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What I Think and Have A Right to Say

By ELTON R. EATON

A TOP-RATE SELECTION.

Members of the newly created charter commission are to be commended for the selection of George R. Sidwell, well known Michigan municipal consultant, as an advisor to the commission in the drafting of a new charter for this city.

If the commission follows his recommendations to a considerable extent, there will be no question but what the commission will submit to the voters a new charter that will have the approval of the vast majority of the voters.

Mr. Sidwell has sponsored considerable state-wide legislation that has been of benefit to every municipality in Michigan. He knows municipal government as few others do. He knows the weaknesses of most of the basic laws that control the activities of municipal officials—and he knows what to do in order to remedy these weaknesses.

Again we say, the city of Plymouth will surely benefit by the advice that Mr. Sidwell will provide the commission in its work in the drafting of a badly needed new charter. We commend the members of that body for the good judgment they have been displaying so far in their important work.

IT'S HERE. SO LET'S MAKE THE BEST OF IT.

Now that we have emerged into the new year of 1951 with the skies more gloomy than at any other period in American history, there is just one thing for us to do—work as we have never worked before and make the best of a mighty serious situation. We voted for it during the last 16 or 18 years and we have got just what we voted for—and we knew what we were voting for when we cast our ballots.

But that is water over the dam—and now our job is to work to get out of it. If necessary to kill the enemy we have fostered directly and indirectly, then let's do the killing and kill along with the job. ANY person who claims to be an American but who has given aid and comfort to our pagan enemies.

This apparently is going to be a total war that the New Dealers talked so much about—so if it is going to be that, let's make it one and see if we can make the country safe not just for Democracy as the New Dealers and Fair Dealers talked so much about—but a country in which human beings can live in peace and security.

We owe to the American Republic everything we possess or hope to possess. Now is the time to pay that obligation, so as the new year rolls along let's begin paying back in a big way to OUR REPUBLIC all that we owe it—and let no sacrifice be too great.

SOMETHING NOT TO TALK ABOUT.

It is just now dawning upon some citizens as to why the Fair Dealers were so determined to re-elect Soapy Williams to another term as Governor, even though during his first administration he probably proved one of the biggest flops that ever got inside the executive office.

From news reports it is quite apparent that these Fair Dealers are hoping or expecting that Michigan's able Senator Vandenberg may be forced to resign because of continued ill health. If he does that, then the door is left wide open for Soapy to fill the vacancy by appointment.

Fate saw to it that Soapy will not be able to appoint himself, as Michigan voters did have forethought enough to elect a Republican as lieutenant governor and in order for a Governor to appoint himself as a United States senator he must first resign as Governor, then have the lieutenant governor who would become governor in case of resignation, appoint the resigning governor as the United States senator, in case of a vacancy. But as things are that just can't happen.

Now the "dope" is that Soapy knowing there is no chance to get the job, may appoint either Walter Reuther or former Councilman George Edwards of Detroit, if there is a vacancy to be filled. But what a mockery of political decency to mention either one of these sit-down strike leaders in connection with a position that Senator Vandenberg has so honorably filled during a most trying time in American history! Let us pray that Senator Vandenberg will live for many years and that he will never be forced to resign because of his health or for any other reason.

"BOY WONDER" BACK IN CIRCULATION.

The Associated Press reports that on direct orders of President Harry Truman, Edward F. Prichard Jr., the 35 year old Kentucky attorney and "wonder boy" of the New Deal who sat next to Washington "royalty" during the early days of the Truman administration and helped frame some of the New Deal and Fair Deal policies, has been released from prison where he was sent after convicted of stuffing a ballot box with phony votes in the 1948 election which gave Truman his present term as chief executive. A Kentucky judge sentenced him to a two year term. He served about five months when word came to the prison that the President thought he had had enough. There's nothing like knowing how to do it.

Training School Entertains Club

A colorful wave of brightly costumed fairies, clowns, toy soldiers, animated candy canes, Dutch girls and boys together with circus girls invaded the Mayflower Hotel last Friday afternoon.

Spearheaded by rollicking, jovial Santa with two assistants leading Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer, the company of 66 Wayne County Training School boys and girls gaily presented a Christmas operetta, "The Toys that had to Wait" for Rotary members at their weekly Friday luncheon. The singing and dancing skills were well applauded by the appreciative Rotarians.

New Bus Service for Five Mile Patrons Announced

This new service, as planned, will operate on approximately 30 minute schedules during the hours of 5:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. daily except Sunday. Area affected will be between Telegraph road and Farmington road.

Five through trips will continue into the city of Plymouth, and from the City to Telegraph road and Five Mile road.

Sunday schedules in this area will be less frequent. However, this schedule will serve Plymouth, Telegraph road and Five Mile road passengers to St. John's Seminary, the Wayne County Training school and the House of Correction.

Your patronage will keep this service in operation. We will continue to serve you to the best of our ability. Ask your bus driver for a schedule.

Mail Poll for Newburg-Stark District Residents

Residents of Newburg-Stark school districts will have an opportunity to express their opinions in a mail poll this week.

The Stark-Newburg Parent Teachers association will attempt to determine just what residents think about landscaping improvements and recreational programs for these schools. Therefore, citizens of the area are urged to consider carefully the literature they will receive in the mails and to complete the questionnaires faithfully and promptly. The material will be mailed this week. Read it, discuss it and then jot down your opinions on forms that will be supplied.

Hold Farewell Party for Eicher

Reverend and Mrs. Benjamin Eicher were farewell partied by Plymouth Ministerial association members and their wives at the home of Reverend and Mrs. P. M. McPherson, 366 West Ann Arbor Trail last Friday evening.

The Eichers left Tuesday for Cement City where the Reverend will assume pastoral duties of Cement City and Clark Lake First Baptist churches.

Pastor Eicher served in Plymouth the past four years.

Christmas day guests in the home of Reverend and Mrs. William Welton on Holbrook avenue were Reverend and Mrs. Wayne Welton of Caro, Blake Fisher and daughter, Sharon, of Plymouth, Mrs. Richard Welton and daughter, Phyllis, of Gary, Indiana, and Lester Norman of Iowa.

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Ball Decorating Committee Praised For Its Work



These five popular local women were highly praised for the attractive decorations they supplied for the Symphony Ball held at the Masonic Temple last Friday night. The affair proved the most successful event of its kind held for the local Symphony Society. Left to right are Mrs. Harold Todd, Mrs. H. W. Kellogg, Mrs. Earl West, Mrs. Eugene Crosby and Miss Joan Pagenkoff.

Wrecking Crew Starts Monday On Main Street

Another familiar Plymouth landmark will soon disappear as the city gradually assumes a new complexion.

On Monday demolition crews of the Cleveland Wrecking Company will begin razing the Main street buildings now occupied by the Plymouth Hardware, Krogers, Dunning and Woodworths. The McKinstrie Construction company of Detroit will erect a new \$211,000 S. S. Kresge store on the site immediately.

M. C. Walker, project manager for the Cincinnati, Ohio wrecking firm contemplates little difficulty fulfilling the demolition contract on time. As evidence he cited their amazing performance in razing a 550-building area in Cincinnati in 75 days.

"Buildings of this Plymouth variety are comparatively simple to tear down, he said, because they do not require the heavy equipment normally used in storied structures."

All building materials salvaged will be offered for sale and interested parties should contact Walker at the site.

Mail Tops All Previous Records

This year's Christmas mail volume shattered all previous Plymouth records according to Post Office figures released Tuesday.

During the period December 12 to December 23, approximately 500,000 pieces of first class mail went through the cancellation machine. This does not include parcel post, newspapers, magazines or metered machine mail. Postmaster George Timpona explained.

The year 1949 had but a single record breaking day whereas 1950 had three days topping the previous marks. December 18 saw 66,597 pieces; December 19 had 65,224 pieces and December 20 saw 62,655 pieces. To meet this unprecedented avalanche of mail, the Post Office was required to hire 30 additional part-time employees.

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Suicide Cause of Local Death

Cleveland H. Blakeslee, age 65, itinerant bricklayer, was found dead at his 810 South Main street, Plymouth rooming house last Saturday night.

