

Merry Christmas!

Payment of First Liquidating Dividend By First National Proves Big Benefit To Local Business

Over \$19,000 Goes To Depositors

Growth Has Been Remarkable Report Officials

Christmas business went up, city taxes have been paid and a score of other beneficial results have followed as a result of the payment of the liquidating dividend of 10 percent to the depositors of the First National bank who signed the waivers.

The total amount of the payment was over \$19,000 and immediately after the payment started, practically every business concern in Plymouth benefited by it.

In connection with this announcement it is interesting to note that during the past two years the First National bank has had an increase in its deposits of more than \$450,000.00, which is an outstanding showing in a community the size of Plymouth.

The active officers of the bank, namely, Floyd A. Kehrl, president; Jack E. Taylor, cashier; and Margaret M. Dunning, assistant cashier, are all graduates of the Plymouth high school and enjoy a wide acquaintance in this vicinity, which adds much to the community pride for their achievements.

When questioned concerning the unusual growth of the local bank, Mr. Kehrl stated that the splendid co-operation of all the directors and members of the community has made possible the increased banking services which the bank is offering.

Midnight Service Christmas Eve

Plans are completed for the midnight Christmas eve service to be given at the Methodist church Friday evening, with a special observance of holy communion for all those who attend.

The service will be held by candlelight, beginning at 11:30 p.m., with appropriate Christmas music. The church choir will sing "The Shepherd's Christmas Song," by Rimann-Dickinson, and "Sing Noel," by Becker and a double mixed quartet, consisting of Mrs. S. S. Closson, Mrs. Anthony Kreger, Mrs. Steve Ribber, Mrs. Clifford Cline, Austin Whipple, Harold Jolliffe, Alfred Smith, and Clifford Cline, will present "Sleep, Holy Babe," by Ganshow. Miss Barbara Horton will sing a solo, "Jesu Bambino."

Following the musical service, the Rev. S. S. Closson will deliver a brief message, "The Incarnation."

Will Enjoy Happy Christmas At Home

Christmas day is going to be an exceedingly happy day for a little Plymouth boy, who is being treated in the University of Michigan hospital for infantile paralysis—for he is coming home for the day to be with his parents and playmates. The youngster will be confined for many weeks in the queer contraption that holds him in position that will help straighten out the kinks caused by this strange disease. He was asked a few days ago what he wanted most for Christmas, and he said it would be a trip to his home. A friend and members of the Rotary club have arranged for the visit that is bound to be a happy one, indeed, even though made in an ambulance.

Register Unemployed At City Hall

Representatives from the Michigan Reemployment service will be at the city hall next Wednesday, December 29, for the purpose of registering the unemployed.

All those who are now receiving emergency relief are urged to register at the service for work. If they have not already done so.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lennox, of Detroit, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. James Gates.

Capt. Thumme Called To Ashville Monday

Capt. Charles Thumme of the police department was called to Ashville, North Carolina, Monday evening where his brother, Dr. Harry Thumme, of Sebewaing, Michigan, received serious injuries in an automobile accident. Dr. Thumme was enroute from his home to spend the winter months in the South. Capt. Thumme made the trip by train.

Sewage Project To Be Finished In Year And Half

Engineer Gives Details Of Vast Improvement

Completion of the vast sewer project that will provide sewage disposal for all of the communities and institutions in this part of Wayne county will be before July 1, 1939 according to an announcement just made by Leroy C. Smith, engineer-manager of the Wayne county road commission who has been given charge of the disposal project by the county.

The pollution, he adds, of the Detroit river, which for the past quarter of a century has been known to be detrimental to the health and welfare of the people of Wayne county, will be eliminated with the completion of the sewage collection and treatment project. This project now under construction as a P.W.A. undertaking will provide sewage disposal service for that part of Wayne county lying south and west of the limits of Detroit, Dearborn, Melvindale, and River Rouge, and is estimated to cost \$2,000,000.00.

Sponsored by the board of supervisors of the county of Wayne, an application was submitted to the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for a grant to aid in financing this project. Under an offer dated September 28, 1937, the government agreed to provide \$900,000.00 or 45 percent of the estimated cost as its share on condition that the supervisors provide the additional 55 percent or \$1,100,000.00. The county's share was available through a legislative enactment setting aside \$1,800,000.00 of the 1933 motor vehicle revenues for welfare relief, and therefore the government's offer was accepted and the county's share deposited in the bank in a special fund. This deposit having been made in accordance with P.W.A. rules and regulations, a check in the amount of \$500,000.00 has been received on December 9, 1937, from the government as part of its share, the balance to be paid as the work progresses.

There is now deposited in the Commonwealth-Commercial state bank a total of \$1,600,000.00 applicable to the project.

The board of supervisors delegated to the board of Wayne county road commissioners and Leroy C. Smith, as project engineer, the construction, maintenance, and operation of the project with full authority to prepare designs and plans, to enter into contracts for the construction of the various sections, and to administer the project to completion.

Under this authority the work is progressing to the extent that a section situated between the county hospital at Eloise and the village of Wayne is now under contract. This section is to serve the area lying west of the city of Dearborn to and including the village of Wayne. Plans for a second section to serve Plymouth and Northville are completed, and the contract will be awarded early in January.

To facilitate design and construction, the project has been divided into six units of work properly described as follows:

Unit No. 1—A main county treatment plant will be constructed in the city of Wyandotte. Interceptors to be constructed, together with the existing facilities in this locality, will care for a future population of 500,000 in the area. Branch collectors to serve the village of Monroe and

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Steal Lights From Tree

For the first time in many years thefts at Christmas time have been reported to Plymouth police. Sunday night some one stole the Christmas lights from the beautifully decorated Christmas tree that has attracted so much attention in the front of the Jewell Dry Cleaners place on the Northville road just at the edge of the Plymouth-Riverside park.

The same day another thief stole a motion picture camera from the Dodge drug store. At several times Sunday there were fairly good sized crowds in the store, and it is believed that some one must have picked the camera off the counter during one of the times when there were many in the store.

Happy Christmas For Afflicted Boys and Girls

Plymouth Contributes Hundreds Of Playthings

When the truck from the William H. Maybury Sanatorium leaves The Plymouth Mail office Thursday morning, it will carry to the children's unit of that vast hospital for the treatment of tuberculosis, hundreds of playthings for the 118 little boys and girls who must remain in their beds for months and months.

Little did any one expect that so many would respond to the plea for gifts. In fact, one good subscriber of The Mail sent in a \$5 check to be used for the purchase of toys. It was, indeed, a thoughtful gift because of the fact that it enabled old Santa to buy more toys for the boys. It just seemed that so many had gifts for the girls, and not so many for the boys. The cash contribution therefore enabled the purchase of dozens and dozens of toys for the little tuberculosis boys.

Plymouth folks made last Christmas a happy one, indeed, for these children by their gifts of toys. They have made possible another wonderful Christmas for the boys and girls who are making a determined fight to regain their health so they can, maybe, in the year to come, run and play just like other little children do. The givers of these toys will forever have the blessing and gratitude of the hundred and more victims of tuberculosis.

Continuous Show Christmas Day

Beginning at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon on Christmas day, there will be a continuous showing of that delightful and happy picture, "Life Begins in College" at the Penniman-Allyn theatre, according to an announcement made yesterday by Manager Harry Lush. The picture starts the Ritz brothers. The show will run from 3:00 o'clock until 11:00 o'clock. There will be no change in the price. In addition to the regular picture, a number of interesting shorts have been booked. Schedules for other days remain, as usual.

Townsend Club To Meet December 27

The regular meeting of the Plymouth Townsend club will be held Monday evening, December 27, at 8:00 o'clock, in the Grange hall. Important details about the debate, which will take place the latter part of January will be given. Let every one be present that possibly can.

Did You Know That

You can dress up your windows with Mobas Shades, new or repairs, also Draperies, Venetian Blinds, and Linoleum. Call Plymouth 530 for estimates. National Window Shade Co.

Carl Heide, florist on North Mill street, is displaying in his window this week, floral mats to be used in the manseum. These mats, a new style of floral arrangement, are the first to be shown in Plymouth.

The American Legion will have a New Year's eve dance at the hall, beginning at 9:00 p.m. \$2.00 per couple. Nine-piece orchestra, refreshments, and note-makers. Come and have a big time!

Mrs. Louis Schall will entertain at a family dinner Christmas day.

Prepare Gifts For Over 300 Women In Eloise

Ladies Of Lutheran Church Bring Joy To Destitute

Christmas will not be a hollow mockery to 300 women inmates of the Eloise hospital. Instead, it will be a day of gladness, when in each one of their rooms there will be left several little gifts of Christmas goodies, some interesting reading matter and clothing, too.

The good ladies of the Lutheran church of Plymouth, who have for months been working at every opportunity, have accumulated a sufficient amount to provide something for every one of the women inmates of one entire building at Eloise.

Bright and early Saturday morning these most acceptable gifts will be taken over to Eloise and presented to the women, who through one reason or another, have been left alone to spend the remainder of their days in a public almshouse.

But this is not the first year the Lutheran ladies have performed this kindly deed that has come to mean so much to the unfortunate women of Eloise. For nine years every Christmas they have seen to it that these unfortunate were not forgotten Christmas day. However, the number this year is much larger than ever before.

The Lutheran churches of Detroit provide the same little Christmas remembrances to the other 8700 women inmates of Eloise.

"Only the women themselves know how much work it has required to secure a sufficient amount to provide a happy Christmas for over 300 people," stated Rev. Edgar Hoenecke, when telling of just one of the minor activities of the members of his church.

Bill's Market Awarded Window Trophy

Huston's, Woodworth's And Others Made Contest a Close One

Bill's Market is declared winner in the 1937 window display contest!

In an honest attempt to judge all windows equally, the committee found the job a difficult one, due to the particularly large number of attractive window displays to be considered.

The windows at the Huston Hardware ran a very close second, with Woodworth's Bazaar, Pettinoff's Grocery, Wild's, and the Norma Cassidy shop receiving honorable mention.

The final decision was awarded to Bill's Market on Starkweather avenue, dealers in meats and groceries, because of the ingenuity displayed in the handling of their goods, which is ordinarily not particularly attractive in itself.

One window was devoted to a display of dressed fowl and hams. A neon sign in the window was so arranged as to suggest an open fire and the turkeys hanging from the ceiling appeared as if suspended in a spit over the flame. Other fowl and meat were attractively grouped below.

The opposite window was arranged with a background of staple groceries, and the foreground was attractively placed with fancy Christmas foods, including candies, figs, cakes, nuts, etc. Both windows were tastefully decorated with paper, holly, and pine boughs. The entire lay-out was done with materials from the store plus very little extra cost.

Mr. Choffin, owner of the market, was very pleased to know that his windows had won the award, but regretted that the display had to be removed from the windows before Christmas, because the fowl used had to be delivered for Plymouth holiday tables.

The judging committee felt that windows of the Plymouth merchants this year were by far the most attractive that have yet been judged.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Hough will entertain at dinner Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Hough, of this city, and Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Reid and two daughters, of Detroit.

A Christmas Message To Plymouth

Father Frank Lefevre Expresses Holiday's Ideal

The question may be asked, "Is Christmas a holiday or a holy day?" Surely man has not grown so worldly, secular and profane to place this day of days with the holidays. Surely man has not drifted so far away from his Creator and Savior to place this day among those known as holidays. The story of Christmas is, indeed, the history of a Holyday. It tells us of an event that is sacred and holy, its characters exemplify virtues, noble and worthy of imitation. A holiday is defined, as a day set aside by law to commemorate an event that has taken place in the history of a nation. All nations have their holidays, appropriate to the particular country. These days are days celebrated in a way all their own; Washington's birthday, Decoration day, Fourth of July, Labor day; are known to us as holidays—days on which we strengthen our patriotic feeling toward our people and nation.

Christmas is more than a holiday; it is a holy day; therefore, it is befitting that all people give proper thought to this day; and find expression of their thought in church, the house of God, the sanctuary of the soul.

On this day we find three noble characters presented to us, Joseph, Mary, and the child Jesus, the ever kind, loyal, true and faithful father, and husband, and virtuous and just; Mary, the virgin mother, singled out by God to play this important role in the economy of man's redemption. Her motherhood is announced by an angel from heaven, her delivery of the Christ child is announced by an angel from heaven. The secrets of heaven are hereby revealed to man—"Oh, wondrous gift indeed!"

Sinful man, is now able to taste of heaven's gift, the Christ child, the Savior and redeemer of mankind—tells its own story—a story known to the world over by all nations; and all times.

Today we celebrate this holy day, and if ever there was a time in the history of man that we need help from on high, it is now. On Christmas day we glad-ly receive the hearts of man with gifts—and kindly greetings. This seems to be the natural outgrowth of Christmas; since this is the case, surely then God, the giver of all gifts—will not forsake His creatures on this gift day.

Would to God, that all people would turn to God on one day of the year, a united Christian world, a different story would be told in the life of man and in the history of events. The answer would be another earthly paradise; but since such a request is impossible to carry out—we are thankful to the Christ child for the number of Christian people that do remember Him on this eventful holy day.

May we then add our tribute to the Christmas day, in an appropriate way, so as to become recipients of Heaven's blessings.

My prayer today goes out, not only for my own, but for all—especially those in our own community, and may we ever live in peace and harmony, enjoying God's blessings to the end—A Merry, Holy, Happy Christmas to all.

Floor Show At Hillside Party

Through special arrangements with a Detroit theatre booking agency, the management at the Hillside Barbecue announced yesterday that they were able to book The Manhattan Merry Makers for their New Year's Eve party, December 31. The Merry Makers are a five-act show, consisting of acrobatic dancing, singing, musical numbers, tap dancing, and a special Ted Lewis act.

Following the midnight show at Hillside, the troupe will go immediately to Detroit where they will give the same entertainment at a prominent night club.

The regular five-piece collegiate band and soloists will play for the guests during the entire evening, and special favors as compliments of the management are being planned for each guest.

The admission charge includes both the dinner at night and the breakfast to be served the following morning.

New Year's Eve At Idyl Wyld

A New Year's party such as only Don Patterson can arrange, will again take place at the Idyl Wyld golf club house New Year's eve. Of course Don Patterson and his ever popular orchestra will provide the music for the entire night.

