

What I Think and Have a Right to Say
Edwin R. Eaton
 A MAJOR MICHIGAN PROBLEM.

Stream Pollution! That sounds like a pretty dry subject, but is it when one realizes that Michigan's pure water supply is almost as important to the welfare of the state as the jugular vein is to the body.

Our lakes and streams provide millions of people with a pure drinking water supply. They provide our industries with a water almost free of chemicals. It was the pure water supply of the Kalamazoo river valley which made possible the development within this state of its great paper industry.

But in recent years stream pollution has become such a serious threat to this state that immediate and drastic steps must be taken. These steps are necessary not only in order to safeguard the water supply for human purposes, but to save fish life in the rivers and Great Lakes.

Probably less than a few dozen people in Michigan know that the water contamination of rivers and creeks flowing into Saginaw bay has nearly destroyed one of the state's greatest food sources—the fish taken from Saginaw bay.

For years and years Saginaw bay fish were regarded as the BEST fish that went to the markets of the cities of Michigan and the country.

But now because of WATER CONTAMINATION fish from Saginaw bay are being rejected by wholesale food dealers. Just recently N. L. Dutcher of Sebawaing, for years and years the operator of one of the best known fishing outfits of the Great Lakes has been advised by New York fish buyers that they no longer want fish from Saginaw bay.

Why?

Because these fish are contaminated with the contamination that flows into Saginaw bay from the rivers and streams flowing into Saginaw bay.

"These fish have a gassy odor. They emit a gassy odor when being cooked and have a gassy flavor when eaten. Retailers have been forced to refund money to their customers" wrote one large New York buyer of Saginaw bay fish.

Not only are fish that are taken from the bay in the spring contaminated, but the pollution has become so bad that fish taken from the bay at any time of the year are unfit for use, wrote this New York fish buyer.

And what is Michigan doing about this rotten mess? Not much of anything. Oh yes, the state conservation department now and then writes a letter to some guilty industry, but that is about all.

As we see it, the time has arrived for Michigan to RIGHT NOW begin cracking down on these stream contaminators! They have gotten away mighty easy in Michigan. The people of this state are beginning to suffer FINANCIAL loss as a result of these misdeeds. Let's stop this letter writing and wrist-slapping business, get busy and CLEAN UP the rivers and lakes of this great and beautiful state!

CHRISTMAS.

Christmas would mean nothing if it were not shared with someone. It is a festival which cannot be indulged in alone. The gaudy red ribbon about the simplest gift causes that gift to take on a merit which it did not possess before; and just as a single rose may light up a room, or a bit of lavender may perfume a queen's whole wardrobe, so one word on a card, written in sincerity, may brighten the dimmest winter day. That is why Christmas messages are sent and will continue to be sent until the stars are gone and the sun no more. "The Compliments of the Season" is not an empty phrase. It is founded upon a human need in every one of us. It is an essence which makes the wine of life sweeter; it is the constant drop of rain which finally softens the hardest stone. Humanity realizes this, whether consciously or not; and this is why Christmas will go on being celebrated, no matter what the cynics may say. It is an eternal festival. It cannot perish, it cannot be destroyed.

—Charles Hanson Towne.

SOME SENSE TO THIS.

Reports out of Europe tell of the threat of starvation this winter to hundreds of thousands of children and elderly men and women. These reports say that these innocents are now dying by the hundreds and that unless relief of some kind is provided before spring, millions will have perished.

For those who created the war and fought to win the war against the Allies, we say PUNISH them. But for the innocent bystanders, the very old and the very young, who had no part in it, we say that we of America should extend relief to such an extent that human life can be saved.

We are quite in agreement with a recent editorial in The Christian Century, which said in part:

"It is time for the Christian conscience to cry, Stop! Stop this torture of helpless war victims! Stop this economic and political folly! Stop this progress toward a peace of revenge! So far churchmen and church organizations have spoken with great circumspection, lest governments be offended and even the meager supplies now being distributed be cut down or cut off. It is time to drop this deference. The policy being followed in central Europe is ghastly. It is unnecessary. It is a repudiation of Christian charity and a defiance of Christian morality.

"We are glad to see that Christians in England, in Parliament, in the press and in church bodies, are beginning to dare to protest aloud. Those shouts of 'Shame! shame!' which swept the benches of the House of Commons the other day when a member of Parliament said that he did not care two rows of pins what happens to the German people, men, women and children, were the most heartening sound that has been heard in this postwar world since MacArthur spoke at the Japanese surrender.

"But Christians of the United States and Canada need to join with the Christians of England, not only in crying shame, but in demanding immediate and drastic revision of the Potsdam policy. And if it proves that our allies will not consent to such a revision, then British and American Christians should call upon their governments to spend their whole efforts on works of mercy in Europe while withdrawing entirely from all complicity in political and economic action which is murder scarcely disguised."

HOW DARE HE KEEP SAYING IT?

Westbrook Pegler, is probably the most widely read newspaper columnist in these United States, even though he is not the most self-advertised columnist. Repeatedly in his newspaper column appearing in hundreds of metropolitan newspapers throughout the nation, he constantly refers to many labor leaders as "thieves and traitors." Those are strong, vicious words, and for the life of us, we cannot see how he dares use them, unless he knows what he says is true. And it is hard for the average citizen to believe that the working men of this country will permit "thieves and traitors" to run their unions. If, however, what he says is true, then let's clean house and place men with clean hands and clean minds at the head of these great working organizations.

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Vocal Students Busy Preparing For Yule Concert



—Levett Studio
 Miss Ruth Harris

Miss Ruth Harris, vocal music director at Plymouth High school is very busy these days putting her student choristers through their paces in preparation for the school's Christmas Music Concert next Wednesday night.

Rehearsal rooms at the school daily ring with the beautiful strains of ancient and modern Christmas carols. As the students lift their voices under the baton of Miss Harris the very air around the school seems filled with the Christmas spirit.

Many and varied are the numbers Miss Harris and her 70 vocal students will offer at this concert. They will be presented by the mixed chorus, girls' glee club and the girls' double quartet. Miss Mary Rolan will serve as accompanist for the entire program of the vocal students.

The mixed chorus will open that portion of the concert with a rendition of "On Bethlehem's Plain." With Mary Ann Cylk as the soloist, the chorus will next present "Contique de Noel."

Two popular Christmas numbers, "Balloons in the Snow," and "Christmas Lullaby," are next on the vocal students' agenda. These selections will be given by the girls' double quartet. Members of this group are Ruth Campbell, Mary Ann Cylk, Phyllis Lavergne, Mabel Vickstrom, Dorothy Richwine, Beverly Houk, Jacqueline Bothwell and Elaine Sanko.

Following the quartet's numbers the mixed chorus will return to the stage and with Mabel Vickstrom as soloist will present the ancient favorite of Christmas musicles, "Birthday of a King."

The chorus also will offer two more selections at that time. They are the age-old favorites of Christmas, "Silent Night," and "Come All Ye Faithful."

Miss Harris then will direct the girls' glee club in two more Christmas carols, long favorites in the hearts of Christians. They are "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear."

Supported by the mixed chorus, Ruth Campbell will be presented in a solo, "Beautiful Savior." The concluding number of the vocal group will be "Joy to the World," and will feature the mixed chorus.

Also participating in the concert will be the Plymouth High school band under the direction of Clarence Luchtmann.

Board of Education Circulates Petitions for District Consolidation

Move Will Provide Transportation and Keep Taxes Lower

The Plymouth Board of Education under the direction of its president Mrs. Sidney Strong is circulating petitions asking for voters permission to conduct an election for district consolidation.

The consolidation would bring Plymouth, Allen, Kenyon and Cooper districts into one Township district and would afford the three smaller communities the complete facilities of the Plymouth schools for all of their children.

Two things brought the question to the minds of the Plymouth Board of Education. First the great increase in the enrollment in the grades and in the high school which will soon necessitate the building of more school buildings and secondly the Township plan would provide free transportation to all students in the district living within one mile of the school.

All four of the districts are at present faced with the necessity of building more school buildings and it was felt that had each undertaken the job independent of the others taxes would have reached a new high particularly in the Cooper, Allen and Kenyon districts.

By consolidation the four units will be able to enjoy the enlarged facilities of the Plymouth system and taxes should remain at about the present level of the Plymouth district tax. It is estimated that the three districts coming into the Plymouth system will have lower taxes after the Plymouth building program is completed than if they were forced to undertake a building program of their own.

Transportation has been one of the local schools greatest problems for many years and although the Plymouth Coach Company has made every effort to cope with the problem at times their entire facilities were overtaxed with the burden.

Under the township plan the state will pay for all the expense of transporting children to and from the school and many of the present Plymouth district students will also benefit under the plan. Those children living in the Phoenix, Nash, Robinson subdivision and Palmer subdivision areas will be among that group.

The petitions do not ask voters to state any preference in the matter but only authorize the present Board of Education to hold an election at which time the voters may approve or disapprove the question.

It will take more than 1,600 signatures to call the election and petitions are also being circulated

Garden Club to Meet December 19

A regular meeting of the Plymouth Branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association will be held in St. John's Episcopal church next Monday afternoon December 19 at 2:00 p.m. Following the meeting from 3:00 to 5:00 the public is invited to attend a silver tea. Baked goods, gifts, and Christmas arrangements will be used toward the 4-H scholarship fund.

The following ladies will have charge of the tea and sale: General chairman, Mrs. John Henderson; assisting chairman, Mrs. A. Dohmen; committee, Mrs. William Hartmann, Mrs. Henry Hees, Mrs. H. Heggie, Mrs. Ward Jones, Mrs. Milton Laible, Mrs. Lincoln Lantz, Mrs. R. G. Levyn, Mrs. Ralph G. Lorenz, Mrs. Ralph J. Lorenz, Mrs. O. M. Valliquette, Mrs. Laurence Lyon, and Mrs. L. G. Manners.

Bertrand Algire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Algire, has arrived home from the Philippine Islands, after serving 18 months overseas and has received his discharge. He has been in service for five years and hasn't been home in three years.

Goodfellows Asking For Names of Needy

Persons knowing of indigent persons and families deserving of Goodfellow Christmas baskets are asked to telephone their names and addresses to the City Hall, number 93, or the public school nurse, number 62.

It is necessary that the Goodfellows' investigating committee be notified at once of all families or persons whose situation makes them eligible for a Christmas basket of food, clothing and gifts. No needy family or individual should be forgotten.

The committee would rather get the name of some family from three or four sources rather than have that family missed altogether. Your help is needed and is solicited by the Goodfellows so they will not miss anyone at Christmas. Please co-operate and make the Goodfellow effort 100 per cent successful.

Plymouth High School Needs New Heating Plant; Old Boiler Outmoded

Was Installed in 1915 to Heat Only Half The Space it Now Serves; May Explode Anytime

Some day this winter when the weather is extremely cold and more heat needed in the Plymouth High school classrooms it's a safe bet that the thirty-year-old boiler will give up the ghost.

Whether it will die gracefully or violently is a matter of conjecture. Should it, in a spirit of revolt, choose to die in a fit of violence the results might be tragic. At any rate the school's present heating system is too small for the job and does not provide adequate heat for the area it is being used for.

Today the boiler that was installed in 1915 is still being used in a futile attempt to adequately heat twice as much space as it was originally intended to supply. It is not only worn out, too small, but also is a menace to the safety of those hired to work around it.

In addition it's current operation is costly and maddening to nearby residents because of the dense smoke it sends up. It is a smoke nuisance, according to Supt. Helmer Nelson, because it is necessary to operate it throughout the day at full pressure. In short it is operated on a forced draft and much of the fuel's good is blown out the chimney in dense clouds of smoke.

The combustion chamber, Mr. Nelson says, is too small to provide sufficient heat for the space now necessary to be heated for the comfort of the school children.

With the mild weather Plymouth is now experiencing it is necessary, declares Supt. Nelson, to crowd the boiler daily in order to heat the school. What will the situation be when the real cold weather arrives?

The continued practice of crowding the undersized combustion chamber and the fact that the boiler's shell has worn very thin over the last 30 years adds up to trouble or even death for someone.

A new and adequate boiler is much cheaper than a human life and it is quite probable that the Board of Education will soon order a new heating plant.

Scouts to Hold Court of Honor Here December 13

Plymouth and Northville Scouts, Scouters and parents should not forget that the Plymouth Community Boy Scout Court of Honor is to be held at the Plymouth High School Auditorium on the evening of December 13.

This is an outstanding event in the Scout's life, as it is here that he is the recipient of the recognition of the community en masse for the Scouting performances of the past.

Two new Court of Honor Awards are to be made at this time which are to be made standing awards for future Courts.

One is the Award for the greatest Troop showing the greatest number of parents and interested persons at the Court.

The other is a Troop Advancement Award for the Troop honored with the largest amount of individual advancements during the interim between Courts.

Both of these are now in the making and will be ready for their debuts on Dec. 13.

True recognition is the highest acme of pride in any enterprise, nor is the Scout and his efforts any different. We who are in close contact with these fine young men realize that it is only through the medium of such recognition on the part of the many interested persons, that the best results are obtainable over the full period of Scouting participation.

Hence we sincerely urge that all of the parents and interested adults of our community join us in this sincere desire to truly recognize the efforts that our Scouting sons have expended in the past, that their efforts and results be no less in the future.

Judge Sexton Hi-12 Speaker

Probate Judge James Sexton was the speaker at the Wednesday night meeting of the Hi-12 club in the Masonic Temple. He took as his subject the Probate Court in Detroit in which he serves and told of the many types of commitments that are made in that judicial branch of our court system.

He gave a detailed resume of the operation of the court and stated that its work had more than doubled in the last 10 years. He was critical of the awkward and cumbersome way in which mental cases were handled and said that he was hopeful that some new method of handling them might be devised in the near future.

Next Wednesday night the club will be host to international president Hugh Allerton of Detroit and members will also elect their officers for the ensuing year.

Rust In Water Causes Many Local Complaints

Numerous complaints have been received by the city from persons objecting to the rust color appearing in the water lately. Some also contend that not only is the water discolored but it has a peculiar odor.

City Manager Clarence Elliott is determined to see that the cause of these complaints is eliminated. In the meantime, however, he has asked The Mail to assure the people that their municipal water supply is pure. Its purity is confirmed weekly through tests made by the state and Ford Motor Co., he said.

As the complaints about the water's color mounted, Mr. Elliott was busy learning the trouble. He found that the color was due to an extremely high iron content in the water.

The content, he learned, resulted from a great many things. Failure to regularly flush mains from the end of the lines and the increased velocity of the flow, through the opening of a new 12-inch main are contributing factors.

Mr. Elliott also said that the new main was reversing the flow of water in some sections of the community. This would tend to wash off a certain amount of the iron scale that has collected over a period of years, he believes.

Another factor that may have contributed largely is the mechanical digger which was used to install sewer service on Wing street. It rested over the water main and the constant vibration its operation set up could have shaken off much iron scale, Mr. Elliott declared.

It also must be remembered by local residents, he said, that the municipal water supply is normally heavy in iron content. Another thing he learned, through chemical analysis of the water, was that the old water supply was high in calcium alkalinity. The present water is high in sodium alkalinity.

This, the chemists advised Mr. Elliott, would tend to soften the scale in the mains and as it softened the iron particles would wash off in large quantities from time to time.

After learning the cause of the discoloration and determining that it definitely did not affect the water's purity, Mr. Elliott has planned a program for controlling the iron content and removing the mineral odor now prevalent.

He is investigating the use of a precipitate (Kalgon) with which the water can be treated to cause suspension of the iron particles and remove the rust color. It will be about 30 days before the investigation is completed.

In addition to adopting the precipitate, now in use in many larger communities, Mr. Elliott hopes to arrange for a weekly chlorinating treatment of the water supply to eliminate the much discussed mineral odor.

In short, Mr. Elliott has been, and will continue working on this problem until the situation is remedied to the satisfaction of those now offering complaints.

Plymouth Goodfellows Prepare For Heavy Christmas Call For Aid

Strikes, Unemployment Turn What Had Looked Like Prosperous Holiday Season Into one of Gloom

Back in August when the death dealing machines of the nations of the world were still ed and the long, hard, hate-paved highway back to normalcy was opened the people's thoughts turned to Christmas.

It would be a glorious holiday season in Plymouth, we said. Yes, it certainly would. Just think, the first Christmas in five years that the Prince of Peace would be in power instead of Mars, God of War.

We believed that our first postwar Christmas would be one of peace and plenty with the rationed goods back on the store shelves, merchandise again offered for sale that the war had long denied to us and prosperity abounding in general.

Alas, we poor foolish people as usual were wrong. Now with Christmas but 21 shopping days away the prevailing situation is enough to make Santa Claus go into seclusion. The poor, genial old gent is probably chagrined beyond description over the mess we humans have made out of our first peaceful Christmas.

Peaceful Christmas. What a master overstatement! Instead of peace and prosperity that our sons, brothers, fathers and husbands fought for and which is rightfully ours, we have bickering, petty name calling, dirty politics, hardship and strikes that keep the bread-winners from working.

This Christmas should be one of Peace, Plenty and Prosperity. But it isn't going to be. Strikes and the backwash from the tide of unwise buying and boozing is now taking its toll.

That's the reason we here in Plymouth must support the Goodfellows in their annual Christmas effort to provide all needy families and individuals with good food, serviceable clothing and of course presents for the kiddies.

Families who during the darkest days of the war were having Christmas dinners and gifts that they never before had known, will this year be among those whom the Goodfellows will be expected to aid.

Unwise spending, indiscriminate cashing of war bonds and the inability to save money that was easily, yes too easily earned, is responsible for much of the current indigency.

But a lot of it, not only in Plymouth but all over, can be traced to the Federal government. Defense plants whose contracts have been dissipated without warning can no longer offer steady employment to the masses. Reconversion in many war-inspired industries is being held up by government red tape. Strikes inspired by glib tongued union leaders who promise the rank and file something they have little chance of getting is creating a situation that will make the Goodfellows' work twice as arduous this holiday season.

Pledged to see that no indigent group or individual goes without a Christmas dinner or gift, the Plymouth Goodfellows have a gigantic task on their hands. The number of baskets they must prepare this year will probably be double those distributed during the war years.

The Goodfellows are not a group of men who have nothing else to do but plan Christmas baskets and supervise their distribution. All have jobs that require their daily attendance at offices, shops and stores. Whatever they do towards providing the less fortunate or the victims of unwise spending with a happy Christmas must be done after their own day's work has been completed.

They are willing to give this extra time so no one in or around Plymouth will have a sad or dismal Christmas. They will furnish their time, cars, gasoline and money to make everyone's Christmas a happy one.

The least the general public can do to help push their project through to successful completion is help when asked, give when solicited and do what you can to help anyone less fortunate than yourself.

To raise funds for their Christmas baskets the Goodfellows will turn newsboys, Saturday, Dec. 22, and peddle special Goodfellow editions of the Plymouth Mail, in planes while they were in actual combat flight.

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Improvement Suggestions Worth A Bond If Good

Elsewhere in this issue of The Mail can be found a large display announcement of a new contest being sponsored by the Plymouth Federal Savings and Loan Association. It concerns civic betterment.

Prizes totalling \$75 in Victory Bonds are being offered for the best suggestions of how the City Commission, Planning Commission or Board of Education can improve the City of Plymouth.

The contest closes Dec. 24. All entries received through the mail after that date must be postmarked not later than 6 p.m. Dec. 24 to be considered. Originality and practicality will be the basis for judgment.

Members of the City Commission, Planning Commission and Board of Education or officers and directors of the sponsoring agency are not eligible.

No entry in which personalities are referred to will be considered. Winners will be announced in The Mail of Friday, Jan. 11.

Officers of the sponsoring agency want it fully understood that they feel the City Commission, Planning Commission and Board of Education members are making every effort possible to carry out their respective jobs in improving the community.

They also feel that there are a large number of persons living in and around Plymouth who have never cared to take an active part in soliciting local public improvements.

The contest is for the sole purpose of providing the various local bodies with new ideas presented by Plymouth's many citizens. This means has been taken by the sponsors to encourage public interest on the part of the citizens in general in worthwhile projects for improving their community.

First prize will be a \$50 Victory Bond and second prize is a \$25 bond. A committee of three persons who will not know the names of any person who submitted an entry will judge the recommendations. Their decision will be final.

Busy Schedule Set By Blue Lodge

Plymouth Rock Lodge, F. & A. M., has a heavy trestle board facing it for the remainder of the year. Leading off the busy agenda is the annual election of officers which takes place tonight at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple.

Next on the calendar is the installation dinner at 6:30 p.m. next Friday, Dec. 14. The dinner and entertainment for members and their wives will precede the formal ceremonies which open at 7:30 p.m. and are to be semi-public.

On Friday, Dec. 21, the lodge will confer the Fellowcraft Degree. On the following Wednesday, Dec. 26, and again on Friday, Dec. 28, they will confer the Entered Apprentice Degree on two different classes.

Col. Cass Hough Kiwanis Speaker

Last week the Plymouth Kiwanis Club had Col. Cass Hough as its principal speaker. He gave a talk that the club members acclaimed as the best and most instructive as well as interesting that they had heard all season.

Col. Hough traced for the Kiwanians the spectacular rise of the Eighth Army Air Force from a weak, under-manned, almost planeless group to one of the top air units in action in the European theater of operations.

He was in on the ground floor and is well qualified to give the unit's history. He was enroute to the South Pacific theater with a large portion of the Eighth Air arm when discharged.

In addition to the talk, Col. Hough also showed several feet of film taken by wing cameras in planes while they were in actual combat flight.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Todd of Simpson street received word from their son, Warren G. Todd, SA(D) 51/c that he is receiving his honorable discharge December 12 from the Navy. Warren and Mrs. Todd will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Willig of Hinsdale, Illinois.

Local News

Lt. (j.g.) Birchall arrived home from New Jersey and will leave Friday for Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Terry of Union street were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hutchin of Rosedale Gardens.

Nancy and June Kemreigh of Stary road spent Sunday with Jacqueline Ann Hanchett of Joy road.

Mrs. Tessa Baker and Mrs. Adie Pierson are now making their home in Plymouth, they are former residents of Northville.

Mrs. Howard Sharpley, Mrs. Al Kracht of Rosedale Gardens, and Mrs. R. Hanchett attended a Stanley Demonstration at the home of Mrs. Floyd Proctor.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hanchett were Rudy Wilson of Detroit, Mrs. Anna Bartel of Farmington, and Mrs. Charles Hanchett and daughter Donna Kay.

Mrs. William Mault and daughter Judy of Springfield, Ohio will arrive this Friday to spend a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Thrasher of Lakeland road.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Olson's son and daughter-in-law, T. Sgt. and Mrs. Howard A. Olson of Winston Salem, North Carolina, were home for a week. Mrs. Amos Nickum from Wichita, Kansas, Gerald Olson and Ellery Shiffert from Genoa, Ohio, also spent the weekend with the Olsons.

Mrs. Dow J. Swope of Park street entertained Mrs. Robert Strachen, Mrs. Richard Olin, Mrs. Lawrence Lyons, Mrs. Horace Johnson, Mrs. Thomas Moss, Mrs. Harry Dale, and Mrs. Floyd Wilson at a potluck dinner Monday evening. Cards were played during the evening.

A bridge party was held in the home of Mrs. Robert Hudson on Main street Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Egeland and sons were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tillotson.

Gene Hotchkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hotchkins of Junction avenue, is seriously ill in his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand Algure have gone to Chicago for a few days. They will make their home in Plymouth when they return from their visit in Chicago.

A buffet dinner was given in the home of Mrs. Earl F. Reh, last Saturday evening honoring Mr. Reh's birthday. Guests were present from Detroit and Royal Oak.

The Birthday Club met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Harold Brisbois of Sheridan avenue. Mrs. Raymond Bachelord was the guest of honor. Members present were Mrs. Jo Fish, Mrs. George Cramer, Mrs. Ernest Allison, Mrs. Paul Wiedman, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Fred Nelson and Mrs. Van Poppolin.

Plymouth Farmers, are invited to an income tax meeting, for farmers on Friday evening, December 14, at 8:00 p.m. in the Romulus High School. John Donetti, farm management extension specialist of Michigan State College will be present to give help to farmers with income tax problems.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shield and children Larry and Linda moved last weekend to their new home near Milan. Their daughter Darline will remain with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tritten of Plymouth for the remainder of the school year. Mr. Shield has purchased a green house and will go in partnership with his brother Mr. Glenn Shield formerly of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

The Bridge club will meet in the home of Mrs. John Palmer of Ball street, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kainz and daughters, Velma and Barbara just returned from a two months vacation in California. Mrs. Kainz parents live in Ontario, California and Mr. Kainz' parents live in Doheny Park near Los Angeles. Mrs. Kainz has four brothers in service, three were home during her visit. They saw the noted "Santa Claus Lane" in Hollywood and many other interesting places. They enjoyed the wonderful weather and had their fruit before breakfast off the trees in the yard which included oranges and figs.

The Session of the Presbyterian church gave a dinner to the choir of the church, Wednesday evening in appreciation of the fine service of this organization, in the worship of the church. Special honor was paid to Miss Anna Baker and Mr. Clarence Stevens, both long time members of the choir, in appreciation of their faithful service. The dinner was prepared and served by circle four of the Womens Auxiliary of the church. Mr. Albert Borsos, Clerk of the Session was toastmaster. Mr. Claude Gebhardt, recently discharged from the United States Navy gave a brief count of the signing of the peace aboard the

USS Missouri as an eye witness of this great event. Following the talk Mr. Ed. Stewart called square dances for the choir for the rest of the evening.

