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Year of Happy Change

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"The old things are passed away, behold, all things are become new!" II. Cor. 5:17

A new note of optimism is in the land; a new note of unity, of determination and resolve to get behind our new president and to strive with all our will for a better world order:

"Ring out the old, ring in the new,
Ring, happy bells, across the snow;
The year is going, let him go,
Ring out the false, ring in the true.

"Ring out the grief that saps the mind,
For those that here we see no more;
Ring out the feud of rich and poor,
Ring in redress to all mankind.

"Ring out the slowly dying cause,
And ancient forms of party strife;
Ring in the nobler modes of life,
With sweeter manners, purer laws.

"Ring out the want, the care, the sin,
The faithless coldness of the times;
Ring out, ring out my mournful rhymes,
But ring the fuller minstrel in.

"Ring out false pride in place and blood,
The civic slander and the spite;
Ring in the love of truth and right,
Ring in the common love of good.

"Ring out old shapes of foul disease;
Ring out the narrowing lust of gold;
Ring out the thousand wars of old,
Ring in the thousand years of peace.

"Ring in the valiant man and free,
The larger heart, the kindlier hand;
Ring out the darkness of the land,
Ring in the Christ that is to be!"

—Tennyson

That seems to cover about everything that we need in our times. Obviously, the old things, "false pride, civic slander and spite, the narrowing lust of gold, the faithless coldness of our times" must be renounced, if all things are to become new. The darkness will not be banished from the world, until and unless we let the Light of God, the Christ, shine forth again in our faith and in our lives!

The Good Book has the answer: "If any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away, behold, all things are become new. And all things are of God who hath reconciled us to Himself by Jesus Christ! —We pray you in Christ's stead: be ye reconciled unto God!"

As Eisenhower said in one of his campaign speeches, the old bygone piety and faith in God, the old God-fearing order and way of life must be revived in our people, if we are to survive. One man, and though the nation be united solidly behind him, cannot bring back

"the nobler modes of life,
with sweeter manners, purer laws,—
the love of truth and right,—
the common love of good,—
the thousand years of peace,—
the larger heart, the kindlier hand."

Today is a good time for each one of us to make a solemn pledge with ancient Joshua:

"As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord!"

To achieve this truly, make these New Year's resolutions from the pages of Scripture your own:

1. "I will not forget THY WORD!" Psalm 119:16
2. "IN THE CONGREGATION will I bless the Lord!" Psalm 26:12
3. "I will run the way of THY COMMANDMENTS!" Psalm 119:32
4. "I will PRAY with spirit, and with understanding also!" I. Cor. 14:15
5. "I will OFFER to Thee the SACRIFICE OF THANKSGIVING!" Psalm 116:17
6. "I will DELIVER THE POOR that cry, the fatherless, and him that hath none to help him!" Job 29:21
7. "I will PUBLISH the name of the Lord!" Deut. 32:3

Babson's Outlook for 1953

Emphasis Placed on Keener Business Methods As Boom Seen Running Out; War Uncertain

1. Business will start the year 1953 in high gear. The pace will slacken, however, as the year unfolds, with total business volume for 1953 smaller than for 1952. The powerful supports of the Great Boom— construction and automobiles— will lose strength as the year advances.

2. Barring World War III, 1953

will find business operating under less government control than any year since outbreak of the Korean War. But don't expect removal of price controls to help profit margins.

Intense Competition Predicted
3. Salient economic feature is the fact that our productive capacity has now been expanded to

the point where, barring World War III, output can take care of both arms and civilian needs.

4. The handwriting is on the wall against inefficient operators. Their days are numbered. The successful businessman next year will be the one who can control his costs and stay out front in his market.

5. I strongly urge my business friends to get out and sell, and sell hard next year; but hire the best cost accountants you can for the back office. "Order takers" will find fewer jobs as 1953 moves along.

War and Peace
6. My forecasts for 1953 are made on the assumption that World War III will not strike during the year. However, I want to make it clear that "all bets are off" the day Stalin dies or retires.

7. The H-bomb gives us another lease on time. Our first lease, from Hiroshima in 1945 to the Russian A-bomb explosion in 1949, was frittered away in idle bickering. This time we will have another "breather." It may be our last chance.

8. 1953 will be most important

in the struggle for World Peace. We will need more than an H-bomb to win the peace; We shall need a great rise of spiritual strength, which is not now evident.

No New Business Boom

9. The long business boom following World War II was beginning to run out of steam when the Korean War gave it a new lease on life. However, the stimulus of defense spending is already fading. Barring further international troubles, defense activity in 1953 will be a floor under, and not a new stimulus to, business activity.

10. Capital expansion will move into a readjustment phase sometime in 1953. This has been an outstanding economic force behind our long period of good times. Nevertheless, I do not now anticipate any sharp break in business. If a slide starts it should be gradual, not steep.

11. Big credit expansion has been a powerful shot in the arm for business during the past two years. I predict that in 1953 loan repayments will become

Don't Forget 1st Baby Contest

A reminder to expectant mothers — a host of prizes await the first baby born in 1953 in this area! As announced in last week's Plymouth Mail, eight local merchants have a big array of gifts for Mr. or Miss 1953. Parents must be residents of Plymouth (having Plymouth mailing address) and must notify The Plymouth Mail of exact time of birth before 5 p.m. January 5. The physician's signature must accompany the notice.

36 Families Get Goodfellow Gifts

Helping make sure that no child or family brought to their attention went without a gift-filled Christmas, the city's Goodfellows Christmas Eve delivered a truckload of over 400 packages to 36 families.

"Each of the families was in dire need of help," President Ernest Rossow said.

He noted that practical gifts

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600,000 Pieces of Xmas Mail Set New Record

Postmaster George Timpona announced today that a record number of over 600,000 pieces of mail passed through the Plymouth post office in a two-week period ending Christmas eve.

Machine stamp cancellations mounted to 553,000 this year, Timpona said, as opposed to 545,000 first class pieces counted during the same period in 1951.

He said that additional thousands of hand-cancelled parcels and third class mail added to the pre-Christmas rush, estimating that the number of these might run as high as 45,000.

Pointing out the record year, Timpona said that none of the deliveries or outgoing mail included some 4,000 persons in Livonia served by the Plymouth branch in 1951. Some three weeks ago, Livonia's branch office was made a part of the Detroit postal network.

Timpona said he was fearful that by Christmas, 1953, the present post office facilities will be inadequate to process the increase.

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10 to 20 Percent Consumers Gas Hike Now Official

The Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing this week handed Plymouth gas customers of Consumers Power company along with some 330,000 other users a 14.3 percent average increase in rates.

Consumers won the \$5,328,000 annual increase as some customers were opening less fanciful presents on Christmas eve. The boost was earlier approved by MPSC, nearly two weeks ago, but effectiveness was held up until the company filed a revised rate schedule to put it into effect. The company filed the schedule over a week ago.

It will immediately boost natural gas bills by 20 percent for domestic users, 15 per cent for space-heating customers and 10 percent for small industrial users, said MPSC Chairman John H. McCarthy. He noted that larger industrial users will get a 3.6 percent hike.

Broken down, it will cost domestic users a total of \$1,623,000 more a year for gas, space-heating customers \$3,236,000 and industrial users \$469,000.

Space-heating customers will pay about \$26 more annually, a company statement said. It added that domestic users without space heating will pay an average of 68 cents a month more.