There will be a big turkey dinner, served anytime after 10:30, with all the fixings and the other good things that go with a New Year's eve dinner.

Favors, did you ask? Don declares there will be so many favors that he will not know what to do with them unless the house is packed to overflowing out on the golf course.

In fact, he declares, the event is going to be the best that Idyl Wyld has ever had.

First Aid To Train Wreck From Plymouth

First Serious Accident On P. M. In Many Years

Many Plymouth residents were first hand witnesses and gave first aid at the Pere Marquette train wreck which happened early last Friday morning a quarter of a mile east of Inkster road on the Plymouth to Detroit track. Louis Straub was on his way to Plymouth from Detroit and just happened to be watching the train when the three passenger coaches turned over and were carried some 300 feet in the ditch at the side of the tracks. No one from Plymouth or about here was injured.

Four passengers were badly injured in the wreck, caused probably by the splitting of a rail or perhaps the giving away of the concrete base used to hold the tracks in that section instead of rails. Many others were shaken and cut but no fatalities resulted from the wreck.

All Plymouth doctors were called and they were among the first to arrive on the scene to aid the injured.

Officials on the train estimated that they were traveling about 55 miles per hour when the engineer first noticed a heavy drag on the engine. Several passengers stated that the first inkling they had of the train leaving the tracks was when the cars started to turn over and they stated their first impulse was to grab something to hold them in their seats.

They stated that there was practically no confusion at the time the cars were being dragged in the ditch but as soon as the train had stopped and people got over being stunned there was a great deal of excitement.

Plymouth railroad employees were the first to reach the wreck and give first aid to the passengers. Powered hand cars were used to take injured and others to waiting ambulances and automobiles where they could resume the trip to their destination.

Richard Miller, who attends Michigan State college, arrived home Friday and left Wednesday for Boston, Massachusetts, to spend the holidays with his brother, Bruce. They will attend the Baker Chocolate Christmas party at the Fox and Hound club in that city.

The First Christmas

Being The Story As Told By Luke, The Beloved Physician, Who Transcribed In Greek The Accounts Of Eye-Witnesses

And it came to pass in those days that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus that all the world should be taxed. This was the first enrollment made when Quirinius was governor of Syria. And all went to enrol themselves, every one to his own city.

Thus Joseph went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family of David, to enrol himself with Mary, who was betrothed to him, being great with child.

And so it was, that while they were there, the days were fulfilled that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her first-born son, wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

Merry Christmas!

No Potatoes For The Hungry, But "Snooty" Hogs That Do Not Like Potatoes Get Cream of Michigan's Crop

Three New Firemen Approved Monday

At the meeting of the city commission Monday evening, the names of three new firemen were approved, having been recommended by the fire chief and fire department manager. The approved members are Milan Frank, Clifford Raddeman, and Warren Perkins, all of Plymouth. These appointments bring the total active membership to 15.

Treasure Hunt Is The Most Successful One

Biggest Crowd, More Buying—Everyone Pleased

"The biggest crowd and the best business we have ever enjoyed on a treasure hunt night," was the comment of practically all business men following the ninth annual treasure hunt held by the business men of this city last Thursday night.

Slippery highways and walks did not keep the hundreds of treasure hunters away. Merchants and officials of the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce expressed utmost surprise at the numbers who crowded the streets.

President Stewart Dodge of the Chamber of Commerce declared that in all the nine years that the treasure hunt had been in existence this was without question the most successful one. There was not one complaint on the part of a participant heard.

"In past years the crowds had searched chiefly for the prizes that have been offered. This year they not only hunted for the prizes but they did a lot of buying as well. Several have declared that their sales on that night were the largest they have made any night since the stores have been open for holiday trade," stated Mr. Dodge.

Blunk Brothers reported an especially good business. Even the smaller stores profited well by it. Abe Goldstein took a count of the people who visited his store and by 9:00 o'clock 640 had passed through the door.

"The best of it was that the hunt brought a lot of new faces to Plymouth," stated many of the business men.

Otto Beyer Named Bank Director

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Plymouth United Savings bank last Monday night Otto Beyer, well known Plymouth druggist, was elected to membership on the board. The vacancy was created by the recent death of Edward Gayde, who had been a board member for upwards of 18 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stocken were in Penton Sunday and joined his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Stocken in the celebration of his birthday.

Let Unemployed Hungry Men And Women Have Food

(By E. R. EATON)
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The potatoes are to be destroyed so that NO person, no matter how intense may be their hunger, can have the cream of Michigan's crop to eat.

A letter of protest, by the writer against this destruction and a suggestion that they be turned over to the welfare for distribution to those in distress, brought only sneers and wisecracks from officials in Lansing.

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"I have waited a few days hoping to see a supplemental announcement to the effect that the state administration had planned to use these potatoes for relief purposes, but no such announcement has been forthcoming from your department or the executive office.

"Don't you think it would be common sense for the state government to have the welfare workers, who are now running around in automobiles at state expense, peddle these potatoes to the homes of those in distress, rather than dump them in some gully to rot?

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Detroit Man Injured From Gun Discharge

While hunting on a farm southeast of Plymouth Sunday morning, George Shishlo, of Detroit, was seriously injured when the gun held by one of his companions discharged accidentally, sending shot into both legs. Dr. John P. Kelly administered first aid, after which the victim was removed to a Detroit hospital.

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"O, LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM . . ."

So begins one of our best-loved songs in honor of that small community which gave to the world two thousand years ago something that has been cherished down the ages as infinitely precious.

And now at this season of the year when our thoughts turn to the events which have made that little town of Bethlehem forever famous, let us, who also live in a small community, think also of the blessings that come to us because of that fact.

Let us think of the neighborliness, the friendly interest in each other's welfare, the sharing in each other's joys and sorrows, the close kinship in ideals and aspirations which are characteristic of such a community as ours.

Let us increase that neighborliness, that spirit of helpfulness, that unity of purpose in making our community a better place in which to live. Let us renew our faith in our own "little town" and be proud of it and its people—our neighbors and our friends.

It is in this spirit that The Plymouth Mail, a community institution devoted to the best interests of our community, reminds you of that other "little town" and with it sends you its best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a greater measure of happiness in our community than it has ever known before.

TAXES

The Nation's Business, in a recent issue, enumerated some of the taxes that have been forced upon the people of this country in recent years. In part, it points out that a man pays the following indirect and hidden taxes:

- Four cents per pound on bed sheets.
- Three per cent on electric light.
- Five per cent on toothpaste.
- Five per cent on mouth wash.
- Five per cent on soap.
- Twenty per cent on hosiery, shirt, shoes and clothes.
- Fifty-eight taxes on bread, seven paid by the farmer, 10 by the grain elevator, eight by the flour mill, 11 by the railroad, seven by the truck owner, nine by the baking company and six by the retail store, all added to the price of bread.
- Thirty-eight taxes on bacon.
- Forty-five taxes on sugar.
- One and one-half cents per quart of milk.
- Thirty-two taxes on canned fruit.
- Two and one-half per cent on radios.
- Five per cent on radio tubes.
- Half the cost of playing cards.
- Two and one-half per cent on electric refrigerators.
- Twenty per cent on his hat.
- Six cents on package of cigarettes.
- Two cents for 1,000 plain matches, one-half of one per cent on 1,000 of paper matches and five cents for 1,000 fancy matches.
- Fifty cents on \$5 safety deposit box rental.
- Ten, 15 or 20 cents on long distance telephone calls, five per cent of telegrams and 10 cents on cable or radio messages.
- Two per cent on chewing gum.

Besides these taxes, taxes collected on his wife's purchases, include two cents on 50-cent box of face powder, 50 cents on a \$10 camera and five cents for a \$1 baseball glove for their son.

But when Mr. Average American owns his automobile, he has paid, although he probably hasn't known it, 345 taxes on the vehicle, including 27 when he bought it, 117 on its upkeep and 201 on gasoline and oil.

In other words, the article points out that taxes equal approximately 25 cents of every dollar earned by the Average American.

His silverware, linens, dishes, household appliances and furniture have all been taxed indirectly. All Americans are paying these taxes every day.

The article points out that if the government confiscated entire incomes of \$1,000,000 or more per year this revenue would operate the government only one week and the total incomes of persons, earning more than \$5,000 per year, would run the government only seven months.

It states, "Since 89 per cent of the entire national income is paid to those, who earn \$5,000 or less, when bigger taxes are needed, those in the lower brackets have to pay them! Only they don't know it!"

The article concludes with the statement that "even though they pay no income tax or real estate tax, they're paying for food or rent, and twice as much as for clothing." Of course, "they" refers to the public.

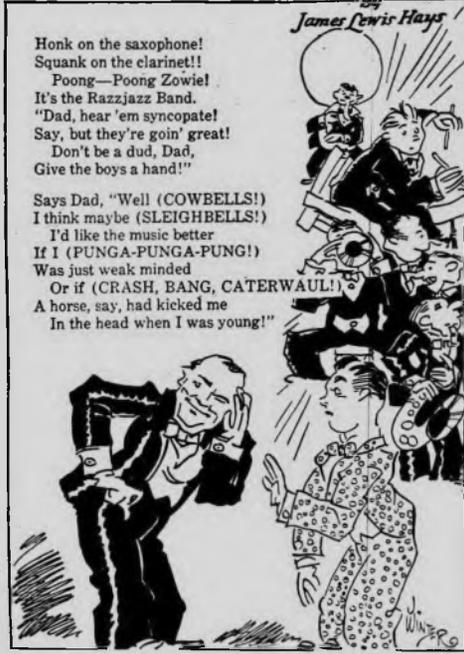
JUST PLAIN IDIOTS?

An Associated Press news dispatch from Lansing a few days ago declared that 709,854 bushels of the best grade of potatoes raised in Michigan during the past summer will be destroyed or fed to livestock. This, it is reported, is in keeping with the "government crop control" program. State Agriculture Commissioner John B. Strange said his department had requested federal assistance, and as the result the government will pay to potato growers \$107,000 and take away from hun-

Music? Ask Dad

Honk on the saxophone!
Squawk on the clarinet!!
Poong—Poong Zowie!
It's the Razzjazz Band.
"Dad, hear 'em syncopate!
Say, but they're goin' great!
Don't be a dud, Dad,
Give the boys a hand!"

Says Dad, "Well (COWBELLS!)
I think maybe (SLEIGHBELLS!)
I'd like the music better
If I (PUNGA-PUNGA-PUNG!)
Was just weak minded
Or if (CRASH, BANG, CATERWAUL!)
A horse, say, had kicked me
In the head when I was young!"



dry men, women and children of Michigan nearly three fourths million bushels of potatoes. This price is not enough to pay the farmer for his seed and planting.

Wouldn't it be a million times better for the farmers of Michigan if these public officials paid the growers some where near the prevailing market price for their crops and then turned the potatoes over to the professional social welfare workers to deliver to those in distress? By peddling potatoes to the needy as they ramble about the state in their automobiles at five cents per mile of tax pennies these "degree" social workers would be doing something at least to earn the thousands of tax dollars they collect in salaries every month.

Crop destruction in times of widespread unemployment and when there are large numbers reported to be actually hungry just does not seem to be common sense. Is there any one except just the plain idiotic who would approve of such a thing?

Such news at a time when all Michigan should be rejoicing in the happiness of the Christmas season is almost beyond belief. Hungry little children look pleadingly into the faces of their parents, begging for food, while fool public officials dump hundreds of thousands of Michigan's best potatoes into gullies to ROT!

What is our self-advertised "great humanitarian Governor" thinking of to permit such a thing to happen in times like these? He dares NOT say that he is without authority to prevent such a wanton destruction of food when actual hunger faces so many of our good people.

Oh yes, it was perfectly alright for Lansing officials to plan to dip their hands into state funds a while back and take out a hundred thousand dollars or thereabouts to buy a "mansion for the governor". Now in times of real emergency not one of the whole mess apparently has a thought as to a most beneficial way to spend state funds to relieve actual suffering and at the same time help the farmers.

STOP this fool thing of destroying food! Take the public funds that are flowing into the pockets of needless public job holders and indolent welfare workers, and buy potatoes from the farmers at a price they are ENTITLED to get for their crop! Then see to it that the hungry receive the food that our officials plan now to let ROT in the fields or feed to hogs.

RAMBLING with Editors AROUND of Michigan

DISCRIMINATION LEADS TO DISTRUST.

Considerable has been said in the press and over the air during the past two weeks concerning the practice of the Michigan sales tax administration of reducing penalties against delinquent merchants and in accepting less for the state than the merchant has collected or should have collected from his customers.

Not all has been said that might be said.

Certainly it is unfair to the purchaser to take his sales tax penalties and then fail or refuse to turn them over to the state for which it was collected. It is just as unfair for the sales tax board to permit these delinquencies to pile up until to force collections would force bankruptcy as the excuse was given. Other merchants have the right to complain if they collect and pay over when competitors are permitted either to not collect or to keep the tax, once it is collected. That is an inexcusable type of unfair trade practice which the state government cannot afford to condone, much less participate in.

Then too there is that matter of politics. If political appointees are to be given this sort of power to discriminate as between friends and foes—politically speaking—that certainly leads again to a dangerous practice.

Mr. Draper Allen may be the finest type of public official. The sales tax board may consist of the highest type of public servants. They may act in all good faith. Nevertheless that sort of practice is not in the interests of good government. It does not tend to create or stimulate public confidence. It is that sort of practice which leads to distrust, to further evasion and cheating, and eventually to a complete breaking down of public confidence in all government.

Mr. Allen may have acted in good faith. He did not exercise good discretion—that much is certain.—Vern J. Brown in The Ingham County News.

LEARN TO SAY "NO".

Did you ever think what gullible suckers we voters are? We know the stork doesn't bring babies. We know that water doesn't run up hill. But we never seem to learn that political magic is no different from stage magic, except the price of admission is more.

A good politician can make us think he picks money out of the air just like a good magician. But while the politician holds our attention by promising to give us something for nothing, buy our vote his hand is in our pocket taking out our money (taxes) to pay for his "gift".