Local Bass Singer In Yule Concert at Albion

James C. Wiltse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil C. Wiltse, of 986 Roosevelt street, an Albion College freshman, will sing in the annual Christmas concert to be given by the college choir of 73 mixed voices. Mr. Wiltse sings bass. The concert is scheduled for 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 16, at the First Methodist Church in Albion. David Strickler, director of vocal organizations at the college, will direct.

Plymouth Good

(Continued from Page One) papers will make the Goodfellows task easier. So Plymouthites be good fellows and buy a paper Dec. 22, really be one of Peace. Plenty maybe the 1946 Christmas will and Prosperity. We're certain this year's won't be. Many of the 100-odd kinds of sugar have been made from peculiar substances such as dahlias, chicory, cottonmeal, artichokes, seaweed and ivory nuts.

Allen Fire Loss Set at \$1,000.00

Fire of undetermined origin early last Sunday morning caused an estimated \$1,000 damage to finished stock at the Allen Industries, makers of felt products for the automobile industry.

Plymouth firemen, who were at the scene for three hours, reported that the blaze was more stubborn than spectacular. It caused such intense heat that six sprinklers in the plant were set off adding to the water damage, firemen said.

Officials of the plant confirmed the fire loss and said all of the damaged material was finished products and were awaiting shipment.

A man may fall into a thousand perplexities, but if his heart be upright and his intelligence unclouded, he will issue from them all without dishonor.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

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Church News

Hours of services and notices of church organization meetings.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. Henry J. Walch, pastor. Sunday, December 9th; Church School 9:45 a.m. with classes for all. Morning Worship at 11 a.m. with sermon on the theme, "The Day of Light." Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m. with devotional led by Sandra Walch and topic presentation by Miss Neva Lovewell, on a theme of great interest to young people. Circle Four will meet on Monday evening, December 10th, in the parlors, for their annual Christmas Party. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock. The Cherub Choir will meet with Mrs. Hondorp on Tuesday afternoon at 3:15, and the Junior Choir at 3:35 on the same day. Final work on the Christmas Carol Service is being done at this time. The Church School teachers and officers will meet on Tuesday evening, December 11th, 6:30 o'clock, for a Pot-Luck Supper and meeting. The Religious Education Council will meet at 5:30 preceding the supper.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. Mark F. Sanborn, pastor. 10:00 a.m. Sunday School, Harold Compton, superintendent. 11:10 a.m. Morning Worship. Sermon, "The Bible and The New World Order." Small children cared for in nursery. 7:30 p.m. Evening Worship. Singing of old, favorite hymns, led by Thomas Phillips. Sermon: "Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord." 8:00 p.m. the Youth Fellowship meets at the home of Janet Millross. 6:30 p.m. Tuesday the Palmer Bible Class meets for cooperative dinner with Mrs. Ira Stokes Veu Casovic, 557 N. Mill St. 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Prayer and Praise service at the Church. 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, Choir Rehearsal.

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. "God the Only Cause and Creator" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, December 9. The Golden Text (Isaiah 45:18) is: "Thus saith the Lord that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; he hath established it, he created it not in vain, he formed it to be inhabited; I am the Lord; and there is none else." Among the Bible citations is this passage (Isaiah 45:12): "I have made the earth, and created man upon it; I, even my hands, have stretched out the heavens, and all their host have I commanded." 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 (331): God is individual, incorporeal. He is divine Principle, Love, the universal cause, the only creator, and there is no other self-existence."

CHURCH OF GOD. 335 N. Main. R. W. Struthers, pastor. Services: Worship, Sunday, 10 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m. Prayer service, Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Girl Scouts, Thursday, 6:00 p.m.

NEWBURG METHODIST CHURCH. Verle J. Carson, minister. 9614 Newburg Rd., Plymouth 761-J. Sunday morning worship at 10:00 a.m. The message will be "The Story of the Bible." Anthem by the Choir. Sunday School meets at 11:00 a.m. under direction of Supt. Roy Wheeler and a fine staff of teachers. You will be welcomed. The Epworth League has been invited into Plymouth to the First Methodist Church for the evening meeting at 6:30 p.m. The Reverend Paul Albery will speak. Wednesday: Choir practice at 7:30 p.m. Thursday: Fidelis Class meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carson. Christmas party. Each person is to

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BEREA CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY. corner of Ann Arbor Trail and Mill Street, John Walasky, pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m. Young Peoples' Meeting, 6:15 p.m. Evening Service, 7:30 p.m. Cottage Prayer meeting on Tuesday night at 7:45. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7:45 p.m. On Friday evening, December 7, there will be a box social at the home of Mrs. Oscar Puckett, 14605 Haggerty Hwy. The ladies are to pack a box for two. Golden Text: "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging; and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise." Pro. 20:1.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH. Ann Arbor Trail at Elizabeth St. John I. Paton, pastor. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. and Morning service and Junior church 11:15. Calvary Union 6:30 and Evening service 7:30. Good News Club at the church on Wednesday afternoon 3:30. Mid-week service Wednesday evening 7:30 and choir practice 8:30. Thursday, December 13, the Lydia Class will meet at the home of Mrs. Ralph G. Boutwell, 9618 Melrose Ave., Rosedale Gardens. Mrs. Fred Broome will bring the devotional message. There will be a Christmas gift exchange. Those attending are to gather at the home of Mrs. Mattinson, 795 Forest at 6 p.m. The meeting is to begin at 6:30. On Saturday of this week, December 8, a Good News Club rally will be held in the church at 2:00 p.m. for grade school children. At 7:00 in the evening the young people will meet at the church for transportation to the Faith Youth Fellowship to be held in Belleville.

SALEM FEDERATED CHURCH. C. M. Pennell, pastor. Sunday morning worship 10:30 a.m. Make a real effort to be present as the Christmas theme for meditation is one of vital importance for young and old. Bible school 11:45 a.m. Sunday evening hymn sing, 8:00. James R. Pennell, leader. The young people recently voted to have their pastor conduct a brief Bible study each Sunday evening. Bring your Bible and a red pencil. The Men's, Women's and Young Adult Bible classes plan to have a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Hardesty, 303 Shore Drive, Whitmore Lake, on Friday evening, December 7. Potluck supper is to be served at 7:30. Bring your own table service and a 50 cent gift. The annual business meeting of the church has been called for Tuesday afternoon, December 11 at 2:00 in the church parlor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH. T. Leonard Sanders, minister. Mrs. O'Conner, director of music. Sunday, December 9, 1945. (Second Sunday in Advent). 10:00 a.m. Church School. 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship and sermon with Christmas hymns. Subject "Visitors at Bethlehem." Music will be presented by the Junior and Youth Choirs. We have a nursery where you may leave small children while you attend church. 6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship. The Newburg and Northville Methodist young people will be our guests. Rev. Paul Albery, conference director of young people will be present. Youth of Junior high and high are cordially invited. Monday 3:45 Girl Scouts. 7:30 Boy Scouts. Tuesday 8:30 concert of Christmas music by the Men's Chorus of the Air. Admission

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CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE. Holbrook at Pearl St. Wm. O. Welton, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a.m. Mr. Blake Fisher, Supt. Morning worship at 11 a.m. The juniors meet at 6:45 p.m. under the leadership of Mrs. Dunham. The young people meet at 6:45 p.m. Paul Hockenberry, president.

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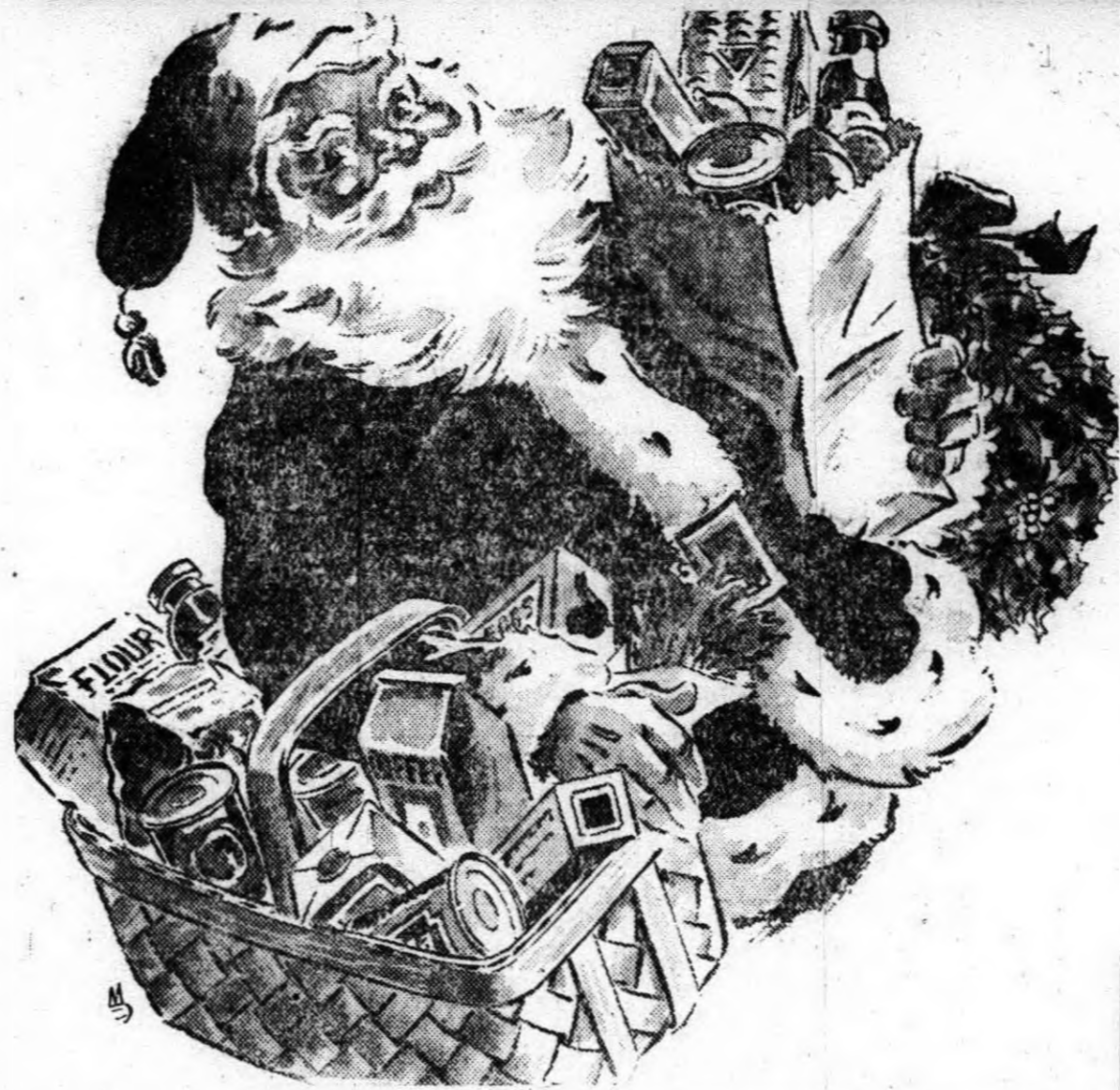
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1932 V-8 coupe in good condition; blacksmith vice; horse drawn cultivator with tractor attachment. Phone 858-W12. 1tc

WANTED

CARPENTER work. Phone 566-J or call at 368 N. Harvey St. 39-tf-c

WOMAN for housework, 2 days a week, must have references, good pay. Apply 40490 Plymouth road. 39-tf-c

ELECTRIC WIRING. LICENSED MAN. CALL FRED A. HUBBARD & CO. Phone 530. 9245 S. Main street. 45-tf-c

TO MAKE your drapes, curtain and bedspreads. Mrs. John W. Johnson, 924 W. Ann Arbor Trail. Phone 65-W. 50-tf-c

STANDING timber in 8 acres wood lots or more. Large second growth or virgin trees suitable for logging. Thureson Lumber Company; Howell, Michigan. 48-tf-c

PAINTING, decorating, paper-hanging, good material used. Free estimates. Long experienced painter. Call 662-J. 11-8tpd

WORK on automobiles, trucks, motorcycles and machine work. New garage started by a veteran. Reliable service. Don Markey's garage, 40333 Gilbert street, phone 575-W. 11-tf-c

FOR YOUR next decorating call B. W. Barnett, 880-W3. 11-5tpd

MIDDLE age woman to take charge of home, mother and father working, 3 children in school. Call at 40530 E. Ann Arbor Trail after 5 p.m. or all day Sunday. 11-tf-c

BOOKKEEPER, male, experienced, wants part time work. Statements, ledgers, taxes. Box 21, c/o Plymouth Mail. 1tpd

TRUCKING, 287 Arthur St. Phone 776-W. 1tpd

MAID for general household duties. Stay or go home nights. Phone 401. 12-tf-c

3 OR 4 light housekeeping rooms, by middle aged couple. No children. Preferably in Plymouth or with local bus connections. Phone Mr. Lucken, 490. 13-2tc

PAINTING and decorating. Immediate service. Call 1485-J for quotation. Edwin N. Brown. 13-tf-c

VETERAN, married with 3 children, desires work of any kind. Mechanical work preferred. Phone South Lyons, 3676. 13-2tc

PAPERHANGING, painting and decorating. Interior and exterior. Neat work insured. Free estimates. Call Frederick, Livonia 2547. 13-10tpd

TO CARE for children evenings by responsible girl. Phone 558. 1tpd

DIE MAKER on small intricate dies of all types. Must have at least 15 years experience. Write fully or stop in for interview. Daisy Mfg. Co. 1tc

ELECTRIC train set in good condition, call 556 W. during school hours if possible. 1tc

HORSES. Cash paid for old or disabled horses for animal feed purposes. \$10 and up. None sold or traded. Prompt pick-up. Lang Feed Company, 6600 Chase road, Dearborn. 14-4tpd

DRESSMAKING and alterations of all types. 37825 Plymouth road. Phone 516-R. 14-tf-c

TO BUY small record player for 12 inch records, in good condition. Phone 657-R. 1tpd

RIDE to Ford Rouge plant 3 a.m. to 4 p.m. shift. Schaefer road. Phone 890-W4. 1tpd

RETURNED veteran wants a furnished or unfurnished house or apartment in or near Plymouth, has wife and small daughter. Write box 576 c/o Plymouth Mail 14-2tpd

GIRL or woman to care for 4 months old baby. No washing or cooking. Saturday and Sunday off. Write or call at 197 Amelia. 1tc

PRIVATE party in need of good used car. Please phone 686-R. 1tc

GOOD home for purebred female German shepherd. For details phone 883-112 evenings. 1tc

CHILDREN to take care of evenings. Phone 785-J. 1tc

IRONING and small washings, done at home. Livonia 2196. 1tc

DOLL HOUSE for eight-year-old child. Call Mrs. W. E. McCarthy, 431 West Main St. Northville. Phone 849-J. 1tc

MIDDLE-AGED lady wishes small apartment or warm room. Close in. Phone 289-R. 1tpd

RIDE to Rouge plant on the 8 to 4 shift or 7 to 3 shift. Phone 1243-M. 732 North Harvey. 1tc

PAINTING and decorating immediate service. Call 1485-J for quotation. Edwin N. Brown. 14-7tc

CORN PICKING, new equipment. At White. Phone 700-W 14695 Bradner road. 1tpd

DRIVERS for steady job which pays good salary. Please don't apply unless you want a permanent position with our firm, The Plymouth Lumber & Coal Co. Phone 102. 1tc

LOST

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 23 a billfold containing large sum of money and valuable papers. Reward. Deborah Jane Stafford, 11257 Stark road. 1tpd

WIRE HAired Terrier, white with brown and black spots, male and answers to name Rocky. Call at 725 Sunset. 1tpd

BLACK and white pup with brown spots over eyes, name Skippy, baby's pet, reward. Return to 520 N. Holbrook. 1tpd

SERVICEMAN'S identification bracelet with name engraved. "Ronald M. Phillips". Please call 499-R or leave at Plymouth Mail office. 1tpd

LARGE black street answering to name of "Toughy" Call Detroit TO-8-6428 collect or see us at 34954 Schoolcraft road. Liberal reward. 1tpd

FOR RENT

ALL modern outside rooms. The Rowley House, 26245 Novi road, Novi. 11-tf-c

LARGE pleasant sleeping room, suitable for 1, 2 or 3 persons. 115 S. Mill St. 1tc

LARGE furnished room for light housekeeping. Adults only. 44675 Joy road, near Sheldon. 1tpd

3 ROOM house, partly furnished, six miles west of Plymouth on U. S. 12 Telephone 850-W1. 1tc

SLEEPING room for gentleman only. Conveniences. Call at 1115 So. Main after 5 p.m. 1tpd

THREE room furnished apartment, working couple preferred. 447 S. Harvey St. 1tpd

ROOMS, 14387 Northville road. 1tpd

COMFORTABLE sleeping rooms for gentlemen. 963 West Ann Arbor Trail near Mayflower hotel. 1tpd

FOR SALE

5 acres with 5 room bungalow on paved road close Plymouth. Bath, hardwood floors, modern kitchen wired for electric stove, basement, furnace well electric pump, storm windows, screens, insulated attic, garage. \$6,950.00. Terms. 1tc

6 room, 1 block from bus service, hardwood floors down and up, new decorations, newly painted, full basement, furnace, asking \$8,000.00. Furniture can be purchased. 9

Have boys metal air plane scooter with foot pedals. Cannot buy them in the big stores. \$7.00

50 acres fairly close to Plymouth. 7 room good home, hardwood floors, bath, well, electric pump, basement, cement block barn, hen house, stream. \$9,000.00. Good land. 1tc

6 room, paved street, good location, easy to school. Bath and bed room down, hardwood floors, large living room with fireplace, basement, hot air furnace, stoker feed, 2 car garage with lift, automatic water heater. \$11,000.00. A fine place. 1tc

Giles Real Estate Plymouth, Michigan

5 ROOM furnished home, 2 or 3 adults from Dec. 15 to March 15. References exchanged. Phone 228-W. 1tc

SLEEPING room in home of elderly couple. 145 East Ann Arbor trail. 1tc

ROOM available, Dec. 10. 11051 Stark road, phone Livonia 2327. 1tpd

PLEASANT comfortable room to rent for couple or two men. 850 Starkweather Ave. 1tc

Miscellaneous

PITTSBURG PAINTS - Bring us your painting and decorating problems. New color card helps plan trims and combinations. Holloway Wallpaper and Paint Store. Phone 28. 263 Union. 1tc

AUCTIONEER-ART. PUTNAM just moved to Northville, 10 years experience farm sale, livestock and horse sales, sale at Northville Downs, Nov. 10, 1945, sold over 100,000 head of livestock. For a successful sale engage a successful auctioneer. No sale too large or small. Special price for first sale. Mention this ad. Phone 881 or write Art. Putnam, 280 S. Center St., Northville for information and dates. 14-6tc

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FLOOR sanding and finishing, new and old floors. No job too small, quick service. Reasonable. Free estimates. Otto Kipper, 36450 Five Mile road, near Newburg road. Phone 846-W3. 21-tf-c

WALLPAPER - New patterns. Come in, make your selection. Holloway Wallpaper and Paint Store. Phone 28. 263 Union St. 1tc

LINOLEUM laying, asphalt tile, linowal and sink top installations. Prompt service. All work guaranteed. William Eger, 115 Amelia St. Phone 1552 for free estimates. 14-4tpd

DRESSMAKING and alterations. Phone Livonia 2009. 12-4tc

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Card of Appreciation With deepest gratitude we extend this word of thanks for the many kind acts of sympathy, expressed by thoughtful friends and neighbors during our recent bereavement. We also wish to thank the Schrader Funeral Home and the Ex-Service Mens Club. Mrs. Mae Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Burch Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Lawry. 1tc

Card of Appreciation Mr. and Mrs. F. Manford Becker extend their thanks to The Ready Service Club, who so ably assisted at the wedding reception of their daughter Annabelle. 1tc

Card of Appreciation Miss Helen Bain wishes to thank the doctor and nurses and her friends for their kindness shown during her recent illness. 1tc

FOR SALE

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\$2250. 2 bedroom, living room, kitchen, electricity, water, close in. 1/2 acre, new, cash offer accepted. 1tc

\$3500. Two bedrooms, bath, in Plymouth. Comfy house, garage, basement, large, lot. Terms. Immediate possession. 1tc

\$3900. Two bedrooms, cozy living room, kitchen, modern, electricity, water, circulating heat, full acre ground, chicken house, 2 car garage, landscaped, some fruit. Terms. 1tc

\$5500. 2 bedrooms up, one down, full bath, large living room, modern kitchen, electric deep well pump, interchangeable storm windows & screens, gas and electricity, oak floors. Terms. 1tc

\$6500. Ranch house, 2 bedrooms, 1/2 acre, chicken house, full bath, close in. Taxes \$24. Terms. 1tc

\$7500. 2 bedrooms, bath, living room, dining, kitchen, fully insulated, screened, storm, oak floors, garage, close to schools. Terms. 1tc

\$7500. 3 bedrooms, tile bath and kitchen, recreation room, fully insulated, fine lot, near schools, worth much more, reason for selling. Terms. 1tc

\$7875. 2 bedrooms, large living room, full dining room, modern kitchen, full bath, new furnace and roof, income, 3 room with bath, apartment \$40, upstairs, lot 50x223 ft. Owners moving west. Underpriced, centrally located. Terms. 1tc

\$8500. 3 bedroom brick, modern, gentleman's home, centrally located, fine neighborhood, modern, clean, has everything. Terms. 1tc

\$9500. Three bedroom colonial home, tiled bath, fireplace, oil furnace, air conditioned, modern throughout, fine neighborhood. Terms. 1tc

\$11,500. 3 bedroom brick, with garage, corner lot, beautifully decorated, glassed porch, large closets, fuel oil furnace, instantaneous water heater, full dining room, a truly fine home, excellent condition. Terms. 1tc

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Telephone 432 before 8 a.m. or after 6 p.m. PLYMOUTH REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE 569 W. Ann Arbor Trail Telephone 432

CHRISTMAS and Occasional cards and wrappings. Large selection of beautiful box assortments, sheer hosiery and fine slips. Call day or evenings. Ora Rathbun, 254 N. Mill St., south of Main. Phone 474-J. 14-3tpd

THE Salvation Army's day nursery will care for your children, while you are working, or if you wish to shop for the day. The school is open all summer. Call 371-R for further information 39-tf-c

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DANCING SCHOOL - Dancing taught by appointment by the dancing Baileys. Teachers of ballroom dancing. Your first lesson free. It will be worth your while to give us an interview. Located at 132 Randolph St., Northville. Phone Northville. 35-J. 1-tf-c

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Card of Thanks We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for the sympathy shown us, and the kindly services rendered during our recent bereavement. Especially do we wish to thank those, who sent the beautiful floral offerings and those who furnished cars. Dewey A. Hollaway and family, Robert W. Hollaway and family. 1tc

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to be granted merchants in the city. Thus, the state body will not issue such a license.

Other business coming before the commission this week included the request for installation of sewer and water service to a building site on Sheldon near the Pere Marquette tracks where the J. K. Lytle Corp. will build. Upon learning the option on the site had been taken up the commission approved the request for such service.

They also reappointed Mrs. Nell Curry and John D. McLaren to the board of appeals for three years, and voted to have City Manager Clarence Elliott represent the Plymouth City officials on the Board of the Michigan Municipal Retirement System. Arno B. Thompson, an accountant, will represent the employees on the same panel.

Those who, in the confidence of superior capacities or attainments, neglect the common maxims of life, should be reminded that nothing will supply the want of prudence.—Samuel Johnson.

About all the small business man can do at the moment is to wait and see just what is going to happen to the big fellows after labor and government is through

Marquette county, which has the largest area of any county in the state, has the greatest mileage of streams with a total of 1906.

The cause of acute asphyxia largely determines the chance of survival, according to a recent study of 1,673 cases in which attempts were made to restore res-

As sudden changes in temperature cause ivory billiard balls to crack, sets purchased in winter are not opened for 36 hours and are not used for a week so they may gradually reach room temperature.

A colony of French Huguenots held the first Protestant church service on the American continent in 1555 on Villegaignon Island in the Bay of Rio de Janeiro.

Politicians and economists are at loggerheads on tax trend. The former are for narrowing the base, figuring every taxpayer dropped from the rolls is a vote gained. The latter view them as a needed government income source lost.

American workers earn 31 different kinds of pay such as the night bonus and the swing shift differential, while their wages are subject to 46 kinds of compulsory and optional deductions, such as union dues and group insurance premiums.

Persons under 14 years of age may not hunt deer in Michigan.

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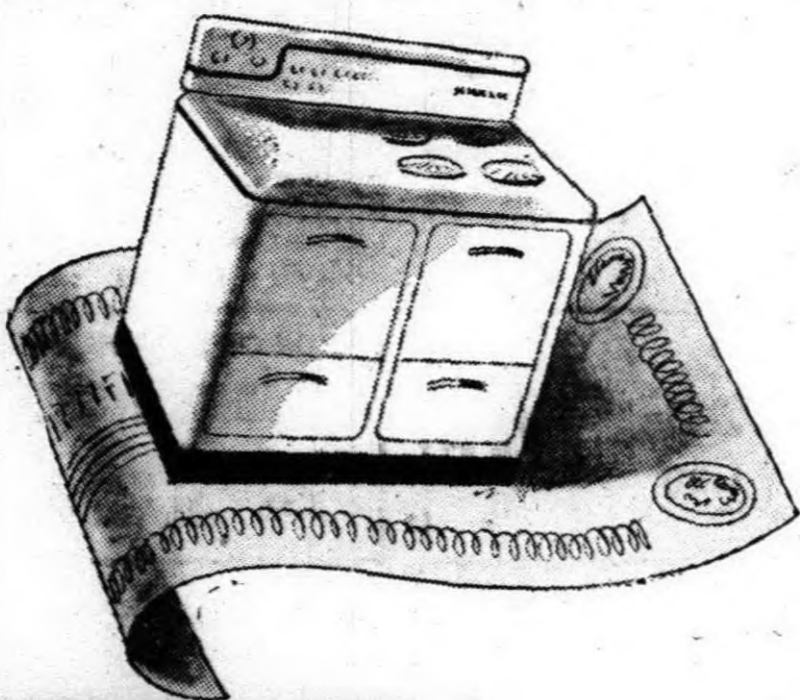
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"Home Essentials to Better Living"

City Needs 500 Additional Homes at Once

Plymouth should be a mecca for building contractors, and probably will be if and when the construction material bottleneck is broken.

