

"THE MAYFLOWER" NAME OF PLYMOUTH'S NEW HOTEL

New Board of Directors Met Monday Evening and Elected Officers and Chose Name for New Community Hotel.

C. H. Bennett Elected President of Board of Directors--Work on New Building Will Commence as Early as Possible

The first meeting of the board of directors of Plymouth's new community hotel, who were elected recently at a stockholders' meeting held at the High school building, was held at Schrader Bros. store, Monday evening, December 6th.

NORTHVILLE ROTARIANS HERE

The Northville Rotary Club were guests of the local Rotary club at their noon-day luncheon last Friday. The visiting club furnished the program, and it was a most pleasant occasion for both clubs.

TRAIN HITS AUTO AT MAIN STREET CROSSING

About 8:45 o'clock last Saturday evening, an automobile driven by Clair Travis was wrecked when it was struck by a Pere Marquette train at the Main street crossing in this village.

Besides the driver of the car, there were three other passengers in the automobile. Clair Travis was rendered unconscious for a short time, and received a slight cut on the head.

After the injured had received surgical attention, they were taken to their homes.

LOCAL CHEVROLET MEN WILL EAT TURKEY

Ernest J. Allison, local agent for the Chevrolet motor cars, and his salesmen will sit on the turkey side of the banquet table at a banquet to be served this month by the Chevrolet Motor Car Co., because Mr. Allison and his men were winners in the turkey-bean contest which was announced in this paper several weeks ago.

DECEMBER MEETING LEAGUE WOMEN VOTERS

The December meeting of the Plymouth League of Women Voters will be held Monday afternoon, December 13, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Coello Hamilton, 311 Hamilton street.

The Living Costs Lectures at the Women's City Club, Detroit, Nov. 8, 15, 22 and 29

The State Convention of the Michigan League of Women Voters at Saginaw.

Many new questions will be presented in these discussions, and many old problems will be considered in respect to the program of the League for the new year of 1927.

All members are urged to come and help us realize the motto of the League of Women Voters, "Education for Citizenship."

PLYMOUTH ROCK LODGE MASONS ELECT OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Plymouth Rock Lodge No. 47, F. & A. M., took place at the Masonic Temple last Friday evening, when there was a large attendance.

The board will proceed at once to get architects' plans for the new building, work upon which will be commenced as early as possible.

A CORRECTION

In last week's paper, we stated that the A-1 Grocery, located in the Trupis block in north village, would move to the Woodworth block on Main street.

THE FAVORITE WINTER SPORT

By A. B. CHAPIN



NEW HIGH SCHOOL SOCIETY ORGANIZED

Last Monday evening the members of the Plymouth chapter of the National Forensic League held their first initiation banquet at the Michigan Union in Ann Arbor.

This organization is a national honorary public speaking society for secondary schools. The Plymouth chapter, which is Chapter 106, was organized last spring with the following charter members: Julia Wilcox, Katharine Wilcox, Julia Learned, Dorothy Hillman, Mac Donnelly, Franklin Atkinson, Josephine Schmidt and Mrs. Ruth E. Huston-Whipple.

To become a member, a student must stand in the upper two thirds of his classes in scholarship, and must have earned ten points by participating in debate, extemporaneous speaking, oratorical or declamation contests. The purpose of the organization is to promote interest in public speaking activities and to honor those who have won distinction in this field.

In October, the Plymouth chapter of the National Forensic League sponsored an extemporaneous speaking contest, the winners of which were Leona Beyer for the girls, and Elton Ashton for the boys.

Monday evening, November 22, the chapter entertained eight initiates at dinner at the Michigan Union. Their names will be announced later, when their memberships have been completely accepted.

The Plymouth chapter is one of three chapters in Michigan.

ONE MAIL DELIVERY CHRISTMAS MORNING

POSTMASTER GENERAL DIRECTOR'S OFFICE BE OPEN; NO RURAL DELIVERY.

The post office will remain open until 12:00 o'clock noon on Christmas day. There will be one delivery by city carriers but none on rural routes.

This is in keeping with the order issued by Postmaster General New that there shall be at least one complete delivery in the forenoon on Christmas day.

Last year, for the first time in history, postal employees were given all of Christmas day. This year Christmas comes on Saturday and if the post office were closed both Saturday and Sunday the congestion of mail would be too great to be handled.

WAYNE COUNTY VALUATION RAISED TWO MILLIONS

State and county taxes amounting to \$19,940,628.76 must be paid by the residents of Wayne county this year, according to Godfrey Frievald, treasurer. The taxes are due December 1. While the county valuation has mounted \$2,000,000 over last year, the tax rate is lower. This year it is \$4.73% per \$1,000 valuation, while last year the rate was \$5.01.

ABOUT CHRISTMAS MAILING

The mailing public is urged to follow the usual instructions in mailing Christmas parcels. The postoffice department has been repeating these instructions until it is weary of the effort, and this year it is doing it again, but with a touch of sentiment. It says:

"Christmas mail is fraught with sentiment value. To give its full measure of happiness and cheer it should be carefully prepared and reach the address in time to be in keeping with the purpose for which it is intended. To this end the cooperation of the mailer is necessary to care for the heavy mail during the approaching holidays."

Postage on all mail should be duly prepaid, the bulletin states. Valuable parcels should be insured. Christmas seals should not be placed on the address side of parcels. Parcels may not exceed 84 inches in length and girth, nor should they weigh more than 70 pounds, if for delivery within the first, second or third zone, and 50 pounds in any other zone.

Place sender's address in upper left hand corner, the instructions say. Tags should not be used unless necessary. Pack articles carefully and in durable containers. Sealed parcels are subject to postage at letter rate. Parcels may be marked "Do not open until Christmas." Written greetings such as "Merry Christmas" or "Happy New Year" may be enclosed with parcel post. Do not include letter.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKET BALL TEAM'S WINTER SCHEDULE

The Local Basketeers Will Compete With Wayne, Dearborn, Ypsilanti, Northville and Farmington in Suburban League.

The following is the basket ball schedule for the Plymouth High school basket ball team for the coming winter season. Coach Page expects to have an exceptionally good team this year, and Plymouth stands a good chance for a high place among the several contestants for the league championship.

January 7 Northville at Plymouth; Ypsilanti at Farmington; Wayne at Dearborn.

January 11 Plymouth at Wayne; Dearborn at Ypsilanti; Farmington at Northville.

January 21 Plymouth at Dearborn; Northville at Ypsilanti; Wayne at Dearborn.

January 28 Farmington at Plymouth; Dearborn at Northville; Ypsilanti at Wayne.

February 4 Plymouth at Ypsilanti; Northville at Wayne; Farmington at Dearborn.

February 11 Plymouth at Northville; Dearborn at Wayne; Farmington at Ypsilanti.

February 18 Wayne at Plymouth; Ypsilanti at Dearborn; Northville at Farmington.

February 25 Ypsilanti at Northville; Dearborn at Plymouth; Farmington at Wayne.

March 4 Plymouth at Farmington; Wayne at Ypsilanti; Northville at Dearborn.

March 11 Ypsilanti at Plymouth; Wayne at Northville; Dearborn at Farmington.

PLYMOUTH HIGH WILL DEBATE ROYAL OAK

Plymouth's second State League debate of this season takes place this Friday afternoon, December 10, at 2:00 o'clock. The debate will be at Royal Oak High school, Royal Oak, so we expect a stiff battle. The question is Resolved, that the United States government should own the coal mines.

The Plymouth team consists of William Murphy, Franklin Atkinson and Josephine Schmidt, with Leona Beyer, as alternate.

Last Friday afternoon, the Plymouth debating squad motored to River Rouge for a practice debate there, and Tuesday afternoon, December 7th, they had another practice debate with Dearborn.

On this same date, December 10, 230 high schools of the state (all members of the Michigan High School Debating League) will meet in 115 debates in which 600 high school pupils will participate. The subject of all these debates will be "Resolved, That the United States Government Should Own the Coal Mines."

These debates on December 10 will be the second of the four preliminary debates sponsored by the Michigan High School Debating League. The remaining two preliminary debates will be held on the following dates: Third, January 14, 1927; fourth, February 11, 1927.

After the 230 high schools have participated in these four preliminary debates the schools with the highest records will enter the elimination series of debates. These elimination series will, by successive debates, eliminate all schools except two which will come to Ann Arbor for the final state championship debate in May.

Reports just received from the first preliminary debates held on November 19 in which the 230 high schools participated indicate an almost even break between affirmative and negative victories throughout the state.

These reports also indicate a greater interest in debating than ever before as the first preliminary debates were attended by more than 25,000 people of the state.

The Michigan High School Debating League was organized by the board of regents of the University of Michigan in 1917, and this year begins its tenth year of activity.

The Michigan High School Debating League is the largest organization of its kind in the United States.

Do your Christmas shopping in Plymouth.

KIWANIS CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS TUESDAY

DETROIT BUSINESS UNIVERSITY HEAD TALKS TO THE PLYMOUTH KIWANIANS.

The program committee, numbering Charles Finlan and Julius Kaiser, furnished a delightful after lunch program last Tuesday noon. In procuring as guest speaker, Arthur S. Tull, of Detroit, who is at the helm of the Detroit Business University, Kiwanian Julius Kaiser was a former pupil of Mr. Tull, and Julius' introduction of the speaker was commended upon by Mr. Tull as the best he had been privileged to receive by any of his former pupils. (We knew you could do it, Julius!)

Mr. Tull spoke from the word "Service," and for the half hour allotted him, he held the strictest attention of his listeners. His talk was especially instructive as he threw an algebraic equation on a mental blackboard, proving that Service equals Quality, Quantity and Conduct. Conduct was further subdivided into Character and Habit.

"These qualities weave themselves into and make service. You show me a man giving service, built out of quality, quantity and conduct, and I will show you a winner," were his parting words to the Plymouth Kiwanians.

The election of officers was then held and resulted as follows:

President—Freeman B. Hoyer
Vice President—Robert Jolliffe
Trustees—J. Lawrence Johnson
Treasurer—Ernest J. Allison
Directors—William J. Burrows, Norman W. Cummins, Stewart M. Dodge, John B. Hubert, John M. Larkins, Paul Nutting and Dr. Luther Peck.

TWO DENTAL OFFICES ROBBED OF GOLD

The dental offices of Dr. B. E. Champe and Dr. F. B. Hoyer were broken into last Saturday night or early Sunday morning and several hundred dollars' worth of gold stolen. The locks on the doors of both offices were picked and entrance gained in that manner. In Dr. Champe's office gold to the amount of about \$250 was secured, and at Dr. Hoyer's about \$200 worth was taken. Nothing else in either place was molested, and the robberies were evidently committed by professionals.

COMMUNITY FUND CAMPAIGN IS NOW ON

The annual community fund campaign was inaugurated last Monday, when the solicitation of subscriptions for this fund was got under way by members of the Chamber of Commerce, under whose auspices the campaign is being conducted.

The need of a fund of this kind is very apparent, and it is hoped that there will be a generous response by our citizens, when a member of the soliciting committee calls for your contribution.

As was stated in the Mail last week, all of the money raised this year will be used for local charitable purposes only.

The fund is handled by a committee appointed for this purpose, and the same committee who have done such splendid work during the past two years will have charge of the fund again this year. Last year a total of \$773.30 was raised in Plymouth and it is hoped the community chest fund will reach the \$1,000 mark this year. Every citizen is urged to get behind this worthy movement and do his bit.

Do your Christmas shopping early. Miss Frances Shanks, of Redford, was a guest of Miss Mae Hallahan last week-end. Miss Shanks was a former teacher in the Plymouth schools.



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SCATTERED FAMILIES.

At a funeral not long ago we heard the preacher read a brief history of the deceased, who had been one of a large family, and had a number of children of his own. As we heard the list of surviving relatives it was amazing to note how they were scattered. Many states were represented in the list. And it seems to be the case with a good many families around Plymouth.

The children of every generation move to and fro over the face of the earth, settling down far from the native hearthstone. It is as if we inherited some instinct from the ancient days of the Tower of Babel and the confusion of tongues. At any rate it makes for broadmindedness and a brotherhood between the states. If all the Smiths remained at Smithville and all the Jones stayed in Jonesboro our country wouldn't be nearly as great as it is—and not so prosperous.

MAKING IT EASY.

It's still a fact that Christmas comes but once a year. Maybe that is why it's so hard to think of something suitable to give. The job of picking gifts to suit everybody is a difficult one. But everybody wants to know what is going on back in the old home town. For that reason it is easy to pick a gift, and a sensible one, for a relative living in some distant locality. We suggest a year's subscription to the Plymouth Mail. We will start the paper to any address you furnish, and send along a card telling them that through your thoughtfulness they are going to get it every week during 1927. Then every week as they receive it and read it they will thank you—it will be like giving them a new gift every week. Can you think of anything for so little money that will bring as much joy? Come in or send in and arrange for the most appropriate gift you can make anyone who formerly lived in this section.

IT'S DIFFERENT NOW.

In every town and city in the United States the tendency to change the old custom of waiting until the day before Christmas to buy presents is growing stronger each year. People have come to see the disadvantage of putting off until the last minute the things they can do—and do better—several weeks ahead. They are making out their lists of gifts, and when the stores are not crowded, with people pawing over the stocks as they used to do in the last minute rush, they make their selections and their purchases leisurely and comfortably and profitably.