Unless we learn to say "no" to the tempting "gifts" offered us, the political magicians will promise us a free trip to the moon with a golden chariot to ride in when we get there—but by the time we arrived, we would have long white whiskers and the pawn broker would have the chariot (and probably our return trip ticket) for the tax lien the political magicians gave him against us.—George O. St. Charles in The Dearborn Independent.

A DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE?

Governor Murphy talks "tolerance" in New York—and does the most intolerant things in Michigan.—James Haskins in The Howard City Record.

Plymouth Girl Wins College Honors

The following item taken from a Michigan State college publication will be of interest to the many Plymouth friends of Miss Mary Mettetal:

"Twelve home economics students were chosen to attend Merrill-Palmer school in Detroit this year, an opportunity given to all outstanding college home economists. The school offers courses under the direction of well-known leaders. Those students attending are: Amy Jean Holmblade, Whitehall; Alice Lee, East Lansing; Ruth Starke, Arcadia; Jeanne Mann, Tekonsha; Nancy Farley, Albion; Mary Mettetal, Plymouth; Lois Butler, Crystal Falls; Kathryn Niedermeier, Monroe; June Hungerford, Sault Ste. Marie; Janet Fretz, Detroit; Josephine Gardner, East Lansing, and Allene Pearce, Lincoln Park.

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- 3 The gift of better meals. Electric cooking has a delicious natural flavor. There is nothing else like it. Meats and vegetables cook to melting tenderness in their own juices. You'll be amazed at the difference electric cooking makes in ALL your recipes.
- 4 The gift of healthful cooking. The waterless cooking method is at its best

on an electric range. Precious minerals and important food values are sealed-in . . . not boiled away in excess water and poured down the sink.

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6 The gift of modernness. Electric stoves installed ten years ago still look as good as the day they were installed. An electric range will often beautify the entire kitchen.

Electric cooking is the finest cooking that money can buy . . . and today, you don't need a great deal of money to buy it! Electric range prices are now so moderate that you can purchase an electric range for about the cost of an average stove of comparable size and features. This Christmas, choose the gift that will serve the entire family . . . surprise her with a new, modern, sparkling ELECTRIC RANGE! See the new electric ranges on display at department stores, electrical dealers and at all Detroit Edison offices.



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Plymouth, Michigan

There will be a continuous showing of "Life Begins In College", and added attractions at the Penniman-Allen theatre on Christmas Day, beginning at 3:00 p.m. There will be no change in prices. The box office will be open at 2:30.

Showings continuous Christmas Day and New Years Day—3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00. Box Office Open at 2:30.

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News Comedy

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News Comedy

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, JANUARY 1
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"ALI BABA GOES TO TOWN"

Hold on to your turbans folks, fun-making Eddie and 20th Century Fox are together at last. It's a conformation of laughs.
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CRANBERRIES lb 11c

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RUTABAGAS 3 lbs 8c



BEECHNUT COFFEE LB. CAN 28c	PURE CANE SUGAR 5 LB. CLOTH BAG 29c
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THREE DIAMOND
PINEAPPLE NO. 2 CAN 13c

Queen **OLIVES** Qt. Jar 33c

WISHMORE
SALAD DRESSING Qt. Jar 23c

SWEET LIFE
MILK 4 TALL CANS 25c

WATER MAID
RICE Cello. Bag 3 lbs 18c

ALL GOLD, DE LUXE
PLUMS NO. 2 1/2 CAN 15c

CELLO. BAG
SHREDDED COCOANUT lb 23c

SWEET LIFE
PRESERVES Pure Fruit and Sugar 2 Lb. Jar 33c

SWEET LIFE PEANUT BUTTER 3 LB. JAR 23c	SALERNO BUTTER COOKIES LB. BOX 15c
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CHRISTMAS
Candy Brittles lb 19c

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Fancy Fresh Dressed Turkeys, Geese, Ducks and Chickens at the Lowest Prices.

Pork Loin Roast	rib end	lb.	14 1/2c
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POT ROAST BEEF	yearling steer	lb.	14 1/2c
Smoked Ham	Armour's Star sugar cured Skinned, Xmas wrapped, whole or shank half	lb.	21 1/2c
Smoked Picnics	Armour's Star sugar cured smoked	lb.	17 1/2c
Sliced BACON	Armour's Star sugar cured 1/2 lb. layer	lb.	14 1/2c
Swift's Premium Viennas	skinless	lb.	19c

WOLF'S SPECIAL FRUIT CAKE 20 OZ. SIZE 25c	CRISCO 3 LB. CAN 47c
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ASSORTED
CHOCOLATES 2 lbs 25c

OLIVILO SOAP Per Bar 5c

BLUE LABEL
PEAS 2 NO. 2 CANS 29c

FOULD'S PURE
EGG NOODLES Lb. Bag 15c

GEISHA
CRAB MEAT PER CAN 29c

SALTED PEANUTS Cello. Bag lb 15c

EXTRA FANCY, WASHED
BRAZIL NUTS lb 19c

FANCY, SOFT SHELL
ALMONDS lb 21c

ASSORTED
GLAZED FRUITS PER PKG. 10c

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Society News

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith entertained 12 guests on Monday evening at a surprise dinner for the latter's mother, Mrs. John Spencer, the occasion being Mrs. Spencer's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Price were in Pontiac, Monday evening to attend the Christmas party given by the Consumers Power company.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Chute attended a supper party, Sunday, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Fisher, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Widmaier of Ann Arbor street, their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Power, are leaving Monday for St. Petersburg, Florida where they will spend the winter months.

A son, George, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Beach in Pontiac, Wednesday, December 16. Mr. Beach is the manager of the Oakland Dairy in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stark and son, Charles, plan to spend Christmas day and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Steward, in Arcadia.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bachelder and sons will have their Christmas dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McKnight, in Chatham, Ontario.

Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Thams and sons plan to have dinner, Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hoover, at Whitmore Lake.

William Blunk, who has been in St. Joseph hospital in Ann Arbor, the past seven weeks, is now able to be up a few hours each day and doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Brooks, who just recently moved to Detroit from Plymouth are now in Ruskin, Florida where they are enjoying a few weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Holmes and daughters, Kathryn and Barbara Jean, of Detroit, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Chambers.

William Streng left Friday for Toledo, Ohio to spend the Christmas holiday with his sister, Mrs. Barbara Kensler.

Mr. Frank Westfall was a Tuesday visitor of Detroit friends.

The young people of the Lutheran church enjoyed a dinner Christmas tree and gift exchange, Wednesday evening, in the basement of the church.

Elsie Hamilton entertained eight girls from her dancing club at a luncheon Tuesday, the guests being from Ann Arbor and Grosse Pointe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Lee will entertain a few Detroit friends at dinner Christmas day in their home on West Ann Arbor Trail.

Mrs. Kate E. Allen will be hostess at a family dinner, Christmas day, in her home on Pennington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willoughby and family plan to spend Christmas day and the week-end with relatives in Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Jewell will entertain a small group at dinner Christmas day, in their home on Ann Arbor road.

Mrs. D. D. Price, of Grand Rapids arrived Thursday to spend the holidays with her son, Lew Price and family.

Mrs. Mattie McLaren plans to spend Christmas day with her mother, Mrs. William Erwin, in Northville.

Mrs. Harry S. Lee plans to leave soon for Los Angeles, California, where she will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Daane and family will spend Christmas day and the week-end with their parents in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Loya Sutherland was called to Eveleth, Minnesota the first of the week by the serious illness of her brother.

Mrs. Irving Tillotson of Canton, who is in University hospital for treatment, is recovering slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hix and family were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Murdock, of near Eloise.

Margaret and Doris Buzzard are enjoying the holidays visiting San Francisco and Los Angeles, California and Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Shattuck will be dinner guests on Christmas day, of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Conklin, in Ann Arbor.

Jack Wilcox, of Plymouth, was recently initiated into Theta Chi fraternity at the University of Michigan.

Mrs. W. S. Jackson, who has been seriously ill for the past month is convalescing at her home on Sheridan avenue.

Miss Lillian Fairman of Gyde road in Canton has gone to Ann Arbor to stay with relatives.

Bailey Students Invited To Dance

Students of the Bailey dancing classes, and their friends, have all been invited to the second annual New Year's ball of the Baileys, which will take place in the high school gymnasium at Northville. Mr. Bailey has a large number of pupils in Plymouth and he specially invites them and their friends, as well as former students, to his New Year's dancing party.

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Adia Tablets bring quick relief from a sore stomach, pains between meals, indigestion and heartburn, due to excess acidity. If not your money is refunded.—Beyer Pharmacy and Community Pharmacy.—Adv.

Official Proceedings Of The Commission

Plymouth, Michigan December 20, 1937.

A regular meeting of the City Commission held in the City Hall on Monday evening, December 20, 1937 at 7:30 p.m.

Present: Mayor Hondorp, Commissioners Blunk, Robinson, and Whipple.

Absent: Commissioner Wilson. The minutes of the regular meeting held December 6th were approved as read.

Commissioner Wilson arrived at this time.

This was the night set for the public hearing for the construction of a sanitary sewer on Joy street between Virginia Avenue and a point located 124 feet east of the intersection of Joy and Fairground Avenue. The following resolution was offered by Comm. Blunk supported by Comm. Wilson:

WHEREAS, the Commission has declared it necessary to install an 8-inch sanitary sewer on Joy Street between Virginia Avenue and a point located 124 feet east of the intersection of Joy street and Fairground avenue benefitting in accordance with frontage the property abutting the improvement, and

WHEREAS, the plans, profile and estimates covering the proposed improvement have been duly accepted and are now on file in the office of the City Engineer, and

WHEREAS, a public hearing has been duly held covering the proposed installation of the sanitary sewer and no valid objections have been advanced,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Manager be hereby directed to have the said improvement installed as soon as possible in accordance with plans now on file in the office of the City Engineer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Assessor be directed to prepare an assessment roll covering the total cost according to the frontage of each owner abutting the improvement.

Ayes: Commissioners Blunk, Robinson, Whipple, Wilson, and Mayor Hondorp.
Nays: None.
Carried.

A communication was received from C. H. Buzzard, Secretary of the Board of Education, refusing to make payment for special assessment taxes assessed against school property because the school district file without legal authority to pay special assessments levied by a municipality". It was moved by Comm. Whipple supported by Comm. Robinson that the communication be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

The Fire Chief and City Manager recommended that Milan Frank, Clifford Reddeman, and Warren Perkins be placed on the fire department as volunteer firemen. It was moved by Comm. Whipple supported by Comm. Wilson that the Commission confirm the appointments. Carried. The City Manager reported

that \$56.55 of the 1937 City taxes assessed against Czar Penny had not been paid in accordance with the agreement made with Mr. Penny because of the opening of Forest Avenue. It was moved by Comm. Wilson supported by Commissioner Blunk that the bill of \$56.55 be approved and ordered paid.

Ayes: Commissioners Blunk, Robinson, Whipple, Wilson, and Mayor Hondorp.
Nays: None. Carried.

The question of emergency relief was discussed. It was moved by Comm. Whipple supported by Comm. Blunk that the City Manager be requested to write a letter of protest to the State Emergency Relief Commission and the Wayne County Emergency Relief Commission stating that the City of Plymouth is opposed to the method of distributing relief funds to certain communities in Wayne County which plead that they have no funds for welfare. Carried.

It was moved by Comm. Wilson supported by Comm. Whipple that a bill of \$211.39 be approved for the Wayne County Emergency Relief and is hereby ordered paid.

Ayes: Commissioners Blunk, Robinson, Whipple, Wilson, and Mayor Hondorp.
Nays: None. Carried.

A letter of appreciation was received from Miss Amelia Gayde, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Beyer, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gayde, and Mr. and Mrs. William Gayde.

A report concerning natural gas in the Pontiac district was read. This report written by W. P. Edmondson, City Manager of Pontiac, showed the savings that might be obtained by the use of natural gas. It also made a detailed report of the activities of the Executive Committee since the Committee was appointed.

A communication from Mr. V. R. Smith concerning the selling of unpasteurized milk within the City was read. Mr. Smith and the City Manager recommended that either the ordinance be amended or that a resolution be prepared by the Commission which would not permit the City Clerk to issue any licenses to those dealers who sell unpasteurized milk. It was moved by Comm. Whipple supported by Comm. Blunk that the matter be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Carried.

The question of toll charges of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company was raised by the Manager. It was moved by Comm. Whipple supported by Comm. Wilson that the Manager be re-

quested to see Mr. Holland of the Michigan Public Utilities Commission at his earliest convenience. Carried.

It was moved by Comm. Blunk supported by Comm. Wilson that bills in the amount of \$2,999.53 be approved.

Ayes: Commissioners Blunk, Robinson, Whipple, Wilson, and Mayor Hondorp.
Nays: None. Carried.

It was moved by Comm. Blunk supported by Comm. Wilson that the meeting adjourn. Carried. (Time of adjournment 9:30 p.m.)

HENRY HONDORP, Mayor.
CLARENCE J. JONES, Clerk.



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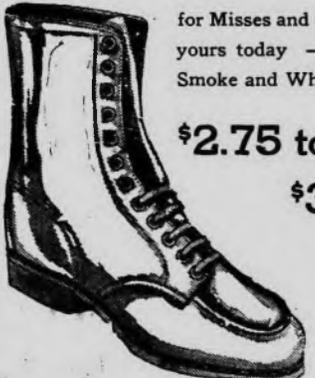
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Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Shattuck will be dinner guests on Christmas day, of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Conklin, in Ann Arbor.

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Society News

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cowgill and son, Bill, plan to spend Christmas day with her mother and sister in Toledo, Ohio. They will be accompanied home by the former's mother, Mrs. Ida Cowgill of Sabina, Ohio, who will visit them for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson will entertain at their annual Christmas family dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jolliffe and son, Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Jolliffe, daughters, Mariam and Jean, and sons, Keith and Larry.

Ernest Roe will have a family reunion in his home, Christmas day, having Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Shawley and family, of Hartdale, New York, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith, and family of Dearborn, and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Fritch, and family of Oxford, present.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wiedman and daughter, Pauline, will attend a family gathering and dinner, Christmas day, in the home of the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wiedman in Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Austin attended a birthday celebration, Sunday in Blissfield, honoring Mrs. Eliza Nuhfer, of Blissfield, mother of Mrs. Brown. Mrs. Nuhfer, who was 85 years of age, is enjoying exceptionally good health. She was presented with several lovely gifts in remembrance of the day.

