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## High Praise is Bestowed Upon Salvation Army Nursery School

### Church Leaders, City Officials and Business Leaders Take Part in Dedication

Praised by city and church officials as at least the partial solution to a definite problem in Plymouth, the Salvation Army Day Nursery school was dedicated Saturday afternoon. The school is located at 188 North Mill street.

Along with the praise heaped on the school itself in the addresses at the dedicatory exercises was praise for Lieut. Marie House of the Salvation Army, who will have charge of the school.

Mayor Ruth Huston Whipple, speaking on behalf of the city government, told the guests at the nursery school that there were three reasons for the success of the venture.

First, she said, it filled a definite need in Plymouth; second it will prove itself to be more important in the months to come as more and more women are taken into war plants, and third, it provides adequate training for pre-school youngsters in wholesome surroundings.

Mrs. Whipple said that she had been impressed by Lieut. House when she first broached the possibility of a nursery school. "She knew what she wanted," said the mayor, "and she made it plain that she intended to have it. You see here the result."

The mayor explained that she believed the school would reveal itself to be most important to the defense council.

"In the months to come," she said, "more and more women will be taken into industry, drafted if necessary. Many of them have small, pre-school children. They can leave their children here in perfect safety."

"I must tell you that the council is about equally divided as to the need for this or any similar school. We have argued with the unbelieving members, and they still do not see. For that reason we welcome this school as an experiment and a test to convince them of the value."

The dedicatory program was opened with a hymn led by Major George Hunt of Detroit, who presided at the program.

The Rev. Leonard Sanders, pastor of the Methodist church gave the invocation, and was followed by the reading of the scripture; greetings from Fred Schrader, chairman of the Plymouth Salvation Army advisory board, and a solo by Mrs. James Hebert.

After Mrs. Whipple spoke, Lieut. Col. James Murphy, division commander of the Salvation Army for the eastern district of Michigan gave the dedicatory address, in which he also praised Lieut. House for the work she has done in renovating and decorating the nursery school.

Col. Murphy pointed out that the nursery school here and in other cities is another manifestation of the work the Salvation Army is doing in the war program.

## Roast Pork at "Gillies" Hotel

### 'Boys' and 'Girls' Back Of Bars to Feast

The more than 800 inmates of the Detroit House of Correction will be served roast pork for their Christmas dinner, according to A. Blake Gillies, superintendent.

The remainder of the menu will consist of mashed potatoes and gravy, string beans, apple pie and coffee.

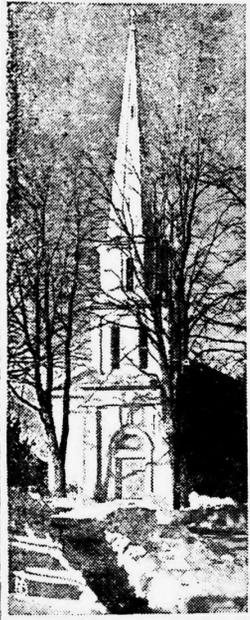
The same menu will be made available to both the men and the women, but the women will be given the raw food and will prepare it themselves.

The inmates have prepared a program which they will give for their own entertainment Christmas day.

## Thoroughly Enjoying Florida Sunshine

According to postcards received by Plymouth friends, Mrs. Bertha Kehrl who is spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Florida, is thoroughly enjoying the warm sunshine of that part of these United States. "I wish I could send a bushel of it to every one of my neighbors, friends and loved ones, as well as wishes for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year," writes Mrs. Kehrl.

## THE CHRISTIAN CHRISTMAS!



## City to Make Nice Profit On Old Street Rails

### Uncle Sam Will Profit Too by Getting Metal for Guns

Another month will be required to take up the old interurban tracks on Main street, according to City Manager Clarence Elliott.

However, he pointed out that unless the weather becomes such that it will be impossible to continue work that much of the barricade will be removed as far as the city hall within another week.

Mr. Elliott said he anticipated that it would cost the city about \$500 to complete the work of removing the old rails and laying a new pavement.

The tracks taken up will weigh more than 70 tons, Elliott said, and they have been sold to the Great Lakes Steel corporation for \$19.85 a ton. He said the tracks were of a good grade of steel and would be used in high calibre products. For the price, the city must deliver the rails to the plant of the steel corporation. This makes a nice profit for the city.

Ten men are now engaged in removing the tracks and laying the new pavement.

## City's Liquor Supply Short

### Heavy Buying is Cause of Shortage

Ralph G. Lorenz, manager of the state liquor store in the Mayflower hotel, said today that he had only about two days' normal supply of liquor in stock, and that there are no immediate prospects of replenishment.

Triple the normal purchases and difficulties of transportation have depleted the stock, and Mr. Lorenz said the Ann Arbor warehouse could offer no guarantees of deliveries prior to Christmas.

At the same time, Mr. Lorenz said that the liquor store and all bars would be closed Christmas day. All bars and the liquor store must close before 10 p.m. Christmas eve under a ruling by the state liquor control commission.

He said the liquor store would remain open until the stock was exhausted.

Principal shortage is in American whiskey, he said.

## List of Stores to Close on December 26 And on January 2

The following Plymouth retail places are among those that will be closed Saturday, December 26 and Saturday, January 2, the days following Christmas and New Year's:

- Taylor & Blyton
- Cassidy Dress Shop
- Jewell Cleaners
- Herrick Jewelry Store
- Calvin Simon
- Mayflower Food department
- Blunk and Thatcher
- Terry's Bakery
- Jack & Judy Shop
- Fisher Shoe Store
- Daggett Radio Service
- Sally Sheer Shop
- Willoughby Bros.
- Huston Hardware.

## A Message of Hope and Cheer in a World Filled with Sorrow and Hate

By REV. T. LEONARD SANDERS, Pastor Plymouth's First Methodist Church

All the world keeps Christmas. The real problem of the Christ-mas is that so many people keep the festival in the wrong way. We would never dream of writing the play of "Hamlet" with Hamlet left out, yet thousands keep Christmas with Christ left out. A goodly proportion in America commercialize the day. Alert men in business manage some how to cast a glamour over their shops, clerks are "dead to the world" before the holiday time is over, even though we try to do our shopping early; while mail-carriers stagger under a load of badly tied parcels and greeting cards.

Of course there is something fine about it, even if it is done to help business. To have one day in the year with an outflowing generosity as the expression of its spirit is something not to be sneered at or jested away. It does show human nature at its best, in its kindest form, and it is good to have Christmas kept, even if it is commercialized.

Yes, all the world keeps Christmas, some commercialize it, some sentimentalize it, but Christmas is kept. Only, I do wish we could have a better Christmas. To me it is pathetic beyond words to have Christmas with the Christ left out.

To busy oneself with planning Christmas gifts and mailing Christmas cards, and yet to have so little faith in the reality of the greatest gift the world has ever received and so little understanding of the greatness of the day's message, that is, indeed a matter of serious concern, even though we know that many are carrying to others much of the spirit of the Christ whom they seem to have forgotten.

Never did the world need Christ as it does now. We are back again in the days of Herod. Brutality and outrage are not things of the past, they are grim and awful realities in our own time.

The voice of mourning is still heard in many a land, mothers weeping for their children, wives for their husbands, maidens for their lovers.

We feel again a profound sense of kinship with the One who was called "a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief."

But even in these dark hours, there are signs of promise and elements of hope. The skies are overcast, but they will clear. Hymns of late are being sung, but they will be hushed by worthier melodies.

The movement at this time is filled with discord, but the symphony is on the way.

Please do not accuse me of being a light hearted, light headed optimist. I am not saying "Look always on the bright side." Sensible people look at both sides.

Ahead for us I see pain and grief, injustice and greed. But I see a Star in the East.

I see Jesus Christ, our hope.

How many of the people who throng our streets are really entering into the meaning of Christmas?

Friends, it is not just a matter of green wreaths and red ribbons, of anthems and Noels.

It goes way beyond all that.

Christmas means giving one's self without reserve to him. When we yield ourselves in whole-hearted readiness to cooperate with Him for the bringing in of His Kingdom upon the earth, Christ is born anew in all our lives. Make your Christmas Christian.

## Merry Christmas To You!

## Enrollment of Schools Reaches All Time High

### More Than 2100 Children Attending Plymouth Schools

With the close of the Plymouth public schools for the Christmas holiday season, Superintendent George Smith has announced that the enrollment for the current term is the largest in the history of the schools.

There are now 2,113 students enrolled in the school, only three less than the top enrollment of 2,116 reached on November 1. This is an average increase over normal enrollment of about 100 students. One grade teacher has been added.

At the same time Mr. Smith said most of the teachers would remain in the Plymouth area during the holidays because of the crush of transportation.

He also announced that repairs, normally impossible during the school year, would be made to the buildings, including work on the heating system at the high school building.

## Public Schools Are Charitable

### Aid of Tuberculosis Fund Breaks Record

Plymouth public schools again came through with a record amount in their contribution to the prevention of tuberculosis. The sale this year was: Central grade school, \$254.49; Starkweather grade school, \$99.66; high school, \$79.01, making a total of \$433.16.

This is the largest amount that the schools have ever sold, which is evidence of two things—first, the attitude of Plymouth toward such a worthy charity, and second, the economic condition of the community which makes such a contribution possible.

The large contribution in Plymouth schools through the years is probably increased by the fact that in the past years Plymouth students have been admitted to Maybury sanatorium, and have been completely cured of tuberculosis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Behler and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Honey and daughter, Doris, and Mr. and Mrs. Delos Goebel and family are to join Mr. and Mrs. Guy Honey, in Detroit, for dinner Christmas day.

## Bonded Debt Of City Drops To Mere Nothing

### Only \$81,000 Is Left to be Paid Out of Taxes

Bonded indebtedness of the city of Plymouth at the present time totals \$81,000, according to City Manager Clarence Elliott. Of this amount, \$42,000 is outstanding in bonds against the general fund and \$39,000 against the water fund.

Mr. Elliott said that before the end of the fiscal year, June 30, 1943, that \$7,000 in general fund and \$2,000 in water fund bonds would be retired.

This amount of bond retirement represents the most that can be retired by the close of the fiscal year, and that while it would not be possible to retire the entire outstanding debt, it would be possible to retire it before it actually became due.

The city has been operating on a pay-as-you-go basis since the last bond issue in 1928 when a loan was negotiated for a paving project.

Mr. Elliott pointed out that while the total outstanding city debt is \$81,000, it would be possible under the law to borrow as much as \$600,000, based on a taxable valuation in the city of \$6,000,000.

No plans have been made for further loans.

Plymouth's financial condition, he said, rates among the highest in the nation.

## Calls Important Meeting of Salvage Workers

An important meeting of all district chairmen and block aides of the Plymouth city and township salvage committee has been called for Monday evening, January 4, at 8 o'clock at the city hall.

It is urged that every one of these officials be present as there are numerous important matters that must be decided in the immediate future. Plans will be worked out for the various salvage drives that are to be conducted during the early part of the new year and it is for that reason that it is highly important for every chairman and every block aide to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. William Otwell will have as their Christmas eve guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Clemmons and Mr. and Mrs. Creel Conover of Ann Arbor. Dinner will be enjoyed first with a tree afterward. On Christmas day guests in the Otwell home will be Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mehrkamper and daughter Joan of Detroit and Mrs. M. Mehrkamper, mother of Mrs. Otwell.

## Plymouth Tops Last Year's Contribution For Goodfellows

### Nearly Thousand Dollars for Charity Gleaned by Shivering "Newsboys"

Plymouth is believed to have set a record for contributions to the Goodfellows in their sale of The Plymouth Mail special Goodfellow editions last Saturday.

Actually, \$975 has been turned in. That is \$10.47 less than the amount collected by the newsboys last year. "But," said City Manager Clarence Elliott, "there are three sources yet to be heard from, and there is no question that when all of the funds are in, the new record will have been set."

Largest check to be received by the Goodfellows was that handed to Salesman Harry C. Robinson by the Rotary club. It was for \$150. The Inter Insurance agency of Detroit contributed \$50 and so did the Detroit Automobile club.

Scores of dollar bills were handed in for a single copy of The Mail.

There were 32 salesmen altogether, a smaller number than had been expected, or than had sold the issue in previous years.

But despite the cold, the 32 salesmen marched behind the Plymouth high school band to the downtown section, and the principal selling spots were occupied throughout the day.

About 40 children in ten families are to benefit at Christmas from the fund. The unexpended amount will be held in reserve for emergency aid to families during the year.

The Goodfellows operate throughout the year, and the amount held in reserve will provide a working balance until the next Christmas season.

The Christmas toys, clothing and food baskets will be delivered by the firemen on Thursday afternoon.

What will go into the baskets cannot be determined until they are made up. Certainly there will be no coffee or sugar because of ration restrictions. Neither will there be butter which is almost impossible to obtain, and the meat delivered probably will be fowl because of the shortage of standard beef, pork and mutton items.

Mr. Elliott pointed out that there also is a scarcity of candy and toys, but that every child will be remembered.

The Kiwanis club is entertaining about 38 children at a party at the Mayflower hotel Tuesday evening as its contribution to the Christmas season.

## Students Help In Christmas Postal Rush

### Postmaster Says Youthful Workers Helped Save the Day

Christmas mail has broken all records, it was officially announced Monday by Postmaster Harry Irwin.

To Monday evening, the post-office had handled 181,000 pieces of metered mail since Monday, December 21.

With three days yet to go, he said there would be no question that the total would reach way beyond the present record of 189,000 pieces.

The incoming mail also was heavy. He said 16 sacks of mail were received on Monday alone. Normally four to five sacks of first class mail are received.

This record amount of mail has been handled swiftly and accurately, to a remarkable degree. When faced with the flood of incoming and outgoing mail, Postmaster Irwin sought help—and up to the high school he went.

Superintendent George A. Smith sent him a dozen or more honor students, both boys and girls. But these were not enough, so the Postmaster gathered in every Plymouth boy or girl he could find who were on vacations from colleges and the university. They have worked at both sorting and delivering mail.

Have they done a good job? Your mail is the answer. Thousands of letters, packages and Christmas cards that you have already received are in your possession before Christmas because of the splendid aid given by these 25 or 30 youthful postoffice workers who were recruited from the school rooms.

## LAST MINUTE CHRISTMAS TIP!

Here's a most important last minute Christmas suggestion for you! Buy war bonds! They make the best Christmas present that can be found in Plymouth or anywhere else. When you buy a bond you are doing a real service to your country. The person who gets it as a Christmas gift will appreciate it more than any other gift that is received. It is a gift that will grow in value through the years. It is a gift to your country as well as the loved one who receives it. Buy war bonds for Christmas presents!

## Four New War Courses Offered At High School

### Plymouth Boys Will Be Toughened For What May Come

Four "war" courses will be added to the high school curriculum for the second term beginning February 1, it has been announced by Claude J. Dykhouse, principal.

In addition, other courses already being taught, will be expanded and changed to meet the requirements of the war program.

The three new courses are radio, electricity and elements of machines. The first two will be taught by Mr. Cooley and the machine course by John Tomshack.

The physical education course will be a requirement during the second term for high school juniors and seniors. It is now being taught to students in the seventh grade through high school, excepting the juniors.

But during the second term, only the tenth graders will be omitted from the program.

The physical education course, designed to toughen the students for prospective military service, will be taught by Anthony Matulis, who in addition to gymnasium work has constructed an obstacle course behind the school.

During the winter months, Mr. Matulis said, the activity will be confined to the gymnasium, where he will make every effort to strengthen the students and increase their endurance.

The obstacle course includes hurdles, a seven and a half foot wall, which must be scaled, and sewer crocks to crawl through.

