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Church News

Stark School News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. G. H. Ess, Th.D., pastor. Last Sunday we reached the high mark of Sunday school attendance in 20 years. After the unfortunate experience of some eight or nine years ago this is good news to our membership. Let this be an inspiration to greater efforts for all of us. Special Christmas morning worship this Sunday at 10 a.m.; Sunday school at 11:15 a.m., book review on Paul's first epistle to the Corinthians. At 7 p.m. the children's department under the direction of Mrs. Allenbaugh will present a Christmas pageant, "Wherever The Star Shines," with more than 30 children participating. Then the primary and beginners under the direction of Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Johnson will do their part with songs and recitations. Everyone is invited to enjoy the program. This Friday night, December 20, the Men's Study group will meet in the church for a friendly get-together in a Christmas mood. Let's all be there, boys. Mrs. William Johnson has invited the Women's Missionary society to her home on Holbrook for Thursday, December 26, at 1:30 p.m. On Friday, December 27, the Sunday school staff is invited to the pastor's home for communion and fellowship at 7:30 p.m. The result of the Ladies' Aid election: President, Mrs. Lorone Aquino; first vice president, Mrs. Grace Widmaier; second vice president, Mrs. Dorothy Diederick; secretary, Mrs. Inez Bakewell; treasurer, Mrs. Lulu Lasslett.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN church.—Walter Nichol, pastor. 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. congregational worship. Most of the church activities this week center around the thought of Christmas. Several groups of the Sunday school, departments and classes have already had their entertainments. Sunday morning at the Sunday school hour, the junior department under the direction of Mrs. Watson will present a Christmas program in the hall of the church. Parents and friends are invited to attend. Congregational worship is at 11 o'clock. The pastor will have as the subject of his sermon "The Lord of Life." The senior and junior choirs, directed by Dr. C. N. Kephart, have prepared a program of Christmas music. Mr. Green has promised, beautifully, to sing at church on Sunday, December 15. This will be the Christmas worship service of this church. It is for all. George A. Smith's class with Mrs. Gerald Hondorp as president has given a fine Christmas appearance to the front of the church by decorations and lighting of the Christmas tree. The Lord's Supper will be observed January 5, at the hour of morning worship.

PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLIES of God, Berea Gospel Chapel, Corner of Mill street and Ann Arbor Trail. Rev. John W. Kuy pastor. Sunday school, 10:00 a.m.; morning worship, 11:00 a.m.; young people C.A., 6:30 p.m.; evening service, 7:30 p.m.; prayer and praise service, Thursday, 7:45 p.m. This Sunday evening, December 22, we will have our Christmas program beginning at 7:00. Come and enjoy the service with us. We will also have a pageant by the C. A. group entitled "The Star." We extend a welcome to one and all. Luke 10:11. And the angel said unto them: Fear not; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall come to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior which is Christ the Lord.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE.—Holbrook and Pearl streets. Robert A. North, pastor. 10:00 a.m. Bible school; 11:00, morning worship; 6:30, young people; 7:30, evening worship. Mid-week devotions Wednesday, 7:30. Our Christmas program will be held on Sunday night, December 22, at 7 o'clock. All classes in the Sunday school will take part, bringing forth the message of Christmas. We are sure you will enjoy the songs and recitations and especially the candle-light service. Everybody is welcome.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST church.—Our Sabbath school services begin at 2:00 p.m. every Saturday afternoon. They are held in the Jewell and Blach building on the Ann Arbor trail. The preaching service begins at 8:15 p.m. Prayer meetings are held every Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Jewell and Blach building. Young People's Missionary volunteer meetings are held every Friday evening at the home of John Denski, 1741 Ann Arbor road.

FIRST METHODIST.—Stanford S. Closson, minister. 10 a.m. Sunday school; Christmas lesson, 11:00 a.m.; church service—Special music for Christmas including the Hallelujah chorus by the choir. Junior church and nursery care of children as usual. 6 p.m., Epworth League; 7:30 p.m., evening service. Christmas Cantata, "The King Cometh," will be sung by the choir. Tuesday, 11 p.m., Christmas eve midnight communion service by candle-light.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL church.—Harvey and Maple streets. Holy communion and sermon at 10:00 a.m.; church school, 11:30 a.m. Girls' Friendly society meets every Thursday at 3:45 p.m., under the direction of Mrs. Christianson. No services will be held on Christmas day. The Christmas communion will be on Sunday, December 22.

ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN church.—Edgar Hoenecke, pastor. Children's Christmas eve service, 7:00 p.m. Christmas morning service, 10:30 a.m. The choir will sing carols at Eloise Sunday, December 22 and at the homes of our shut-ins on the evening of the same day. "And they came with haste and found Joseph and Mary, and the babe lying in a manger. And they fell down and worshipped Him." Come, and do thou likewise!

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST Scientist.—Sunday morning service, 10:30. Sunday school at 10:30. Pupils received up to the age of 20 years. Wednesday evening testimonv service, 8:00.

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" will be the subject of the lesson-lesson in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, December 22. The Golden Text (Isaiah 45: 18) is: "Thus saith the Lord that created the heavens: God himself that formed the earth and made it: I am the Lord and there is none else." Among the Bible citations is this passage (Psalms 148: 1, 5): "Praise ye the Lord. Praise ye the Lord from the heavens: praise him in the heights. Let them praise the name of the Lord: for he commanded and they were created." Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p. 337): "The visible universe and material man are the poor counterfeits of the invisible universe and spiritual man."

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.—Holbrook and Hardinberg, Lynn B. Stout, pastor. "Believe it or not" before you read this column next week Christmas will have come and gone. The Stout family desires to say in the most hearty way that we know how to the Plymouth Mail, the community of Plymouth, yes, to every one who reads these lines—"Merry Christmas to you!" Preaching service Sunday at 10 a.m.; Bible school at 11:15 a.m. The Sunday school will present their Christmas program at the evening service, 7:30. The children will speak their pieces first and the young people will present their pageant "Watchers on the Hills" afterwards. Don't miss this. Bulls Eye No. 88: You will never find God's best gift on the Christmas tree—you must go to another tree for that gift—it's the old rugged cross (tree) at Calvary. Why not accept Him?

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

ROSEDALE GARDENS PRESBYTERIAN church.—John B. Forsyth, minister. Christmas observances will begin with special programs in the church school departments at 4:45. At the Christmas service at 11 o'clock, Mr. Forsyth will speak on "The New Born Child and the Fearful King." The church school will have its White Christmas vespers at 5 o'clock, presenting in carol service "Christmas Around the World" directed by Mrs. Lester Bookout. The combined choirs under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd F. Nelson will present an hour of carols Christmas eve at 10:45. Everyone is invited to these services of the Christmas season.

SALVATION ARMY.—Tuesday, 7:15, service at prison farm; 8:30, band practice, Wednesday, 7:30, prayer meeting; 8:30, preparation class. Thursday, 2:00 p.m., Women's Home League; 7:15, Girl Guards. Sunday, 10:00 a.m., Sunday school; 11:00 a.m., Holiness meeting; 6:15 p.m., young people's legion; 7:30, open air; 8:00, public salvation meeting. We cordially invite the public to attend these services. Officers in charge, Captain Elizabeth Lemorie, Cadet Lovilla Bonser.

stopping at Algeria near the Atlantic ocean. We are now traveling on the Atlantic ocean in a freight boat. We are now in New York and are being taken to a storehouse in a truck. If I come to your store and if you buy me, please eat me last of all!"

A letter to Santa Claus (By Patricia Byrd)

I would like a pair of skates. I wouldn't leave them by the gate. I would like a pair of boots. I could then go kids and roof. Fill my stockings not with switches. Fill them, please, with fairy wishes. If you'll put them by the tree I shall very joyful be.

A Letter to Santa Claus (By Joyce Booker)

I would like a pair of skis. Will you bring them to me, please? Down the hills I then may fly Like a bird up in the sky. Fill my sock with fruits so sweet That will be a dandy treat. Put them by our Christmas tree And them just to me.

The Stark school P.T.A. meeting will be held Tuesday night December 17 because of a special meeting that has been called for Wednesday night.

The entertainment for the evening will be a white elephant party. All attending the party are asked to bring a gift or something from around the house that may be exchanged.

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City Lodges 419 Vagrants at City Jail During Past Year

The number of vagrants on the road is often considered an index of business activity throughout the country, and Plymouth records a total of 419 vagrants given lodging during the last year at the city jail. The monthly ratio of these "travelers" housed at the local police station rises and falls according to both general business conditions and the weather. Like the birds, the ranks of "men on the move" hibernate during the cold winter months of January and February, and come out heavily in the spring and fall.