Threshold of the Future

May the bells, horns and whistles that clamor in that hairbreadth of time dividing the New Year from the old re-echo in your heart with happiness and hope throughout all of 1953. Let us all celebrate the New Year, and after the first great din of festivity begins to fade, we will have time yet to review quietly the accomplishments and aspirations of the past 12 months.

The past year, we are thankful to say, has given us many instances in which our friends have demonstrated their consideration and sincere desire to help in our efforts to keep our readers informed about the affairs of this community. That is why we stop now, at the threshold of a New Year, to wish you, our subscribers and advertisers, all the bountiful success that this community provides.

We are grateful to you, and we thank you. And now, back to the lights and streamers and music and merriment that resounds with that convivial refrain . . .

HAPPY NEW YEAR



SALE OF THE FIRST Goodfellow edition was made by John Lietz to the Plymouth BPO Elks. Lietz (l.) is shown receiving a check for \$150 from Elk Exalted Ruler James Keyes. Other Goodfellows looking on are (l. to r.) Jerry Gignac, Milan Frank, James Gallimore, Ernest Rossow, Fred Hadley, and Earl Gray.



MORE MONEY for the Goodfellows was received by Goodfellow Jerry Gignac from H. Philip Barney who turned over all coffee proceeds for the day taken in at Barney's Plymouth Grill.

January 16 Registration Deadline Set as Polling Nears on Primary

City Clerk Lamont C. B. Gole today warned non-franchised residents that they have until January 16 to register with his office for the voting privilege.

The January 16 deadline is in preparation for a county primary held on February 16. On the county level voters here will nominate candidates for county auditor and 18 circuit judge posts, BeGole said.

He noted that the primary may also see candidates for the Third Judicial District seeking nominations for circuit court posts in that bailiwick. He pointed out,

Goal of \$1500 Set For March of Dimes Drive Goodwin Heads Campaign That Starts Here January 2

With 1,102 Wayne county cases of poliomyelitis in 1952 serving as a tragic reminder Plymouthites were today informed of the 1953 March of Dimes drive that gets underway here January 2 with a minimum goal of \$1,500.

Chairman of the local drive that ends January 31 is Walter Goodwin, Plymouth high school instructor.

"In 1952 not only our county but Michigan and the entire nation suffered the worst polio epidemic in history," Goodwin said.

He pointed out that in Wayne county alone the dread disease cost the Infantile Paralysis Foundation \$424,610 for a 10 months period of care for afflicted patients. Over \$213,900 of this amount was received from the National Epidemic Aid Fund, Goodwin pointed out, "because our chapter's treasury was exhausted."

Part of those funds went to care for six Plymouthites who so far this year have been struck

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MARCH OF DIMES



JANUARY 2-31

Three Suffer Minor Injuries as Autos Collide

Three persons were injured, one seriously, in two automobile crashes on city streets, in a pre-Christmas prelude to the year-end double holidays.

Suffering head injuries just a week ago was Mrs. Jennie Cramer, 74, of 443 North Harvey.

She was a passenger in a car driven by John L. Teets, 22, of the same address, when it was struck by a second car near South Harvey and Penniman intersection. Force of the impact of the car driven by Juan C. Dawson, 25, of 33951 Wadsworth, forced Mrs. Cramer to plunge forward from the seat, striking her head against the windshield. She was treated at a local physician's office.

Police said the accident came as the Dawson car ploughed into the Teets' vehicle parked at the curb. Dawson told police an oncoming car going north on Harvey forced him to veer off striking the Teets' car on the opposite side of the road.

A second accident that caused minor injuries to Wilbur Ireland, 24, of 50480 Powell road, and Albert Olson, 42305 Schoolcraft, last Wednesday night sent them to Wayne County General Hospital for treatment.

Police said the Ireland car struck the Torpey vehicle after turning onto Starkweather from Farmer street.

Salvation Army Active During Xmas Season

The lone vigil of Salvation Army workers who for nearly a month chimed the Christmas bell beside the contribution kettle paid off Christmas day in gifts and happiness.

Captain William H. Roberts said in a report that 28 persons received grocery orders and food baskets and two others clothing issues.

In addition 118 toys and miscellaneous gifts were distributed, with 125 boxes of candy, a crate of oranges and two crates of apples during the festive season.

Helping add joy and Christmas to youths at Northville State Hospital, the Salvation Army also presented a television set to the hospital.

Incumbent Judge Seeks Election to Six-Year Post

Municipal Judge Nandino Perlongo today said he would seek reelection to the lower court bench on which he has served for the last four years.

Perlongo officially announced his candidacy for nomination in next spring's election after filing his nomination petition December 22 with City Clerk Lamont C. BeGole.

Indications are that up to the present time he will be opposed by just one other candidate, Clifford H. Manwaring, a local attorney, who announced his candidacy for the judgeship three weeks ago.

An attorney, Perlongo has had a private law practice here since 1942 when he first became a

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12th Night Ceremonial Scheduled for Next Week

A Twelfth Night Ceremony commemorating the biblical arrival of wisemen at Christ's birthplace in Bethlehem 12 days after he was born will be celebrated next week with the burning of Christmas trees.

To take place January 6, at 8 p.m., behind Plymouth High school, the ceremony will be keyed by a community Christmas caroling as the spruces and evergreens go up in smoke.

"It is a fitting ceremonial," Reverend Henry Waldh, minister of the Presbyterian church said Monday, "to the glorious use to which the Christmas tree is put."

Sponsored by the Plymouth Ministerial Association, the Twelfth Night Ceremony is a non-sectarian celebration to the Feast of Epiphany.

"Biblically, it is known," Reverend Waldh said, "that the wisemen did not arrive at Christ's birthplace until 12 days after he was born."

Which, he pointed out, is all of which the ceremony consists, a salute to the birth of Christ and to the whole "spirit and feeling" behind gift-giving that marks the festive Christmas season.

Intent on making the Twelfth Night a Christmas tradition in Plymouth, the Ministerial association urges residents to bring their Christmas trees to the PHS site where they will be burned by the fire department as the community joins in singing traditional carols.

"The Christmas tree," Reverend Waldh said, "was created in light. I have the feeling," he said, "that after the tree has served its purpose, it should have a glorious ending, a fitting disposal rather than just being discarded on the rubbish pile."

This will be the second time such a celebration has been held in Plymouth. Last year about 100 persons attended the ceremony.

1952 Christmas Business Called Best Ever Here

"Best ever" is the statement which seems to sum up the opinions of the majority of Plymouth's merchants concerning Christmas business.

In what has been termed the "biggest buying season" in local history merchants have noted that in addition to more buying, the trend has moved towards better buying, or more expensive merchandise.

Miss Margaret Dunning of Dunning's department store sighted an intensive shopping period throughout the whole Christmas

season. "Our business was the best ever," said Miss Dunning. "We've been very happy to see many new faces in our store this year," said James Houk of Fisher's shoe store noting a bigger volume of business.

"The last three days were terrific and the whole season was the best we've ever experienced," said Wendell Lent of Davis & Lent. Echoing these words was Bob Beyer of Beyer Drugs who further stated that the whole month of December was excellent.

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Ann Pelchat And Russell Elliott Wed

On Monday evening, December 15, in St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran church, Miss Ann Jean Pelchat became the bride of Russell Kenneth Elliott, son of Mrs. Clayton Elliott of Amelia street. Mrs. Roger Pelchat of Cherry Hill road is the mother of the bride.