The radio course is being added at the request of the government which is in need of radio operators. While some instruction will be given in radio engineering and methods of keeping a radio transmitter and receiver in operation, principal part of the course will be on the actual operation of the set.

In place of general shop work, there will be a course in electricity giving the rudiments of operation as it will apply to the war.

The elements of machines course is a basic course for boys anticipating machine work.

A pre-flight course to be taught by Lewis Evans, of the high school science department, will teach aerodynamics, some mathematics, air pressure and other forms of meteorology as it applies to the air services. This course will be book work only, but will give a basic foundation to flying.

## Start Consumer Council Here

### Committees Named To Plan Program

Samuel Jacobs, state consumer official of the Office of Price Administration, addressed the first meeting of the Plymouth Consumer Council, held under the direction of Mrs. Sidney D. Strong, chairman.

In his address, Mr. Jacobs outlined the objectives of each branch of the committee and from his experiences suggested methods of meeting each of the prospective problems.

Purpose of the committee is to educate the Plymouth consumers in the purchasing possibilities of goods and commodities, particularly as shopping is related to current conditions imposed by the OPA.

The art of making much out of little, the reduction of waste and the substitution of materials at hand for materials of which there is a shortage is another of the educational problems with which the council will deal.

Committee personnel includes: Rent—Mrs. Thomas Bateman; clothing—Mrs. Cecil Packard and Mrs. Glenn Renwick; food preservation—Mrs. Jess Hines and Mrs. John R. MacLachlan; food nutrition—Mrs. S. N. Thams and Mrs. William Morgan; housing—Miss Neva Lovewell and Dr. A. C. Williams; rationing—Mrs. John M. Henderson; transportation—Mrs. J. M. Bennett and secretary Mrs. H. W. Blomberg.

## Takes Over a Mighty Big Job



MRS. RUSSELL POWELL

Upon the shoulders of this energetic worker has fallen the responsibilities of all future salvage drives in the city and township of Plymouth. When Mrs. Mildred Barnes resigned the city chairmanship recently to go to Detroit, Mrs. Powell was asked to assume the work for both the city and township. In her township work, Mrs. Powell displayed an enthusiastic leadership which led to her additional duties.

## Wood Clarifies Gas Rationing Appeal Steps

### Plant Committees Control Applications Made With Them

The Plymouth War Price and Rationing Board has announced that it will be impossible for the local board to consider appeals of motorists seeking additional gasoline, if the original application was filed through a local plant committee.

William Wood, chairman of the Plymouth rationing board said many such appeal applications had been received but that no action could or would be taken because the original requests were not returned to the local boards.

"We have been informed," said Mr. Wood, "that appeals from defense plant workers must file their appeals for additional gasoline through their respective plant committees."

"These plant committees, in turn, present them to a processing center which has been established in Detroit."

"The local board regrets it has been unable to do anything about these appeals from defense plant workers, because the original supplemental application has not been available for review."

It was made clear that the failure of the board to act on such applications did not indicate that sufficient gasoline would not be allowed.

When the gasoline rationing procedure was set up, many of the plants in the defense area handed all of the gasoline rationing application forms for workers in respective plants. This facilitated the work and made it possible for workers to get their cards without waiting in interminable lines for them.

## Help Keep Secret Uncle Sam's Secrets About Our War Plans

Axis agents make patterns from patches of information gathered here and there. That is why this paper does not print details as to the location of our home-town boys in service across the seas. Copies of The Plymouth Mail are mailed to our service men so they may keep in touch with affairs about town. If identities and locations of units are revealed, enemy intelligence experts can gauge the strength and disposition of our armed forces. Let us keep them in the dark. Their spies carefully scan all newspapers, no matter how remote from combat zones, looking for a tip-off. A simple address giving the name of a ship on which a boy is stationed would reveal his presence in the Atlantic or Pacific. Our Navy wants the enemy—Nazis or Japs—to guess where and with what strength we will strike next. Do YOUR part and be cagey with details.

## Daisy Company Shares With its Workers, Profits Of Past Year

### Annual Party of Company Held in Spite of Swift Changing Times

In spite of the dark gathering clouds and the uncertainties of business during the forthcoming year and the almost complete curtailment of its production, The Daisy Manufacturing company, as in the many years that have gone by, Monday night held its annual Daisy family party and distributed among its faithful workers dividend checks of very substantial amounts.

Some 150 workers, foremen, officials and members of their families enjoyed a most delicious Christmas dinner, served in the big dining room of the Masonic temple. Then followed a pleasing program of Christmas music, climaxed by the annual address of Charles H. Bennett, president of the Daisy company.

It was his pleasure, following a practice of the company over long years, to present to three more employes who have joined the Quarter Century club of the Daisy, with beautiful gold watches.

These additional workers who have now reached the quarter century mark of service are Julius Kaiser, James Nairn and Walter Kleinschmidt.

Then came the presentation of dividend checks—the Daisy company being one of the first manufacturing concerns in America, to institute this idea in the conduct of its business.

Mr. Bennett urged every one to invest his money in war bonds. "It will be the best investment you ever made in your life," he declared.

"We who are staying at home can do that much for our country—even though it doesn't seem very important. But it is important, very important," he declared.

Not only did he urge the workers to invest in war bonds, but he suggested that they write to the boys in the armed services of the country.

"As long as we are permitted to stay in business, it is our hope that we can each year hold this happy family party, which has proved of so much delight to each one of us," said Mr. Bennett.

## Children Collect More Than 20,000 Pennies

### James Latture Directs Campaign Among Youngsters

Pennies are important to the defense program.

That sounds a bit apocryphal, but it is true, and with that thought in mind, James Latture and his second hour high school government class have begun a campaign to get the pennies out of hiding.

The purpose of the drive is to get the hoarded pennies back into circulation and thus save copper which is vital to the war program.

For the pennies hoarded away in sugar bowls and banks, the government is forced to expend 4,600 TONS of copper for replacement.

If the pennies are brought into circulation, this copper can be used for wiring.

Mr. Latture's class collected from high school and grade school students 25,000 pennies, which were turned in for larger coins—some of them for war savings stamps.

The copper used for the replacement of hoarded pennies is sufficient for all copper requirements in two cruisers, or two destroyers, or 1,245 Flying Fortresses, or 120 field guns, or 120 howitzers, according to Mr. Latture.

## Rationing Board To Close Offices on Wednesday Afternoons

Effective January 6, the rationing board will be closed each Wednesday afternoon to give the staff sufficient time to catch up with their work.

The board has been swamped in recent weeks as new items are added to the rationing list.



**Saxton  
FEED STORE**

### High Praise For Salvation Army

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"Whatever we can do for our country," he said, "we are doing. On the fighting fronts throughout the world, we have men and women working with the men. In the cities and the camps in this country, the men are finding the Salvation Army and we are benefiting from it."

"We are operating USO quarters; we are operating mobile canteens, and we are giving to the men the little things they appreciate—among them doughnuts and coffee, just as we did in the first world war. The men know that wherever they see the red shield of the Salvation Army, or a Salvation Army lassie, they are in good hands."

"And this nursery is another of those helps. Women called in to defense work may leave their children here, knowing they will be well cared for."

The dedicatory prayer and benediction was given by the Rev. Walter Nichol, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

The nursery school itself undoubtedly reflects the personality of Lieut. House, who seems to radiate her personality not only among people, but in the house itself.

For less than \$200, she has papered the house, doing most of the work herself. She has cleaned it, and installed play rooms, sleeping rooms, a kitchen and dining room.

The walls are papered in nursery paper, bright and cheerful. The floors are spotless with fresh paint.

In the play rooms are dolls and dishes and cabinets, and even a play rolling pin for the girls. For the boys there are trucks, large and small, trains and telephones, a tricycle and even a drum.

There are benches where the children can draw with crayons, which are provided. There are books for the children to "read" and other benches where they can play games. The sleeping room is equipped with folding cots, sheets and blankets and every afternoon the children must lie down to rest.

This rest comes after a wholesome and nourishing hot lunch which will include either soup, or a hot vegetable, a salad and a dessert with plenty of bread and milk.

And Lieut. House and her aid will take care of the children for 50 cents a day or three dollars a week from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m.

She came to Plymouth from Petoskey where she successfully operated a nursery school for the Salvation Army, to which were brought the children not only of defense workers, but those of doctors, lawyers and business men.

Born at Oakley, Michigan, near Owosso, she received her training at the Chicago Training College of the Salvation Army.

Mayor Whipple brought out in her address that there are some items of equipment still needed by the school, chief among which is a piano. Who will contribute one?

**St. John's Plans  
Midnight Service**

To Take Place on  
Christmas Eve

Midnight services will be held at St. John's Episcopal church Christmas eve, according to an announcement by Rev. Francis Teiu, vicar. The service will begin at 11:30 o'clock and will take the form of a Holy communion, followed by a sermon.

Both a children's and an adult choir will provide musical numbers for the service. Miss Ruth Campbell will sing "Holy Night," with the church choir assisting. Friends of the church are invited to this interesting service.

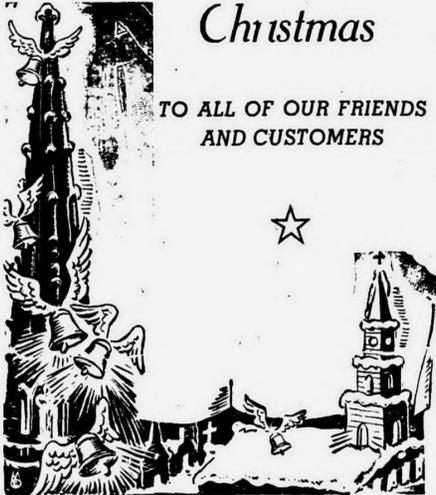
On Sunday night, December 27, at 7 o'clock a candle service will be held. The theme of the service will be "passing the light." An acolyte will receive light from the Vicar and he in turn will pass the light to members of the congregation as they pass the altar rail while singing a Christmas hymn. Christmas carols will also be sung at the service.

Blessings are upon the head of the just.—Proverbs 10:6.



## A Real Merry Christmas

TO ALL OF OUR FRIENDS  
AND CUSTOMERS



**THE PLYMOUTH UNITED  
SAVINGS BANK**



Pharmacy, one of the oldest professions of civilization, has behind it the wisdom of the ages. In the glorious story of Christmas, we read of Three Wise Men bringing gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. The last two drugs were used by pharmacists at the time of the first Christmas . . . and today, under different names, these drugs are still being used. The other, gold, though efforts have been made to incorporate it in medicines, has no therapeutic value. However, our reputation constitutes a gold standard by which to judge prescription service.

To All Our Friends and Customers  
**A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**DODGE  
DRUG CO.**

Christmas Cheer



**Merry Christmas**



**WILLOUGHBY BROS.**

Walkover Boot Shop

### Local Churches

**NEWBURG METHODIST church**—Verle J. Carson, minister, 9614 Newburg road, Plymouth 860W4. Sunday morning worship at 10:00 a. m.; message "A New Creature." Sunday school at 11:00 a. m.; Mrs. Donald Ryder, superintendent. Classes for everyone, 6:30 p. m.; the Intermediate League meets in the hall.

**ROSDALE GARDENS PRESBYTERIAN church**, directed by Mrs. Lloyd F. Nelson, will present its annual Candlelight Carol service Christmas Eve at 10:45. There are eighteen members in the regular choir; and for the men's chorus the regular tenors and basses will be assisted by five men. The eight anthems to be sung will include ancient carols and modern selections. Worshipers are urged to arrive early for this service, which has become widely popular in the past five years.

**ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN church**, Edgar Hoenecke, pastor. December 24, Christmas eve, children's Christmas service at 7:00 p. m. December 25, Christmas service at 10:30 a. m.

**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 testimony service 8:00.

"Christian Science" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, December 27. The Golden Text (John 14: 15-17 is): "If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; even the Spirit of truth." Among the Bible citations is this passage (Matthew 4:23): "And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness and all manner of disease among the people." 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. 147): "Our Master healed the sick, practised Christian healing, and taught the generalities of its divine Principle to his students; but he left no definite rule for demonstrating this Principle of healing and preventing disease. This rule remained to be discovered in Christian Science."

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN church**, Walter Nichol, pastor. 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., church worship; 6:30 p. m., Young People. "Convictions" will be the subject of the sermon Sunday morning, the last Sunday of the old year. Has the past year brought us to surer ground in some matters? The service at 11 a. m. is open to all. The Session will not meet December 30. Instead the meeting will be Sunday, January 3 at 10:30 a. m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed Sunday, January 3 at the 11 a. m. service. There will be reception of members at that time.

**CHURCH OF GOD**, 333 North Main street. Rev. L. D. Wright, pastor. The Church of God and its members extend to all of Plymouth a wish for a very Merry Christmas. And may Christ be born anew in the Bethlehem of our hearts.

**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL church**, Rev. William P. Mooney, pastor. Masses, 8:30; 10:00 and 11:30 a. m.

**ST. MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC church**, Father Contway, pastor, Rosedale Gardens. Masses at 8 a. m., 10 a. m. and 12 noon.

**SALEM FEDERATED CHURCH**, C. M. Pennell, pastor. Sunday morning worship, 10:30 o'clock. Sermon subject: "The Fullness of Time." Bible school, 11:45 a. m. Sunday evening hymn-sing, 7:30 o'clock. The church membership extends a warm welcome to the eight young people who united with the church on Christmas Sunday.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**, T. Leonard Sanders, minister. Mrs. M. J. O'Conner, director of music. Sunday, December 27: You are cordially invited to worship with us at any or all our services. 10 o'clock, church school with classes for all. Wesley Kaiser, superintendent. 11 o'clock, morning devotions. Subject: "Where Lights Burn Low." Mrs. James Sessions will sing "Rejoice" and the Chorus Choir will present "Prayer for the New Year" by Schultz. 6:30, Methodist Youth Fellowship Hour. In celebration of Rev. and Mrs. Sanders' twenty-fifth wedding anniversary which falls on Christmas day, open house will be held at the parsonage Sunday, December 27 from 3 o'clock until 10 o'clock. You are cordially invited. Keep in mind the Christmas midnight service Thursday, December 24 from 11 o'clock to 12:20. Plan to attend. The parsonage family extends to all a very Merry Christmas, and a Victorious New Year. May the Christ-child be born anew within our hearts, and may His spirit abide with us throughout the coming year.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST church**, Sabbath school Saturday, 9:30 a. m. Preaching service following Place, Jewell-Blaich hall on Ann Arbor Trail. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, held at various homes. M. V. meetings Friday evening, 8 p. m. at the home of John Denski, 5775 Lilley road. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown will entertain at a family dinner, Christmas day. Their guests will be Sergeant and Mrs. Frank Greedy, of Augusta, Georgia, Mrs. Albert Shear, of Plymouth, who are visiting her father, Paul Lee, in Saline for a month; Paul Lee; Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison and family of Detroit.