Police say death was due to a .32 calibre revolver wound in Blakeslee's left temple and apparently self-inflicted. Neighbors said Blakeslee had been despondent for some time. As yet police have been unable to contact the deceased's three sisters said to be Michigan residents or a brother believed to be in Pennsylvania.

Bentley Acting as H.S. Principal

Carvel Bentley, business training course coordinator at Plymouth high school was appointed acting high school principal by school superintendent Helmer Nelson.

Mr. Bentley will fill the vacancy created by principal Cyrus Pierce's illness. Mr. Pierce is at present confined at St. Joseph's Hospital, Ann Arbor.

Variety of Periodicals Are Available at Dunning Library

A variety of reading material will be available to users of the Dunning library during 1951, with 79 magazines, newspapers and periodicals listed. Periodicals include magazines on the home, science, hobbies, gardening, education, current events and numerous other subjects.

Magazines: America, American, American Girl, American Home, American Photography, Antiques, Atlantic Monthly, Better Homes & Gardens, Boy's Life, Charm, Child Life, Children's Activities, Colliers, Collins Magazine, Consumer Reports, Coronet, Cosmopolitan, Current Biography, Current Biography Yearbook, Current History.

Design, Etude, Field & Stream, Flying Good Housekeeping, Harper's, Hobbies, Holiday, Horn Book, House Beautiful, Hunting and Fishing, Industrial Arts and Vocational Education, Ladies' Home Journal, Life, McCall's, Mademoiselle, Model Airplane News, N.E.A. Journal, Nation, National Geographic, Nature Magazine, New Yorker, Newsweek, Parent's Magazine, Plays, Popular Homecraft.

Popular Mechanics, Popular Science, Reader's Digest, Reader's Guide, Retail Bookseller, Saturday Evening Post, Saturday Review of Literature, Scholastic (senior), School Arts, Science News Letter, Scientific American, Senior Prom, Seventeen, Story Parade, Subscription Books Bulletin, Time, Today's Health, Travel, U. N. World, Vogue, Wilson Bulletin, Woman's Home Companion.

Newspapers: Detroit Free Press, daily; and New York Times, daily and Sunday.

Gifts now being received regularly include the Christian Science Monitor, D.A.R. Magazine, Flower Garden, Jack & Jill, Kiwanis, Michigan Alumnus, The Plymouth Mail, Rotarian and Michigan State Library, Library News.

Girls Division—Sharon Mattis, Grand Prize Schwinn deluxe bicycle; Mary J. Gretzinger, Helbrock wrist watch; Marilyn Miller, doll wardrobe case; Patsy Lidzard, electric record player; Judith Delvo, doll; Chris Sloc, ukulele; Marcia Hester, doll-nursery set; Peggy Gates, pearl necklace; Consolation Christmas gift prizes were awarded to all other contestants.

The following winners were awarded prizes on Saturday, December 23: Boys Division—Virgil Norgrove, Grand Prize Schwinn deluxe bicycle; Carl Bauer, Roy Rogers chuck wagon; Terry Watts, Helbrock wrist watch; Billy Riehr, airplane; David Thompson, fishing rod and reel; Ronny Geary, football; Gordon Goebel, ukulele; David Timcoe, flash camera.

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Paper Shortage Forces Changes

In order to cope with the acute shortage of newsprint that has developed throughout the nation certain production changes have had to be made by The Plymouth Mail and other papers to assure all of their advertisers the space they need. Advertisers using one half page or more space will start next week have to have their copy in the hands of the paper by 5 p.m. on Monday.

Starting next week also The Plymouth Mail will be placed on sale at its news stands and in its office at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesdays. To eliminate the necessity of long over runs each week tear sheets will be held at a minimum for advertisers and other short cuts will be undertaken to conserve fast dwindling supplies of newsprint.

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Circulate 95,000 Library Books

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Mr. Robinson was the wife of the late Harry C. Robinson, and was especially well known and liked in this community. She is survived by her daughter, Miss Rose Hawthorne of Plymouth, several nieces and nephews, other relatives and a host of friends.

Interment will be in Riverside cemetery, with the Reverend Henry Walsh officiating.

Says Communists Really Serious About War Effort

Recently returned to the United States from Ethiopia, Plymouth's Kenneth W. Johnstone celebrated the Yuletide season with his family at their 208 Ann street home.

Mr. Johnstone, a tweedy Scot, served the International Teletype and Telephone company in Shanghai, China for 28 years after graduation from London (England) University with an electrical engineering degree in 1911. During the last war, he was interned in a Japanese camp for political prisoners for three and a half years. Leaving Shanghai last May he lived for twelve months among the Chinese Communist regime.

Declining to comment on his Red China experiences, Mr. Johnstone explained his reticence by saying adverse remarks at this time could very well be exploited by the Communists against several International Teletype employees yet in China.

"However, I will say this much—Joe Stalin and Mao Tse-tung are deadly serious. Americans seem to ignore the seriousness of the world situation. We have got to get our wind up," he warned.

Currently, Mr. Johnstone is a member of the survey party appraising Ethiopia's communications systems for the International Bank of Reconstruction and Development. The Bank is determining how a two million United States dollar loan to modernize that nation's radio, telephone and telegraph services may be most efficiently used. The loan is not a handout, Mr. Johnstone emphasized, but will be repaid, and will be administered by a United Nations official.

Commenting on Ethiopia, he noted their economy to be mainly rural and very primitive. The people, however, are very anxious to improve their backward and sorely needed United Nations assistance. Their religion, he said, is most odd, a curious mixture of Coptic Christianity and Greek Orthodox Catholicism tinged with paganism.

Returning to New York City this week, Mr. Johnstone will tabulate the survey's Ethiopian findings. About his future plans, he did not care to speculate, except that he is probably unable to send me anywhere in the world."

Mr. Johnstone has two children, James B. Johnstone, 26, now doing graduate work in economic geography at George Washington University, Washington, D. C., and Dorothy Jean, 19, a Michigan State College sophomore. James is now in the Army Air Corps in the Second World War. Born in Shanghai as British subjects, they are now, however, naturalized American citizens.

Two Babies First for 1951 From City Born at Ann Arbor

Arriving at just three minutes past midnight on January 1 in St. Joseph's hospital, Ann Arbor was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hayes of Plymouth. The little lady weighed in at seven pounds, three ounces and was the first baby born in Washtenaw County in 1951. The second baby was Paula Jean, the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cobb, also of Plymouth who arrived at 12:54. She weighed in at five pounds, eleven ounces. She too was born at St. Joseph's in Ann Arbor. Paula Jean's father is the pharmacist at Community Pharmacy.

Plymouth Youth Injured in Korea

According to word received last Friday, Pfc. Robert F. Raymond, Plymouth, was seriously wounded in Korean action last November 27.

The 20 year old Plymouth youth enlisted September, 1949 in Arkansas, receiving his basic training at Fort Ord, California and advanced training at Fort Lewis, Washington. He served in Korea with the Eighth Army's 38th Infantry since last September.

New Kroger Store to Open January 9

Modern design plus, and customer convenience plus are the keynotes of modern merchandising. The new Forest Street Kroger store to be publicly opened Tuesday, January 9 embodies all features designed to facilitate grocery shopping.

Here the customer can literally waltz through a wide-laned, fluorescent lighted, pastellized atmosphere—music will pervade the air. Rapid cash registers, speedier money changers, cashier conveyor belts to transport purchases, storage bins for the monitoring customer, and air conditioning are some of the many features that are intended to make shopping easier, simpler, speedier and more pleasant.

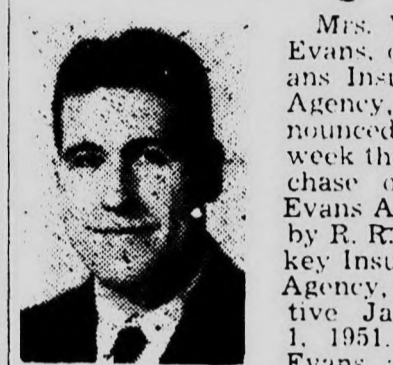
Roland Widmayer, store manager, said approximately 75 persons, hired locally, will be needed to operate the store at peak efficiency.

Plymouth shoppers using the Fralick avenue municipal parking lot can now avail themselves of a paved short-cut through the government property on Penman avenue.