The Reverend Edgar Hoenecke officiated at the seven o'clock ceremony.

Attending the young couple were Sharon Miller and Roger Pelchat, brother of the bride.

Both young people attended Plymouth High school and are making their home, for the present, in Plymouth.

Phone news items to 1600

Daisy Holds Christmas Party

Daisy Manufacturing company held its annual Christmas party for 400 employees Tuesday in the plant on Union street.

A turkey dinner was served at noon following a series of games and contests. After the dinner profit sharing checks totaling \$91,000 were distributed.

C. H. Bennett, 90 year old president of the company, awarded watches to Arthur Lock, Marlin Simmons, and James Darnell for 25 years service to the organization.

The checks distributed at this time bring the total of profit sharing checks given to employees for 1952 to \$128,000.

Sandra Walch to Wed New York Man

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Walch of Church street announce the engagement of their daughter, Sandra Elaine to John Sergeant of Rochester, New York. No definite wedding plans have been made.

Mrs. Julia Pettibone of Wayne had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hix. In the afternoon they drove to Clinton to visit with Mrs. Ben Canfield.

Marcia Woodworth Weds William Bohl

The soft glow of the Christmas tree lights and a background of white poinsettias and lighted tapers formed the setting for the impressive ceremony uniting Marcia Kay Woodworth and William H. Bohl. Marcia is the daughter of Maurice A. Woodworth and the late Mrs. Woodworth of Church street and William's parents are the Lawrence Bohls of South Harvey street.

The Reverend Henry Walch officiated at the seven o'clock double ring candlelight service in the First Presbyterian church on Saturday evening, December 20.

Mrs. Edna O'Conner was the organist and the soloist, Miss Mary Lou Hartwick sang, "O Perfect Love," "The Greatest of These is Love" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Marcia, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a beige gabardine suit with beige hat trimmed with brown velvet. She carried a white Bible centered with white orchids and satin streamers.

Bonnie Bohl, sister of the bridegroom, was Marcia's only attendant. She wore a blue-grey suit with powder blue hat. Her corsage was of white gardenias.

Assisting William, as best man, was Neil Hardy, brother-in-law of the bridegroom. The ushers were Alan Woodworth, brother of the bride and Donald Stanek, cousin of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Roy Woodworth, grandmother of the bride, wore a soft blue dress and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. Bohl wore a brown dress and her corsage was of yellow roses.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception for 100 guests was held in the church dining room with Circle one of the Presbyterian church as hosts.

Both Marcia and Bill are graduates of Plymouth High school. Bill attended Albion college for two years and is now attending the University of Michigan.

The young couple spent their honeymoon at Dearborn Inn and are now living on Church street in Plymouth.

Thrasher-Tait Rites Held in Ohio

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Tait of Northville road announce the marriage of their daughter, Marjorie Faye to Ted F. Thrasher, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Thrasher of Lakeland Court.

The ceremony was performed at the First Community church in Columbus, Ohio, on December 20.

Only the immediate families attended the ceremony.

The young couple will reside at 1485 1/2 Cleveland avenue, Columbus, Ohio, where both will attend Ohio State University graduating in June.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Reiman and son were hosts on Christmas Eve to the following guests from Detroit and Plymouth: Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Salters, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fullerton and children, Mrs. Clara Foege, Mrs. Mildred Fullerton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Worthy and son, Dr. and Mrs. W. Lickfeldt and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. Utter, Miss Rachel Reiman, Seaman Gerald Huber, J. Bloomhauff, Charles Simpson and Warren Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gates and children, Lynn and Joann of Chubb road enjoyed a co-operative dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Chaney and family of Pacific avenue on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald J. Fischer of Arthur street had their aunt, Miss Dorothy Buckley of New Brunswick, New Jersey as a houseguest during the Christmas holidays. Miss Buckley stopped in Plymouth on the first leg of a round-the-world trip which will take her through Hawaii, Japan, the Philippines, India, Egypt, and much of Europe. She will be gone about seven months.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee and family of Elmhurst street were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Michelin of Riverside drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gage and son, Jimmy and Jack of Clemons road were the Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rybolt and daughter, Nancy of Redford.

Linda Leet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Leet of Sheridan avenue was hostess to five of her little friends on Christmas eve. The sextet went caroling in the neighborhood and then returned to Linda's home for a party. The guest list included, Sharon Roberts, Susan Mather, Sally Sawyer, Susan Hulsing and Mary Jane Readman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. LeFever of Eastside drive were the hosts at a family Christmas party at their home on Christmas eve. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ash and family of Redford, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ash and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Merryfield and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ash and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Urton and family of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ash and family, Charles and Arnold Ash.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hix of Warren road had breakfast on Christmas morning with Mr. and Mrs. James Allor and daughters. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Allor and Vicki drove to Detroit and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allor and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rossow are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Carol Elaine born on Saturday, December 20 in the Garden City hospital. Mrs. Rossow is the former Cecelia Drews.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bachtel of East Lansing announce the birth of a daughter, Christine Diane on Saturday, December 27 in Sparrow hospital, East Lansing. Mrs. Bachtel is the former Sally Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hoeft of 9411 Brookline road are the proud parents of a son, Greg Louis born on December 14 at the Saline General hospital. He weighed in at six pounds, 14 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Sheppard of Elmhurst avenue are announcing the arrival of a son, Robert Frank, born at the Detroit Osteopathic hospital on December 3, weighing nine pounds, nine ounces. Mrs. Sheppard is the former Virginia Comport.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hondorp of Park Place were hosts at Christmas dinner to Mr. and Mrs. James Gallimore and son, Jim, and their houseguests, Miss Doris Slavell and Miss Ethel Bough of Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Mrs. Cass Kershaw of Wayne road entered Providence hospital on Tuesday morning where she underwent surgery on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Metcalfe left on Saturday for their home in Centerville, Pennsylvania after spending Christmas with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple of Penniman avenue.

Mrs. John Albertson of Maben road is spending a few days visiting the Walter Wackers in Detroit.

Relatives who spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dunn were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dunn of Inkster; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunn and granddaughter, Linda Brandt of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Swidriki of Brighton; Mrs. Dorothy Kielwasser and son, Robert of Dexter; Mr. and Mrs. Christ Angurus and daughter Christie of Ypsilanti.

Miss Brenda Jane Covell, a student at Michigan State college, who is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Covell of Hamill street, entertained 15 girlfriends at a pajama party on Friday evening, December 26.

On Friday, December 26, Edson O. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. John Metcalfe, Elmer Huston Whipple and Mrs. Austin Whipple were the luncheon guests of Mrs. Elmer C. Huston in her home in Bloomfield Village.

Mrs. Alice Sherman was hostess at a lovely Christmas dinner in her home on Harvey street. Guests were present from Dearborn, Detroit, Redford, Adrian, Ann Arbor, and College Park, Georgia.

Guests at a family dinner on Christmas Eve in the home of Mrs. Anna Melow of Farmer street were Mr. and Mrs. George Britcher and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Melow and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Evans and daughter and Miss Elsie Melow.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Burr of Sheridan avenue were Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Burr and son, Bobbie of Albion; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel MacGilvery and son, John of Detroit. In the afternoon they were joined by the John Paul Mearrows who now reside in Royal Oak.