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Christmas**

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for

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CHRISTMAS**



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In Order to Allow Our Employees to Have Christmas Eve With Their Families  
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1-lb. can **73<sup>c</sup>**  
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1-lb. can **\$1 02**  
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**Florida Grapefruit JUICE**  
46 oz. can **29<sup>c</sup>**

**LUSHUS APPLE BUTTER** qt. jar **15<sup>c</sup>**

- Dreft ..... 1-g. pkg. 23c
- Super Suds ..... 1-g. pkg. 23c
- Super Suds ..... giant 62c
- Bull Dog Bluing ..... 2 oz. bottle 09c
- Arm & Hammer Baking Soda ..... 8 oz. pkg. 05c

- Arm & Hammer Baking Soda ..... 16 oz. pkg. 08c
- Mity Nice Bread ..... 20 oz. loaf—2 for 17c
- Donuts ..... dozen 12c
- Wheaties ..... 8 oz. pkg. 10c
- Majestic Graham Crackers ..... 2 lb. pkg. 19c

**Sweet Life Health BREAD** 1-lb. loaf **8<sup>c</sup>**

- Chocolate Marshmallow Puffs (Hampton) lb. 21c
- Gold Medal Flour ..... 5 lb bag 30c
- Speer Brand Prune Juice ..... qt. jar 19c

**Sunshine HI-HO Crackers** 1-lb. pkg. **19<sup>c</sup>**

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- Ernst Corn Flakes with Honey 11 oz. pkg. 2 for 15c
- Blue Label Tomato Juice ..... 46 oz. can 21c

**Good Luck Salad Dressing** quart jar **38<sup>c</sup>**

**SWEET LIFE Catsup** 14-oz. bottle **14<sup>c</sup>**

- O'Henry Cookies ..... lb. box 25c
- Salerno Chocolate Crowns ..... lb. 24c
- Borden's Hemo ..... jar 59c

- Water Maid Rice ..... 3 lb. bag 29c
- Morton's Salt ..... 26 oz. pkg. 08c

**Sno-Man Apple Juice** 46 oz. can **15<sup>c</sup>**

- Calumet Baking Powder ..... lb. can 19c
- Prepared Mustard ..... qt. jar 10c

**Cottage Cheese**  
**15<sup>c</sup>**  
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FOR SALE—Beautiful black plush lined fur robe. Large size, \$25.00. Mrs. Jennie Weed, R-1, Plymouth. 11-p

FOR SALE—Two pairs of boy's skates, sizes 5 and 6. Inquire 324 North Harvey street. Telephone 669. 11-c

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FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Jersey bull, 18 months old. 36609 Ann Arbor Trail. 17-tf-c

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WANTED—Floor sanding and finishing, new and old floors. No job too small. Quick service. Reasonable. Free estimates. Otto Kipper, 38450 Five Mile road, near Newburg road, phone Plymouth 846W3. 13-tf-c

WANTED—Live chickens and turkeys, any amount. We pay highest prices. Call Northville 7135F2 or see J. J. Brummel, second house west of Napier on Six Mile road. 5-tf-c

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WANTED—Ride to Bomber plant. 7:40 to 4:10 shift. 6265 Lilley road, north of Ford road. 11-p

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WANTED—To rent five- or six-room, unfurnished house. Three adults in family. Phone Walled Lake 261F12 evenings. 16-13-p

WANTED—Ladies between 35 and 45 years of age; also boys. Apply Zittel Catering company, between 10 and 11 a.m. 34tf-c

WANTED—Woman to do washing and ironing in her own home. Call after 5:00 p.m. 242 Auburn avenue. 1074-W. 11-p

WANTED—A No. 1 baled alfalfa hay, second or 1/3rd cutting. Hewer's Feed store, Canton Center road. Phone 527-J. 11-c

WANTED—Carpenters. Dan S. Mills, builder. Phone 166. 11-c

WANTED—Woman or girl for housework, one or two days a week. Phone Livonia 2126. 11-c

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LOST—Large, tan and white Collie; answers to name of Royal. Liberal reward for any information leading to his return. Phone 556-W. 11-c

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IN MEMORIAM  
In loving memory of John Staman who passed away two years ago, December 26. Days of sadness still come o'er us Tears in silence often flow For memory keeps you ever near us. Though you died two years ago. Sadly missed by his wife and children.

IN MEMORIAM  
In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. William Salow, who passed away December 21, 1928. In our heart your memory lingers Sweetly, tender, fond and true There is not a day, dear Mother That we do not think of you. Loving children and grandchildren.

CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the flowers and the many acts of kindness shown to us during the sickness and death of our loving husband and father, Arthur Allen.

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We Hope that You Enjoy to the Fullest all the Happiness and Goodness of this Christmas Season.  
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Merry Christmas to All  
942 1942  
At this time, when common tasks begin to glimmer with new glory, we pause to wish you all the Christmas joys this joyous season can bring.  
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Standard Service

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lyke are to be dinner hosts Christmas eve when Mr. and Mrs. Frank Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Joyce McEmore and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Terry and son are their guests.

Pfc. Elmer Passage, who has been home on a 14-day furlough will leave Saturday for New Mexico, where he is stationed at one of the army camps. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Passage of Rose street.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Benson plan to entertain the following guests at a potluck supper: Major and Mrs. Joseph Martin of Fort Leonard Wood, Mrs. Fred Smith, of Washington; Mrs. John Cowan, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hulsing and Mrs. Harry Deyo.

Obituaries

ALLENBERT LOSEE Allenbert Losee, well known in and about Plymouth, died suddenly last Saturday morning in Ford hospital, where he had been taken for medical treatment. He resided at 12129 Grandmont avenue in Detroit and was 53 years of age.

He was the son of Mrs. Charles F. Millard of Robinson subdivision. He is survived by his wife, Ruth, one son, Robert, with the United States army, a daughter, Shirley, his mother and three brothers, Freeman of Midland; Bernard and Frank, both of Saginaw. Funeral services were held from the Wood Funeral home on Grand River on Tuesday, December 22 at 2 o'clock. Burial took place in the Salem cemetery, Rev. Cora Pennell officiating.

MARY RODGERS DOWNER Mary Margaret Rodgers, daughter of the late George and Sarah Phelps Rodgers passed away Monday, December 14 at her home in Decatur. She was born in Plymouth, August 30, 1871. The deceased was a graduate of Plymouth schools, also a teacher in Plymouth as well as in Northville. In the year of 1896 she was married to Charles A. Downer of Northville, who was the village postmaster at the time. The last 25 years they have resided in Decatur. Surviving are her husband, daughter Loris Bennett, two grandchildren, Charles and Loris Jane Bennett and a sister, Elsie Eddy. Following funeral services in Decatur, the remains were brought to Plymouth and interment was made in Riverside cemetery where her mother is buried. She was a wonderful companion and will be sadly missed by her loved ones.

Miss Mildred Loper, of Pontiac, was the over night guest, Thursday of last week, of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Fisher. Miss Loper will be remembered by many in Plymouth as a former teacher in the schools here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. Haig, of Huntington Woods, will join her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Poppenger, for Christmas Eve and Christmas day. On Friday Mr. and Mrs. John Poppenger and son, Gerry, of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. William Poppenger and baby, of Rosedale Gardens, and Mrs. Eva Poppenger of Canton, Ohio, will be dinner guests also.

Earl H. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson, Deer street, arrived home Tuesday evening from San Diego Marine barracks where he is field cook with the U. S. Marines. He will enjoy a 14-day furlough.

On Christmas eve Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Benson and family will be the guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stanford, in Redford. The Bensons will spend Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Benson, of Detroit, brother and wife of Mr. Benson.

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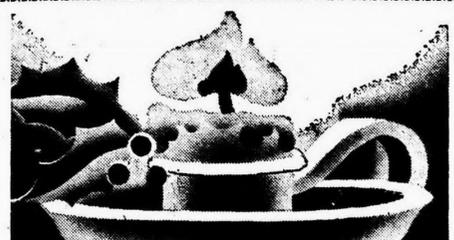
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WOULD YOU SAY "MERRY CHRISTMAS"

Say it with flowers from Heide's PHONE 209 Greenhouses WE TELEGRAPH FLOWERS

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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NEW CROP MIXED NUTS 2 Lbs. 58c FANCY WALNUTS NEW CROP 2 Lb. Bag 57c FANCY HARD MIXED XMAS CANDY Lb. Bag 12c YUKON CLUB - CLUB SODA OR GINGERALE PALE or GOLDEN 4 Qt. 29c POPULAR BRAND CIGARETTES Ctn. \$1.24 NONESUCH Mince Meat 2 3-Oz. Pkgs. 23c DROMEDARY Ginger Bread pkg. 19c

FLORIDA JUICE ORANGES 250-288 SIZE Doz. 30c Jonathon APPLES 4 lbs. 27c FULL OF JUICE GRAPEFRUIT 80 SIZE 5 For 25c EATMORE CRANBERRIES lb. 21c ICEBERG HEAD LETTUCE 48 size hd. 17c CRISP Celery... Stalk 12c MICHIGAN U. S. NO. 1 Potatoes... Peck 46c

IONA TOMATO JUICE 46-Oz Can 20c ANN PAGE TOMATO SOUP NEW IMPROVED 10 1/2-Oz. Cans 19c

EMPEROR GRAPES lb. 17c THIN SKINNED TANGERINES 200-210 SIZE Doz. 25c

CALIFORNIA CURRANTS 8-Oz. Pkg. 10c DEE-LISH SWEET PICKLES MIXED Qt. Bot. 27c CRANBERRY Sauce... 2 16-Oz. Cans 27c WARWICK Thin Mints... Lb. Box 21c NBC PREMIUM Flakes... 1 Lb. Pkg. 17c FANCY Pecans... 2 Lb. Bag 49c

DOMESTIC SWISS CHEESE REAL FLAVOR Lb. 43c MICHIGAN FRANKENMUTH Lb. 39c NEW YORK Sharp... Lb. 39c SMOKED Cheese... 7-Oz. Piece 29c BABY Goudas... 12-Oz. Piece 36c PHILADELPHIA CREAM Cheese... 2 3-Oz. Pkgs. 21c

America's Favorite... Jane Parker FRUIT CAKE AN IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT 5 Lb. Cake \$1.80 IN HEAVY CARTONS FOR MAILING MARVEL BREAD Enriched, Dated... 3 1/2-Lb. Loaves 29c

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**Harry C. Robinson**  
Auctioneer



## Christmas

American Christmas enjoyed so often in the past. The house will be filled with the scent of good things cooking and the sound of children's voices... and though there will be perhaps an empty place at the dinner table it will be with pride not sadness that we think of those far from home. Make this Yuletide a time for prayer as well as joy... by attending church on Christmas Day. There midst neighbors and friends and the homespun sincere greetings of those you know will be found renewed faith in the true spirit of Christmas... and the belief that "peace on earth... good will toward men" shall once more live in the hearts of all men everywhere. To the countless wishes that come your way we should like to add our to wish you a truly, Merry Christmas, and Victorious New Year.

**Dr. John A. Ross**      **Dr. Lowell H. Rehner**  
Optometrists

## Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKee and son of Nankin Mills, were Plymouth visitors on Monday.

Jo Ann Gorton visited Mrs. G. B. Moody, in Detroit, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cranmer will have as their dinner guests, Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vealey of this city.

Mrs. Lavina Cole will entertain at a family dinner on Sunday in her home on Ann Arbor Trail, west.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swegies entertained their bride club, Saturday evening, in their home on Ford road.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Churchman and baby, Jimmie, were Sunday dinner guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rhead are spending the holidays with their son, Lieut. Roland Rhead who is stationed at Camp Butler, North Carolina.

Private Ernest Hubbard, of Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, visited the fore part of last week, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Gorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powell and daughter, Louise, of East Ann Arbor Trail, are to be guests at dinner Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Brown on Mill street.

Lieutenant Howard R. Ebersole who has been home on a seven-day furlough will leave Saturday for Tampa, Florida. He has been stationed at Fort Mammouth in New Jersey.

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

Miss Margery Merriam has returned home for the holidays from the University of Michigan. She will visit for several days at the home of Miss Joan Emery, Saginaw. While there she will attend the Lamb Fraternity Christmas formal dance.

If we find the job where we can be of use, we are hitched to the star of the world and move with it.—Richard Cabot.

## JOYOUS SEASON TO ALL



JUST the friendliest of wishes for your happiness and cheer at Christmas time and always. Let not the sacrifices of 1942 have been in vain.

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and his employees



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But a wish for each day of the year,  
And never were greetings more hearty,  
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## Dave Nichol is Now in Moscow

Sent To Russia By Chicago News

From Berlin to Washington, Washington to Plymouth and Chicago, Chicago to London, London to Africa and from Africa to Moscow, is in brief the itinerary that Dave Nichol, correspondent of the Chicago News has just completed.

His parents, Rev. and Mrs. Walter Nichol, have just been advised of his safe arrival up in Russia where he will spend the next few months for the Chicago News.

Just how Dave entered Russia is not known. He went to Africa after leaving London and it is presumed that he reached Moscow through Russia's "back door."

Probably few war correspondents have had the opportunity that the former Plymouth lad has enjoyed. He has visited nearly every war front on the European continent. When the war broke out he was stationed in Berlin and remained there until just before Hitler declared war on America. He was nearly two months in securing official permission to get out of Germany after the Chicago News had decided to close its Berlin office.

No one knows just how long Dave will be stationed in Russia, but indications are that he will be there for at least the next few months.

## Salem News

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Atkins and son of Wixom spent the week-end with her parents, the Roy Clements.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler of Holly were Sunday afternoon visitors at the A. C. Wheeler home.

Mrs. Ralph Wilson of Seven Mile road was a Detroit visitor Saturday.

A Christmas program will be held at the Congregational church Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Whipple spent Tuesday evening in Detroit.

Frank Buers is doing carpenter work at the Jodway farm this week.

The upper grades of the Salem Union school were invited to a skating party Saturday afternoon at the home of Freeman Boyant, honoring their son, Donald's birthday. A supper was served to about 15 children and their teacher, Miss Goldie Nagy.

Christmas vacation of the Salem school will begin Thursday, December 24 and school will re-open January 4.

## MERRY CHRISTMAS



## GREETINGS 1942

But even if Christmas came once a month, we would hardly find words with which to thank you for your generous support.

And now let us wish you all a very Merry Christmas in 1942.

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# MERRY CHRISTMAS



## GEO. A. COLLINS and SON GARAGE



Chiming Bells Sound Out

### A Merry Christmas

The family gathers about the festive table and heads bow reverently in silent prayer and thanks . . . on accurate picture of many homes on Christmas Day! May we join and supplement the many blessings already bestowed by wishing everyone a Merry Christmas.

### SIMPSON'S CAFE

WM. SIMPSON, Prop.



**On This Nineteen Hundred Forty-Second Christmas, we join with you in wishing that children everywhere may have A Merry Christmas . . .**

**W**ITH EVERY ONE we join in the hope that the travail and suffering throughout the world today presages a rebirth among all peoples and nations of peace on earth, good will toward men. May the New Year carry us far along the road to the day when those away from home will return to join with us in observance of this most sacred of all holidays.

BETTY BARLOW

SHIRLEY REAMER

## NORMA CASSADY

BUY WAR SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

### Society News

Douglas Lorenz is home from Michigan State college for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vealey visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vealey, in Coventry Gardens, Sunday.

Mrs. Austin Whipple will entertain Cub scouts, Den 3, at a skating party and supper Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. H. A. Mason and sister, Mrs. Carrie Brooks, attended a luncheon Friday in the home of Mrs. Julia Hotchkiss in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Huntoon of Pontiac were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan E. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Moon will entertain Miss Mary Conner and John Wilcox at dinner on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Gorton and family are to be dinner guests Christmas day of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Stevens in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. James Joy will entertain the Joy family at the annual Christmas day dinner in their home on East Ann Arbor Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Jones will entertain his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones, of Detroit, Christmas day, in their home on Penniman avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Swan, of Brighton, were entertained at dinner, Saturday evening, in the home of Mrs. William Farley and daughter, Vaun.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Allenbaugh and son, Robert, will join her sister, Mrs. James Bentley, and brothers, Ira and Ray Smith, at dinner on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Merle Bennett will have as their Christmas dinner guests, her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clizbe, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Lewis, Celia and Orlyn plan to join the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lewis, in Dearborn for dinner Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Matulis plan to have dinner Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stein in Kalamazoo and remain over for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Root and Mrs. Lavina Cole will be dinner guests Christmas day of the latter's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson in Wayne.