The Terry family Christmas reunion will be held as usual at the home of Mrs. Jessie Terry. The guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gould and family and Mrs. Gladys Baker and daughter, Ardith.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Terry entertained six friends of their son, Marvin, at dinner Sunday in celebration of his birthday. The guests were Norman Laskey, Charles Thoman, Stanley Schlieve, John Kent, Manfred Graybiel, of Detroit, and Ernest Archer of Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fisher were hosts Sunday at a buffet supper and Christmas exchange to Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Campbell and family of this city, Mr. and Mrs. William Fumrock, of Detroit, and Mrs. Vina Wingard and son, Clifford of Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. James Honey and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Behler and family, Mr. and Mrs. DeLos Goebel and son will enjoy dinner, Christmas day, with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Honey in Detroit. There will be a Christmas tree and exchange of gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor of Church street, will entertain at dinner, Christmas day, the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Strong, and sons, Richard and Edward, and Mrs. Ella Vincent, of Coldwater, mother of Mrs. Strong.

Kenneth M. Lloyd, of Youngstown, Ohio, will join Mrs. Lloyd and the children here for the holidays at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Luther Peck. On Christmas day they will all be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Michener, in Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. David Polley will entertain at a family dinner Christmas day, in their home on Haggerty highway. Their guests will be Mrs. Mary Polley, Regina Polley, Mrs. Mary Gonyea and Mr. and Mrs. Orson Polley.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hartung will entertain at their annual family dinner, Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cole and daughter, Doris, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hartung and family of Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Merle Bennett and sons, Alan and Billy, plan to join her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Johnson, of St. Paul, Minnesota, Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Johnson in Coldwater.

Mildred Loper, of Pontiac, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Fisher, Thursday, while enroute to Hanover to spend the holidays with her mother.

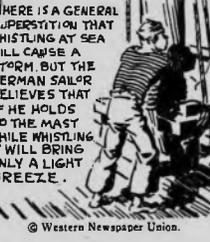
STRANGE SUPERSTITIONS

By Edwin Finch



IN SOME OF THE MINING SECTIONS OF OUR COUNTRY IT IS BELIEVED THAT IF A WOMAN VISITS THE MINES THERE WILL BE AN ACCIDENT TO THE MINERS.

IN CRICKET IN THE HOUSE MEANS LUCK TO SOME BUT TO OTHERS THE CHIRPING OF A CRICKET ON THE HEARTH FORETELLS DEATH



THERE IS A GENERAL SUPERSTITION THAT WHISTLING AT SEA WILL CAUSE A STORM BUT THE GERMAN SAILOR BELIEVES THAT IF HE HOLDS TO THE MAST WHILE WHISTLING IT WILL BRING ONLY A LIGHT BREEZE.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Campbell and son, Teddy, and her mother, Mrs. Josephine Fish, plan to be dinner guests, Christmas day, of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. VanWie, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Rathbun will have as their dinner guests, Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Miller, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mumby and daughter, Lilla.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Curtis and daughter will attend a family reunion and Christmas dinner party, in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Curtis, in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Draper will have their children home for the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Edmore Carney, of Chicago, Illinois, and Dr. and Mrs. Merrell Draper, of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Henderson plan to spend Christmas with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henderson in Tarrytown, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Carvel Bentley will have as dinner guests, Christmas day, the latter's father and sister, of Sturgis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wood will attend a family dinner party, Christmas day, in the home of the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Townsend, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Witwer and daughter plan to have dinner, Christmas day, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson, in East Lansing. They will remain for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Otwell and baby will be dinner guests, Christmas day, of the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mehakaupen, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLeod will spend Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Heeney in Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Ford are to be dinner guests, Christmas day, of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shipman in Grosse Pointe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blickenstaff will entertain at dinner, Christmas day, the latter's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey T. Davis, of Lake Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Beals plan to spend Christmas day with the former's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Brown and family, in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wilcox will be dinner guests, Christmas day, of Mrs. Effie Kimmel and Miss Florence Littler.

Mr. and Mrs. William Otwell will entertain Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Clemmons and daughter, June, of Ann Arbor, Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Dykhouse and son, Charles, will be holiday guests of the former's parents, in Grand Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ray Gilder will visit their parents in Grand Rapids and Morley for the holiday week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Moon will be hosts, Tuesday, to the members of the Dinner Bridge club at dinner and Christmas party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cutler will entertain at a family dinner, Christmas day, in their home on Ridge road.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Baker and family plan to spend Christmas day with her mother, Mrs. A. A. Hall, in Stockbridge.



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Dental Health Report Made

Couzens' Fund Aids Thousands

Progress of the extensive dental health program being carried on in Wayne county schools by the Children's Fund of Michigan was announced yesterday in a report issued by Dr. H. I. Miller of the Children's Fund of Michigan is the organization founded by the gift of ten million dollars to promote the welfare of the children of Michigan by the late Senator James A. Couzens. A wide variety of child welfare activities are supported or assisted by the Children's Fund in Michigan.

The dental division of the fund operates 25 full time dental clinics in Michigan. Actual dental treatment in the clinics is limited strictly to children from families unable to pay for dental care.

According to Dr. Miller, the present program of dental education was undertaken by the Children's Fund in an effort to encourage the parents of thousands of school children to take these children to their own dentists for necessary dental care. It was pointed out that children from the poorest families are often securing much more regular

dental care through clinics than are the many hundreds of thousands of children from families well able to pay for dental care. This condition was attributed to the fact that many parents had not been properly informed as to the very serious conditions that result from the neglect of children's teeth.

The educational program as outlined for Wayne county and each of the other counties in which the Children's Fund maintains clinics consists of dental examinations and dental health talks for every class room in the county. Wherever possible local dentists in the community are asked to do these examinations. Children in distant areas are examined by the Children's Fund staff dentists.

In Wayne county Dr. Miller's report shows that the educational project has been greatly aided by the school nurses that work with children in the county schools from the office of Fred Fisher, superintendent of county schools. Most of the work of arranging examination in the schools has been done by members of the nursing staff. School authorities estimate that by January 10, 1938, all of the 7000 children in the Wayne county school system will have been examined and given notices indicating to parents the amount of dental attention required.

The Vatican in Rome, in which the pope lives, is the largest residence in the world.

Name Members Of Soil Committee

Wayne County In Ten Districts

Wayne county has been divided into ten communities for the administration of the 1938 agricultural conservation program and three community committees and two alternates have been elected from each.

The elections took place at a series of meetings held from November 30 to December 11, by R. William Feit, county chairman and E. Besemer, county agricultural agent.

The background of soil conservation and ways of preventing soil erosion and soil depletion were discussed by E. I. Besemer, Wayne county agricultural agent.

R. William Feit, county chairman, conducted the elections. The community chairman from each community makes up the county board of directors of the agricultural conservation association.

The following is a list of the communities and the committee elected from each community:

Brownstown township: Fred Ernest, Adolph Petraska, Peter Gruber, Jesse Brown, Bud Brow. Canton township: Fred G. Barker, Charles H. Curtis, Sr., M. Willoughby Wiseley, George Simmons, Walter H. Meyer.

Dearborn, Gratiot, Livonia, Redford townships: Charles Lute, Louis C. Salow, Alfred Baker, Albert Taggart, Louis G. Godette. Huron township: R. William Feit, J. A. Herrmann, Ellwood McCune, Emil Guntow, Henry C. Otter.

Nankin township: S. Bennett Butler, Elmer H. McKee, Jesse H. Lang, August Bernwitz, Roy D. Smith. Ecorse, Grosse Ile, Munguagon, Taylor townships: Charles A. Knight, M. L. Havens, Charles Koch, R. G. Bates, Edward Schwartz.

Romulus township: Maurice C. Bird, Jay C. Hudson, Carl E. Bingsel, Walter G. Schafer, Albert Ott. Sumpter township: John Rounsifer, Danner Gallaway, William E. Holbert, Myron Holbert, Russell Ferry.

Plymouth, Northville townships: Claron W. Good, Glen S. Angell, Frank J. Nowotarski. Van Buren township: David O. McMullan, Lester R. Budd, Alfred M. Harrison, Laverne A. Sayre, Frank Postowski.

Rockwood, Flat Rock, Belleville, Grosse Ile, and the townships of Dearborn, Redford, and Livonia. Two truck mounted sludge vacuum filters complete with chemical conditioning apparatus for removing sludge from all plants except the main treatment plant will be purchased, as will standard truck and necessary portable operating equipment.

All construction work will be done under contract with qualified contractors and will be divided into approximately 15 separate sections to be contracted independently.

A Wayne county sewage disposal committee has been appointed by the board of supervisors in order to establish policies to be followed and to set service rates to be represented on the board of supervisors. This committee consists of the following:

Councilman Eugene I. Van Antwerp, chairman.

Charles H. Rathburn, Jr., supervisor of Plymouth township.

Fred Von Moll, supervisor of Munguagon township.

Laurence G. Lenhardt, commissioner of Public Works, Detroit.

George A. Dingman, county drain commissioner.

Thomas A. Davis, mayor of Wyandotte.

Frank X. Montie, supervisor of Ecorse township.

Obituary

MRS. NANCY CUNNINGHAM

Mrs. Nancy Cunningham, nee Helms, who passed away December 16, was born in Illinois, September 11, 1861. She was the daughter of John and Sarah Helms. With her parents, she moved to Sullivan, Missouri, where she was united in marriage to Noble Cunningham, August 18, 1878. Eleven children were born to them, six of whom survive her.

They are Mrs. Edna Ellis and John Cunningham of Patterson, Missouri; Mamie Farmer of Corridon, Missouri; Addie Mauk of Plymouth; Della Poynter of Detroit; Della Klopfenstine of Brightmoor, and 41 grandchildren, 40 great grandchildren and a host of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham came to Michigan, May 9, 1923, and lived in Rosedale Gardens, until the death of Mr. Cunningham on February 17, 1925. For the past two years the deceased had made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gloss of Plymouth. She was a kind and loving mother and grandmother, not only to her family, but to all she met. She lived a faithful Christian life, and took an active part in church work. For the past five years she served in the Nazarene church where she will be greatly missed by the congregation.

Mrs. Louisa A. Bennett, nee Chapman, passed away at the home of her son, Arthur Bennett, in Newburg, early Saturday afternoon, December 18, at the age of 92 years. She was born at the home standing at the corner of Middle Belt and Plymouth roads in 1845. She was the widow of the late John G. Bennett, and is survived by her son, Arthur, six grandchildren, and three great grandchildren. Having lived in this community all her life, many will remember her as one of the early teachers in Livonia township. She was an active worker in the Newburg churches for many years. Funeral services were held Tuesday, December 21, at 2:00 o'clock from the Schrader Funeral home. Interment was made in Newburg cemetery.

Mrs. Viola Butrick, of West Virginia, who has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Coffman at 522 Adams street, passed away Monday evening, December 20, at the age of 60 years. She was the widow of the late Homer Butrick. She is survived by two sons and two daughters, Mrs. Bessie Coffman of Plymouth, Clarence Butrick, Mrs. Evelyn Cecil and Hobert Butrick of Winona, West Virginia; also survived by 10 grandchildren. The body was brought to the Schrader Funeral home. At the time of going to press, funeral arrangements have not been made.

After an Algerian wedding, the bridegroom enters his home backward, holding a dagger in his hand, and the bride follows, touching the blade with the tip of her finger.

The most striking difference between the modern comic strip and those of the earlier period is the use of continuity. Modern strips weave serial stories about their characters; in former years each day's story depended upon a gag or a violent bit of action.

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Grow Gladiolus In Your Garden

(By O. P. STANCER) (Installation No. 6)

There is one insect pest apt to attack your growing gladiolus. This insect if called by his or her official name, is *Tremothrips gladioli* and later simplified to *T. Simplicis*. We call them "gladiolus thrips" and goodness knows they can be mean enough when called by this name.

The gladiolus thrip is a very small, slender insect, about 1/25 to 1/16 of an inch in length. Its development covers four stages, namely adult, egg, larva, and pupa. Damage is caused only during the adult and larval stage.

The adults are dark brown or black except that the wing bases are white which give the insect the appearance of being banded. The eggs are kidney shape and opaque white. They are microscopic in size and are deposited in the plant tissue. The larvae when hatched are only about 1/50 of an inch in length and white.

Shortly after hatching the body color changes to a lemon yellow. The time necessary for one generation, that is, from egg to adult, averages about 15 and one-half days out of doors, although a complete generation has been recorded in 11 days.

Migratory thrips from neighboring gardens are not likely to reach early plantings in time to injure the blooms. The damage is not from the first few thrips, but from the thousands of offspring that develop after several weeks of breeding. Early plantings should give uninjured blooms; regular spraying, started while the plants are young, say an inch or two high, makes it almost certain that your problems will come through in good shape.

Spraying is essential for late plantings. Start spraying when the plants are two or three inches high and spray at least once a week. To avoid spray-burning, never spray until evenings during the hot weather.

One of the best sprays is 1/4 pound manganese arsenate, four pounds brown sugar, and 6-1/4 gallons of water. A second, good in dry regions, but which cannot be used in humid regions due to burning of the plants) is two ounces Paris Green, four pounds brown sugar, and 6-1/4 gallons of water. The former formulae is recommended for this locality.

In previous chapters we have stressed the point of getting as long a growing season as possible to mature bulbs and bulbets for the next year's planting. The plants will continue to grow for several weeks after the flower spikes have been removed. Many times the amateur will completely forget about his gladiolus after they have finished blooming with the result that they will leave them in the ground so long that they become frosted in the fall. The proper time to take them up is after the leaves start to turn yellow or in any event they should be dug before severe frosts arrive.

In digging it is advisable on small plantings to remove the tops about an inch above the ground and burn them all before the actual digging starts. This will to a great extent, destroy any thrips still on the plant. Then with a flat-tined spading fork thrust into the soil some three or four inches away from the bulb, gently lift up and loosen the bulbs. The bulbs with the small bulbets may then be lifted out without losing many of the small bulbets. The bulbs as dug should be placed in shallow boxes, tight enough so that none of the small bulbets will slip through and become lost. These boxes or trays should be left out of doors and the bulbs allowed to dry out in the sun for a day or so before taking in.