On Friday evening, December 26, Mr. and Mrs. John Chaney were hosts to Mrs. Chaney's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Darling and children and Mrs. Chaney's sister, Mrs. Clifford Ayers and son, Tommy of Detroit and Sgt. James Breyton who is stationed at Stuart Air Force Base at Newburgh, New York at a Christmas party and gift exchange.

Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Miller in their home on Arthur street were Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple and sons, Edson and Elmer, Edson O. Huston and Mrs. Madeleine Wood.

The MOMs of America, Unit 18 will meet on Monday evening January 12 at the Veteran's Memorial Center beginning at 8 p.m. for their regular business meeting.

A 1/c Freeman B. Hoyer, who has finished his training at Selfridge Air Force Base, has been spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Schoof. He left Monday for Lackland Field, San Antonio, Texas where he will enter Officers' Candidate school.

Houseguests of Mrs. Harry Davis of South Main street are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cameron of Sault Ste. Marie. The Camerons will remain throughout the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Southerland of Starkweather avenue are spending the holiday season in Dalton, Georgia, visiting friends and relatives. They will be vacationing for two weeks.

Christmas-Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gage of Clemons road were Mr. and Mrs. James Horen of Clarkston, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Aiken of Redford, Nancy Rybolt of Redford and Conrad Hector of Rosedale Gardens.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Chaney of Pacific avenue were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tobey, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd England and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jones.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dzuris and sons in their home on Sheridan avenue were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Barry and daughter, Peggy of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Wally Stefanski of Dearborn.

Mrs. William Farley spent from Wednesday through Sunday with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fraser and family in Flint. On Christmas day they drove to Walton for a visit with relatives and on Sunday enroute to Plymouth they enjoyed a Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fraser in Franklin, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer had as their Monday evening guests Mr. and Mrs. Russell Magraw and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Rutenbar. The Rutenbars have just returned to Plymouth after living in California the last year.

Edson A. Whipple spent last weekend in Traverse City as the houseguest of his University of Michigan roommate, Roger Watson.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dzuris and sons were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bouton of Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hampton of Five Mile road spent Christmas weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Hampton of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Whipple entertained 12 guests at dinner on Christmas day in their home on Penniman avenue. Beside the family guests included Mrs. Madeleine Wood and Mr. and Mrs. John Metcalfe of Centerville, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Dennis of Canton Center road left Tuesday for Bonita Springs, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hampton of Five Mile road spent Christmas weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Hampton of Flint.



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More important than new credit advances. This could handicap over-all business unless advertising expenditures are increased.

12. Under an Eisenhower Administration I do not look for expansion of our money supplies as a result of increased deficit financing. Thus, another stimulating force will be absent next year despite the better confidence following the Eisenhower landslide.

More Conservatism in Government

13. Although General Eisenhower ran far ahead of his ticket, there has been a considerable gain in the conservative complexion of Congress. The margin in favor of conservatism is not measured by the slight excess of Republicans over Democrats. It results from the fact that several Democrats can be counted in the conservative column. The emphasis will be on purifying Bureau and Commissions.

14. All government departments will be at the service of the Republicans after January 20. Never before in the history of the United States has a conservative government had such a powerful bureaucracy at its finger tips. In 1953 we shall see the use of these bureaus to aid rather than handicap business.

Hang on to Your Job

15. Unemployment will be no problem for the workers of the nation during the early months of 1953. The demand for and the supply of labor promise to hold in good balance. Later, however, unemployment will increase, reaching its highest point toward the end of the year.

16. While employment runs high during the first part of the year, strikes will continue to plague management. Unions, however, will be cautious so that they will not bring down on their heads the legislative wrath of a conservative Congress.

17. During the early months of 1953 amendments to the Taft-Hartley Act will be moderate. Great labor turmoil would surely result in severe restrictions on labor being read into the Act. All in all, I forecast a decline in strike totals for 1953.

18. Looking to the year 1953, I am urging my friends and their children to work more faithfully at their jobs. They should not be fooled by present high demand for labor. Early 1953 should be used to "dig in" and work harder. Drifters will be the first to be let go.

Price Forecasts

19. Barring World War III and severe droughts, the supply of most raw materials, farm products, and manufactured goods promises to be adequate during 1953. Even the so-called invisible inventories in the hands of consumers are high as a result of heavy buying since the outbreak of the Korean War. I anticipate few shortages next year.

20. Do not forget that there is always a big IF in the supply situation with regard to farm products. Severe drought could cause havoc. One is already long over-

due. Scan closely weather reports from the nation's "bread basket."

21. The demand for goods will be stronger in the first half of the year than it will be during the last half. Disposable income will hold close to current high levels during the first half of 1953.

22. Total pay rolls will hold well, with prospects favoring a slight drop during the late months of 1953.

23. Farm gross income will strengthen along seasonal lines during the first four or five months of 1953. If we then avoid drought, I look for a lower farm income during the second half of the year.

24. The trend of wholesale commodity prices will remain in a basic long-term downswing. Look for temporary price recoveries in many groups during the early part of 1953, but do not let them fool you.

25. Unless more international troubles or drought strike hard, living costs should average some lower in 1953 than in 1952. Here again, the tapering-off will occur late, not early in the year.

Retail Trade

26. Over-all trade in 1953 will be close to 1952 levels as far as physical volume is concerned, with a moderate decline in dollar totals. The most attractive merchandise investments should be: (1) Super-market groceries; (2) Variety chains; (3) Mail order stores; and (4) Department stores, excepting a few in the largest and most congested cities.

27. Demand for capital goods will hold strong during most of 1953. A definite slowing, however, will take place at some time. 1953 sales of consumer durables should about equal 1952's total sales, which were restricted by the steel strike.

28. Movement of soft goods during 1953 should be about the same as during 1952. Some refreshing of demand in the early months may be offset later by a renewed lull.

Real Estate

29. Barring World War III, rent controls will be a thing of the past in most areas by the end of 1953.

30. Home building will be less in 1953. Prices may weaken during the latter part of the year. Building costs should edge lower. Only small new houses will be in demand.

31. In my opinion, the cost of mortgage money will tend somewhat higher during 1953.

32. Construction of municipal and public works should rise moderately in 1953 as compared with 1952. This may be stepped up sharply late in the year if business falters. There may be a surplus of tax-free bonds.

33. A moderate slide-off in the sale of commercial farm properties can be expected. No bad break, however, seems likely in 1953. Fear of World War II, moreover, should help farm prices.

34. Population trend is away from the big cities. Fear of possible bombing and automobile overcrowding will continue as a drag on city realty values. Continued migration from the urban centers will help suburban properties.

35. For those who plan buying new homes in 1953, I strongly urge the purchase of acreage in suitable suburban areas. Surely, the H-bomb experiments should quicken the trend toward substance farms.

36. As public housing programs are far behind schedule, the new Congress will not promote such in 1953 unless the need for pump-priming becomes much greater.

37. Tax relief will come mostly from expiration of present laws rather than from a new enlightened tax program. Barring further international problems, the present corporate excess-profits tax will be permitted to expire at the end of June, 1953.

38. If the need for new taxes continues high, after expiration of the excess-profits tax, the new Congress may consider additional excise or manufacturers' sales taxes. They may also serve to discourage consumer spending, if the war danger becomes acute.