The largest number of registered "guests" at the city hall during the last year was recorded during the month of May when 62 men asked for a warm place to stay overnight. October rated second with 47 and April third with 31. The lodgers dropped off during January to 13 and in February to 17. The registry book reveals the names of men from New York to California and from Texas to northern Canada.

Not all of these lodgers are tramps although a large number qualify as professional hobos, who hop rides on freight trains in search of adventure. Some of them, however, are young men hitch-hiking either for adventure or in search of work. When funds give out and rides grow scarce, the novelty of this kind of life disappears and the young travelers grow tired and hungry and turn to the police for help.

On Thanksgiving day, two young fellows from Flint, who started to run away from home asked for lodging, and police called their parents to come and get them and return home. A couple of years ago an attractive 18-year-old girl from Caro, who was evidently movie-struck, asked for a night's lodging in Plymouth while enroute to California to seek her fortune. Chief V. R. Smith took the girl to his own home where Mrs. Smith fed her and made her comfortable for the night. The police chief advised the girl to return home which she did the next morning after thanking the Smiths for their hospitality. Some time later the Smiths stopped at a hotel coffee shop in Caro and found the girl working there.

One of the most interesting lodgers, the chief reports, was a professional wrestler enroute to Jackson where he was scheduled to appear. In return for a night's lodging, the wrestler divulged a few tricks of his trade.

As many as 14 or 15 lodgers are sometimes accommodated in an evening. Buns and coffee are served the "guests" for breakfast. Very often a lodger will get odd jobs and remain in the city for a few days before continuing on his way.

New Rotary Club at Garden City

With a membership of 25 members, the new Rotary club at Garden City was inducted into existence last Thursday night at one of the biggest banquets ever held in that city.

Matthew Tinkham, of Wayne, presided as master of ceremonies. It was the Wayne club which sponsored the organization of the new club. The Wayne club also sponsored the Plymouth club when it was organized.

Mayor Robert Holland of Garden City welcomed the several hundreds of visitors.

Arthur Fitzgerald of Windsor, former district governor, made the address of the evening.

The officers and members of the club are:

Dr. Wheeler H. Kern, president; Vernon Kingsley, vice president; Paul Caldwell, secretary; Ralph Ellsworth, treasurer; Glenn Donner, Carl Heavin and Cecil Hershey, directors; Max M. Brown, Roy E. Campbell, Barney Handlar, Gordon Leadbetter, Chester Mathewson, Arthur Nagle, R. R. Rives, Myron Sempliner, Wallace S. Willman, Melvin N. Burger, Everett Davis, Robert Holland, Seymour Lipssett, Francis L. McManus, Walter Parmalee, Frank S. Ryndick, Edward J. Weston and Sol S. Wolf.

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Society

Mrs. Gayle Donnelly and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Donnelly and family of this city, attended a dinner party Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gabel in Detroit, honoring the eighty-seventh birthday anniversary of the former's mother, Mrs. Catherine McIlhargie. Each year the family gets together on year the family gets together on when present were Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Fanning and daughter, Mary, of Harrison; Mr. and Mrs. B. A. McIlhargie and family, of Ypsilanti; Miss Elizabeth DeWaele, of Trenton; Mrs. Edna Ryan of Lansing; Miss Dorothy Moran, of Fort Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Binkle, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gavigan, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Binkle and E. Bailey, of Detroit. Many lovely gifts were bestowed upon Mrs. McIlhargie which she prizes very highly.

Mrs. Alice Michaels and Mrs. Raymond Rutherford entertained at a miscellaneous shower at their home on Harris road last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Ruby Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wilson who will become the bride of Russell McCordell Sunday. The honored guest was the recipient of many nice gifts from the friends present who came from Wayne, Ann Arbor, Northville, Pontiac, Ypsilanti and Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Clemmons and Mr. and Mrs. Creel Conover of Ann Arbor, will be guests Christmas eve of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Otwell for supper. On Christmas day dinner guests will be Mrs. Mary Mehrkamper, mother of Mrs. Otwell and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mehrkamper and daughter, Joan, of Detroit.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson were hosts to the following for an evening of "500" and the annual Christmas party and giving of gifts: Mr. and Mrs. George Gottschalk, Mr. and Mrs. Oral Rathbun, Mr. and Mrs. George Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shipley and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kincaide.

A large group of Plymouth folks gathered in Hill auditorium in Ann Arbor, for an evening for the annual concert by the Choral Union, of which Mrs. M. J. O'Conner, Mrs. Maurice Woodworth, Marian Beyer and Carol Campbell, of this city, are members.

Official Proceedings of The Commission

Plymouth, Michigan
December 16, 1940

A regular meeting of the City Commission held in the City Hall on Monday, December 16, 1940, at 7:30 p.m.

Present: Mayor Whipple, Commissioners Hondorp, Robinson, Wilson and Worth.
Absent: None.

The minutes of the regular meeting of December 2 and the special meeting of December 9 were approved as read.

The following reports were read by the Clerk: (1) Milk Report (2) Fire Report.

It was moved by Comm. Wilson and supported by Comm. Robinson that the reports be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

A communication was received from V. R. Smith, Chief of Police, recommending that "No Parking" be allowed on the west side of Harvey street between Church and Ann Arbor Trail designating the same to be a fire route and on the south side of Main street between the P.M.R.R. and Amelia street.

It was moved by Comm. Hondorp and supported by Comm. Robinson that the recommendations of the Chief of Police be accepted and approved. Carried.

It was moved by Comm. Wilson and supported by Comm. Worth that the City Manager be authorized to employ additional help in the Police Department and funds in the amount of \$420.00 be transferred from the Contingent Fund to the Police Fund to take care of the same.

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

The City Attorney reported on a tax matter which is in the hands of the Prosecuting Attorney.

A petition was presented for a curb and gutter on Pacific and Williams.

It was moved by Comm. Hondorp and supported by Comm. Worth that the petition, signed by approximately 40 per cent of the owners, be referred back to the circulators for more signatures. Carried.

The City Manager presented bids for a Pick-up to be used in the Water Department.

It was moved by Comm. Hondorp and supported by Comm. Worth that the City Manager be authorized to purchase a new Pick-up for the Water Dept. from E. J. Allison (Chevrolet Motors) whose bid was the lowest.

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

It was moved by Comm. Worth and supported by Comm. Hondorp that bills in the amount of \$4,517.97 be approved.

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

It was moved by Comm. Hondorp and supported by Comm. Worth that the meeting be adjourned. Time of adjournment—9:00.

W. H. WHIPPLE, Mayor
CLARENCE ELLIOTT, Clerk

Merry Christmas

For joyous days and happy hearts, we wish you and your family a Merry Christmas.

Merry Christmas

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Merry Christmas

May your home be garlanded with the happiness of a true and joyous Christmas.

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Locals

Mrs. Harry Wiseman visited relatives in Detroit last week.

Kenneth Greer, of Sault Ste. Marie, plans to spend the holidays in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson entertained their cousins of Garden City, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Theur of Garden City, were Sunday visitors in Plymouth.

Mrs. Florence Baum is spending the winter in the W. H. Scott home on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Owens, of Pontiac, were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Terry.

Mrs. Ida Cowgill of Sabina, Ohio, is expected for the holidays in the home of her son, Carl L. Cowgill, and family.

Mrs. Tracey Pasase, of Rose street, underwent an operation in Mt. Carmel hospital, Detroit, last week.

Mrs. John Henderson was hostess Wednesday evening at the annual Yuletide party of the SYG club, in her home on Auburn avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lombard plan to leave Tuesday, for Champaign, Illinois, to spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. James Lendrum, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony S. Matulis will spend the holiday vacation period at the home of Mrs. Matulis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stein of Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chapman will join her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Johnson, in Detroit for dinner, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Blair recently entertained a group of friends at dinner and bridge, in their home on East Ann Arbor Trail.

The Jollyate bridge club will have luncheon and afternoon of bridge with Mrs. John Kahrl on Friday, December 27, in her home on South Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Innis are leaving Sunday for Florida where they will spend two weeks with their son, Richard, who is stationed there.

Mrs. Florence Webber leaves Sunday to spend the holidays with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Hornbeck, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wilson of Detroit were visitors Sunday at their Canton Center road farm. They will not leave for Florida until after Christmas.

Mrs. Paul W. Butz and son, Jack, leave today (Friday) for Angola, Indiana, where they will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Whitman, during the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cash Jr. plan to leave, Monday evening, for Chicago, where they will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cash, returning home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Chambers were last week Saturday afternoon visitors of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Vosburgh, and also Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Runyon, in Fenton.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott leave Saturday to spend the holidays with their son and family in Worcester, Massachusetts. Mrs. Scott will remain for some time in the East.

Miss Ruth Hadley has returned to Canton, Ohio, where she is a member of a musical trio which broadcasts over a large radio station in that city. She has been visiting her parents for a short time.

