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pleasant memory of this trip. The first anniveraary of the Method ist church will be colebrated on Suniay
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which made an interesting and pleasing
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nual Cristmas entertainurent in the basement of the church before a larga
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ing feature of the evening was Mr J. H. Walker, church warden, who
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