Mrs. William Farley and daughter, Vaun, will be Christmas day guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Lynn Fraser, and family in Flint, and will remain until Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Nuhfer of Blissfield, arrived Sunday to spend Christmas and the week-end in the home of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Brown, and family on Amelia street.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Woods will be hosts at a pot luck dinner Tuesday evening in their home on Penniman avenue, when members of their 500 club will gather for a social evening.

Mrs. Roy Streng is to be dessert hostess, Thursday afternoon, December 31, when she will have as her guests members of her contract bridge club.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Lorenz and son, Douglas, and Miss Marilyn Guncill, of Northville, are to be dinner guests, Christmas, of Mrs. Frances Halstead and family in Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dykhouse and sons, Charles and Lawrence, with Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Jay Dykhouse will spend Christmas day in Charlotte.

Mrs. Arthur Schaub and daughters Louis and Sue of Toledo, Ohio, are to be Christmas day guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cowgill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reddeman will be entertained at dinner Christmas day, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reddeman in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Law and children, Jimmy and Linda, are to have Christmas dinner with the former's father, Hugh Law, Sr., in his home at Grosse Pointe.

Lois Schaufele will be home from Akron, Ohio to spend Christmas and the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schaufele.

Dr. and Mrs. Luther Peck will join their daughter, Mrs. John Michener and family in Adrian for Christmas even and Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor and son will spend Christmas day in the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton at Newburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lint will have as their dinner guests on Christmas day, Viola Plunkett, Geraldine Duffy and Mildred White.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Blunk and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Geer are to join their children, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Blunk at dinner Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Davis and children, Larry and Sandra-Lee, are to attend a family dinner Christmas day in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple will be hosts at a family dinner party, Christmas day, having as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Huston of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Edson O. Huston, and Oscar Huston.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gaab of Blunk avenue announce the birth of a daughter, Sharon Ann, on Sunday, December 20 in Sessions hospital, Northville. Weight eight pounds and two ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin of Blunk avenue, will have as their dinner guests, Christmas, their parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and Miss Winifred Brown, of Detroit, and Mrs. Nell Martin, of Battle Creek.

At a dinner party Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Saner of Powell road announced the engagement of their daughter, Emily Frieda, to Owen Ford Gorton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gorton of Forest street. The guests were Larry Grimes, Jack McLean, Albert Huegel, Sophia, Matilda, Madeline, Shirley Ann, and Julius Saner Jr., Joan and Kay Jean Gorton, and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gorton.

### Society News

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Parmalec and family will attend a family dinner Christmas day, in the home of her mother, Mrs. Minnie Chapman at Walled Lake when she entertains her children and grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stremich will be hosts at a family dinner party, Christmas day having Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Streng, Mrs. Jacob Streng and Goodwin Crumbe.

Dr. and Mrs. Elmore Carney will entertain their mothers, Mrs. Ira Carney of Yale, and Mrs. C. G. Draper of this city, at dinner Christmas day. Mrs. Carney will remain for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor of Adrian and Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Miller of Detroit are to be Christmas eve guests of the former's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Morgan. The Taylors will remain over.

Mrs. L. A. Babbitt of Northville, Mrs. Jennie Brown of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McLaren and baby are to be dinner guests Christmas day of the John McLarens.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Terry, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Joyce McLemore, of Detroit, will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Terry, Christmas day.

Mrs. Forest Gorton entertained the Forest avenue sewing group, at a potluck luncheon and Christmas party with exchange of gifts, on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geng entertained at a dinner party, Saturday evening, which honored the birthdays of their daughter, Viola, and her father, Mark Joy. Other guests were Mrs. Joy, Miss Vivian Wise and Miss Mary Clark of Wayne road.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Greer and son, Kenneth Hamilton of Sault St. Marie, are expected Christmas eve in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hamilton, and will remain for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn will have as their guests Christmas day the following: Mr. and Mrs. Orr Passage, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stocken, Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn, L. B. Eberly, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Renwick will be dinner hosts Christmas day at a family party having as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hines of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Springer and Jane, and Mrs. George Springer.

Mrs. Arthur Lowery has returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. S. F. Flaherty, from San Diego, California where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stutzman. She also visited her husband, Sergeant Arthur Lowery who was stationed in Connecticut and New Jersey, but has now gone overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Campbell will be hosts, Christmas eve at a family dinner and tree with the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fisher and family, of Plymouth; Mr. and Mrs. William Finrock, of Detroit; and Mrs. Vina Wingard, of Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hartung will entertain at dinner, Christmas day, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hartung, and family of Adrian, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cole and daughter, Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reddeman and family, William Stinson of this city and Mrs. Gusta Saspender of Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Schroder will entertain at a family dinner on Christmas day having Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Latta and daughter of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meredith of Grosse Pointe Woods, Mr. and Mrs. John Schroder and son, Jack and Miss Harriett Schroder of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. George Koelzer and son, John George, of this city, will join Mr. and Mrs. George Krausmann Jr. and son, Billy, of Huntington Woods; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anger and daughter, Joyce, and Mrs. Frank Girard, of Detroit, Christmas day in the home of Dr. and Mrs. George Krausmann, in Wayne.

Mrs. Mattie McLaren will attend a family dinner party, Christmas day, in the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Erwin near Novi.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hake, Mr. and Mrs. George Hake and Mr. and Mrs. William Biegert will be dinner guests, Christmas day, of the former's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Munster, in their home on Amelia street.

The Mother and Daughter Sewing club held its Christmas dinner party at the home of Mrs. Dale Arnold last Wednesday. Dinner was at 2 p.m. with gift exchange following. Those present were Mrs. Dale Arnold, Mrs. Alma Smith, Mrs. Nelson Bakewell, Mrs. Anna Gustin, Mrs. Orville Bloomhoff, Mrs. Clyde Lasslett Sr., Mrs. Clyde Lasslett Jr., Mrs. Fred Anderson and Mrs. Leo Arnold. Members absent were Mrs. George Anderson and Mrs. Marshall Pinkerton.



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### MERRY CHRISTMAS

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It is our sincere wish that loads of old-time Christmas joy will again be with us all during the Yule season. May the sacrifices of 1942 usher in soon a genuine era of good will. And thanks a thousand times for your many kindnesses during the past year.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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A & P STORE

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Red Cross Blood Unit Here Monday

More Donors Are Being Sought

Monday, January 4, is the date fixed for the next visit of the Red Cross Mobile Unit to Plymouth.

Through the courtesy of the Plymouth Masonic lodge, the big ground floor auditorium will be used for the blood donations.

So far, 28 men from the Ford Newburg plant and 32 from the Ford Plymouth plant have registered for blood donations.

Turkey Dinner At Fort Custer

All the "Fixings" Too For The Boys

Plymouth boys who left for army training Tuesday and will be in Fort Custer over Christmas day, are going to have one of the best turkey dinners Uncle Sam ever served his fighting men.

Along with the turkey, Custer troops will feast on the following: Cream of celery soup; roast turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, head lettuce with French dressing, cranberry sauce, green beans, baked corn, hot rolls, butter, mince pie, coffee and hard candy.

Decorations of mess halls and barracks has been under way for a week. Vari-colored paper streamers, Christmas tree lights and evergreens have transformed the standard interiors and buildings into attractive Christmas scenes.

Will Celebrate Silver Wedding

Rev. and Mrs. Sanders Planning For Event

Rev. and Mrs. T. Leonard Sanders will, Christmas Day, celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary, all the members of the family coming home for the silver wedding dinner.

On Sunday, December 27, the Methodist pastor and his wife will hold open house at the parsonage from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until 10 o'clock in the evening to welcome members of the church and their host of newly made friends in the city.

Rev. and Mrs. Sanders were married in Alpena where the bride lived, by the Rev. Ruben Crosby, a former well known Methodist minister of this state. Rev. Sanders at that time was pastor of the little Methodist church at Rose City.

He was assigned to the First Methodist church of Plymouth, one of the largest in this conference, last year, following a most successful pastorate in Detroit.

20 Chickens Weigh 157 Pounds

Mrs. LeRoy Mitchell Raised 'em—Sold 'em

Want to know how to make little chickens grow to be nice, big fat chickens?

Then see Mrs. LeRoy Mitchell of Gyde road—maybe she will let you in on her secret.

Yesterday Mrs. Mitchell brought 20 young White Rock chickens to Dave Galin at the Purity market.

Dave weighed them up in his usual casual fashion—but as the scales kept climbing and climbing higher, he blinked—and looked again.

"What? One hundred and fifty-seven pounds?" he exclaimed. But that is just what the scales said—and the scales were perfectly right. 20 chickens weighed 157 pounds.

"That's an average of almost eight pounds each," said Dave—an unusually high average for any kind of chicken.

Mrs. Mitchell went home with a check for nearly \$50, a reward for her care in properly feeding chickens for the holiday market.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Baptist church held its annual meeting December 10 at the home of Mrs. Nelson Bakewell, Caster avenue. There was a Christmas gift exchange, also election of officers for the coming year with the following results: President, Mrs. Clyde Lasslett Sr.; vice president, Mrs. Robert Todd; second vice president, Mrs. Orvil Bloomhoff; secretary, Mrs. Fred Anderson; treasurer, Mrs. Milton Diedrick. Mrs. G. H. Enns of Olivet was a guest at the meeting.

The Loyal Daughters' Sunday school class of the First Baptist church held its annual Christmas party and exchange of gifts at the home of Mrs. Harold Daggett of Maple avenue on Tuesday evening, December 15.

MERRY CHRISTMAS



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Happy Holidays CHRISTMAS 1942

GOOD WILL, music, happiness, health—a foursome without a peer—our wish for you and yours as Christmas comes in this fateful year of 1942. Your kindness has meant a great deal to us, and we thank you most cordially.

THE NORTHVILLE ELECTRIC SHOPS

C. B. Turnbull, prop.

Merry Christmas



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Sleet Storm Ties Up Traffic

Plymouth Swept by Severe Ice Storm

Following in the wake of the severest early winter weather this part of Michigan has ever experienced, Plymouth and the rest of southeastern Michigan was Tuesday morning blanketed with a sheet of ice that disrupted all highway traffic, piled automobiles, trucks and buses in the gutters along highways and made foot traffic a real hazard.

The storm started just before daylight and within 30 minutes highways, trees, wires and buildings were coated with a sheet of ice.

Hundreds of workers were late to their jobs. Others never reached their places of employment and business everywhere dropped to a mere fraction of what it had been on Monday. Fortunately there were no reports of serious injuries.

Housewives Told How To Save Meat

Circular Advises Ways to Benefit Most

Distribution of 500,000 copies of a United States government leaflet which explains why and how housewives should "Share the Meat for Victory," was started this week in Plymouth and other parts of Wayne county.

The Wayne County Council of Defense has organized distribution of these leaflets which are based on "99 Ways to Share the Meat," a new pamphlet of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Men, women and children over 12 years old are allowed two and a half pounds per week of beef, veal, lamb, mutton, and pork, including canned meats and sausage, made from these meats. Children from six to 12 years are allowed one and a half pounds per week and children under six years old, three-fourths of a pound per week.

"Voluntary sharing of the meat is essential if we are to meet the needs of our armed force and allies," Robert H. MacRae, chairman of the Wayne County O.C.D. pointed out. "This pamphlet will help housewives share the meat by listing alternate main dishes which may be substituted for meat."

The pamphlet points out that the two and a half pounds per week allowed adults is figured with "bone in" and "fat on." Poultry, fish, and a variety of meats such as kidney, liver, brains, sweetbreads, tongue, need not be counted in the two and a half pounds and may be used freely.

Cheese, eggs, dry beans, soybeans, peanut butter and peanuts are listed as alternate main dishes and recipes are given for their preparation in the pamphlet.

A house-to-house distribution of 400,000 "Share the Meat" leaflets is being made by members of the Victory Aides organization, the Metropolitan Youth Council and other groups.

Another 100,000 leaflets are being distributed in every city and village in Wayne county under the direction of the Wayne County Council O.C.D. Rural distribution is being directed by E. I. Besemer, county agricultural agent through the United States Department of Agriculture's war boards.

When housewives are contacted they are being asked if they are interested in attending food demonstration classes. On the basis of information thus obtained, such classes will be organized under the direction of Miss Lelia McGuire, chairman of the Wayne County Nutrition Committee of the Wayne County Council of Defense.

Changes in Night School Courses

High School Principal Claude Dykhouse has announced changes in the night school curriculum, effective with the resumption of classes January 4.

Still more emphasis is being placed on training for defense workers in the night classes.

Included in the new subjects to be taught is one in pre-flight training. It is to be taught by Henry Baker, of the Wayne County Airport.

The training will include work in meteorology and aerodynamics. It also will include some work for ground crews.

Other courses to be taught, the time and instructor include: Machine shop, Mondays and Wednesdays from 6 to 9, room 19, by William Campbell.

Shop mathematics and blueprint reading, Mondays and Wednesdays, 7 to 9, room 19, by Robert Ingram.

Dressmaking, Mondays, 7 to 9, room 21, Mrs. Charles Humphries. Tailoring, Wednesdays, 7 to 9, room 21, Mrs. Humphries.

Typing, Mondays and Wednesdays, 7 to 8, room C3, by Harry Fountain.

Shorthand, Mondays and Wednesdays, 8 to 9, room unassigned, by Mr. Fountain.

Apprentice training, Mondays, 7 to 9, room 24, by Carvel Bentley.

Badminton, Mondays, 7 to 9, gym, M. J. Huber. English, history and government for high school credit, Mondays and Tuesdays, 7 to 9, room 14, by James Latture.

Pre-flight, Tuesdays, 7 to 9, room 13, by Henry Baker.



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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Merry Christmas

We hope you have a very Merry Christmas—and we also want to thank you for all you have done for us.

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Walter Ash

Ralph Lorenz

SEASON'S GREETINGS



Christmas

JUST A LINE to extend our heartfelt thanks for your kindness to us during 1942, and to wish you and yours the merriest Christmas of them all.

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Sauerkraut; That Is It—Good, Too!

Plymouth's Famous Food Praised by MSC

Of all things! Now comes along the specialists of Michigan State College, recommending use of Plymouth's famous winter dish—good old sauerkraut.

Some like it hot, some like it cold. Either way, sauerkraut is one of our best food crops, rich in vitamins and minerals, nutrition specialists at Michigan State college tell Plymouth folks who have known all about it for years.

Because of the tin shortage packers have put millions of gallons of kraut into barrels, and with the large cabbage crop of the 1942 season, there is an ample supply of this hearty food. The nutrition specialists give some good tips on preparing sauerkraut.

Famous teams are sauerkraut and spareribs, kraut and sausage, or kraut and pigs' knuckles. One of the most popular combinations, they say, is kraut boiled with spareribs, with dumplings steamed on top of the kraut. Other combinations are sliced apples and kraut browned together, or kraut and liver, or kraut and fish. To some, roast goose is incomplete without a companion dish of kraut.

Sauerkraut juice, chilled, makes a good first course. Some prefer it straight; others with a little lemon juice, or it may be mixed half and half with tomato juice.

There is more than one way to cook and season sauerkraut itself. When you eat savory sauerkraut, as it's sometimes called, you are having the Norwegian style. It's done quickly this way: Light a brown 1 1/2 cup or less of fat in a skillet and add 1 quart of sauerkraut and 1/4 teaspoon of celery or caraway seed. Mix well, separating the kraut with a fork. Cover and cook for 5 minutes, and serve hot. You may use the kraut a Pennsylvania Dutch touch when you add onion, apple, and a chopped potato.

Rosedale Gardens News

Mr. and Mrs. William Morris and family will as usual on Christmas day attend a progressive dinner party when members of her family in Detroit entertain at two courses and they at one.

Mr. and Mrs. George V. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gibson are to be dinner guests, Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Copping, in Detroit.