We are glad to note the change is taking effect in Plymouth and also that our merchants do not confine their holiday selling to one or two days before Christmas. The system generally in use whereby one can on a small down payment have a gift laid aside until it is called for, is fine for both the customer and the merchant. It means just that many less customers to wait on in the days when he needs his energy. It also means a solution of the "what to give" problem, and affords the early buyer more time in which to enjoy Christmas.

Waiting until the last minute to get ready for the holidays, and to get the things you know you will want, is not the best of judgment. Everyone who has tried buying early is glad they did so. They do not want to return to the last minute rush and worry, trying to do everything in a few hours, and being too tired when the big day comes to enjoy it. Join in the nation's new custom now—help both yourself and your merchants by buying your Christmas things early.

HOUSEHOLD ACCIDENTS.

Much has been said, even though little has been done, about the loss of life that has occurred since the auto came into general use. But little has been said and nothing has been done about the 17,000 deaths and the thousands of accidents that develop in American homes every year.

These accidents come about from a variety of causes. The largest single item in the list is burns. Falls and poisonings by gas come next. More than a third of these accidents in the home occur among children under 15 years of age, and a little more than one-fourth are found at the age range above 65. The time is here for a closer study of accidents in the home, and every family around Plymouth should devote attention to the subject, and possibly thereby save some distressing fatalities in this community. A weak porch railing, a dilapidated grate and a score of other death and danger traps lurk around and about the home that is not made accident-proof as far as possible. Removal or repair of these things, or even ordinary common sense protection, would prevent many deaths and accidents.

It is a good idea to be careful of automobiles; but in doing so do not overlook the fact that danger lurks inside the home as well as out, and that it does not pay to neglect anything that may be the means of causing broken bones or possible death to a member of the family.

PLYMOUTH IN THE GRIP OF WINTER.

Winter of the real old fashioned kind crippled Plymouth over the week-end, and was unlike anything in recent years, at least for early December. If real winter is desired for the holiday trade, the weather for the past few days should be a record breaker. Saturday night the thermometer was around the zero mark, and Sunday morning Plymouthites awoke to find a big fall of snow covering the ground. Drifts several feet in depth were formed in many places, and travel over the highways Sunday was at a minimum. Tuesday about noon, it began to rain, freezing as fast as it fell, making walks and roads slippery and extremely dangerous traveling for persons and vehicles.

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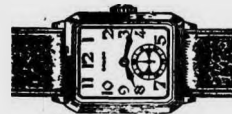
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ODD FELLOWS NOTES

Touquish lodge No. 32, I. O. O. F., will visit Fraternal Lodge, Detroit, Monday evening, December 13, to confer the second degree. All brothers wishing to attend, please meet at the temple at 6:30 p. m.
A dancing party will be given by the entertainment committee, Touquish Lodge, Friday evening, December 17th, at I. O. O. F. temple, Plymouth. Music will be furnished by Green's novelty orchestra. Old and new dances. A good time for everybody. Admission, 75c; ladies free.

STARK

Mrs. Fred Slater of Detroit, spent the week-end with Mrs. Emil Larden, Mrs. H. Kingsley of Wayne, and her daughter of Wyandotte, spent Friday evening with Mrs. Wm. Johnson.
Aris Marie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rosby McKinney, has been very ill with pneumonia, and is under the doctor's care at this writing.
Born, Nov. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. John Helke, a daughter, Anna Mae, weight 9½ pounds.
Flossie Fisher of Robinson Subdivision spent last Monday with Mrs. Rosby McKinney.
Phyllis Kahri is suffering from a nervous breakdown. We are all hoping for a speedy recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. John Helke have moved from the Streh house on the Ann Arbor road, to a house on the Wayne road.

SOUTH SALEM

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scholesstein and children of Denton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Walker Sunday, for dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Blunk, Jr., and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Blunk, Sr., gave Mrs. Ira Walker a surprise, Friday evening.
Mrs. Gust Eschels is home, greatly improved in health.
The Jarvis P. T. A. will meet this Friday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. George Weed, Mrs. Zalia Larkins will speak. Oysters will be served.
Rev. Halliday was a caller at the Jarvis school, Monday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. VanBonn and children were Sunday guests of Harry Wolf from at Redford.
Henry Manecke and Vincent LaMarr were at Otto Bohling's, Sunday, for dinner.
The Helping Teacher, Miss Huston, visited Jarvis school, Monday.

Warden church bazaar was well attended last Wednesday. Many quilts and rag rugs were on sale.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Berg and Leo VanBonn were dinner guests of John Dolecek and family Sunday. Afternoon callers were Mrs. Norvaski and daughter, Hattie, and Joseph Gadey.
Mr. and Mrs. John Dolecek and Albert and Lillian were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kordeck in Detroit, last week-end.
Mrs. John Dolecek has gone to Indianapolis, to visit her father and friends of her former home.
Mr. and Mrs. John VanBonn were given a complete surprise by their children, last Saturday evening. About 65 guests were present. Dancing and cards were enjoyed.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith entertained company from Detroit, last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bohling spent Tuesday in Detroit.
The Farmers Club met with Mr. and

WHITBECK'S CORNERS

George Miller has been quite sick, but is better at this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Sheldon, were calling on their sister, Mrs. Parrish, last week Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Rengert and daughter spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents at Frain's Lake.
Visitors at the home of Mrs. A. Parrish, Sunday, were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanchett of Perrinsville, and her son, J. Frank Parrish.
The Helping Hand Society held a very successful meeting last week, at the home of Mrs. Pettibone and Mrs. Hix on Ford road. There was quite a lot of business done, after which came election of officers for the coming year. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Emma Reiman; vice president, Mrs. Blanche Collins; Secretary, Mrs. Walter Schiffe; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Hanchett; chaplain, Mrs. Emma Stelnhauer. After the election of officers, they adjourned, to meet the first Wednesday in January, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanchett for dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kaiser and two sons were calling on Mrs. Kaiser's mother, Monday, C. A. Parrish was also a caller there.
Mr. and Mrs. Rengert and daughter, Jewell, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Quartel.
Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. Miles Craig of Sheldon, and Mrs. Fred Prieskorn and son, Jack, of Ypsilanti, were guests, Tuesday, of Mrs. Agnes Parrish.

ELM

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sherwood of Wayne, entertained the following guests at dinner last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith and son, Gordon, of Dearborn; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith and son, Richard, Jr., of Elm; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce M. Burtch, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Kingsley and son, Gerald, of Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gandy and Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Lucas and son, Clarence, of Detroit. It was a most enjoyable day for all present, and all declared Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood to be royal entertainers.

ELM SCHOOL NOTES

The boys and girls of Elm school entertained their parents and school patrons, Friday evening, December 3, with a humorous program. A collection was taken, the amount received being \$28.97. The teachers will use this money for a tree and treat for the 110 children enrolled in the schools.
The following program was given:
Piano Duet—Doris Haines, George Steiner
Dr. Paddy-Whack—Mrs. Lee's room
Flea Powder—Mrs. Appleton's room
Mother's Cradle song: Visiting Day, song; The Three Bears, story; "Hub," recitation—Miss Thurman's room.
The Morris Dance, piano—Helen Wolfgram
Shut The Door, skit—Mrs. Appleton's room
Topsy-Turvy—Mrs. Lee's room
Taking the Census, skit—Mrs. Appleton's room

Dancing was enjoyed after the program.
The Wayne County nurse and Dr. Bernard finished the toxin-antitoxin treatment at Elm school, twenty-seven pupils received treatment.
Two new pupils were received this week at Elm, Henry Grimm and Mabel Grimm, coming from Beech. One of our most highly respected pupils left us, Elmore Wilson has moved to Detroit.
The Elm Parent-Teacher association will meet this Friday evening, December 10th. Miss Hutzel of Lansing, a most interesting worker for child welfare, will be the speaker of the evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

Harley Beck hitched old Dobbin to the sleigh, Sunday, and gave his two nephews a jolly ride. He put on the sleigh bells, and they had a fine time.
Miss Mildred Beck spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beck of Middle Belt road.

Sorghum

One happy remembrance comes to mind in these days when it is announced that there will be plenty of the old-time molasses. In the old days when the young folk ate sorghum molasses, corn bread and sometimes a varied assortment of gravies there were no hearty partisans needed. Both boys and girls established a reputation for having a certain type of beauty and that reputation has never been lost. It is only the young folk who did not eat sorghum and corn bread who now need the assistance of the specialists in beauty culture. Everybody should have a chance to eat a saucer full of good old sorghum molasses, with corn bread and perhaps a little cream, and thus will come not only realization how the boys and girls of a former generation lived, but also what made them so healthy and beautiful.—Nashville Ledger.

Century of Aluminum

One of the most useful of mineral elements is aluminum. It was discovered a century ago by a young chemist, Frederick Wohler, in his laboratory at Gottingen, Germany. Many chemists before him had attempted to extract the mineral from Mother Earth, but without success, says the Pathfinder Magazine.
Aluminum is used in a great many ways. Auto pistons and other parts are made of it, so are kitchen utensils, vacuum cleaners, washing machines, airplanes, screws and other hardware, containers for tooth paste and other dental and medical preparations. Cars, light fixtures, paint, explosives, paper, radio condensers, motor-boat parts, jewelry and many other miscellaneous articles are made wholly or partly of aluminum.

Howl From Oyster Lover

Our Cos Cob correspondent recently visited New York and made the deplorable discovery that the retail price of an oyster stew has risen to 60 cents! It was 50 cents when he last visited the metropolis, in September, 1925. Further, he avers: "For half a century the standard price of an oyster stew was 25 cents, with a dozen oysters in the bowl. Now there are but eight. Moreover, the savor of the stew has departed. There is no oyster flavor discernible, and the mess is perked up with paprika and Worcestershire. Out upon such artificialities! Bring back the liquor of the bivalve and let me taste it once more before it die."—The Outlook.



Have Money at Christmastime

What a grand and glorious feeling!

Decide upon the amount you wish to have next Christmas, and select the club in table below, which will bring you that amount. Then bring in your first deposit—that enrolls you in our club. Very simple, isn't it?

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1c Club pays	\$12.75	25c Club pays	\$12.50
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5c Club pays	\$63.75	\$1.00 Club pays	\$50.00
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Everybody invited to join—Everybody welcome.

4 Per Cent Paid on Christmas Club Accounts

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SALEM

The ladies of Mrs. Irving Johnson's class in Home Economics met at the home of Mrs. B. Atchison, Thursday, December 2nd. After one of their usual peerless dinners, (Mr. Olsen ought to attend one and see for himself what excellent cooks our class is composed of), the ladies assembled for the lesson. It was a most interesting lesson on the dining room; its

purpose, furnishings, decorations, and very valuable points in selecting the tables, chairs, rugs, linen, silver and china. The lesson closed with the discussion of the proper method of removing stains from table linen. After a social hour, we adjourned to meet with Mrs. Frank Whittaker in February.

Mrs. C. Payne and Mrs. C. Mankin were Ann Arbor shoppers, Saturday. Mrs. John Herrick and son, Donald,

were Plymouth visitors, Sunday. Harold Foreman of Detroit, called on his parents, Thursday.

A birthday dinner was served Monday evening of last week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Payne, in honor of C. W. Lewis and C. Payne. Sixteen guests were present.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Federated church will hold their annual bazaar this week Saturday, December 11th, for dinner, in the church parlors.

Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Carrie Herrick of South Lyon, spent Saturday at the home of her son, John and family.

Word was received Friday, of the death of Mrs. John Nollar, who passed away Friday morning at Altadena, California, after a long illness. She was well known in this community, and leaves a large circle of relatives and friends. The funeral was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Irene

Ford of Dearborn, this week Thursday, Rev. Hurliday officiating. Burial in Walker cemetery.

Mrs. Laura Smith is spending a few days this week in Dearborn, with Mrs. Irene Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Diekle of near New Hudson, and Mr. and Mrs. James Diekle were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nollar and Mrs. Wm. Dappritch of Ferndale; F.

Nollar of near Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Frank Ryder were Saturday callers of Mrs. Mary Duke at the G. Foreman home.

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Our merchants are offering some very good suggestions for the Christmas shoppers. Read their ads in the Mail.

The POOR-RICH MAN'S CHRISTMAS

EDITH HOLLICK OLIVER



PEOPLE who call on the inmates of furnished rooms either wait in the hall while the footstep that brought the means of ingress upstairs and become responsible for knocks somewhere in the darkness, or go downstairs into oblivion, leaving the caller to a personally conducted tour of exploration for the discovery of "two flights up;—th door."

The top floor at Mrs. Cawthorn's was an exception to furnished room rules, for two of the doors stood wide open all day. The one in front, facing north, disclosed a tiny, desolate room containing a narrow iron bed, a chair, a bureau furnished with meager toilet fittings, a trunk, and a corner curtained off for a wardrobe.

The door opposite disclosed an entirely different interior. In one window a bird in a brass cage sang above blooming plants and in the other an old lady sat in a rocking chair, when she was not peering out into the hall, or leaning over the banisters, or trotting about on visits.

Every morning precisely at 7:45 the door of the north room opened and a little, weazened shabby old man pulled the corner of the trunk forward to keep it so. Then he hung a very small empty aluminum milk can on his wrist, put its cover in his pocket, took up a neatly tied package of refuse and went away.

Mrs. Bascomb got his story from the servant the morning she arrived and found him a case after her own heart. He was Amos Binks; he had lived in that room for ten years.