Marvin Wilson, who enlisted, and is with the national guard at Camp Beauregard in Alexandria, Louisiana, will spend his holiday furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson, on Plymouth road, arriving December 23 and returning to camp December 30.

Mrs. Edward Dobbs, Mrs. H. L. Wood and Mrs. Olivia Williams were in charge of the meeting of Circle No. 4 of the Women's auxiliary of the Presbyterian church when they met for a social evening and business meeting recently to make plans for their bake sale to be held in the C. F. Smith store next Saturday. All kinds of Christmas cookies and candies will be sold along with other baked goods.

The many friends of Mary K. Hillmer, who is residing with her son, Davis Hillmer, in Detroit, will be glad to learn that she is steadily recovering from injuries she received in a recent mishap. On December 4 she was knocked down on the streets of Detroit by a street car and was taken to Receiving hospital first and then moved to Ford hospital, remaining there until Monday of this week. Mrs. Hillmer sustained many bruises on her face, head and body, but, fortunately, no bones were broken.

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Greetings and good wishes. May your Yuletide season be a merry one.

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Methodist Church Plans Cantata and Special Music

Senior Choir Sings "The King Cometh" on Sunday Evening

Special services with Christmas music are planned at the First Methodist church of Plymouth next Sunday morning and evening, December 22.

The 11 o'clock Sunday morning service will include the selection "Dost Thou in a Manger Lie," by the quartette composed of Herbert Bond, Austin Whipple, Alfred Gignac and Alfred Smith. James Sessions will sing a solo, "Christmas Alleluia" by Gaines. Alfred Gignac and the choir will sing the anthem, "The Birthday of a King," by Nevin. Mrs. Thomas Locke and Mrs. Michael O'Conner will play a piano and organ accompaniment by Demarest, and the choir will sing the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's "Messiah."

Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, the senior choir will present the cantata, "The King Cometh," by Stults. Soloists will be as follows: Mrs. James Sessions, Mrs. John Osterhoudt, Mrs. Thomas Locke, Mrs. Bernard Curtis, Mrs. George Curtis Jr., Austin Whipple, George Curtis, Jr., Herbert Bond, Alfred Gignac and Alfred Smith.

A candlelight communion service on Christmas eve, December 24, at 11 o'clock, will include a reading, "The Christmas Silence" by Mrs. Horace Thatcher and a group of choir selections, "The Star in the East," an old Swedish ballad; "Carol of the Sheep Bells," Slovak carol; "March of the Three Kings," Provencal carol; "A Lullaby for Christmas," and "Sing Noel." Mrs. James Sessions and the men of the choir will sing "Lullay, Little Son, Lullay," from "Bethlehem," and Mrs. George Curtis Jr. and Mrs. John Osterhoudt will sing two selections from Handel's "Messiah," "He Shall Feed His Flocks" and "Come Unto Him." A quartet of Mrs. James Sessions, Mrs. George Curtis, Herbert Bond and Alfred Smith will sing "Benedictus Qui Venit" and "Here We Offer Ourselves."

The only monument to birds in the world is in Salt Lake City, Utah. It was erected to sea gulls which devoured a plague of locusts and saved the settlers from famine in 1848.

But It's True



THE MAN WHOSE FEET ARE THREE FEET LONG—ALTHOUGH HE IS OF NORMAL HEIGHT—HENRY PRITCHARD OF GLOVER, SCOTLAND.



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Mr. McClernan, working in a clothing factory, reported afterwards that he heard a terrific detonation, looked up and saw three fellow-workers on the floor. He himself had been thrown over too. None was seriously hurt. But Mr. McClernan's clothing was spread all over the building. Mr. Pritchard is only two feet two inches longer than his feet. Miss Sauterna weighed only one pound, was placed in a two-quart milk bottle because the doctor on the case thought that would be a good place to keep her warm.

The Song of the Angels

One of the sweetest songs ever heard on earth is surely that one sung by the heavenly host of angels (Luke 2:14). "On earth peace, good will toward men." The occasion of the song was the birth at Bethlehem of the babe Jesus.

The prophecy of peace made on that brilliant starlit night will some day be fulfilled universally, since a desire for peace has ever been cherished in the hearts of men. We may ask why it is, then, that this desire is not being more speedily realized. The reason undoubtedly is that men have look-

ed for peace where no peace is to be found. No merely material system, supported by physical force, can offer lasting peace. Today, many earnest endeavors are being made to reconcile men and nations, and to bring to all a fairer share of the earth's goods, thus eliminating, in some degree, the evils that tend to foment the worst passions in men, which often reach their climax in war. But material methods, even those motivated by unselfish desires, cannot bring about permanent peace, for this peace is found only in the realm of Spirit.

To reach a scientific, right conclusion we must of necessity start with a correct premise. In "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," Mary Baker Eddy writes (p. 492): "For right reasoning there should be but one fact before the thought, namely, spiritual existence. In reality there is no other existence, since Life cannot be united to its unlikeness, mortality." We learn from the Scriptures that God created all, "and, behold, it was very good" (Genesis 1: 31). The universe and the inhabitants thereof, then, are perfect, like their creator, and God's law of peace and harmony reigns supreme. This is spiritual fact.

The mist or Adam dream of which we read in the second chapter of Genesis, presents the falsity that man is mortal and material, created out of dust and governed by various so-called powers, claiming to be both good

and evil. From this false premise arise the claims of misunderstanding, rivalry, greed, strife, sickness, chaos and death. This false premise implies also that man can be the football of chance and change, which is of course a lie.

God, the divine Principle of man, perpetuates man as his reflection. It is not true that the child of God is both good and evil, peaceful and discordant, loving and hateful. These are but false beliefs of mortals, which are dispelled when we realize that man is what the Scriptures declare him to be, the image of his creator. Our freedom comes, then, as we recognize and acknowledge our true relationship to the Father, gratefully perceiving that "now are we the sons of God" (1 John 3: 2)—now, not sometime in a vague future, in a far-away place, but here and now. As children of God we dwell always in unity and peace.

All will agree that peace is a quality of divine Mind. Then it logically follows that peace is inherent in man, the representative of God. Peace cannot be lessened or destroyed, for it is now and forever established. And Love is awakening human consciousness to this great spiritual fact.

In the proportion that they understand the truth about God and man, men learn to trust in God more fully, and fear, suspicion, selfishness, and hatred correspondingly decrease. This Christlike understanding is expressed in the love which knows no destructive criticism, no greed, no resentment; in the joy which knows no gloom; in the gratitude which knows no fear. As the vision of spiritual good is cherished in individual consciousness, it serves as a beacon light to brighten our pathway in our ascent above mortal, material sense testimony. As "every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation" (Revelation 5: 9) learns to turn to God, Spirit, as all-power, universal peace will be demonstrated in human experience. May our prayer be that peace be not only talked, but so lived that the passerby will feel its holy influence. Mrs. Eddy says in "The First Church of Christ, Scientist, and Miscellany" (p. 279): "The First Commandment in the Hebrew Decalogue 'Thou shalt have no other gods before me' obeyed, is sufficient to still all strife. God is the divine Mind. Hence the sequence: Had all peoples one Mind, peace would reign." When the world has learned to obey the one Mind, God, then we shall be able to sing with the angels, "On earth peace, good will toward men," in perfect confidence that permanent peace has been established.

At least 18 and a half million fur animals were trapped in 43 states and Alaska last year, according to estimates compiled by the Fish and Wildlife Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Ham entertained at dinner, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Calhoun, in celebration of the former's eleventh wedding anniversary.

Canton-Beck Home Nursing Class Meets

The Canton-Beck Home Nursing group met at the home of Mrs. Allan W. Campbell on Joy road, Thursday, December 12. Miss Georgina Reid, leader, gave a demonstration lesson on the making and use of poultices. After the lesson the group enjoyed a Christmas party and lunch. The next lesson will be held January 9 at the home of Mrs. Lester Corwin on Ridge road. On January 16 the group will go the Wayne library to attend a meeting of the newly organized health guild.

Christmas Music at Morning Service

Special Christmas music at the First Presbyterian church of Plymouth for the Sunday morning service will include "Bethlehem" as the prelude, the "Pastoral Symphony" from Handel's "Messiah" as the offertory, and a solo, "Comfort, Ye My People," also from the "Messiah" by Edwin Cambell.

The anthems to be sung are "Gesu Bambino" and "There Were Shepherds," after which the junior choir will sing "The Sleep of the Child Jesus." Wachs' "Hosanna" will be played as the postlude of the regular Sunday morning service.