Mrs. Samuel Stalter entertained eight ladies at a luncheon bridge, Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Page and son, Harold, will attend "This is the Army" at the Masonic temple Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Smale attended on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Winkler were dinner guests, Saturday evening, of Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Adams in their home on Nine Mile road. William Adams was also present having arrived from Oletta, Illinois, where he attends the Roosevelt military academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rittenhouse and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coxell of Plymouth were dinner guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holcomb. On Sunday they were dinner hosts

to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Travis and family, of Plymouth. Fred Zinn Jr. is home from the Scarborough school of Scarborough, New York, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zinn, and sister, Margaret, will spend Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zinn in Battle Creek.

Mrs. Emory Shierk will be a luncheon hostess Monday to the Mercury club of Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fox and Nancy are to leave Christmas morning for a visit with her mother in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bickel and daughter, Betty, were dinner guests, Sunday evening, of Mr. and Mrs. George V. Miller, the occasion honoring the birthday of Mr. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rittenhouse, of Plymouth, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Micol, of Pontiac, are to be Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Winkler are to be Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Mitchell when they will entertain at a formal dinner party in their home in Sherwood Forest.

Mrs. Fred VanDevender entertained the Brownies and their mothers at a Christmas party Wednesday, December 16. Mrs. VanDevender is leader of the Brownies.

Rotary Grows In War Time

District Government Pleased With Outlook

Rotary clubs in the 153rd Rotary district, comprising all of southeastern Michigan and part of western Ontario, are showing gains in membership despite the loss of some members to the services.

This was the statement of Alex E. Moore of Wayne, district governor of Rotary, who visited in Plymouth this week.

Mr. Moore added that despite the increasing demands of the services and the increasing demands of members to devote to their personal affairs, the prospects of a successful winter season for the clubs is good.

Mr. Moore in his monthly letter reported the average attendance of Rotary members at luncheon meetings is 82.41 per cent.

In the same letter, which extended Christmas and New Year greetings, Mr. Moore set forth his idea of the American Dream. It follows:

A nation free from religious bigotry and intolerance, where man can worship God in accordance with his conscience. A nation born out of many nations, international in its origin and co-operating with all peoples of the world for peace and human happiness. A nation based on liberty and freedom, scorning all philosophies of tyranny and dictatorship. A nation using its freedom to build a co-operative society, the Brotherhood of Man. To live in such a nation is the greatest privilege. Let us cling to this Dream and along these lines mould the Republic.

Finds New York Dark at Night

Charles H. Bennett Tells of Precautions

Charles H. Bennett and Edward C. Hough have recently returned from New York city where they attended a conference pertaining to the 1943 production of toys for American boys and girls.

Mr. Bennett states that a visit to New York city is plenty of proof that people living in that part of the country know there is a war going on.

"Every light in the city is dimmed at nighttime. The bright ways and the bright streets that formerly attracted so much attention are a thing of the past. While display windows in stores are lighted, the lights are reflected in such a way that they cannot be observed from above

or even from any distance down the street" stated Mr. Bennett. "New York is an entirely different city in many respects from what it was not much more than a year ago."



Wishing you all the joys and blessings of this holy Christmas season of 1942

Western Auto Store Ora Rooker Prop.

Advertisement for Jersey Bell Dairy featuring a milk can and text: PASTEURIZATION BRINGS milk to a temperature that frees it of all germs. Your family can consume it in perfect safety. Phone 676-J. 1917 Canton Center Rd.

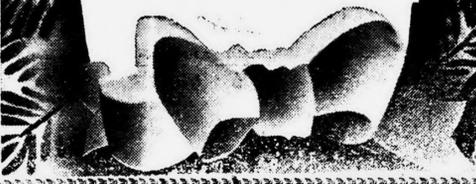
Merry Christmas

For One and All!

Children's laughter... the scent of holly and pine... the re-telling of stories as old Christmas itself... all these make Christmas—and more. For this year when loved ones are separated and hearts send out a silent greeting, new memories of Christmas are made. You'll find the true spirit of the Yuletide in church Christmas day.

We offer our sincere Christmas greetings to you with the reminder that if you can't attend church regularly as you work for Victory... there's a warm welcome waiting for you at your church Christmas Day!

SCHRADER FUNERAL HOME



Fear Winter Will Be Bad One For Deer

Michigan's deer herd is beginning the winter with a double handicap, in the opinion of the state conservation department's game men.

Deer are reported going into their winter yards a week to two weeks earlier than in recent seasons because of heavy early snows that stayed, and the big 1942 fawn crop, following the excellent survival last year because of the mild winter, may leave a population that will tax winter food supplies in critical areas.

Michigan's last state-wide losses of deer due to local shortages of winter food, the best of which is cedar browse, came in 1940, though there were severe losses in some parts of the lower peninsula in 1941 where the size of the herd exceeded the carrying capacity of the wintering areas.

Do You Have Your Deed To Your Home?

If you are buying a modern home on a land contract and have paid in at least one-third on the property, we have a plan for helping you secure a deed.

Your application and appraisal made without charge.

Plymouth Federal Savings and Loan Association

865 Penniman Avenue Plymouth, Michigan

THIS YEAR OF 1942 has been one of world tribulation, but nevertheless, many good things have come our way. Chief among them is your continued patronage, for which we thank you very earnestly now, and wish you a very MERRY CHRISTMAS



THE DETROIT EDISON CO.



MAY THE JOYS OF CHRISTMAS BE YOURS



COMMUNITY PHARMACY

John W. Blickenstaff, prop



Merry Christmas



WHEN storekeeper Abe Lincoln discovered he had overcharged a customer 6c he walked 6 miles to return those pennies, and earned the nickname "Honest Abe."

Integrity in little things has helped us, too—has earned for us, we believe, the complete confidence of this community, not only in 1942, but in other years. At this time we want to thank you for this confidence, and to extend to you every good wish for a Merry Christmas.

THE PLYMOUTH COACH CO.



# Merry Christmas



May the Good Things of Christmas as always be Yours — David Galin and the Employees of the

## PURITY MARKET and Refrigerated Food Lockers

849 Penniman Ave. Phone 293  
We Will Close at 6 p.m. Sharp on Christmas Eve

### No Hamburg? That's Right!

#### Popular Lunch Counter Sandwiches Out

Ladies and gentlemen, and boys and girls, a great American institution passed from the picture during the past week.

Tears. It is entirely possible that this institution has made only a temporary disappearance. There are those who say it will appear again within a week.

Smiles. Still, for the first time in the memory of the oldest resident, it was quite impossible to purchase hamburger.

Tears. There were plenty of buns. There was mustard and catsup and onion. But there was no hamburger.

Smiles. And after all, what is life without a hamburger?

Tears. Even the butchers are doing without.

And as for the hamburger shops, the sign on the front to "buy 'em by the sack," doesn't mean a thing.

But don't give up. There is hope for the future. And meanwhile, try to get along with a hot dog.

It's all because of the beef shortage.

And in case you didn't already know it, there isn't much beef of any kind.

### Newburg News

The Book club, composed of teachers, met Tuesday evening of last week, in the Methodist church hall for dinner after which they enjoyed a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Donald Ryder.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton will entertain at a family dinner party on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith will be hosts Christmas day, at the annual family dinner having as guests, Mrs. Eva Smith, Mrs. Emma Ryder, Miss Martha Britton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ryder and Doris, and Lee and Earl Ryder.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bovee and children are to have dinner, Christmas day with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin G. Hammer in Detroit.

Mrs. Raymond Grimm has been quite ill for a week with flu.

The altar of the Methodist church was decorated Sunday with white gifts as is the custom at Christmas time. A splendid program by the little children was given and Evelyn Bohl sang "Gesu Bambino." Other Christmas music and a talk by Rev. Carson completed the morning

service. On Tuesday evening the Christmas party for old and young took place.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mielbeck entertained at dinner, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mielbeck and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and family, the occasion honoring the birthdays of Arline Mielbeck, their daughter, Robert Mielbeck, their nephew, and David Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gutherie and family arrived Thursday of last week, from Greensboro, Georgia, for a visit during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tallman, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gutherie.

John Schmiede returned to Camp Forrest, Tennessee, Sunday evening, following a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmiede. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Schmiede entertained at a family Christmas dinner in his honor having Mrs. L. F. Wendt, of Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. John Wendt and daughter, of Ypsilanti.

Lee Ryder spent from Wednesday until Friday of last week with John Thompson in Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ryder entertained at dinner, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Searle and daughter, Jane, of Wayne.

### Weddings

#### ROWLAND-FISCHER

Miss Ardith Rowland, daughter of Murray M. Rowland, of this city, became the bride of Harold E. Fischer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Fischer, of Plymouth road, at a ceremony performed at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening, Rev. T. Leonard Sanders read the marriage service.

They were attended by Miss Betty Scheppele and James Butler, of Plymouth.

The bride was attired in an Australian green crepe dress trimmed in gold and brown braid with which she wore brown accessories. Her corsage was a white orchid.

Miss Scheppele wore a gold crepe dress with brown accessories and a corsage of gardenias. A reception was held a short time later in the home of the bride's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Waterman on Reservoir road, where only the immediate families gathered.

Following a short trip Mr. and Mrs. Fischer are at home at 209 Fair street, in Plymouth.

#### HAMILTON-STEEL

Miss Clarice Jane Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coello Hamilton, was quietly married

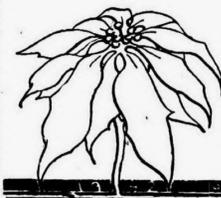
on December 21 to James Steele, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Steele, of Ruyard, Michigan. The ceremony was performed 5:30 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents with Rev. Walf Nichol officiating.

For her wedding the bride chose a pink jersey dress with corsage of pink tea roses and white baby mums. Her only attendant was her sister, Mrs. G. O'Neil. Robert Bullard was the best man for the bridegroom. A dinner followed the service and the couple left for a short trip.



IN wishing you a Merry Christmas this year we would capture for you as much of the old time holiday spirit as possible. Accept our sincere thanks for your generous patronage, which has been a source of real encouragement to us in 1942.

### THE PERFECTION LAUNDRY



### Christmas Cheer to All

IT WAS but yesterday that all was commonplace. But now, what a change! 'Tis the Christmas spirit of 1942!

Carried away on this magic carpet of Yuletide, we enter every home to say Merry Christmas to our friends.

C. F. Smith Store  
Cal. Whipple, Mgr.

### HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO ALL



AT THIS TIME, when prince and peasant bow in common harkening to the message of good will from old Judea, we want to express our earnest wish for a happy 1942 Christmas season to all our friends.



### THOMPSON MARKET

**Synthetic Fibers**  
An institute for chemical technology of synthetic fibers, the first of its kind in Europe, has been opened at the Technical college of Breslau, Silesia.

**Protected Interests**  
When Valparaiso fell into the hands of revolutionists in 1891, the American minister, Patrick Egan, asked for U. S. marines to protect American interests there.

**Outfit Six Soldiers**  
The leather in a single steer hide would provide all the leather articles required to outfit six soldiers for a whole year.

**Small Percentage**  
Working time lost in labor disputes in Britain is less than one hour per worker per year.

**Mouton Coats**  
A woman's mouton coat contains enough material to line a war flier's sheep-skin-lined jacket.

**One Bad Man**  
"Oft hath even a whole city reaped the evil fruit of a bad man." —Hesiod.

**Browning Preserves Meat Flavor**  
By browning meat before packing, the fresh flavor is preserved.

**Easier**  
"Criticism comes easier than criticism." —Zeuxis.

There is no right without a parallel duty, no liberty without the supremacy of the law, no high destiny without earnest perseverance, no greatness without self-denial. —Lieber.



### BERT'S PLACE

Bert Swadding, prop.



### A Merry Christmas

### THELMA BEAUTY SHOP

### A Merry Christmas



### TODD'S CASH MARKET

Arthur Todd, prop.



Merry Christmas

### HILLSIDE BARBECUE

Jake Stremich, prop.

NEW YEAR'S EVE RESERVATIONS NOW BEING TAKEN.

— Phone Us Today —



Lucky because I just stopped one in the leg. But Smith and Weinberg and Farley . . . they're dead. Dead because we didn't have one more grenade to throw!"

That's an American soldier speaking. Speaking your language.

He's asking for more guns to fight with. More tanks, more planes, more grenades to crack down on the enemy with.

Well, let's give them to him!

Let's loan 10% of our pay to the Government. Let's put it in War Bonds. Let's loan Uncle Sam the money to make more tools of war.

It's a loan because the money you put into War Bonds now comes back to you in ten

years with a healthy bonus of good interest! For every \$3 you lay aside for War Bonds pays back \$4!

So put at least 10%—not 6%, or 7%, or 8%, but 10% of your pay to work killing Japs and Nazis—and making money for you at the same time! Sign up in the Payroll Savings Plan today!

#### WHAT YOU SHOULD DO:

- If you are . . .
- 1. Already setting aside 10% of your pay in War Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan—boost that 10% if you can.
- 2. Working in a plant where the Plan is installed, but haven't signed up yet—sign up tomorrow.
- 3. Working in a plant where the Payroll Savings Plan hasn't been installed, talk to your union head, foreman, or plant manager—and see if it can't be installed right away. The local bank will be glad to help.
- 4. Unable to get in on the Payroll Savings Plan for any reason, go to your local bank. They will be glad to help you start a Plan of your own.

### "TOP THAT 10% BY NEW YEAR'S!"



BUY U. S. WAR BONDS THROUGH THE PAYROLL SAVINGS PLAN

This space is a Contribution to America's All-Out War Program by

### THE PLYMOUTH MAIL

### RURAL MOTOR FREIGHT

C. J. Baird, prop.



### Gas Coupons Are Good Everywhere

Gasoline rationing coupons issued anywhere in the United States are as good in Michigan as they are in the city and state in which they were issued.

This was the statement of William Wood, chairman of the Plymouth War Price and Rationing Board.

Mr. Wood said he had been informed that some gasoline stations were refusing to honor rationing books issued in the East because they were not identical with those issued in Michigan. This failure on the part of the stations is an error, said Mr. Wood.

The rationing coupons issued in the East are not identical with those issued in Michigan, he said, but the difference is slight, and that so long as the coupons presented come within the specified dates of issuance, they are entirely valid.

### State Seeks to Break Down Prejudice Against River Carp

Having eaten carp and found it highly palatable, officials of the state conservation department and Michigan State college are now prepared to recommend this product personally to housewives short of meat, while they go on to test the eating qualities of suckers, herring and smelt—all deserving more use, they believe.

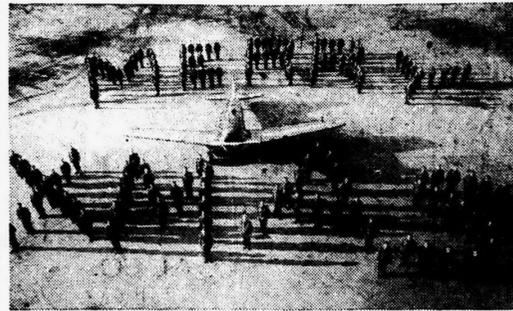
At the test dinner, prepared by the home economics department staff of the college, one dinner described the firm, white, flaky carp flesh as somewhat like pike, with a suggestion of mackerel, though not so strong. The fish sampled was broiled Lake Erie carp, brushed with butter and seasoned. It came from Michigan waters of Lake Erie near Monroe.

Next steps in the campaign to erase popular prejudices against fish which could readily be produced in larger quantities by Michigan commercial fishermen are testing of other species in the college home economics research kitchens, and publication by spring of a small booklet of tested recipes for housewives. Fish producers and dealers will be urged to market their product as attractively as meats. It was pointed out that the housewife can buy a steak ready for the pan, but if she buys Michigan fish she gets it in the round and is expected to do the "butchering" in her own kitchen.