Presently there are an estimated 500 vacant building lots within the city limits. These lots all are listed as potential sites for homes because they already have water and sewer services to them.

There are several other vacant lots in the city but many could not be described as building sites. Several in fact were purchased by adjacent home owners for the express purpose of keeping a home from being built there.

Realtors in and around Plymouth feel that if 500 single family units were to be constructed here within the next twelve months the housing shortage would be eliminated.

However, few of them believe more than a fourth of that number will be constructed here within the next several years. Adequate housing in Plymouth is missing and it will require more than one year to restore the situation to normalcy, the realtors believe.

Construction of several six-to-eight-family apartments in the city would be a blessing, they declare. Returning war veterans, Detroiters getting away from the City congestion and workers following new factories here are swelling the population no end.

Roy Moon, who during the past two years erected more than 100 new homes in Plymouth and has sold every one of them, declares that 500 new homes will not be too many to take care of the needs of this community.

Mr. Moon, who has spent nearly a life-time in home building activities and is especially interested in community development, regards Plymouth as one of the most promising cities in the country.

"If we provide sufficient homes, homes of good quality and that will be an asset to this city, we will find plenty of buyers for them. I could immediately dispose of at least a hundred more homes if I had them to sell," stated Mr. Moon recently.

"While I have been a resident of the Detroit area for years, it was not until a few years ago that I became interested in Plymouth and I am frank to state that I do not believe many of the older residents realize what a wonderful future this city has. Plymouth is right now on the eve of its greatest period of prosperity," said Mr. Moon.

City Commissioners Jack Taylor and Robert Lidgard have been giving considerable attention to the future building developments of Plymouth and have expressed a desire to see to it that builders utilize the streets where there is already available water, sewer, and electricity.

There are probably some 200 or 300 lots in Plymouth that are not located on streets where sewer and water lines are now available.

It is their belief that all new homes erected should first be located on the streets where sewer and water lines are now located

and by the time that these lots have homes on them, the other remaining lots will then have available the same public services.

This matter has also been discussed by members of the city planning commission. This body has gone so far as to even suggest that a list of streets where water and sewer lines have been laid be prepared so that prospective home builders will know where to locate their new homes.

New homes are badly needed. Both to rent and to sell. Many families wishing to move here want to buy. Others want to build.

(Continued from Page One) their own places in Plymouth but the cost of materials is so high that they don't feel that they can now afford to build.

Contractors could do well to survey the housing shortage here and govern themselves accordingly. They would not only be helping solve the housing situation. They would also be providing much needed postwar employment.

Five hundred vacant lots, all of which are potential home sites should offer some sort of challenge to some contractor.

Scout News of Plymouth Area

(By Harold H. Schryer)

Tonight, Friday, is the time for all good Cubbers to come to the aid of their Cubs. The monthly Pack meeting of Pack 620 is to be held at the Central Grade School gym. The meeting will be opened at 7:30 p.m. and a very good turn-out is to be expected as there is a good program planned for the evening.

Let us show the Cubs that we are on their side of the fence and ready and willing to back them up in their efforts to accomplish the plans that are made for their activities throughout the month.

Troop P3 enjoyed a demonstration of Archery skills and had the privilege of having an opportunity to use the archery equipment of their demonstrator and advisor, Alfred Hohl, of this city, at their last Troop meeting.

Your reporter is advised that the evening's program was most enthusiastically received by all and that the Scouts and Scouters of the Troop wish to publicly thank Mr. Hohl for his fine cooperation and show of interest in the Scouting program.

This is echoed by all of the Scouts and Scouters of the community. We are all glad that another of our citizens has come forward to lend a willing hand to this movement which means so much to all of us.

Paper pick-up by all Troops will be held on December 8, 1945. Due to the holiday since passed it was found most expedient to move the usual date forward in order that the Scouts would have their full time to be with their parents and friends.

One of the most important phases of the Scouting program is swimming. Key-noting the whole movement is the necessity of providing proper physical activities which will add to the three requisite elements of the Scout oath which are thus expressed: "Physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight."

For some time past we, as a community, have been handicapped in the provision of proper swimming facilities for those of our Scouts who wished to either practice or pass the required tests of this nature.

We have had to rely upon the YMCA pool at Ann Arbor which necessitated transportation problems and other restrictions which made our swimming issue one of the sore spots in our otherwise well rounded program.

Now, thanks to the splendid cooperation of Dr. Haskell of the Wayne County Training School, we are again to have the use of the pool located at this Institution.

There are definite requirements to be met, however, if our Scouts are to be able to participate to their mutual benefit.

First it is requisite that each of the participants must have passed certain physical examinations by their personal physicians and; second they must have written permission from their parents.

The proper credential cards will be distributed to the Scouts at once. It is hoped that all of the mentioned requisites will be forthcoming for the best benefits of all concerned.

Parents are expected to fully understand that adult leadership will be provided by the individual Troops and that fully accredited instructors and examiners will be in attendance at the pool at all times to see that the Scouts acquire the most good from their efforts.

Troop 2 is planning a program featuring Scout-Adult relations for Monday, Dec. 17.

There will be a Tenderfoot Investiture Ceremony which will formally accept nearly a dozen new Scouts into the Troop. There will also be a Troop Court of Honor for all of those members who have advanced of late.

This will also mark the occasion of the Xmas Holidays and it is felt that all of the members should have family representatives present to see how their sons spend those Scout meetings to which they hie each Monday evening.

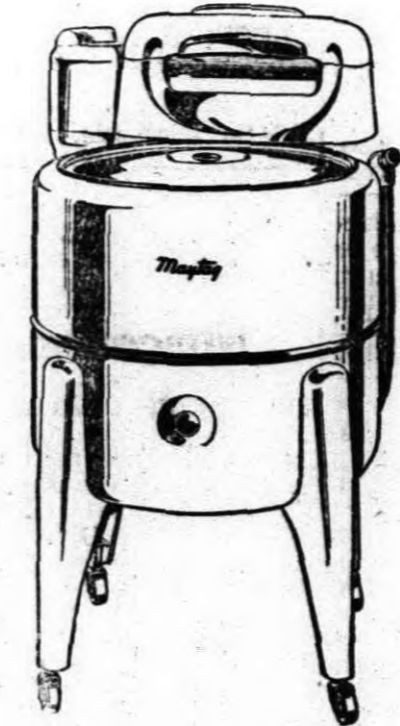
The Troop Council will have an active program of interest ready for your approval and we feel that you will be more than pleased with your evening's co-operation with us. Troop parents are requested to harken to their sons and keep in touch with their plans as they progress toward their climax.

Six new Scouts were registered in Troop 2 this past week. They are: Herman Parmenter, Alan Finney, Donny Young, Howard Towner, Rodger Bowring and Robert Heard.

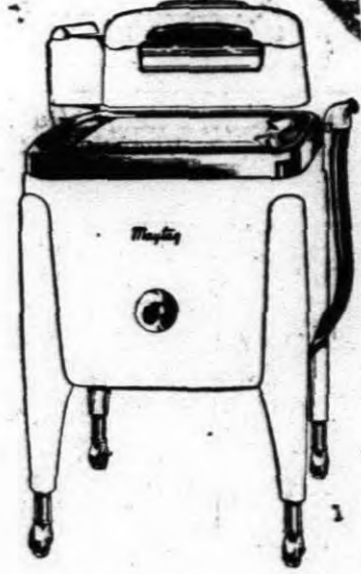
Several more are now ready to pass their Tenderfoot tests and Cub Don Lightfoot is graduating into the Troop as a Webelo Cub on Friday, Dec. 7.

This will about fill the Troop. We are pleased that so many of our Plymouth lads find our program suitable to their taste. Our one desire is that we will be able to continue to serve their Scouting desires to the fullest.

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Local News

Mary Lyon and Justina Eich attended the Sonja Henie Ice Review on Saturday.

The Ambassador Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. Forest Smith, Thursday afternoon.

The Thursday Bridge club met in the home of Mrs. John Daiton of Blunk avenue, Thursday evening.

Circle four of the Womens Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors.

The Tuesday Bridge club will meet in the home of Mrs. George Chute of Garfield, Tuesday evening for a 6:30 pot luck supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stark entertained Mr. Stark's mother, Mrs. W. D. Stark, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Stark and Miss Talmadge, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Beals will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stremich, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Galinger and Mr. and Mrs. George Farwell at their home Sunday evening.

Herbert Colbert and Clarence Stevens attended the meeting of the association of Piano Tuners and Technicians at the Statler hotel in Detroit, Monday.

Robert John, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Laible of Main street is celebrating his seventh birthday Friday. A birthday party will be given in his home this afternoon for his small friends.

Mrs. Charles Draper of Church street spent Tuesday with her son who was recently discharged from the Navy as commander, Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Draper of Ann Arbor. Dr. Draper has returned to his practice.

The Plymouth Camera club will meet Monday evening at 8:00 p.m. at the Presbyterian church to elect officers for the coming year. Members are urged to be present and a welcome is extended to all camera enthusiasts to attend. The winning prints of last month's competition are now on display in Blunk and Thatcher's show window.

A program of Christmas music will be given by the Womens Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church, Friday night December 14 at 8:00 p.m. A group of Christmas carols played by Loretta Petrosky on the organ will open the program. The Glee Club of the Womens Club will render the Cantata and Mr. Earl Reh will sing several numbers. The program will be held in the main auditorium of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Hough and Mr. E. C. Hough are spending the week in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lidgard of Holbrook avenue are taking their two daughters to the hockey game, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Angelo and son Eugene from Howell are now dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Signorelli, Sunday evening.

Gerald Louis Shoemaker, veteran of the Pacific war, now attending the M.S.C. and majoring in Veterinary medicine has become an active pledge of the "Kappa Sigma" fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Messmore arrived home Tuesday evening after spending two weeks deer hunting at Comins. They shot a six point deer.

Mrs. Charles Draper of Church street attended the funeral of Mrs. C. H. Goyer of Detroit last Thursday. Mrs. Goyer was a former resident of Plymouth.

The Child Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Floyd L. Reddeman of Blunk avenue, Tuesday evening. The program chairman was Mrs. Paul Simmons of Edison. The subject "Self Control."

Mr. and Mrs. James Forman and son Jimmy of Pontiac, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Arscott and children of Rochester will be Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Arscott of West Maple St.

The Ladies of the Palmer Bible class of the First Baptist church will meet next Tuesday evening, Dec. 11 for their Christmas party and business meeting at 537 N. Mill street. A potluck supper will be served.

Mrs. Vern Mackinder of Indianapolis is visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mackinder on Ann Arbor Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Norris entertained at dinner Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mackinder, David and Douglas, and Mrs. Vern Mackinder.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gutherie, Rosemary and Melvin Charles dined Wednesday evening at the City Club and attended the Don Cossack concert at the Masonic Temple.

Merlin Homer Datcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Andrew Datcher, of Deering street, Garden City, has entered Case School of Applied Science in Cleveland, Ohio, as a freshman under the Naval V-5 program. He graduated from Plymouth high school in 1943 and attended Western Michigan for one semester before entering Case. He will follow the Navy schedule for V-5 trainees.

Mrs. James Winterhalter has returned to Plymouth after visiting her husband in New York.

Mary Lyon entertained Ruth Veigle, Marie Thompson and Audrienne Gates at lunch on Tuesday.

Charles Mimmack of Chicago is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Jolliffe of North Main street.

Mrs. William H. McGraw of Saginaw will spend the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kirkpatrick of Auburn.

Mrs. John Miller entertained the Sewing club Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Irving E. Blunk.

Mrs. Harry Devo of Church street is leaving Friday for Chicago to meet her husband, Col. Harry Devo who has been overseas for two and one half years.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith of Dewey street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hungerford of Detroit, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Haydenstein and family of Dewey street spent the weekend in Grand Rapids visiting relatives.

Marion Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Fisher of Ann Arbor Trail will entertain a few friends Friday evening after the school prom.

Miss Czarina Penney popular Plymouth pianist, presented her piano pupils in a recital Thursday, Dec. 6 in the Central Grade school auditorium. She was assisted by Mrs. Jerry Kelly and accompanied by Mrs. Clarissa Pearson.

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Trees Back Up Fighter It requires five trees annually to equip and maintain each man in Canada's armed forces, a Canadian lumber journal reports. Quarters, mess hall, chapel and recreational facilities take one tree. Another is needed to create food, clothing, tanks, guns and ammunition. The remaining three are used in the production of explosives, planes and gun stocks and in shipyards and factories.

Tropical Plant New Zealand spinach is not a spinach, but a tropical plant which botanists call tetragonia expansa. It should not be sown until the ground is fairly warm, and then it should be given plenty of room, 2 to 3 feet between plants. In the northern states it grows to remarkable size, so that a peck of greens can be picked from a single plant once a week until frosts come.

The B vitamins are short in many diets because a great deal of vitamin B loss occurs in the kitchen. Cooking heat destroys some of the B vitamins and some go into the cooking water. Save that liquid for use in sauces or gravies or serve it with vegetables.

State Flower Colorado's state flower, the columbine, is one of the most delicate of the wild flowers. Frequently found in secluded spots in Rocky Mountain national park, the columbine ranges from a light lavender to a deep purple, and is usually found in shady spots.

Smuggled Seeds In 1876 an Englishman managed to smuggle to his homeland some seeds of the Hevea species of rubber tree from South America. From these seeds, by way of gardens in London, emerged the great British plantations in the Far East.

Long Aged Good American whiskey is aged from four to eight years. During this aging process, extensive evaporation and leakage losses occur. The Bureau of Internal Revenue recognizes this fact, and has an official table of "loss allowances."

Poultry Tapeworm On poultry farms where the tapeworm has been causing serious trouble, rearing the birds in confinement for two seasons will eliminate the parasite. The stock can then be reared on open range.

Onion Transplants In the shorter season areas, onion transplants are especially valuable and starting the seed in flats is recommended, using well rotted manure and ammoniated phosphate. One-fourth ounce of ammoniated phosphate mixed with the soil in a 10 by 20-inch flat is about the right amount. For onions, 50-day-old transplants are desirable. Since onion transplants will stand some frost they can be planted outdoors fairly early.

Pest Purge Frequent dustings of sodium fluoride into cracks behind window and door facings and baseboards will get rid of silverfish, and if sprinkled freely where cockroaches are prevalent, will destroy them too. Guard against moths and carpet beetles by sealing clothes in airtight bags, putting mothballs or naphthalene flakes in winter clothes, sunning clothes, and vacuum-cleaning furniture and both sides of the carpets frequently.

New Rope A patent recently recorded in the United Kingdom and reported in a textile periodical describes methods of treating flexible rope so that it will float on fresh salt water from 1 to 10 days. Many types of fibers may be used, including cotton, flax, manila, hemp, sisal or viscose. Rope so treated would be applicable for use as lifelines in rescue work, or as landing ropes. Luminescent materials could also be applied.

Turkey abolished polygamy in 1926 and thus became the only one of some 15 countries, composed almost wholly of Mohammedans where the men are denied the four legal wives and unlimited number of concubines which have been allowed all Mohammedans by their Bible, the Koran, for more than 1,300 years.

Capsule college courses for veterans are being pioneered by Columbia, and some other universities. Idea is that vets aren't inclined to take full-dress college course, will go instead for concentrated eight-week packages of

essentials in the business line. While only 14 per cent of all victims were saved, the survivors in the five largest groups classified by cause of asphyxia were: heart disease, two per cent; suffocation, mostly babies by bedclothes, nine per cent; immersion, 27 per cent; carbon monoxide poisoning, 31 per cent; and respiratory failure in newborn infant, 45 per cent.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hamill arrived home Tuesday afternoon from California where they had spent the past few weeks.

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Local Cagers Will Play Home Games at Training School

Basketball will take on a healthier complexion this season at Plymouth High school. No longer will local fans have to watch games in the cramped and uncomfortable quarters of the school's small gymnasium.

Through the courtesy of Dr. Robert Haskell, superintendent of the Wayne County Training School, Plymouth's quintet will be able to play all of its home games at that institution's huge gymnasium. It is the only championship cage court in this vicinity and can accommodate 900 spectators very easily.

With that incentive the school is out to make the coming cage season a successful one. Coach Wayne Falan has about 45 boys out for the varsity squad. Few are veterans but he hopes to have a fairly good five whipped into shape for the first game next Friday night.

Plymouth will pry the lid off its 1945-46 cage season in a home game with Belleville that night. It has carded a full 14-game schedule which will keep the squad in action twice a week until March 1.

The abundance of gasoline and the current mild weather with the veritably dry highways should combine to swell the opening night crowd beyond all previous records. Home games no longer should go unattended. It hurts school spirit, destroys the team's morale and promotes disunity between the school and community.

The full schedule for the local five, including the opening game is as follows:

Friday, Dec. 14, Belleville at Plymouth; Tuesday, Dec. 18, Ecorse at Plymouth; Friday, Dec. 21, Plymouth at Ypsilanti; Friday, Jan. 4, Plymouth at Northville; Friday, Jan. 11, Trenton at Plymouth; Tuesday, Jan. 15, Plymouth at Ecorse; Friday, Jan. 18, Plymouth at Redford Union; Friday, Jan. 25, Wayne at Plymouth; Friday, Feb. 1, Plymouth at Belleville; Friday, Feb. 3, Ypsilanti at Plymouth; Friday, Feb. 15, Plymouth at Trenton; Tuesday, Feb. 19, Northville at Plymouth; Friday, Feb. 22, Redford Union at Plymouth; and Friday, March 1, Plymouth at Wayne.

Men's Chorus At Town Hall

The Men's Chorus of the Little Church of the Air, Station WWJ, will be heard in the third of the Town Hall Series to be given next Tuesday evening, December 11th at 8:30 in the Methodist Church. The chorus is directed by Dr. Nellie Beatrice Huger, who is head of the Detroit Guild of Church Musicians, and incidentally a former Plymouth girl.

About a year ago a survey was made over the whole country and the Detroit Guild of Church Musicians was one of the three most outstanding. Miss Huger also is co-founder of the successful Hartland Area Project with Mr. J. Robert Crouse.

Two local men are in the chorus Eugene Smith and Eddie Campbell. It will be a Christmas program everyone will want to hear. Tickets can be secured at the door.

Wayne Minister To Officiate Here

Rev. Waldo Hunt, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, Wayne, will officiate at the celebration of Holy Communion for the Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Episcopal church, Plymouth, on Tuesday, Dec. 11 at 11:00 a.m.

A new communion service, recently purchased by the Altar Guild as a gift to the church, will be consecrated at this time.

Immediately following the service there will be a luncheon. Reservations can be made by calling Mrs. Herbert Culver, 85-W, or Mrs. Kenneth Hulsing, 1596.

Kiwanis Club Gives \$150 Fund

A sum of \$150 was recently taken to Percy Jones Hospital by a committee representing the Plymouth Kiwanis Club. It was donated to the hospital's Kiwanis fund, whose disbursements are handled by the Battle Creek Kiwanians.

Members of the local club's committee included Russell Roe, Ernest Henry, Robert Joffite and Lt. Governor Ernest Allison. All were taken on a tour of the hospital. They reported that the money provided by the state's Kiwanis clubs was being spent most wisely for the benefit of patients there.

The Plymouth club's contribution came from their night club party at the school and from the treasury. The night club party proceeds amounted to \$137.50 and the club added the difference to make the donation an even \$150.

While the commemorative coins of the United States have ranged in denomination from \$50 to a quarter, 41 of the 52 issues, comprising 11,429,000 of the 12,108,000 pieces, have been half dollars.

Tells Benefits of School Consolidation

Unless the qualified electors of the Plymouth, Allen, Kenyon, and Cooper No. 4 school districts vote to consolidate and build one new educational housing unit here they will be faced with increased taxes to pay for the building of four separate units in their own areas.

That was the message given those attending the Central Grade School PTA meeting last week. The speaker was Helmer A. Nelson, superintendent of the Plymouth public schools.

He told his listeners that consolidation of small districts was being urged throughout the state by the Michigan Education Study Commission. Such action, he said, not only reduced the number of small districts but also offered more opportunities to the students than was available at small individual units.

The assembly was assured that consolidation would not force the building of a new unit in Plymouth to accommodate the influx of students.

"In fact," said Supt. Nelson, "it is now necessary to build a new school here to accommodate properly the students we already have."

Whether consolidation is voted or not the city must have a new school. But, if the voters should turn down the proposal to consolidate each of the affected districts must then build new schools.

Supt. Nelson told his audience of the numerous advantages a consolidated township educational unit would bring to the community. He urged the voters to accept the proposal and establish one of the largest and most up to date high schools in the state.

"It is inconceivable," declared Supt. Nelson, "to refuse permission for such an educational plant when refusal means the construction of four new schools instead of one."

He concluded his talk with this illustration. "Either we vote to unite and build one co-operative educational unit for our youth or we vote to remain hard-bitten individuals and build four separate schools that will increase our taxes with no appreciable benefit."

Obituaries

Ernest Edmund Lyon.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, December 5th at 2 p.m. from the Schrader Funeral Home for Ernest Edmund Lyon who resided at 6805 Napier road, Plymouth and who passed away Saturday, December 1st after a short illness. Mr. Lyon is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Lyon, two daughters, Mrs. Nan Muse and Mrs. Alice Stanbury, son-in-law, Clarence Stanbury and Pvt. Galen Musall, three grandchildren, Clarence, Gail and Kent Stanbury, all of Detroit. Rev. T. Leonard Sanders officiated. Two hymns were rendered on the organ by Mrs. M. J. O'Conner. Interment was in Riverside Cemetery.

Gerald Parmenter.

Funeral services were held Thursday, December 6th from the Schrader Funeral Home at 2 p.m. for Gerald Parmenter, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Parmenter who reside at 32312 Kalamazoo Court, Wayne, Michigan, and who passed away Saturday, December 1st. Besides his parents he is survived by two brothers, John C. and Clarence and a sister, Deanne, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Parmenter and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, all of Plymouth; also several aunts and uncles. Rev. T. Leonard Sanders officiated. Interment was in Riverside Cemetery.

An electric device has been designed to prevent sprinters in track events from making false starts. It consists of a small box connected by wire to the starting gun and to a metal plate placed on the ground before each contestant. To make the electrical connection that permits the gun to be fired, all runners must be in starting position and exerting a certain pressure on the plate with both hands.

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Weddings

Ruth Highfield Is Bride of Northville Man

Ruth Ann Highfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Highfield spoke her marriage vows to Glen Richard Angell, son of Mrs. Glen S. Angell in the home of the bride's parents with Rev. William Barlette of Grand Rapids officiating.

The home was decorated with lighted tapers in cathedral candelabras, baskets of white beebombs and palms.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father wore a gown of satin and marquisette, fashioned with a yoke of marquisette beaded with seed pearls and a high round neckline. The skirt swept into a long train. She wore a full length veil of illusion caught to a coronet of seed pearls and she carried a bouquet of white roses.

The maid of honor, Betty Jane Highfield, and the bridesmaid, June Highfield, wore identical gowns fashioned after the bride's, they were of soft shades of blue and pink with matching tiaras. Their bouquets were of red roses.

Sally Jo Mathias, was flower girl in a frock of pink taffeta carrying a basket of assorted flowers. The ring bearer was Douglas Lock.

Mr. John Schnaidt of Royal Oak, cousin of the groom, was best man, and the usher was Nick Campbell, brother-in-law of the bride.

The bride's mother chose a black jersey gown of yellow floral design with a corsage of yellow roses. The groom's mother wore a brown jersey gown with a corsage of yellow roses.

A reception supper followed the ceremony at which 100 guests were served.

The couple spent their honeymoon in St. Louis visiting friends.

Annabelle Becker Becomes Bride of Lloyd Edwin Clark

At 8 o'clock Saturday evening, Dec. 1, Annabelle Mae Becker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Manford Becker of Pacific avenue became the bride of Lloyd Edwin Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Clark, also of this city.

The impressive double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Henry J. Walch in candlelight with baskets of white mums and palms decorating the altar. The soloist, Carol Campbell, sang "I Love Thee" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a wedding gown of ivory brocaded satin having a fitted bodice with cowl neckline, long fitted sleeves which ended in points over the hands and a full skirt which extended into a court train. Her Juliet cap of net held her fingertip veil in place and she carried a white Bible topped with white orchid. Her only adornment was a necklace of pearls the gift of the bridegroom.

The bride's attendants were Mrs. Robert Brown, of Detroit, acting as matron-of-honor, Donna Becker, a sister of the bride, as maid-of-honor, who were gowned alike in white net having cap sleeves and deep peplums bordered with grosgrain ribbon with which they wore long white gloves.

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es. They carried sheaves of red roses.