39. State and local taxes may be increased moderately here and there during the year 1953. However, I do not look for total advances in such to be so great in 1953 as they were in 1952.

40. There will be no increase in capital-gains taxes during 1953; but read paragraph 46 below. Income taxes may be reduced.

41. Exports will fall again in 1953. The drop in imports will be

much less than in exports. The new Administration will be urged to promote foreign trade instead of foreign aid. Only by buying our neighbors' goods can we get them off the relief rolls. To save ourselves, I predict, we will buy more abroad, although this will be hard on some United States manufacturers.

42. I look for no change in the official United States buying price for gold. We won't "monkey with" the mint price of gold until the nation gets really "hard up."

Conclusion: Profits Prospects, Stocks and Bonds

43. For the year as a whole I look for business profits to be slightly lower than in 1952. Earnings will be better during the early months, with a decline occurring later in the year. Profit margins will be cut by stiffer competition from both domestic and foreign sources.

44. Recently upped wages, plus some additional 1953 boosts, will also put heavier cost pressure on profits.

45. Some companies that have been hard hit by excess-profits taxes may show improved earnings when the excess-profits tax expires June 30.

46. There will be a cushion under falling profits provided by the current very high tax rates. If profits slide, Uncle Sam will share the heavier loss. This very fact, however, will make it difficult for Congress to reduce the rate of taxation.

47. Stocks are high historically. We are approaching the end of a long period of prosperity, much of which is based upon artificial measures. Therefore, sometime during 1953 I forecast lower stock prices than exist today.

48. Yet, do not forget that the stock market was at about the same price point when President Hoover won by a landslide in 1928. With business prospects good for early 1953, confidence might again cause a temporary boom. If an "Eisenhower bull market" develops, I strongly urge readers to take profits and build up reserves. Within 12 months after Hoover entered the White House the Industrial Averages fell 100 points.

49. New Administration will not favor "soft money" policy. Therefore, some further rise in interest rates seems probable. For this reason, I favor high-grade, short-term bonds rather than long-term.

50. Finally: Wise investors are taking no action unless prepared to follow a carefully planned and supervised investment program. The keystone of this program will, in 1953 as in 1952, prove to be a policy of diversification and selectivity. Among those groups which offer safety and good yield are certain fire insurance stocks, bank stocks, variety chain store stocks, food processing companies, and telephone companies. EVEN THESE MAY FAIL US UNLESS OUR NATION HAS A REAL SPIRITUAL AWAKENING. THIS MUST INCLUDE BOTH YOU AND ME.

600,000 Pieces of Xmas Mail Set New Record

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ingly heavy amount of mail. He said that present plans already call for renting additional space during 1953's anticipated peak rush.

In addition to his normal staff of 15 city and rural carriers, Timpona authorized the hiring of 65 additional part-time employees to keep the mail flowing smoothly. He said a masterful job was done by the various crews who expanded their operations to the basement of the post office to off-set the need for more work space.

"I would like to thank all residents here for their cooperation, patience and assistance displayed during the rush season," Timpona said.

He stated that every measure was taken to keep the mail flowing, noting that all late Christmas mail was "cleaned up by the first part of the week."

36 Families Get Goodfellow Gifts

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of food, clothing and fuel were made to what he called hardship cases, as well as toys that brought the glow of happiness into the eyes of some less fortunate youths.

On an average, Rosow said, between 10 and 12 packages were delivered to each family costing about \$55.

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Besides the rain and cold weather that marked the Goodfellow's one-day sale, Rosow pointed to what he called "Christmas Scrooges"—"I actually saw a few motorists drive up, ask for a Goodfellow paper then step on the gas without so much as a thank or a contribution." Rosow declared. He severely criticized them for "their lack of morals and Christmas spirit."

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sow emphasized, stating that near unanimity greeted the Goodfellows who "sincerely thank each contributor, each participant for their generosity and sincerity."

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Of course, if you're perfect, you have nothing to worry about... but most of us manage to pick up a few stray faults along the way, and it would be fine and dandy to whittle them down to manageable size. However, it's easier to make resolutions than to keep them. Still every step up is a step up... even if you slip later. Anyway, a Happy New Year... and no skidding.



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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Freedle entertained the Burrell families for Christmas.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Galloway entertained at a family dinner Christmas Day.
Mr. and Mrs. William Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Freeman and Miss Maxine McCormick of Kalamazoo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Burrell Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Galloway attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of his sister Mr. and Mrs. D. McConnel of Ypsilanti on Saturday.
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Mrs. Reetz came to the United States in 1914. She formerly lived in Detroit, but for the last 23 years she has resided with her daughter, Mrs. Bartz. Mrs. Reetz was a member of St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran church of Plymouth.

Reverend Edgar Hoenecke will officiate. The active pallbearers will be Arthur Bartz, Albert Reetz, Robert Reetz, Willie Reetz, Edmund Rautenberg and Helmut Rautenberg. Entombment will be made in Riverside Mausoleum. The service will be under the direction of the Schrader Funeral home, Plymouth.

Incumbent Judge Seeks Election to Six-Year Post

Perlongo, who has been without sight for 39 years, graduated from the Lansing School for the blind in 1927, after a three-year attendance there.

He attended Michigan State college from 1927 to 1931 graduating with an A.B. degree in history, economics and education. He holds a State Life Teacher's Certificate, though he has not, he said, ever taught school.

Perlongo won a second degree, an L.L.B. in law, in 1937 after attending the University of Michigan law school, starting in 1934.

For two years after graduation he worked in Lansing as a stenographer before working an additional two years as legal advisor to the Wayne County Board of Social Aid.

Speaking candidly on his job, Perlongo said that "It's a job that has got to be done."

"I don't want to harm anyone but on the other hand to adequately protect the citizenry, I have to be firm."

Perlongo, who is 43, is married and has two children, James, 6, and Mary Louise, 4. He lives at 523 McKinley.

Services Held For Former Resident

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Mr. Williams spent his boyhood days in Plymouth with his parents on Deer street and in later years resided in Fenton.

Surviving are his wife, Grace; two sons, Harold of Waterford, and James of Fenton; one grandson, Gary; two brothers, John and Albert of Plymouth; two sisters, Mrs. Susanna Van Acker of Milford and Mrs. Minnie Felsner of Plymouth; other relatives, and many friends.

Services were held Friday, December 26, from the Howard Craft Funeral home, Fenton. Interment was in Oakwood cemetery, Fenton.

Local News

Mrs. Eugene Orndorf of Northville road was the Christmas Day dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Norgrove in their home on Plymouth road.

Mrs. Harold Shirey announced that there would be no Girl Scout swimming until January 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flippen and daughter, now of Henderson, Tennessee, and formerly residents of Plymouth, spent the Christmas holiday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson of Adams street.

Mrs. Hattie White enjoyed Christmas with her granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strachan at Walled Lake.

Mrs. Dessie Conn and son, Bobbie and Gladys Dale were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Moore of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leet of Sheridan avenue entertained Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Kessel of Detroit for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. LeFever of Eastside drive will be hosts at a New Year's dinner for Mr. and Mrs. C. F. LeFever and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Compton.

Saul Quales of Detroit was the Sunday visitor of Harold Hester of Stark road.

Employees of the Plymouth Grill were honored at a Christmas party on Christmas eve. The party took place on Starkweather avenue.

Mrs. William Farley will be hostess at a New Year's Eve party in her home on Adams street to the members of her 500 club and their husbands.