The army was quicker than housewives to recognize the value of herring, and carload lots of these "Lake Superior bluefins," scaled, cleaned, boned and filleted, are now being shipped from upper peninsula fishing ports for use by the armed forces.

You may either win your peace or buy it; win it, by resistance to evil; buy it, by compromise with evil.—John Ruskin.

### Air Cadets Spell Out Old Greeting Zero Weather



An old greeting is spelled out here by United States aviation cadets in the Southeast Air Corps Training center at Maxwell Field, Ala. No Christmas tree trinket is the airplane ornamenting this cheery Noel greeting. Rather, it's an advanced training ship and the seeming icy background against which the men stand is the concrete warm-up mat.

### Zero Weather Ushers in Winter

#### Plenty of Snow, Ice And Cold During Fall

Although winter didn't "officially" start until Tuesday morning at 12:01 o'clock, Plymouth and the rest of Michigan have enjoyed more real winter weather so far than was experienced during the most of all last winter.

There's been the biggest snowstorm, the longest "cold spell," the slipperiest roads, the coldest homes, zero weather, snowbanks, stalled automobiles and a fuel shortage—all since Thanksgiving and before Christmas.

"Never saw anything like it," declared a Plymouth old-timer, who blames it all on the effort of New Dealers to regiment the weather as well as the way of life.

Last week was one of the "winter" week's of weather this part of Michigan has experienced in years. It was climaxed Sunday morning by the coldest spell of the year, when the mercury sank to several degrees below zero. Some reported that it was eight below. Others said their thermometers registered six below.

Lakes are frozen over and Plymouth skaters have for some-

time been enjoying some of the best skating in years. Last year there was practically none of it until after Christmas.

Maybe spring will arrive just after New Year's—if things keep going "haywire" as they have in recent weeks and months.

Times of general calamity and confusion have ever been productive of the greatest minds. The purest ore is produced from the hottest furnace, and the brightest thunderbolt from the darkest storm.—Colton.



FEED YOUR FLOCK THE Natural Way. Larro Feeds plus your own grains. All you need for more and better quality eggs.

#### Saxton Farm Supply Store

583 West Ann Arbor Trail Phone 174, Plymouth 24827 Gd. River at 7 Mile Rd. Redford—Phone 1996 114 East Main St. Northville—Phone 150

What has not unselfed love achieved for the race? All that ever was accomplished, and more than history has yet recorded.—Mary Baker Eddy.



We thank you for your loyalty to us during the year. May you experience every joy during this blessed Yuletide of 1942.

Dr. John McIntyre  
Optometrist

BUSINESS and PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

#### Auto Bumping

SQUARE DEAL BODY SHOP  
J. W. Selle and Son  
Expert Collision Work  
PHONE 177 Plymouth  
744 Wing St.

#### Memorials

MEMORIALS Eternally Beautiful and Everlasting Priced as low as \$25.00  
ALLEN MEMORIAL WORKS  
360 East Cady Street, Northville, Michigan Phone 192

#### Organizations, Lodges

BEALS POST, NO. 32 Meeting of the Legion at the Legion Hall 1st Tuesday and 3rd Friday William Rose, Commander Roy Lawson, Adjutant

Meetings Second Tuesday of Each Month at Grange Hall Lee R. Sackett, Comm. Arno Thompson, Secretary Harry Mumby, Treasurer

PLYMOUTH ROCK LODGE No. 47, F. & A. M. VISITING MASONS WELCOME CLAUDE ROCKER, W. M. OSCAR E. ALSBRO, Sec'y

#### Veterinarians

Dr. Ted Cavell  
Veterinarian  
Phone 720  
930 Ann Arbor Rd.

#### Insurance - Real Estate

PHONE THE PARROTT AGENCY PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN Real Estate and Insurance

### U. S. Seamen Celebrate Christmas



Hot or cold, rain or shine, clear or cloudy, and wherever they might be, U. S. sailors always celebrate Christmas in their own way. Here, in gale jackets while in the Arctic zone, these seamen play, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing."

#### Testing Tank Crews



There are two big rooms in the medical research laboratory at Fort Knox, Ky. One is kept at 130 degrees above zero; the other at 30 below. Tank crews eat, sleep and work on their tanks while doctors take notes. Here a sergeant climbs up and down a ladder toting a full pack while army medics measure his reactions so crews will be better cared for in tropical climates.

#### A Batch of Rubber



Using an ordinary bakery mixer, Tom (left) and Jimmy Richards of Los Angeles, who call themselves "menley wrench researchers," are shown turning out a batch of the synthetic rubber they have developed. They say it can be produced from waste vegetable matter, waste milk, etc., and can be made for 35 cents a pound, compared with 40 to 70 cents for other synthetics. They say Rubber Czar Jeffers is "interested."

The apple is so old a fruit that its charred remains have actually been found in the mud of prehistoric European lake dwellings! Ancient stone carvings of the apple also bear witness to its age.

Peace is liberty in tranquility.—Cicero.

### SOFT WATER SERVICE

267 So. Main Street  
Phone 707

Now, at Christmas time, when the fountains of true joy flow most freely, we welcome the opportunity to extend to you and yours our heartiest wishes for a happy Yuletide. For your kindness to us in 1942 we cordially thank you.

### IRA WILSON & SONS DAIRY

Blake Fisher, prop.

### Christmas Happiest Holiday Season to Everybody

The holiday spirit of 1942 rules the land today. It is King of all, despite the wars of men.

May we take this brief, but sincere, time to wish you the happiest Holiday Season possible.

### CONSUMERS POWER CO.



REGARDLESS of what has happened to this queer old world in 1942, there is still love and cheer and friendship out of which we may fashion another happy Christmas season.

We want to say now that we wish all of our Yuletide every success in finding during this Yuletide all the happiness it can possibly bring.



### HERRICK JEWELRY STORE

**STORM SASH**  
CUSTOM MADE TO FIT ANY WINDOW OR DOOR  
**Plymouth Mill Supply**  
Corner Mill and Ann Arbor Trail  
Phone 494W

To each and all of you we say "Merry Christmas." We say it—yes—in the very same spirit that we have said it in the past, knowing that the full enjoyment of Christmas is an affair of the heart and of the spirit. Pausing for a moment in the twilight of 1942 we look forward with our friends hopefully to the future.



### A MERRY YULETIDE TO ALL

### THE JAMES AUSTIN OIL CO.

### Ford Keeps 'Em Rolling for U. S.

#### Labor Up-Sets Do Not Stop Progress

In spite of strikes, slow-downs, fights, wrangles and disputes, that have infested his plants during the past year or so, Henry Ford keeps the wheels turning for Uncle Sam and grinding out badly needed supplies and materials for the fighting boys in the United States army and navy.

His latest accomplishment, according to Paul Wiedman, formerly a quarter of a century Plymouth Ford dealer, is the completion of the new aircraft building, where production of Pratt and Whitney airplane motors is under way. Special classrooms and laboratories have been set aside for navy use, and 900 of the service school students are learning, through both theoretical study and practical experience, details of airplane engine maintenance. In the classroom they learn aircraft engine fundamentals, purposes of the various parts and their function in the engine's operation.

In another department where the 400 machinists-mate aspirants study lathes, mills, drills, presses and shapers, the Navy has instituted a unique method of instruction. Two men work together at a machine. One has had a month's experience. The other is new. The older instructs the youngster for one month and then departs when his pupil is ready to take his turn as teacher. An average of one shop instructor for every 10 students is maintained, and he keeps in close contact with their progress and instructs each in all phases of the work.

An advanced two-month course in Diesel engineering is given to machinists and electrician's mates who show particular talent during the first 120-day period. Throughout the rooms devoted to this study are cut-away models of Diesel engines, showing the functions of the various parts. Other complete models serve as experimental engines which the students tear down and build up to learn construction.

A number of fuel-injection systems also are studied in detail so that, in the event any particular one must be used, these men will be able to perform the necessary repair and maintenance work on it.

Not all is work at the station, however. Some men have time off every evening in the week, alternating of course, and a great number get away each week-end.

There are two incidents in the growth of the school that are worth repeating. One is the story that is told of the visit of the admiral. It seems that this official advised the then Commanding Officer that on a certain day he would arrive the following afternoon for an inspection. Admirals frown upon anything hinting disorder. The new Naval Station was only a few weeks old, bare rock and ground still surrounded it; there were no trees and no grass. Admittedly its environs were bleak.

Officials of the Ford Motor company were informed of the forthcoming visit. The legend is that Henry Ford hastened to the grounds to look at the training area. Hardly an hour elapsed after Mr. Ford's visit before trucks began to arrive. These were loaded with trees, turf, sod and gardeners. Bull-dozers started to level the ground. As fast as this was done, workmen followed, some digging holes into which striping trees were placed and then guyed with wires. Still others began laying and rolling the squares of sod, much of it smooth as a golf-green.

All through the night and well into the following day this continued. It was shortly after noon that the crew finished. What had been a barren area, had become a landscaped vista, in less than 48 hours. The admiral was pleased. (So was the Commanding Officer.)



*I pray thee then Write me as one that loves his fellow men.*  
—Abou Ben Adhem

Let us all write that down, that our names, too, like Abou Ben Adhem's, may appear among the names of those "whom love of God had blessed."

As 1942 draws to a close we say

A Merry Christmas to You

**Bartlett & Kaiser**

### A Merry Christmas



BEST WISHES

W. C. ROBERTS COAL CO.

### Merry Christmas



ELLIS RESTAURANT

### MERRY CHRISTMAS.. PEACE ON EARTH



### HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO EVERYONE 1942

It would be fine if we personally could meet and greet each one of you this thought-provoking Christmas of 1942. The fact that we cannot does not keep us from saying to you here that we wish you a very Merry Christmas.

WM. BARTEL & SONS



Merry Christmas

FLUELLING'S One-Stop Service

### BOWLING

#### LEAGUE STANDINGS

##### Parkview House League

	W	L	Pct.
Cloverdale No. 1	39	17	.696
Terry's Bakery	36	20	.643
Jewell's Cleaners	35	21	.625
Plym Lmbr, Coal	32	24	.571
J. C. C.	31	25	.554
Dr. Ross	30	26	.536
Berger & Dobbs	30	26	.536
Kelsey-Hayes	28	28	.500
Super Shell	28	28	.500
Conner Hdwe.	26	30	.464
UAW - CIO	25	31	.446
First Nat'l Bank	25	31	.446
Blunk, Thatcher	22	34	.393
Post Office	22	34	.393
Michigan Bell	20	36	.357
Cloverdale No. 2	19	37	.339

High scores: Schell 212, Buttermore 247; Leitz 200; Krump 216; Moon 213.

##### Parkview Classic League

	W	L	Pct.
Nankin Mills	43	9	.827
Townsend Air Ser.	30	22	.577
Taylor & Blyton	29	23	.558
UAW CIO Local 899	29	23	.558
Smith Motors	26	26	.500
Perfection Ldy	26	26	.500
Davis Clothes	25	27	.481
Refrigerated Lkrs.	23	29	.442
Pilgrim Products	20	24	.455
Mayflower Taps	20	32	.385
Plym. Hdwe.	18	30	.375
Lidgard Brothers	16	32	.333

High scores: Versh 220; W. Rudick 213; Mettetal 200; G. Ferguson 211; B. Taylor 202; L. Salow 216; B. Lichow 208; R. Gilder 225; W. Baker 207; A. Gardner 211; A. Krizman 216; W. Todd 232, 202.

The cultivation of the moral judgment is the crucial need of civilization.

Dr. Torrance Phelps

From lack of moral strength empires fall. Right alone is irresistible, permanent, eternal. —Mary Baker Eddy.

Those love truth best who to themselves are true. And what they dare to dream of, dare to do. —Lowell

Our thanks should be as fervent for mercies received as our petitions for mercies sought. —Charles Simmons.

### Coon Hunting Season is Ended

#### Plymouth Hunters Report Good Luck

Michigan's 1942 raccoon hunting season closes formally on Tuesday, December 15, but the coons quit more than a week early, holing up in their dens when the blizzard swept southern Michigan.

Plymouth hunters report the best coon hunting results in many years.

Coon chasers reported the ringtails abundant this fall, and hunting was generally successful before the sharp change in the weather brought it to a halt. Raccoon trapping seasons of four weeks in northern lower Michigan and two weeks in southern Michigan also end with the close of the six-week hunting season on Tuesday.



ON CHRISTMAS MORN many's the home that will have a member of its family observing Yuletide rites in distant lands and in remote camps. To those homes . . . as to the families that are happily intact . . . we extend every good wish for a joyous Christmas, and peace through devotion.

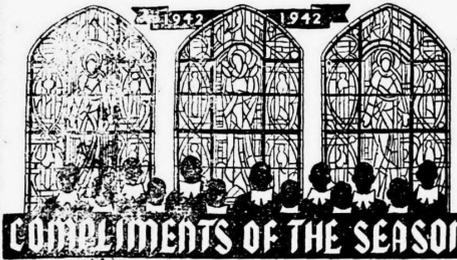
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## Christmas Aftermath

YULETIDE festivities will be more crowded and gay this year than in many years long since past. There will be more reason than ever, to meditate in Church on the true meaning of "Peace on Earth . . . Good Will toward Man" . . . Thus too, our score of Christmas wishes is extended in the hope that your holiday aftermath be as replete in merriment and joy as the gala season itself. May your home be blessed with every good fortune and your most profound hopes realized, in the New Year we look to for Victory.

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Legals

HUGH FRANCIS and MARGARET SIMMONS, Attorneys, 1801 Dime Bank Building, Detroit, Michigan. MORTGAGE SALE.—Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by George W. Auch and Sophie Auch, his wife, to the Michigan Life Insurance Company of Detroit, Michigan, dated the 6th day of June, 1929, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on the 7th day of June, 1929 in Liber 2332 of Mortgages on Page 609, which said mortgage was assigned by said Michigan Life Insurance Company to the Commonwealth-Commercial State Bank of Detroit, a Michigan Corporation, by assignment dated May 1, 1931 and recorded May 11, 1931 in Liber 237, Page 237 of Assignments, Wayne County Records; and which said mortgage was subsequently assigned by said Commonwealth-Commercial State Bank to Michigan Life Insurance Company, a Michigan Corporation, by assignment dated March 22, 1933 and recorded March 24, 1933 in Liber 253, Page 249 of Assignments, Wayne County Records; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice principal and interest the sum of Nine Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-Two and 13/100ths (\$9,352.13) Dollars, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

All those certain piece or parcels of land situate in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: Lot 170 Grosse Pointe Estates Subdivision of part of Lots 1 and 2 Subdivision of Private Claim 385 and part of Private Claim 111, all lying between Jefferson Avenue and Mack Road, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 31, Page 78 of Plats, Wayne County Records; together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or appearing thereon. MICHIGAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee. Dated: November 13, 1942. HUGH FRANCIS and MARGARET SIMMONS, Attorneys for Mortgagee, 1801 Dime Bank Building, Detroit, Michigan. Dec. 4, 11, 18, 25; Jan. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Feb. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1943.

ed to said court his first and final account in said matter. It is ordered, That the twenty-nine o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for examining and allowing said account. And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. 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 thirtieth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two. Present, Patrick H. O'Brien, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of SAMUEL MCKINNEY, Deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Lillian Whitehead praying that administration of said estate be granted to herself or some other suitable person: It is ordered, That the fifth day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. PATRICK H. O'BRIEN, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) Alfred L. Vincent, Deputy Probate Register. Dec. 11, 18, 25, 1942

Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 25th day of February, A.D. 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon. Dated December 14, A.D. 1942. JOSEPH A. MURPHY, Judge of Probate. Dec. 18, 25, '42; Jan. 1, '43. STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Wayne No. 303,607. In the Matter of the Estate of SILAS SLY, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon Howard N. Sly, executor at 4910 Townsend street, Detroit, Michigan on or before the 23rd day of February, A.D. 1943, and that such claims will be heard by said court before Judge THOMAS C. MURPHY, in Court Room No. 305, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 23rd day of February, A.D. 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon. Dated December 14, A.D. 1942. PATRICK H. O'BRIEN, Judge of Probate. Dec. 18, 25, '42; Jan. 1, '43.