The bridesmaids, Mrs. Robert Gildart, of Evanston, Ill., sister of the bridegroom, Wilma Becker, sister of the bride, Mrs. Elmer Barlow, Jr., a cousin and Ruth Drews, were gowned alike in white net made with puffed sleeves, sweetheart neckline and full skirts. They carried arm bouquets of red carnations.

Little Joanne Wilson, of Salem, a cousin of the bride, acted as flower girl wearing a high waisted floor length gown of white satin with a white ribbon in her hair. She scattered petals down the aisles preceding the bride and bridegroom.

Those attending the bridegroom were Robert Brown, of Detroit, who was best man, Wilbur Grube, of Rothsville, Pa., a buddy in the European theatre of war, Robert Gildart, of Evanston, Ill., Irving Becker, of Northville, De Wayne Becker, a brother of the bride, and Robert Rorabacher, who were in formal attire with white carnations as boutonnières.

Mrs. Becker wore a floor length gown of pink chiffon with feather headdress while Mrs. Clark wore black with aqua yoke and matching headdress. Both mothers wore long white gloves and white rose corsages.

A reception in the dining room of the church followed with 200 relatives and friends present. The bridal table was centered with a 4-tiered white cake and yellow chrysanthemums decorated the tables at intervals.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark left that evening on a honeymoon to Chicago. For traveling she chose a grey gabardine suit with fuchsia blouse and black accessories with which she wore her white orchid corsage. They will reside in Plymouth.

Guests were present for the wedding from Lansing, Jackson, Detroit, Ferndale, Fenton, Hudson, Salem, Pinckney, Northville also Illinois and Pennsylvania.

The wedding rehearsal held Friday evening was preceded by two dinner parties one being held for the bride's attendants in the home of her parents on Pacific avenue and one for the bridegroom's attendants in the home of his parents on Union street.

Although Congress passed a bill a decade ago chartering a National Theater, the United States is still without such a government sponsored institution which some 40 other countries have established to bring stage productions to the majority of their people, by maintaining local theaters and resident theatrical companies.

Newburg

Mrs. John McCollough of Dearborn, formerly of Newburg, who is in Ford hospital, is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. William Loesch of Wayne road lost over 200 baby chicks in a fire which occurred Friday morning at their home. Luckily no other buildings caught fire, except the small one housing the chicks. The loss was partially covered by insurance. The fire was probably caused by the explosion of an oil heater.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Friday evening at Newburg church, when Miss Elizabeth Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stevens of Horton Ave., was married to Conway Harper of Ypsilanti, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harper of Durant, Okla. Miss Angelina Theodoris of Ypsilanti was the bridesmaid and Harold Stevens, brother of the bride, was best man.

The bride wore a gown of white satin and sheer, with the full skirt extending into a train. The bridesmaid's gown was pink taffeta. The church was beautifully decorated with large bouquets of white chrysanthemums. A reception for 70 guests was held in the Hall immediately after the ceremony. Movies were taken at the reception, showing the bride cutting the wedding cake. The newlyweds will reside in Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Simmons of Ann Arbor Trail were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pangborn of Brighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Liscum of Ann Arbor Trail announce the engagement of their daughter, Lois, to William R. Dexter of the U. S. Navy. Mr. Dexter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dexter of Yacama Avenue, Detroit. No date has been set for the wedding.

The Riverside Reading group met at the home of Miss Martha Brittin on Plymouth road Thursday, with 13 members present. Book reviews by Mrs. Jesse Bennett and Mrs. Ray Grimm were ably given. The December meet-

ing will be held Dec. 27 at the home of Mrs. V. G. Carson on Newburg road.

A resident deer hunter, residing temporarily outside Michigan may transport deer or bear, lawfully taken by him, to his temporary address, under permit issued by the director of conservation.

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The most valuable air-mail stamps today are the regular Honduras 10-centavo stamps that were overprinted Aero Correo in 1925 for use on letters carried by an airline which failed when its one plane cracked up on its sixth flight. As only two are known to exist each has an estimated value of \$15,000.

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Culminating a romance that began in Italy over a year ago, Lt. Virginia D. Saygus, ANC, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Saygus of Los Angeles, California, became the bride of Lt. Alfred J. Schuster USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Schuster of Plymouth, in Las Vegas, Nevada on November 6. Flying with the couple to Las Vegas were Miss Viola Say-

gus, the bride's sister, and Mrs. Lena Graper, actor's agent, both of Hollywood. The bride wore an Adrian styled woolen suit in sea green softly draped shoulders, tied to the side. Fuchsia gilet with a matching clip and earring set in pearls. She wore orchids in her hair and black matching accessories. The newlyweds spent their hen-

cymoon at the famous Hotel Last Frontier in Las Vegas and in Hollywood, California. Mrs. Schuster, a former New York model, served on several army hospital ships for 3½ years and saw service in the European theater of operations. She was also used as a model on the Army Nurse recruiting posters. Lt. Schuster recently served his country in the European theater of operations, with 23 months attached to the staff of the commander of the 8th Fleet, flying as personal pilot to Admiral H. K. Hewitt. At the present Lt. Schuster is stationed at Oakland, California. He is the brother-in-law of Herman Bakhaus well known Plymouth dairy man who resides on Territorial road.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Valliquette were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln Lantz.

Pfc. Eugene Clark has returned to Vaughn General hospital in Illinois.

George Richwine is in the Plymouth hospital. He underwent a serious operation two weeks ago and is making a fine recovery.

Cpl. Joe D. Merritt and Margaret Allen were evening callers last week of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Lorenz and son Robert were Sunday callers of their nephew Bruce G. Watts of Brighton.

Everett Salow, has been promoted to Master Sergeant. He is stationed at Hickaur Field, on the Hawaiian Islands, where he is an airplane inspector in the Air Transport command.

Lt. Keith Jolliffe left last Thursday for Alexandria, Louisiana, after spending a twelve day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Jolliffe.

Kenneth Gust has returned to his home in Plymouth after spending three years in the Pacific. He was granted his discharge at the Great Lakes Naval training station last Saturday.

The wedding of Ruth Ann Highfield daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Highfield to Glen Angell, son of Mrs. Glen Angell, Sr., took place November 17 at 8:00 p.m. in the home of the bride's parents on Amelia street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Norman of East Ann Arbor entertained at a dinner Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. James Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Vernell Hitt and son Billy and Cpl. and Mrs. Robert C. Norman who were honored at the dinner. Cpl. Norman returned to Camp Buttner, North Carolina, while Mrs. Norman, "the former Joyce Hartmann of Durham, North Carolina" will remain with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Norman of East Ann Arbor Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Dawson of Pontiac were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln Lantz of Union street.

Mrs. J. D. McLaren of Roosevelt street and her two children spent the week with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Kemmerling of Monroe.

Edward Ayers left Monday for Grand Rapids where he attended the annual convention of the Michigan Horticultural Society.

Mrs. John Paul Morrow of Ann Arbor Trail entertained at a luncheon and bridge Thursday afternoon. Her sister Mrs. John Harmon was also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard A. Jackson of North Mill street entertained guests at a Sunday evening dinner. The dinner was in honor of Cpl. Joe D. Merritt.

L. E. Smatt, who has operated the Rochester Community Sale for a period of years and J. A. Arnold, well-known auctioneer and a resident of Oxford, and Howard A. Martin of Wayne are conducting a series of auction sales in Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hersson of Florence, Alabama are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guston.

Pfc. Dunbar Davis is spending a twelve day furlough with his family on Burroughs.

Mrs. Frances Herrick of Indianapolis, Indiana, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Wayne Smith of Roosevelt street.

The Lily club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swegles, 42195 Ford road, Tuesday evening December 11, at 7:30 p.m. Members please bring card tables.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Harms entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lorenz and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilson at dinner Saturday evening in their home on West Ann Arbor Trail.

The Sunshine club will hold its December meeting and Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Doris Avis on Curtis road, Wednesday December 12. Mrs. Margaret Presley will be co-hostess. Birthday guests of the month are Mrs. Matilda Bisleshesi and Mrs. Luella Barrett.

The Rainbow Assembly will have their regular meeting Monday, December 19, at 7:30 p.m.

The Bridge Contract club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. John Dalton of Blunk avenue.

Mrs. E. V. Jolliffe is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Champe of Detroit.

Mrs. Otto Beyer of North Mill street entertained eight guests at dinner last Thursday, honoring Florion Con Nostits of Toledo. She is visiting her sister Mrs. William Gayde.

A buffalo dinner will be served by the W.S.C.S. Ladies at the Cherry Hill Church House on Ridge road, Tuesday evening, December 11. The serving will start at 5:30.

Sande Cutler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rusling Cutler celebrated her seventh birthday Tuesday afternoon by having a party in her home. The guests were Emelie Cutler, Suzann Stecker, Joanne Pankow, Linda Lent, Joan Donaldly and Geraldine Minehart.

Mrs. Effie Weir of North Main street and son Jack are traveling through the east visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Farley and daughter Vaughn Campbell saw Sonja Henie in Detroit Monday evening. They were accompanied by Mrs. Herman Gail and daughter Marion Gail, Mrs. Nellie Bird, and Dorothy Sly.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Debar spent the weekend in Jasper visiting her niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kleindintist. While there they attended the Grange meeting at North Rome, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lloyd Clark (Annabelle Becker) entertained Friday evening at dinner, Ruth Campbell, Mrs. Robert Brown, Donna Becker, Mrs. Robert Gildare, Wilma Becker, Mrs. Elmer Barlow, and Ruth Drews.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Thrasher will spend Sunday through Wednesday in Grand Rapids visiting friends.

Larry Jolliffe the young son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Jolliffe of Beck road had the misfortune to break his left wrist while on safety patrol duty at Starkweather school last Monday afternoon.

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Phone Co. Will Aid Veterans

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George M. Welch, president of the company, said the extent of the increase will depend upon the experience of veterans while in the armed forces. He emphasized, however, that the practice will not eliminate the element of judgment in the individual hiring of new employees.

"The new practice simply grants recognition to the fact that the veteran has undergone a measure of development useful in the telephone business while in the armed forces," Welch said. "For such purposes, veterans are placed into two general classifications: 1. Those with no communications experience but in who military service has developed maturity and certain other abilities. 2. Those with communications experience related to telephone occupations, or have had specialized training courses while in the service."

For those without communications experience, the starting pay rates will be advanced up to a maximum of eight months on the wage-progression schedules, depending on the length of their military service. Starting pay of those with a year or more of communications experience will be advanced an additional four months on the schedules. Thus, if a veteran were in the armed forces 32 months, including a year of telephone training, a maximum credit of one year could be allowed.

The case of every veteran with telephone experience will be reviewed three months after entering the company's service. After comparing his progress with that of other employees in similar work, another adjustment may be made, depending on the ability shown by the veteran.

Adjustments are to be made in the pay of veterans hired prior to the effective date of the plan.

Welch pointed out the practice applies only to veterans who never before worked for the company. Employees in the armed forces are on leave of absence and, upon returning to the company, receive full credit for all service in the armed forces and the same pay rates had they remained on their old jobs.

The company expects to employ about 2,000 new telephone workers, many of whom will come from the ranks of returning veterans, when its \$120,000,000 postwar construction program is well under way. Those are in addition to employees in the armed forces, originally numbering more than 3,000 who will return to their jobs. Michigan Bell now has about 2480 employees in the service, 468 back on the job from the armed forces, and 53 on the Gold Star Honor Roll.

Plymouth Band Plays In Detroit

Student musicians of Plymouth High school have had a very active program so far this school year. In addition to playing and marching at every home football game and the giant Plymouth Victory Thanksgiving Jubilee, the band has had many outside invitations.

Among the most notable were the Victory Loan Drive kick-off parade in Detroit and the huge Armistice Day parade there. The students performed excellently at each occasion and were a source of considerable pride for Clarence Luchtman, their director.

Once more they have been hailed to appear at a "big" affair in the Motor City. This time the very popular marching aggregation of Plymouth student musicians will parade in the giant Briggs Stadium.

Last Sunday afternoon at the much heralded Green Bay Packers-Detroit Lions football game, the music was supplied by the Plymouth High school tootlers. The students were all agog over the invitation. In addition to having the honor of being invited to play at the contest they also were guests of the Detroit Lions and were furnished choice box seats to witness the game.

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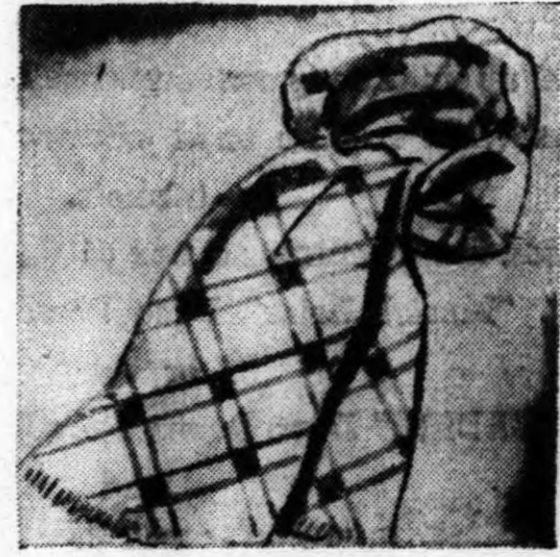
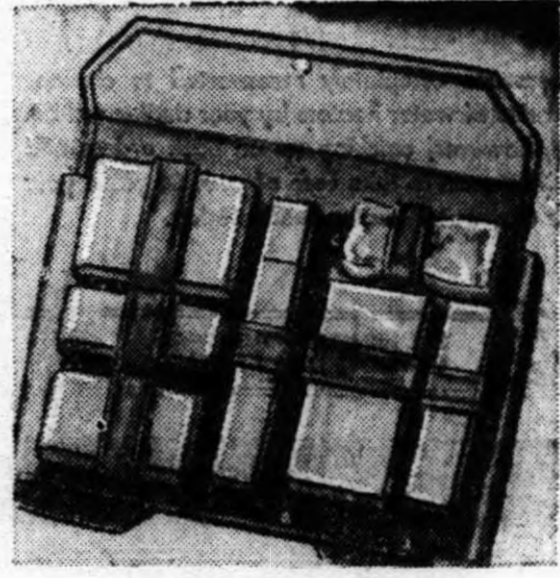
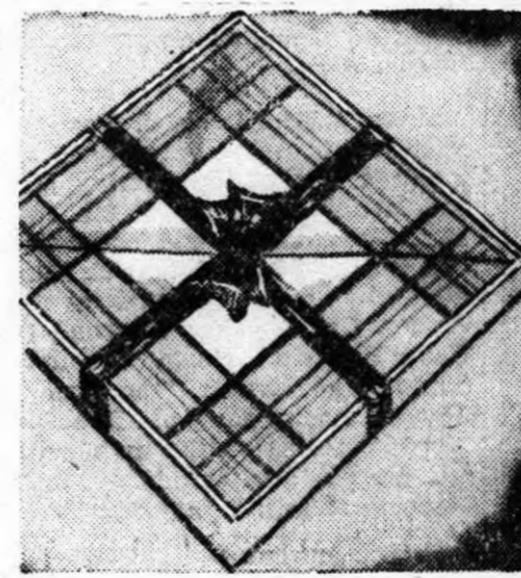
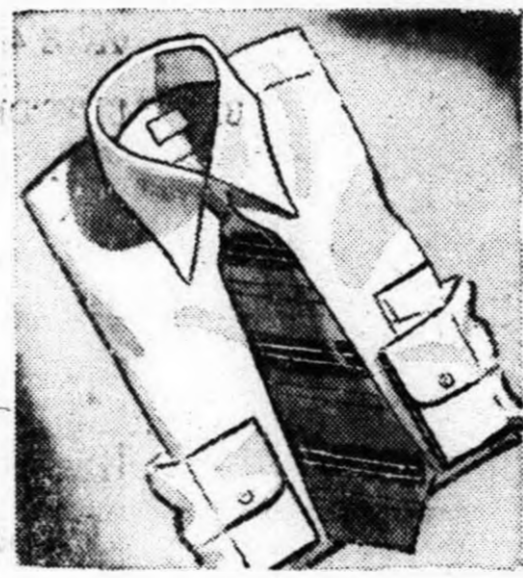
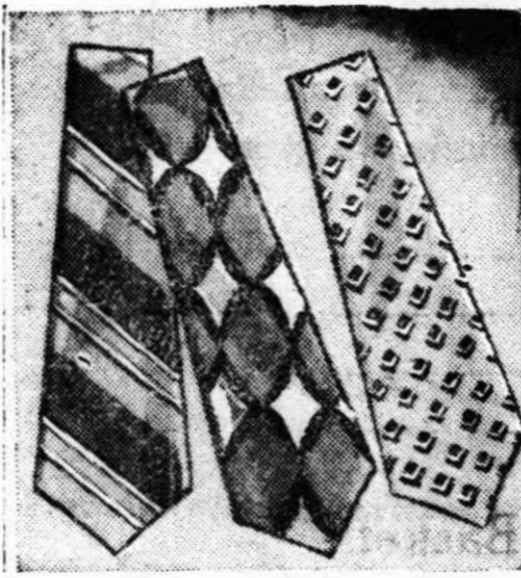
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Rotarians Hear Local Pastor

Principal speaker last Friday at the Rotary Club luncheon in Hotel Mayflower was the Rev. Leonard T. Sanders, local Methodist pastor.

He presented a very stirring address on "Thieves." He pointed out how man daily robbed God. The final prophecy of the Old Testament furnished his theme. Mr. Sanders hit human selfishness, lust for money and meddling, lordly, self-worshipping people.

Fellow members of the club hailed his address as one of the season's finest. The full text of it follows:

It is a tremendous question which closes the final prophecy of the Old Testament.

"Will a man rob God?" And for a terrible dramatic answer comes the gospel record of God's own Son. Go to Calvary and see! They robbed him of his liberty; they robbed him of his sandals, of the shirt off his back; they hanged him high between thieves and robbed him of his life.

"Yes, men will rob God." They will steal from orphans, they will steal from widows; they will steal from their own mother; they will rob their brothers; and they will rob God.

This world of ours is harassed. Life has been smashed up for many millions. Who can visualize the harassing of the hounds of war? Millions have seen their homes in ruins, or they have seen their loved ones blown to bits before their very eyes. They have fled homeless and destitute before advancing armies, or have received the sad news of their sons and husbands and sweet-

hearts killed in war. You will ask what can I do about it? This—we can stop using our time and talents and money for ourselves and render unto God and humanity that which is theirs, and thus make a better world.

First, what about our time? Are we giving the rightful share to God. The minimum of service is one seventh of time to God. Now how can this time be used? By cultivating Christian character. And Christian character can be gained by

1. Thoughtful reading
 2. Bible reading
 3. Attending public worship in the church of our choice
 4. Forming the prayer habit
- How about our talents? Are we using them wisely and well?

1. In our homes
 2. In our community
 3. In our world.
- The question arises, how are we to use our talents? Strive for humility and avoid meddlesomeness. Paul said in 11 Thessalonians 3:11, 12 "For we hear that there are some which walk among you disorderly, working not at all, but are busy bodies. Now them that are such we command and exhort by our Lord Jesus Christ, that with quietness they work, and eat their own bread."

Avoid Lordliness. In Philippians 2:1-4 we read "Let nothing be done through strife or vain glory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than themselves."

And third, avoid Self-Conceit. In Romans 12:3-5 we find these words. "Not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think; but to think soberly, according as God hath dealt to every man the measure of faith."

How about our money? Money is a good thing, a necessary thing, but I want to make

three observations about it. 1. There are better things than money. Good health is better. A sympathetic heart is better. And a clear conscience is better.

2. Money is a stewardship. It isn't ours. God lets us use it. It is his. And the person who claims he loves God, and who doesn't treat it as a stewardship, who spends it on golf, football games, theaters and other entertainments and gives a pittance to the extension of the Kingdom of Jesus Christ is robbing God, and is stealing from the church.

You cannot keep money forever. "Lay up for yourselves treasures, not on earth where moth and rust corrupt and thieves break through and steal, but in heaven where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt and thieves do not break through and steal."

You cannot lay up stocks in heaven but you can lay up generosity, mercy and unselfishness. Fellows, what are we doing with our time, our talents and our money?

Stop stealing, start giving. I want to close with a story from the August Reader's Digest under the title of "Kindly Light."

Dr. Joseph R. Sizoo met in his church canteen a sailor lad from Cornwall, England. The lad was depressed and after some conversation told his story.

He had grown up with a girl named Janie. When the war came he went to sea, and while in the South Pacific he wrote Janie and asked her to marry him. She gladly promised; and when he was on a five day furlough they were married in the little church where they had been brought up.

lected to do immediately upon his return.

While he was away the Germans had come over and the house was gone, and so was Janie, and her people and his.

Dr. Sizoo tried to help the lad, and asked him if he wanted to take a walk or go to a late show or take a long ride. To all this the lad replied "No, thank you, sir."

Then the minister asked himself the question: "What is left?"

"Did you ever have much to do with the church?"

"Yes, sir. I used to sing in the choir when I was a child."

"Remember any hymns?"

"Most of them, sir."

"What was your favorite?"

"Lead, Kindly Light."

"Could you sing it now?"

He was still staring down at the floor, and he did not alter his position so he began to sing.

Lead, Kindly Light, amid the encircling gloom—

Stronger and deeper became his voice, possessed of new power and a feeling that had been unuttered except in music.

"The night is dark, And I am far from home"—

Eyes wide open now, it seemed as if he were looking beyond the painted walls of the canteen, beyond space and time to a choir loft in a Cornwall church. The hymn ended, he turned and asked:

"Do you know 'Abide With Me?'"

"I'll sing it with you."

Strangest of duets! My faltering middle-aged voice and his firm, young one, lifted in praise and faith:

"When other helpers fail, And comforts flee, Help of the helpless, O, abide with me!"

The hours passed and we did not note their passing as we went from one grand old hymn to

another.

At last, in the street below, day was groping its way with fingers of light. I looked at the sailor. His eyes were shining.

"Think you can sleep now?"

"Yes, thank you, sir."

Arm in arm, we walked out into the morning."

JayCee Dance Is Huge Success

More than 100 couples attended the dance at the Masonic Temple last Saturday night which was sponsored by the Plymouth Jay-Cee Auxiliary. The dance marked the successful inauguration of a series of such events to be held throughout the winter.

Members of the committee in charge of the dance included Mrs. J. Rusling Cutler, chairman; Mrs. John Palmer, Mrs. Ted Box, Mrs. Henry Lorenz, Mrs. Cecil Owens and Mrs. William Fisher.

The committee in thanking The Mail for its helpful publicity given the dance also wished to sincerely thank others who co-operated with them to make the occasion a pleasant and successful one. Among them were Blunk and Thatcher, Davis and Lent, Casey Partridge, James Houk and the Plymouth High school.

The next dance is scheduled for January 26. Funds raised by these dances will be donated to the Plymouth Veterans' Memorial Foundation.

Schonbrunn in Vienna, the former summer residence of the Austrian emperors, that is now serving as a British military headquarters, contains 1,580 rooms, of which 139 are kitchens, probably the largest number ever installed in a single establishment.

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County War Board Is Washed Out

(By E. L. Besemer.)

At a meeting held Wednesday, November 28 in the County War Board office, Wayne, the County USDA Council was formed. The Council replaces the County USDA War Board and is composed of the heads of the offices of the agencies of the Department of Agriculture in the County, also of the heads of Production Credit Associations, the National Farm Loan Association, the County Agricultural Agent, Home Demonstration Agent, 4-H Club Agent, and Farm Security Administration Home Supervisor.

The Council will continue the work of the County War Board in relation to Selective Service, and help coordinate the activities of the agencies of the Department.

The Wayne County Farm Labor Committees held their Annual Round-Up Meeting at Eloise, November 30th with a luncheon and a program. On the program were Mr. Henry Mosher and Mr. L. G. Morse of the Senior Training Department in Agriculture of the Veterans Administration who explained provisions of the Vocational Rehabilitation Program of the Veterans Administration and how Public Law No. 16 and Public Law No. 346 as passed by the 78th Congress aids in providing

educational and training for veterans.

County Agricultural Agent, E. L. Besemer, suggests that fruit growers or owners of fruit trees call at his office for a copy of the bulletin "Protecting Fruit Trees Against Mice and Rabbits."

The bulletin, prepared by T. A. Merrill, of the department of horticulture at Michigan State College, explains several ways to protect trees from these animals during the winter months. Among them is the suggestion that trash and sod be removed from around shrubs and the trunks of trees, and that poison bait be placed in the fresh run-ways of the mice. Ways to make and apply tree trunk guards also are pointed out.

Every Michigan farmer who has 20 cows will have \$300 worth of plant food stored up in the manure from those animals between fall and spring. That is, provided he takes proper care of the manure, says E. L. Besemer, county agricultural agent. To save all or most of the nutrients in the manure, these steps are suggested—

1. Save the liquids by using plenty of straw and stalk bedding, sawdust or muck in barn gutters.

2. Don't have a manure pile. Either keep the manure trampled and saturated under shelter, or haul it frequently and spread thinly.

3. Spread manure first on level or nearly level land. Avoid spreading on rolling land until spring to avoid run-off.

You probably know that eggs are more than 65 percent water. So if egg production is going to stay up on top, hens have to keep on drinking a good amount of water. The trouble is, hens don't always drink enough . . . and the old saying about horses . . . that you can lead one to water but you can't make him drink . . . applies to hens, too. One of the big reasons why you can't make a hen drink is the temperature of the water. When the temperature of drinking water drops down to 40 degrees F. or lower, laying hens begin to drink less. If drinking fountains freeze over, hens get no water at all until the fountains are thawed out and refilled. In all, hens tend to drink up to 25 percent less water during cold weather, unless water is kept warm and free from ice. To keep water at the proper temperature, J. M. Moore, specialist in poultry husbandry at Michigan State College, suggests using small electric water warmers. These are inexpensive . . . do away with fire hazards . . . and will do the job without your tending them.