The gradual drying out of the bulbs should continue for several

weeks before they are ready to be cleaned and stored for the winter. Do not leave the bulbs out where they may be frosted. Be sure they are well ventilated during the curing process. A moist, still atmosphere is sure to invite trouble from mold and sets the stage for rapid development of bulb diseases.

In four or five weeks after harvesting the bulbs and bulbets are ready to be cleaned preparatory to placing in winter storage. Cleaning of the bulbets is a simple matter, consisting of only removing the old tops. With the larger bulbs, the old withered bulb at the base should be removed as well as the stub of a stem, left after cutting off the tops before digging, should now be removed. Be sure to save all the bulbets for future planting.

The best winter storage temperature for gladiolus is 40 to 45 degrees F. No damage will result if the temperature drops below 40 degrees as long as they are not touched with frost. Likewise no injury will result if the temperature goes as high as 50 degrees. The average fruit cellar will keep gladiolus bulbs quite well providing it is not damp, and providing they are taken out and inspected from time to time which of course gives them an airing in so doing. Large bulbs may be stored in trays or in paper bags if properly cured before going into storage.

The writer has found that where only a few dozens of bulbs of the various varieties are to be stored that an admirable storage tray may be made by the use of the common greenhouse flat without the usual board bottoms but with galvanized window screen tacked on to make a bottom.

These may be stacked up in such a manner that air may circulate thoroughly through the bulb storage. The writer has some 170 varieties with not a great number per variety, having just sufficient number of each for breeding purposes and this type of storage tray has proven quite satisfactory.

There is a winter treatment for the control of thrips which may have been carried into storage on the bulbs, but to tell you about it in this article would be going commercial and doing a little advertising which, of course, has no place in this series of articles.

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No Potatoes For The Hungry

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sion for the governor", a purpose for which they had no right to use the money.

"Would it not be better to use some of this \$1,000,000 appropriation to feed the hungry now, when they are in need of food, than to use it later for political purposes? I am amazed to think that the Chief Executive, who sets himself up as the "great humanitarian governor", has not given this matter at least some consideration.

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New Years' Dancing Party--

The Dancing Baileys' of the Bailey Dancing School, Northville, Michigan, are sponsoring their Second Annual Dance at the

NORTHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL GYM.

NEW YEARS EVE, FRIDAY, DEC. 31
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Prizes will also be given away to the lady who can scream the loudest and the lady and man who can make the funniest faces.

Lots of fun—Don't miss this!

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Society News

Mr. and Mrs. William Micol were hosts to the members of the La-f-a-Lot club and a few friends, Saturday evening, in their home on Forest avenue in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary, which occurs December 23. The house was tastefully decorated with Christmas colors, silver bells and touches of silver added here and there in keeping with the occasion. After a delicious chicken dinner "500" was enjoyed. The hosts were presented with a mantel type electric clock and a decorative pillow from the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fisher, and Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hower, Mr. and Mrs. George Gorton, Mr. and Mrs. William Renger, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sallow, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Anna Rosenberg, William Bauman, of Plymouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Millard of Northwood Inn.

On Friday evening of last week Mrs. Lew Price, Abbie Melow and Marie Walling attended the dinner, given by the Pontiac division of the Consumers Power company for the wives of managers and the lady employes, at Northwood Inn.

Dr. and Mrs. John L. Olsever will entertain at dinner, Christmas day, having as their guests, her mother, Mrs. Marietta Hough of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Worden and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Nugent and son, Edwin of South Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Prescott and daughter, Sally Wynn, of Dixon, Illinois, are expected at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Schrader, on Friday and on Christmas the two families will have dinner with Mrs. Nelson Schrader and family at Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Hough have returned from New York City where they attended the meeting of the toy manufacturers. While away they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Francis M. Archibald, in Elizabeth, New Jersey for a day.

The Mission society of the Lutheran church had an enjoyable potluck dinner, Wednesday of last week in the home of Mrs. Fred Schmidt, on the Plymouth road.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown will entertain at dinner, Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Shear and family of Redford and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lee and family of Saline.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple will entertain at a family dinner Christmas day with the following guests, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Huston and Mrs. Jennie Ballard of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Edson O. Huston and Oscar Huston of this city.

About 35 members of the Daughters of America enjoyed a Christmas party, Friday evening in the Grange hall. There was a tree and exchange of gifts and as it was the third anniversary of the organization two beautiful cakes graced the luncheon table.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bloss, of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stringer, of Highland Park and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stringer, of Ferndale, will have dinner Christmas day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rathburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Taylor, of Penniman avenue, will have as their dinner guests Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humphries and son, Milton, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas and son, William.

Mrs. E. E. Russell of Jackson will spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Coella Hamilton, and family. On Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Murray O'Neil will join them for dinner.

Mrs. H. A. Mason and Miss Carrie Brooks were in Detroit, Thursday of last week, to attend the annual luncheon and Christmas party of their sewing club.

Albert Holmes, owner of the Twin Pine Dairy of Detroit entertained 85 of his employes at a dinner dance at the Mayflower hotel Thursday night. The Christmas party was the third that Mr. Holmes had given in Plymouth for his employes.

Mrs. Sanford Shattuck entertained a few friends at dinner, Saturday evening, in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Neale, Jr. and family will have dinner Christmas day with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Young, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Parmalee and family will attend a family dinner party, Christmas day in the home of her mother, Mrs. Minnie Chapman at Walled lake.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Wernet and son, William, will be supper guests, Christmas day at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fritz, in Detroit.

Miss Carolyn Shaw arrived Friday from Bowling Green, Ohio, to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. William Shaw, and aunt, Miss Carrie Partridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fox, of East Lansing, were guests, Thursday and Friday of last week, of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Daane.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Allison plan to have Christmas dinner with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huffman, in Blenheim, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McLaren will entertain at dinner, Christmas day, Mrs. L. A. Babbitt, of Northville, Mrs. H. F. Brown, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLaren of Muir.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Stowe, of Fowlerville, and Grace Stowe, of Detroit, will be dinner guests, Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith.

Vera Hangsterfer of Three Rivers will spend the holidays at the home of Carl Heide.

Miss Clar Wolf, who has spent the past five weeks in Flint, has returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. William Gayde.

Miss Ella Jackson plans to spend Christmas day with her sister, Mrs. Milly Jewell, in Detroit.

The Happy Helpers of the Lutheran church met with Elsie Melow, Wednesday of last week, for its annual Christmas party and exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Ida Taft will be the dinner guest of her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sumner, in Detroit, Christmas day.

F. L. Haskin, of Grand Rapids, will spend the holidays with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hochins.



Greetings and Best Wishes to our customers for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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With Faculty Supervision

Rock Cagers Defeated By Ecorse 44 - 31

(By Franklin Coward)

On the opponent's court with their "5" very "hot" the Rocks were beaten last Thursday. Montal of Ecorse seemed to be the key to the Ecorse success as he was high scorer and played a very good game defensively too. He seemed to have a knack for getting away from his man and if given the ball to make a basket by just shooting in that general direction. He accounted for such a higher percentage of his tries than did either of Plymouth's best men, Moe and Egloff.

The game began with the Rocks and the Ecorse Cagers playing well but with neither team making over half a dozen points. Moe, Egloff and the two guards of the opponents team handled the ball a great deal of the time. Moe in this quarter sank two field goals to one which Egloff made, the only ones scored by the Blue and White. Ecorse scored five points, four of which were accounted for by Olean and Baklarz who each made one field goal, and a free shot by Wokas made the fifth point. The quarter ended with the Rocks leading 6-5.

When play was resumed the Rocks seemed to be somewhat baffled by the large playing field and many of their passes failed to find the right man. In this period Montal began to shine by making more than half of the 15 points for the opponents. Wokas and Allain made the other points with Wokas scoring four and Allain three. For Plymouth Sackett shone by scoring four free shots; incidentally they were made consecutively and were the first point he had made this year. Egloff made one point and Ross scored a field goal. The first half ended with Ecorse on the long end of a 20-13 score against Plymouth.

After the rest Plymouth came on to the floor refreshed but still in awe of the large court and continually missed passes which they should have made. During this period the Rocks dropped farther behind when Montal again was far better than the whole opponent team, scoring another eight points to the rest of the team's five. This time the honors went to Moe and Prough each of whom scored four points while Egloff and Ross each scored one. Score at the end of the third quarter 33-22.

The rest did not seem to do the Rocks much good because they were not clicking while Ecorse piled up point after point. The Rocks scored only nine points in this period, three by Egloff, two by Sackett, his first field goal of the season, two by Ross, and one each by Moe, and Hitt. The score at the end of the game was 44-31 with Plymouth being defeated.

Although the Rocks were defeated they received something from the game. That something was practice in the passing and working out of the play responsible for the defeat, the Rocks suffered at the hands of the River Rouge Panthers. Also this game developed a potential scorer in the form of Marvin Sackett, the tall fellow who has been playing center for the Rocks.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

If you have been wondering what has been going on at noon for the past week in the gym you may be interested to know that it is the girls' basketball tournament. There are 13 teams this year. Four are freshmen, three sophomores, four juniors, two seniors. The captains are freshmen, Mary Jane Olsaver, Mary Ellen Dahmer, Dorothy Ebersole.

GIRL RESERVES SHOWN MOVIES

The Senior Girl Reserves gathered in Mr. Evans' room last Thursday to see some movies shown by Miss Lickly and Miss Rathburn. The pictures were taken while Miss Lickly, her sister, and Katherine Diamond were on a trip through the northern countries of Europe this summer. There were pictures of scenes taken while crossing the Atlantic and then scenes from Bremen, Lubeck, and Berlin in Germany. From there they traveled to Denmark "in which," Miss Lickly said, "are almost as many windmills as in Holland." From there they traveled to Norway, Finland, and Sweden and the girls were shown pictures of the people and homes of those countries. The final reel showed pictures taken on the way to Germany and home again. Altogether it was a very nice trip abroad enjoyed through the pictures.

DE LAURIER AND MOE ATTEND BANQUET AT M.S.C.

Jacques De Laurier and Gordon Moe attended a banquet last Saturday at the Michigan State college. They were privileged to go to this banquet because they were given honorable mention on the All-State high school football team. Before the banquet the boys saw some members of the Reserve Officers Training Corps demonstrate rifle shooting and watched the cavalry go into action. Later they visited a building where boxing and wrestling were demonstrated. They watched the Spartans and the U. of D. play football for a time after which they saw movies of previous football games played this season.

At 6:00 o'clock they attended the banquet at which many famous men spoke among whom were Dr. Robert S. Shaw, president of M.S.C., Richard E. Remington, of the Detroit News who chose the teams, and Charles Bachman, head football coach of Michigan State. After the banquet free fraternity accommodations at the fraternities houses were provided for those who wished to accept them.

SECOND TEAM SCORES A WIN 32-19

The second team came back with a victory over Ecorse last week with a score of 32-19. The team has now won three games and lost one. The game was very fast with Plymouth leading all the way. In the first quarter the score was 3-2 with Plymouth getting warmed up. The next quarter was tied up at 10-10. Then in the third quarter we got "hot" and zoomed up a score of 27-14. The last quarter even went higher with a score of 32-19. There were quite a few fouls called and the majority were sunk. Plymouth had some called but only one was put in. Their next game is to be at Dearborn. The record is very good so far; let's hope for another victory.

MRS. MURRAY'S CLASSES PROVE INTERESTING

The Adult Home Economics classes in Child Psychology with 16 members enrolled closes a 10-week course next week. The class is taught by Mrs. Belle Murray. The classes are most interesting and worthwhile for Mrs. Murray presented the material in such a way that everyone could apply it in dealing with infants and older children. Mrs. Murray's years of experience and study in this field made the work very interesting.

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SENIOR BIOGRAPHIES

Betty Jane Flaherty, Birth: Mannington, West Virginia, March 5, 1920. Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Flaherty. Residence: 12313 Stark road. Description: She is a lively brown-haired Irish colleen, who, to quote her, has "cat's eyes." Betty is about five feet four inches high and can usually be seen around school with Hazel Curtis and Ruth Pennell. Schools attended: Stark school through all except the third grade, which was spent in Mannington school in West Virginia. Activities: Girl Reserves for three years, Book Explorers club for one year, Library club for two years, and Pilgrims Prints for three years. Favorite studies: History and English. Favorite amusements: Reading and dancing. Favorite authors: Lloyd Douglas and S. S. Van Dine. Radio favorites: Guy Lombardo, Eddie Cantor, and Jack Benny. Something done fairly well: She says, "Sleeping is about the only thing I can do pretty well." Most interesting experience: In Weston, West Virginia last summer she saw the first blast furnace ever established in the United States. Plans after leaving school: "Nothing definite, but I would like to go to Pittsburgh to live and work there in a telephone office."

Bob A. Evans, Birth: Bob was born in Detroit, Michigan on August 30, 1920. Schools attended: Birmingham, Rochester, Royal Oak and lastly, Plymouth. Description: He weighs 152 pounds and is 5 feet 8 inches tall and is built rather stoutly. He has dark brown eyes and claims to have brown hair, a dark complexion, and also the beginnings of a mustache. Activities: Bob was a reserve for one year and was on the Varsity football team for three years. He was on the baseball team for one year as pitcher. He has been a member of the Varsity club for three years and of the F.F.A. for three years. Favorite study: Chemistry. Favorite amusement: He likes to roller skate at Arena Gardens. Something well done: Roller skating. Favorite food: Bob likes nothing better than chocolate cake and apple pie as dessert after a hearty meal. Favorite author: His favorite author is Zane Grey because Grey writes about outdoor life in an exciting manner. Hobbies: Roller skating, ice skating, fishing, hunting, trapping, and football. Most interesting experience: Bob's most interesting experience was going deer hunting this fall. Plans after leaving school: He plans to secure employment at the Ira Wilson Dairy laboratories.