Mrs. Wesley Dunn and daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Kielwasser of Dexter and Mrs. Christ Auguras and daughter, Christine of Ypsilanti spent Saturday in Detroit as the guests of Theodore Dunn and family.

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Goodwin Heads Campaign That Starts Here Jan. 2

The appropriate slogan for the 1953 fund drive is "You Can Help, Too."

"We look toward every citizen to support this humanitarian work," said William R. Bernard, Wayne county campaign chairman.

"Little did we know that 1952 would record the worst polio epidemic of all time," Bernard declared, pointing out that since last January 1, 102 cases of the dread disease were recorded in Wayne county alone.

Pointing out the need for funds, he said that two out of every three were "severely paralyzed or needed an iron lung."

"The March of Dimes is not primarily a fund raising organization. Funds are raised once a year, in January, to make possible the service program that goes on for 12 months," Bernard emphasized.

"The March of Dimes is a unique Foundation, he pointed out, because it is a partnership of the American people, men of science, and doctors fighting an epidemic disease.

"A disease still on the increase, it is an unpredictable affliction that is nothing short of a menace to the health and welfare of Americans," he said.

"We must realize that this is a time of crisis," Bernard said, stating that the 1953 March of Dimes will serve three great purposes.

(1) It will pay off the bills for patient aid that have accumulated during the terrible epidemic of 1952.

(2) It will guarantee that the great program of research, now showing tremendous gains, is not halted for lack of funds to strike the knockout blow at polio in the laboratories.

(3) It will provide funds to make sure that any victims of polio in 1953 will have the best medical care available and all the necessary equipment and personnel.

"We need more money and we need more volunteers to put over the 1953 March of Dimes than ever before he warned. "Don't wait to be asked. Volunteer your services now—even if you can give only one hour of your time to help with the Mothers' March on Polio."

Readers may send contributions to the Wayne County Chapter, 153 East Elizabeth, Detroit 1, Mich. To volunteer write to that address or telephone Wo. 1-7724.

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With Our Churches

Local Church Host to Visiting Congregations

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints of Plymouth was host Sunday evening to members of the congregations of Redford, Ann Arbor and Wayne at the annual year-end service.

Rev. Rigby Leighton, pastor at Redford, was guest speaker. The program period was conducted by the women's circle and choir. Prayers for the New Year were read by presiding elders of the congregations, Noble G. Hill, Leon Weaver and L. O. Beckway.

Following the worship period, the film "Hidden Treasures" was shown. Refreshments were served.

PENTECOSTAL GOSPEL TABERNACLE at 990 Sutherland st., Reverend J. R. Bailey, pastor. Bible services every night until November 15 at 7:30 p.m.

SALEM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Lucia M. Stroh, minister, Mrs. Ralph Wilson, superintendent. Divine Worship, 10:30 a.m. The pastor will bring the message. Sunday School, 11:45 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 9451 S. Main street, Robert Hampton, pastor. Five Mile road, phone 224-M. Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Evening Services, 7:30 p.m. Midweek service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, No. Mill at Spring St. David L. Rieder, Pastor, phone 1596. Wm. Foley, Sunday School superintendent. Wed. 9:30-12:00 midnight. New Year's Eve program. Social time from 9:30 till 10:30 with the sound film "Men of Gloucester." 10:30 refreshments and social time. 11-12 Watch Night Communion Service.

Sunday Services
10 a.m. Bible Study Hour. Classes for adults, youth and children. Call 1556 for bus transportation. 11 a.m. Morning Worship Hour. Sermon: "The Eternal Way." Music by the senior choir. Mrs. Wilbert Thompson, director. 6:30 p.m. Junior and Senior youth groups meeting at the church. 7:30 p.m. "The Happy Evening Hour"—An "All Request Program" will be presented by the senior choir singing requested musical selections that were presented during the past year. Sermon "The Christian Specialist." Wednesday, 7:30. Midweek Service at the church. 8:30 Senior Choir Rehearsal.

ROSEDALE GARDENS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Hubbard and W. Chicago, 1 1/2 miles west of Middlebelt, 3 blocks south of Plymouth Rd. Woodrow Woolley, minister. Lonia 6045. 9:30 a.m. Church School for Kindergarten, Junior and Junior High departments. 11 a.m. Church school for Nursery, Kindergarten and Primary. 11 a.m. Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Reverend Henry J. Walch, D.D. Minister. Services 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sermon by pastor at both services. Sunday School 9:30-10:45 a.m. The next Fireside Meeting for the study of the Bible will be held Sunday evening, January 4 at 7:15 in the church parlor. Detroit Presbytery will have a Midwinter Snow Party Friday, January 2 with lunch and worship service at Northville Presbyterian church. The party begins with outdoor sports at 9:30 in Cass Benton Park. Bring lunch and 25c for cocoa. Also bring skates, skis, or toboggans. For further details call Mrs. Jeannie Donnelly at 1984. The party will be postponed if there is no snow.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH 496 W. Ann Arbor trail, Patrick J. Clifford, Pastor. Bible School 10 a.m. Heber Whiteford, Superintendent. Classes for all ages. If you need transportation, call 1413 or 2244. Worship service, 11 a.m. Sermon: "Possessing the Land." Youth Fellowship 6:15 p.m. Gospel Service, 7:30 p.m. Sermon "The Shepherd and the Sheep in a Storm." Boys' Brigade, Tuesday, 7 p.m. Watch Night Service, Wednesday, 8:30 p.m. First Hour: "The Missing Christians" a sound motion picture film in natural color. Second Hour, Fellowship Time. Third Hour, Candlelight Prayer and Praise Service. All are always welcome at Calvary.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Holbrook at Pearl street, Reverend E. T. Hadwin, 472 North Holbrook, phone 2097. Blake Fisher, superintendent. Sunday School at 10 a.m. Morning worship and junior church at 11 a.m. Sunday evening services begin with youth meetings at 6:30. At 7:30 the evening song service begins and is followed by the message by the pastor. Wednesday evening is prayer and praise service. The choir meets each Thursday at 7:30 p.m. for rehearsal. Ray Williams is choir director. Watchnight service, Wed. December 31, beginning at 9:30 p.m. There will be a guest speaker. An extensive musical program is planned. The service will close with a communion service at midnight.

SALEM FEDERATED CHURCH, Douglas R. Couch, pastor. Sunday Morning Worship, 10:30. Sunday School 11:45 a.m. Sunday evening service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:30 p.m. Choir practice, 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 31, from 9 p.m. to midnight will be the Watch Night service. Come and start the New Year in church. We will have an interesting film entitled, "You Can't Win." Refreshments will be served.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Harvey and Maple streets, Plymouth. Rev. David T. Davies, rector, Harper Stephens, choir director, Mrs. Roland Bonamicci, Organist. 8 a.m. Communion. 9:30 a.m. Family service and class instruction. 11 a.m. Festival Musical service and brief address by the Rector. Coffee Hour following the service. If you have no church home, you are cordially invited to worship with us. Visitors are always welcome.