Letter From Italy Tells of Hunger

Innocent victims of the war—women, children and old men—are in destitution in Italy, according to a letter received by a well-known Italian resident of this part of Wayne county, from his mother in Italy, who begged him to send his relatives some money with which to buy food. He requested that his name not be used or that reference be made as to where he lives, because of fear of what might happen to his relatives back home if the slightest impression might be created that all was not well with Mussolini and his dictatorship.

It was from reading between the lines of what had been left in the letter after the censorship blotted out much of it that this former resident of Italy gained some idea as to the plight of people in the old country. He declared that the letter seemed to indicate a most hopeless attitude on the part of his relatives.

News dispatches have recently told of the order of Mussolini to punish and execute people found guilty of hoarding food.

In 1938 forest fires occurred on the average of one every two and a half minutes.

Salvation Army Presents Program

The Salvation Army will hold its Christmas program Monday evening, December 23, at 7:30 in the Grange hall. At the close of this program, 150 boxes of candy will be given out to the Sunday school scholars and the poor children. There will also be the usual distribution of gifts and toys.

The girls' class will open the program singing "Oh, Blessed Christmas Story." The primary class will play Christmas Bells after which Helen Williams will give a recitation, "What I'll Do." Following a band selection, Dorothy Leveak will give another recitation, "Dolly Time."

"The Plea of the Christmas Presents," a skit, will be presented by Barbara Carr, Levita Huds, and Marilyn Cleveland. John and Dorothy Eaton will furnish an instrumental duet, and Joe Donahue will present a monologue, "A Present for Aunt Jane." Following an instrumental number by the string band,

"The Wonderful Story of Love," Spencer Hammond will present a reading entitled, "Gifts." A group of 18 young people will present a play, "Glory to God in the Highest," after which Billie Booker will read "A Song of Christmas." Merwin Moyer and Glenn Huds will present a dialogue called "Tim's Christmas Present," and Harold Taylor will render a monologue on "Making People Merry." The program will close with a playlet, "Helping Santa Claus," and the arrival of Santa Claus to distribute candy and gifts. The public is cordially invited to attend the program.

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Northville Stages Boxing Matches

Decisions in the first series of ten three-round boxing bouts held at Northville Tuesday evening ran from draws to technical and outright knockouts. The boxing matches were the first of a series to be sponsored by the winter recreation program of Northville this season.

Fred Smith fought a draw with Lawrence Smith in the first match which featured two Novi boxers. Dave Bell of Northville won over Earl Croll, also of Northville. Jack Hahn, Northville, lost to Frank Higgins, of Northville. Ginger Gerandin lost to Russell Penberthy, and Robert McTigue of Northville lost to Tom Hancock, also of Northville.

Two Ypsilanti boys, David Graden and Lester Olderdorp, fought a draw in the sixth feature match, and Walter Hatch lost to Mike Underhill of South Lyon. Dick Carlton lost to Joe Butcko of Ann Arbor by a technical knockout, and Cy Hughs of Ann Arbor won the only knockout of the evening from Pat Bonner. Edward Bobeson won the final match from Dennis Behren.

The next match will be held Tuesday, January 7. George Risher, recreational director at Northville, announces. All young men interested in participating in the program are asked to contact Director Risher at the Northville high school or Dick Loomis, Northville chief of police.

Mrs. Wilson Heads Townsend Club

Mrs. Rose Wilson, is the new president of the Plymouth Townsend club, having been elected at the annual meeting held Monday evening. Mrs. Wilson for many years has been one of the active workers in the local organization. She succeeds Clarence Pankow, who has served as president during the last year.

The new council is made up of the following members who were elected to these important positions: Harry Nessell, John Maslank, Clarence Stevens, Mrs. James Gates, Mrs. Edna Jean Sorrett, William Navum, Mrs. Agnes Wilson, Harry Green, Mrs. Charles McConnell, Charles McConnell and Clarence Pankow. The president is also a member of the council.

There will be no meeting of the club Monday evening, but weekly sessions will be resumed on Monday, December 23 in the Grange hall, meeting as usual at 7:30 o'clock.

Miriam Dundas And Kenneth Martin Wed

The many friends of Kenneth Martin, who was recently appointed manager of the big Kroger store here, will be interested in the news of his marriage to Miss Miriam Dundas of Northville. The marriage took place Monday, December 16 in Burlington, Iowa. Only immediate relatives of the young couple were in attendance at the ceremony.

They will reside at 1072 Penniman avenue, where they have an apartment already furnished.

Both are graduates of Northville high school and during their school days took an active part in the affairs of the school. Previous to coming to Plymouth, the bridegroom was manager of the Kroger store in Romulus. Mrs. Herbert Martin, of Northville, mother of the bridegroom, is also well acquainted in Plymouth, where she has many friends. The bride's parents were at one time associated in the management of the Meadowbrook Country club, Northville.

Flames Destroy House in Country

Fire completely destroyed a farm house located on Warren road, west of Ridge road, belonging to Sam Spicer, and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stoop, Wednesday forenoon.

The flames originated in the upper part of the house, but were not discovered by Mrs. Stoop until she heard the crackling of the fire above the room where she was busy at work.

There was no chance to check the flames and the house with all of its contents were destroyed.

The house is partly covered by insurance, but the young couple living in the structure suffer a severe loss. They had just purchased a considerable amount of new furniture which had been delivered but a short time before the fire and Mr. Stoop had not had time to apply for insurance. Mrs. Stoop was unable to save any of the furnishings.

How the fire started is not known, as the house was heated by an oil heater. Mr. Stoop was at the Daisy Manufacturing company plant where he is employed when the fire took place.

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Smith Analyzes Propaganda in Rotary Club Talk

Defines Propaganda and Lists Common Devices Employed

"So far as individuals are concerned, the art of democracy is the art of thinking and discussing independently together," declared George A. Smith, superintendent of schools, in a speech before the Plymouth Rotary club last Friday, December 13, in which he analyzed government and propaganda.

Stating that the choice of the people today is definitely between democracy and dictatorship, Mr. Smith stressed the fact that democracy cannot be maintained without effort, and suggested that the best way to preserve it is to make democracy work by acting in accordance with its principles as well as believing in it.

The speaker cited Alexander Hamilton's statement that "whatever fine declarations may be inserted in any constitution, respecting it must altogether depend upon public opinion and on the general spirit of the people and of the government." Public opinion in both a democracy and a dictatorship is affected and influenced by propaganda, Mr. Smith stated.

"Propaganda is the expression of opinion or actions by individuals or groups deliberately designed to influence opinions or actions of other individuals or groups with reference to predetermined ends," is the definition quoted by Mr. Smith from the book, "The Fine Art of Propaganda," by Lee and Lee.

"The propagandist avoids scrutiny and criticism while a scientist, searching for truth, welcomes criticism. Propagandas which concern us most are those which alter public opinion on matters of large social consequence, often to the detriment of large sections and even the majority of the people," stated Mr. Smith.

Continuing his explanation of propaganda, the speaker listed the seven common devices of the propagandist as follows: 1) Calling, in which he gives an idea a bad label to cause people to reject and condemn the idea without examining the evidence; 2) Glittering Generality, which associates something with a so-called "virtue" word to make people accept and approve the idea without examining the evidence; 3) Transfer, which attempts to carry the authority, sanction and prestige of something or someone respected and revered over to something else in order to make the latter acceptable; 4) Testimonial, which consists in having some respected person say that a given idea or program is good or bad; 5) The Plain Folks Appeal, which attempts to convince people that the speaker is "of the people" and "just plain folks"; 6) Card Stacking, which involved the selection and use of facts and

falsehoods, logical or illogical statements in order to give the best or worse possible case for an idea, and 7) the Band Wagon theme, which attempts to convince a group that "everybody is doing it," and that therefore it is right.

As antidotes for the individual analysis of propaganda, the speaker advised everyone to first ascertain the conflict element in the propaganda offered and one's own reaction to the conflict, to doubt that opinions are "your very own," and to find all the facts before reaching any conclusion.

School Conducts Dental Program

The school dental program will complete the inspection of approximately 1800 children in the Plymouth school system next week, according to an announcement by Mrs. Mary Strasen, school nurse.

Local dentists inspect each child's teeth and urge the children to see their own dentists for necessary work reported in the educational program.

The twelfth annual dental check-up has been in progress for two weeks. Local dentists who have volunteered their services to inspect teeth during each morning of the school week are Drs. B. Champe, John Olaver, J. M. Robison, S. N. Thams and J. H. Todd.

Letters are sent to the children's homes by the school reporting the dental needs of each one and urging the parents to take their children to their dentists. The response to the dental program is very good because the children are taught the essentials of tooth care. Children unable to go to a dentist are referred to the Couzens fund which provides dental work during the summer months at the school. Each year the children are re-checked to see if the necessary work has been done.

Ypsi Plans Boxing Tournament

The Ypsilanti Junior Chamber of Commerce announces they will have the annual Golden Glove boxing tournament for this district at the Armory on January 8, 10 and 15.