Christmas drew near and she was very busy making presents and planning surprises and treats among her multitudinous friends, but every time she passed Binks' door her heart ached for him, and so the days passed and it was Christmas Eve.

She had been out shopping all morning; her arms were full of bundles and her heart of plans; but she glanced, as she always did, at Binks' door, and what she saw there brought her to an abrupt stop with tears running down her cheeks. Poor old man, poor old man! On the miserable bureau, among the meager toilet things there stood a Christmas tree, a very small one, and as desolate and bare as the room. The poor, proud old creature had Christmas in his heart. She would give him a surprise.

She selected the choicest of her purchases and laid them, gayly tied with red ribbons and bits of holly, on the foot of his bed. She hung the stark little tree with bags of candy and all sorts of jolly trifles, chuckling over his surprise and delight as she departed to replenish her stock for tomorrow's festivities. He would never know. Bless him.

That morning as he was going out the little woman with three children had popped her head out of the front parlor door and asked if she might leave her Christmas tree in his room so the children would not see it.

"It's the last place in the world anyone would look to find a Christmas tree," she said.

Binks had borrowed three lumps of sugar from her when he had a cold and he had worried about having to buy a whole half pound to return it. This would cancel the obligation.

"If you don't make any mess," he said sourly and went out.

He had forgotten all about the tree when he returned that evening and he was even more than usually dour and bitter, for he could not avoid giving presents to the children of his partner and the janitor of the office building. It was one of the penalties of wealth. Thank goodness, no one at the rooming house had the ghost of an idea that wasn't poor Amos Binks, although he was Amos Binks, the millionaire.

He stopped in the doorway of his room in a paralysis of amazement when he saw the tree and the presents, and then a smile infinitely sly and sneering broke over his face. He glanced at Mrs. Bascomb's door; it was closed, but he understood and chuckled. He heard steps coming stealthily upstairs, the little woman coming for the tree! He stripped it of its decorations with hasty fingers and carried it out to her.

"It's in my way," he said testily.

The day after Christmas he deposited to his own credit at the bank \$6.50 which he had intended to spend on Christmas presents until Mrs. Bascomb gave him enough to go round, and keep a nice warm pair of socks for himself.

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If you are going away or going to have company, phone the item to the Mail office.

CLASSIFIED SECTION OF THE PLYMOUTH MAIL

WANT ADS COST LITTLE, ACCOMPLISH MUCH

FOR SALE—House in Palmer Acres; brick veneer. Lot 65x150, with two-car garage with chamber, sun parlor; bedroom; bath with shower, tile floor; reception hall, living room; dining room; kitchen; breakfast room; oak trim floors entire house; oak trim downstairs, except kitchen; full bath upstairs, tile floor; fruit cellar, coal bin, large laundry room with tubs; Kalvinator ice machine; water softener, automatic warm air heat; arch pipe; electric fireplace with heater piped for gas and wired for heat, can use either. F. L. Becker, near property. 511f

FOR SALE—Two houses, all modern improvements, well located. One at \$7,000 and the other \$8,000. Phone 100, or see C. H. Bennett, owner. 391f

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TO RENT—House, Charles F. Bennett, 659 Ann Arbor street. 501f

FOR SALE—Bungalow, five rooms and bath; full basement, hot air furnace, fireplace; large lot; garage; lots of shrubbery; very good location. Call and see it. Elm Heights, 1381 Sheridan avenue. 511f

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FOR RENT—Flat; four rooms and bath, for light housekeeping; unfurnished. \$25 per month. Phone 521. 521f

FOR RENT—Three room cottage and chicken coop on five acres, near Newburg, on car line. Cheap rent. Phone 7108-F2. 521f

FOR RENT—Modern five-room house. Inquire George Wilcox, phone 80. 511f

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FOR RENT—Two pleasant sleeping rooms; also garage, 1251 West Ann Arbor street. Phone 748J. 311c

FOR RENT—Comfortably furnished 3-room house, modern. Inquire 265 Blunk avenue; phone 202W. 311p

FOR SALE—Buescher "4" melody saxophone. Inquire at Albert Williams' plumbing store, 450 South Main street. Phone 121, between 8:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. 311p

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WANTED—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. Call phone 170. 311p

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DRAIN NOTICE
STATE OF MICHIGAN.
The Probate Court for the County of Wayne.

In the matter of the locate and establish of the County Drain Commission of said County for the appointment of a Board of Determination to ascertain and determine the necessity of said drain, and W. E. Van Vleet of Nankin township, Sylvester Shear of Redford township and Jesse Ziegler of Livonia township, supervisors of townships into which said drainage district does not extend, having been appointed as such Board of Determination.

Notice is hereby given, that on the sixteenth day of December, A. D. 1926, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said Board will meet at Village Hall in the Township of Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan, for the purpose of determining whether said proposed drain is necessary and conducive to public health, convenience and welfare, at which meeting all persons and all municipalities interested may appear for or against said drain proceedings.

HENRY S. HULBERT,
Judge of Probate.

THE CHRISTMAS SEAL CAMPAIGN.

The Christmas seal campaign which has been in progress this week by the pupils of the public schools has resulted in a large sale of the little seals. The rural schools of this vicinity have joined hands with the local schools and have also done good work in disposing of their quotas. These seals are also on sale at the three drug stores in the village, and if you have been missed in the canvass by the school children, you can still get your supply at the Community Pharmacy, Dodge Drug Store, and Beyer's Pharmacy. Every Christmas package should carry one of these little seals, the sale of which means so much in the fight being waged against tuberculosis.

WOMAN'S CLUB

On Friday, December 3rd, the regular meeting of the Plymouth Woman's Club was held at the I. O. O. F. temple, with the president, Mrs. R. E. Cooper, presiding. During the business meeting it was unanimously voted to have a luncheon in connection with the meeting of January 7th, in order to entertain some out of town guests who will be present.

The program, under the leadership of Mrs. H. S. Doerr of Division VI, consisted of a short talk on the "Irish Hills" and Will Carleton, by the leader; wonderful piano solos and duets by Philip and Frank Millard; two readings from Will Carleton's poems, by Miss Anna McGill, in her usual pleasing manner; and the reading of Constance D'Arcy McKay's one act play, "Beau of Both," by Miss Wettstein of Ypsilanti, who showed considerable histrionic ability. Every member is urged to come to the Christmas party on December 17th.

A CHRISTMAS PARTY

More than a hundred ladies attended the annual Christmas party of the Missionary Societies and Ladies' Aid at the M. E. church, Wednesday noon. A prettily trimmed tree, set in a miniature snow covered yard inside a white picket fence, centered the dining room, and the tables were attractive with red-tinted paper and Jerusalem Cherry plants. When the doors were opened, each one found her place marked by a dainty place card. All did justice to the delicious dinner which the committee provided, and which included chicken and all the "fixings" down to, or up to, mince pie like mother used to make. After dinner and a grand march, Santa Claus and his good wife came and gave each one a gift from the Christmas tree, presenting Mrs. Leonard with a beautiful floor lamp. Some "stunts" and a playette completed the happy time. Let's have the same committee next year.

DODGE BROTHERS MAKE NOVEMBER RECORD.

Retail deliveries of new passenger cars and trucks by Dodge Brothers dealers in the United States and Canada during the first three weeks point to a November record far ahead of that established the same month last year. Retail sales during the period from November 1 to November 20, the official report from the factory at Detroit shows, are 24.8 per cent above the figures for the same period in 1925 and 34 per cent ahead of those for the same three weeks of 1924.

Popular approval of the recently announced improvements is clearly indicated by the increases in retail deliveries recorded in many of the larger cities of the country. In the New York City territory, for example, 132.9 per cent more cars were delivered during the first three weeks of November this year than during the corresponding weeks of 1925. The corresponding gain in Detroit and its suburbs was 142.9 per cent.



"THIS man says we are here for the night, and to way out of it. We're twenty-five miles from John's, too. Repairs will have to be brought four miles from Coaltown. Those butts down the hill belong to the Loneridge coal mines. The miners will have guests tonight." Mr. Long announced as he drew some tools from his automobile. The mine mechanic who had been procured when Mr. Long had walked to the end of the shanties down the long winding hill when his car had refused to go, smiled and informed Mr. and Mrs. Long that he would find a place for them to stay for the night.

A Christmas Carol

A bright and blessed Christmas Day,
With echoes of the angels' song,
And peace that cannot pass away,
And holy gladness calm and strong,
And sweet heart-carols flowing free:
This is my Christmas wish to thee!
—Havergal.



The medico-social worker of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association not only arranges for the hospitalization of tuberculous patients but very often she herself takes the patient to the sanatorium. This work is financed through the sale of the tuberculosis Christmas seals, the seals with the double-barred cross, whose life saving influence reaches every county in Michigan.

Do your Christmas shopping in Plymouth.



When at the theatre, you should look your best. A skin of satin smoothness, and charmingly coiffured hair give to a woman the poise she needs for her evening's happiness.

Before the performance—a prologue at Brownie's.

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Even strictly tailored oxfords are taking on a new gaiety this fall. A Blond Alligator tongue adds the note of contrast to this Tan Calfskin Tie.

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DR. FRANK CRANE SAYS HOME COOKING IS IMPORTANT.

"If your wife can't cook," says a restaurant sign, "don't divorce her. Eat here and keep her for a pet." Wives who can't cook have been the object of a fusillade of criticism of late.

Both the evils of drunkenness and divorce are said to have been tracked back to inefficient kitchens.

A learned English medical man declares, "If all young women were taught to cook properly there would be much less drunkenness in the world."

On divorce, a woman's club speaker says, "Delicatessen wives, who buy meals out instead of cooking them themselves, are the cause of the increase in divorces."

One of the most rapid changes taking place today is in the way we eat. In the past ten years the restaurants have more than doubled in the city of New York. They serve six million meals every day.

Royal S. Copeland, former health commissioner of New York, predicts that in a very few decades no one will be eating home-cooked food.

At any rate the trend is definitely away from the old-fashioned home-

prepared meals, and eating food cooked outside will more and more become the custom.

Before holding up hands in horror let us consider the possibilities. In itself there is little to bewail.

If the food is well cooked, scientifically prepared, carefully inspected, and fresh, as far as the stomach forces the change will not be for the worse, and in some cases decidedly for the better.

There is no valid reason why women have to cook the food which the family eats any more than make the clothes they wear.

If the food is wholesome and nourishing it is not highly important whether it comes from a small kitchen or a large one, or who does the manual labor connected with its preparation.

The really important consideration concerns itself, not with eating at all, but with the new leisure.

Women who are freed from the stove will find several hours of extra leisure on their hands.

Whether they use this for self-improvement or waste is the most important consideration in the change in our method of eating.

THE COUNTY HIGHWAY

"County highways in Michigan are suffering rapid depreciation due to daily increasing traffic. The present weight tax appropriation for county highways is insufficient for both adequate maintenance and new construction."

This statement, made by Edward N. Hines, of the Wayne county road commission, followed a resolution passed unanimously by the commission, that counties should share, upon a fifty-fifty basis, the money realized from motor license fees (weight tax), for the maintenance and construction of county roads.

"With a promised increase of more than \$3,000,000 in 1927 over the 1926 total appropriation for all state highways, amounting to approximately \$30,500,000, there is no logical basis for continuing to deprive the counties of their just and needed half of the weight tax appropriation," said Mr. Hines.

At the last session of the legislature it was repeatedly stated, and authoritatively, that not more than \$8,000,000 could be economically spent on new construction of state highways. Yet with the weight tax and gas tax swelling the state coffers to \$14,500,000 over and above all specific appropriations, the counties continue to

carry a daily increasing volume of traffic on their roads, without sufficient funds from the license fees for adequate maintenance of county roads.

"Before the law was amended to its present percentage of appropriation counties shared equally with the state the motor license return, known as the weight tax. Recent experience has proved that the amendment, as it results today, deprives county roads of the maintenance due them according to the percentage of duty which they serve. Automobiles throughout the counties provide this fund for the state, but the owners are forced to operate them over congested county roads for their majority of travel.

"Few people realize the extent to which county roads are utilized for general travel as well as heavy trucking, with the increasing congestion of trunk lines, county roads are carrying a doubled volume of traffic, while funds for their maintenance have been materially reduced by the recent amendment. Now that sufficient funds are available in 1927 to afford the state almost double the amount which the authorities have admitted that they could economically spend, the present law should be amended to re-establish the fifty-fifty appropriation between state and county highways.

"No longer is Michigan a vast expanse of waste which must be traversed by the shortest route. Even the most remote corners of nearly every county treasures a natural beauty, which the touring world has recently demanded to exploit. Good roads into every territory of the state will do for Michigan what improved highways have done for Colorado and California. But to capitalize upon the desirability of Michigan's summers, the people of the state must awake to the needs of providing better roads into every county of the state. Tourists have grown in numbers to the extent that new drives, new lakes, and new gaming grounds must be exploited if undesirable congestion on highways and at resorts is to be averted.

"Were it a demand for an increased tax upon the motorist, I would feel great reluctance in pressing the needs of more appropriation for county roads. However, it is merely a matter of proper distribution of the funds now available for highway purposes, and unless something in the way of legislative amendment is done to relieve the existing burden on county highways, it may prove more costly to the state in the end."