Colburn V. Dennis, Birth: December 1, 1919, Detroit, Michigan. Residence: 6103 Canton Center



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OUR WISH

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DO YOU BELIEVE IN SANTA CLAUS?—EDITORIAL

Do you believe in Santa Claus?—You need not wink and smile so knowingly at that, because there is a Santa Claus. True, he may not be the chubby red-cheeked individual whom you used to expect to fill your stockings and trim the tree when you were a child of four; nevertheless he is with us at this time of the year in spirit. The reason young children are told that the Jolly Old St. Nick really is a person is that their minds are not able to comprehend the fact that he is the spirit or symbol of Christmas. Santa Claus signifies giving, which after all is the theme of Yuletide. Just as the three kings represented the spirit of giving in ancient times, so our American Santa represents generosity and the old proverb, "It's more blessed to give than to receive."

About this time of year everyone gets a sort of inner glow that makes him wish he could go out and buy things until he runs out of money. After all, is not that the kind of feeling to have at this holiday season? Nowadays people are more inclined to think of the material side of Christmas—trees, parties, and good things to eat; however, we should not forget the underlying principle, that of peace and good-will. If we, as high school students, feel this spirit, we shall make a happier, merrier Christmas for ourselves and everyone concerned. We should not scoff at our smaller brothers and sisters—rather think to ourselves that even though Santa may not be a real person—still he represents giving and generosity, the fundamentals of Christmas. Other countries have their various representations of Santa Claus, but they all signify giving. This is why your answer to "Do you believe in Santa Claus?" should be most certainly "Yes!"

SENIOR BIOGRAPHIES

Ralph Lewis Fischer, Birth: Plymouth, Michigan, December 14, 1921. Description: Ralph is five feet, seven inches tall; he weighs 130 pounds, and is of medium build. He has blue-gray eyes and mahogany-colored hair. He is usually recognized by his pleasant manners, his intelligence and in winter by his frost-bitten ears and nose. Activities: Ralph was interested in music at an early age; he has been in the band for seven years and in the orchestra for three. Favorite tunes: German pieces and the "Prisoner's Song." Favorite studies: Physics and algebra. Favorite amusements: Ralph plays pool and likes sailing. Favorite food: Black pudding. Favorite author: Ralph's favorite author is Goldsmith because of his entertaining plays. Favorite movie star: Wallace Beery. Hobbies: He is an expert at model airplane building. Most interesting experience: He would not reveal anything about it to his biographer. Plans after leaving school: He plans to take up an engineering course at the University of Michigan in 1938.

SEVENTH GRADER SPEAKS FIVE LANGUAGES

Few people in Plymouth high school know that they have a versatile polyglot in 11-year-old seventh-grader Doris Strauss of Germany; Doris speaks fluently five languages—German (her native tongue), Spanish, Catalanian Spanish, French, and Italian—and is rapidly learning to speak English, which she already is able to read. Doris (with her parents) came to United States from Germany on October 15 of this year. The Strausses now live at the Wayne County Training school, where Dr. Strauss works in the psychology department under director, Dr. Hegge. Before coming to the United States, Doris lived in Switzerland and Spain, where her father established a school, as well as in Germany, where her father taught at the University of Berlin. Finding the United States an ideal country, the Strausses plan to become citizens and make this their permanent residence. Although Doris had difficulty at first in speaking English she now is making rapid progress in school and is very happy in her new home.

GIFT CLASS MAKING ART CALENDARS

Miss Fry's high school art class is making calendars to be given to the superintendent, Mr. Smith; the principal, Mr. Dykhouse; and the city manager, Mr. Elliott. If time permits, more calendars will be completed. Each student is taking one of the months of the year and designing a picture to illustrate that month. The design is drawn, traced on linoleum, cut out with printers' tools, inked with printers' ink, put under the black printing press, and stamped on paper. One of the interesting points of this process is that the design must be put on the linoleum backwards.

STARKWEATHER NOTES

Kindergarten A's have finished their work book "Before We Read," and are to start work on Elson "Pre-Primer."

In Miss Stafer's room the pupils are practicing a play "The Star's Gift." For Christmas they have made gifts for their mothers. The gifts are wooden plaques to hang on the walls. The work on these was done by the pupils themselves.

The pupils in Miss Thompson's room have made Christmas presents for their mothers. They have also made new curtains for the windows of their book case, and have decorated the room for Christmas with bells, presents, and small stars. They have all made tooth brushes and colored them to match their own at home. If they brush their teeth every day they get a gold star. The pupils wish every one a "Merry Christmas!"

Miss Farmer's pupils have also been making Christmas presents for their parents. For their fathers they have made a folder containing a pen, pen point

PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS GIVEN TO GIRLS

The local doctors and Mrs. Strasen, the school nurse, have for the past few weeks been conducting a series of physical examinations for girls. About 250 girls who planned to enter the competitive basketball tournament were examined and about 16 were found to need re-checks. Any girl who has any defects is not allowed to play competitive basketball or take active physical training work; a special restrictive class is held for those not engaged in active work.

Mrs. Strasen has announced that Toxoid, a preventive for diphtheria, is being given to the grade school children who are not already immune to the disease.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED FOR FRESHMAN DANCE

The first general meeting of the Freshman class was held Wednesday, December 8, for the purpose of appointing committees for the Freshman dance to be held January 7.

The committees are as follows: Orchestra under Miss Rathburn's direction, assisted by Jack Gettleman, chairman; Lloyd Clark, Jack Butz, Patsy Mason, and Dorothy Waters. Chaperones under Miss Lovewell's direction assisted by Betty Scheppel, Mary Jane Olsaver, Jim Zuckerman, Jeanette Welch, and Bill Wernett. The auditorium committee also clean up, is under the direction of Mr. Fountain with Bob Norman as first assistant and other helpers, Bob Daniels, Shirley Dunham, Alan Bennett, and German Trick. The refreshment committee is under Miss Lundin. Marion Coward is chairman and her assistants are Mary Ellen Dahmer, Dorothy Ebersole, Virginia Brocklehurst, and Doris Bridger. The ticket committee under the direction of Mrs. Haar with Orlyn Lewis, chairman, is Ardeth Rowland, Harold Fisher, Susan Millard, and Warren Hoffman. The publicity committee is under Mrs. Crumbe's direction assisted by Norman Pearce, chairman, Paul Harsha, Patsy Kinahan, Maxine Willard, and Jean Engleson.

COLLECTING CHRISTMAS SEALS AS A HOBBY

It would startle you to know how Christmas seals run up into real value as the years go quickly by. Start today by taking some seals and putting them away. Just over night (it will seem) they will climb in value. Take for instance a 1911 Christmas seal. Now that is not so long ago. Guess how much it is worth. Twenty-five dollars. Would you believe it?

There is two reasons why one should collect seals. One can help others, unfortunately who have tuberculosis. Then one can help himself with a good investment. The 1913 issue is worth \$15.00. If one is really interested and wants some more information, look at the United States stamp catalog in room 36.

SPORT SLANTS

Have you noticed during the basketball games played so far that most of the points by the opponents have been scored by their guards?

Did you know that Marvin Sackett will be able to shave this vacation because he made some baskets in the last game. He had a bet with the coach and not shaving was his penalty if he didn't make a basket.

Will you agree that Gilles should have been mentioned on All-State High School football team?

SCHOOL CALENDAR

- December 23 — Holiday vacation begins.
- January 3 — School resumes.
- January 7 — Basketball, Dearborn, there.
- January 7 — Freshman dance.
- January 10 — Adult night school resumes.
- January 11 — Basketball, Northville, here.
- January 14 — Basketball, Wayne, here.
- January 21 — Basketball, Ypsilanti, here.



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In Plymouth and Vicinity—Interesting News of Days Gone By Taken From The Plymouth Mail Files

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burch were the guests of the Northville Five Hundred club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cameron last Monday evening. A Christmas tree was the entertainment of the evening.

The sacred concert given in the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening was well attended. These concerts are becoming more popular every year and the chorus is worthy of praise for the splendid work they are doing.

About 45 members of the Woman's Literary club met with Mrs. C. H. Bennett last Friday afternoon. The program of the meeting was in charge of the sixth division. An excellent paper, "Christmas Customs in Different Countries," was given by Mrs. J. J. Travis and a "Christmas Reading," which was much enjoyed, was read by Mrs. F. A. Dibble. The program concluded with the pronunciation drill, after which the members were invited to remain as Mrs. Bennett's guests.

Mrs. Albert Gayde has been quite ill with appendicitis. May Wolgast of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Stever.

Will Micol and Miss Ethel Brown of this place, were quietly married in Detroit last Monday December 23. They have the best wishes of their friends for a prosperous wedded life.

One of the busiest places in town the first of the week was at the postoffice. The postmaster and his assistants handled more incoming and outgoing mail Monday than for any one day since he has been in office. There were 11 sacks of mail brought in on the early morning trains.

Much satisfaction is felt by the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kohler at their return to this community from New Boston where they were last spring. Mr. and Mrs. Kohler are to be the tenants of Mrs. Kate Yerkes' farm north of town, which is near enough to make them Northvillians again.

William Roe and family visited Mrs. Roe's sister in Detroit Wednesday.

Charles Mather and family visited relatives in Battle Creek, Michigan this week.

Morris Bensley of Buffalo, New York, was a guest of Dr. Olsaver last Saturday.

Miss Madeline Bennett entertained several young people at her home last Saturday evening.

Jacob and William Streng will open their new meat market on the north side, Monday, December 30.

The Misses Pelham entertained about 12 young girls at their home on East Ann Arbor street last Tuesday afternoon in honor of their niece, Miss Ora Pelham of Iron Mountain.

Roy Fisher is home from Saginaw for the holiday vacation.

Mrs. C. H. Bennett visited friends in Toledo a few days last week.

Miss Mabel Spicer of Youngstown is home for the holiday vacation.

Max Hillmer of Lansing visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hillmer, this week.

Margaret Bennett returned the first of the week from a few days' stay with friends in Chicago.

Plymouth Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Rigley with their daughter, Gene, on Golden road will spend Christmas with the former's mother, Mrs. Albert Rigley at Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. George Surrine will be entertained Christmas day at their daughter's, Mr. and Mrs. Max Van Etta on Pine Tree road.

The E. J. Cutlers will celebrate Christmas at home on Ridge road with their daughter, Sally from Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Rusing Cutler of Plymouth, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Max Cutler with their two little sons from Detroit will visit the parental home, and in the evening they expect a reunion of all members of the family present.

The Roy N. Leemons will entertain Christmas, Mr. Leemon's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gallock of Lansing, and Mrs. Fred Noack of Detroit.

A delightful neighborhood party was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Ross. A potluck dinner was served at 7:00 o'clock in the basement, which had been most attractively decorated suggestive of the Christmas season. Games and stunts completed the pleasant evening. Mrs. Ross proved herself a most resourceful hostess when the lights went off, by being able to produce numerous candles to light the unexpected darkness.

No one in this vicinity has been reported as suffering any casualties from the glare of ice, but Mrs. Ray Holcomb, who formerly lived here, and daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Root, suffered a broken arm in Ypsilanti last Thursday.

Lewis Root was confined to his bed by an attack of high blood pressure for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Asman entertained last Sunday, in honor of their daughter's birthday, which occurs December 24. The invited guests were the daughter, Mrs. Miller Ross, her husband and children, Betsey and Beverly and Mrs. Sarah Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Horton Morrow of Ann Arbor.

The Asmans and the Horton Mornings of Ann Arbor will be Christmas guests in the Miller Ross home.

Mrs. Charles Root is ill confined to her bed for several days, a case of food poisoning.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Geer will entertain Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Root, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Root, Jr., and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Theda Lyke and family, Miss Roberta Chapel, home from Normal college, and Melvin Blunk.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Root and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cole of Ann Arbor road, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson of Pontiac, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hargrave of Wayne will celebrate Christmas Sunday at the home of Mrs. Nelson Cole in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Root entertained Mrs. Root's parents, and her brothers' families Christmas.

Army To Give Out Baskets

Lieut. Elwin Alder of the Salvation Army announced yesterday that 25 baskets will be distributed to unfortunate Plymouth families Friday morning, with the aid of a truck loaned for the purpose by one of the local citizens. The names of these families have been secured from the city hall where a list is recorded, so that no duplications will be made.

The food, the amount of which will be enough to fill a bushel basket, is valued at from \$4 to \$5 a basket. Toys will accompany the Christmas basket where they are needed. Single families, containing anywhere from three to 10 members, will be served.

The contents of each basket will include: a five-pound chicken; four-pound roast; one-half dozen oranges; a dozen apples; 10 pounds of potatoes; two loaves of bread; one-half pound of butter; five pounds of flour; two pounds of sugar; two cans of soup; one pound of rice; one can each of peas, corn, milk, tomatoes, plum pudding, and lard; two cans of peaches; one dozen cookies; one pound of coffee; and covering the basket will be an issue of the Salvation Army magazine, "The War Cry."

On Thursday evening a Christmas party with candy and toys for the children will precede the Christmas play being given by the young people of the Salvation Army corps at headquarters on Union street. The evening's entertainment will begin at 8:00 o'clock.

Capt. F. Bush of Chicago, who is connected with the Army headquarters for this territory, will speak at the morning and evening services Sunday, December 28.

It is claimed that a canoe has enough buoyancy to support several occupants with head and shoulders above water, even when filled with water.

Newburg News

The church was filled on Sunday morning for the Christmas services and program by the children. During the service Mr. and Mrs. Melvin C. Gutherie had their young son, Thomas Addison baptized by Rev. Hoffman.

On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Edwin Norris entertained several little girls in honor of her daughter, Juanita's birthday.

On Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntyre entertained Mrs. McIntyre's sister Miss Jean Buchanan, who is sailing soon for England.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Clement in University hospital, Ann Arbor a boy on Thursday morning, December 16.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seymour and daughter of Detroit were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Smith.

Kenneth McMullen was taken to Ford hospital Saturday with pneumonia.

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Church News

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Rev. F. C. Lefevre, Sundays—Mass at 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30. Confessions Saturday nights at 7:30, and before each mass. Societies—The Holy Name Society for all men and young men. Communion the second Sunday of the month. The Ladies' Altar Society receives Holy Communion the third Sunday of each month. All the ladies of the parish are to belong to this society. Children's Sunday—Every child of the parish should go to communion every fourth Sunday of the month. Instructions in religion conducted each Saturday morning at 10:00 by the Dominican Sisters. All children that have not completed their 8th grade are obliged to attend these religious instructions.