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FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, Sunday Morning Services, 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening Services, 7:30 p.m., every fourth Sunday of the month. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m., for pupils up to 20 years of age. That one should always look to God for guidance and protection is emphasized in the Lesson-Sermon on the subject "God" to be read in all Christian Science churches on Sunday, January 4. The Golden Text is from Isaiah (45:22) "Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else." Among the Bible citations in this passage, (Deut. 6:5): "And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might." Correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy include: "God is what the Scriptures declare Him to be.—Life, Truth, Love." (P. 330)

RIVERSIDE PARK CHURCH OF GOD, Hal A. Hooker, minister, Plymouth Rd., corner of Newburg Rd. Phone Plymouth 2088. Church of the Christian Brotherhood hour. Sunday Morning Worship, 10:00. Sunday School, 11:00. Howard Harder, superintendent. Wednesday, Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, Services in Masonic Temple, Union St. at Penniman Ave. Athol Packer, pastor, 49484 Territorial road, phone 2179. Sunday Services, 9:45 a.m. Church School, under the direction of Robert Burger. Classes of interest to all age groups. 11:00 a.m. worship service and Communion. 7:30 p.m. worship service. Elder C. O. Carlson of Detroit will be guest speaker. Prayer service, Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. at 561 Virginia. We extend a sincere invitation to all to meet with us in worship and study.

PLYMOUTH ASSEMBLY OF GOD, Ann Arbor Tr. and Riverside Dr. Phone 410-W. John Walskay, pastor. Mrs. Juanita Puckett, Sunday School superintendent. Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Service, 11. Young People's Service, 6:30, and Evening Service at 7:30. Wednesday prayer and Bible meeting at 7:45 p.m. Watch Night service on Wednesday, Dec. 31 at 9:00 p.m. There will be a religious motion picture film, a devotional period, and refreshments. Service will be in conjunction with the Assembly of God church in New Boston, Michigan.

PENTECOSTAL GOSPEL TABERNACLE at 990 Sutherland st., Reverend J. R. Bailey, pastor. Sunday school, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Bible study, 7:30 p.m.

NEWBURG METHODIST CHURCH, corner of Newburg road at Ann Arbor trail, Plymouth. Phone Plym. 761-J. Pastor, Robert D. Richards. Service Sunday at 10 a.m. Baptism of infants and Holy Communion. Sunday School at 11 a.m. Youth fellowship at 7 p.m. The pastor will show a colored film strip. Tuesday at 12:30 the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet for luncheon; the pastor will speak on the National Council of Churches.

WEST SALEM COUNTRY CHURCH, 7150 Angle Road, Salem Township. Patrick J. Clifford, Pastor. Bible School, 2 p.m. Mr. Richards, Supt. Preaching Service 3 p.m. You are cordially invited to attend the old-fashioned country church where friendly people worship.

THE SALVATION ARMY, 280 Fairground avenue. Telephone 1919. Captain Wm. H. Roberts. Wednesday, 8 p.m. Prayer and Praise Service, 9 p.m. Fellowship Hour, 10:30 p.m. Watchnight Service, Sunday 10 a.m. Sunday School, 11 a.m. Morning Worship, 6:15 p.m. Young People's Hour, 7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service, Tuesday 4 p.m. Sunbeams. The New Year's Eve Services will be of interest to all who can attend. In the Watchnight Service the sound film "The Missing Christian" will be shown. For a sane and happy New Year's Eve attend church. The people of Plymouth are cordially invited to worship with us at all of our services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, Melbourne Irvin Johnson, Minister. Thomas Briarly, Jr. Organist and Choir Director. 9:45 a.m. Church School. Robert Ingram, Superintendent. 11 a.m. Divine Worship. Sermon theme: "The Staying Qualities of Life." Children's sermon, "Watch your step." Senior M.Y.F. 6:30 p.m. The pastor will lead a discussion on some important matters relative to the program for the remainder of the conference year. Intermediate M.Y.F. meets each Thursday at 4 p.m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH, 1058 S. Main St. Phone 670-R. Services every Saturday. Sabbath School, 9:30 a.m. Church Service, 11:00 a.m. We cordially invite you to all the services.

ST. PETER'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, 2 6 1 Spring St. Edgar Hoenecke, pastor. Morning Worship, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion on the first Sunday of the month.

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CHURCH, Wm. P. Mooney, pastor. Masses 6-8-10-12. Confessions Saturdays 3:30 to 5; 7 to 9.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Della Matthews of Church street spent Christmas in Ann Arbor with her daughter, Mrs. Emerson Yeasting and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Coverdill of Ball street and Miss Helen Farland of East Ann Arbor trail are spending the holiday season in Florida visiting friends.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Hartmann in their home on Blunk avenue were Mr. and Mrs. M. Graham Laible and daughter, Martha Ellen of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Martha Heft of Plymouth; and William Hartmann, a student at Hillsdale college.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullard of Maple street were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Bullard, Sr., of Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Pino of Forest avenue spent Christmas with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Seestedt and family in Romulus.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Howell of Northville were hosts on Christmas Eve to Mr. and Mrs. George Howell of Gold Arbor road and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ford and family of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fillmore of South Union street were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Keyyon of Territorial road.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holcomb of Rosedale Gardens spent Christmas with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bachtel in East Lansing.

Kelly Francis of Marlowe avenue is recuperating from a tonsillectomy performed on Friday.

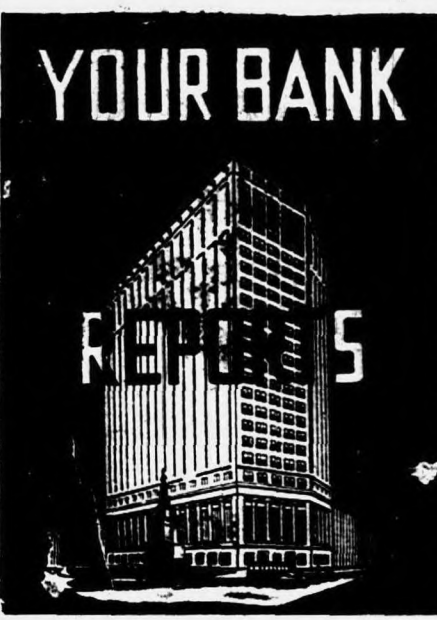
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11:00 A.M. — "THE ETERNAL WAY"
7:30 P.M. — Senior Choir Request Program of 1952 Favorites

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9:00 p.m. Fellowship Hour
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Dr. and Mrs. Ted Cavell of East Tawas spent from Wednesday until Friday at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer of Warren road. Casey Cavell returned home with them.

The next Wayne County 4-H Fair Board and Service Club sponsored Square Dance will be held on Saturday, January 3, from 8 to 12 p.m. at the Wayne County 4-H Fair Grounds on Quirk road, one mile north of Belleville. Dancing will be to the tunes and calling of Cliff Busha and his orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer of Warren road were hosts at a Christmas breakfast. Guests included Dr. and Mrs. Ted Cavell and son, Casey of East Tawas and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hartom, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lunn and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ehrenberger were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rienas.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rotarius of Union street were Private Richard Ratti of Camp Atterbury, Indiana and his parents.

Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer of Warren road were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Salley, Miss Ilene Powers and Pat Herriman.

The Plymouth Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service will sponsor a clothing drive for Korean relief during the month of January. Residents of Plymouth are urged to bring all articles of clothing including shoes and felt hats to the Methodist church basement. Members of the organization are hoping for a generous response to this appeal as the clothing is to be sent to Napanee, Indiana for processing before being shipped overseas.

Covert Kelly of Ann Arbor road is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly of Pennsylvania over the holiday season.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Palmer of Warren road were L. A. Wiseley of Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. LaVoie of Detroit.