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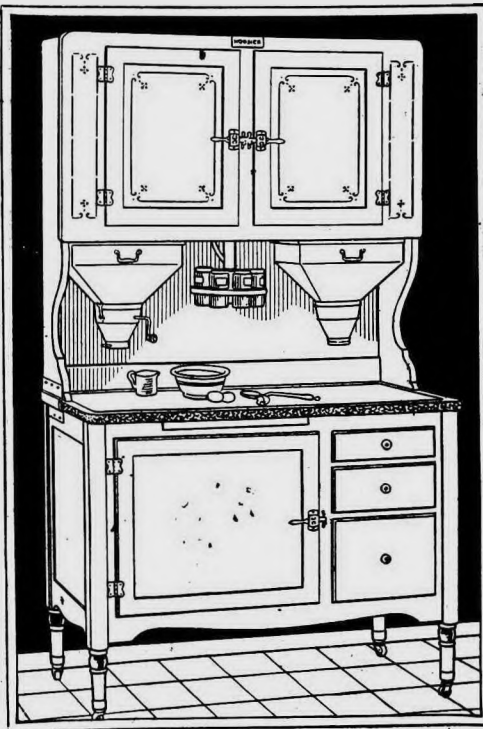
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- 1 Can Libby's Milk
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- 1 Bar Ivory Soap
- 1 Can Underwood Devilled Ham
- 1 Pkg. Cream of Wheat
- 1 Pkg. Jenny Wren Flour
- 1 Jar Beechnut Peanut Butter
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Facts Established by Explorations in Palestine.

Undeniable proof of the Biblical history of the ancient city of Shechem, the falling of the walls of Jericho, the existence of the well of Jacob and other Biblical facts is established by explorations in Palestine in which Bishop H. M. Dubose, president of the three Tennessee annual conferences of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, participated, said Bishop Dubose at Nashville upon his return from the Holy Land.

Bishop Dubose and a party of German college professors led an archeological trip in recent excavations in Palestine and Egypt which were begun about the time of the outbreak of the World war and soon will be completed.

The ancient city of Shechem, said Bishop Dubose, was definitely located with not a contradiction of the account of the forgotten city as it appears in the Bible. The archeologists, he declared, identified the well of Jacob, less than a half mile outside the gates of Shechem. Science established, he said, that the well was on the same geological level as the gates of the tower of Shechem.

This indicates, said Bishop Dubose, that the gates of the city were built and the well dug within the space of two or three hundred years of each other.

Proof was established, the bishop claimed, of the historic city of Jacob. It was discovered, he declared, that the foundations of Shechem were 4,000 years old.

The rounded curb of the well where Christ is recorded in the Bible as having sat and talked with the woman of Samaria, is still intact. The bishop sat upon it and drank the water, which he described as of a sweetish taste.

The excavations were made to a depth of 38 feet, with the aid of two hundred indifferent natives. Traces of four ancient civilizations were unearthed—those of the Canaanites, the Israelites, the Greeks and the Samaritans.

"Archeology furnishes the best and truest history of the world," remarked Bishop Dubose. "It is the geology of ancient civilizations. These discoveries are absolute confirmation of Biblical history."

The walls of the city of Shechem measured something like three miles in line, he said.

The bishop displayed photographs of the unearthed ruins of the foundations of a colonnade palace within the walls of the city.

"This bears out the Bible," he asserted. "Not a relic of any sort was discovered in the palace by the excavators. The Bible says that the sons of Jacob destroyed Shechem in the Seventeenth century B. C.—that the palace was stripped bare—and the ruins were found as such. Jacob, Biblical history says, soon evacuated out of fear and the people returned and rebuilt."

The ancient walls of Jericho, which the Bible records fell upon the sounding of the ram's horn by a priest in the time of Joshua, in the Fourteenth century B. C., actually fell, Bishop Dubose declared. This he claimed was determined by the examination of pottery which fixed the age, and the examination of fragments. Tablets fruitful of "wonderful results" were unearthed in Shechem.

The walls of the city of Shechem, which the archeologists uncovered, contain larger stones than those in the pyramids of Egypt, he said, by actual measurements. All the streets of the ancient city were paved. There was a system of drainage, pictures of which he exhibited, which the bishop declared were perfect and reflected a civilization equal to modern ideas.

Tracing Course of Bullet

If we were to fire a bullet horizontally from the peak of a high mountain, it would not go very far before reaching the earth by a curved path which is also a portion of a large ellipse, says Dr. Paul R. Heyl, physicist, of the United States bureau of statistics. The greater the initial speed of the bullet the farther it will travel before striking the earth; in other words, the wider (and shorter) the ellipse will be. If it were possible to give the bullet an initial speed of five miles per second and to eliminate air friction, the bullet would clear the earth in its fall, and continue to revolve around it forever, the ellipse having widened and shortened to a circle. The earth would thus have acquired a tiny new satellite. With a plentiful supply of ammunition we might thus create for the earth a ring system resembling that of Saturn.

Perpetual Electrification

Electrification that lasts for years—perhaps forever—has been achieved by a Japanese physicist, Prof. Motaro Eguchi at Tokyo, says the New York World Magazine. He has taken a simple wax mixture, melted it and allowed it to harden while in a strong electric field between two metal plates, with the result that the wax cake retains a strong electric charge permanently. Some of these cakes have kept their charges since 1919 and show no signs of losing it. A complete rearrangement of the atoms in the wax is the secret of this, Professor Eguchi believes. This may cause important changes in the theory of the atom. Some of the wax cakes have retained a surface charge of 120,000 volts to the square inch.

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Found Carillon Artist Had a "Temperament"

If the 53 Rockefeller bells of the Park Avenue Baptist church, the largest of which weighs 10 tons, peal a bit timidly into the great chasm of Park Avenue just now, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is not to blame. He did his best. Last year Mr. Rockefeller imported from Belgium Anton Brees, gay young carillonneur from the cathedral of Antwerp. There was something delightful about the artistic whole-heartedness with which the ringer of bells in dreamy, myrtle Flanders tackled the mighty city of New York. His first request was that all traffic on Park Avenue be stopped while he played his chimes.

Now, as everyone knows, there is nothing dreamy and impractical about the church's trustees. They tend toward steel, oil and pig iron. A great city cannot stop its traffic on account of bells, even though they be made of pig iron, they gently explained to Mr. Brees. Also, would he please play things more familiar to Americans? Tinkling little airs which ring from the cathedrals of Holland and Belgium mystified the good people of New York.

Mr. Brees vowed he would not change his programs. Furthermore, he declared he wanted a new apartment with private bath. He was tired of living in the Y. M. C. A.

"A bath!" exclaimed the trustees of the Park Avenue church. In consternation they summoned Mr. Rockefeller. The latter was pained. Wasn't Mr. Brees making five times what he made in Belgium?

Mr. Brees admitted he was, then added, with Flemish shrewdness, meeting the oil magnate on his own ground. "I've been told I should save half my salary."

"Did you have a bath in Antwerp?" parried Mr. Rockefeller. And scored, too, for Anton Brees did not have one. All morning they argued; then, to his secretary's astonishment, Mr. Rockefeller ordered lunch served them in his office. Following which they argued all afternoon.

Now the Flemish bell-ringer has gone back to Antwerp, where cathedrals boast Rubenses and bathtubs are unknown. Percival Price, twenty-one-year-old Canadian, has taken his place. The new artist's music is as yet a bit timid, but this winter he is being sent abroad to study under Joseph Denys, who for 37 years has played the incomparable Seventeenth-century Hemony bells which hang in the cathedral of Malines. — New Yorker.

Ancient Battle Ground

Spanish conquistadors, under the leadership of the famous Cortez, fought a desperate battle on the famous golf course of the Los Angeles Athletic club at the Riviera, near Santa Monica, some time in the sixteenth century. This fact was brought to light a few days ago when Doctor Morton, tree surgeon, unearthed piles of bones, which, because of their blue color, he declared to be at least three hundred years old, says the Los Angeles Times.

Clinic Shows Up Doctors

When the patient dies in a Vienna hospital his body by law immediately goes to the dissecting tables of Vienna's world-famous surgical clinics, says Capper's Weekly. One thousand human bodies are cut up in Vienna every month before the young, keenly trained eyes of graduate physicians and surgeons from all parts of the globe, 250 at least, from America, Greece as this may seem. American sufferers from disease are receiving benefit from this wholesale dissection. When the dead man comes from a hospital the record of the doctor's diagnosis in his case and the patient's treatment comes with him. Was the doctor right or wrong? The patient's body holds the answer, and the doctors find out. In Vienna a doctor can't bury his mistakes.

The Matter

"What is the matter here?" asked a guest of the Pruntytown tavern. "People look as nervous as if they were expecting a calamity to happen at any moment."

"Oh, the early trains were set thirty, twenty and fifteen minutes later last Friday," replied the host of the inn. "And the late trains forty, twenty-five and ten minutes earlier. Folks are trying to adjust themselves to going to the trains to see who comes in, and it keeps 'em buzzing to do so. You'll see one of 'em start to tell a funny story, stop suddenly, look at his watch, and dart away. It makes 'em so excited that they can't keep from giggling."—Kansas City Star.

Rubber Tire Industry

There are 126 establishments in the United States engaged in the manufacture of rubber tires and inner tubes, as well as other products. The whole industry employed an average of 81,750 wage earners last year, paying wages aggregating \$120,614,081 and producing \$322,138,213 worth of tires and tubes. Ohio remains the center of the industry with 44 plants, 11 of which are located in Akron. These factories turn out about half of the total tire production of the country.

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Bones of Prehistoric Men

Interesting discoveries of the remains of prehistoric men are being made on Dunstable downs in one of the mounds known as the Five Knolls. The skeleton of a bronze age man associated with a cremation burial was found near the surface of the mound. Subsequently traces of two further cremations and parts of four more skeletons were discovered. Eleven in all, some of them 3,000 years old, have now been unearthed.—London Tit-Bits.

Tides Cause Volcanoes?

An interesting solution of the mystery of volcanic eruptions has just been offered by William Bowie of the United States coast and geodetic survey. He advances the theory, says Popular Science Monthly, that volcanic outbursts may be due directly to the pressure of the tides, which twist and wring the earth. The tides, he adds, may also have an influence in building mountains.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beeman entertained relatives from Owosso last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooper visited relatives at Wayne Sunday afternoon and evening.

Dora Lyraunce entertained the Junior Bridge Club at her home on Wednesday of last week.

You can solve the question of what to buy for Christmas gifts by perusing the ads in to Mail today.

The bazaar and chicken dinner given by the Rebekah ladies at the I. O. O. F. temple last Friday evening, was largely attended.

Mrs. L. H. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stanley last Monday for Indian Lake, Florida, where they will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ammerman, of Dearborn, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Axan, of Detroit, were Sunday visitors at E. J. Burr's, on Golden road.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Runyon, of Fenton, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vosburgh and little daughter, of this place, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Blossom.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ossenheimer of 79 Fairground avenue, died Sunday, December 5th. A short service was conducted at the home Monday morning at 11:00 o'clock, by Dr. F. A. Lendrum.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lorenz pleasantly entertained twelve of their friends at their home on Sheridan avenue, last Monday evening. The occasion was in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Mr. Lorenz and his youngest son.

Mrs. F. J. Slater and daughter, Helen, who have been the guests of the former's sisters, Mrs. Frank Balden of Northville, and Mrs. Frank Dunn of Plymouth, for the past two weeks, returned to their home in Brooklyn, N. Y., Monday.

Do your Christmas shopping in Plymouth.

B. J. Bradner of Los Angeles, California, visited relatives here Monday.

Elmer Willett, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is improving.

Miss Flora Millard of Detroit, was calling on Plymouth friends, last Saturday.

A number of Plymouth people have been attending the food show in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCrum entertained Alfred Strasen at a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Cooper spent a few days with her son and family in Brighton last week.

Mrs. Harvey Springer entertained the Junior Bridge Club at her home on Wednesday evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer and daughter, Miss Millie Palmer, left yesterday by motor, for a trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Honeywell left yesterday by motor, for Florida, where they expect to spend the winter months.

The Navajo Club met at the home of Mrs. Frank Durham, Tuesday. They met with Mrs. Erland Bridge on November 23rd.

A white Arctic owl called on Mr. Dethloff, at Riverside cemetery, the first of the week. This is pretty far south for these birds.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph King and daughters, Luella and Viola, spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Prouty, of Dearborn.

Mrs. E. C. Hough returned home last week Wednesday, from Mobile, Ala., where she was recently called on account of the illness of her mother.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fox of Novi township, a daughter, December 3rd, Mrs. Fox will be remembered as Miss Ruth Samsen, formerly of this place.

E. C. Hough was in New York city last week, where he attended a convention of the toy manufacturers of this country, held at the Galpin hotel in that city.

E. N. Geney has purchased the Sanitary Service, which has been operated for the past year by Messrs. Snavely and Fletcher. Mr. Geney takes over the business next week.

The Young Ladies' Society of the Lutheran church met at the home of Mrs. Max Trucks, last Tuesday evening. A social hour was passed, after which refreshments were served.

We have received a letter from E. W. Loomis, asking us to forward the Mail to Beaumont, Texas, where they have located for the winter months. Mr. Loomis says Beaumont is a fine little city, and the climate there is delightful, and they are now enjoying summer weather.

Alfred Strasen, who is a member of Fisher's orchestra of Kalamazoo, and who has been playing at French Lick Springs, Indiana, has been visiting at the parental home here this week. He leaves Saturday for New York, where he will go with the orchestra on a trip around the world.