Local merchants underwrote the paving cost after Dr. George Timpona, local postmaster, obtained governmental permission to use the property.

Business Men Report 1950 As Best Year in History

Evans Agency Purchased by R. R. Fluckey



R. R. Fluckey

Mrs. Vivian Evans, of Evans Insurance Agency, announced this week the purchase of the Evans Agency by R. R. Fluckey Insurance Agency, effective January 1, 1951. Mrs. Evans, a well known resident of Plymouth, established the Evans Agency in 1949 to handle all forms of property insurance including Casualty, Fire, Marine, and Bonds.

The R. R. Fluckey Insurance Agency was established in Dearborn in 1941 by Mr. R. Ralph Fluckey. The Plymouth office was opened in 1949. Mr. Fluckey has been a resident of the Plymouth-Wayne area since 1933. He played professional baseball in 1938 for St. Augustine of the Florida State League, and in 1939 with Lake Charles, Louisiana, of the Evangeline League. A serious knee injury forced an early end to his baseball career.

In 1941, Mr. Fluckey received his business administration degree from Detroit Business University and the same year took post-graduate work at Travelers insurance college in Hartford, Connecticut, establishing the Dearborn office shortly after.

The R. R. Fluckey Agency writes life, fire, marine, casualty insurance and bonds, and is one of the most mechanically modern insurance offices in the state. Business will be conducted at the same address in the Penman building, phone numbers are 2192 and 1097.

Civic Leaders Peer at Future

Customarily, New Year's Day is the occasion for pause and for reflection. A time to mull over the errors committed and successes achieved during the preceding year. It is the time to make resolutions toward better performance during the oncoming year.

Customarily, New Year's Day brings with it speculation about future occurrences, what trials, what improvements, what disappointments, what progress the new year will unfold.

As with individuals, so with cities. Citizens of Plymouth are probably wondering, just as the Plymouth Mail is doing—what will the new year bring to our fair city? Attempting to discover answers to this question, the Mail decided to quiz several civic leaders for their views on the subject.

Throughout all interviews there was a recurring note of dominant optimism. Definitely Plymouth is a city with a lusty future, well assured of continued sturdy and healthy growth.

For instance, Robert O. Wesley, president of Plymouth Township's Board of Education feels that "Activity is the name for Plymouth—its expansion has been phenomenal and will continue to be so... Plymouth's future prospects are literally out of this world." Mr. Wesley, however, added a brief cautionary word—"There will be a lag momentarily should the national economic program go into high gear, thereby channelling materials elsewhere, but this lag will not be long-enduring."

City Manager Al Glassford also noted the city's steady progress. He commended the citizenry for their display of what he called "a cooperative civic spirit. Everyone has cooperated to the fullest extent with the City Manager's office and I certainly look forward to the same spirit in 1951."

Mayor Cass Hough, away Rose Bowling in California, could not be reached for comment, but a City Hall official desirous of anonymity provided a practical example of Plymouth's public-mindedness. He mentioned the troublesome Main street railway crossing and the patient manner in which Plymouth motorists are enduring this annoyance. "The citizens, he said, realize that a subway underpass is financially impossible, therefore they are willing to endure the delays with jolly good humour."

Acting Police Chief Greenlee remained that Plymouth's celebrants are traditionally restrained and sober. Despite the fact that the entire Police department was specially alerted to meet unforeseen unruliness or outbreaks of too enthusiastic New Year's celebrations, no actual rowdiness was experienced. "In past years we have had but little trouble with our citizens in any criminal sense, and certainly do not look for these habits to be changed during the coming year," he said.

Buyers at Boyer's Haunted Shack were more practical in their buying this year. Manager Bill Thomas of the local store stated. He also thought the city-wide decorations added stimulus to holiday buying at home.

"Christmas business was very satisfactory and we were very pleased that we were able to fill the many requests for special-item merchandise in a very satisfactory way," declared James Houk, of the Fisher Shoe store.

Norma Cassidy said, "We were impressed with the fine spirit of the Christmas shoppers which we believe to be a reflection of the endeavor of Plymouth merchants to supply a generous stock of fine Christmas merchandise. Our business was greater than that of any previous holiday season."

"Compared with the last few years, this was the best we've had!" Marvin Terry of Terry's Bakery also said that their increase was primarily in Christmas specialties which people may have purchased elsewhere as they did their shopping out of town. This year as they did more shopping at home they evidently bought more Christmas cookies, cakes and other baked items here also. Terry also said that local

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Announce Young Couples' Engagements During Holidays



Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Holcomb of Gunnison, Mississippi, announce the engagement of their daughter, Robbie Lorine, to Donald A. Keeth, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Keeth of Harvey street. No definite wedding plans have been made.



The engagement of Lois Minehart to Raymond Finney was announced this week by Lois' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Minehart of Ann Arbor road. Her fiancé is the son of Mrs. Lloyd Brown of Newburg road, and the late Claude Finney. The young couple have not as yet made their wedding plans.



Betty Jane Bilow's engagement to William E. Swan was announced this week by her mother, Mrs. LaVern Wagenschutz of 1117 Beech street. William is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William O. Swan of 784 Harvey street. The young couple has set their wedding date for March 31.



Mr. and Mrs. J. Alex Yeoman of Minehart drive announce the engagement of their daughter, Janice, to Gerald Salow, son of Mrs. Elsa Salow of Newburg road.

Patricia Granger Weds Wm. Osgood

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Osgood on Penniman avenue was festive with Christmas green and lighted tapers on Tuesday evening, December 26, when their son, William Warren Osgood, was united in marriage to Patricia Helen Granger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Granger of Concord avenue, Detroit. The Reverend Goodrich officiated at the seven o'clock rites before members of the immediate families and a few close friends.

Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schumacher of Surrey road announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty, to Mr. Jack Gazvoda son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gazvoda of Detroit. The young couple have not yet set a wedding date.

Hear Talks on Gardens Aboard

An international program will be presented by the Plymouth branch of the National Farm and Garden association on Monday, January 8 at 2 p.m. at the Veterans Memorial center. Dean Allen, a student at Michigan State college, will present a talk on German gardens, followed by Margaret Havalind, who will speak on French gardens. Hostesses for the day will be Mrs. A. G. Dohmen, Mrs. John Neale, Mrs. Peter R. Miller and Mrs. Roy Leemon.

Almeta Robinson Weds William E. Boehmer



The Parsonage of the First Baptist church was the setting on Saturday, December 23, for the marriage of Almeta Raye Robinson and William E. Boehmer. Reverend Benjamin Eicher officiated at the 2 o'clock rites. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Robinson of Gorman road and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boehmer of Laurel road in Livonia are the bridegroom's parents. Almeta chose a street length dress of navy blue satin with blue lace over pink taffeta bodice. Her corsage was of red rosebuds. The bride asked Miss Joyce Erickson to be her maid of honor. Her dress was of silver colored satin with black pin stripes and her corsage also was of rosebuds. The bridegroom's uncle, Raymond Daniel, performed the duties of best man and the bride's grandfather, R. S. Talbot, and Roy Banks seated the guests. Both young people attended Plymouth High school. Plans are being made for a wedding trip at a future date.

BIRTHS

Robert Kenneth is the name Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Holloway of Ypsilanti have chosen for their new son born on Saturday, December 30, in Beyer Memorial hospital, Ypsilanti. He weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces. Mrs. Holloway is the former Velda Rorbacher.

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Husbands Guests of Woman's Club

A special "Gentlemen's Night" program and banquet is set for January 11 by the members of the Plymouth Woman's club who will have their husbands as guests for this annual event. The dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple. John "Slingshot" Milligan will entertain with his slingshot stunts on the program. Milligan is national slingshot champion and has presented shows throughout the country. The Four Horsemen quartet from Michigan State Normal college are also on the program. Mrs. John Henderson is mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. William Hartmann and Mrs. Harry Brown are in charge of the banquet and tickets may be procured from Mrs. Edwin Bolton, Mrs. James Latture, Mrs. Walter Sumner, and Mrs. Henry Baker.