Civil Patrol Squadron Takes Over Triangle

Plymouth Airport Is Again Scene Of Much Activity Triangle Airport, corner of Ann Arbor Trail and Hix road, for many years Michigan's only glider airport, has again become the scene of aerial activities, but this time it is not due to air gliders, which have all been taken over by the government. The nearby Plymouth airport is now the operating base of Squadron 4 of the Civil Air Patrol. There is another reason, too, why Plymouth has an interest in this new development at Triangle. Maynard Larkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Larkins, former residents of this city, is warrant officer and active in the affairs of Squadron 4. He has become a fier and frequently soars over his old home town of Plymouth, where he graduated from high school before he moved to Sarasota, Florida, with his parents. He is now married and residing at 17584 Harwell, in Detroit and has a position with the U.S. Civil Service commission, with offices in the Federal building. Recently there were a dozen or more planes, affiliated with the CAP, that made a highway traffic observation flight over southeastern Michigan. The 12 planes all flew out of Triangle and checked automobile traffic on every trunk line road in this part of the state. Their interesting report contains the notation that there "is a decided reduction noted in highway traffic." The exact number of the Civil Air Patrol with which Mr. Larkins is associated is known as Squadron 634-4. Its membership is comprised almost entirely of civilian fliers living in the northwest section of Detroit. In company with Lieutenant Albert L. Roberts and Lieutenant John R. Schuttis of the squadron to which he is attached, Maynard left the airport Sunday long enough to call on a number of old Plymouth friends. These energetic fliers are active in a large amount of patrol work for the army and navy, stated the visiting officers to Plymouth. Large sections of the nation's coastline are daily patrolled by their members in search of enemy submarines. Newspaper accounts of the finding of the Western Airlines transport plane, which crashed two weeks ago southwest of Salt Lake City, failed to give due credit to the Civil Air Patrol. Dispatches stated only that the missing airliner was located by a civilian pilot. As a matter of fact, the search plane was dispatched by CAP as an emergency mission and it is too bad that full credit was not given to the patrol in the accounts of that day. Maj. Ray Baker, commander of the Michigan wing, sent the following telegram to Utah's Wing 97: "Michigan wing sends congratulations to Utah wing for excellent navigation job performed by Caspar Wolf in locating Western Airlines ship and perhaps saving two lives. That kind of patrol work reflects credit on all CAP members of Utah and the Civil Air Patrol all over the nation." The headquarters of the Squadron operating out of Triangle, is located at 18300 Grand River, near the corner of Southfield.

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KROGER SELF-SERVE MARKETS

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 thirtieth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two. Present, Patrick H. O'Brien, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of SAMUEL MCKINNEY, Deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Lillian Whitehead praying that administration of said estate be granted to herself or some other suitable person: It is ordered, That the fifth day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. PATRICK H. O'BRIEN, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) Alfred L. Vincent, Deputy Probate Register. Dec. 11, 18, 25, 1942

Earl J. Demel, Attorney, 1616 Dime Bank Bldg., 46225 North Territorial Road, Plymouth, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. 302,208. 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 third day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two. Present Thomas C. Murphy, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE LALU, Deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Earl J. Demel, a Public Administrator, praying that administration of said estate be granted to himself or some other suitable person: It is ordered, That the fifteenth day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. THOMAS C. MURPHY, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) Alfred L. Vincent, Deputy Probate Register. Dec. 18, 25, '42; Jan. 1, '43.

Claude H. Buzzard, Attorney, 1388 Penning Avenue, Plymouth, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Wayne No. 304,369. In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN A. BELL, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon Frank C. Day, administrator of said estate, at 15355 Glastonbury street, Detroit, Michigan on or before the 25th day of February, A.D. 1943, and that such claims will be heard by said court before Judge Joseph A. Murphy, in Court Room No. 319, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 25th day of February, A.D. 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon. Dated December 21, A.D. 1942. THOMAS C. MURPHY, Judge of Probate. Dec. 25, '42; Jan. 1, 8, '43.

Earl J. Demel, Attorney, 1616 Dime Bank Bldg., 46225 North Territorial Road, Plymouth, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. 293,017. 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 ninth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two. Present Patrick H. O'Brien, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of RALPH McARTHUR, Deceased. Earl J. Demel, a Public Administrator and General Administrator of said estate, having rendered to said Court his first and final account in said matter and filed therewith his petition praying that he be allowed additional compensation for extraordinary services rendered in the administration of said estate and that the balance of said estate be turned over to the Michigan State Board of Executors. It is ordered, That the twelfth 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 once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. PATRICK H. O'BRIEN, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) Alfred L. Vincent, Deputy Probate Register. Dec. 25, '42; Jan. 1, 8, '43.

Merry Christmas For Christmas comes But Once a Year . . . and when it does come, we want it to come with all the old-fashioned trimmings that make this season so joyous. Thanks, one and all, for your kindness to us during 1942. Fisher Beauty Shop

Earl J. Demel, Attorney, 1616 Dime Bank Bldg., 46225 North Territorial Road, Plymouth, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. 305,254. 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 eighth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two. Present Joseph A. Murphy, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of MARJORIE COHN, also known as MARGIE WELLEIN COHN, Deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Earl J. Demel, a Public Administrator, praying that administration of said estate be granted to himself or some other suitable person: It is ordered, That the eleventh day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. JOSEPH A. MURPHY, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) Alfred L. Vincent, Deputy Probate Register. Dec. 25; Jan. 1, 8, '43.

Earl J. Demel, Attorney, 1616 Dime Bank Bldg., 46225 North Territorial Road, Plymouth, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court For the County of Wayne No. 304,705. In the Matter of the Estate of ETHEL AMO, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon Earl J. Demel, administrator of said estate, at 1616 Dime Bank Bldg., Detroit, Michigan on or before the 3rd day of March, A.D. 1943, and that such claims will be heard by said court before Judge THOMAS C. MURPHY, in Court Room No. 305, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 3rd day of March, A.D. 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon. Dated December 21, A.D. 1942. THOMAS C. MURPHY, Judge of Probate. Dec. 25, '42; Jan. 1, 8, '43.

Earl J. Demel, Attorney, 1616 Dime Bank Bldg., 46225 North Territorial Road, Plymouth, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. 293,017. 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 ninth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two. Present Patrick H. O'Brien, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of RALPH McARTHUR, Deceased. Earl J. Demel, a Public Administrator and General Administrator of said estate, having rendered to said Court his first and final account in said matter and filed therewith his petition praying that he be allowed additional compensation for extraordinary services rendered in the administration of said estate and that the balance of said estate be turned over to the Michigan State Board of Executors. It is ordered, That the twelfth 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 once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. PATRICK H. O'BRIEN, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) Alfred L. Vincent, Deputy Probate Register. Dec. 25, '42; Jan. 1, 8, '43.

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Earl J. Demel, Attorney, 1616 Dime Bank Bldg., 46225 North Territorial Road, Plymouth, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. 305,428. 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 fourteenth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two. Present Thomas C. Murphy, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN KLEBEC, Deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Earl J. Demel, a Public Administrator, praying that administration of said estate be granted to himself or some other suitable person: It is ordered, That the fourteenth day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. THOMAS C. MURPHY, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) Alfred L. Vincent, Deputy Probate Register. Dec. 25, '42; Jan. 1, 8, '43.

Holiday Greetings WE WOULD LIKE TO WISH THAT YOUR CHRISTMAS STOCKING HAVE MUCH MORE IN IT THAN EVER BEFORE, BUT, AS THIS MIGHT SEEM TO BE AN EXTRAVAGANT HOPE, WE WISH THAT IT CONTAIN FAR MORE THAN YOU EXPECT. YOU HAVE STOOD BY US LOYALLY IN 1942, AND WE CANNOT TELL YOU HOW MUCH WE APPRECIATE IT. BEYER PHARMACY

This War Christmas... PLEASE do not make Long Distance greeting calls Only the necessities of war cause your Telephone Company to make that request. This Christmas, Long Distance lines will be crowded with urgent war messages—calls that must go through. Holiday greetings must make way for those vital calls. Therefore, we sincerely ask that you do not make Long Distance greeting calls on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, particularly to points outside of Michigan. \* BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS FOR CHRISTMAS \* Michigan Bell Telephone Company

# Girls Take Over Monitor System

Students of P.H.S. were perturbed when walking about the school last Wednesday to see of things—girl monitors directing traffic in the halls. After recovering from the shock, the boys found that for some time several girls have wanted to see the boys that they could have a better idea of discipline in the halls and so they asked Jack Kenyon, chief of police, if they could have the usual monitors of their school for a day. Jack, naturally, at one who gives in easily to a girl's whim, but when all the girls frantically begged, Barbara Butt, Nancy Ker, Mary Brandt, Virginia Casey, Janet Stracken, Norma Johnson, Annabel Heller, Esther Metcal, Peggy Hart, Irene Espal, Bernice Wyatt, Louise Bell, and Lois Vetal started to strategize by getting on the other side of Jack, he finally gave



# Plymouth Pilgrim Prints

Student Publication Friday, December 25, 1942 With Faculty Supervision



## Girl Reserve News

A resolution was passed last Wednesday in Senior Girl Reserves that all members who do not wear their ties during club or who have unexcused absences will have to pay a fine of 50c to treasurer Signe Hegge. This was done to obtain both money and perfect attendance with uniforms every week.

The club is sponsoring a drive for new members. All girls wishing to join must submit their names to Dorothy Fisher, Betty Grammel, or Miss Hale before January 15. It was suggested that a get-together party be given for all girls wishing to become members.

During the cookie drive the week of December 7, 394 cookies were collected. The girls are to be congratulated for their good work.

## 10 Students Work In Post Office

This year for the first time the Post Office is hiring student help from the high school. Juniors and Seniors with at least a C average.

The ten students working for the United States Government are Bill Baker, Jack Anderson, Jack Kenyon, Junior Russell, Bob Bovee, Bob Thams, Harry Kruttm, Warren Mason, Lois Ridley, and Dorothy Woodbury. The boys sort mail and deliver mail in town, while the girls sort mail and do odd jobs.

## THE PLYMOUTH PILGRIM PRINTS STAFF

William Bakewell  
Patricia Hudson  
Dorothy Woodbury

Jane Ann Lyons  
Doris Wohlgenuth  
Warren Mason



## Ecorse Smothers Rocks 40-29

Trailing by but two points, 26-24, when starting the fourth and last quarter, the Plymouth Rocks died out quickly when Ecorse turned on the heat to make fourteen points to form the final score 40-29. The first and last quarters were dominated by Ecorse, but in the second and third periods Plymouth showed the power they had against River Rouge. Gillis and Newton, center and guard respectively, were tied for high point man of Plymouth with eight points each. The high-point man of both teams was Lovass of Ecorse with seventeen points. Next in line was Jones with twelve points and Ghindia with eleven points, both of whom are Ecorse men. The Rocks made twelve personal fouls to seven by the Red Raiders.

In the first quarter, which ended 8-4 in favor of Ecorse, the action lacked the pep of the second half. Donahue and Lacy each swished a basket for the Rock's points.

The second quarter showed Plymouth slowly coming to life as they gained on the Raiders. In this period Gillis sank three baskets as Newton made two points by swishing one also. Ecorse sank a free shot to make the total of Plymouth points for the second period stand at nine. The first half thus ended with Ecorse still on the top end of a 16-13 score.

In the third period, after a rest at the half, the action took on a hotter tempo as Ecorse made but ten points to Plymouth's eleven. Newton made five of these points, while Gillis collected two points and Ebersole gathered in four.

The last quarter saw Plymouth trying futilely to stop the Ecorse squad, but nevertheless Ecorse collected fourteen additional points to their total. Off the Rock's five points, Bennett and Lacy each were responsible for two, while Newton sank a free shot for a point. The last few fleeting moments of play showed Plymouth in possession of the ball making a final but futile effort.

**Starting Lineups.**  
Plymouth: Ebersole, f.; Lacy, f.; Gillis, c.; Newton, g.; Donahue, g. Subs: Bennett, Sheppard, Brink, Hunt and Upton.  
Ecorse: Redwine, f.; Stockinger, f.; Lovass, c.; Ghindia, g.; Pongrass, g. Subs: Jones.

## Odds and Ends

During the Thanksgiving vacation the large mirror in the girls' third floor wash room was replaced by two smaller glasses. The new ones are very nice, but for a room used by most of the senior high girls all during the day, they do not suit the purpose. Observation has shown that often the girls are standing three deep to catch a fleeting glance of themselves. Two mirrors would be perfect but until they can both be large, we shall be glad to get back the one large glass.

Mr. Hedrick's biology classes are studying the growth of plants when chemicals are added. Plant hormones are also a subject of discussion.

Mrs. Bixler's biology classes are beginning to study the human body, starting with the digestive organs.

## Reserves Trounced By Ecorse 33-12

The Ecorse Reserve Red Raiders journeyed to Plymouth last Friday night to win easily over the Rock Reserves by a score of 33-12. The game was one-sided throughout from the first tip-off, which Ecorse won, to the last minutes which saw Plymouth's opponents on their way to another basket swishing surge. Although Ecorse had but one substitute, they used him very little as their original line-up men tired little. Of the thirteen fouls of the game, Ecorse made seven while Plymouth made six. The Rocks sank four of their free throws to three made by the Red Raiders.

The Plymouth Reserves made but four points in the first half to sixteen points for the Ecorse reserves. The Rocks scored three points in the third period as against the opponent's nine, while in the last quarter the local squad sank baskets totaling five points to Ecorse's eight.

**Line-ups**  
Plymouth Reserves: Micol, f.; Rienas, f.; Erdelcic, Williams, g.; Johnson, g. captain. Subs: Bauman, Phillips, Gdaniec, Hoffman, Schultz.  
Ecorse Reserves: Pearson, f.; Mobley, f.; Redwine, c.; Schuler, g.; Schonfield, g. Subs: Cameron.

## Meaning of Three Types of Excuses

O. K. excuses do not mean work does not have to be made up. They just mean that work should be made up. Unmarked recitations mean that the student is absent for some reason which the parents approve of but for which the school takes no responsibility. As far as the teachers' class book is concerned it is the same as if the students were present but not called on. Most teachers, however, require written work to be made up for even "unmarked recitation." If an O.K. excuse is not made up it automatically becomes a zero the same as a not O.K.

"But I didn't have time," or "You didn't tell me," or even "I had an O.K. excuse," such are the varied excuses given by students two or three days before the end of a marking period although they knew the work they missed had to be made up. Then they faithfully promise to make up all their back work in time to be included for the report cards so the blank spaces will not turn to zero that play havoc with anyone's marks. As for the time problems, everyone has 24 hours each to spend as he sees necessary but some people prefer to spend their time in pleasure. Therefore, necessary school work is not accomplished.

Most students think the teachers should make the appointments. But teachers have more than their share of work and when they do make appointments students refuse or forget to keep them. So students should make it a point to make up their work before the fatal time.