The second number on the senior class entertainment course was given by Sidney Landon, impersonator, at the high school auditorium last Monday evening before a large and appreciative audience. Mr. Landon's impersonations were of the highest order, as were also his readings.

The Chambers Auto Sales is now occupying the new addition which has just recently been completed on the east side of the old building. The new addition is constructed of brick. It is well lighted with windows, and gives them much additional floor room for the repair department of their business.

The Mail has received a letter from Walter Smith, who with his wife and son left here several weeks ago to spend the winter in Texas, saying that they had located in McAllen, that state. Mr. Smith said they were having nice weather there, lots of sunshine and the thermometer 80 to 85 degrees in the shade.

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 - Oriental Show-You Sauce, bottle 19c
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 - Brillo, 10c pkg. 7c
 - Franco-American Spaghetti, can 9c
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 - Apricots, fancy California, can 29c
 - Rinso, large pkg. 19c
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- Swift Smoked Ham, per lb. 35c
- Round Steak, per lb. 28c
- Sirloin Steak, per lb. 32c
- Porterhouse Steak, per lb. 35c
- Hamburger Steak, per lb. 17c
- Pork Sausage, per lb. 25c
- Pure Lard, per lb. 14½c
- Trout, Herring, White Fish
- Store Cheese 29c
- Cottage Cheese
- All Kinds of Cheese
- Milk and Cream

LOCAL NEWS

Blank Bros. have a large ad in today's paper, in which they announce a special Christmas sale of the Hoosier kitchen cabinets.

R. P. Woodworth and family have moved into the house formerly occupied by Maxwell Mogen and family on South Harvey street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fisher of Chelsea, were guests of the former's brothers, Blake and Guy Fisher, and families, last Sunday.

There is only one passenger car each way now on the Plymouth, Northville and Wayne division of the D. U. R. This car leaves Wayne at 5:24 p. m., and runs to Redford, leaving Plymouth at 5:44 p. m. This car returning from Redford for Detroit, leaves Plymouth at 7:15 p. m.

Daniel C. Peck, aged 56 years, died at his home on the Seven-Mile road, near Farmington road, Monday, December 6th. Funeral services were held from the home Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Dr. F. A. Landrum officiating. The remains were taken to Battle Creek for interment Thursday.

The handsome new electric sign erected in front of the Penniman Allen theatre last week was lighted for the first time last Saturday night, and its beauty drew forth many compliments from those who saw it. It certainly is a beauty, a credit to the Penniman Allen theatre and the village of Plymouth as well.

An autopsy was held Wednesday, at the Wayne County Morgue by Coroner James E. Burgess, to determine the cause of the death of Milton Leslie, son of James Leslie of this place, whose death occurred November 18th, in Houghton county while on a hunting trip. The report of the autopsy will be made in about ten days.

The Merry-Go-Round Club pleasantly surprised Mrs. Walter Dethloff, Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday. Progressive pedro was the entertainment of the evening. Mrs. Manfred Becker and Herbert Rorabacher received honors, while Mrs. Lawrence Burgett and Clifford Reddeman received consolations. After lunch, all departed wishing Mrs. Dethloff many more happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Miller, of Ann Arbor Trail, were agreeably surprised at their home Wednesday evening, the event being Mr. Miller's birthday. A sumptuous supper was served. Five hundred was played. The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. William Brenner, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds, of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Thomas Levandowski of Newburg. The Plymouth friends were Mr. and Mrs. Matt Miller and daughter, Gertrude; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCrum, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Lazotte.

W. C. T. U.

The meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union held Thursday, December 2nd, at the home of Mrs. E. B. Daggett, was very interesting and was well attended. The music by Rev. and Mrs. Styles and by the Misses Madeline Shingleton and Dora Gallimore was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Phoebe Patterson gave a very fine report of her trip to California, and of the National W. C. T. U. convention held at Los Angeles. As this was a ten meeting, the time granted for the speaker was short, and she was unable to complete the report. But it is hoped that she will be able to present at the next meeting and give the remainder of the report. The convention showed that 33,380 new members had been added during the last year, the largest number obtained in any one year in the history of the organization.

In addressing the convention, Ex-Governor Pat M. Neff of Texas, said: "Prohibition is getting along very well. Only a few 'high ups' and a few 'low downs' violate it, while the rank and file of American people respect and obey the law. No organization which is helping to make the world better is asking for its repeal. It is no argument for modification of a law that violators are against it."

At the conclusion of the meeting, dainty refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

BAPTIST BAZAAR

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will hold their annual Christmas bazaar and chicken supper in the church basement, Thursday, December 16th. Various articles of fancy work, aprons and other articles will be on sale after 2:30 p. m. A fish pond and candy booth are added features. Supper will be served from 5:30 p. m. until all are served. Price, 50c.

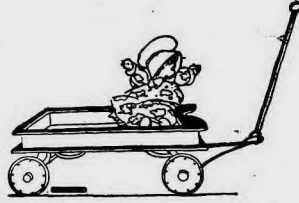
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- Mashed potato and Gravy
- Squash Vegetable Salad
- Cranberry Sauce
- Bread Butter Coffee
- Mince Meat Pie

BAZAAR AND CHICKEN DINNER Remember the bazaar and chicken dinner at the Livonia Union church, tonight (December 10th). Dinner served from 5:00 p. m., until all are served.

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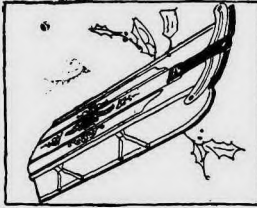
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 - Mashed Potatoes
 - Cabbage Salad Pickles
 - Cranberry Sauce
 - Rolls Brown Bread
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 - Coffee Tea
- Adults, 50c; children, 35c. Come and bring your friends.



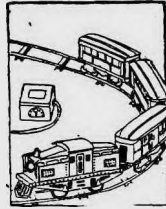
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Clowns
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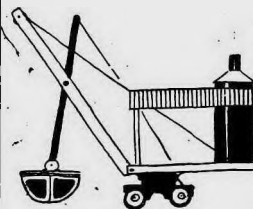
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The Camp Fire Girls, which is a new organization in our school, will give a bazaar and bake sale, Saturday, December 11th, at 204 Main street, in the Johnson Building. The funds will be used to promote Camp Fire work. Boost Camp Fire by giving the girls your patronage.

There will be a dance at Grange hall, Friday night, given by the Minnehaha Council.

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SCHOOL NOTES

There was senior assembly held Wednesday, fifth hour. The speaker of the hour was Prof. L. M. Gould, of the University of Michigan. His talk which proved interesting, was on his trip to Greenland. He told many interesting stories about the adventure.

The Junior class has had a very interesting contest for the past two weeks. The purpose of it was to gain money for the class by obtaining subscriptions to magazines. The contest was composed of two sides, the red and the blue. Theron Palmer and Frazer Carudrud were the leaders, with Vera Stoneburner as their helper. At the end of the contest, it was found that the red side had won. Altogether they made around eighty dollars. The class accomplished a good deal, and both sides worked hard.

The Band

The High school band has acquired a new base horn. Russell Egloff is the new member.

The Orchestra

The orchestra is progressing very rapidly. They are working on some new numbers.

Girls' Physical Training Class

Basket ball is the exciting sport in which the seventh grade girls' physical training classes are interested. They chose teams Monday.

Boys' Manual Training Classes

The boys of the seventh and eighth grade manual training classes wish to call attention to the toys that will be placed in the bank window December 20th. They have started weaving and fiber work, and are showing unusual interest in it.

Boys' Physical Training

The boys' physical training classes have been training in gymnastics and other exercises. They have been greatly interested in basket ball. They are starting mat work and are practicing on the apparatus.

Home Economics

Few people realize what pretty lamp shades and telephone screens can be made of the most simple materials. Various styles of wire frames are covered with voile, decorated with designs cut from cretonne and crepe paper, covered with several coats of shellac, and finished with a bit of bead. This is what the eleventh and twelfth grade Home Economics classes are doing.

Six girls of the ninth and tenth grade Home Economics class have started their lunch room work. The remainder of the class are working on Christmas candies.

The seventh graders have finished their rag rugs they were making, and have now started to work on Christmas presents.

Doris Hamill

CAMP FIRE GIRLS

Camp Lahtone

The Lahtone Group is dividing on a group symbol.

Camp Tulahilusi

Guardian Miss Grant
The girls of this group have received health and thrift charts, and have started keeping records.

Camp Cheigammi

Guardian Miss Shuffinster
The group met at Virginia Giles' to cut out ceremonial gowns and enjoy a pop corn feast.

Most of the girls have brought the 5c for their membership pins which are Sterling silver and blue enamel. It is made in the camp fire Wobelo design. Wobelo is a camp fire word made up of three words—work, health and love.

We are going to send for thrift and health charts to keep our records on.

Margaret Haskell

BASKET BALL

Sixty boys came out for basket ball this year. Mr. Page divided them into two squads. Fifteen of them are on the first squad and the remainder on the second. The second squad will go with the first team to every game and play as the second team.

The first game away from home is to be played with Northeastern High school, Detroit, on Friday, December 10th.

The league games will start on January 7th, Northville at Plymouth. Wendell Doudt was elected captain, but will be unable to play at the first game because of injuries received in practice.

The team that will play at Northville will be composed of the following:

- Wendell Doudt, forward (captain).
- Ted Hickey, forward.
- Basil Carney, forward or center.
- Charles Foster, guard or center.
- Stuart Rambo, guard.
- Edwin Schrader, forward.
- Robert Hubert, center or guard.
- Erwin Foster, guard.
- Elmore Carney, guard.

Gaylord Sayles, forward.
Vaughan Ford, forward.
Harold Hubert, forward or center.
The basket ball schedule for the 1927 league will be as follows:

- Jan. 7—Northville at Plymouth.
- Jan. 14—Plymouth at Wayne.
- Jan. 21—Plymouth at Dearborn.
- Jan. 28—Farmington at Plymouth.
- Feb. 4—Plymouth at Roosevelt Ypsilanti.
- Feb. 11—Plymouth at Northville.
- Feb. 18—Wayne at Plymouth.
- Feb. 25—Dearborn at Plymouth.
- March 4—Plymouth at Farmington.
- March 12—Roosevelt at Plymouth.

Mr. Page, as coach of the team, has worked hard for a successful year and hopes for many victories for Plymouth.

COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES

Approximately 3000 children in the Wayne County schools have received toxin-antitoxin since September.

New two-room schools at Deaton and Stark were dedicated during the month of November. President Chas. McKenney of Ypsilanti, gave the dedicating address at Deaton, and Superintendent John Myron of Belleville, did a like service at the Stark school dedication.

Detroit schools close from December 23rd to January 3rd for its Christmas vacation. Most of the other school systems of the County close for the same period.

Speakers at recent zone meetings include Prof. Muffit, and Dr. McCoy of Detroit Teachers College. Dr. Chas. Sharpe of the Detroit Y. M. C. A., Supt. Anderson of Trenton, Frostie of Wyandotte and Lowrey of Fordson. Miss Katherine Thurman is the new teacher employed at the Elm school. The crowded condition of the school necessitated a third teacher for the additional work.

The various Village and City school superintendents were guests of Dr. Haskell, superintendent of the Wayne County Training school near Northville, on Friday, December 3rd.

December Zone Meetings

- December 4—Zone "B" at Perrinville school, Nankin No. 2. Zone "C" at Hicks School, Nankin No. 2 Fr.
- December 11—Zone "D" at East Tyler school, Romulus No. 2. Zone "E" at Frock school, Brownstown No. 2.

STARK SCHOOL NOTES.

The usual P. T. A. meeting was held Tuesday evening, November 30th. As Mrs. Gier and Mrs. De Fer, both very good officers of the association, have moved away from the district, it was necessary to elect others. Mrs. Lintemoser was chosen vice-president and Miss Wise as secretary. A short program given by the lower grades and refreshments followed the meeting. One of the topics discussed by the association was the coming box social and luncheon to be given on December 10th for the school's benefit. There will be added attractions, such as a fish pond, etc. All members extend an invitation to friends of other districts. As all members of this organization were not present at the last meeting, we wish to ask that every parent reserve the last Wednesday of each month for a good all-around meeting. Your children are the reapers.

Wednesday was another important day, as each room was visited by Miss Cochrane, who heard lessons on citizenship. She discussed the Citizens' Junior club code with the children and gave gold stars for seating and house-keeping. The school's goal this year is to win all the stars on the card, thus making their school one of the most efficient.

On the same day the Hot Lunch club was successfully organized, with the upper grades taking charge. It is thought best that each child have one hot dish each day to supplement the meal at home.

On Saturday the third and fourth graders and two pupils from the fifth and sixth grades were visitors at the Zone B meeting held at the Perrinville school. There Miss Wise taught a lesson to her pupils on citizenship. Everyone had a delightful time.

We are all sorry that Phyllis Kahl can not be with us. She is detained at home on account of illness. All her friends, especially her classmates, wish her a speedy recovery.

Both rooms are now happily busy redecorating the school for Christmas and planning a joint program for that occasion.

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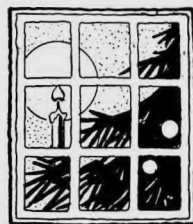
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Picturegoers, who are wont to complain that the movies are not true to life, will have little fault to find with Paramount's new comedy classic, "The Show-Off," which came to the Penniman Allen theatre Saturday, December 11th.