As usual the Christmas services will begin at 11:45 p.m. Friday midnight to give a cordial invitation is extended to all. The choir will sing the ever welcome Christmas hymns and carols previous to the high mass. The sermon will be preached by Father Lefevre, "A Tired People, Looks for Help". The masses on Christmas day will be offered up on 9:00 and 10:00 a.m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL, Stanford S. Closson, minister, 10:00 a.m. Family Hour; senior church, junior church, and nursery. A combined adult-junior choir will sing the anthem, "The Christmas Story" by Goldsworthy. Mrs. Anthony Kreger will sing "In Bethlehem" with Wood. The pastor's sermon theme will be "The Infinite Became An Infant". The object-sermon for the children of the Junior church will be "Popcorn". Parents may leave small children in the nursery while they attend church each Sunday morning. Excellent care is provided, 11:30, Sunday school, 6:30, Epworth league, 7:30, an evening Christmas worship service. Come and spend a quiet hour after the Christmas rush. Special Christmas music. A Christmas story, "Who Gives This Feast?" will be read, Wednesday, 7:30, mid-week service, Friday, 11:30 p.m., remember the Christmas eve communion service. The people of the community are invited. See details elsewhere in this paper.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH—Rosedale Gardens. Masses: Sunday 8:00 and 11:00 a.m. Holy Days 7:30 and 9:00 a.m. Week day, 8:00 a.m. Confessions before each Mass. Catechism class after first Mass. Benediction after second Mass. Baptism by appointment.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST Scientist—Sunday morning service, 10:30. Sunday school at 10:30. Pupils received up to the age of twenty years. Wednesday evening service, 8:00.

"Christian Science" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, December 26. The Golden Text, from Isaiah 55: 1, is: "Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters, and he that hath no money; come ye, buy, and eat; yea, come, buy wine and milk without money and without price." Among the Bible citations in this passage (Romans 15: 4): "For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope." Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p. 358): "Christian Science, understood, coincides with the Scriptures, and sustains logically and demonstratively every point it presents."

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN church, Walter Nichol, pastor, 10:00 a.m. Sunday school, 11:00 a.m., worship, 6:30 p.m., young people. Christmas is in evidence in the church activities these days. The beginners and primaries had a very successful Christmas tree entertainment Saturday afternoon, December 18. The choir, under the direction of Miss Hanna Strasen, rendered two anthems with excellent effect Sunday morning when the whole service carried the note of Christmas. Sunday evening, with Mrs. Maurice Woodworth at the organ, a beautiful Christmas play, "The Birth of a Kingdom" was presented by a group of young women. Monday afternoon the Junior department of the Sunday school with George M. Chute as superintendent, held their Christmas tree entertainment in the church hall. Several other class groups met to enjoy and share in the spirit of the season. A school of teacher training is projected to begin Wednesday, January 12. The churches of Plymouth, Northville and surrounding communities are joining in setting up a school which should interest a wide circle of parents, teachers and young people. There will be a popular opening meeting at this church, January 12 with a supper served by the women and a speaker, competent and prominent in the field of Christian education. There will follow on successive Wednesday evenings five sessions of the school meeting from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The departmental groupings of the Sunday school are working well. Last Sunday there was a rally of the whole school in a special Christmas program. Next Sunday the three groups will meet separately and regular class periods will be held. Sunday school meets at 10:00 a.m. with church worship service following at 11:00 a.m.

NEWBURG M. E. CHURCH—Clifton G. Hoffman, pastor, 10:30 a.m. Combined service. Christmas program by the Sunday school, and everyone is welcome. 8:00 p.m., Christmas White Gift program by the Epworth League. Tuesday night, December 21, at 7:45, the Sunday school is having its Christmas party in the Ladies' Aid hall on Newburg road. Santa Claus will be there and everyone is invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Holbrook and Harding, L. B. Stout, pastor, 615 North Mill street. Subject for the morning worship at 10:00 o'clock, "Some Evidences of a Spirit Filled Life". The Bible school meets at 11:15 a.m. B.Y.P.U., 8:30 p.m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p.m. Subject: "When Will Plymouth Believe In Christ?" The prayer services on Wednesday night at 7:30 followed by a message by a missionary from Latin-America. The Bible school Christmas program will be given Thursday night at the church. Come one, come all. A personal note, The Stouts, as new comers to your community desire to extend the season's greetings to the many new friends we have met here, and to all we hope to meet and make your friendship in the near future. The Stout family.

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NAZARENE CHURCH— Sunday school, 10:00 a.m.; morning worship, 11:30 a.m.; Young people's meeting, 6:30 p.m.; evening worship, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. John Kalnz, our new young people's president, extends a hearty welcome to all young people who do not attend elsewhere to come to our young people's service.

ST. PAUL'S EV. LUTHERAN church, Livonia Center, O. J. Peters, pastor. Services in English, Sunday, December 19, Children's service with Christmas tree, Thursday evening, December 23 at 7:00 p.m. Last rehearsal for the program for the children Saturday, December 18 at 1:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Loy Sutherland, minister. The pastor's Christmas message and our Christmas music by the choir will be given at the 10:00 o'clock service. Subject: "The Lost Note in The Angel's Song". Bible school, 11:15. At 7:30 a most beautiful Christmas pageant entitled "With The Bethlehem Shepherds" will be given by some 30 characters and the Girl's Chorus. A synopsis of the pageant follows: Two men and their families from Beersheba are making the required journey to the place of their birth, which is Jerusalem, for registration and taxation. About two miles south of Bethlehem, the caravan taking a different route, puts the travelers upon the road to walk to Bethlehem, where they plan to spend the night. The women, weary, stop to rest by the way, thus bringing upon their heads the bitter complaint of Nathan, one of the men. A roadside vender administers to their hunger, and the children, refreshed, run ahead promising to keep within calling distance. Nathan, through no fault of his own, becomes involved in an altercation with a passing Roman soldier and when the trouble subsides the children are no where in sight, much to the parents' dismay. The children are next seen alone, lost on the road, with night coming on. Deep despair is upon them until Anna, the eldest, remembers her synagogue teaching and prays, using the Shepherd's Psalm for a prayer. When the frightened youngsters open their eyes it is to see a shepherd near, carrying a wounded lamb. He offers to keep the children overnight at the sheeppote, setting them on the right road in the morning. But in the night the glory of God appears above the field where the flocks of sheep are sleeping, showing new wonders to the shepherds and children. At once the shepherds set out for Bethlehem, taking the children with them. The unfolding beauty as the play continues brings peace and satisfaction to all concerned. The close of the service ends in a consecration of Self, Service and Substance by the Church School to God for His Gift of Love to man.

ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN church—Edgar Hoenecke, pastor. Sunday services, 10:30 a.m. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Ladies Aid, first Wednesday, 2:30 p.m. Mission society, third Wednesday, 2:00 p.m.

Rosedale Gardens
Mr. and Mrs. Frank McFarland of Detroit will be the guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley L. Coon, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Cook will have as their dinner guests Christmas day, H. Ruloff, Mrs. E. Cox and family and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cook of Detroit.

The plays given Friday evening by the 7th and 8th grades, under the direction of their teacher, Edwin Johnson, were well received.

The Presbyterian church will have Christmas eve service beginning at 10:30 o'clock. There

will also be a service in the St. Michael church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Chance, of Windsor, Ontario, were dinner guests Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher.

Dr. Augustus Kirchner of Detroit will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Brand Christmas eve and Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells, of Toledo, Ohio, will also be their guests on Christmas day and remain for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shierk will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore, in Detroit.

The school closed Thursday afternoon for the holidays. The various grades enjoyed Christmas parties during the afternoon.

On Wednesday evening Mrs. Ed Ham entertained her Sunday school class of girls at a Christmas party in her home on Chicago boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Leadbeater will be Christmas day dinner guests of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis G. Palmer, in Palmer Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mack and son and her mother, Mrs. F. B. Tibbals will spend Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shaw, in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Peterhans and Mrs. Rosella Andrews of Detroit, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Morris Christmas eve and attend mass after which breakfast will be served in the Morris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Coon announce the birth of a daughter, Sally Lou, on Saturday, December 4, weight 7 pounds, two ounces.

Hebe Copeland of Muncie, Indiana, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Platt, on Blackburn avenue.

The Cranston and Pembroke group of the Presbyterian Auxiliary were luncheon guests, Wednesday of last week, of Mrs. John Perkins.

Mrs. E. French is in a Detroit hospital quite ill with bronchitis and influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Kelley were hosts to their bridge club Monday evening entertaining Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tingey and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Farrar.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher will have as their guests Christmas eve, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Copeland and son, Frank, of Detroit, and will attend mass after which breakfast will be enjoyed in the Fisher home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. McNeil will entertain at dinner, Christmas day, James Miller, Robert, Marjane and Betty Miller of Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Batt of Mt. Clemens and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Batt of Detroit.

Mrs. H. Platt and family will spend Christmas day with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Mitchell in Sherwood Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Labbe will entertain at their annual family dinner Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morris and family will participate in a progressive dinner, Christmas day as is their usual custom, the other hosts to be Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harkness and Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Peterhans in Detroit, where the first and last courses of the dinner will be served.

Miss Emily Stevens of Dearborn spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. William Howes, of Rosedale Gardens.

Miss Lillian Howes entertained five high school girls at a Christmas party Monday evening at her home on Cranston avenue, Rosedale Gardens. Those present were Marcelene Onelette, Marion James, Edyth Laughman, Winifred Voss, Carolyn Bowser.

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Published at Tonquish Creek, Michigan

There wasn't any BREEZE last week. A BREEZE reader who is in the arrears said he would bring in a cord of wood in payment of his subscription.

Stu Dodge, who seems to be sort of generalissimo of most things going on down in the Creek, has delegated Purity League Stan Corbett to be Santa Claus to the juniors who fill the places of real, he-men at the family table down at the Creek's eating house.

Ye editor asked Constable Matthew Stephens Madison Powell the other day about his clean-up campaign he is going to start just before the spring election. Matt said: "See here young feller, when it's time to talk we'll talk, but it ain't time to talk yet. You should have more Christmas spirit in you right now anyway. The idea of mixing politics up with Yuletide. You want to remember I'm constab' herabout now." That's not all he said, but it is all that's printable.

Harold Finlan who successfully combated the creek flood last

Hundred Forty-Eight and 22/100 Dollars (\$10,348.22) and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Monday, February 21, 1938 at 12 o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time at the southerly or Congress Street entrance to the County Building in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, Michigan...

THIRD INSERTION JOHN J. WALSH, Attorney for Mortgage, 834 Penobscot Building, Detroit, Michigan

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Defaults having been made (and such defaults having continued for more than ninety days) in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Gertrude M. Delaney...

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Wednesday, March 2nd, 1938 at 12 o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time at the southerly or Congress St. entrance...

to the Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage...

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE HARRY A. KRAMER, Attorney for Mortgage, 3500 Barlum Tower, Detroit, Michigan

FIFTH INSERTION

HYMAN A. KRAMER, Attorney for Mortgage, 3500 Barlum Tower, Detroit, Michigan

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Default having been made (and such defaults having continued for more than ninety days) in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by HENRY W. DAMROW and MARTHA HAM-BLOW...

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"Come on! Why don't ya fight?" "On accounta my New Year's Resolution!"

EIGHTH INSERTION

EARL J. DEMEL, Attorney for Mortgage, 2905 Union Guardian Bldg., Detroit, Michigan, Phone: Cadillac 1715

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Defaults having been made (and such defaults having continued for more than ninety days) in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by EMILY M. DOOE of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan...

SEVENTH INSERTION

ARTHUR J. ABBOTT, Attorney for Mortgage, 600 Buhl Building, Detroit, Michigan

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Defaults having been made (and such defaults having continued for more than ninety days) in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by CARL E. GAKSTATER and HELEN GRACIA BERT...

and pursuant to the Statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 24, 1938 at 11:00 o'clock forenoon, Eastern Standard Time at the southerly or Congress Street entrance to the Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, Michigan...

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE HARRY C. MARKLE, Attorney for Mortgage, 1735 Dime Bank Building, Detroit, Michigan

TENTH INSERTION

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SEASON'S GREETINGS Daniel's Sweet Shop "We make our own Ice Cream" DREETINGS May our Season's Greetings blended with those of your friends, brighten the remaining days of this year with joy for the coming year. Diamond Pontiac Motor Sales 1382 S. Main St. Phone 493

Notice of Board of Review Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Review will be held in the Commission Chamber at the City Hall on Wednesday, December 29, 1937 from 9:00 A. M. until 5:00 P. M. at which time the following special assessment rolls will be reviewed: Church Street sidewalk and curb & Gutter (Harvey St. to Main St.) Beech Street water main and 12" storm sewer (Herald St. and westerly boundary of Wm. Eckman Sub.) Maple Avenue sanitary sewer (Fairground Ave. to Virginia Ave.) Joy Street sanitary sewer (Fairground Ave. to Virginia Ave.) Kellogg Street sanitary sewer (Wing St. to Tonquish Creek) Any property owners deeming themselves aggrieved by the assessment will have an opportunity to be heard. Any person dissatisfied with the decision of the Board of Review, may appeal to the City Commission at its next regular meeting after the completion of such review by the Board. William B. Petz, City Assessor Dec. 16 & 23

in the City of TOMORROW... you'll loaf along at 50-... predicts NORMAN BEL GEDDES "If you drive 46 blocks or more in 'the City of Tomorrow,' you'll use Express Shell... Norman Bel Geddes, authority on Future Trends. "One-way Local Street will be made wider by the elevation of sidewalks to second-store level... trucks." - but TODAY round town 4 miles in 5 are Stop and Go TODAY'S stop and go is the costliest kind of driving! Just one stop can waste enough gasoline to drive 1/2 of a mile. While traffic authorities are planning "the City of Tomorrow," Shell engineers have developed a fuel... Super-Shell, to meet today's driving problem. Automotive engineers use the term "motor-digestible" to describe Super-Shell, because at all speeds it is converted so quickly, so completely into power. Your regular use of Super-Shell will save on stop and go. Try a tankful today at our station. SUPER-SHELL Our Wish To You! A Very Merry Christmas! JAMES AUSTIN OIL CO. PLYMOUTH MICHIGAN

Current Earnings of Paid On Savings Certificates 45 Years of Dependability STANDARD SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSN ALICE M. SAPPERS, Local Rep., Plymouth, Michigan

Season's Greetings - - FOR ACTION SEE PLYMOUTH MAIL COMPLETE AGENCY REAL ESTATE INSURANCE BONDS 293 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 658

Season's Greetings - - The People's Watch Dog Vol. 1 No. 13 father to my step-brother. And now just who the heck am I? Members of the Purity League are trying to figure that one out. A shipment of felt boots has arrived for the winter trade. Some of the wood choppers who have been in down at Abie Goldstein's trading post say they are not as thick as they used to be. Maybe there's not as much felt as there used to be. Doc Butz and Doc Champe, the Creek's crusading crusaders, have announced that there's going to be a magic lantern show some night soon. They have got some new illustrated pictures entitled, "Touch Not The Cup" that they will show just before New Years. Speaking of Christmas, ye editor would like to remind some of the BREEZE readers that his wants are many. Please take the hint. It might be interesting to Tonquish Creek residents to know that that outstanding young artist who made the picture for the Tonquish Creek BREEZE heading is on the road to fame. Mr. Robert Wesley just had some of his works published in Life, a ritzy paper that is running in competition with the BREEZE. The pictures he made was in a big advertisement used to promote one of the Creek's infant industries. Of course some one had to pay to get the pictures in, but they was there just the same. Keep your eye on this talented young wizard of pen and brush.