Engagement



Announcement is made of the engagement of Phyllis King, daughter of Mrs. Earl King, Detroit and the late Mr. King, to Robert J. Kimbrough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kimbrough of Plymouth.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sutherland of South Harvey street announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Anne to Richard Stephen Warga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Warga of Taylor township, Dearborn. No plans have been made for the wedding.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Ward of Pacific avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Ann, to James R. Ramsay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morrison C. Ramsay of Detroit. No date has been set for the wedding.

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FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST. Sunday services at 10:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. for pupils up to 20 years. "Christian Science" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, December 31. The Golden Text (John 16:12) is: "When he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth; for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak; and he will show you things to come." Among the Bible citations is this passage, (John 14:12): "Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father." Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p. 146): "Divine Science derives its sanction from the Bible, and the divine origin of Science is demonstrated through the holy influence of Truth in healing sickness and sin."

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PLYMOUTH ASSEMBLY OF GOD (Pentecostal). 42021 East Ann Arbor Trail. John Walasky, pastor. Mrs. Juanita Puckett, superintendent of Sunday school for all ages. Sunday school, 10 a.m. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Junior service at 6:30 p.m. and evening service, 7:30 p.m. Young People's meeting, 7:45 p.m. Tuesday, under the direction of Faith Brandt and Betty McCray. Wednesday mid-week service at 7:45 p.m. Ladies' Missionary Council, Thursday, January 11, will meet at the home of Mrs. Pummill, 37706 Plymouth road.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH. Harvey and Maple streets, Plymouth, Michigan. Rev. Alexander Miller, Rector. Sunday, January 7, first Sunday after the Epiphany; 8 a.m. Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Junior church, special showing of "Christopher Mouse," 11 a.m. Church school, 11 a.m. Holy Communion with sermon, "The Friend of Sinners," 6 p.m. the Epiphany "Feast of Lights Service," a service for the entire family, Wednesday, 10 a.m. Holy communion. Women's auxiliary meeting, Thursday, 6:45 p.m. Men's club, 8:30 p.m. Vestry meeting at the church, Friday, January 12, the Annual Parish meeting at the church at 8 p.m.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF Latter Day Saints. Services in Masonic Temple, Union St. at Penniman. Noble Gault, pastor. 18475 Floral Farmington. Sunday services: At 9:45 a.m. Church school, 11 a.m. Communion service, 1:30 p.m. Worship service, Elder The Edwards will be the speaker. Wednesday at 8 p.m. Prayer service at 561 Virginia street, Thursday, 1:00 p.m. Women's meeting at the home of Nora Knight on Brookville road. We extend a sincere invitation to you to meet with us in worship and study.

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Obituaries

Fay A. Welch
Funeral services will be held this Thursday, January 4 at 2 p.m. from the Schrader Funeral Home for Fay A. Welch who passed away Monday, January 1 at the age of 63 years.

Mr. Welch was the husband of the late Blanch Welch who preceded him in death on May 17, 1925. Surviving is his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Welch Cook of Plymouth; and two sisters, Mrs. John Metzger of Detroit and Mrs. Naomi Brackenburg of Plymouth, also his two brothers, Ray and Rollin Welch, both of Plymouth.

Rev. Alexander Miller will officiate. The active pallbearers will be Messrs. George Cromie, Orton Edwards, Earl Bisso, Benjamin Spicer, Walter Schultz and Mr. Sanderson. Interment will be in Riverside cemetery.

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"Good quality merchandise coupled with plenty of it to choose from is your answer to better business in Plymouth during the holidays," declared Sam Verona, owner of Plymouth Men's Wear. "I think the people like the friendly attitude of local merchants and local salespeople and, furthermore, because of this, really enjoy shopping here. Yes, 1950 was the best Christmas season business we have had in our three-year history here."

"In business here only three months, I didn't expect too much of a Christmas volume," said Gerald Pease of the Pease Wallpaper-Print store. "but I was amazed at the amount of buying in our store which doesn't sell generally thought-of Christmas merchandise."

Robert Simmons, proprietor of The Robert Simmons Company, Jewelers, said, "We enjoyed a very good Christmas business which was due, in part, I believe, to the all-over effort of local merchants and the Chamber of Commerce, in addition to there being a good selection of gifts for the holiday trade."

"Increased Christmas buying in Plymouth was due to the fact of the evergrowing population which is fast bringing Plymouth to the top of the list of leading Michigan cities," said Ivan Goldstein of the Goldstein Department store.

"Yes, I think our Christmas trade was better than any previous year because all Plymouth merchants had good stocks of all nationally advertised brands of merchandise which made Plymouth people want to shop in Plymouth," Deane Herrick, jeweler, said.

"Business this Christmas in our store was the best we've ever had," Wendell Lent of Davis & Lent Men's Wear store said. The increase shown all over the city indicates not only a growth in population, more people buying more things here, but also a local merchandising trend wherein Plymouth stores made a herculean effort to supply purchasers with the things they may previously have sought in other cities.

"We were very gratified with business of the Christmas season. It was far ahead of last year, and was due to the cooperative spirit of the merchants in providing values equal or better than could be found elsewhere, and the residents in patronizing local merchants first," said A. L. Lantz, vice-president of Blunk's, Inc.

Bob Beyer of Beyer Pharmacy said that this year they had the best Christmas business of any year in the 47-year history of the store which was due to Plymouth people doing their shopping here and also because of stimulus added through a contest he promoted.

Earl Willoughby of the Willoughby Brothers Shoe store said that theirs was the best holiday business since the war and attributed the increase to local factors not having an end-of-the-year layoff. There was more money for local purchasing, he said.

We prepared for increased buying this year through larger purchases and had the merchandise available when people came in for it. Walter Schultz, owner of the Dodge Drug store also thought the successful season was due to more employment with fewer layoffs.

"Plymouth is a better shopping town than ever before," said C. C. Wilke, owner of Community Pharmacy, and for that reason more shopping was done here this year. We had the best year we ever experienced. People seemed to be spending their money for less expensive things this year," he also said.

Prepare Annual Fund Reports

Reports on contributions made to the seven local agencies assisted by the Community Fund will be given at the annual meeting January 16. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. at the Veterans Memorial center.

All who are interested in the work of the organization are asked to attend the meeting. Election of officers will follow the business meeting. The regular meeting is scheduled for January 17.

Agencies aided by the Community Fund are the Well-Baby clinic, the Salvation Army, the Visiting Nurse association, the allied veterans council, the recreation commission, and the Boy and Girl Scouts.

Install Novel Sound Greeting

Kelsey's Service Station at 307 Starkweather street in Plymouth has a novel "bell cord" arrangement.

Usually a motorist seeking service rings for the attendant by driving over the bell cord stretched across the island area. However, with this new arrangement, instead of ringing a bell, the motorist trips off a sound recording that immediately alerts the customer with friendly motoring advice, stressing the quality of Kelsey service. Loud speakers suspended over the pumps carry the brief sales talk recording from the garage.

Work Progresses on School Building

Plymouth Township's Board of Education president, Robert O. Wesley expressed complete satisfaction recently with the building progress on all three units of the school expansion program.

Although George A. Smith grade school is already in use, final dedication ceremonies are delayed by unfinished minor touches as door knobs and some painting work. However, Mr. Wesley promised, dedication services will take place in January. Date to be decided by Principal Ruth Eriksson of George A. Smith school.

The work on Bird school is well on schedule with no delays anticipated at this time. However, recent cold weather has interfered with the high school additions. Contractors are expediting trouble with the swimming pool soil testing, but it should not be too serious to delay completion of the band room, swimming pool and gymnasium within the 14 months specified by contract.

All in all, everything is going smoothly. President Wesley concluded, unless of course, the national emergency and defense work creates serious material shortages, but we have no control over such eventualities.

With Our Men In Service

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Herriman received word their son, Pfc. Pat Herriman, reached Tokyo, Japan safely.

Marine Private First Class George Patrick Conlon, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dethloff, of 6385 Lilley road, was promoted to his present rank when he was graduated from "Boot Camp" on December 13.

Pfc. Dethloff enlisted in the Marine Corps on October 9. He was a recent graduate of Plymouth High school.

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I.O.O.F. NEWS

Tuesday, December 26 meeting of Tonquish Lodge No. 32 found a few of the brothers in lodge though the weather was bitter cold outside. The newly elected N.G. and V.G. qualified for their respective offices and some discussion about the progress of our new building was held.