Malcolm St. Clair, whose former directorial triumphs include "The Grand Duchess and the Waiter," "A Social Celebrity" and "Good and Naughty," wielded the megaphone on this production, and has assembled a grade-A cast, featuring the inimitable Ford Sterling, the charming Lois Wilson, the beauteous Louise Brooks and that shining stage star, Gregory Kelly.

Based on the popular stage play by George Kelly, "The Show-Off" brings to the screen a familiar American family—real, human, everyday folks. There are no spectacular sets, no stagey thrills, no forced realism—just the natural humor, the simple drama and the poignant pathos that make up the ordinary lives of humanity's masses. The plot concerns a breezy, irreplaceable railroad clerk to whom boasting is as natural as breathing. Though he talks like a combination of Rockefeller and Vanderbilt, he actually earns but \$32 a week. That, however, doesn't prevent him from marrying a very pretty girl, who believes everything he says and adores him. His wife's family see through his cheap bragging and treat him with the contempt he deserves, but his is absolutely insult proof!

Naturally, his loose tongue and blustering ways get him into all sorts of difficulties. The climax is reached when he goes out driving and knocks down a traffic cop. But just when everyone has given him up as hopeless, he bluffs his way into a big business deal and makes a lot of money. If you're feeling blue, need a tonic and want to laugh, see "The Show-Off."

"THE FOUR HORSEMEN OF THE APOCALYPSE"

Probably the strongest and most distinguished cast ever assembled for any picture in the history of the screen, is seen in the triumphant return of Rex Ingram's production for Metro-Goldwyn. "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," adapted by June Mathis from the world-famous novel by Vicente Blasco Ibañez, coming to the Penniman Allen theatre, Sunday and Monday, December 12 and 13.

While every player of the twenty-five principal roles was selected because of his or her special ability to enact the part, there is scarcely a name in the list that is not prominently known to motion picture followers.

The late Rudolph Valentino, who has the role of Julio, the romantic South American hero of the story, is one of the most glamorous figures the screen has ever produced. "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" is the picture which introduced him to fame.

Allee Terry is enacting the leading feminine role, that of Marguerite, the little French girl. Miss Terry has played recently in "Marie Nostrum" and "The Mahician."

Joseph Swickard, a veteran of twenty-five years on the American speaking stage and ten years in motion pictures, appears in the part of Marcelo Desnoyers.

Edward Connelly, best known of veteran character actors, has the difficult role of the old lodgekeeper. Mr. Connelly, after a stage career of thirty years, has appeared in many screen character roles.

Mabel Van Buren has the part of Elena, a German character role. Nigel De Brulier takes one of the most difficult character parts of the production. In the role of Tchernoff, the Russian who relates the legend of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," Mr. De Brulier has created a characterization which stands out. Virginia Warwick, a former Mack Sennett bathing beauty, has the role of Chichi, the sister of Julio.

Stuart Holmes and Wallace Beery, known to all film fans as the most convincing of screen villains, continue their roles as bad men in this production.

Jean Hersholt has an important character role as Professor Von Hartrott.

Brodwitch Turner, better known as "Snooks," plays the part of Arsenola, the companion of Julio.

Bridgetta Clark is seen as Dona Luisa, the mother of Julio. Miss Clark is a well-known actress, both on the stage and in the picture field.

Alan Hale has the part of Karl Von Hartrott, a very radical German characterization.

Pomeroy Cannon as Madaranga, "The Centaur," the father of Julio and the owner of the South American plantations, plays an important role in the early part of the story. Mr. Cannon is well known for his characterizations of big men roles and this is his most notable achievement.

John Sainpolis also has an important role, as have Harry S. Northrup, Derrick Grant, Henry Klaus, Jacques d'Aray, Curt Rehfeld, Mlle. Molozov, Isabel Keith, Jacques Lanois, Mark Fenton and Minuchala.

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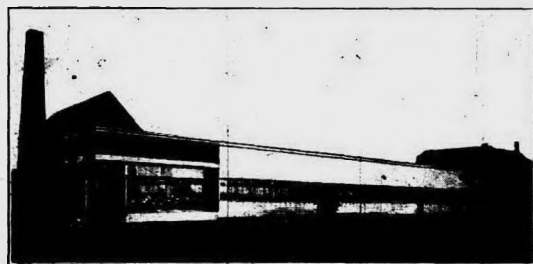
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BRIGGS SCHOOL NOTES

By Evelyn Rutobar, Sec.

Miss Oliphant of the Wayne County Library, visited school last week Wednesday, December 1st, and brought us twenty-five story books to read.

She told the pupils a very interesting story.

The pupils have sold five dollars worth of Christmas Seals for the Red Cross Tuberculosis Fund.

Evelyn Wolff and Everett Salow are absent from school on account of illness.

We have started to practice for our Christmas program.

We think that this year's Christmas seal posters are the prettiest that ever have been painted.

LIBRARY NOTES

Among the new books—
Gentlemen Prefer Blondes—Loos
My Mortal Enemy—Cather
Feet of Clay—Tuttle
Early Autumn—Bromfield
Cutters—Aldrich
Fairy Gold—Mackenzie
Portia Marries—Gibbs
Doctor Looks at Love and Life—Collins

Jennie Gerhardt—Dreiser
Nervous Housewife—Myerson
Juvenile—

Dr. Dolittle's Zoo—Lofting
American Twins of 1812—Perkins
Skitter Cat—Youmans

No School Tomorrow—Ashmun
Roll Call of Honor. (a new book of golden deeds)—Couch

Their City Christmas—Brown
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We have a new Christmas poster and a new clock. Watch for the announcement of the Christmas Story Hour.

Edison says the electric light points the way to peace. Yes, until the monthly bill comes in.

PERRINSVILLE ENTERTAINS ZONE "B".

The teachers of Zone "B" were very pleasantly entertained at Perrinsville school on December 4. Citizenship was discussed in the morning session. Many of the teachers told of their various devices for making citizenship lessons more effective.

Mrs. Deyer and Miss Finnegan exhibited some very fine Safety and Book posters made by their pupils.

Miss Wise of Stark school taught a very splendid demonstration lesson in manners. This was followed by another very splendid one in handwriting, taught by Miss Cochrane, Zone "B's" helping teacher.

At noon, the ladies of the Perrinsville P. T. A. served a very fine luncheon to all their guests.

The afternoon meeting was commenced by the singing of pep songs. The outside visitors were then called on for a few remarks, and all responded in their usual able manner. They were: Rev. Davis, pastor of the Newburg and Perrinsville churches; Mrs. Sharpe, Wayne County's chief nurse; Miss Gwenn, the County welfare worker; Miss Corlett, the girls' club leader; and Miss Jamison, helping teacher of Zones "C" and "D."

Arnold Hix presided over a very appropriate as well as entertaining program, gotten up and given by the C. G. C., of which he is president.

Mr. Smith, superintendent of the Plymouth schools, was the chief speaker of the afternoon. He took for his topic "Justice in Education." He especially stressed this phase of it, that of having a pupil's progress measured

often and compared with his own previous work.

The Cooper, Wallaceburg and Wilcox schools will entertain the Zone at their next meeting, on January 15th, at the Cooper school.

OBITUARY

Sunday afternoon, December 5th, the funeral services for Miss Lucy Pratt were conducted at her late home on Grace avenue, Northville, at two o'clock, with burial at Novi. Rev. H. E. Sayles of the First Baptist church of Plymouth, preached the sermon, and was assisted by Rev. Pratt of Chicago, a nephew of the deceased.

Miss Lucy Pratt and her sister, Ida, have lived together since childhood, nearly sixty years. She was reared on a farm near Walled Lake, and early in life she united with the Baptist church and has been faithful to her trust ever since. A host of relatives and friends mourn their loss.

Funeral services for Roder Collins were held in the Schrader Bros. Funeral chapel at Northville, Tuesday afternoon, December 7th, at 2:00 o'clock. Rev. H. E. Sayles of Plymouth officiating. The burial was in Northville cemetery. He had no relatives in this part of the country, but friends cared for every part of the service, and in a christian spirit laid him to rest, remembering him as a kind neighbor.

Plymouth stores are filled with splendid gifts for the Christmas shopper. Prices are most reasonable and the selection is ample.

WEST POINT PARK INDEPENDENT CHURCH.

Next Sunday at West Point Park Independent Church, Rev. George Edgar Cullen will preach at 11:00 a. m., on the topic, "The End of the World—How and When."

The West Point Park Church and the Pierson school are joining in a great public Christmas concert, Thursday, December 22nd, at 8:00 p. m. Santa Claus will be there. There will be a great tree, beautifully lighted, and presents for all. Everyone most cordially invited.

The Box Social last Friday night, was a delightful success. The P. T. A. business was soon disposed of, and a brief program was given. We all regret that Mr. Talbot was unable to be present, being confined to his house by illness. Mr. Laughrey and Mr. Uredge of Detroit College of Law, sang four numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Earl Wolfe. It was a pleasing performance. The boys promised to come again. The boxes and carpet balls sold high. Forty dollars were gained to buy the Children's Christmas candy.

The Ladies' Community Club meets regularly. Join it, ladies. Big plans are maturing toward furnishing the kitchen the ladies are to have in the new hall and church. They are making beautiful and serviceable rugs to sell. Earl Wolfe bought the first one, made last Friday night.

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Today's Reflections

Among other things beauty contests indicate is that a lot of the prettiest girls are too proud to enter them.

We notice that another popular color in overcoats around Plymouth is whatever color last year's happened to be.

Rip Van Winkle didn't drink the kind of stuff bootleggers handle nowadays. Rip did wake up.

We suppose that even with a five-day week a lot of Henry Ford's workmen are too tired to go to church on Sunday.

The best way to get along with some people around Plymouth is to agree with them. Arguing with a fool makes two fools.

After all it's a question if the boll-woorh hurts cotton as much as the silk worm.

About the time Russia seems to be quieting down some of her leaders get to fighting among themselves.

The only serious worry some Plymouth young folks have is trying to make father's wages buy more of the things they want.

Maybe if they start another war in Europe they will find it necessary to finance it on the installment plan.

It's a wise Plymouth man who knows just where most of his Christmas money is going to be wasted this year.

Uncle Sam has invented an engraving machine said to make better money. But it won't make the kind that goes any farther.

A lot of reformers say capital punishment is a failure in preventing crime. How do they know when it's so seldom tried?

AROUND ABOUT US

Northville will have a community Christmas tree this year.

Work has begun on a new \$25,000 library building in the little town of Hartland.

Detroit parties have purchased 5,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Hamburg, Livingston county.

Joseph Wilkinson, of Perry, Mich., harvested 752 bushels of beans from 32 acres and 267 bushels from 10 acres.

Francis and Robert Furrell, of near Dexter, recently caught a badger weighing 20 pounds, in a trap they had set on their farm. This is something unusual, as badgers are seldom found in that locality.

Eight rural mail routes centering in Howell have been reduced to six and two carriers have been released. Length of the routes has been lengthened approximately seven miles each. George Howe, carrier on Route 1 since rural delivery was started, 25 years ago, has retired. Elmer Ellsworth, youngest man on the Howell rural force in years of service, was the other man taken off the routes.

The Collins Rebekah lodge celebrated their twenty-eighth anniversary at a special meeting on Tuesday, November 30. At 6:45 a banquet was served to about one hundred members, after which the initiatory work was beautifully exemplified by a class of three candidates. Guests were present from Detroit, Dearborn and Plymouth. President of the Rebekah Assembly reports that in 1927 Michigan will be 70,000 strong.—Wayne Weekly.



Handy and Handsome

ELECTRICAL Table Appliances answer the Gift problem of the Holiday Season. Always acceptable, they are lasting Gifts, used often and with pleasure.

Toaster, waffle-iron, percolator, or table stove—cool and clean and convenient—snap the switch, a short arm's-length away, and the meal begins. What could be handier?

Attractively designed, they are an added adornment when the table is set.

Four Weeks to Christmas! Let us fill your Gift List with suitable electrical convenience devices.

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RADIO FACTS

1.—Why call for help when there is no one to hear you. In other words, is the radio set you now have, or the one you propose to buy, an orphan? For instance, one year ago there were more radio manufacturing concerns than there are today, and the purchaser who bought a set made by a firm who is no longer in business has an orphan.

2.—Make sure when buying a radio that the firm who made it will be in business a week or a year from now.

3.—ATWATER KENT RADIO is made in the world's largest radio factory, under conditions permitting extreme care in quantity production.

4.—Behind it stands the personal responsibility of a man who for twenty-six years has insisted upon the highest quality in every product bearing his name.

5.—Atwater Kent Laboratory instruments have been considered instruments of precision for years, and every Atwater Kent Radio has to run the gauntlet of 159 gauge and electrical tests before the last inspector can say: "This is up to our standard."

6.—When Atwater Kent instruments reach the final proving ground, the home, they work—and keep on working.

7.—And the performance is not only good and consistent—it is consistently good.

8.—The price? Low—that's where large production counts.

9.—Here is a Radio you can buy on faith—because of the way it's made. But of course you'll want to judge for yourself.

We will be glad to prove these facts by a demonstration in your home.



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Humming Bird Pure Silk Hosiery, that ever-welcome Christmas gift, is made doubly attractive this year by being packed in individual holiday boxes, charmingly decorated. An embossed card, ready for your signature, is included with each box.