You can choose from two types of poultry water warmers now in general use . . . either the immersion type warmers or small electric heaters. The immersion type

has sealed-in heating elements and the whole thing is placed in the water. When the water temperature drops to about 40 deg., a thermostat switches on the heating element. The small electric heaters have been designed to use under various types of water fountains.

The cost for using the poultry water warmers is little more than the price of an extra egg per hen. Actually, it's even less because you can expect a good many extra eggs per hen if you provide plenty of warm water, proper feed and care.

Good ventilation in the poultry house is one key to top producing hens . . . and an important key. J. M. Moore, specialist in poultry husbandry at Michigan State College, warns that dampness invites such troubles as coryza and other respiratory diseases which can be prevented by ventilation that replaces moisture laden, foul air with fresh air. But there is more to ventilation than just an open window. If you do ventilate your poultry house by opening windows . . . or if you use the open front poultry house . . . take precautions to avoid drafts on the birds. Better "No draft" ventilation can be provided in houses 20 feet or greater in depth than can be provided in more shallow houses. In any size house, opening all the windows slightly . . . rather than opening one or two

a great deal . . . will do a lot to cut down drafts. For the greatest protection of your hens, all windows should be baffled by nailing metal or wooden strips across openings to guide incoming air upward and away from the birds. These baffles . . . that prevent incoming air from blowing directly on the birds . . . are essential above straw lofts and in the attic above the insulation . . . if the ceiling is insulated. Methods for baffling windows for cold weather and the construction of louvers are illustrated in the bulletin "Laying House for Michigan," "Laying House for Michigan" can be obtained at your county agricultural agent's office or from the poultry department, Michigan State College, East Lansing.

Income tax forms for 1945 may be obtained from the County Agricultural Agent's office.

Lt. Schrader Back Home on the Job

After more than three years in the Navy, two of them spent in the South Pacific as commander of an LCCI, Lt. Edwin Schrader, owner of the Schrader Funeral Home here, has been discharged and returned to civilian life. He arrived in Plymouth last Monday night from Chicago where he was repatriated from the service. Lt. Schrader, twin brother of

Miss Evelyn Schrader, who has operated his business while he has been in service, will now assume charge of the funeral home. It is grand to see him back and know he will be across from The Mail office once more. He's happy to get back home again, too.

Tails of animals have 18 different functions, one of the most important being to balance the animal during locomotion. For example, the long tail as well as the long hind legs of the jumping mouse, *Zapus hudsonius* of North America, enable this three-inch rodent to leap 40 times its own length. But when the animal has lost its tail, it is no longer able to balance itself during jumps and, consequently, is thrown helplessly into a series of somersaults.

Local Gridders Guests of Rotary

Coach Wayne Falan and members of the Plymouth High school football teams, varsity and reserve, will be dinner guests Friday, today, of the local Rotary club at Hotel Mayflower. A typical Sports Day program has been arranged.

Principal speaker for the occasion is Coach Lyn Basly of the University of Michigan. In addition to his talk, Coach Basly also will show movies of the recent Michigan-Ohio game which Michigan won, 7 to 3. Entertaining the football teams and their coach is an annual affair with the Rotarians. It's hard to say who gets the biggest kick out of the event.

Club Singers To Furnish Program

This, Friday, afternoon at 2:00 o'clock the Woman's Club of Plymouth will have its regular December meeting which will be followed with a program of Christmas carols sung by the Woman's Club Glee club with Mrs. Gerald Hondorp directing, and Mrs. Frederick Bentley as accompanist.

Tea will be served afterward by Mrs. Harry Christensen and her committee.

Members are reminded to also bring their donations of gifts to the Veterans box.

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You'll simply force prices up so that you won't get your money's worth and he won't get the things he really needs.

Make what you have do awhile longer. Put your money into Victory Bonds, to help pay for the medical treatment he's had and will have, to come back to you in ten years with interest, with far greater purchasing power than it has now.

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Veterans Memorial Foundation Ready to Form Local Committees

Final legal papers for the incorporation of the Plymouth Veterans Memorial Foundation have been filed in the Secretary of State office at Lansing. The formulating committee hopes to have the organization set up on a legal basis sometime within the next week so that it may legally receive funds in the name of the foundation for the building of the Memorial.

Plans for the appointment of all the major committees consisting of nearly 100 local people and representatives from each civic organization are about completed, and it is hoped that they will be announced sometime within the next two weeks.

The original committee has completed its work of organizing the foundation and now the actual work of planning and building the memorial will be turned over to large local committees who will carry on the actual work of planning, soliciting the funds and constructing the building.

It has taken several weeks for the basic committee to work out the problems surrounding the incorporation and once this detail is completed the actual work of planning and building will be turned over to large groups of Plymouthites so that every civic group will have a hand in the ultimate result.

Many local groups and individuals have indicated that they would like to make contributions to the foundation during 1945 and it is for this reason that the group has bent every effort to have the incorporation completed before the end of the year.

Funds given to the foundation are deductible from income tax and with this thought in mind it is hoped that a substantial bank account may be at the disposal of the various committees for building purposes next year.

A tabulation of questionnaires revealed that the majority of people interested enough in the project to submit their ideas thought the Memorial building should house a swimming pool of regulation size, 10 yards by 25 yards, an auditorium capable of seating 3,000 people and a gymnasium and rooms for the meeting of civic and veteran groups.

It is planned, in the next issues of this paper to present to the people the proposed plans, as far as they are available, for the site of the building, its size, its several features of special interest, and the opportunity for those concerned to contribute to the project. For only as the imagination and vision of the people of the Plymouth area enter into this Memorial will it truly represent the purpose for which it shall be built—that our

dead may live again in this living monument, pulsing within the life of our community, and speaking to us of their sacrifice.

Rambo Reports Slow Plate Sale

Frank Rambo, head of the auto license plate bureau in Plymouth, reports that he sold 30 plates the opening day, last Saturday. During the week the sale was extremely slow, averaging only eight per day.

"People do not seem anxious for their plates, said Mr. Rambo. He pointed out that the sale of half year plates would probably be the heaviest this winter. Those won't go on sale until the middle of January.

"So many people have old cars and would like new ones if they are going to be available," said Mr. Rambo. "The situation is so confused that car owners don't know what to do," he continued.

He said that it was natural for the car owners to refrain from purchasing full year plates if they planned on buying a new car and could obtain delivery on it after the holidays.

Just to be sure they don't have to purchase two sets of full year plates they will play safe Mr. Rambo believes, and purchase half year plates when they become available.

Initiation Held by County 4-H Group

Eleven boys and girls, including seven from Plymouth, recently were inducted into the Wayne County 4-H Service Club at ceremonies held in the Wayne Recreation Hall.

They were Doris Waldecker, Shirley Hersh, Lois Vital, Gerald Salow, Robert Wagenschutz, Floyd and Kenneth Pankow, all of Plymouth; Patricia Spence and Gilbert Reaume, of Dearborn; and Yvonne Johnson and Charles Foss, of Wayne.

They all received both the informal and formal initiation rites. The formal ceremonies were conducted by candle-light adding much to their impressiveness. At the conclusion of these rites each new member was presented a 4-H emblem.

The Wayne County 4-H Service Club is an organization for older club members (15 or over) and who have attained at least three years experience in 4-H club

work. They also must have any two of five qualifications.

Those include (1) Delegate to 4-H Club Week or State Show; (2) Member of state or county honor roll; (3) Local club leader; (4) Member of judging or demonstration team; and (5) Holder of a county champion ribbon from Wayne County Fair.

Plymouth Scouts Plan Paper Drive

Maybe the shooting is over but the need for scrap paper is about as vital today as during the dark days of World War II.

In case you are inclined to scoff just ask The Mail's publisher how the paper situation is and you'll find it hasn't eased a bit.

Now the Plymouth Boy Scouts have been advised of the need for scrap paper and they want to do something about it and at the same time boost their credit rating.

In short they want to enlist the aid of everyone in Plymouth to help them in their scrap paper collection Saturday, tomorrow.

You put your paper out, they'll pick it up and sell it for you.

All four Plymouth troops will unite to put the collection over the top. All they need is the assistance of Plymouth householders to insure the success of their effort.

The pickup will begin at 10 a.m. and will cover all districts in the community.

Old newspapers and magazines should be tied in bundles of not more than 50 pounds. Waste paper, free of all foreign matter such as hairpins, human hair, sweepings and garbage, should be put in large paper sacks or in cardboard boxes. All kinds of pasteboard boxes, corrugated boxes, cardboard and glossy paper are acceptable.

Home owners are asked to have their donations at the curb. If

the weather is rainy the paper should be left on the front porch as wet paper cannot be accepted.

Don't burn it. Save it for the Boy Scouts.

Ford Engines Fit for Winter

Owners and drivers of 1946 Ford cars and trucks can approach winter knowing that the new, 100-horsepower V-8 engine will start after long exposure to almost any climatic condition.

Tests run in Ford Motor Company's cold room and wind tunnel proved the new engine faster starting and virtually immune to the effects of water, mud, slush, condensation, tropical heat and sub-zero temperatures.

Repeated starts at zero averaged 2½ seconds. At 20 degrees below zero starts averaged 5½ seconds, while at 40 below the V-8 was the only engine design capa-

ble of starting without heating crankcase oil and the intake manifold.

R. H. McCarroll, Ford executive engineer, explains it thus:

"A V-8 design is inherently better suited for quick starting because of its relatively compact intake manifolds. These permit better fuel distribution. In the 1946 Ford this feature is coupled with a sealed type distributor, improved carburetion, aircraft type

spark plug cables, and better wire insulation. The overall combination is hard to beat."

Welcome news to motorists whose cars stand outside in all kinds of weather is the fact that the new distributor has a dead-air chamber between the terminal housing and cap which prevents condensation, one of the chief reasons for hard starting.

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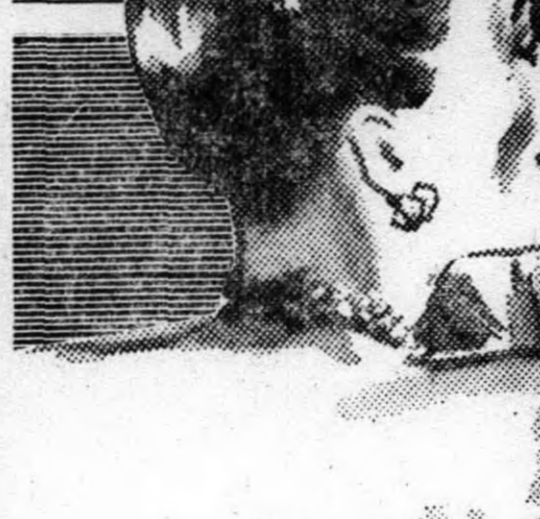
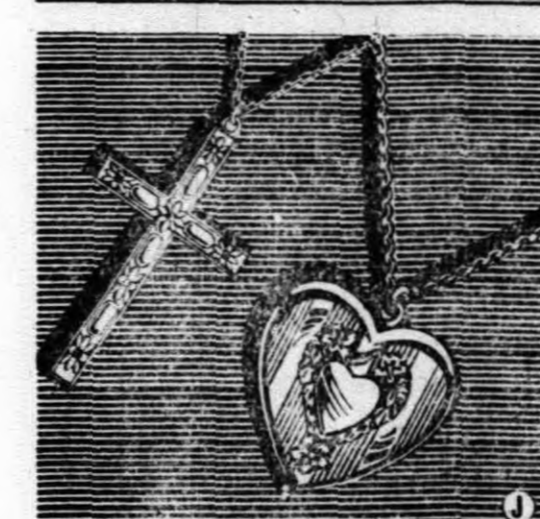
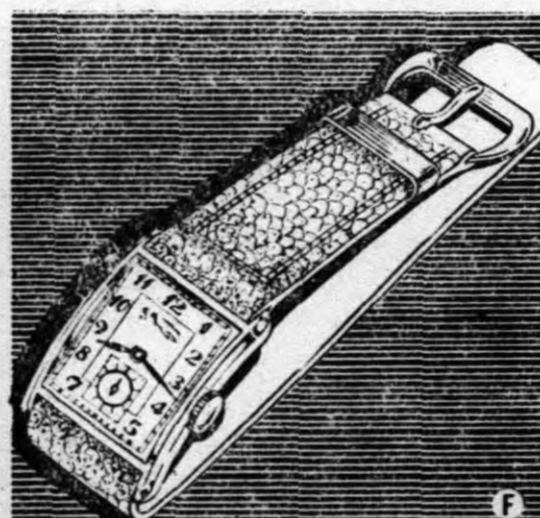
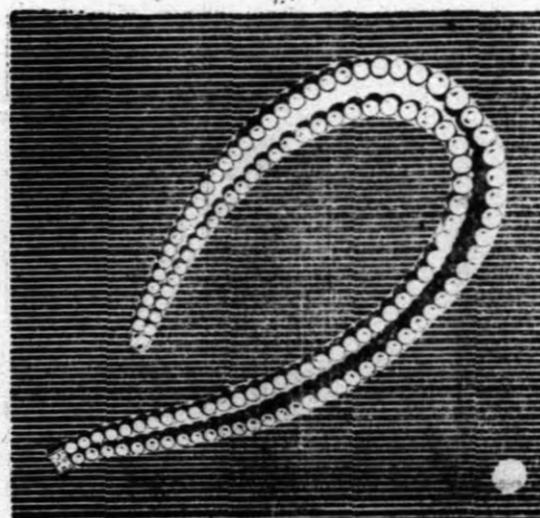
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Local Boy Tells About His 3 Years As a Jap Prisoner



Joe D. Merritt.

Seventeen days before war struck the Philippines, we arrived at Manila. My outfit was stationed at Ft. McKinley, post of the famous Philippine Scouts.

When the incredible news of war came on the morning of Dec. 8, we were about as unprepared as a bunch of dodos as could be found in the Orient—a dive-bomber group without so much as a Piper Cub!

We took our guns out of cosmoline at once and thus began our career as the "Air Corps-Infantry" of Bataan. On December 10 we moved into Caribao swamp after the Jap Zeroes had pruned all of the banana trees in the immediate vicinity of our camp. We spent the time thereafter on guard duty at McKinley and Nielson Field and manning machine guns at Nichols Field.

On Christmas Eve we received orders to evacuate Manila. That was a sad day—we could see innumerable fires in warehouses, dumps and gasoline storage tanks and explosions sounded regularly throughout the day and night. We boarded the inter-island steamer "Lanao" late the 24th and arrived at Mariveles on the tip of Bataan Christmas morning. Our Christmas present that day was watching Jap heavy bombers pound our positions with no aerial opposition whatever.

From then on my dates are rather hazy. However, in the latter part of January 1942, we found ourselves in the front lines of Bataan as bonafide infantrymen. My outfit then spent, I believe, 7 1/2 days on the front-line without relief. We were on two meals a day and rice was the main food.

We spent most of our time digging sweet potatoes and peanuts and foraging for other chow left behind by the natives who formerly lived in this area. Our principal gripe was that there was never a daylight hour without Jap airplanes overhead. I saw three of our own planes during the two and a-half months at the front.

On the night of April 6, I was wounded and went back to the Field Hospital at Cabacben. Our line was broken in the center soon after and Bataan was surrendered April 8th.

Soon after Homma's "March of Death," they moved the Field Hospital to Bilibid Prison, Manila. On June 13th, two hundred of us were picked out to work as stevedores and longshoremen in Manila's Port Area.

This was a big break as I believe Port Area was one of the best fed, housed and clothed details in the islands. We managed to carry on a very satisfactory program of sabotage as we handled all Japanese equipment from tanks to shoelaces. In this we were little impeded by the Japanese intelligence which ranks a close second to that of their first cousin, the chimpanzee.

However, in the early part of July, 1944 one of their tankers blew up and burned in the Bay. Thus ended our little detail—we had been working the ship the day before.

Seventy-seven of us were chosen to remain in Manila as special winchmen. The remaining 320 men were loaded on a ship at once and sent to Japan. Uncle Sam chose this time to clamp down on shipping coming into the Philippines and so we found ourselves in the ranks of the unemployed. As unemployment of prisoners doesn't fit into the Nip ideology we were sent out in the next convoy going to Japan.

There were 1,035 men in a hold 50 and 60 feet square. However, it took us only twelve days to reach Moji on Kyushu. From there we went over two thousand miles by rail to the northern part of Honshu. There we remained guests of the Mitsubishi copper mine till our liberation in August

of this year. Needless to say, I'm more than happy to be back amongst my friends again.

Stores, Postoffice Arrange Hours

Most Plymouth stores, with the exception of groceries, will adopt special hours during the week of Dec. 15 to 22 for the accommodation of Christmas shoppers. The local postoffice also will go on a new schedule regarding Saturday closing beginning tomorrow and continuing through the holidays.

Postmaster Harry Irwin said the office would remain open until 5 p.m. for the next three Saturdays, Dec. 8, 15 and 22. Stamps may be purchased and parcels mailed as well as letters up until that hour on those days. Usually the office closes at noon on Saturdays.

Starting Saturday, Dec. 15, and continuing through the following Saturday, Dec. 22, most stores will remain open until 8 p.m. Some are planning to remain open until 9 p.m. or later too.

Stores that customarily stay open until 9 p.m. on Fridays will observe those closing hours as usual on Dec. 14 and Dec. 21. Merchants in general plan to observe the 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. schedule on Monday, Dec. 24.

Guldner Family Reunited For First Time in 5 Years

This Christmas will be the happiest Yuletide in five years for Mrs. Julia Guldner, of 558 North Harvey street. Her three sons, two of them discharges, all will be home with her again. It was in 1940 when they last spent the day together.

The two discharged veterans in the family are Arthur Russel, the oldest son, and William Guldner. The latter received his discharge last Oct. 29. The third brother, Glenn Guldner, painter third class, of the Navy, arrived home last Saturday night on a 30 day leave.

Music Studio Adds Piano Instructor

Miss Evelyn Chaney is the latest addition to the teaching staff at the Plymouth School of Music whose studios are located on Liberty street.

The talented pianist, a graduate of the Juillard School of Music at New York city, gave her first concert at the age of five years at the Art Museum in Toledo, Ohio.

From then on her training and study continued and took her from the East Coast to California. At the age of 13 she was awarded a scholarship by Frank Damrosch and for the next five years she studied at the Institute of Musical Arts in the Juillard School.

In 1935 she was graduated with a teachers diploma and honors. Through competitive examination Miss Chaney won a fellowship in the Juillard Graduate School to study under Olga Samaroff Stokowski and Carl Friedberg. Winner of the Ezerman Foundation Scholarship in 1937, Miss Chaney continued to study under the direction of Mme. Stokowski at the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music.

The superb young pianist can play Bach or boogie-woogie with equal dexterity. She has given recitals throughout the country and appeared on radio programs several times. She has been prominent in Detroit since 1940 and appears in the annual winter concerts at the Detroit Institute of Art. The Plymouth School of Music feels most fortunate indeed in being able to obtain such a personality as an instructor.

Another member of the teaching staff at the school who excels in his particular field is Jens Pedersen, voice and violin instructor.

Jens, a shining example of the old wheeze, "Local Boy Makes Good," is a graduate of Plymouth

High school and well known in this community.

He has studied under Frederick G. Protheroe, director of music at Boulevard Temple Methodist Church in Detroit and has appeared in the choir there frequently as baritone soloist.

Until a hand injury, which has since healed, forced him to quit, Jens played regularly with the Scandinavian Symphony in Detroit.

With the war over, Mexico is getting busy burnishing a big campaign to lure American tourists who, even in 1944, spent \$56 million there.

Art Haar Writes He Is On way Home from Leyte

Under the date of Nov. 26, Arthur E. Haar wrote The Mail from Leyte informing us that his new address is 352 Irvin street, Plymouth. He added, "This is the time I have been waiting for." At that time he was at the Tacloban depot on Leyte waiting for a boat to the United States.

Mr. Haar, formerly an accountant here, has been in the South Pacific many months. While he was away his pretty wife carried on his business.

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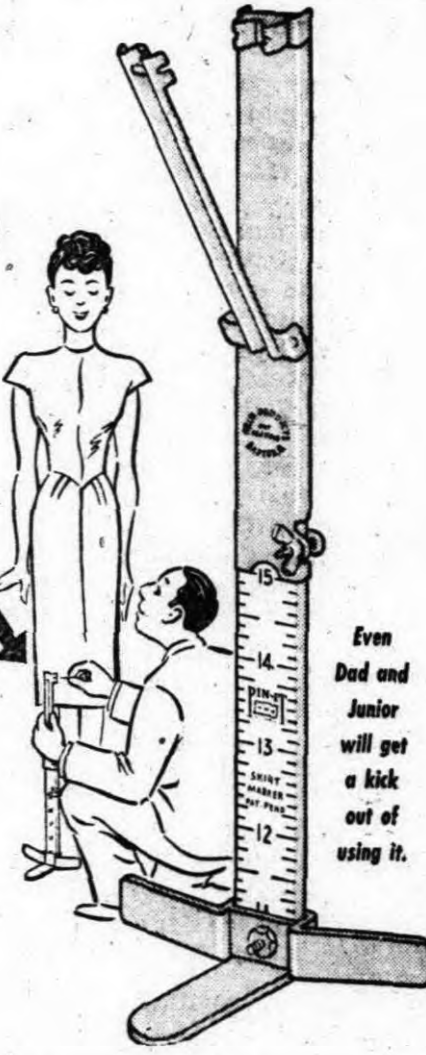
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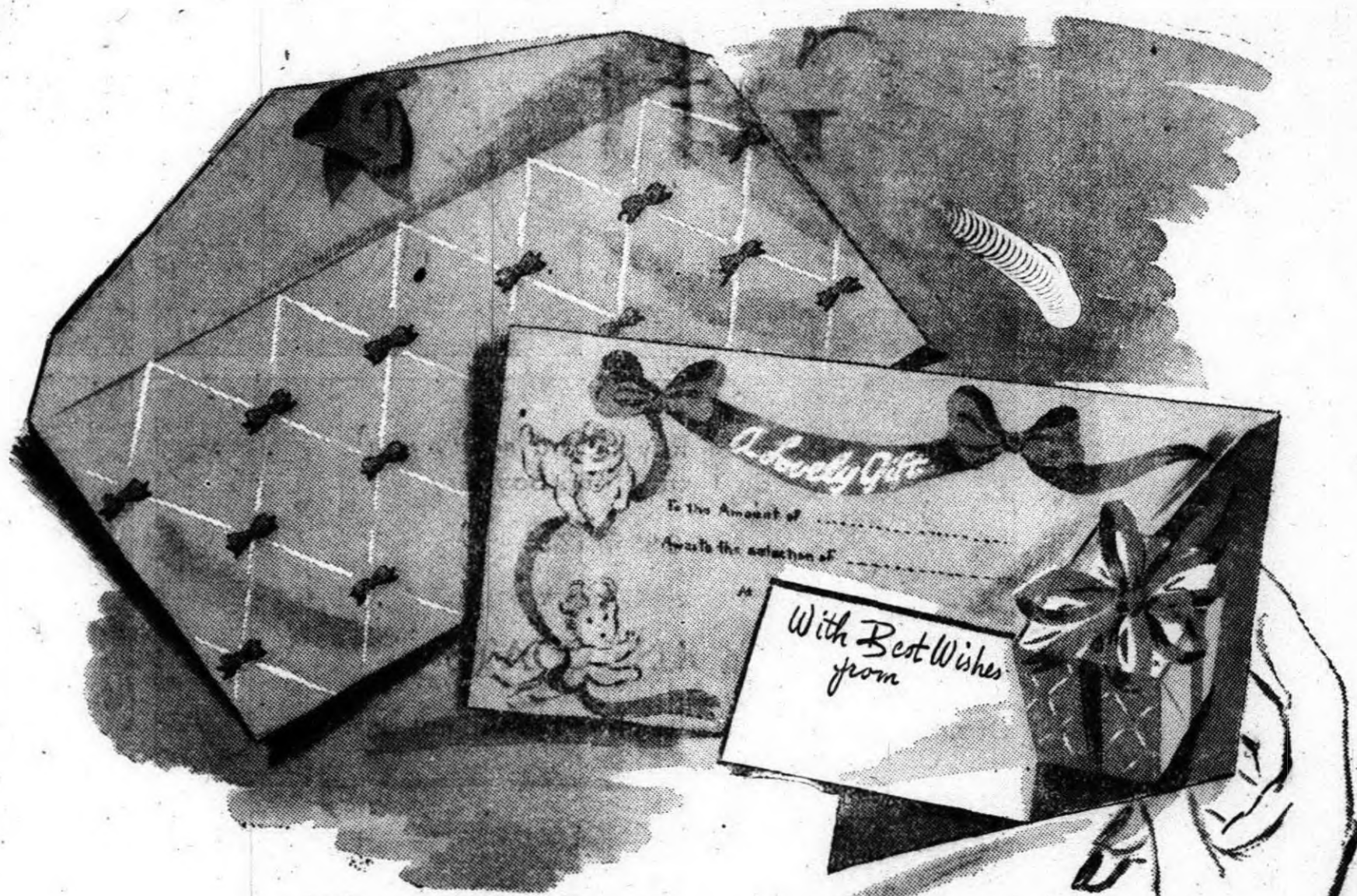
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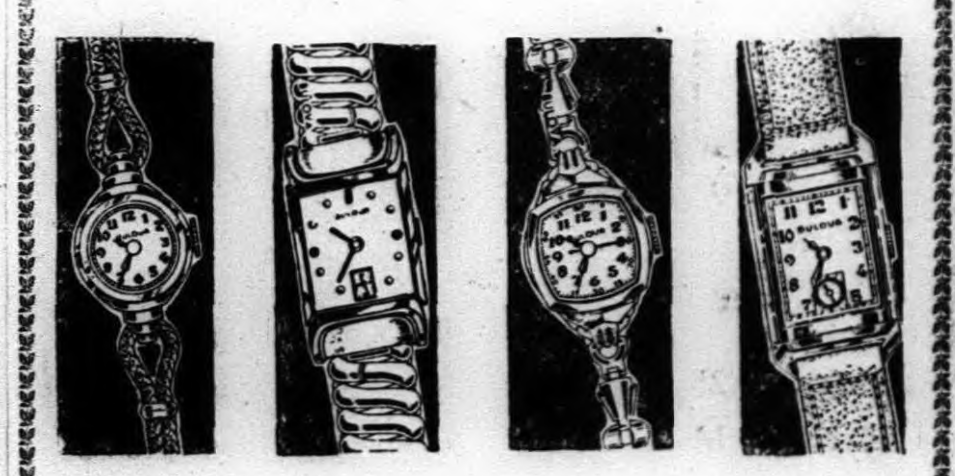
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Stark Christmas Party Date Set

The Stark Parent-Teacher Association will hold their Christmas program and meeting on Dec. 18 instead of the last Tuesday of the month. Mrs. Noble Phillips is in charge of the program and an exchange of 25 cent gifts will be placed under the tree till Santa's arrival.