Chairman of the bout, Jack Starwas, coach at the Central high school in Ypsilanti, has asked that all boys interested in competing in the tournament apply for entry blanks by writing him at the Ypsilanti high school. He is in hopes to receive a large number of young boxers from Plymouth.

The winners of the Ypsilanti Golden Gloves will compete in the district tournament at Adrian, and from there will go to Jackson to decide who will box in the state championship bouts held in Grand Rapids.

The boxing show will be held in two divisions known as the novice and the open class boxing. The open class includes those boys who have had previous experience in Golden Gloves competition, while the novice division includes those who have had little experience.

Special emphasis will be used by Mr. Starwas to match boys of equal ability so that no one will fight out of his class.

Boxing classes and training will be given those boys wishing to enter the Golden Glove bouts from 6 o'clock to 7 o'clock p.m. in Ypsilanti, and the local coaches invite any boys from this area to take advantage of their instruction free of charge.

Variation in the average sport fishing catch, as it appears in creel census records obtained by conservation officers and kept by the conservation department's institute for fisheries research for 1928 and succeeding years through 1939 has been 1.09, 0.96, 0.88, 0.91, 1.26, 0.97, 1.6, 1.5, 1.4, 1.5, 1.3, 1.1 fish per hour of fishing, of all kinds of fish.

Discussion Class Decorates Church

Members of George A. Smith's Sunday discussion group met Monday night to decorate the front of the Presbyterian church as a class project. The star above the doorway was designed and made by Lewis Goddard, and the huge candles, on either side of the entrance are the work of George Brink. At a class party last week sketches were submitted by those present for a decorative plan. Lewis Goddard won the prize, on the basis of artistry, economy and simplicity of design.

New Manager for Northville Store

Ralph Chitwood of Illinois, and a brother of the manager of the Wolf store in Plymouth, took charge of the Northville Wolf store last Monday morning.

Paul Spence, who has been manager of the local store since it opened here nearly two years ago, has been transferred to the Wolf store at 8730 Michigan avenue, Detroit.

Mr. Chitwood comes well recommended and with many years' experience in the grocery business

and with his pleasing personality will readily make many friends in the community. Mr. Spence, commonly called "Happy," has made a host of friends here since he came to Northville and he wishes to thank everyone for kindness and patronage accorded him and the store. Mr. Spence's transfer comes as a promotion, and is located closer to his home making it unnecessary to make the 30-mile drive each day.—Northville Record.

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Kenyon School News

The 4-H girls held their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Henry Root on Monday, while the boys had their first meeting at school with their new leader, Mrs. Gael Downer. Miss Eckhart was present at the meeting. The children have sold \$10 worth of Christmas seals.

The Christmas program was held Thursday evening, December 19 at eight o'clock. The program was opened with a welcome. The primary grades' program was as follows: Drills, "A Little Dog and a Black Cat," and "Christmas in Many Lands," and "A Ride with Santa Claus." The songs sung were "Bye-bye," "Busy Santa Claus," "The Organ Man," and "Cats and Dogs." On the rhythm program were the following numbers: Toy Soldiers, Elephants, and Tip Toe Run. From the upper grades three selections were sung, "The National 4-H Club Pledge Song," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Christmas Voices." The play, "Christmas at Beanville School" was presented.

We will have two weeks' vacation. School will resume on January 6, 1941.

The charities that soothe, and heal, and bless, lie scattered at the feet of men like flowers.—Wordsworth.

Merry Christmas



Let this Christmas be a design for living. Best wishes and cheer.

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Observe National Hobby Week



Avocations of ambitious Americans will be featured December 25 to January 1 during the national observance of National Hobby Week. Some unusual hobbies are pictured above. The house in the upper left was crocheted, and the "Cinderella carriage" to its right is made entirely of pipe cleaners. Gelett Burgess, noted author, appears in the upper right with his "nonsense machine" which does nothing but make noise. Below are shown a train made entirely of boiled matchsticks, and tiny buildings constructed to scale.

Newburg News

The Riverside Book club met Wednesday afternoon of last week, in the home of Mrs. Jessie Bennett, with 10 members in attendance. A splendid review of "The Life of Dr. Grenfell in Labrador" was given by Mrs. Harry Gilbert, in her usual pleasing manner. Miss Lord, of Detroit, who has been with us each meeting, was presented with a set of Belgium tumblers from the club in a few well chosen words by Mrs. Fred Hearn. The hostess served tea and waters after the meeting.

During the Sunday morning service in the Methodist church, 20 girls and boys from the Stark school, sang Christmas carols which were greatly enjoyed by the congregation. There were 167 in attendance at Sunday school, Sunday, December 22, each one is asked to bring white gifts to be distributed later. Gifts of vegetables and toys will be sent

to the Methodist Children's Home on the Six Mile road.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service had a splendid meeting, Wednesday afternoon of last week, in the home of Mrs. Jack McCullough, when there were 38 present.

From the baskets sent out during the year \$17.95 was added to the treasury. Mrs. McNabb announced that Melvin Guthrie gave a generous check to the new church house fund which included \$50 for the Women's society, their quota for the fund. Mrs. Hazel Grimm had charge of the program which followed. Mrs. Gladys Kreeger sang two lovely Christmas solos after which she led the ladies in Christmas carols. Miss DuBord, county home demonstration agent and speaker for the afternoon, was then introduced by Mrs. Grimm. She gave a delightful talk and demonstration of table decorations for the holiday season and explained how to make the Christmas wreaths. Baskets for the needy were also planned.

Members of the Young People's Fellowship group gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Currier, Sunday evening, for a social hour after the regular meeting in the church.

Mrs. E. B. Larder, who has been in the Wayne General hospital for the last two months, is now in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Kidston, slowly regaining her health.

Mrs. Donald Bovee attended her sewing club, Thursday afternoon, held in the home of Mrs. Russell Cunningham, in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grimm Sr. and their sons, Henry and Ray, attended the funeral of their cousin, Henry Bierwirth, in Detroit, on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntyre and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William McInnes, in Grosse Pointe.

Mrs. Emma Ryder called on Bert Paddock, in Plymouth, Saturday, who has been confined to his home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntyre and children were entertained at dinner, Saturday, in the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buchanan, in Detroit, tonight.

Mrs. Nellie Ryder, of Salem, died early Monday morning of last week and on Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Don Ryder, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and Mrs. Emma Ryder called in the home of Bert Ryder to extend their sympathy. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grimm Jr. attended the funeral on Wednesday.

Probably the most successful ghost writer for college students is a New Yorker who has six hundred clients and an income of more than \$10,000 a year. His prices range from \$3 for a book report to \$700 for a Ph.D. thesis. Not only are his papers guaranteed for grade and non-detection, but his style of writing is varied to conform to the individual and the college.

The desks of reporters in the decision room of the United States supreme court are equipped with a chute so the men may send dispatches without leaving and disturbing the court. The chute runs to the desk of a colleague in the basement and all communication with him must be handled in writing through it. However, he can ask and answer questions over a one-way telephone.



The season's greetings to you... good cheer, health and happiness.

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Rosedale Gardens

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Laitur and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Campbell of Detroit, enjoyed dinner at Hund's in Detroit Friday after which they attended the Cass theatre and saw Lynn Fontaine and Alfred Lunt in "There Shall Be No Night."

The Rosedale branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden association held its Christmas greens sale on Tuesday in the club house. They are sponsoring a contest for outside decorations in the Gardens which will be judged on the evening of December 28. Three cash prizes will be offered. There will be three judges, outside of the Gardens, to make the decisions.

Mrs. William King entertained at bridge Monday evening. Mrs. William Morris, Mrs. Stanley James and Mrs. C. H. Groth.

Mrs. Louis Steele spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Overman, in Flint, who accompanied her home for the week-end.

Mrs. Martin Laitur will attend a Christmas bride luncheon today (Friday) in the home of Mrs. Stanley Richardson, in Detroit. This evening she plans to attend the Christmas party to be held by her sorority, the Delta Theta Tau, in the home of Mrs. C. M. Young in Detroit.

Mrs. Ralph E. Baker and Mrs. Lyman Hedden have been con-

ferred to their homes this week on account of illness. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Groth will be hosts this (Friday) evening, to the members of her bridge club and their husbands, at a Christmas party. The evening will be spent playing games and the exchange of gifts with lunch late in the evening. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. William King, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. William Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley James, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wooster, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer E. Fry, of Rosedale Gardens and Mr. and Mrs. Urban Dugan of Dearborn.

Dick Dunlop, a freshman at the University of Michigan, will return home today (Friday) to spend the holidays.

