catholic Student Center at U.S.L. on Saturday and
Sunday, December 10th and 11th.

CHRISTMAS MUSICAL - By the students of S. J. Montgomery Elementary at Municipal
Auditorium, Thursday, December 15th.

MUSIC OF THE MIDDLE AGES - Concert of medieval music sponsored by the Fine Arts
Foundation of Lafayette, Friday, December 16th, 8:15 P.M., at the
Municipal Auditorium.

DAY CARE TRAINING PROGRAM - The University of Southwestern Louisiana is preparing
a program of continuing education courses to develop skills and
abilities needed by child care workers. There are two courses
offered beginning in January:

    CEU 801. Play and Play Materials for Child Development
    CEU 802. Child Development

The fee for each course is $50.00. The courses are offered for the
convenience of the participants after 5:00 P.M. For more information
call Loretta Leger at University College, 233-3850, extension 304,
between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.