Classified Ads

For Sale

FOR SALE—Two young new milk cows, Arthur Huston, Canton Center road. 11-c

FOR SALE—Electric cutting box, motor and belt; all in good shape. 1635 Plymouth road. 13-11c

FOR SALE—80-acre farm, priced at \$100.00 per acre. 4675 Powell road, 3 miles west of Plymouth. 11-11-c

FOR SALE—Apples, Jonathans, Baldwins, and Rhode Island Greenings at Fred Rocker's, 1 mile south of Plymouth on the Ann Arbor road. 11-p

FOR SALE—Specials for Christmas. Canaries, guaranteed singers and hen birds. Select one now and I will hold until Christmas. 1520 Canton Center road. 13-13-p

FOR SALE—Pianos, apartment uprights, grands and consoles, prices very low and easy terms. Also used pianos at any price to suit your budget. Come in and see them. Phone 9963. Carrie M. Chadwick, 25 South Grove street, Ypsilanti, Michigan. 13-13-c

FOR SALE—Turkeys, geese, ducks and chickens, dressed or alive. Bert Kahrl, 34918 Plymouth road, first house west of Wayne road. Phone 7142F5. 11-c

FOR SALE—We have an especially nice selection of Christmas trees, all sizes and reasonably priced. Bert Kahrl, 34918 Plymouth road, first house west of Wayne road. Phone 7142F5. 11-c

For Rent

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house, large lot. Phone 22, 280 South Main street. 11-p

FOR RENT—Three light house-keeping rooms, furnished. 191 E. Ann Arbor Trail. 11-p

FOR RENT—5-room cottage furnished; stove heat. 1635 Plymouth road. 13-11-c

FOR RENT—2 rooms, furnished for light housekeeping. Adults only. 1626 South Main street. Phone 166. 11-p

FOR RENT—Fine six rooms and bath; hardwood floors and finish, hot air heat. \$35.00 per month. Giles Real Estate. 11-c

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment for two adults. 675 South Main street. 11-c

FOR RENT—Lower 5-room flat, also 2-room furnished apartment. Inquire at 461 Jener Place. 11-p

Wanted

WANTED—To wish everybody a Merry Christmas. John Straub. 11-c

WANTED—6-room house or larger on west side of Plymouth; call Farmington 444F4 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. 11-p

WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms, suitable for light house-keeping. Write Box 25, c/o The Plymouth Mail. 11-c

WANTED—To buy 60 or 80 acre farm within 30 miles of Detroit city hall. Pay \$3000 cash down. Theodore Graether, P.O. box 91, Detroit, Michigan. 14-21-p

WANTED—Floor sanding and filling floors. Old floors made to look like new. Quick service, reasonable. Estimates free. Call Otto Kipper, phone 7121F4 or see me at 38450 Five Mile road, near Newburg road. 131f-c

WANTED—Young men for dairy business, age 21 to 28, selling experience preferred, willing to move to Ann Arbor, Michigan. Apply by letter, giving full information. Address Box 77 c/o The Plymouth Mail. 14-12-c

Lost

LOST—Somewhere in the vicinity of Harvey and Ann street, a plaid wool automobile robe, also a quilt. Please return to Mr. Elliott at city hall. 11-c

Miscellaneous

ATTENTION
Wanted. Good clean used furniture. Pay cash or exchange. Auction sale last Tuesday each month. Private sales anytime. Harry C. Robinson, auctioneer. Terms cash. 857 Penniman Ave. Phone 293-W. Jan. 1 '38

HARDTIME DANCE
At Jewell & Blach hall at Plymouth, New Year's eve, December 31, between Farmers' Union. Prizes for the best hardtime costume; noisemakers for all. 1512p

PIANO TUNING
Piano tuning, regulating and repairing. C. E. Stevens, 240 North Harvey street, Plymouth. Phone 623-W. All work guaranteed. 12-41-c

FEED GRINDING
You can get your feed ground any day. Free estimates. Canton Center Feed Mill, 1732 Joy road, Glen Penny. 10-18-p

PUBLIC DUMP
To reclaim the low land east of Newburg lake, between Ann Arbor and Newburg road. See J. F. Rousseau, Newburg. 11-c

REWARD DEAD or ALIVE!
Farm animals collected promptly. Sunday service. Highest prices paid always! Phone COLLECT to Ann Arbor 2-2244. Central Dead Stock Company. 121f-c

MY NEXT AUCTION SALE WILL BE HELD TUES., JAN. 25, 857 Penniman avenue, Plymouth, Michigan. Private sales any time. Store loaded. Harry C. Robinson, auctioneer. 11-c

BICYCLES, VELOCIPEDES, ACCESSORIES. Complete stock of all sizes and colors. Also re-built balloon tired bicycles. C.C.M. Ice skates. Open evenings until 8:00. Reliable Bicycle Shop, 21532 Grand River, Redford. 12-14-p

BROILER CHICKS
Make bigger profits now as feed is much lower and broilers higher. Order Moore's Better Bred Chicks for quickest growth. Moore Hatcherles, 41733 Michigan avenue, Phone 421J, Wayne, Mich. 9-11-c

SIX MEN
For large manufacturer starting new type of work in Plymouth, Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor. For interview call at Mayflower hotel, Room 226 Monday, December 27, 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. Ask for Bernus Page. 11-c

MEMORIALS
By Joseph L. Arnet & Son, Ann Arbor, Michigan, established 1904. Michigan's largest manufacturers of World's best Granite and Marble. Visit our plant and showroom. Free transportation. No obligation. Ben R. Gilbert, 959 Penniman avenue, Plymouth. 25-11-c

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Highest Market Obtainable. Trappers and Hunters, don't fool your furs away by shipping or carting them all over, when Oliver Dix and Son of Salem, Michigan, for 30 years have bought of most all the dealers within 50 miles of you and paid home trapper same prices as outside dealers. Bring your furs or hides any morning or evening, before 10:30 o'clock. Plymouth phone 712E2 for call at your house. Muskrat meat bought with sale of skins where cleanly handled. Also will pay top price for fresh muskrats not skinned no deduction. 13-13p

SPECIAL HOLIDAY ICE CREAM
Place your order now—Cranberry salad brick; plum pudding brick. 45c per quart. Plum pudding with cherry bell center, 50c quart. Vanilla ice roll, 50c quart. Call Jand Dairy, 506 South Main St. An independent organization. 14-12-c

FUR WANTED
Will pay highest market price. Phone or write us before you sell. Vreeland Fur Co. Walled Lake, Michigan. Phone 44-F2.

DANCING SCHOOL—Dancing, taught by appointment by the Dancing Balleys, formerly on the stage and exhibiting for the leading ballrooms of the country. Teachers of fancy, ballroom and tap dancing. It will be worth your while to give us an interview. Located at 132 Randolph street, Northville. Phone 35-J. 11-c

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors, Rev. North for his comforting words, Mr. Schmidt and everyone who assisted us in any way during the illness and death of our grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Cunningham. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gloss Grandchildren and great grandchildren.

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our dear mother who passed away nine years ago, December 21, 1928. Loving and kind in all her ways. Upright and just to the end of her days. Sincere and true in her heart and mind. A beautiful memory she has left behind. Her loving children and grandchildren.

IN MEMORIAM
In memory of Clarence E. Heller, December 23, 1934. My Lord He is a weaver. The web, it is my life. The pattern would be perfect. But for my foolish strife.

I break the threads He weaveth
And spoil His good design,
Because my will so stubborn
Refuses to resign.

Forgive me, faithful Weaver,
Tis I who break—not mine.
Accept this life now yielding
And weave the web as Thine.
Ben F. Heller and family.

SALEM FEDERATED CHURCH.
C. M. Pennell, pastor. On Sunday morning, December 26, our pastor will speak on the subject: "The Day After Christmas". Bible school, 11:45 a.m. "Christian Consecration", Philippians 1: 12-26. Memory verse: "For me to live is Christ, and to die is gain.", Philippians 1: 21. The singing of Christmas carols will be a feature of the Sunday evening hymn-sing at 7:30 o'clock. Our Christmas program will be given on Christmas eve at 8:00 o'clock. You are welcome.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL church.
—Harvey and Maple avenue. Sunday after Christmas, Morning prayer and sermon at 10:00 a.m., and church school at 11:15.

Scouts News

The various editors of these notes have been busy lately and therefore no writeups have appeared. You can check this matter for yourselves. Have any of you been able to even find this column lately? A number of the should-be editors are way behind in their contributions. Don't they know, that at school, when a composition isn't handed in, the fellow gets 0?

There are several things that should be brought to the attention of the district. These should be of interest to you, and also to YOU, so if you will continue on down this column, reading as you go, you will find out what they are.

P-4 has a new meeting place. On Tuesday evenings now this Troop meets at the city hall instead of at the Legion hall at Newburg.

A new troop is being formed at the Elm school on the Middle Belt road between Plymouth road

Like the candles
That gleam in your window
Like the holly
That brightens your door
Comes a wish that
This Christmas may bring you
More gladness
Than ever before
Dr. & Mrs. E. A. Rice
and Verna Jean
extend best wishes for a
Happy Holiday Season
to their new found
friends

and the Pere Marquette. The P.T.A. of the school will be the sponsor, and one of the teachers, Mr. Wilcox, will be scoutmaster.

A new Cub Pack is being organized at Northville under the sponsorship of the Rotary club there. A. C. Carlson is to be the Cubmaster.

It is interesting to note that all of our existing Scout Troops of the Plymouth district are at least five years old, the youngest being N-4, organized April 22, 1932, and the oldest being N-1, started April 1, 1917. The Commissioner has just completed the pleasant job of presenting the appropriate Veteran Emblems for the troop flags of the six troops which have reached another veteran rank since he took office. The other three will be due for theirs shortly.

The next district event is labeled on the program as a "Demonstration". It will be held Thursday evening, January 13, at the Training school. The program will be different from any developed before in this district and will prove too interesting for any scout, scouter, parent or friend to miss.

After that comes Anniversary Week. We hope that each troop will find a window and fill it with exhibits for that week. On Sunday, February 6, we will go to church together as is our custom in this district. And on Thursday, February 10, the next Court of Honor will be held at the Northville high school.

The four Plymouth Troops are working with and for the Community Christmas committee. This is our Christmas good turn and we hope that we will be asked again to join other civic activities, for it is fine training in community spirit.

School Plans For Holiday Season

The presentation of the three-act operetta, "The Legend of the Snow Man," at the Wayne County Training school, at Northville, Sunday, December 19, marked the beginning of Christmas activities and programs at the school. This entertainment which is the high mark of the Christmas celebration in the two weeks that follow, was presented especially for the families of the children and other friends of the school. Close to 1200 visitors were in attendance at this performance.

Three hundred twenty-eight children of the total 700 in the school will take some part in the various productions during the Christmas season. The costumes, stage settings, and in some cases, the back drop, are actually constructed by the children so that all the projects are a product of the entire school.

The operetta Sunday was held in the auditorium at 2:00 o'clock. "The Nativity Story," a Christmas pageant, with a cast of 16 principal characters and a chorus of 100 voices, was presented following the operetta.

Monday, December 20, a program of competitive games was planned after which the Harmonica club entertained. A song-slide show followed.

Wednesday, December 22, the operetta was repeated and another operetta, "The Kidnapping of Santa Claus," with 75 characters and a chorus of 70 voices, was presented at 2:00 o'clock for the children of the school and their specially invited juvenile guests.

Motion pictures and games are planned for the children for Thursday, and Friday, December

24, recreational activities and the singing of Christmas carols for each cottage on the grounds will fill the day's program.

On Christmas day, a big dinner will be served at noon, and gifts for each child will be distributed in the cottages where Christmas trees will have been previously placed.

Following the usual Sunday morning religious service, "The Nativity Story" will be repeated for the pleasure of the children only, and on Monday the drama club will present "The Christmas Gimme", for the day school children. The same performance will be given in the evening for older students and the members of the staff.

A program of health education for girls is planned for Tuesday evening in the gymnasium, and on Wednesday evening, December 29, Camp Fire Girls and the Boy Scouts will entertain the group. Motion pictures are again planned for the following Thursday.

The last of the Christmas activities will be concluded with the presentation of "Jack and the Beanstalk" by the Puppet club on Friday evening, December 31.

Legion Has New Year's Dance

The American Legion will give a New Year's Eve dance at the Legion hall Friday evening, beginning at 9:00 o'clock. A nine-piece orchestra from Detroit will play for the occasion, and chicken sandwiches, punch, and noisemakers will be given each guest. The public is invited.

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Our Wish to All is, However,
A Very Merry Christmas
We appreciate your patronage and we do hope that you will not overlook the importance of photographs in every home, this coming new year. Sincerely,

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May you have a very Merry Christmas

MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Our enlarged and remodeled grocery department is filled to overflowing with many bargains and excellent varieties for your Christmas and Sunday needs.

Again Merry Christmas to you and YOURS!
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