The pupils in the nursery school, in charge of Mrs. Schade, of the Merrill-Palmer school in Detroit, are having their Christmas party, today (Friday) in the club house.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brand joined a group of friends at Cass lake for skating, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roul Labbe entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lyons of Wayne, Saturday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Shierk was hostess, at the annual Christmas party of the Wednesday bridge club, December 18, in her home on Ingram avenue. The luncheon table was beautifully decorated in yuletide colors, the center of the table having a snow scene with evergreen trim. Mrs. Harry Tingey, a member, who has recently moved from the Gardens to a new home on Rutherford in Detroit, was presented with a lovely gift from the club. Others present were Mrs. Robert Burns, Mrs. Fred Weinert, Mrs. Leslie Taylor, Mrs. G. Curtis Butt, Mrs. John C. Calhoun and Mrs. Roger Cooper.

Mrs. William Morris attended the tea, Wednesday, given by the



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auxiliary of St. Mary's at the St. Mary's residence for girls on Trumbull avenue.

On Monday evening Mrs. Stanley James, Mrs. William King, Mrs. James Kinahan will gather in the home of Mrs. William Morris for their Christmas bridge party.

The Arts and Letters Book club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. John C. Calhoun. The program consisted of Polish songs and talk on the customs of the people in Poland by ladies from the Y.W.C.A. in Detroit. A buffet luncheon of foods served on the tables of the Polish people completed a most delightful evening.

Unpaid doctor bills in the United States amount to nearly \$350,000,000.

A hand-hewn block of stone weighing 1,250 tons is part of the temple of Jupiter at Baalbeck, India. How it was raised to its position, six feet above the ground, without machinery, no one knows.

When we wait patiently on God and seek Truth righteously, He directs our path.—Mary Baker Eddy.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS!

A lantern of good cheer and the light of fine fellowship to you this Christmas.

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WE STILL HAVE OUR Christmas

A few days ago, a search was on. This search was for a new manner in which to clothe our Christmas greetings to you, our friends. Abruptly we gave up the search. Suddenly we saw our folly. We found that we didn't want anything different, and with all sincerity we wish you a good old-fashioned Christmas season with all its pleasures and joys, all its music and merriment... We gave up the search because among the random thoughts that piled their ways through our minds, there was one which kept coming back, insistent in its demand for recognition. It was the simple thought that we still

have our Christmas, that midst the strident voices of greed and turmoil and bitterness and strife, Americans still can pause, and give instead of take, sing of peace instead of war, practice the tenants of good will, and pay homage to God, not to a man. Such an idea drove out all desire for cleverness or facetiousness. It made us sorry for those less fortunate, it made us proud of our own country and of our own people... We still have our own Christmas. We still have all it means, and we wish you in the old and simple way, a very merry, and a very happy day.

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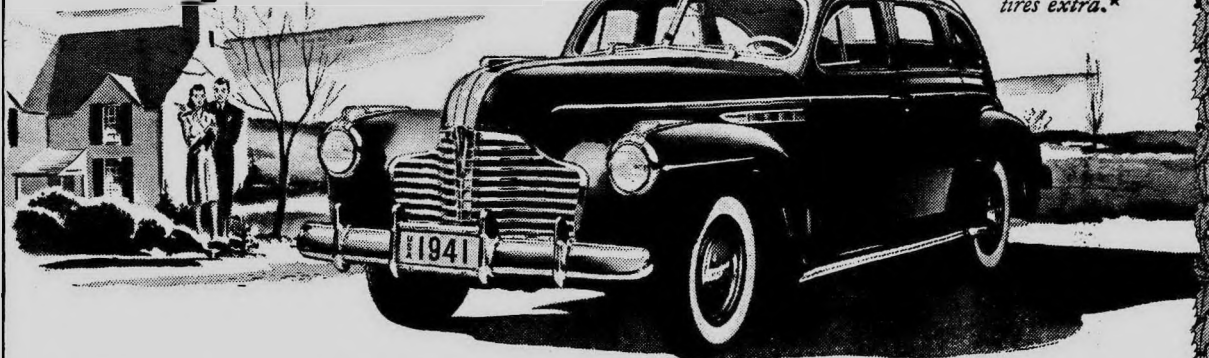


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Edward Millis Called to Service

Edward L. Millis, former manager of the Northville district of the Detroit Edison company, but who has been Edison manager of the Livingston district during the last few years, has been called to active service in the United States army.

Mr. Millis, who has many friends in and about Plymouth made while a resident of Northville, has already left for Fort Hamilton in New York, where he will be stationed for the present. He served at one time as president of the Northville Rotary club.

He holds the rank of lieutenant colonel in the United States coast artillery, having won this rank upon the completion of his course taken last summer at Fort Leavenworth in Kansas. During the World War he served in an artillery regiment. When he left active service some 22 years ago, he remained in the reserve forces of the army. In addition to his interest in military and Legion affairs, Mr. Millis has always taken an active part in community affairs. While located in Northville he served as president of the Northville Rotary club and for many years was the club secretary. He was especially interested in the club's crippled children activities. Mrs. Millis and daughter, Ruth Mary, plan to remain in Howell for the present.

Thieves Enter Disposal Plant

By breaking glass in the rear door, thieves were able to enter the Parkway disposal plant located on Merriman road, one mile south of Joy, Wednesday night. Although nothing of value was stolen, the plant's interior was damaged to some extent.

A hot water heater was dismantled, and a clothes locker was broken into. Stolen articles included a pair of goggles, jack-knife, and screw driver. Earl Gray, of Plymouth, plant engineer, reported.

There is an eight-foot high fence enclosing the plant. For some unknown reason, the prowlers took the telephone receiver from its hook at exactly 8:00 o'clock, as indicated by a signal received at the Redford branch office of the Michigan Bell Telephone company. The operator, upon receiving the signal, was unable to stop it, and had a cut-off placed at 8:05 o'clock. It was reported that no calls were made from the plant between the time it was vacated by employees and the time the cut-off was placed.

Mr. Gray believes that the thieves were frightened from the scene when another crew of workmen came on at 9 o'clock. Articles dropped by the prowlers placed them to be of about high school age, declared Wayne county sheriff department investigators who are working on the case.

LITTLE STORIES FOR BEDTIME

by Thornton W. Burgess



STICKY-TOES THE TREE TOAD PLANS A JOKE

SOME people call Sticky-toes the Tree Toad a croaker. They say he croaks for rain. But some folks don't know Sticky-toes as well as they might. He is anything but a croaker. You know a croaker is one who is always seeing the dark side of things and always saying that something bad is going to happen. A croaker is never known to laugh, and as for playing a joke, why who ever heard of a real croaker doing anything like that?

If you could have seen Sticky-toes as he sat in the tree where Cresty the Flycatcher had made his home



"Do you want some nice, fresh eggs?" whispered Sticky-toes in Sammy's ear.

you would never have suspected him of being a croaker. No, indeed! He was laughing until there was danger of splitting his sides.

"Ha, ha, ha, ha, ha! Ho, ho, ho, ho!" laughed Sticky-toes, and put both hands to his sides because they ached from laughing so long and so hard.

You see, it just happened that he was sitting in that particular tree when Cresty and Mrs. Cresty brought home the old suit of Mr. Blacksnake which he had thrown away when he got his new one. Sticky-toes had watched Cresty and Mrs. Cresty tear the old suit to pieces and take it into the hole where they were building their nest. He had noticed that Mrs. Cresty had left the tail of that old coat hanging outside the door, and it gave Sticky-toes an uncomfortable feeling every time he looked at it, for when it moved in the wind it seemed as if there was someone alive inside of it. In fact, it reminded Sticky-toes so strongly of

The workshop of character is everyday life. The uneventful and commonplace hour is where the battle is lost or won.—Maltbie D. Babcock.

Mr. Blacksnake himself, of whom he is very, very much afraid, that he was tempted to run away. But he didn't, and day after day he watched that tail of Mr. Blacksnake's old coat fluttering in the wind and just couldn't keep his eyes off it.

He was watching it when Chatterer the Red Squirrel came climbing up the tree intent on a dinner of the eggs he felt sure he would find in Cresty's home. He knew nothing about that old suit of Mr. Blacksnake, and so when he suddenly found the tail of it wriggling almost in his face he thought Mr. Blacksnake himself was there and was so frightened that he just let go his hold on the tree and dropped to the ground. Then without once looking behind him he scampered away as fast as ever he could go. It was this that tickled Sticky-toes the Tree Toad so. To think that shrewd, sharp-eyed Chatterer, the mischief maker, should have been so fooled and frightened by an old suit!