Thursday night, December 28, some of the brothers helped carry coal upstairs so we could have heat for the last meeting of January 2, at which time the installation of your new officers will take place. Later the remainder of the load of coal was unloaded at our new hall so that heat could be maintained there.

Sunday, December 30, several brothers reported at our old lodge hall and helped move a lot of our belongings. Two or three of our members worked a good share of Sunday grading the floor of our new hall and laying sewers so we can get our concrete floor poured. Brothers, the completion of our new lodge hall rests at present on the shoulders of a certain few of your brothers. Please help in completing your building committee to complete our hall so we can get organized again. There is heat and lights in the new building and now that the Christmas holidays are over try and all get out and work hard to get our hall completed before spring. Contact Brother P. G. Gray or Brother P. G. Hearn when you can spare time to work on the hall. Any night or Sunday.

P. G. Trinkaus and Brother Edw. Cowger are on our sick list.

Junior High Boys' Basketball Organized

All boys in the sixth, seventh or eighth grade interested in playing in the "F" league report to the Plymouth High school gym Saturday morning, January 6, at 9:00. Bring your gym shoes and be ready to play ball.

Mr. Foster will be in charge and if enough boys are present, a league will be formed the first day of practice. The league must start January 13 if there is enough boys present to form one. All games will be played on Saturday mornings at 9:00-12:30.

If you have any local news items, club news or any social news, call 1755.

Recreation Dept. Classes

Thursday, Boys' "D" Basketball, 4-6; Adult Square Dance club, 8:30. Friday: Sledding, 4-6; Chess club, 7:30.

Saturday: Boys' "F" Basketball, 9-12; Teen-Age dance, 8:30. Monday: Sledding, 4-6; Badminton, 8-10; Symphony rehearsal, 8.

Tuesday: Junior Choir, 3:30-4:15; Junior High choir, 4:15-4:45; Boys' "E" Basketball, 4-6:30; Men's Gym class, 7:30-9:30.

Wednesday: Women's Swimming, 8-10; Tap, Ballet and Ballroom, 3:30-7.

SWIMMING The Women's Swimming class has been filled for the second week period. The class meets every Wednesday night at the Wayne County Training school.

The instructor is Mrs. Harold Shirey and the life guard is Bill De'Campo.

CERAMICS A beginners class in ceramics will start sometime in February if we have enough people who are interested. Mrs. Meier, the instructor, who comes here from Wayne, would like 20 people for a class.

The Typing, Women's Health and Sewing, and Art classes will start as soon as we can get enough people interested in making up a class. Call Mrs. Donnelly 2075 if you wish to enroll.

BADMINTON CLUB This club will resume their regular Monday night activities at the Wayne County Training school gym on January 8 at 8:30. This group is composed of adult men and women who enjoy the activity as well as the sociable atmosphere that prevails every Monday evening. For further information call Edyth Donnelly 434 after 5:00 or Jennie Donnelly 2075 in the Recreation office.

Bowling League

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Walt's 34 30 The Real Estate 32 32 Sells Body Shop 32 32 Huston Hardware 23 41 W.C.T.S. 18 46

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First National 2377 Hi Single Game—Team First National 858

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Hi 3-Game Total—Individual B. Butler 557 M. Robinson 536 R. Lyke 553

Local News in Brief

All Grange members are urged to attend the Grange meeting, tonight Thursday, January 4. This is an important meeting. Potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. followed by the installation of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Waara of Holbrook avenue entertained 14 guests from Plymouth and Northville at a New Year's eve party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeBar spent the New Year's weekend in Jasper, Michigan, as the house guests of their niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kleindinst.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Guthrie and family and their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cohlhepp, of Greensboro, Georgia, were guests at a pancake breakfast Sunday morning in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bird on Ann Arbor trail. That afternoon they attended an open house party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conley in Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vargha and son, Louis, and Mrs. Fred Schoomaker and three children attended a television party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stocker on Bentley avenue in Detroit.

Melvin Guthrie Jr. and Fred Bird Jr. of Plymouth, and John Poulos of Northville, spent from Wednesday until Friday skiing at Coberfear near Cadillac, Michigan.

Mrs. Fred Ballen of Burroughs avenue is in St. Joseph's hospital, Ann Arbor, suffering from a broken hip caused by a fall on Sunday.

Social items can be phoned to 1755.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Daniel and son, Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lyons, Miss Pauline Peck, and C. H. Bennett, were the New Year's dinner guests of Harry S. Lee in Franklin Village.

Charles, Doris, and Richard Root entertained at dinner on Christmas day for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Root, Mrs. and Mr. John John Bortine and little son, formerly of Latvia, Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cohlhepp left on Wednesday morning for their home in Greensboro, Georgia, following a holiday visit with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Guthrie in their home on Newburg road.

Mr. Otto Beyer had as her guests last Friday evening at canasta and luncheon, Mrs. George Britcher, Mrs. James Gothard, Mrs. Maurice Garchow, Mrs. Floyd Burgett, and Miss Amelia Gayde.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Ingall of Joy road entertained at a New Year's party on Saturday evening, December 3. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. John Root, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Root Sr.

Miss Shirley Hopkins and Larry Finney entertained a group of their school friends Saturday evening at Shirley's home on Blunk street. The party was also a farewell for Bob Houghton who leaves on January 16 for service with the Army.

New Year's day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple in their home on Penniman avenue were Dr. and Mrs. Albert Logan and sons, David and Robert, Mr. George Gill of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Madeline Wood.

Sealed bids for the purchase of general obligation bonds to be issued by Plymouth Township School District, Township of Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan, of the par value of Two Hundred and Forty-Five Thousand Dollars, (\$245,000) will be received by the undersigned at the Board of Education Offices, High School Building, Plymouth, Michigan, in said School District, until 8:00 o'clock, p.m., Eastern Standard Time on the 17th day of January, 1951, at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened and read.

Said bonds will be dated January 1, 1951, will be coupon bonds in the denomination of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) each, will be numbered consecutively in the direct order of their maturities from one (1) to two hundred and forty-five (245), both inclusive, will bear interest from their date at a rate or rates not exceeding three per cent (3%) per annum, expressed in multiples of 1/4 of 1%.

Said interest will be payable on the first day of October, 1951, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of April and October in each year. The interest rate for each coupon period on any one bond shall be at one rate only. Accrued interest to date of delivery of such bonds shall be paid by the purchaser at time of delivery.

Said bonds will mature serially Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) on the first day of April in each of the years 1952 to 1962, both inclusive, and Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) on the first day of April in each of the years 1963 to 1966, both inclusive.

Both principal and interest will be payable at a bank or trust company to be designated by the purchaser of the bonds.

Bonds numbered one (1) to sixty (60), inclusive, maturing in the years 1952 to 1955, both inclusive, shall not be subject to prior redemption.

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\$ 5.00 on each bond called for redemption on or after April 1, 1961, but prior to April 1, 1963.

No premium shall be paid on bonds called for redemption on or after April 1, 1963.

Notice of redemption shall be given to the holders of the bonds to be redeemed by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption, at least once in a newspaper or publication circulated in the State of Michigan which carries, as part of its regular service, notices of sale of municipal bonds.

For the purpose of awarding the bonds the interest cost of each bid will be computed by determining, at the rate or rates specified therein, the total dollar value of all interest on the bonds from February 1, 1951, to their maturity and deducting therefrom any premium. The bonds will be awarded to the bidder whose bid on the above computation produces the lowest interest cost to the School District. Each bidder shall state in his bid the interest cost to the School District, computed in the manner above specified. No proposal for the purchase of less than all the bonds or at a price less than 100% of their par value will be considered.

The said bonds are payable from ad valorem taxes subject to such limitation upon said taxing power as may result from the provisions of Section 21, Article X of the Michigan Constitution and the Michigan Property Tax Limitation Act.

A certified or cashier's check in an amount of \$4,900.00, drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company and payable to the order of the Treasurer of the School District, must accompany each bid as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, to be forfeited as liquidated damages if such bid be accepted and the bidder fails to take up and pay for the bonds. No interest shall be allowed on the good faith checks and checks of unsuccessful bidders will be promptly returned to each bidder's representative or by registered mail.

Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified opinion of Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, Attorneys, Penobscot Building, Detroit, Michigan, which opinion will be furnished, without expense to the purchaser of the bonds prior to the delivery thereof, approving the legality of the bonds. The purchaser shall furnish bonds ready for execution at his expense. Bonds will be delivered without expense to the purchaser at a place to be designated by the purchaser.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lidgard and family were Christmas eve guests of Mr. Lidgard's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielden of South Harvey street.

Mrs. George Springer has been confined to her home on North Mill street because of illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kipper of Five Mile road and their son had as their guests on New Year's day. Mr. Kipper's relatives including: 1st Lt. and Mrs. Charles Wahl, of Hamilton Field, California; Capt. and Mrs. Edward Knopka and son of Detroit; Prof. Walter Kline and Dr. Anne Kline of the University of Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Vachmann and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Vachmann and son, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vachmann and sons, Mrs. Fred Vachmann, Mrs. Adamine Kipper, George Hawkins, Miss Elaine Wahl, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frick and children, all of Detroit. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent reminiscing.

Mrs. Julia Pettibone and daughter, Ellen, of Wayne, were guests of Mrs. Perry Hix on Warren road last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Blunk entertained at a family dinner last Thursday evening at their home on Arthur street. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blunk, Major and Mrs. William Kirkpatrick and son of Camp McCoy, Wisconsin; Pfc. Douglas Blunk of Scott, Field, Illinois; Miss Joyce Foshee, Mrs. Anna Williams and daughters, Sally and Betsy of Plymouth; Mr. and Mrs. Mabel Blunk, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Blunk and daughter, Mrs. Nina Blunk, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Potter and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. John Radosky.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor entertained 30 guests at an open house last Wednesday evening in their home on Ridgeway Drive honoring their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Stalker of Hinsdale, Illinois, former Northville residents.

The Reverend and Mrs. Alexander Miller of Blunk avenue were hosts on New Year's eve at a dinner for Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Williams and daughters, Sally and Betsy of Plymouth; Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Whitehead and children, Robert and Sherry, of Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Arnold have returned to their home on Burroughs avenue after vacationing a month in Iowa, Oklahoma, Florida, and Alabama. They spent Christmas with Mrs. Arnold's brother, Charles Gustin and family, in Cloverdale, Alabama.

Harold Shirey of Ann Arbor road flew from Strathleven, Scotland, to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday with his family. Harold, who is employed with the Burroughs Adding Machine company, will return to Scotland early in January.

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Dr. and Mrs. Elmore Carney and sons of Penniman avenue were New Year's day dinner guests of Mrs. Charles Draper on Church street.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple of Penniman avenue, at their customary New Year's eve party were, Mr. and Mrs. Evered Jolliffe, Mr. and Mrs. R. Horreisel, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Moon, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Walch, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. VanOrnum, Mr. and Mrs. George Chute, Mrs. Madeline Wood, and Miss Czarinna Penney.

Christmas day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Sausone in Detroit were their brother and wife, Cpl. and Mrs. Thomas Drulia and son, David, of Ft. Bragg, North Carolina; their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drulia, of VanDyke; their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeBar of Plymouth; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sausone and daughter, Bee, and their aunt, Mrs. Louise Sausone, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vargha and son, Louis, Mrs. Fred Schoemaker and three sons, enjoyed a belated Christmas party on Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wayne Rogers in Detroit.

Ted Thrasher, who has been spending the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Thrasher of Lakeland Court, returned to his studies at Ohio State University on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foley and daughter, Patricia, and Mrs. Parmalee of Sheridan avenue were the Christmas eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar Davis and family of Burroughs avenue.

Pfc. John J. Thomas, U.S.M.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Thomas of Ford road, arrived home on Friday morning from Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, to spend New Year's with his parents.

Mrs. Lydia Drews of North Main street was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kahrl Drews and family in their new home on Boston Post road.

Miss Kathleen Blossom, who has been working in Chicago, Illinois, for the past two months in connection with her studies at Antioch college, spent the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blossom on Adams street. Kathleen will return to Antioch next week.

Mrs. Valetta Lewis of Northville road arrived home on Thursday evening after spending Christmas with her son and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lewis in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McConnell of North Harvey street spent Christmas in Grand Rapids with their daughter and family.

Recruit James McAllister, who is attending the Adjutant General's school in Ft. Lee, Virginia, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McAllister on Northville road.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daniel of Madison, Wisconsin, and Miss Barbara Ann Daniel of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, were guests over the holidays in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Daniel of Melrose avenue, Rosedale Gardens.

Mrs. Nellie Lidgard is spending the remainder of the winter with her son, Clarence and family in Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houghtaling were New Year's eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Minock of South Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Hitt entertained 40 guests at an open house in honor of their holiday guests. Mr. and Mrs. Odene Hitt and three children of Washington, D. C., Pfc. Terrence Hitt of Scott Field, Illinois, Cpl. Monte Hines of Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Day and two sons of East Detroit, and Roy Rickard and daughter Beverly, of Toledo, Ohio.

Among those from Plymouth attending the Allied Youth dance at the Masonic Temple in Detroit on New Year's eve were Miss Barbara Johnson, Bruce McGreggor, Miss Mary Lou Hartwick, and Stan Finch.

Warner Brown, Y.N.S.I. of Great Lakes, Illinois, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brown of Sheridan avenue. Mrs. Brown and two children, who are living with her parents in Ferndale also visited here. Y.N.S.I. Brown is a Veteran of World War II, served 3 years and 9 months on an ammunition carrier and destroyer on the Pacific. Before returning to active duty in October he was official court reporter to Judge Carl K. Leibbrand in Bay City. He is now with the Navy District Legal office at Great Lakes.

The Bartlett School Mothers club will meet next Wednesday evening, January 10, at 8 o'clock. Arrangements have been completed to have as their January speaker, a dental consultant from the Michigan State Health department. All mothers are urged to attend in the interest of their child's dental health. Refreshments will be reserved.

Members of the Sunshine club will meet Wednesday, January 10, in the home of Margaret Presley on Curtis road. Birthday guests are Pearl Ritchie and Mary Gardiner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Drews of North Harvey street spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter and family in Menasha, Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bahas and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartwick and daughter, Mary Lou, were Friday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Orndorf of Northville road.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stalker of Hinsdale, Illinois, were house guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor of Ridgeway drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Schiefele and daughter, Lynceeta, of Kansas City, Kansas, left today, Thursday, for their home following a holiday visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin, and other relatives in Plymouth and Detroit.

Christmas weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Garchow of Bradner road were Mrs. George Thorsby of Royal Oak, and Mr. and Mrs. William Gibbons of Coldwater.

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New Year's eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Guthrie in their home on Newburg road were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ayres, and Judge and Mrs. James Sexton.

New Year's eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Thomas of Ford road were Mr. and Mrs. William McMillan and daughter, Rosemary. The dinner honored their son, John, home on a ten day furlough from the Marine Corps base at Lejeune, North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ebert and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ebert were guests New Year's eve of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hosmer in Detroit. Other guests included Mrs. Thomas of Lake Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sippel Sr., of Ferndale, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sippel Jr. and children of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Christmas and Paul Jr., and Mr. Robert Christmas of Ann Arbor were the New Year's day guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell of Ann street.


Mr. and Mrs. James Thrasher of Lakeland Court held open house on Sunday and Monday for guests from Northville, Detroit, Ypsilanti, and Plymouth.

Jane Pierce, Ronald Witt, Gladys Witt, Roger Kidston, Clifford McClumphia, Rita Datcher enjoyed a toboggan party on Friday afternoon at the Kidston farm; later returning to the Witt home for supper and the evening.

Mrs. Charles O. Lueke spent the Christmas and New Year holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Barnett and family in Garden City, Mrs. Alva Barnett of Roodhouse, Illinois, arrived at Willow Run airport in time for the New Year. The stork also paid a visit to the Barnett home on New Year's day leaving a baby girl, Carolyn Jean. Mrs. Barnett is the former Rosemary Lueke, of Plymouth.