Every girl and woman on your gift list knows and "loves" Humming Birds for their beautiful lasting colors, snug fit, flawless knitting and months of damless wear.

\$1.50 a pair
including gift box and card.

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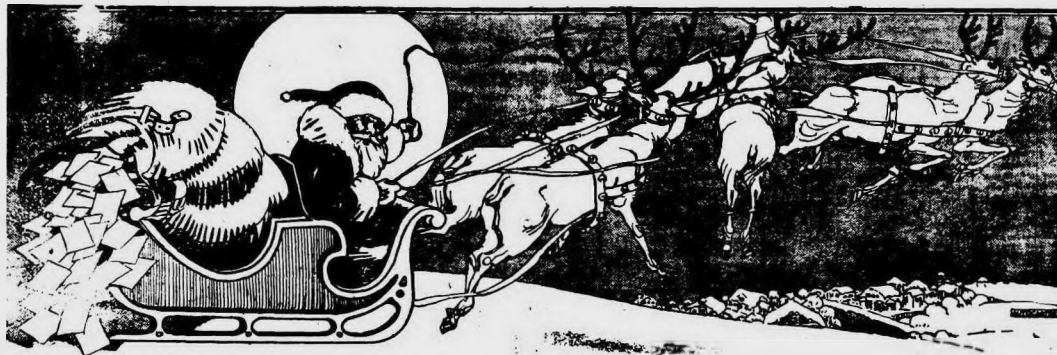
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Aristocrat—	
Lamb wool lined	\$6.50
Rabbit lined	\$5.00
Rob Roy Knit, wool lined	\$5.50
A long line of work gloves	\$1.00 to \$2.50

WE HAVE AN ATTRACTIVE LINE OF MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

Fancy Silk	\$1.00-\$1.25
White Silk	50c-\$1.25
Irish Linen	3 for \$1.00
Initial Kerchiefs	3 for \$1.00



STETSON THE MAN

The word "Stetson" has passed into the current coin of expression. If a man asks for a "Stetson" in any civilized country in the world, the dealer knows what he wants. Wherever hats are mentioned and discussed for even five minutes the word "Stetson" is used. If a man wants to express the supreme excellence of a hat he tells his customer, "It is a Stetson," or "Just as good as a Stetson," or "Exactly like a Stetson."

But no dealer, even in his wildest imaginings, describes the hat he offers as better than a "Stetson." The "Stetson" is the standard. It stands for beauty, durability, efficiency, and all that is worth while in the line of hats. It "looks" and it lasts.

Stetson made the business of hatting respectable.

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LUGGAGE



Suit Cases	\$1.35 to \$16.50
Bags	\$4.50 to \$30.00
Hat Bags	\$6.50 to \$12.50
Bill Folds	50c to \$2.50
Wardrobe Trunks	\$28.00 to \$47.50

Men's Dress Shirts



Men's Dress Shirts, with collar attached or collar to match \$2.00 to \$5.00

RALSTON SHOES



Men's Shoes or Oxfords \$6.75, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$10.00

Men's Leather and Felt House Slippers \$1.25 to \$3.50

Men's Neckwear
Ties 75c to \$2.85
Silk Scarfs \$2.50 to \$5.00
Wool Scarfs \$2.00 to \$3.00

CLOTHING
Young Men's 2 Pants Suits \$14.50 to \$24.75
Men's Suits \$20.00 to \$45.00
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Lyon Brand Work Shoes have stood the test with us for 25 years. None wear any better. \$3.00 to \$5.75

Spaulding Skates and Boots
Price Men's \$8.00
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We have a beautiful line of Men's Fancy Wool and Silk and Wool Socks. Priced at 65c to \$1.38

MEN'S BELTS
With initial buckle \$2.50
With harness buckle 50c to \$1.50
Boys' Belts 25c, 50c, \$1.00

Bathrobes \$6.50 to \$11.75
House Coats \$15.00
With slippers to match

Little Gents' Rubber Boots \$2.25

Ladies' Fancy House Slippers \$1.00 to \$2.50
Misses' and Children's 90c to \$1.50



STETSON HATS \$8.00

Portis Hats	\$1.00 to \$5.50
Caps	\$2.00 to \$3.50
Boys' Caps	\$1.00 to \$1.25

FOR MEN AND BOYS

Blazers	\$3.75 to \$11.75
Sport Coats	\$3.50 to \$8.00
Sheep-lined Coats	\$10.50 to \$16.50
Corduroy Sheep-lined Coats	\$14.00 to \$18.00
Galloway Lined Molekin and Corduroy Coats	\$18.00, \$20.00, \$21.50

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BOOTS AND SHOES

LUGGAGE

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The Christmas Gift Store

Real economy and honest quality are happily combined in any gift you may purchase at this store. Our large stocks afford every giver the opportunity of choosing just what he seeks at just the price he wants to pay. Come in tomorrow and make comparisons.



Gifts for the Children

Whether your list be large or small, you will find this store equipped to provide all those things loved by children. Prices and quality are right.

Men's Gifts

Please him Christmas morning with a gift of real value.

Shoes and Oxfords	\$3.50 to \$10.00
Comfy Slippers	\$1.75 to \$3.00
Silk and Wool Socks	50c to \$1.50
Bath Robes	\$6.00 and \$6.95
Gloves and Mittens	50c to \$5.50
Hats and Caps	\$1.00 to \$5.00
Shirts	\$1.00 to \$8.00
Night Shirts	\$1.50 to \$2.25
Pajamas	\$2.00 to \$2.50
Underwear	\$1.00 to \$5.00
Mufflers	50c to \$3.00
Handkerchiefs	10c to \$1.00
Neckties	50c to \$1.50
Scarfs	75c to \$3.50

FOR BOYS

Shoes and Oxfords	\$2.50 to \$5.00
Comfy Slippers	\$2.00
Hosiery	25c to \$1.00
Shirts	\$1.00 to \$1.25
Gloves and Mittens	25c to \$1.50
Caps	50c to \$1.50
Handkerchiefs	15c and 25c

FOR GIRLS

Pumps and Oxfords	\$2.75 to \$4.50
Comfy Slippers	\$1.00 to \$2.00
Hansen Gloves	50c to \$1.75
Hats and Caps	50c to \$1.50
Purses	50c to \$1.50

Women's Gifts

It will be a real pleasure to select her gift here.

Pumps and Oxfords	\$3.50 to \$7.50
Comfy Slippers	\$1.50 to \$2.50
Hansen Gloves	\$1.00 to \$5.00
Dresses	\$7.50 to \$25.00
Silk Underwear	\$1.50 to \$6.00
Silk Hosiery	\$1.00 to \$2.50
Boudoir Caps	65c to \$1.00
Handkerchiefs	10c to \$1.00
Purses	\$2.50 to \$9.00
Silk Slips	\$1.50 to \$3.50
Zipper Boots and Golashes	\$3.00 to \$5.50

FOR BABY

- Teething Rings
- Carriage Clips
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- Ivory Sets of Brush and Comb
- Bonnets and Hats
- Leggings
- Carriage Covers
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MICHIGAN PIGS WIN TON LITTER HONORS

WEIGHT GOAL REACHED BY 23 ENTRANTS IN TEST—ALBION MAN HOLDS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Twenty-three litters of pigs which were entered in Michigan's ton litter contest this year attained the weight goal of 2,000 pounds, according to figures given out at East Lansing this week by the M. S. C. animal husbandry department.

Fourteen cross-bred hogs owned and entered by A. C. Landenberger, Albion, won first place in the contest by tipping the scales at 3,107 pounds. Second place went to 12 Chester White grades owned by W. S. Drake and Son, Utica.

The highest average weight gain was made by a litter of eight cross-bred Hampshire and Duroc Jerseys owned by David Thompson, Akron. These hogs averaged 273 pounds when six months old.

The 23 farmers whose entries reached the coveted goal are: A. C. Landenberger, Albion, 3107 pounds; W. S. Drake and Son, Utica, 2,824; H. Brado, Coldwater, 2,766; Harry Ward, McBain, 2,750; Albert Pearce, Laport, 2,626; George M. Barth, Bangor, 2,624; Henry Jans, Fairgrove, 2,614; Herman VanSteens, McBain, 2,507; John H. Uhl & Son, Unionville, 2,500; Peter Zylstra, Zeeland, 2,484; John H. Uhl & Son, Unionville, 2,447; H. M. Randall, Tekonsha, 2,426; Hugh Ward, Fowlerville, 2,365; Clarence Blasius, Caro, 2,251; W. L. Brooks, Sunfield, 2,244; Walter Elliott, Coldwater, 2,216; Buys Brothers, Harvard, 2,192; Findlay Brothers, Vassar, 2,184; David Thompson, Akron, 2,184; Roy Bartlett, Sterling, 2,166; R. C. Elliott, Paw Paw, 2,124; Jay Wierman, Chesaning, 2,116; Leonard Mahney, Moore Park, 2,064.

Picked Up About Town

Dad Plymouth says another way to hold friends is to listen to their troubles and keep still about your own.

Edison's forecast that we will have cities and towns with low taxes, leads us to believe he is a better electrician than he is a prophet.

"The only thing more ridiculous than a man acting like a monkey," says Dad Plymouth, "is a woman dressing like a man."

Both old parties claim to be up-standing and erect, but now and then they come down with campaign hum-bago.

"I can think of a lot of things I'd rather my wife would be than a champion bridge player," says Dad Plymouth.

According to Dad Plymouth, it's as much a waste for some girls to spend hours in front of a mirror primping as it is a husband to spend hours in front of his wife trying to explain.

Queen Marie says American women are the happiest in the world. Now watch a lot of American men start throwing out their chests.

Do your Christmas shopping in Plymouth.

FURS! FURS! FURS!

I am in the market to pay you top prices for all legal caught furs, and want them if possible while fresh, before stretching, unless they are well handled.

Coon	\$7.00, \$5.00, \$3.00
Skunk	\$2.50, \$1.50, 75c, 35c
Weasel	75c, 50c, 25c, 10c

Call mornings or evenings, early if possible. Oliver Dix, Salem, Mich.; phone 7123-275. We also have some skunk, coon and rabbit hounds left.

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PROBATE NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss
At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the twenty-third day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.
Present, Henry S. Hulbert, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Katherine Conner (Katherine M. Conner), deceased.
Hazel Katherine Moon, administratrix of said estate having rendered to this Court her final account and filed therewith her petition praying that the residue of said estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto.
It is ordered, that the fourth day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Court Room be appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

HENRY S. HULBERT, Judge of Probate
Ralph J. Ziegler, Deputy Probate Register

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE

No. 124596
In the Matter of the Estate of Mary T. Hough, deceased.
We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of John S. Dayton, Plymouth, Mich., in said County, on Saturday, the 22 day of January, A. D. 1927, and on Wednesday, the 23 day of March, A. D. 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 23 day of November, A. D. 1926, were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated, November 19, 1926.
WILLIAM T. PETTINGILL,
FRANK RAMBO, Commissioners

These Improvements are Important

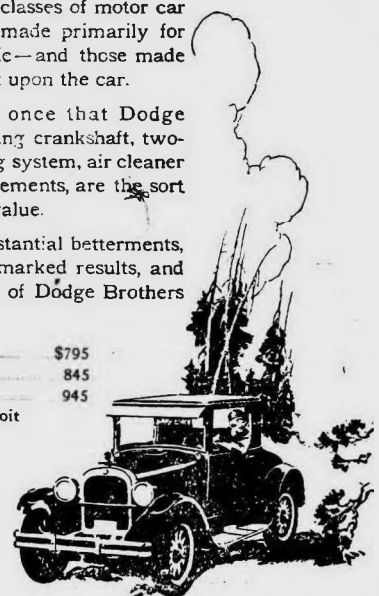
There are two general classes of motor car improvements. Those made primarily for their effect on the public—and those made primarily for their effect upon the car.

You will perceive at once that Dodge Brothers new five-bearing crankshaft, two-unit starting and lighting system, air cleaner and other recent improvements, are the sort that represent genuine value.

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Blunk Bros. Department Store invites you to pay a leisurely visit to the establishment during the gift period. The assortments of haberdashery, and various articles suitable for mannish usage, were selected from the markets of the wide world. They offer you the opportunity for choosing distinguished, practical and appropriate gifts—at much lower than you thought such fine presents cost.



for Him

A rare woman—a woman of understanding! She knew that almost any gift she chose at Blunk Bros. Department Store would be just the thing he wanted most.

If He Were to Buy His Own Gift It Would Be One of These!

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| Wool Mufflers \$1.75 to \$4.75 | House Slippers \$ 1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.50 |
| Buckskin Gloves \$3.75 | Silk and Wool Hosiery 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00 |
| Wool Sweaters \$3.00 to \$8.50 | Bath Robes \$5.00 to \$10.50 |
| Silk Neckties 75c and \$1.00 | Silk Shirts \$7.50 and \$8.00 |
| Initialed Handkerchiefs, box of 3 85c | Van Heusen Collars 50c |
| Wallets \$1.25 and \$2.75 | Sure Fit Caps \$1.75 and \$2.50 |
| Luggage, ideal gift \$1.75 to \$18.00 | Mocha Gloves \$2.00 to \$3.75 |
| Suspenders, in set 50c and 75c | Pajamas \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50 |
| Broadcloth Shirts \$1.75 and \$2.75 | Fur-lined Gloves \$6.00 |
| Wool Shirts \$2.25 and \$2.75 | Smoking Jackets \$9.00 |
| Boys' Suits \$10.75 and up | Hickok Belts and Buckle 75c to \$5.00 |



for Her

Christmas is just around the corner and we invite you here to do your Christmas shopping early.