Two Well Known Citizens Start The "Appliance Stores of Plymouth"

Vaughan Smith, former chief of police of Plymouth and during the war period chief of the protection staff of the Continental Motors corporation in Detroit, announced this week that he had formed a partnership with William Rose, long time hardware dealer of Plymouth, in a new project to be known as the "Appliance Stores of Plymouth."

They have made contracts with some of the best known appliance manufacturers in the country, among them being the Deep-Freeze, The Norge, Hot Point and others.

Until a more suitable location can be secured, it is their plan to use display space in the Plymouth hardware store at 376 South Main street and the Plymouth Hardware store at 195 Liberty street.

Mr. Smith plans to devote his entire time to the development of the appliance business.

Both are well known and prominent in business and civic circles of the city. They have taken an active part in community affairs and there is no question but what they will make a success of their new project. For the present they will be in the same position as most appliance dealers, in not being able to get all of the appliances they will have a demand for.

"We propose to secure as soon as possible a building that will take care of the needs of a fast growing community, a store that will be a credit to Plymouth," stated Mr. Smith yesterday.

It is their plan to handle appliances of all kinds just as soon as they can be secured from manufacturers.

Serves With U. S. Troops in India

Cpl. Roabet G. Whittaker, RFD No. 1, Plymouth, is now in Calcutta, India, currently serving with the Hqs. Co. of the 26th Replacement Depot which is busily engaged in the task of preparing soldiers for immediate return to the United States.

The unit is one of several companies operating from Camp Kancharapara, outside Calcutta. This is the last overseas stop for men and women of the India-Burma and China theaters, and it is here that much administrative processing must be carried out before casualties and units can be returned to the states.

Troops arrive here by plane or train from all over India, Burma and China. The first step is to give them a hot meal and assign them to billets. Then comes processing, a speedy systematic check which requires about two hours. Records must be checked, clothing overages turned in and shortages made up. Each man receives an influenza shot, and may draw a partial or full pay as he desires.

Cpl. Whittaker is a finance clerk with the unit that has won much praise and commendation for the rapidity and speed with which troops are processed and made ready for shipment.

Plymouth Girl With Red Cross Has Military Wedding in Japan

One of the most interesting and unusual wedding events in many a year took place in Yokohama, Japan on Thursday, November 29 when Evelyn Ruth Ambler, daughter of Mrs. Loeta Ambler of 253 Blanche street became the bride of Fred Kendall of Niagara Falls, New York, who is with the U. S. army of occupation in Japan.

The wedding is the culmination of a romance which started nearly a year ago when both the bride and groom were stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington. By one of those strange series of events, the young couple met again some three months ago after both of them had been sent to Japan. The bride has been associated with the American Red Cross for nearly two years. She was stationed for sometime in various Pacific army bases and was sent to Japan soon after the army of invasion took the country over. She established and still manages the Red Cross canteen started in Yokohama.

After the young people again met in Japan it was not long before plans were completed for a military wedding, the event taking place in the Yokohama Base Chapel. The bride was given away by Colonel Menard (a friend).

The bride's wedding gown was designed by one of the famed designers of the occupied country.

They have been allocated an apartment in Yokohama where they expect to reside until they are returned to the United States. Mrs. Kendall is a graduate of the Northville high school, the State Normal at Ypsilanti, and was a student at Northwestern University before she took a position with the Diesel plant on Plymouth road where she served in the personnel department. She has a wide circle of friends in this part of Wayne county.

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Thirty-five members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship attended the Ford Sunday Evening Hour, Sunday evening December 2. The Ford orchestra was under the leadership of Reginald Stewart, famous as a pianist and conductor, who pursues a dual career with equal success in each field. Mr. Stewart is now permanent conductor of the Baltimore Symphony orchestra. The soloist of the evening was Helen Traubel, the foremost Wagnerian soprano of the Metropolitan Opera company.

Next Sunday evening, December 9 the Youth Fellowship will have as their guests the Newburg and Northville Methodist Young People and Rev. Paul Avery, director of Methodist Young People of The Detroit Conference will speak.

On Sunday afternoon December 16 the young people will go to the Home for Aged People at Chelsea to conduct the afternoon service in Christmas carols and Mr. Penhale will speak.

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OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY COMMISSION, CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN, NOVEMBER 19, 1945

The regular meeting of the City Commission was held in the Commission Chambers of the City Hall on Monday, November 19, 1945 at 7:30 p.m.

Present: Mayor Shear, Commissioners Corbett, Lidgard, Taylor and Whipple.

Absent: None. The minutes of the regular meeting of November 5 and the special meeting of November 12 were approved as read by the Clerk.

It was moved by Commissioner Corbett and supported by Commissioner Whipple that the bills in the amount of \$11,448.45 as audited by the Auditing Committee, be approved.

Ayes: Mayor Shear, Commis-

sioners Corbett, Lidgard, Taylor and Whipple.

Nays: None. Carried. The Clerk read the following reports: Police, Violation Bureau and Health.

It was moved by Commissioner Lidgard and supported by Commissioner Whipple that these reports be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Commissioner Whipple nominated J. F. Witwer to fill the unexpired term of W. S. Bake on the Board of Appeals. Commissioner Corbett nominated Mrs. Florence Parrott. Commissioner Taylor nominated K. A. Olds. The Mayor appointed the Clerk as Teller, and the Clerk announced the vote: three for Olds, one for Witwer, one for Parrott.

The Mayor declared K. A. Olds elected to membership on the Board of Appeals.

This was the night set for a public hearing to determine whether or not to close Blanche Street, between the Pere Marquette Railroad and Amelia street.

Mr. Carl Starkweather objected to the closing because Plymouth will grow and will need additional crossings over the railroad. Mr. Starkweather also stated that he would not object if the Dunn Steel Products Company were permitted to use the street for ten years.

Mrs. Hillmer objected to the closing as she did not want any street closed.

Mrs. Holstein also objected. Mrs. Maud Bennett objected because the Planning Commission had presented arguments against the closing at first. Further, many people are not in favor of closing the street. She stated further that this should not be done for the Dunn Steel Products Company, as Mr. Dunn is on the Planning Commission.

Commissioner Whipple gave the following reasons in opposition to the closing: 1. That we needed that portion or a thru street. We have only three connecting links to the two parts of town and that is not sufficient.

2. Blanche Street should be opened up as a fire route.

3. The street should be used as an underpass for children.

4. The twelve inch water line is now in the right of way and the factory would be built over it.

5. Ten or twelve years ago the County Road Commission had a plan for putting thru this street.

6. The closing of Blanche Street has been repudiated three times by the Planning Commission and twice by the City Commission.

Commissioner Corbett felt that the factory wanted to expand and should, therefore, be allowed to use a street that had not been opened.

It was moved by Commissioner Corbett and supported by Com-

missioner Taylor that this Commission vacate Blanche Street between the Pere Marquette Railroad and Amelia street and further that the City retain an easement for the water main and sewer.

Mr. Carl Starkweather stated that it would be hard to get the property back, if the City needed it in the future.

Mrs. Bennett recommended an underpass.

Mrs. Hillmer stated that Blanche Street is now open from the Pere Marquette Railroad west to Moreland Street, and she felt that her father would not want this section closed.

Mrs. Hammond would like to have Blanche Street open for her personal convenience.

Mr. Carl Starkweather wondered what percentage of the people would know whether or not the street should be closed. He said that the Dunn Steel Products Company will have to move out anyway in order to get room for expansion. He believed in the expansion of the plant, but thought the matter of the closing of the street should be brought to a vote.

Mrs. Burton, who is an owner of a lot on Blanche Street, thought there would be a better sale for her lot, if the street were open.

The vote on the motion was as follows:

Ayes: Mayor Shear, Commissioners Corbett, Lidgard and Taylor.

Nays: Commissioner Whipple.

Carried. Commissioner Whipple wished to be recorded as voting No because:

1. The street was needed for protection for sewer and water.

2. The street was needed because there are only three streets connecting parts of town.

3. The street is needed for a pedestrian underpass.

4. The street is needed for future fire route.

5. The plan has been rejected three times by previous Planning Commissions and twice by the City Commission.

The City Manager recommended that a public hearing be held to determine whether or not to construct sewer and water to serve Lots 54 to 57 and Lots 1 to 16 of Auburn Addition.

It was moved by Commissioner Corbett and supported by Commissioner Whipple that a public hearing be held December 3, 1945, as recommended by the City Manager. Carried.

The City Manager presented some facts concerning an alley between Starkweather and Mill Street and suggested that an opinion be obtained from the City Attorney as to the repossession of the alley.

It was moved by Commissioner Whipple and supported by Commissioner Corbett that the matter be referred to the City Attorney for an opinion. Carried.

The matter concerning the alley between South Harvey and Forest Street was discussed.

It was moved by Commissioner Whipple and supported by Commissioner Taylor that the matter of location of alley be referred to the Planning Commission, and that the Commission vote on the matter at the next regular meeting. Carried.

It was moved by Commissioner Corbett and supported by Commissioner Whipple that the City decorate Kellogg Park and Liberty Street Park with some perma-

nent decorations for the Christmas season. Carried.

Mr. Francis Walsh was present and asked that the Commission appropriate one hundred dollars (\$100.00) to the Plymouth Civic Committee for the Halloween parties.

It was moved by Commissioner Corbett and supported by Commissioner Whipple that the City of Plymouth donate one hundred (\$100.00) to the Plymouth Civic Committee out of the Recreation Fund.

Ayes: Mayor Shear, Commissioners Corbett, Lidgard, Taylor and Whipple.

Nays: None. Carried. The City Manager reported that the employees had voted 36 to 1 in favor of the Retirement System, as outlined at the meeting on November 12th. He also presented a petition signed by forty out of forty-two employees requesting that the Commission take immediate steps to qualify the City of Plymouth under the Plan.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Corbett and supported by Commissioner Whipple:

WHEREAS, It is desired by the City Commission, the governing body of the City of Plymouth to make available to its employees a pension plan as provided by the Municipal Employees' Retirement Act established by Act. No. 135 of the Public Acts of 1945, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Commission, the governing body of the City of Plymouth, a municipality within the meaning of that term as defined in

Act No. 135 of the Public Acts of 1945, does hereby, on the behalf of said municipality as permitted by section 6 of said Act, elect to come under the provisions of said act and selects Plan B as provided in that act as the plan under which it chooses to operate; the effective date of this resolution with respect to the making of deductions from the salary and wages of the employees of the municipality and the making of payments required by said act on behalf of the said municipality shall be January first or as soon as the Plan becomes operative by the State, and that the City Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to make all wages and salary deductions on behalf of the employees of the municipality required by law and to pay the same to the retirement board established by the Municipal Employees' Retirement Act together with such amounts as the municipality is required to make on behalf of its employees under the provisions of that act.

Ayes: Mayor Shear, Commissioners Corbett, Lidgard, Taylor and Whipple.

Nays: None. Carried. Commissioner Whipple pointed out that she had attended a meeting of the Firemen at which they felt they were by-passed and ig-

nored in the Fire Study. Commissioner Whipple moved that the Firemen be permitted to add two members to the Fire Study Committee.

Commissioner Lidgard expressed his desire to wait until after the Fire Study Committee had met to discuss the results of the hearing.

It was moved by Commissioner Corbett and supported by Commissioner Whipple that the meeting be adjourned. Time of adjournment 9:35 p.m. Carried.

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Five new American Legion posts thus far have been named after the late Ernie Pyle. They are at Bloomington, Ind.; New Orleans, La.; Chicago, Ill.; Albuquerque, N. M., and Hollywood, Cal.

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But let one of the boys who went through the air war tell the complete history of that battle-scarred old bomber, "The Plymouth Mail."

"When it was nearly time to leave for overseas we had a meeting to decide on a name in case we got a ship to fly overseas. Several names were suggested and after the voting was over, it was decided to be 'The Plymouth Mail.' However, we went overseas by boat and got no chance to name our ship at that time.

"We were sent to England and on January 20, this year, were assigned to the 392nd Bomb Group, the 578th Squadron. (Fourth oldest B-24 Group in England). As part of our signing in and getting acquainted we had to register with the public relations officer the name we were going to give our ship. Ship assignments, at that time, and that squadron, were a matter of first come first assigned and as we were a new crew we had no choice except one of the older ships that had never been named and already had enough missions to classify most ships 'war weary' and taken off combat status. It was in good shape though, and except for a few patches where flak had nicked it, it was as good as new. Maintenance on the ships overseas was better than we had ever expected; or have seen it anywhere else. That is just as it should be. Those ground crews were tops. Anyway, we had a ship of our own and we were as proud as if it had been brand new. The tail gunner, Sgt. Harry Lynch of Detroit, chalked the letters on and the engineer and I painted them in.

"We were briefed on Feb. 5 to go to Munich, but the weather was worse than usual and the mission was scrubbed. They told us that the first one was the worst one, and after Feb. 6 I was a firm believer. That morning it was dark and cold and foggy when we went to briefing and there wasn't much kidding and laughter when they told us that we were going to the Rothensee oil works at Magdeburg, Germany. We were new at the game, but we had been told that this was one of the rougher targets, where intense flak was always reported; the Germans tried everything to save their oil plants



Lieut. Howard Ebersole.

as it was the lifeblood of their war machine.

"We were a little nervous as we went out to the ship and nobody said very much. It was still dark and foggy. Somebody cracked a remark about 'nor rain nor sleet nor fog shall stop the Mail.' Everyone checked over everything twice. The oxygen system, the interphone, the radio, the guns and bombs, navigation instruments, and then it was take-off time. We took off in the darkness and fog. That is one experience that pilots wake up nights and wonder about—taking off an overloaded ship on instruments. One ship and you've had it.

"After taking off, everything went smoothly. We flew through the 'soup' up to about 14,000 feet and joined our group on top the undercast. It was daylight by then and the air was full of bombers circling and forming into their proper position. After this all we had to do was fly formation on our leaders and they in turn would lead us into our right place in the long line of bombers that would go out on the mission. That, incidentally, calls for the utmost in timing and navigation to get 1500 ships all in their right place and on time, without any mixups or delays.

"After heading for Germany we began climbing slowly until we were at 20,000 feet when we reached enemy territory. We saw a few bursts of flak quite a distance from us and quite a ways ahead there was a flash and then a trail of fire and smoke down into the clouds where a bomber had fallen. They had received a direct hit. Someone got a picture of it just as they had been hit and it was carried in a lot of the British Newspapers. I don't know if it was in the American papers or not. The wing had been shot right off one side and a nearby ship had

taken a picture just as it happened.

"We soon were past Holland over Germany when our number 2 engine began to act up and start to lose power. Here there is a slight difference in what actually happened and what the newspaper articles at that time carried. They said 'gas leak,' and the way that gas consumption goes up when you start using three and two engines, that might as well be the case.

"It really goes fast! Anyway, what actually happened was that the oil had congealed in the supercharger governor and we lost all the boost in that engine that we needed at that altitude. The temperature was around minus 60 degrees centigrade that day. That left us with only three good engines and we were only a little ways inside Germany. It was too hard to say 'let's go home now' when we were only on our first mission, and anyway the engine wasn't clear gone, just no good at altitude. I thought that by dropping a few bombs to lighten the load perhaps we could keep up on three engines. Sgts. Bill Chew from Baltimore, Md., and Dave Flint from Peoria, Ill., volunteered to go out on the bombay cat-walk and trip them out with a screwdriver.

"We could not use the regular release as it was set for all or nothing. And we were determined to drop some bombs on Magdeburg. To do this they had to use their emergency oxygen 'walk-around' bottle and take off their parachutes as the bombay walk-way was too narrow to wear their chutes and work in. This takes a lot of courage to work over several thousand feet of space below you, and it is dangerous. It happened too frequently that a bomb release wouldn't work and men had to do this, so only on rare occasion did higher headquarters decorate a man for it. But we weren't interested in decorations, we wanted to keep up with our squadron if possible.

"After they dumped four or five of our twelve 500 pound 'eggs' we closed the bombay doors and tried to keep up with them but we were too far behind and had to 'tack' on to another squadron from our group until we reached the I.P. That is the 'initial point' where the bomb run starts. This was the part that everyone sweated out on every mission—new hands or veterans alike.

"And there was your 'Plymouth Mail' limping along on three engines. About that time we began to really see those big black curly puffs of smoke that airmen will be telling their grandchildren about in the years to come. We had seen it off and on, more or less in the distance before. Now it began to burst all around us and we started taking a more personal interest in the stuff. The co-pilot and I hadn't thought too much about it before, but I knew he was thinking the same thing I was. We should have turned back when we had a chance—what if they knock out another engine here?

"And then Sgt. McDonald, the left waist gunner from Mt. Clemens, Michigan, reported a burst close under our left wing, and at the same time the co-pilot reported the manifold pressure on the number one engine was dropping. I thought surely that we had been hit, but as the oil pressure didn't drop we didn't feather the engine and it was the same trouble there, as with the number two engine. We had two of them out on one side.

"That cockpit was a lively place then, with the engineer trying to bring in the superchargers and the co-pilot and myself pushing the other two engines right past the stops and trying to hold the ship on an even keel and in formation—with all the power on one side. We were about 5 minutes from the target and losing our place in the formation so the boys went out again and dumped all the bombs but four. We had to drop some bombs on the target, if it was only one.

"We kept up with the squadron we had tacked on to until we dropped our remaining bombs. After that they picked up speed and we couldn't, so we tagged along the best we could. There were a few groups behind us and the tail gunner, Sgt. Harry Lynch of Detroit, would call them out and we would 'snuggle' over by them as they overtook and passed us, one after the other. That went on for a long time and we got out of the target area and away from the worst of the flak, before we ran out of groups to fly with.

"That was a very lonely feeling, watching the last group of ships slowly out-distance us and Sgt. Lynch said that he couldn't see any more behind us. Lt. Culp, our co-pilot from Jacksonville, Fla., had been trying for a long time to get us a fighter escort and for a little while we had four P-51's hovering around us, but we were going too slow and so far behind the main group that they couldn't stay with us. They stuck it out until they hardly had gas enough to return themselves and then they left. We wouldn't be here today if the Luftwaffe hadn't been previously knocked out. We were just 'sitting ducks' in that B-24. The worst of it was that we knew it, and we all wished we were somewhere drinking cokes or doing just anything but what we were then. And all this time the gas was just pouring through our two good engines.

"As we came over Holland we started to throttle back and lose a little altitude—the engines just wouldn't take that beating much longer. We had run them at war emergency power for over an hour and a half and the tech orders specified 5 minutes as the maximum length of time before they just 'blew up.' The fellow that wrote that tech order just didn't know how good those engines were. As we let down through the clouds we picked up quite a little ice on the wings, but the de-icers took care of it (Continued on Page Two)

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Phone President Once Operator

The board of directors of the Michigan Bell Telephone company has accepted the retirement of President George M. Welch, effective Jan. 31, and has elected Thomas N. Lacy, vice-president and general manager, as his successor as president.

Ben R. Marsh, general commercial manager, will become vice-president and general manager, while William E. Sane, division commercial superintendent, at Detroit, will take over Marsh's duties as head of the company's commercial department.

Upon retirement from active service after 42 years with the Bell System, Welch will continue as a Michigan Bell director. He has been president for 11 years. At 55, he was the company's general manager, one of the youngest top officials in Bell System history. He is leaving under the company's rule providing for automatic retirement at 65.

Welch started in the telephone business as a clerk-stenographer at Minneapolis in 1904 and four years later came with the Michigan Bell. He was made vice-president in 1920 and president in 1934.

In 1941, in recognition of his leadership in the industry, Welch was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of business administration by the University of Michigan. He was international president of the Telephone Pioneers of America in 1942.

A one-time "boy operator," Lacy as vice-president and general manager for 11 years, has been Welch's right-hand man. He has been with the Bell System 39 years but started in the telephone business 44 years ago as a 16-year-old night operator for an independent company in his home town of Lititz, Pa.

Upon graduation from Lehigh University with an electrical engineering degree, Lacy went with the Long Lines Department of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company at Philadelphia. He was transferred to Atlanta six years later as division plant engineer. Except for a brief interlude at New York, Lacy remained at Atlanta until 1925 when he came to Detroit as division plant superintendent for the Michigan Bell. Five months later, he became chief engineer, and, in 1934, vice-president.

A native of Owosso and an electrical engineering graduate of the University of Michigan, Marsh has been with the Michigan Bell 27 years, starting at Detroit. For several years, he was in Lansing in various capacities. In 1926, he returned to Detroit as division plant superintendent and five years later was named division commercial head. In 1941, he became assistant vice-president and general commercial manager two years ago.

Shane has headed up the company's commercial department in three of its divisions—Central Division at Saginaw, Southern at Grand Rapids, and Detroit. He has been with the company 23 years, starting at Kalamazoo after attending Kalamazoo College. He also has worked in Lansing and Pontiac.

Now The Story Of

(Continued from Page One) Ok, and after we got over the North Sea we let right down to within a few hundred feet of the water and were able to use our other two engines again as they didn't require the extra boost that they did at altitude.

"As soon as we had all four engines again our gas consumption went down, but even at that we knew it would be tough and go if we made it home or not. Lt. Sauter, our navigator from Appleton, Wis., was really on the ball that day. It was his navigating through it all that brought us home. Straight home. Good 'ol Joe.

"When we came over the coastline we dropped down to 100 feet and still could see Merrie Olde Englands only once in a while through the fog. Joe brought us in and said that we were over the field, but we couldn't see it; and then Sgt. Gabris, our engineer from Muskegon, who had been watching the gas gauges like a hawk said we had better land, or bail out, because we were just about out of petrol. And at the

same time, someone, I'll never know who, spotted a landing strip just off to our left. That was one landing that we didn't bother to use a check list. I threw down the landing gear handle and Lt. Culp dropped the flaps and we set her down. 'The Plymouth Mail' reached for the ground like we were landing on eggs and a landing never felt as good before. At the end of the runway two of the props quit turning and another engine kept spitting and sputtering and wheezing. Faithful Gabe, the engineer, says, 'See Lieutenant, I toldja we was about out of gas!'

"Our squadron sent a truck over after us after we called them up and we were only eight miles from home. We had flown right over Wendling, our home base, just as the navigator said, only we hadn't been able to see it for the fog. We slept all the next morning while they repaired the ship, and in the afternoon we flew her home. Seven hours and 15 minutes on the mission—and 15 minutes more to fly home the next day. We didn't need 15 minutes, but we had to see if it was all Ok, and it was.

"Feb. 8 we went on a three day pass to London and while we were on pass the group flew a mission in support of the Russians and 'The Plymouth Mail' collided with another ship and both exploded over Germany. I am not sure, but I believe it was a Lt. Hubbard that was pilot that day and it was his first

mission, too. His first and the Mail's second—as 'The Plymouth Mail.' As far as I know there were no survivors.