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While it is right for us to give first and most diligent attention to the military defenses of our country, such organizations as the Western Wayne County Conservation clubs and other groups should RIGHT NOW redouble their efforts and plans to protect to the limit and develop as far as possible the conservation of the natural resources of our great state. We owe that effort to the young men and women we are calling upon to save this country from its wicked enemies.

During the past years we have frequently made comment about the SUCCESSFUL effort that was made some 25 or more years ago to develop a herd of elk in this state. During the administration of John Baird as conservation director, some 50 or 60 elk were brought to Michigan from a western state and turned loose in the Pigeon river valley east of Vanderbilt in northern Michigan. The Conservation department now reports that there are

probably some 250 or 300 of these elk roaming the forests in that part of the state. They have done well—their greatest enemy being the cheap, low-down fellow who calls himself a sportsman but takes a pot-shot at every opportunity at one of these elk. Never a year goes by but what half a dozen or more of these elk are killed. Hunters can't remove them because of their size.

But they can cut out some choice pieces of meat and get away with it.

We have recommended several times that a good portion of the Pigeon river area be closed to deer hunting in an effort to enable the elk herd to develop. We hope that some day the conservation commission will do something about it.

In addition to closing this area to deer hunters, we would like to suggest, too, that MORE elk be planted in this area.

According to a recent report of the Wildlife Management Institute, it is going to be necessary for the federal government to kill off or move a goodly portion of the famed Yellowstone valley elk herd in order to preserve the scenic values and unique vegetation of that area. Some 3,500 elk must be taken from that district.

Why not transplant a goodly portion of this number to the Pigeon river valley, which, conservation men say can easily support a herd of many thousands of elk, providing the game law violator can be curtailed.

It is reported that overpopulation of elk already has resulted in severe damage to the winter range of the elk, many acres have been denuded, erosion has started, and the existence of other forms of wildlife in the Yellowstone area is threatened. Public hunting is forbidden within the park and large predators are generally absent. The only present population control lies in hunting while the animals are still on summer range outside the boundaries of the park. When elk move into the wintering areas early, as they have in the past two years, the hunters' take may be less than 50 head a year. Under almost complete protection, the herd has ballooned, a process that will continue until starvation pricks the over-extended structure. Complete and possibly permanent collapse can be prevented only by relieving the pressure through herd reductions.

Several suggestions have been advanced as alternatives to killing the elk. One that has received serious thought on the part of some, who are understandably appalled at the thought of the necessary slaughter, is that the

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By Carl Peterson

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We want to extend a hearty welcome to the new Kroger Food Department Store, opening Tuesday, Jan. 9, on Forest Ave. Such a fine store should be a boon to the prosperity of Plymouth, and a good step in the right direction in this New Year—1951.

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animals be transplanted elsewhere. Advocates of this approach apparently are not aware of the cost of a live-trapping program of the scope proposed and may not know that a trapping program has been going on in Yellowstone since 1892. Up to last year, 5,920 elk had been moved from the park to restock unoccupied range elsewhere or for sale to zoos. Last year a new trap costing \$8,500 was constructed there. Several more structures of this size would be needed at once to move the desired number of elk within a short time. Once the animals were captured, reports the Wildlife Management Institute, the problem of where to put them still would remain. Few states have unoccupied elk range where the elk could be introduced without conflicting with agriculture or native wildlife. By one means or another, the herd must be reduced. It will be unfortunate for the elk themselves if sentiment and impractical alternatives are permitted to cloud the major issue. (So why not transport them to Michigan?)

Tally of State Park Visitors Shows Decline

As winter activities thread into the state park scene, the conservation department announces 11,447,000 visitors and 40,500 campers tallied by the 60 park and recreation area managers. Attendance through last year at this time totaled 12,255,000 visitors and 45,400 campers, with good spring weather responsible for early crowds.

Grand Haven continues to be the most popular park with 1,235,000 visitors, followed by Dodge park No. 4 with an attendance of 1,007,000 persons. Other locations attracting largest number of users include Bay City with 909,000; Holland, 831,000; Island Lake, 703,000; Sterling, 694,000; Muskegon, 635,000; and East Tawas, 360,000. So far Sterling and East Tawas parks both are showing increases over comparative attendance totals of last year. Fort Wilkins leads upper peninsula parks with 143,000 patrons.

Seven parks are closed for the season, including Aloha, Benzie, D. H. Day, Gladwin, Mears, White Cloud and Bloomer No. 1. Other locations with winter sport or deer camping facilities will continue to be open to the public.

Your Police Department Speaks
 Written by members of Plymouth's Police department

The police department makes an appeal to motorists to help police reduce accidents in January and February, the two worst months of the year for severe weather and road conditions.

The chief issued the following suggestions for driving during "snow and ice conditions":

1. Get the "feel" of the road when starting out by trying your brakes gently when no other vehicles are near.
2. Adjust speed of vehicle to weather and road conditions. Be especially careful at school zones, intersections, crossings, curves and bridges.
3. For severe snow and ice conditions, use tire chains. Even cars equipped with "winterized" tires need chains when streets are especially slippery, the chief warned, because only steel chains bite into hard-packed snow or ice and cut stopping distance in half.
4. Be sure windshield wiper blades wipe clean without dangerous smear, and that defrosters are working.
5. Keep your brakes equalized. Brakes that are not will grab and swerve your car more easily on snow and ice.
6. Be sure your lights are properly aimed. Never drive so fast that you can't stop within the distance you can see.
7. Never jam on the brakes to stop on slippery streets. "Pump" your brakes gently to avoid throwing the car into a skid.

A majority of all winter traffic accidents in typical snowbelt states occur on ice or snow, although such conditions prevail on streets and highways a comparatively small part of the time. The main hazards are reduced traction, poor visibility, and speeds too fast for conditions. If motorists will just keep this in mind, we'll have fewer accidents, and fewer people will go to the hospital.

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Local News in Brief

New Years day Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burgett entertained over 40 guests in their home on Northville road.

Mrs. Oliver Herrick is convalescing at Sessions hospital, Northville, following a major operation which she underwent on December 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Austin and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown attended the wedding reception of Beverly Belanger and Robert Meldrum in Detroit on Sunday evening.

The Salvation Army Ladies' Home league met with Mrs. William Roberts Thursday, December 28 for their annual Christmas party. The planning committee for the dinner was Mable Donahue and Estelle Wall. Secret sister gifts were exchanged and new names were drawn for the next quarter.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard I. Daniel of Adams street entertained 16 guests preceding the Symphony Snowball on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Jones of Penniman avenue held open house Christmas eve to a large number of their friends.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Bell of Ann Arbor and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartwick and daughter, Mary Lou, were Tuesday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce and daughter, Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. John Root, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cole, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ritchie, and Mrs. Lavina Cole were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson in Wayne.

Russell Kirk left Friday for St. Andrews college in Scotland where he will study for his Doctor's Degree. He expects to be gone about two years. Russell is the grandson of Mrs. Frank Pierce Sr., and has a sister and several other relatives living in Plymouth.

Miss Ann Hopkins spent last weekend as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Swantek in Grosse Pointe.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wolfe of Benton Harbor have been guests in the L. N. Dickerson home on Fairground avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beyer were hosts at a toboggan party on Friday night honoring Miss Marjorie Horie who is visiting here from her home in California. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Moe, Tom Carmody, Miss Jean Carmody, and Charles Finlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gutherie were guests one evening over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sven Eklund of Adams street.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vealey were hosts on Christmas eve to members of their family including Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vealey, Mr. and Mrs. Knapp and three sons of New Hudson, and Mr. and Mrs. Hickman and two boys, of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burgett of Port Huron spent last week with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burgett, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Burgett, and Mr. and Mrs. William Michaels.

Mr. and Mrs. Valbert Groth of Hammond, Indiana, were holiday weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Groth. Other guests on Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Gar Evans and two boys, of Plymouth.

Mrs. William Hartmann entertained her bridge club Thursday evening in her home on Blunk avenue.