We open wide the doors of our store to you with intense pride—with a feeling that you will find it a pleasure to fill your lists from our huge gift stocks.

Every department has been filled to overflowing with new wearables and lovely objects so dear to a woman's heart.

You can make your selections knowing that to give a gift from Blunk Bros. Department Store is to insure its quality and the pleasure of receiving it.

An Entire Store Filled With Practical and Beautiful Gifts

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| Traveling Cases, with complete toilet sets \$32.00 | Scarfs \$1.75-\$3.00 |
| Handkerchief, Powder and Perfume Sets \$1.25 | Bathrobes \$7.00 to \$9.00 |
| Gloves 75c to \$3.00 | Fancy Garters 25c and up |
| Bath Towel Sets \$1.00 to \$1.50 | Beautiful Pearl Beads \$1.00 |
| Fancy Pillow Cases \$1.75 to \$2.25 | Purses \$1.00-\$7.50 |
| Linens, per yard \$1.00-\$3.50 | Beautiful Silk and Rayon Pillows \$1.98-\$7.00 |
| Boudoir Lamps \$1.75-\$4.75 | Sweaters \$1.75-\$7.00 |
| Umbrellas \$1.25-\$8.50 | Children's Knit Hats \$2.25 |
| Vanity Cases 50c-\$1.50 | Beaded Bags \$2.25-\$5.50 |
| Handkerchiefs, each 5c to 50c | Fancy Ribbed Shoe Trees 75c |
| Hosiery \$1.00-\$2.25 | Fancy Boudoir Caps 75c-\$1.50 |
| | Ladies' Jersey Slips, all sizes \$3.75 |

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MUNICIPAL NOTES
BY THE MANAGER

Attention of automobile drivers is called to the fact that another step in the standardization of driving rules has been taken. The new traffic ordinance which Detroit has recently passed, is the "uniform ordinance" which over two hundred cities and villages in the state have put in force. Plymouth passed this ordinance a year ago. Therefore, Detroit drivers should have no difficulty in Plymouth, nor Plymouth drivers in Detroit—if they obey the rules.

The outside work of the village for the year is closed except for any emergency that may arise. The snow left on the streets by the storm Saturday night is engaging our attention now. We haven't, for a long time, had so much snow to care for this early in the season.

Up to date this year, seventy-two water taps have been added to our water lines. This is slightly behind last year's record.

Monday morning the fire department was called to the Hadley residence on South Harvey street, where a flaming oil stove was causing trouble. The damage to the house was very slight.

A week ago Friday and Saturday, the manager represented this village at the third annual conference of sewage treatment plant operators, held at Lansing, in the offices of the Bureau of Engineering of the State Health Department. There were very interesting discussions of the problems and troubles of the plants in various parts of this state and others. Plymouth is fortunate in not having to handle in its plant industrial wastes, which are difficult to treat. The one trouble which Plymouth will have to guard against, in common with all other cities, is the oil and grease which comes mostly from garages. The general decision of the conference was that some means must be perfected to trap out this material before it gets to the sewers at all, and provide penalties for letting it get into the public sewers.

Another very interesting subject was brought up by Captain McClure, city engineer of Flint. This concerned the financing of the operation of sewage treatment plants. A plant of this sort is not a direct benefit to any particular piece of property which may be connected to the sewers. It may add a little to the value of a lot that is situated in a city possessing such mod-

ern utilities as sewers and disposal plants, but the greatest use of such a plant is to the cities or inhabitants lower down on the stream into which the effluent of the disposal plant is discharged, in that nuisances are prevented. Again, such a plant is usually hidden away at some distance from town and is not directly evident to the taxpayers, as are pavements, parks, lights, sidewalks, etc. These circumstances make it hard in many places to persuade the voters to authorize the money necessary for the construction of the treatment plants.

We didn't have that trouble here in Plymouth, fortunately. The same conditions make it hard also many times to get the money to give the treatment plant, after it is built, the necessary care to ensure its proper and efficient working. Especially where, as in Plymouth, there is a limit to the tax rate, the more obvious improvements and utilities get the money grants, while if there is any question, appropriations for remote benefits such as sewage plants are cut to such an extent that real care becomes hard if not impossible.

Therefore the plan proposed by Flint is to place the sewers and plant upon a utility basis and charge for the service in the same manner that the water, gas and lights are charged for. The proposal is to make this charge some proportion of the water bill, since the water used from the water mains practically all finds its way through various plumbing fixtures into the sewer. For lots not as yet built upon a "ready to serve" charge would be made, since the value of such lots is enhanced by the possibility of sewer connection when needed.

This method of financing the operation of a sewage plant would automatically grow as the population grows, and as the need for more care and attention at the plant becomes necessary. The cost to a taxpayer under this plan would be more nearly in proportion to the service rendered to him by the sewage system than under any other plan as yet evolved.

At this coming session of the state legislature, the League of Michigan Municipalities will sponsor a bill to permit the placing of sewage treatment plants on a utility basis as above outlined. It is a measure which can be fairly championed because it appears to be a step in advance along a line of municipal financing which has needed assistance for years.

"The world has about gotten to the point," asserts Dad Plymouth, "that a girl thinks there is something the matter with her if nobody stares at her."

If you'll notice carefully as you go along you'll see every now and then a cute little Plymouth girl who looks like she wished it was summer again.



Don't Let Winter Make You a Prisoner

There isn't much pleasure in sitting cooped up in the house every evening and all through the week-end. Winter weather seldom makes prisoners of folks who own a Ford. They run over to visit with friends, or drive out for a week-end in the country whenever they want to, and they do it in comfort the year 'round. Buy your Ford now and enjoy the best that every season brings. Five beautiful new body colors all in the new Pyroxylin finish.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:00 A. M.—Morning Worship 7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship 11:30 A. M.—Sunday-school

Walter Nichol, Minister

10:00 a. m.—“The Credentials of a Leader.”

7:30 p. m.—Union Hi-Y Service at Baptist Church.

11:30 a. m.—Sunday-school

6:30 p. m.—Young People

CATHOLIC NOTES

Our first bazaar will be held starting today (Friday), Saturday and Sunday. Just come and see the many articles on display. You can do your Christmas shopping here. Fancy work booth—Mrs. H. P. Lezotte and Mrs. H. Maskell; apron booth—Mrs. Passage, Mrs. LeDuc and Mrs. VanBonn; dolls—Mrs. Wilske and Mrs. G. Roth; fish pond—Mrs. LaFond and Miss Clara Yester; candy—Miss Mertens; country store—T. Lewandowski, P. Miller and Mr. Koss; lunches—Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Welzer, Mrs. Yucharz and Mrs. Keuter. For the convenience of those unable to attend sooner, doors will be open Sunday.

BAPTIST NOTES

The morning service last Sunday was an hour of meditation on the return of Jesus Christ, text II Thes. 2:1. At the close of the service the pastor gave the right hand of fellowship to six new members. Let every member make them welcome.

The cottage prayer meetings for the month of December, will be as follows: Dec. 15, at the parsonage; Dec. 23, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Patterson; Dec. 30, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beckwith, at 7:00 o'clock each evening.

Remember the ladies' bazaar and chicken supper at the church, Thursday afternoon and evening, December 10th. Get your Christmas gifts there. The garage at the parsonage is nearly finished, and will be a great blessing to the pastor, as well as the church. The pastor and church desire to thank all who helped in any way to make this a success.

Next Sunday evening, the Hi-Y will give the report of their conference held at Jackson, at this church. A union meeting—fill the church.

Last Sunday evening was spent in looking at the pictures of the Moody Bible Institute, of Chicago. Everyone expressed delight for the privilege of seeing the pictures and getting a better knowledge of the work of the institute for 40 years. The institute started with one building, and now there are 27 in the group. 10,000 ministers and 1,500 missionaries have gone out from the school, and hundreds of laymen and christian workers. The matter of faith enters in, as the expense this year will be one million dollars, and comes by free will offerings.

If you haven't your ticket for a trip to the Baptist mission fields, get it of Mr. Postiff or Miss Scott. We start January 1, 1927.

The monthly meeting of the Golden Rule class, Mrs. Sayles, teacher, was held at the home of Miss Irene Livingston on Ann street, last Tuesday evening, and a very happy time was enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be at the parsonage.

The Christmas program is under way, and rehearsing is the order of the day for the Sunday-school people.

METHODIST NOTES

While the work of renovation is being done, the services are being held in the church house.

It is expected that the orchestra will begin its existence next Sunday.

The Christmas party of the Ladies Aid-Missionary Society was a great success. A dinner, an exciting program which included Santa, and their largest attendance, made them all feel happy.

PRESBYTERIAN NOTES

Rehearsals for the Christmas pageant, to be presented Wednesday, December 22nd, in the church, have begun. The pageant includes a large number of the members of the school and promises to be very beautiful and effective. The next rehearsal will be Monday evening.

The evening service at the Presbyterian church will be withdrawn for Sunday, December 12th, and we will join in the union Hi-Y service at the Baptist church.

The young people had a social gathering at the church Tuesday evening. Despite the unfavorable weather, a fine company of young folks assembled and spent a joyous evening.

The Busy Women's Bible Class will meet on Tuesday of next week, at the home of Mrs. Raphael Metteral. There will be the usual pot-luck dinner and business session, besides which there will be a “Christmas Pie,” to which each woman is asked to contribute an article to cost not more than twenty-five cents.

The men of the congregation are reminded that another dinner meeting of the class is at hand, Tuesday evening, December 14th, is the date; 6:30 p. m., the hour. There will be a fine program, fine fellowship and a fine dinner all for seventy-five cents. All men are welcome. The committee has secured Rev. S. Conger Hathaway, former minister of this church, who has promised to address the men.

The Ready Service class will meet at the church, Tuesday, to enjoy a pot-luck dinner, transact necessary business, share in an interesting program and in a “Christmas Pie,” to which each member is asked to contribute an article not to exceed twenty-five cents in cost, and then prepare the dinner for the men's class.

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7:30 p. m.—Union Service at the Baptist Church.

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Sundays—Mass at 8:00 and 10:00.
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Week-days—Mass at 7:30. This hour makes it convenient for the children to attend on their way to school. All should begin the day with God.

Societies—The Holy Name society for all men and young men. Communion the second Sunday of the month.

Altar Society—Comprising all the ladies and young ladies. Communion the third Sunday of each month. Children of Mary—Every child of the parish must belong and must go to communion every fourth Sunday of the month.

Catechism—Every Saturday, Mass at 8:00. Instructions by Fr. Lefevre immediately after. Questions by Miss Mary Mertens and Miss M. E. Lehman. All children are obliged to attend these instructions.

First Church of Christ, Scientist

First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner Main and Dodge streets, Sunday morning service, 10:30 o'clock. Subject—“God the Preserver of Man.”

Wednesday evening testimony service, 7:30. Reading room in rear of church open daily from 2 to 4 p. m., except Sundays and holidays. Everyone welcome. A lending library of Christian Science literature is maintained.

Livonia Center Community Church

Sunday Services—11:00 a. m., worship and sermon by the pastor, Dr. Helen R. Phelps; 12:00 noon, Sunday-school, Dale Wilson, superintendent; 7:30, song service and sermon by pastor, Thursday, 7:30 p. m., mid-week prayer and praise service. Temporary meeting place, Livonia town hall, Five Mile and Farmington roads.

Baptist

Rev. Horace E. Sayles, Pastor
Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30.

Covenant meeting, the last Thursday evening in each month.

Sunday—10:00 a. m., preaching service, 11:30 a. m., Sunday-school, 6:00 p. m., B. Y. P. U., 7:30 p. m., preaching service.

Methodist

Dr. F. A. Lendrum, Minister
Morning worship, 10:00 a. m. Sunday-school, 11:40 a. m., Epworth League praise service, 6:30 p. m., Evening praise and sermon, 7:30 p. m., Mid-week fellowship meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Lutheran

Rev. Charles Strasen, Pastor

There will be English services in the morning and German services in the evening. In both services the Lord's supper will be celebrated. Confessional services in the morning begin at 10 o'clock. All who wish to partake of holy communion in either of these services should announce himself Friday afternoon or evening.
Advent services in English Thursday evening at 7:30.
Sunday school at 11:30.

St. John's Episcopal

Rev. Charles Wesley, Missioner.

Third Sunday in Advent—Divine service Sunday morning at 10:30; sermon by Rev. Charles Wesley.
Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.
All are welcome.

Livonia Center Lutheran Church

Rev. O. J. Peters, Pastor
There will be regular services at the Livonia Center Lutheran church on Sunday, December 12th, in the German language. Sunday-school at the usual time in the English language. Everyone welcome.

Livonia Union Church

Morning worship at 11:00 a. m.; sermon by the pastor, Rev. H. O. Lucas. Sunday-day school at 12:00 noon; James Siler, superintendent, Harmon Kingsley, chorister. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.; sermon by pastor. Special music by Men's Octette. You should not miss this fine singing.
Mid-week prayer meeting on Thursday, at 7:30 p. m., led by Earl Buxtresser.

Remember the bazaar and chicken dinner Friday afternoon and evening, December 10th. Dinner at 5:00 p. m., until all are served; adults, 50c; children, 35c.

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