## We Have Something To Be Thankful For

Over 2000 years ago while there was peace over the Roman world under the rule of Augustus Caesar, Christ was born to save men and to bring peace and joy to the world. Today, there is war throughout the world, on Christ's birthday. One may well ask amid this chaos what there is to be joyful about. The majority of people throughout the world are striving to maintain Christian ideals. They are battling to insure the rights of free speech, and a free press, they are battling to insure freedom from want and freedom from fear. They are battling to insure these freedoms for themselves as well as for the people of the Axis countries. They are striving to bring social and economic justice to the entire world. They are also fighting to free the world of the Axis principles. People of democratic countries are looking forward to a democratic world after the war.

There is something to be joyful about. We should be joyful and thankful that we can plan for a better world to live in. We should be thankful that the responsibility of building a democratic government is placed on our shoulders. Therefore, we should, as the song indicates, "Now thank we all our God."

Give me the liberty to know, to think, to believe, and to utter freely, according to conscience, above all other liberties.—Milton.

The Pilgrims came to establish a nation in true freedom, in the rights of conscience.—Mary Baker Eddy.

## Peace After War Interests New Club

Because a good many thinking juniors and seniors are interested about the world after the war, they have formed a discussion group from the history classes of Miss Fiegel. The International Relations Discussion group intends to study and discuss international relations as the Treaty of Versailles and the League of Nations. The group consisting of nineteen members meets every Tuesday during noon hour. The officers are Louise Powell, general chairman; Dorrit Strauss, secretary; and Joe Brisbois, program chairman.

It has been said that knowing the literature of a people is more important than knowing their history because people's thinking is expressed in their literature while their doings are expressed in history and people do what they think. In World War I the end came so swiftly that people had little time to think of the world after the war. During this war people are thinking of the future. This is evident from lectures, articles in the magazines and newspapers, and radio discussions.

That young people are evincing a serious interest in the political and economic status of the world is most encouraging for the future.

Know ye not, that to whom ye yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are to whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness?—Romans 6:16.

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- DECEMBER
- 24—Christopher ("Kit") Carson born, 1803.
  - 25—Christmas Day; Shay's rebellion in Massachusetts, 1786.
  - 26—Congress introduces resolution censoring President Jackson, 1833.
  - 27—Scientist Louis Pasteur born, 1822.
  - 28—Lower admitted to Union, 1845.
  - 29—U. S. "Constitution" captures British irigate off Brazil, 1812.
  - 30—Rudyard Kipling, writer, born, 1865.
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## Students Issued A Challenge

We, the students of Plymouth high school, have been issued an important challenge from some members of the faculty. It is an issue that we cannot take too seriously. The issue centers around a teacher, who, unable to trust fully some of her students, had to resort to asking some of the rest of the faculty to keep their eyes open regarding the study of habits of a few of her pupils. It seems that they, the students, have not been paying strict attention to assignments given and have had to trot down to the library to ask their favorite librarian what tomorrow's lesson is. Although the library is a place to obtain material for assignments, a number of the students have rested too heavily on the resources of the library instead of taking it upon themselves to do a little homework.

Don't we, as students in senior high school, have enough responsibility to take it upon ourselves to do our work honestly and efficiently, without having to force the teachers to use Gestapo methods. We'll be going out into the world upon our own not too long from now, so why not start practicing now the art of doing things without forcing people to check up on us.

The only freedom worth possessing is that which gives enlargement to a people's energy, intellect, and virtues.

Would you be exempt from uneasiness; do nothing you know or even suspect is wrong—Rules of Life.

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A few of the ex-high school kids seen around town on Christmas vacation from different colleges are George Chute, Ruth Drews, Marion James, and Irene Kracht, and Orlyn Lewis from U. of M.; Bob Sessions, Marie Ann Miller, Al Bennett, Doug Lorenz, Valbert Groth, Dudley Martin, Carl Hosier, Jane Lehman from Michigan State.

Last Sunday was an excellent day for skating. Jack Christen-Bob Bovee, Virginia Moss, George Chute, class of '42; Ruth Drews, class of '42; Joe Measel, class of '42 and Pat Hudson went skating and then to George's house for lunch.

A few others seen at Wilcox Sunday were Bernadine Non-grove, Phyllis Thompson, Lois Bowden, "Pudgy" Stitt, Jean Gould, Joyce Tarnutzer, and Frank Lodge, class of '42.

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## A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE TO OUR SOLDIER AND SAILOR LADS!

(By Elton R. Eaton)

Merry Christmas to you! Maybe you are in Africa, maybe in Australia, maybe in India, Ireland, Alaska — wherever you are, on land or sea, your old Plymouth Mail wishes you a Merry Christmas and all the good fortunes in the world!

It's tough, we know, for you to be away from home on Christmas. Maybe for hundreds of you, it is the first time in your lives you have ever been away from Mother and Father at Christmas time. It's just as hard, probably more so, for the folks back home than it is for you. Parents, little brothers and sisters around the Christmas tree are lonely, because you are not here. Friends miss you greatly—but we all cheer you and wish you God-speed. We are proud of you and the sacrifice you are making for America and mankind—proud to know that you are wearing the uniform of this grand old country of ours! We know you will honor it and when you honor your uniform, you honor yourself, your family, your friends and your country!

Yes, we know that good old Uncle Sam is doing all that he can to make Christmas a happy one for you wherever you are, in camp or on sea. But don't be ashamed if in your loneliness, your homesickness and in the strange new world into which you have been taken, you shed a few tears on Christmas day. You have a perfect right to do so—be proud of it, because tear drops from fighting men are proof of the fact that you hold dear and sacred in your hearts the very thing for which you are fighting—YOUR HOME!

If there is no sentiment about home, of course we know there can be no tears!

Yes, boys, we are mighty proud of you—we feel honored when we receive your letters. We know that the day will come when every living soul in America will bend to their knees to thank and bless you for what you have done for us.

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Sometimes when we read in the big city papers about the damnable, miserable delays in the production of fighting equipment for you while so-called workers living in the security you provide, wrangle about more blood-money, we bow our head in shame and wonder if these people who throw down their working tools while you shed your blood in far-away lands, are Americans or enemies of you and your America.

They crucified Him—the one we honor at this glad Christmas-time—just as you are being crucified by any man who in the slightest degree delays aid to you and the cause for which you have offered your youthful life!

There will be a day of reckoning, there is no question about that! You will march onward and upward with the cheers of the land ringing in your ears as long as you shall live. Those, who in their rotten, gluttonous greed hurt you or in any way hamper you, we shall damn them to HELL!

Mark one thing sure, boys, there will be no happiness in the lives of these un-American vermin in the years to come. And when their days are numbered, they will be buried with no honor guard standing at their gravesides and there will be no American flags covering their bodies as they are dumped into un-honored graves.

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Merry Christmas to every one of our boys wearing the uniform of the greatest nation that was ever created by man! God bless and keep you! Do a thorough job, boys, for good old Uncle Sam and then return home soon to receive the gratitude, the honor, and the plaudites of a grateful people!

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And the angel said unto them,  
Hear not: for behold, I bring you  
good tidings of great joy, which  
shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the  
city of David a Saviour, which is Christ  
the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; He  
shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling  
clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel  
a multitude of the heavenly host praising  
God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on  
earth peace, good will toward men.



Luke 2 10-14

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### CAPTAIN JACK DALTON FINDS PLENTY OF WORK TO DO IN ARMY

Captain John T. Dalton, better known to his host of friends in Plymouth as just good natured Jack, in a letter to old Plymouth friends, declares that he didn't know he could learn so much that he didn't know in such a short length of time.

Jack enlisted sometime ago for services in the chemical warfare division of the army and he is now the chemical engineer for an aviation unit of the army. His is the responsibility to provide defense against all forms of gas attacks—to know what to do when the enemy uses various forms of gases.

"The work of training I have gone through is very thorough. We are fortunate in having some mighty good men who are thoroughly trained in this class of work. If gas should be used against us I am sure we will know what to do to protect ourselves," wrote Jack.

"I don't know when we will go overseas or whether we will ever be sent over, but I hope if we are that we are sent to northern Africa. From what I hear, the climate is mighty fine along the north coast of Africa—and I hope I find out for myself soon.

"We get some real training—the kind of training that takes off your waist line. On our hikes we climb walls, jump ditches, swing over creeks on a rope, crawl through large sewer crocks and do all sorts of those things with our equipment on. Some of you fellows in Plymouth ought to try doing a few of these things. It would do you good.

"But in addition to all the work we have to do, there is another side to army life. We have what you call a chance for a lot of play. New York is not so far away and is it quite a place for people in service. They charge only half price for any entertainment a soldier might want to go to—and there is never any cover charge for men in uniform. Best regards to everybody," he concludes.

### THERE IS NOTHING QUITE LIKE THE NAVY," SAYS ROBERT BLUNDELL

Robert Blundell, home on leave who on December 28 returns to his duties in the navy in New York, declares that there is nothing quite like the navy. "It's a great outfit and I enjoy every minute of my work," Bob told his Plymouth friends yesterday. He is now an instructor for the merchant marine.

"It's a funny thing, but I have not met but one Plymouth boy in the East. I know there are some of my friends there, but we just do not happen to meet," says Bob. "Besides our work, we have lots of entertainment. I see lots of New York and Brooklyn. It's a great place—that New York harbor. There is always something interesting to do or see."

Bob has won three promotions since he enlisted in the navy. "I'm glad to be home, but most of my friends I find are now in the navy or army."

### SAILOR SENDS THANKS TO CANTEEN CLUB

In a letter to The Plymouth Mail, Marvin Kleinschmidt, who is now at the Great Lakes training station near Chicago, asks that the appreciation of himself and other soldier and sailor lads be expressed to the Plymouth Canteen club for the utility boxes presented to each man entering the service before he leaves Plymouth.

"If the people in Plymouth who make these gifts possible knew who serviceable they were to us, I am sure they would know how much we appreciate them. All of the boys from Plymouth feel as I do about it and send their thanks, too," wrote the youthful navy recruit.

### ALL THE SOLDIERS READ THE PLYMOUTH MAIL

Floyd McAllister, a former Plymouth boy, now with the air corps somewhere down in Maryland where he was recently transferred from Mitchell Field on Long Island, declares that every soldier in his outfit, no matter whether he is from Michigan, Oklahoma or California enjoys reading The Plymouth Mail that goes to Floyd every week. Floyd entered the army on March 12, 1942. He is at present visiting in Plymouth, having been given a holiday furlough.

### NORTHERNER LIKES THE "OLD SOUTH"

Pfc. Wilbur Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chapman of Rosedale Gardens, home on a brief furlough, declares that he likes the "old South" very much. He is stationed at Camp Forest, Tennessee, which is but a short distance from the Alabama state line, which gives the boys in this camp an excellent opportunity to visit many of the old and well known communities of the Southland. He stated that while there are one or two fairly large cities in Tennessee nearby, the soldier lads prefer to take their trips from the camps into towns and cities farther south. Soldier Chapman is best known to his many school friends in Plymouth as just plain "Bill." He graduated from Plymouth high school with the class of 1939.

### GOES TO WESTERN COAST TO VISIT HUSBAND

Mrs. Edward Kopski left Wednesday for San Luis Obispo, California, where she will visit her husband, a lieutenant in the army. The army officer is a former clerk of the Mayflower hotel, who enlisted a little over a year ago and has won steady promotions since entering the army.

Lawrence G. Jones, 873 Holbrook, who enlisted for services in Uncle Sam's army a few days ago, left for Camp Custer Tuesday, where he will remain until assigned to some army unit.

### CHRISTMAS GREETINGS FROM "A SAILOR."

Gerald Louis Shoemaker, a Plymouth lad who recently enlisted in Uncle Sam's navy, has sent Christmas greetings to the editor of The Mail's Soldier-Sailor column. He expresses Christmas greetings and best wishes for the New Year. And Gerald didn't forget to let it be known that he is now a SAILOR. That's the way he signed it—and he surely must be proud of it from the size of the letters he used.

### MAX RADKE REMEMBERS HIS OLD FRIENDS

Max W. Radke, former make-up compositor of The Plymouth Mail who was recently transferred from Wyoming to Camp Gruber in Oklahoma, has sent Christmas cards to all of his old friends in Plymouth. Max writes that the weather down in Oklahoma is not so severe as it was up in Wyoming.

### LIKES TO READ LETTERS FROM OTHER SOLDIERS.

Corporal LeRoy E. Westfall, stationed up in the state of Washington, writes to The Mail that he certainly enjoys reading the letters from soldiers from all parts of the world that appear in the soldiers' column in The Plymouth Mail. "It gives me great pleasure, and I know it does the other boys, to know that our good city of Plymouth is doing so much to help the war effort. Give my regards through The Mail to all the other boys in the service in all parts of the world, and to all the good people back home," writes Corporal Westfall. "Thanks again for The Mail. It comes just as regularly as the clock."

### SOLDIER DEDICATES POEM TO HIS MOTHER.

Junior Mankin, well known Salem young man who was recently inducted into military services and is now stationed at San Diego, California, while confined to a military hospital due to illness, wrote the following excellent poem and dedicated it to his mother: Who was the person, who brought me here; Bore many a pain and many a tear, Who watched me grow from a stumbling tot To a fine-looking young man and what has she got; She had a life that was happy with the little things Loving and sheltering the tot under her wing And as the year march on she will point with pride, There is my son and we'll walk down the years, growing young side by side, Living and loving 'til death takes away, But nothing like death can us part— Not when there is love way down in the heart.

### RUSSELL SOLMONSON TRAINING FOR NAVY

Russell W. Solmonson, 30, son of Mrs. Mary Solmonson, 11369 Lucerne street, Plymouth, is enrolled in the Navy's new training school for machinists on the campus of the University of Kansas at Lawrence, Kansas.

He will receive an intensive 16-week training program in preparation for assignment to another shore station or to duty with the fleet.

The course includes studies in operation and repair of main and auxiliary engines, drainage and distilling plants, evaporators, pumps, and the other mechanical equipment of the modern ship. On completion of the course, he will be eligible for promotion to the rating of machinist's mate, third class.

### SOLDIER SON SENDS MOTHER WAR BOND

"Hit with everything you got," seems to be the motto of young Harold L. Nipper who has just arrived at the Marine Camp Base in San Diego. In his first letter home to his mother, Mrs. Flossie Nipper, he enclosed a \$50 war bond. He says he's up at 5:30 and they have such a heavy schedule he hasn't hardly a moment to himself. Mrs. Nipper's eldest son, Eugene, is in the Medical Attachment of the air force at Marianna, Florida.

### GETS TRANSFER AND PROMOTION AT SAME TIME.

It is Corporal Gary V. Tubergen, of a bomber group with Uncle Sam's army from now on until he wins another promotion. The young man who enlisted in the army the first day after the sneak attack by the Japs upon Pearl Harbor was sent to a Pacific coast training camp. Recently when he was promoted he was transferred to a training field near Savannah, Georgia. He is an airplane mechanic and works long hours to "keep 'em flying."

### KENNETH KELLEY PASSES AIR CADET TESTS

Corporal Kenneth Kelley, stationed at Perrin Field, near Sherman, Texas, has successfully passed the United States army air cadet tests at Perrin Field and will soon be transferred to Kelley Field, Texas for his cadet training course. He was appointed corporal on December 1. The young cadet is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn William Kelley of 713 Blunk avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Shattuck entertained at their home east of town last Tuesday evening, in honor of their son, Sanford's birthday. Covers were laid for twelve, and yuletide colors were the decorations.  
The Misses Nellie Huger, Mary Bradley, Roxie Jones, Harriet Schroeder, Vella Truesdell, Hilda Smye, Clara Belle Lundy, and Mildred Tyler of the Michigan State Normal, are spending the holidays with their parents here through the Woman's Literary club was held in Penniman

Joel I. Blumer, grandson of Mrs. I. W. Hummel of Ann Arbor Trail, now a member of air force and attached to a technical school squadron out of Denver, spent holiday greetings through the Plymouth Mail all of his Plymouth friends.

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