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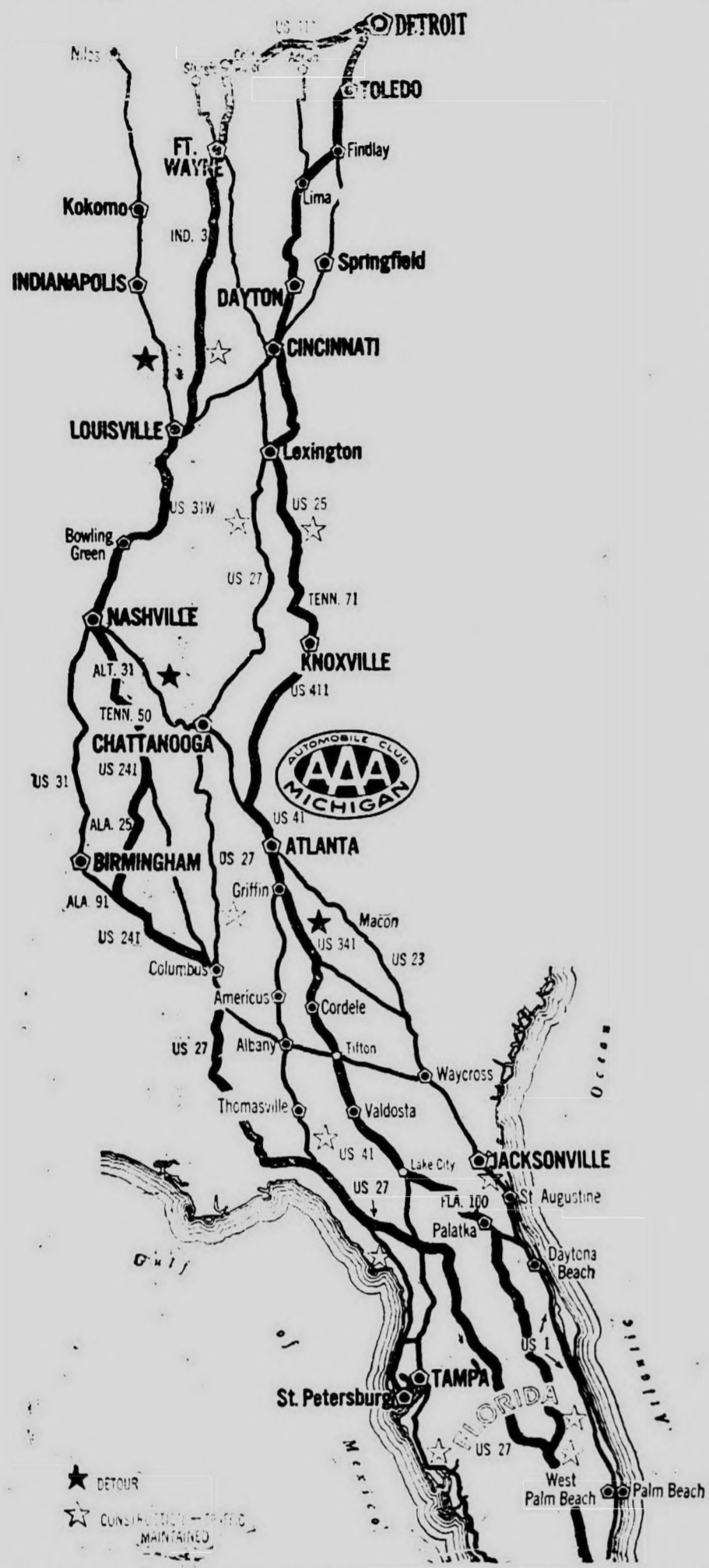
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Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Welton of Caro are spending a few weeks in Plymouth with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. William Welton and Mr. Blake Fisher. Rev. Welton is convalescing following a serious illness.

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Anne Hopkins entertained at a spaghetti supper on Thursday night of last week having as her guests a group of schoolmates from Michigan State college in East Lansing. Guests included: George Abraham, Barbara Anne Rasch, C. C. Don Stewart, Ft. Riley, Kansas, Susan Dyerle, Thomas E. Swartz, and Sarah Hopkins.

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On New Year's eve Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple were hosts to large groups of friends at a watch night bridge supper, in their home on Penniman avenue. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willoughby, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Hoheisel, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Dykhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Rolfe Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Truesdell and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stark and son, Charles, were dinner guests, New Year's day, of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Minehart in their home on Main street.

Miss Janet Pankow is spending the week with her grandfather and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs.

Cherryhill News

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Freedle entertained friends from Detroit Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gustin and family spent Christmas day with Mrs. Anna Gustin of Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe West and family of Plymouth were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Dunstan.

Mrs. Jennie Hauk, Knudt Jorgensen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hauk and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe West of Plymouth Christmas day.

Mrs. Louisa West spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Earl West of Plymouth.

The Book club met with Mrs. E. Moyer Wednesday afternoon. The funeral of Ralph Jameson was held at Moore's Funeral Home in Ypsilanti on Friday afternoon. Burial was at Cherryhill cemetery. Mr. Jameson's family were former residents of Cherryhill.

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City Attorney Arlo Emery, who holds the rank of lieutenant colonel in the reserve army of the United States, has just been elected president of the Michigan Department of The Reserve Officers' association.

Elizabeth Ann DeWaele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred DeWaele, Sr., of Bay City, became the bride of Mae J. Donnelly, son of Mrs. Gayle Donnelly, of this city, and the late Arthur Donnelly, at a wedding ceremony performed on Thursday morning, December 26, in the St. James church in Bay City.

On New Year's eve Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple were hosts to a large group of friends at a watch night bridge supper, in their home on Penniman avenue. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willoughby, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hohensel, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Dykhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Rolfe Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Truesdall and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stark.

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Pankow, of William street. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pursell of North Harvey street have Mrs. Pursell's father visiting with them from Niagara Falls, Ontario.

Miss Mabel Spicer spent several days of last week with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wakely, of Highland Park. On Christmas eve she was one of a party of ten who enjoyed a beautiful Christmas tree and late supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hays Powless, of Highland Park.

The total fire loss in the city of Plymouth for the year, with four days remaining in 1940, amounts to \$37,580, according to Fire Chief Fred Wagenschutz. While the amount of the fire loss in the city limits is heavier than usual, the number of fires reported, totaling nine for the year, is exceptionally low. The largest single fire which accounts for \$30,000 of the total loss was the blaze in the Willoughby Brothers' Walk-Over Boot shop and adjacent stores on Main street last May.

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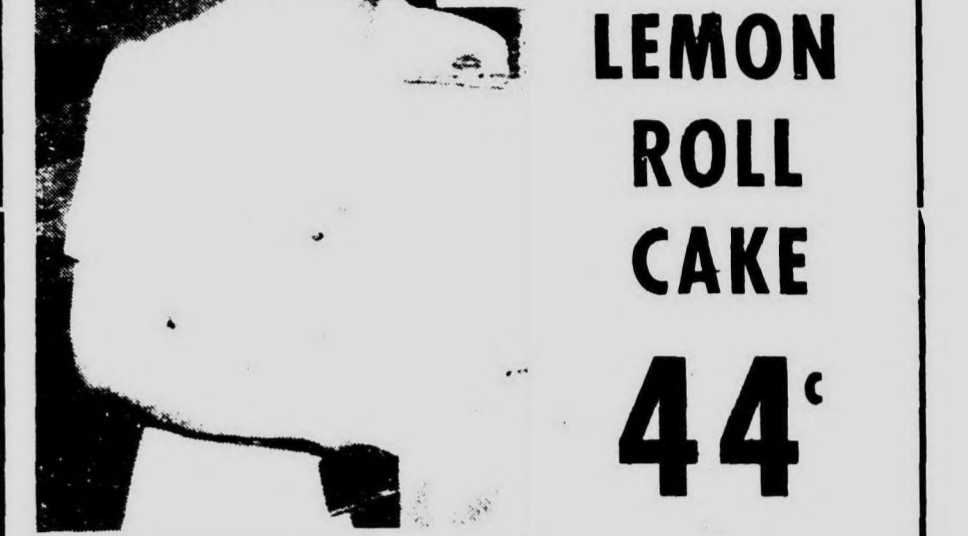
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"LET'S DANCE"
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TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY — JAN. 9-10
Richard Widmark — Linda Darnell
"NO WAY OUT"

THURSDAY ONLY — JAN. 11
June Allyson — Dick Powell
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FRIDAY-SATURDAY — JAN. 12-13
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"RIO GRANDE"

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