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# HEADQUARTERS HIGHLIGHTS



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**T**HIS is a busy and happy time of year at Headquarters, with lots of out-of-town AA's in evidence.

The New York Intergroup banquet brings a flood of visiting firemen, and the pre-holiday season keeps 'em coming. So right now our face-to-face acquaintance with you whom we serve is greater perhaps than at any other time.

Still, of course, we can speak to the majority of you only by means of the bulletins and through the medium of these pages. To all of you, we want to say thanks - for your help and co-operation, and for your support of the Foundation during the past year.

To AA's everywhere, we wish all the deep joy and peace that the combination of sobriety and the holidays can bring. A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you from the Trustees of the Alcoholic Foundation and from the secretaries and staff of your General Service Office.