Was there ever such a joke before? All the rest of that day he chuckled to himself as he thought about it. He awoke in the night to laugh about it. Early the next morning as he was getting ready to occupy his old seat where he could watch that fascinating old coattail he heard the voice of Sammy Jay. Right away an idea came to him. He would play a joke on Sammy Jay. Yes, sir, that is what he would do. Sammy is just as fond of eggs as is Chatterer. Sticky-toes knew this. So at the first opportunity he called Sammy Jay over to him.

"Do you want some nice fresh eggs?" whispered Sticky-toes in Sammy's ear.

Sammy looked at him suspiciously. "Of course, I do; you know that without asking," said he.

Then Sticky-toes, still whispering, told him about the home of Cresty the Flycatcher and that he was quite sure that there must be eggs there. But he didn't say a word about the old suit of Mr. Blacksnake. Oh, my, no! No, indeed! You see, it was all a joke on the part of Sticky-toes. He never thought that any harm would come to them. He remembered the fright of Chatterer when he saw the tail of Mr. Blacksnake's old coat and he knew that Sammy Jay is no braver than Chatterer. So all the rest of that day he sat where he could watch the entrance to Cresty's home, and all the time he chuckled to himself as he thought of what he was sure was going to happen. It was a great joke he had planned. The only trouble was he had no one to enjoy it with him.

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New Books at the Library

The theatre is the most effective medium that we have to transport us into a world of beauty and brilliance, and above all, to put living human figures before us with all the magic of illusion. That is why there has always been a glamour about the world of the theatre-folk, whether we see them on the stage, or enjoy stories about them at our ease in an arm chair.

Patrons of the Plymouth library will find the following new books ready for circulation in this city:

"Another Cynthia" by Doris Leslie; the biographical novel of beautiful, red-haired Cynthia Bright, much of which is written around her own letters and journals, is the story of a bold escape from "gentle mistresses" to become the most talked of actress at Bath. The background of the pre-Victorian theatre is well drawn.

"Old Motley" by Audrey Lucas; a colorful picture of the theatre of early nineteenth-century London as contrasted with the life of sober Quakers. Charles Baron, in spite of his father's op-

position, is determined to become an actor, and he runs away to join the troupe of Covent Garden theatre where he finally scores a great success as Romeo.

"Footlights on a Hero" by Sweeney Thompson; "Broome Stages," by Clemence Dane; "Theatre," by W. Somerset Maugham; "Good Companions," by Priestley; "Bethel Merriday," by Sinclair Lewis; "Fade Out," by Naomi Jacob; "Ellen Terry and Bernard Shaw," a correspondence.

Elizabeth Whipple in College Pageant

Miss Elizabeth Whipple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Whipple, of Plymouth, has a prominent part in a pageant being given at Antioch college, Yellow Springs, Ohio on December 18 by the Women's Athletic association. Each year this group gives an "Old English Christmas Party" in the form of a dinner and pageant reproducing the costumes and customs of an English manor. Miss Whipple will take the part of the Poet. More than 50 girls will portray lords and ladies, attendants, carollers, minstrels, dancers, and villagers.

Miss Whipple is a senior at Antioch, and is majoring in English.

\$1,500 Fire at Jahn's Market

Defective wiring was thought to be the cause of a \$1500 fire at Jahn's Market, corner of Surrey and Five Mile roads, Friday afternoon. The fire, which was discovered by school children on their way home at about 4:00 o'clock, started in the storeroom at the rear of the store.

The Plymouth fire department was called and extinguished the blaze before it spread into the front of the building. Damage was mostly from smoke, water and chemicals, aside from the goods which were burned in the stockroom.

Harvey Jahn, owner, announced that a re-modeling sale is now on.

Wooden barrels are sometimes used successively by as many as 20 different industries as containers for products that will not be harmed or tainted by previous contents. Hence, these barrels, decreasing in value with each sale, can transport the following products in this order: Whiskey, vinegar, molasses, corn syrup, olive oil, lubricating oil, paint disinfectants and tar.

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Pull Ahead at Half to Win First Game

Stopped last year by Wayne 28-25 in the first game of the district play-offs...

Wayne's brand new team started off by tying the team last year that tied Plymouth for second place...

Lewis Fourment, right guard, was the only varsity man to come back this year...

Meanwhile, left guard for Plymouth, Joe Wilkie, set to account for 11 points...

Bob Norman, captain and left forward, was next high with eight points.

Until the end of this semester when Norman graduated, Plymouth can boast a starting team of four veterans...

All five of Plymouth's team divided the scoring among them, but Wayne had only two men who scored more than three points.

Fourment had scored 11 points the first half when Bob Norman was assigned to guard him...

Each side had 13 personal fouls called but Wayne had the better showing in foul shooting.

Plymouth's five-foot ten-inch height of five feet ten inches Plymouth has the shorter end on the forward positions.

Home Economics

Home Making classes have completed papers on different phases of frozen foods. They are working on chosen projects at home.

Home making I is studying three balanced menus a day with emphasis on luncheons. The class is divided into families or groups and each has an opportunity to participate in preparation, serving, being guest and hostess, cleaning up and calculating costs and food values.

Clinch Title

By winning the debate at Wayne, December 12, Plymouth won the T.V.A. championship for the sixth time in the last eight years.

Reviewing the history of the 1940 season we find that at no time during the league season did Plymouth suffer defeat at the hands of a T.V.A. team.

Adult Foods Class

This group has met every Tuesday 7-9 p.m. in Home Making department. Various people of the community have participated.

Inspirations

Young King Michael of Rumania at last knows something worse than being a man without a country—namely to be a King with a country and in the Balkans at that.

People get acquainted in peculiar ways. At the prom two of the chaperons couldn't remember where they had met before.

Having become play conscious as a result of the recent junior play and the forthcoming senior play, we decided to try our hand at a one-act play.

Jason Groses, a pupil. Teacher's desk, students' chairs, and a report card. Time: Early afternoon near the end of the third marking period.

Act I. Scene I. Teacher: Jason, where's your report card? Jason: (No reply.)

Teacher: Well Jason, I see you are back. Where's your report card? Jason: (Holds up card) T: Why, Jason, this card has not been signed yet—

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Christmas Reader

Miss Jewel Starkweather, a graduate of Plymouth high school in 1937, has been named to read the Christmas story at the annual carol service presented by the Woman's League of Kalamazoo college on December 18.

Boots and Buskins

Much has been said about the junior drama club, directed by Miss Bryce. It seems that the party members of the "Boots and Buskins" are rising actors and actresses.

Next the group studied costume, make-up, and properties. Along with this came dialogs and pantomimes. Perhaps the one thing which tends to make the group successful is the willing cooperativeness in their attendance at meetings and in their work in general.

With all this work as a base, they are working on two Christmas plays—"Dickens" Christmas Carol, and "Christmas at Mother's".

The casts are alternately working on the plays. The members who are not in the plays are on costumes and properties committees.

School Calendar

Dec. 20—Christmas holiday begins; Dec. 30—School resumes; Jan. 1—New Year's holiday; Jan. 2—School resumes; Jan. 3—Basketball, Birmingham, there.

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Reserve Game

Plymouth's reserve team ended their first game of the year to Wayne's quintet, 13 to 21. Shoemaker was Plymouth's high scorer, taking credit for six points.

Wayne immediately took the lead when Woodruff hooped a free throw followed by Temple's and Tooley's baskets.

In the second quarter Wayne broke away with six points to the Rocks' one free shot by Shoemaker.

At the half Wayne led 15 to 6. In the third quarter each team scored three points.

The final tally showed the Rocks scored six of their 13 free throws to Wayne's three out of 14.

Social Register

Christmas spirit is in the air and it has inspired many people for parties and other types of entertainment.

The Misses Hale, Lamb, Sweet, Fry and Waldorf attended the annual Christmas music program presented by the Michigan State Normal college choir in Ypsilanti, Thursday, December 12.

Dorrit Strauss, Margaret Jean Nichol and Marian Goodman attended the presentation of Hand-dell's "Messiah" at Hill Auditorium in Ann Arbor, Wednesday, December 18.

"A Perfect Gentleman," a play given by members of the dramatics class, was presented in Salsen last Friday night.

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Trash Heap

Phyllis Nichols was looking for cockroaches in the sugar bowls at the Sugar Bowl. Poor girl's gone buggy, Ouch!

The pupils in locker 166 should adopt Der Feuhner's slogan "Living space, more living space." Four people use that locker.

The school should place a step-ladder in the gym to aid the girls in removing balls which stick in the basket.

In response to a question concerning the meaning of "invaluable" in connection with Shakespeare's "invaluable works," Mayor Rock replied, "Valueless." Shakespeare's publishers better start giving refunds.

May (Fuzzy) Fondessy, who caused quite a stir in Plymouth high school.

Why don't our troopers eat at home? Miss Lovell wants to eat her own candy bars.

Bob Birt came into Miss Ford's room after walking the halls with Lois. Quote Bob "Lemme sit down." Poor Boy, take it easy!