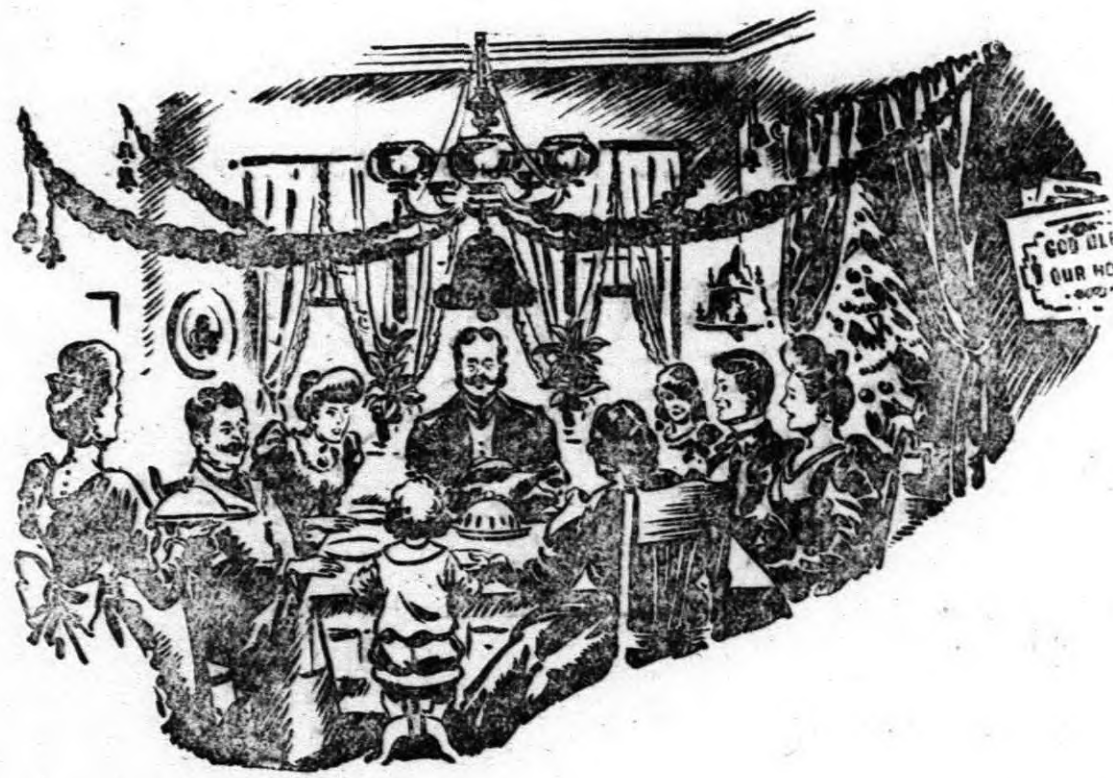
"We did not have a ship assigned to us again until we were ready to come home, and some of the boys didn't think that it would do to tack a name on another ship that had never flown a mission, just as we were going home, especially not 'The Plymouth Mail.' One night just before we came home we had a beer bust and the navigator said, 'Let's call it the ditch a bitch 'er land, cuz that's what's going to happen—ditch and bitch or land.' It ditched and it landed in the water. And so it came to be. We flew it home and for a while it was parked over at Willow Run they tell me, 'I don't know where it is now, but here are a lot of ships from our group stored at Albuquerque, New Mexico in a large field.

"Sgt. Lynch sent me the picture of 'The Plymouth Mail' that I

gave you. He is now instructing in gunnery school down south, as he doesn't have enough points for discharge as yet. He was quite fond of 'The Plymouth Mail' and I knew that if anyone could get a picture for you, he could. He also sent me some snapshots which I shall leave at your office."

"And that is the story of the bomber 'The Plymouth Mail' that did its duty and now lies buried in the historic North Sea."

Scientists have catalogued nearly 10,000 substances that, although producing no light of their own, glow in the dark through absorbing the radiant energy of other sources. Some are fluorescent and shine only during exposure to the invisible rays of ultraviolet light, while others are phosphorescent and shine for as long as 24 hours after exposure to X-rays, cathode rays or daylight.



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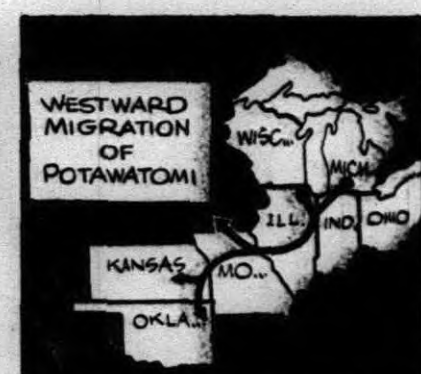
"Michigan and the Old Northwest"



HURON, OR BRISTLY HAIR... Among first Northwesterners to meet Europeans were the Huron (Iroquois).



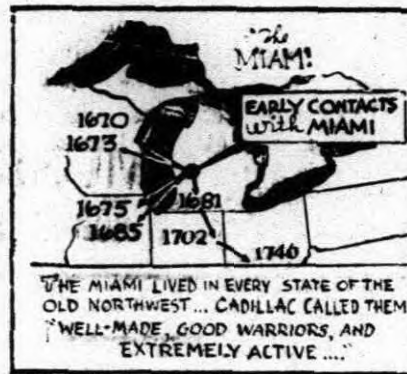
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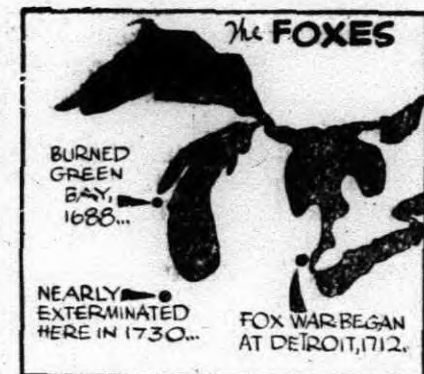
POTAWATOMI REMNANTS moved to eastern Kansas after the Chicago treaty, 1833.



PUCKERED MOCCASIN... Most numerous tribe of Old Northwest were Chippewa, also called Ojibwa.



MIAMI... The Miami encamped near Detroit for a few years at Cadillac's behest.



THE FOXES... Foxes, "besieging" Detroit in 1712, actually were resisting a plot.

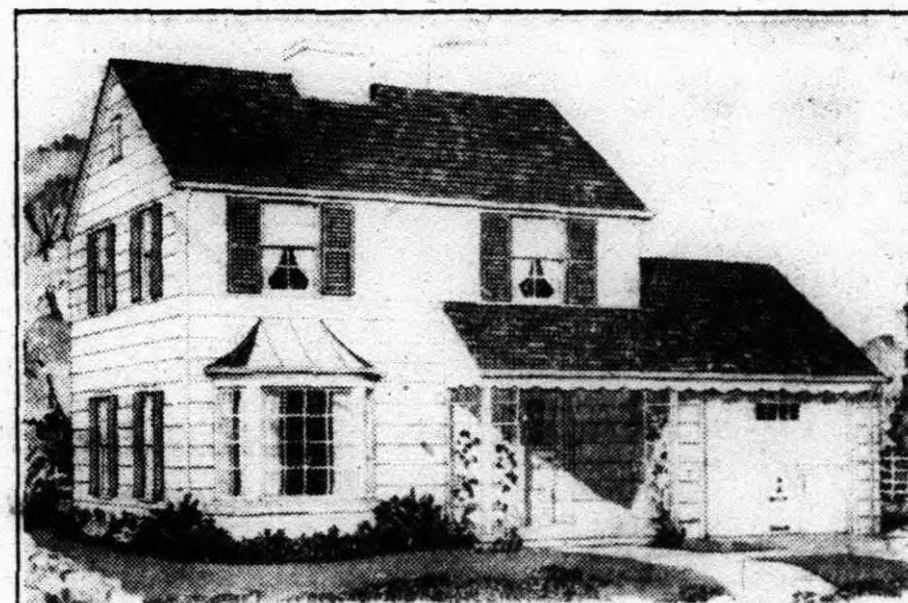


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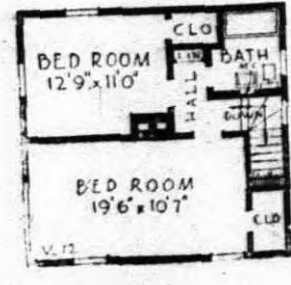
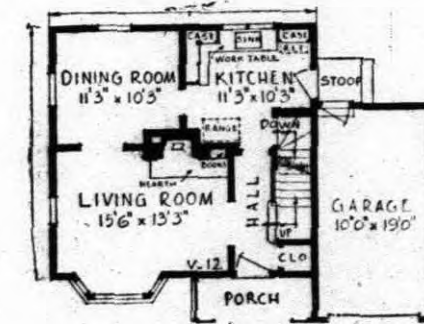


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State Medicine is Step Towards State Socialism—Then Possible Anarchy

(By Gene Alleman.)

The continued drift of the Nation towards state socialism, although to a lesser degree than in the case of England under the Attlee labor government, is illustrated by President Truman's message to Congress (Nov. 19) advocating national compulsory health insurance.

It is not the presumptuous intention of this column to proclaim judgment on the merits of national health insurance. We do feel, however, it is proper and timely to present the viewpoint of the average Michigan physician and surgeon, as represented by his state, professional organization, and to outline briefly the general issue involved.

Medical care is a subject that reaches into the intimate lives of every man, woman and child in every community of Michigan.

Health insurance typifies the growing controversy over voluntary vs. compulsory action as a solution of our many complex problems.

Prior to World War II, compulsory health insurance had been adopted by twenty-nine countries with a combined population of more than 500,000,000.

Five additional nations, as a substitute for compulsory health insurance, granted government subsidies to volunteer organizations (sponsored by doctors) which insured their members in an acceptable manner. They are: New Zealand, Belgium, Sweden, Denmark and Spain.

The American movement began about 1915 following the adoption in England of the British Insurance Act of 1911. However, the idea was not received here favorably at the time. The American Medical Association went on record against it in 1920; among the critics were insurance companies, many employers' organizations, druggists and patent-medicine manufacturers, the American Federation of Labor through President Gompers and the executive council, and several religious groups. It was denounced as being un-American, socialistic, a wrong method of attack, and a death blow to the personal relationship between doctor and patient—just to mention a few objections.

After considerable discussion, the Michigan medical profession chose to do something about it.

The Michigan State Medical Society, 4,800 members strong with William J. Burns as a talented and capable secretary, evidenced its progressive leadership by recognizing the basic need for prepaid health insurance.

Instead of compulsory insurance under government control, the Michigan remedy was this: Two volunteer non-profit corporations, the Michigan Medical Service and the Michigan Hospital Service, each chartered by the state legislature in 1939 whereby any citizen is eligible to subscribe to low-cost insurance covering both medical and hospital expenses.

Today the Hospital Service has more than 1,000,000 members; the Medical Service, close to 900,000. program has begun to approach No other state health insurance this outstanding success. Michigan not only leads the entire country; it leads the world.

Paradoxically, Michigan's progress reveals and emphasizes a weakness of the American medical profession.

While 865,000 persons are now insured in Michigan against medical expense incurred during ill health, only 200,000 are so protected in Massachusetts and 175,000 in California, second and third ranking state in voluntary health insurance.

To dispel the apathy prevailing elsewhere, the Michigan medical society last April invited presidents of seventeen state groups in the Middle-West to a conference in Detroit. Its success led to the calling of a western regional conference in Colorado last June for ten states.

And finally, in an effort to induce national action, the cooperating 27 states—led by Michigan—are sponsoring a national conference in Chicago Sunday (Dec. 2).

While Michigan leaders remain discreetly silent, doctors admit privately that Michigan's leadership has not received the blessing and support of the august and distinguished American Medical Association which remains officially aloof, now as in the past, from the field of social insurance.

The dilemma of Michigan doctors' insurance program may be clearer.

No matter how perfect Michigan, Michigan alone cannot stem the spreading tide of socialized medicine.

Unless all state, medical societies cooperate for positive local action, some degree of national health insurance appears now to be inevitable within a decade. Our economic loss due to illness is tremendous. Quoting President Truman: "On the average day there are about 7,000,000 persons so disabled by sickness or injury that they cannot go about their usual tasks."

The number of days lost by illness is forty times greater than the time involved in industrial strikes over a ten-year period.

Forty per cent of counties in the United States lack a hospital; this deficiency is particularly severe in rural areas.

You can't blame the Michigan doctors for being genuinely concerned. If voluntary medical insurance can meet the challenge, national insurance and control

may be averted. Can the "forest fire" be stopped? Is there time?

History insists that every great war is followed by drastic change. A sharp swing to the left, bringing socialization of our modern economic life, would inundate the institution of private medicine just as it would everything else. The doctor's dilemma affects us all.

Organize 4H Service Club

(Contributed)

In the Wayne Recreation Hall on November 19, a gala evening was spent initiating the new members into the Wayne County 4-H Service Club. Both informal and formal initiation took place. Some very surprising things happened in the informal initiation. After we had a good laugh, we took on a more serious attitude and had a candlelight service which was very impressive and effective.

All the new members were led in front of the main speaker's table and told the purpose of the Service Club. Next they were led to individual members, who represented the 4-H's, "Head, Heart, Hands, and Health." Here they were told what each H stood for. The last person visited placed the 4-H's together and presented the new members with a 4-H Service Club emblem and a candle. Later the candles were lighted and everyone gave the club pledge; then signed the register book. After this all participated in the pledge of Allegiance.

The members who were taken into the club were: Doris Waldecker, Shirley Hersh, Lois Vetal, Gerald Salow, Robert Wagon-schutz, Floyd and Kenneth Pan-kow of Plymouth, Patricia Spence and Gilbert Reaume of Dearborn, and Yvonne Joanson, and Charles Foss of Wayne.

The Wayne County 4-H Service Club is an organization for older club members who have attained the age of 15 and have had three years of club work. Besides these two requirements one must have any two of the following five:

1. Delegate to 4-H Club week or 4-H State Show,
2. State or county honor roll,
3. Leadership of local club,
4. Member of judging or demonstration team,
5. County champion ribbon from county fair.

The charter members are: Gordon and Donald Vetal, Donald Brinke, Donald Korte, Daniel Wiseley, Charles Salow, Edward Ash, Marie Duthoo of Plymouth, Sally and Barbara Spence, Robert Reaume, Jean Currie of Dearborn, William Masterson of Wayne, and Lola Fritz of Romulus.

The divine ruling gives prudence and energy; it banishes forever all envy, rivalry, evil thinking, evil speaking and acting; and mortal mind, thus purged, obtains peace and power outside of itself.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Legals

STATE OF MICHIGAN—ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION—WATERFOWL—DETROIT RIVER

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to waterfowl on the Detroit River, Wayne County, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission, by authority of Act 236, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that for a period of five years from October 1, 1941, it shall be unlawful to hunt, take, or kill or attempt to hunt, take, or kill any waterfowl on that part of the Detroit River described as follows:

That area of water lying between the mainland on the north and Belle Isle on the south and bounded on the west by the Belle Isle bridge and on the east by a line running north and south from the intake crib opposite Fairview Avenue.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this 4th day of August, 1941.

JOSEPH P. RAHILLY,
Chairman
WAYLAND OSGOOD,
Secretary

Countersigned:
P. J. HOFFMASTER
Director
Dec. 7, 1945

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE, ss. No. 290,175

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 Twentieth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

Present Thomas C. Murphy, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Rupp, a mentally incompetent person.

Earl J. Demel, former Guardian of said ward, having rendered to said Court his third and final account in said matter:

It is ordered, That the Third day of January, next, at ten 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.

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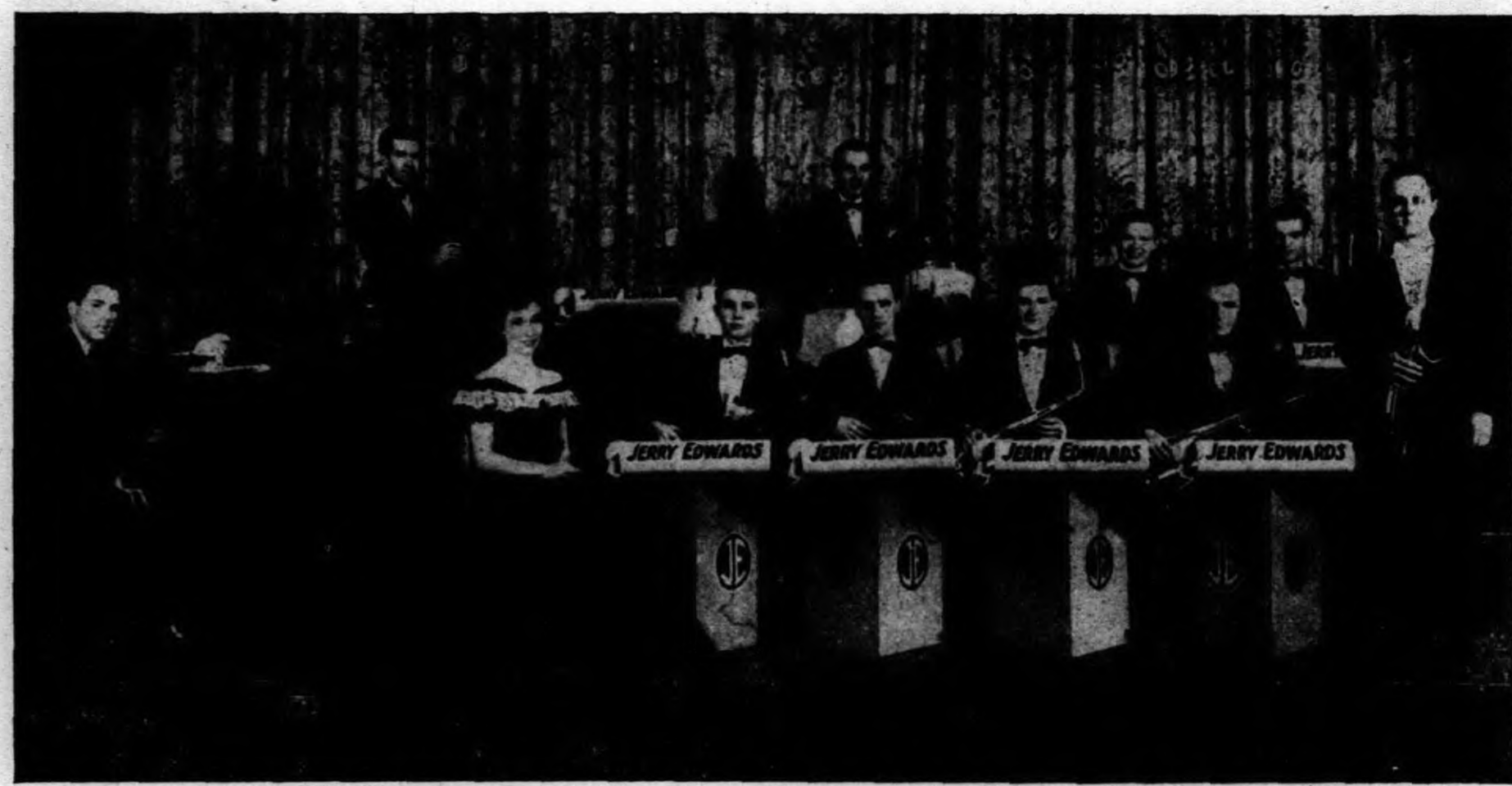
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THREE DISCUSSION GROUPS TOPICS ATTENDED BY HI-Y DELEGATES

"Youth and Government," "Modern Religion," and "Choosing a Vocation" were the discussion groups attended by Alan Kidston, Freeman Hoyer, Bob Chute, Dick Olin, and Chuck Finlin at the Hi-Y Older Boys' Conference held in Grand Rapids last Friday and Saturday.

P.H.S. OVER THE TOP IN VICTORY LOAN

Exceeding their quota by \$7,010 Plymouth High School went over the top in their Victory Loan Drive. With still one week to go the total sales on November 30th was \$25,010.

SONGS OF THE DAY.

- Nan Gerst—"All of My Life."
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- Bob Brink—"It's Been a Long Long Time."
- Mary Rowe—"That Feeling in the Moonlight."
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- Wanda Hunt—"It's Only a Paper Moon."
- Dale Bentley—"If I Loved You."
- Marion Bakewell—"Can't You Read Between the Lines."
- Jean Laitur—"I'll Buy That Dream."
- June Bassetti—"That's for Me."
- Em Hough—"I Wish I Knew."
- Bob Trombly—"There Must be a Way."
- Bob Dicks—"Rosemary."
- Mary Jane Christenson—"Dream."
- Sid Davison—"You Came Along."
- Delores Glenn—"Bell Bottom Trousers."
- Pat Penn—"It's Been a Long Long Time."
- Kit Moss—"Gotta be This or That."

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VOCATIONAL ADVISOR VISITS SCHOOL ON DECEMBER 14

In inaugurating a program in vocational guidance for the Plymouth Senior High School this year in an attempt to better prepare students for their college and vocational work, Mr. Walter Van Haitsma, author of a vocational handbook used in Army camps and schools, will visit the school and will speak at the student assemblies on Friday, December 14.

Mr. Van Haitsma, who is a writer of many articles on aeronautical development in science and aviation magazines, received his education at the University of Michigan and San Diego State College. Mr. Van Haitsma is sincerely interested in the youth of today and in the problems of post war employment. In an interesting way he will pass on advice to the students from years of association with high school pupils and their difficulties and will discuss the following material in his address to the pupils:

1. Suggestions for getting jobs and how to avoid common mistakes.
2. Schools and how to choose them.
3. Factors that determine your career choice.
4. Values of a high school education.

STUDENTS SEE MOVIE IN ASSEMBLY FRIDAY

If you see the boys waiting for the girls to enter a room first and opening the doors, it isn't a new set of rules in the school but it could be due to the movie, "Charm, Personality, plus Character," shown in the assembly Friday afternoon.

The assembly was opened by Mr. Penhale who made a few announcements on the basketball games and the season tickets which are on sale in the school for \$1.50.

The film which lasted for 45 minutes was on the charm on personality of school students. The film gave many rules and manners from West Point.

SENIOR SKETCH.

Bowling is the hobby of Wallace Gardner, son of Mansell and Jean Gardner of 9919 Ingram in Rosedale Gardens. Wallace has been on the Senior Prom committees, Hi-Y, Senior Play committees, and in the Drama club, and has traveled throughout Canada, Chicago, St. Paul, and Syracuse. He is completing a college course.

STUDENTS HAVE PICTURES TAKEN

All students had their pictures taken on Tuesday and Wednesday, thereby causing the primping and fixing in the long line outside of Mr. Alford's office.

These pictures, taken by a commercial photo company, will go on record in the office. Distribution of these pictures will take place in about two weeks, and if the students like the results, individual pictures may be ordered. The tentative price is 35c for a half dozen.

40 BOYS TURN OUT FOR VARSITY TEAM

Coach Falan reports a turnout of 40 men for the Varsity team so far and an estimated number of 60 for the Freshman team. The Varsity basketball schedule is as follows:

- December 14—Belleville, here
- December 18—Ecorse, here
- December 21—Ypsilanti, there
- January 8—Northville, there
- January 11—Trenton, here
- January 15—Ecorse, there
- January 18—Redford Union, there
- January 25—Wayne, here
- February 1—Belleville, there
- February 8—Ypsilanti, here
- February 15—Trenton, there
- February 19—Northville, here
- February 22—Redford Union, here
- March 1—Wayne, there

The Frosh league has not as yet been decided.

\$2,682 SOLD IN MAGAZINE SALES

Going over their \$2,000 quota by \$682.00, the Plymouth High School students have completed a contest in magazine sales running from November 20 to December 3. The home rooms have been competing each day with a quota set at \$2.00 per person. Mr. H. Fountain's room sold \$139.50 and this won tickets for the entire class to a Detroit movie. The best student salesman was Lewis Mettetal and Lorraine Merriman. \$450 of the school profit will be used for a movie projector with the remainder put on a fund to light the football field.

Miss Irene Walkdorf, student government advisor, said she had (Continued on Page 5)

PLYMOUTH DEBATES YPSI, TRENTON, AT YPSI IN LEAGUE CONTEST

Four people will be chosen from the group of Carolyn Rolin, Alan Kidston, Iven Goldstein, Lib Neal, Jackie Dalton, Wanda Hunt, Marion Lawson, Doug Vincent, and Don Prince to debate at Ypsi at the league debate contest to be held on December 12. Plymouth will debate against two schools; Ypsi and Trenton High Schools. The winner of the league contest will enter the state eliminations contest.

MITCHELL BROTHERS SELL \$4000 OF BONDS

Francis Mitchell, a Junior and treasurer of the Senior High home room division of Study Hall, sold two \$1000 bonds last Wednesday in his home room, which is the largest amount of bond purchasing by one person in the whole campaign of Plymouth High School. Not only did Francis sell two \$1000 bonds but his brother, Martin Mitchell, a member of the eighth grade, also sold the same amount for the credit of his home room.

Hats off to Francis and Martin for boosting the bond sales and giving some servicemen the chance to come home sooner.

SOCIETY NEWS

Last Wednesday night, in honor of Mary Lou Fjedahl's birthday, Pat Woods, Camilla Skelly, Marion Kusler, and Barbara and Jerry Shear, had a frog leg dinner in the Cascade Room of Kartson's and later saw the "Dolly Sisters" at the Fox.

Jean Schuler was hostess at a party given in honor of Marion Bakewell's birthday, on Saturday, December first. Those that attended the party were Vivian Anderson, Pat Martin, and Marge Kahler. The girls first attended the show and then they all stayed at Jean Schuler's home over night.

Announcement.....