Just think: Mike Kleinschmidt's band played over the radio from Pontiac, Congrats.

Miss Fiegel's history class gave an honest but mournful rendition of the National Anthem about four hours. We should all try it!

According to the accounts of the geological survey of Michigan, the earliest coal mining operations in the state were probably carried on in the vicinity of Jackson in 1835.

Literary Scraps

The Real Santa Claus I used to have a lot of fun when Christmas time was here, I'd write a letter to Santa Claus and kindly want some blocks; Mamma wants a nice, new dress, and Daddy wooten socks. Oh yes, please don't forget to send

A set of dishes too; And put in lots of candy. Let's see, I guess that's all. Thank you.

But when the boy next door saw that. (And I really liked him too) He kept on saying all the time, "My mamma told me long ago That she buys all my toys, In fact there is no Santa, Who gets things for little boys."

At first I wouldn't believe him, And then, one day, I found A list of mamma's Christmas things

That she let lay around. At last I finally had to say That—maybe he was right, And when I should have gone to sleep I cried, instead, all night.

Of course I'm lots older now, In fact, another year. Eleven months have passed again, And Christmas time is here. But I've just about made up my mind

That maybe—it's all right For mamma to be my Santa Claus On every Christmas night. By Virginia Jeanne Rock 'Class of '41

Average length of popular species of fish taken by lake fishermen has remained fairly constant, according to conservation department creel census checks, for the last five years. The 1939 measurements are: Bluegill, 7.5 inches; yellow perch, 8.1 inches; largemouth bass, 12.8 inches; smallmouth bass, 13 inches; and northern pike, 20.6 inches.

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Short Crop of Acorns, Pine Cones

This is a "bad" year for acorn and white pine cone production, but the forestry division of the state department of conservation will have tree seed enough for most of its usual seedings next season, thanks to a continuing program of seed collection and storage.

Tree seed is something you take when you care get it, and save for future use, the foresters explain. You cannot count on the trees next season producing seed enough for planting in the following year.

This fall and winter more than 200 bushels of spruce, cedar and pine cones have been put through the roasters at Higgins lake state nursery, and 140 pounds of seed extracted. The number of seeds a pound varies from 25,000 for white pine to 300,000 for white cedar.

Unopened cones are collected from the trees when they ripen in the fall. Heating at 110 to 130 degrees for as long as 24 hours or more, for some kinds, opens the cones. Vibrating screens separate seeds from cones and other material, and further agitation wears off the "wings." The dried, cleaned seed is then stored in air-tight containers in a cool place. It may be kept years until needed.

Only pine seed is planted at Higgins Lake nursery. Spruce and cedar seed is sent to Hardwood state nursery, near Boyne Falls, where seed from 16 species of trees and shrubs has been prepared this fall.

Nearly three tons of fruits of trees and shrubs have been treated already this season at the Hardwood nursery to produce 1900 pounds of cleaned seed. Pleshy fruits, which could not be preserved as collected, were mashed on a screen, and the mash watered to float off the pulp, while the seeds, which sink, were dried and stored. Chokeberry, juneberry, mountain ash, ground hemlock, ground juniper, black walnut, butternut, sugar maple and winterberry are examples of the species cultivated at Hardwood nursery for distribution as seedlings or as larger stock for planting only on such state lands as game areas, forests, parks, about hatcheries and along streams.

Feed the Birds and Win Friends

Winter with its ice and snow and recurring freezing temperatures makes it difficult for the birds, our year-round guests, to obtain food. Everyone can help make life easier for these cheery little creatures by putting out a bit of suet, seeds, or bread crumbs for them to eat. It's an inexpensive way to have summer companions throughout the winter. Simple preparations will bring feathered folk to the window.

Black walnuts and kaffir corn are two outstanding dietary attractions offered to induce songbirds to spend the winter here.

Cardinals, nuthatches, chickadees, downy and hairy woodpeckers are the most frequent of the songbird visitors. Blue jays, starlings and sparrows also like the food, although these birds are considered less desirable.

Cardinals which offer especial winter joys because of their bright red plumage like black walnuts as their special food, while nuthatches and chickadees prefer seed and suet as their vegetables and meat. A popular seed mixture for winter feeding of birds includes seeds of sunflowers, hemp, corn, buckwheat, kaffir corn barley and oats.

Two methods of serving these seeds to birds are straining them on the feeder shelf or mixing them with suet. The suet easily obtained at any meat market, is melted, mixed with the seeds, and then allowed to cool in cakes. Containers can be hung on a nail driven into a window frame or tree limb. Cocoanuts also provide good receptacles for seeds. Still another seed-feeder, and perhaps the least expensive, is half a loaf of dry rye bread. The birds will hollow out the end, especially if warm suet is poured over it, to provide their own seed receptacle.

The birds need help to survive the rigors of the cold winter months, but their cheery presence will be ample compensation for kindness shown them.

Salem News

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stacey spent from Monday to Thursday evening of last week visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. F. J. Sober and Mrs. Cora Webb of Detroit were called to the Wheeler home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Stanbro and Lewis Haab left for a trip to California last Monday. They plan to be gone several weeks.

J. W. Bussey, of Mio, spent the week-end with the Wheelers.

Charles Stacey was in South Lyon on business Monday.

The Federated ladies aid society met at the church Thursday for dinner.

William Martin and wife were calling on friends here Sunday.



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Society

The Business and Professional Women's club held its annual Christmas party, Monday evening, with their president, Mrs. Frank E. Terry. A very interesting talk was given at this time by Mrs. Marvin Terry on her experiences while teaching in the mountains of Kentucky. Each member brought a white elephant to exchange among themselves, also a gift to be given to some needy child at Christmas. The hostesses then served a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Schroder will entertain at a family dinner on Christmas day. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Latta and daughter, Joann, of Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meredith, of Grosse Pointe Woods; Harriett Schroder, of Grand Rapids, who will arrive Saturday; Mrs. Louise Rewald, Mr. and Mrs. John Schroder and son, Jack, of Plymouth, and John Melow of Livonia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Metcalf of Ashtabula, Ohio, are to be the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple and Oscar Huston. They with Mr. and Mrs. Edson O. Huston will have Christmas dinner, Christmas day, with Mr. and Mrs. Whipple, On Thursday, December 26. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Huston of Birmingham, will join them for dinner.

The Booster class of the Methodist Sunday school will have its annual Christmas party this (Friday) evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple on Penniman avenue. Santa will be present and the guests will sing carols. A Christmas tree holding gifts for all will be one of the main features of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Springer were hosts, Saturday evening, to their bridge club having potluck dinner and evening of bridge. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Drews, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph West, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Moles, Mr. and Mrs. Drews were recent hosts to the group.

Mrs. Zella Livingston and daughter, Beth, and Miss Adeline Themm were Thursday dinner guests, last week, of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Livingston in Clawson and later attended the band concert in the high school auditorium under the direction of Mr. Livingston. Vocal solos were interspersed with the band music.

Mrs. Ruth Huston Whipple was the honored guest, Wednesday of last week, at a surprise luncheon at Frame's tea room, the hosts being the members of her morning speech class at the Y.W.C.A. in Detroit. Mrs. Whipple was presented with a lovely book.

The Jolly Union club met Thursday evening having dinner at the Ellis restaurant after which they enjoyed games and their Christmas party with an exchange of gifts, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawson on Union street.

A family dinner party will be held on Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rathburn. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stringer, of Highland Park, Mr. and Mrs. George Bloss, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stringer, of Ferndale.

The members of the O.K.D. bridge club had a delightful evening, Thursday, when their annual Christmas party took place in the home of Evelyn Schrader. The usual exchange of gifts added to the pleasure of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lyke will entertain at the annual Lyke family dinner gathering for Christmas time, on Sunday, in their home in Salem. Guests will be present from Manchester, Dixboro, Plymouth and Salem.

Miss Orpha Green of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. William Bake, sons, William and Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. George Stecker and daughter, Suzanne, are to be Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Bake.

The Stitch and Chatter group and their husbands will have their Christmas party this (Friday) evening, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Moss. A cooperative dinner will be held followed by an evening of pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wiedman and daughter, Pauline, will attend a family dinner party, Christmas day, in the home of the former's mother, Mrs. F. O. Wiedman, in Ann Arbor.

Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Thams will entertain at a family supper party, Christmas night having 18 guests from Piqua, Ohio; Dearborn, Whitmore Lake and Ypsilanti.

The employees of the Sanitary bakery enjoyed a holiday party with a Christmas tree and gift exchange Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Neale Jr. and family will be entertained at dinner, Christmas day, in the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Young, in Detroit.

The children of the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Strasen will gather in their home Christmas night for their annual holiday party.

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