Northville Community Auction Sale

Every Saturday at one o'clock, starting December 8, Park Stables, 330 S. Center St. Across from the Fairground, Northville Phone Northville 9197

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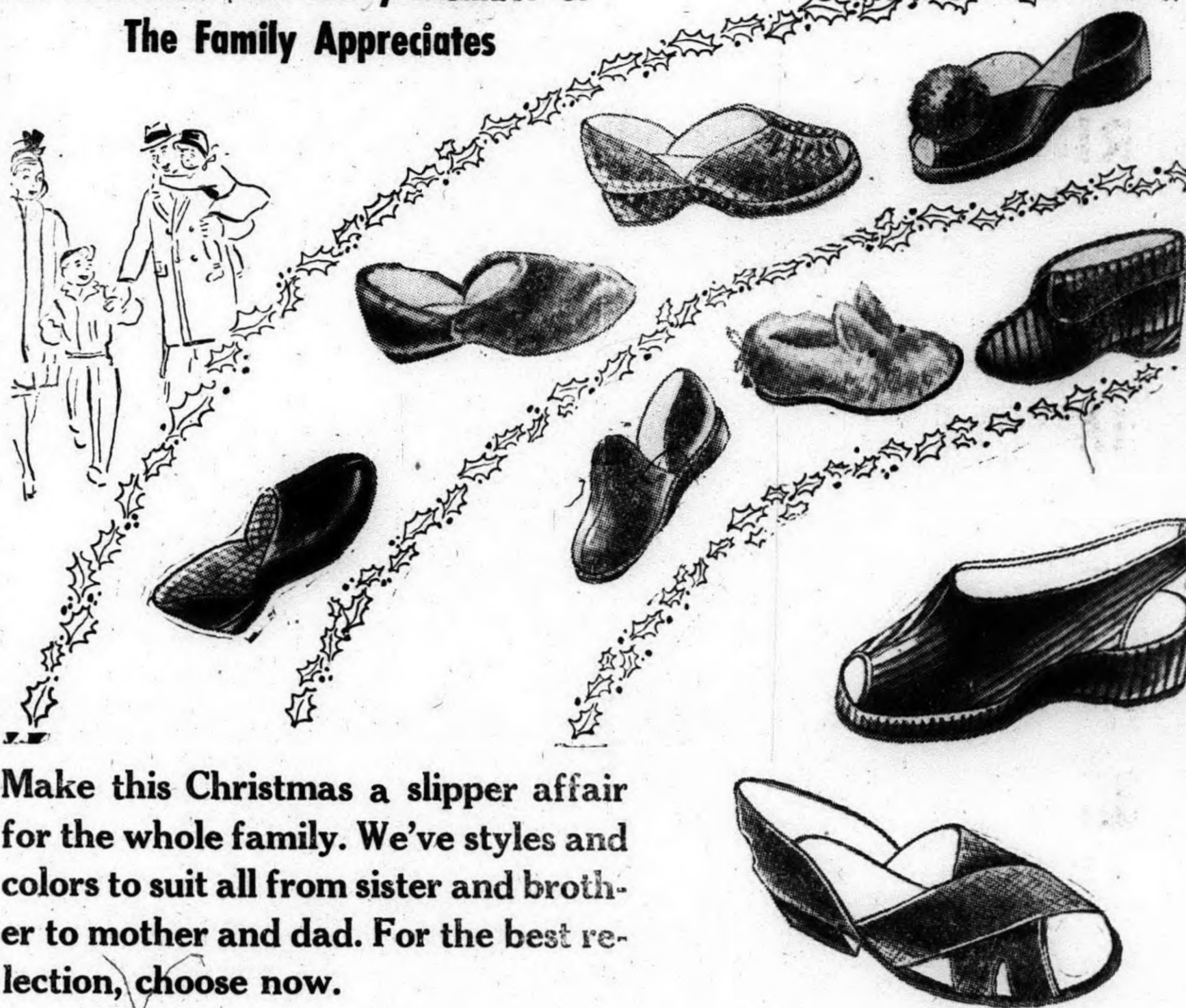
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City Adopts Pension Plan for Its Employees

By unanimous vote at its meeting Monday night, Nov. 19, the city commission of Plymouth adopted Plan B of the Michigan Municipal Employees' Retirement System. It will go into effect January 1.

Manager Clarence Elliott. The commission's action in providing a pension plan for the city's 42 employees was taken following a report of an actuarial consultant and a report by City Mr. Elliott reported to the commission that results of an informal ballot by the city employees showed 36 in favor of a retirement system and one vote opposing adoption of the plan. Five did not vote.

In addition the commission received a petition signed by 40 of the 42 municipal employees requesting they adopt such a system immediately.

The petition stated that immediate adoption of the plan was imperative (1) Because older employees would receive more benefits; and (2) The decrease in withholding tax beginning Jan. 1 will in most cases pay almost half of the individual's retirement costs.

Operation of the plan calls for the employee to contribute five per cent of their salary and the city to supply a matching amount. Because the system is to be computed on a retroactive basis the city actually will supply 8.7 per cent of the payroll.

Adoption of the system for Plymouth's city employees will provide mutual benefits. The retirement plan benefits the municipality in that it prevents retention of an employee beyond the time their ability is best. It assures the city of a devoted personnel because they are secure in the knowledge that devotion to duty guarantees them employment for at least 15 years or until they reach the age of 65.

For the employee a retirement plan offers security, makes a career as a municipal employee attractive, assures them a suitable income after reaching a certain age where daily work is not compatible with their state of health and makes them a loyal integral part of the municipality.

The plan adopted for the Plymouth city workers makes it possible for an individual to retire on a pension after 16 or more years of service in addition to having attained the age of 60.

It also makes retirement compulsory for anyone after reaching the age of 70.

Jane Lehman is State Graduate

Jane Ellen Lehman, Plymouth senior at Michigan State college, is one of 48 students who will complete graduation requirements at the end of fall quarter, Dec. 14.

Miss Lehman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Lehman of Route 1, is majoring in home economics. Formal graduation exercises will not be held at the close of fall term, but all graduates are invited to return for the ceremonies in June. Senior activities this quarter included a dinner and dance sponsored by the college Union board in honor of men and women graduating this fall.

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School News

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excellent student co-operation on the organizing of the sales. Caroline Rolan, as student government treasurer, has done more than her share in the daily tabulations and in figuring the final sales.

Vincent Simonetti and other students have also worked hard. This group planned the display on the wall outside of room 37, the magazine headquarters, with the co-operation of the art department.

Many of the clubs and home rooms collected money to send Christmas gift subscriptions to the following veteran and state hospitals:

Veteran Hospital at Dearborn, Percy Jones Hospital at Battle Creek, Wayne County Infirmary, Ypsilanti State Hospital, Romanus Air Base.

These rooms and clubs sent the magazine gifts: 34, 13, 33, C-4, 23, C-5, 22, 42, 40, 46, 20, 21, 17, 14-A, 45, 27, 26, library, study hall, Leaders' Club, LAMS' Club, French Club, Girl Reserves, and Hi-Y.

The contest was sponsored by the Crowell-Collier publications in Springfield, Ohio.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT PRESENTED DEC. 12

Miss Ruth Harris and Mr. Clarence Luchman, vocal and instrumental music instructors, will present their students in the Annual Christmas concert which will be held on December 12 at 8 p.m. in the high school gymnasium. No admission will be charged.

On the vocal program, under the direction of Miss Ruth Harris, will be On Bethlehem's Plain, Mixed Chorus; Cantique de Noel, Mixed Chorus; with a solo by Mary Ann Cyk; Balloons in the Snow and Christmas Lullaby.

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The band program, under the direction of Mr. Clarence Luchman, will include the following numbers: National Anthem; Gridiron Heroes; White Christmas; Noel; Night Before Christmas; Santa Claus Is Coming To Town; Holy City, a trumpet solo by Bill Beitner; Children's Prayer; and Christmas Fantasy.

The committees for the concert are: Invitations, Virginia Osterhaut, ch.; Helen Winchell, Rod Cassidy and Tom Hollawood; Stage, Pat Kearney, ch.; Martin Kregar, Jim McDowell, Robert Beckel; Song Slides, Bob Chute; Publicity, Drummers; The Girl Reserves will be the ushers.

YKNITS.

No longer will it be possible for the readers of this column to have their future foretold for them, no longer will the stars in the heavens be used. Yes, sadness has struck the staff of the Pilgrim Prints because Yknits taken by a serious cerebral cold, passed away in his study last weekend.

Yknits left no notes or any papers to tell the world what would one day become of it so we have only to guess what the future will hold. Let us always remember this man who brought so much to look forward to in all of our lives. For those who have wondered where Yknits obtained his name spell it backward and you will get...

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LAMS ARE DINNER GUESTS

Wednesday, November 28, the LAMS Service Club were the guests of Miss Neva Lovewell at a dinner party at Hillside.

The girls went to Miss Lovewell's home on Pacific after the dinner to work on dressing dolls for their charity Christmas program.

SCIENCE CLUB IS ORGANIZED

The Science Club, under the direction of Miss Dorothy Schultz, at its organization meeting held Wednesday, November 28, at 3:30 had a turnout of about twenty students.

Miss Schultz states that she hopes that more people will attend the next meeting on December 12, 1945, at which time the club will elect officers, choose a name, and adopt a constitution.

To help people interested in science is the purpose of the club, which will be affiliated with the Science Clubs of America.

MR. V. R. LOUGHEED JOINS H. S. FACULTY

Mr. V. R. Lougheed who formerly taught at the Boeing Aircraft Corporation in Seattle, Washington, has recently joined Plymouth High school faculty replacing Mr. Martin Stone who resigned. Mr. Lougheed received his Bachelor of Science and Master of Arts Degrees from Bowling Green State University. Mr. Lougheed and his family are residing in Dearborn at present.

HUNT, SANTO, PERKINS GET JR. PLAY LEADS

Leads in the Junior play, Janie, to be presented December 19, and 20 by the Junior class, were given to Wanda Hunt, who plays the part of Janie, a pretty girl of 16 in the crazy charm of youth, to Frank Santo, who plays Scooper Nolan, a boy of 17 who is at present in the awkward stage of youth, and to Robert Perkins, who plays the role of Dick Lawrence.

At the tryouts held on Wednesday, November 21, in Miss Spence's room Miss Bristol, Mrs. Oberg, and Miss Olsen helped Miss Spence in the selection of the cast.

The complete cast is as follows: Charles Colburn, Fred Weinert; Elsbeth Colburn, Phyllis Makepeace; Lucille, Beverly Hawk; John Van Brunt, Jay Hannab; Janie Colburn, Wanda Hunt; Bernadine Dodd, Pat Isabell; Paula Rainey, Joan Laitur; Scooper Nolan, Frank Santo; Thelma Lawrence, Ann Hopkins; Dick Lawrence, Bob Perkins; Tina, Jerry Shear; Andy, Charles Dudley; Frank, Hugh Bradley; Oscar, Jack Young; Hortence Bennington, Mary Plummer; Dead-Pan Hackett, Dick Palmer; Carl Loomis, Bob Wagonschultz; Mickey Malone, Bob Mielbeck; Uncle Poogie, Lary O'Hara.

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This would give the school quite a face lifting if these changes were made!

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

Monday 10—"Managing the Family Income" film.
Tuesday 11—Senior intelligence tests.
Wednesday 12—Christmas concert (Band-Vocal) 8:30 p.m.
Thursday 13—
Friday 14—Grade 9 Pep assembly, 2:00-2:30. Belleville basketball, here.

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Rotarians Eat Venison Dinner

"That's pretty good" commented two or three Rotarians last Friday noon after they had eaten a generous helping of "stew" down at their weekly luncheon at the Mayflower hotel.

"Guess it's some nice beef they got somewhere" said another.

It was a good "stew" but it wasn't beef stew. It was the "hind

quarter" of a nice big buck that Robert Willoughby got up north while hunting. He had a quarter dressed out and donated it to the Rotary club for their Friday noon luncheon.

Maybe it seemed extra good because for nearly three years Rotarians, like every one else, have been eating any sort of a "pick-up" luncheon the hotel chef could prepare under rationing conditions.

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Frank Loomis Returns Home

Frank Loomis, who for a number of years has worked for the Pere Marquette and left the services of the railway to put on one of Uncle Sam's uniforms, is again back in the United States and has put his uniform away in moth balls.

During recent months he has been helping to operate railways out of Hanover, Germany.

In the service for more than three and a half years, Mr. Loomis served with the railway forces of the army or in supply divisions all of that time.

"There isn't much left of the railway system of Germany at the present time except that which has been restored since the surrender. But there is one thing sure, Germany had about as good a railway system in that country as you could hope to find anywhere. But when our boys got through with their bombing trips, you couldn't find much that looked like a railroad" stated Mr. Loomis.

After a brief vacation he plans to resume his old job as switchman with the Pere Marquette. He resides with his mother at 927 North Mill street.

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Wallace A. Parmenter of Northville, better known to his host of friends in this part of Wayne county as "Lon" Parmenter, has closed up his cider mill and gone to Florida for the winter.

It was just 50 years ago this fall when Mr. Parmenter started up a little cider mill over in Northville. For a long time it served all of the farmers in that area. As years rolled along, his cider mill business grew even though there were others that went into the business.

"But in more recent years 'Lon's' cider mill has been about the only one in this thickly populated section of Wayne county that withstood the depression and then the war.

He's "ground" out cider every fall for one half of a century without a single season close-down.

"There was a short crop this year, but even then we made over 2,000 bushels of apples into cider" he said the other day.

"I guess if any one can keep a cider mill going for 50 years through the ups and downs, it is about time for him to take a vacation" declared Mr. Parmenter. So with Mrs. Parmenter he left last week for the sunny south where he expects to stay until spring.

"Deer" Editor Made a Mistake

The "Deer" editor made a mistake last week.

But any "Deer" editor has that right—if any man ever lived who has a right to make a mistake—he is the fellow.

It seems that in all the rush of a busy week when the deer season ended it was reported by the "Deer" editor that Elmer Barlow didn't get a deer.

Maybe the "Deer" editor thought that, because Elmer hunted with Attorney John Crandall, who goes north to study wild life in the deep dark woods at night time, to note the actions of the deer, the bear and the coyotes after dark.

But the truth is that Mr. Barlow got a nice deer and he also ended the destructive career of a big coyote.

Who got the bear, the "Deer" editor doesn't know. He's only interested in deer.

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Doing Postal Work in Japan

Harry Krumm, the high school lad who a little over a year ago was delivering all of the special delivery letters and telegrams that came to Plymouth, is now in Sundia, Japan, where he has recently been assigned to work as an army postal clerk.

It was only a few brief weeks after Harry was inducted into the armed forces that he was in active combat on Okinawa. He came through that without a scratch. When American troops invaded Japan, he was with the invasion forces.

Now that the war is over he has been assigned to postal duty, he writes, and while he likes his work, like all of the boys, he is anxious to get back home.

"But I do not see much chance of it for another year" he writes. In a letter to The Mail, he asks that his best wishes be extended to all of his old friends.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE, ss.
No. 321,731

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 November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

Present Joseph A. Murphy, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Frank Arnold Leach, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Beatrice Leach praying that administration de bonis non of said estate be granted to J. Rusling Cutler or some other suitable person;

It is ordered, That the Seventeenth day of December, 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)

RICHARD H. WERNETTE
Deputy Probate Register
Nov. 30, Dec. 7-14

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE,
No. 333,395

In the Matter of the Estate of FREDERICKA E. REDDEMAN, 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 J. Rusling Cutler, Administrator of said estate, at Plymouth, Michigan on or before the 14th day of February, A.D. 1946, and that such claims will be heard by said court, before Judge James H. Sexton, in Court Room No. 319, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 14th day of February, A.D., 1946, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated December 3, A.D. 1945.

Published in The Plymouth Mail once each week for three weeks successively, within thirty days from the date hereof.

JAMES H. SEXTON,
Judge of Probate.
Dec. 7-14-21

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NOTICE
CITY OF PLYMOUTH

At the regular meeting of the City Commission held November 5, 1945, the following motion was offered by Commissioner Whipple and supported by Commissioner Corbett:

"That a public hearing be called on Monday, December 17, 1945 at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of determining whether or not to vacate alley lying at the rear of Lots 6 to 15 inclusive, of Auburn Heights Subdivision. (From Goldsmith to P. M. R. R.). Motion carried.

The City Commission will hear any objections or comments pertaining to this matter on Monday, December 17, 1945 at 7:30 p. m.

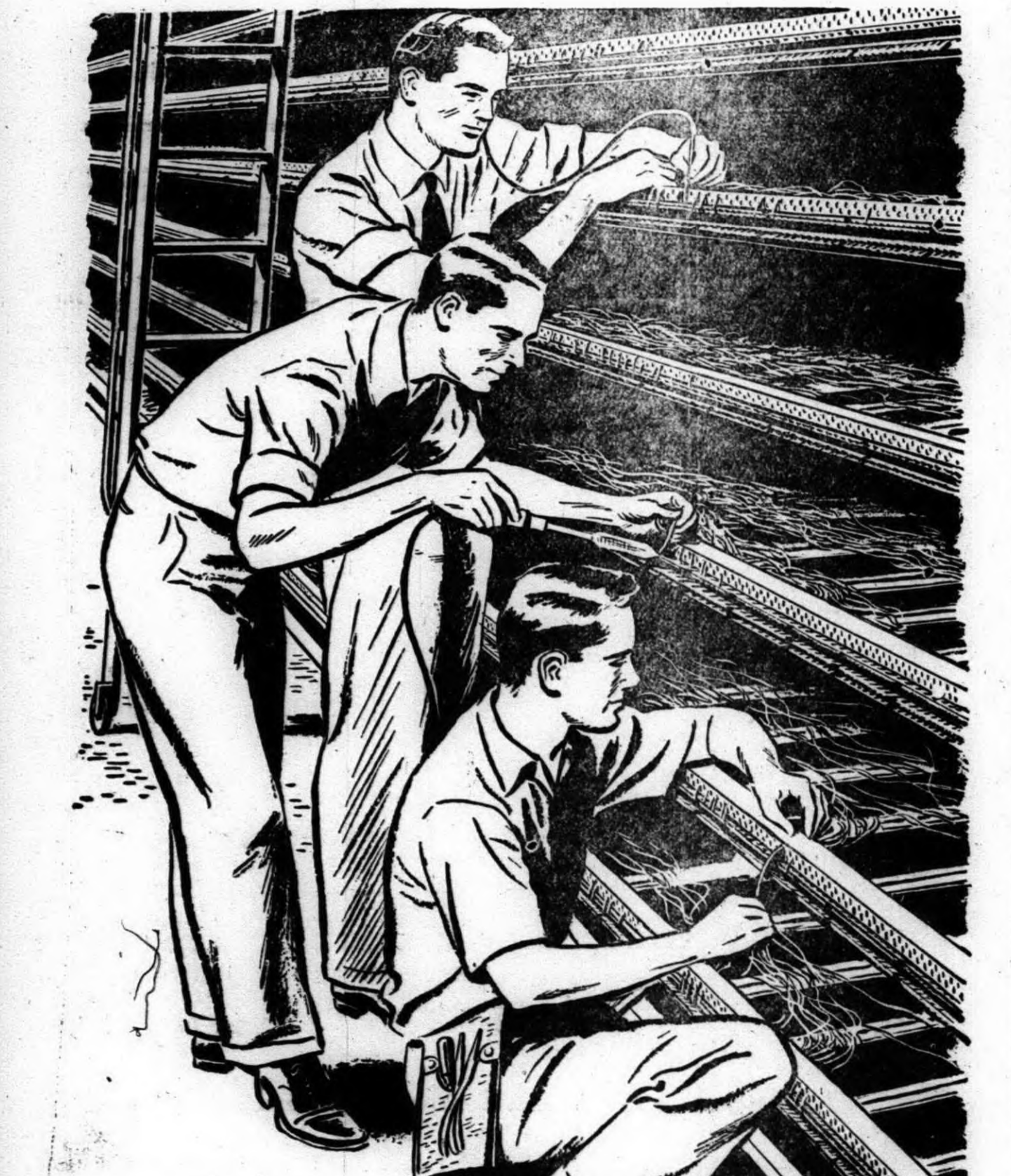
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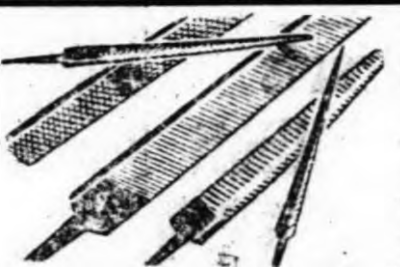
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Babson Says - -

New York, New York, Dec. 7.—I am in New York calling on some of my optimistic friends who are hopeful of very good times just ahead of us. In addition to the usual arguments as to the tremendous backlog of orders, the billions of cash awaiting an opportunity to buy merchandise and the possibilities of atomic energy, they throw at me various other things upon which they have been working. Some of them—by no means all—I submit below:

New Ideas for Builders and Manufacturers

Builders may soon be discussing the merits of new "lumber." This will be made from pulp and perhaps from a mixture of excelsior and portland cement. Also, a new cement is being developed for use in concrete flooring which will be as strong but much lighter in weight. It should reduce the amount of steel in buildings. There also is a possibility of concrete which will bend but not break.

Textiles will soon be treated with a wax emulsion which, when added to rinse water, makes clothing water-resistant. Also there is new process which makes cotton fabrics proof against rot, fungus and mildew without changing their appearance. A new asphalt or oil treatment of sole leather, adaptable to cemented shoes, may greatly increase wear.

Good News for Housewives

The packaging of frozen foods, which have become a "must" for many housewives, is due for a speeding up. Fishing vessels and slaughter houses will be equipped for the immediate processing and freezing of fish, meats and poultry. A new can, the sides of which are fiberboard and the ends tinplate, may revolutionize the frozen food industry.

Cargo and express will be dropped by a parachute shaped like half a baseball cover. So we may expect to have shipments delivered in an improved condition. An appliance manufacturer tells of an electric washing machine which, in addition to washing clothes, has attachments by which dishes may be washed, potatoes peeled, ice cream frozen and even butter churned!

Improved Transportation and Communications

A bus company operating here through my community has applied for a helicopter franchise. Helicopters will have air-cooled motors, counterrotating blades and three road wheels. A PV-3 helicopter, with a long fuselage with a motor on each end, is now being tested by the Coast Guard and Navy. It carries twelve passengers. Regular planes are now being made to travel over 500 miles per hour at an altitude of 100 miles.

Printing is about to enter into a new field. One of the most recent uses for the process of printing is to print electrical circuits on heavy paper with lines of metallic, conductive ink, as a substitute for wires in low-priced radio sets. Television, too, will soon become a part of daily living. One New York department store has announced that it is ready to in-

stall three television studios in its store.

Further Developments

Britain has developed and used a method by which airfields are cleared of fog through the burning of many gasoline jets. The process is known as "FIDO" which means "Fog Investigation Dispersal Operation." Germany has hit upon a process for extracting ethyl alcohol from wood waste. Furthermore, we hope to preserve aquatic life through the use of a new method of disposing of paper-pulp-mill waste which will make these substances harmless.

SHORTLY AFTER THE FIRST OF NEXT YEAR I WILL MAKE A MUCH MORE COMPLETE SUMMARY OF NEW DEVELOPMENTS WHICH HAVE GONE FORWARD DURING 1945. RETURNING VETERANS AND OTHERS INTERESTED IN GETTING INTO NEW FIELDS OF ENDEAVOR SHOULD WATCH FOR THIS REVIEW.

May Assess on "Asking" Prices

Excessively high prices that are being asked for real estate in certain sections of Plymouth where there is room for business expansion, may result in a general revision of the assessment roll it has been suggested in recent weeks.

There are some who believe that the growth of Plymouth is being greatly retarded because of the inflated prices some have put on their property since it has become known that there is in prospect considerable business development in the next few years.

There is one lot that the owners secured for a few hundred dollars a number of years ago. The "asking" price is now said to

be up around \$20,000. The property is assessed for a little over a thousand dollars.

There is another piece of property on Main street that was offered for sale a year or so ago for \$12,000. It is assessed for about a third of that amount. Now the owner is asking \$30,000 for it. These excessively high prices have been given recently as to one of the reasons why business development is being checked along some of the main streets.

In view of these facts there is a prospect that new assessments may be asked for some property where prices have been more than tripled in less than two years. It is stated that all of this property is located on Main street.

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News items of a quarter of a century ago taken from the files of The Plymouth Mail.

At a meeting of the village commission, Monday evening, for the purpose of considering the bids received for the purchase of the bond issue of \$75,000 for improvements to the village water works system, the bid of Whittesey, McLean & Co., of Detroit, offering a premium of \$1,570 was accepted. They took the entire issue. There were five bidders in all.

On this page of the Mail will be found an advertisement announcing the opening of Woodworth Bros. Bazaar and Phonograph Shop, in the Tighe block on Penniman avenue, Saturday, November 27. The room has been nicely re-decorated and presents a very fine appearance.

Pink and white was the color scheme used by the Misses Helen Roe, Esther Wisely and Florence Newell at the shower Saturday evening, November 20, honoring Miss Pearl Shipley, a bride-to-be of this week. A miniature bride and groom upon a mound of pink and white formed the centerpiece. The pink rose-bud favors matched the pink and white dishes.

Evered V. Jolliffe conducted a very interesting Epworth League meeting, last Sunday evening, and gave the synopsis of a very unique Thanksgiving sermon, called "Through and Nevertheless." The League orchestra led the music and furnished a special number. The orchestra will play again next Sunday evening, and Robert Jolliffe will lead the meeting with the topic, "Unchristian America, a Menace and a Challenge."

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DECEMBER

- German Attacks in U. S. sent home, 1915.
- President orders liquidation of WPA, 1942.
- Paul McNutt given control over nation's manpower, 1942.
- U. S. Russia, Britain in agreement at Teheran, 1943.
- Japanese "meek" attack on Pearl Harbor, 1941.
- American Federation of Labor organized, 1886.
- British warships "Prince of Wales" and "Repulse" sunk by Japs, 1941.

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Fire Contracts Asked by Elliott

"There has been so much discussion about township fires, that I think it about time the city's position should be made clear" stated City Manager Clarence Elliott yesterday.

"The city is perfectly willing and anxious to enter into a contract to provide any nearby township with what fire protection it can give. Some cities will not do this, but Plymouth for years has made it a practice to do so" said Mr. Elliott.

"But there are some townships which have no contract and insist that the township officials be called by the city officials before permitting our fire department to answer a call in the country. Naturally when this rule prevails there is bound to be delay, sometimes serious delay. There have been times when it was impossible to get any of the proper township officials on the phone and that creates a problem for the city. The best way for township boards to do, to handle this matter, is to make a fire contract with Plymouth and then all arguments will be ended" said the city manager.



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