The Earl Wolfe residence on Sheridan avenue was the setting for a family Christmas dinner. There were 23 members present.

Evelyn Montgomery of Church street spent the Christmas holiday at Palmyra and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Still.

Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Lane of Clemons road were Mrs. McNaught and Mrs. Winholt of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartwick and daughter, Mary Lou were hosts on Sunday evening at their second Old Fashioned Christmas Carol sing during the holiday season, in their home on Northville road. Their guests included: Attorney and Mrs. Paul Bairs and daughters, Thalia and Rosamond, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pint, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ebert, Miss Sarah Gayde, Miss Amelia Gayde, Miss Hildur Carlson, Mrs. Otto Beyer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gage, Mrs. Eugene Orndorf and Miss Judy Burgett.

Mrs. Henry Ehrenberger was hostess to the members of her 500 club at their annual Christmas party on December 22, in her home on Joy road.

Mrs. Charles O. Lueke spent Christmas with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bennett in Garden City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph West, Martha Jane and Bill, attended the wedding of Miss Marilyn Begole and Ellis Freatman, Jr., Saturday evening in the Ypsilanti Methodist church. The reception, which followed was held at the Washtenaw Country Club.

The Methodist Study Class on Africa will start on January 6 at 9:30 until 11 a.m. The course will continue on the three succeeding Tuesdays of the month under the leadership of Mrs. Glenn Frye.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Britton and family of Flint were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bulard of Maple street.

Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Dessie Conn and son, Bobbie and Gladys Dale, were Dorothy Hester and Buford Conn.

Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sellus Lloyd of Dundee were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fillmore of South Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conn and daughter, Fay were the Saturday night guests of Mrs. Fannie Hester of Stark road.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bakhaus were hosts at a family dinner Christmas Day in their home on North Territorial road.

Guests of Mrs. Otto Beyer at cards last Friday evening in her home on North Mill street were Mrs. George Britcher, Mrs. Floyd Burgett, Miss Amelia Gayde, Mrs. Emil Schilling and Mrs. Maurice Garchow.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howell, of Gold Arbor road, and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Howell and family and Mrs. Alzina Howell, of Northville were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ford and family in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fillmore of South Union street spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wellman Fillmore of Phoenix road.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pint of Schoolcraft road left Monday morning by plane for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loomis, former Plymouth residents, in Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gallimore of Ann Arbor road had as their holiday weekend guests, their niece, Miss Doris Slavell and her friend, Miss Ethel Bough of Toronto, Canada.

Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. William Henry of West Ann Arbor trail were Mr. and Mrs. James Henry and daughters, Janyce and Ruthann of Riverside drive; Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Henry and son, David and daughter, Judy of Ann Arbor trail; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henry and daughter, Carol Ann and son, Billy of East Ann Arbor trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hauk and the Misses Nettie and Matilda Bewernitz of Wayne were the Christmas Eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hauk of Canton Center road.

Mrs. Harry Laible of Liberty street is still confined to Garden City hospital where she underwent major surgery last week. She would enjoy hearing from all her old friends.

Frank Pierce and daughter, Jane and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Tait spent the weekend in Me costa visiting their mother, Mrs. Frank Pierce, Sr., who is still confined to the hospital there.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lare of North Mill street were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rubey and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pellerito.



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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eddlemon of Ann Arbor trail are visiting relatives in Tennessee over the holiday season.



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Tait's Tied With Capitol Shirts

The Men's recreational basketball schedule got underway before the holidays when each of the four teams in this fast league played two games. After the second round last year's championship Tait Cleaners are tied for first place with a newcomer this year, Capitol Shirts—neither has lost a game. The other two teams, the Lions and the National Bank, have yet to win their first game.

Next week the standings will be much more definite as the two league leaders meet in a game on Tuesday at 9:25 p.m. which will decide first and second place, and the two tailenders also meet next Tuesday at 8:10 to determine who will crawl out of the cellar.

These games are held at the new high school gymnasium on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week unless high school games interfere. Admission is free.

The Standings

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Capitol Shirts	2 0
Tait's Cleaners	2 0
Lions Club	0 2
National Bank	0 2

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Tait's Cleaners Continue to Win

Tait's Cleaners took over where they left off last year with their first two games of the year in the men's recreational league. The defending champions won over the Lions team 54 to 33 when they began clicking in the second half after being held to a tie score at the end of each the first and second quarters.

DeWayne Becker was high point for the winners with 12 points closely followed by Ostrike with 11 points. The rest of the scoring was evenly divided. Wally Dzurus had 13 for the losers. The winners made 10 out of 23 free throws, while the losers connected on 9 of 21 attempts.

The second win was an easy one over the National Bank five as the winners led all the way to win 67 to 35.

Keith Ebersole led his mates to this victory by scoring 18 points on 6 buckets and 6 free throws; Bush had 17 points. Bob Houghton paced the losers with 10 points. Tait's made 15 free throws out of 28 attempts. The Bankers weren't so good making only 3 out of 14 shots.

Phone news items to 1600

Capitol Shirts Wins First Two

Capitol Shirts remained tied with Tait's Cleaners for the leadership of the men's recreational league as they won their first two games of the season. The first triumph was an easy one over the National Bank quintet which the Shirt team won 68 to 31. After an even first quarter, it was a run-away for the winners.

Don Huebler led the winners in scoring as he sank 7 baskets good for 14 points. Brinbaum had 12 points. Bob Houghton had 8, and Rody and Singleton 6 each for the losers. The Shirtmen made good on only 5 of 21 free throws, while the Bankers shot 7 of 17 tries successfully.

In the second win, Capitol Shirts eked out a close win over the Lions team by a 50 to 48 count. The game was nip and tuck throughout, but Carl Pursell's 9 points in the last quarter made the difference.

Don Huebler again led his teammates by scoring 17 points. Carl Pursell and Jerry Allen each had 11 points. Wally Dzurus scored over half of his team's points, and was high point man for the night with 25, but all for a losing cause. Hank Levering had 8 and Phil Jacobus 6 each.

Foul shots really won the game for the Shirts as the Lions scored 5 more baskets, but the winners hit on 18 of 38 foul shots, while the losers could rack up only 6 out of 18 tries.

Reserves Take Fourth Straight

The high school reserves won their fourth straight game this year, but only after they had "caught fire" in the last quarter to beat Allen Park 44 to 29. They jumped into an easy 12 to 2 lead at the end of the first quarter, but the second quarter was just the reverse and the lead had been cut down to 13 to 10 at intermission time. After the half, Allen Park continued to close in on the Rocks and took a 17 to 16 lead midway through the third quarter. At that point the locals pulled ahead and some fancy shooting in the last quarter enabled them to put the game away for good.

Les Forenczi led the attack with 11 points made on 5 buckets and one free throw. John Agnew and Bob Middleton shared second honors with 8 points each. Lee Juve had 6. Nine lads figured in the scoring column. Marshall led Allen Park with 12 points and was high point man for the evening.

The Reserve Varsity made good on 12 out of 24 foul shots, while Allen Park was successful on 7 out of 20 free throws.

This concluded play until after the Christmas holidays.

Give old Mother Eve credit for one thing. When Adam got in from work every evening she didn't kiss him to get a smell of his breath and see if he had been eating apples again.

Cagers Score 70 Points; Kisabeth 25 in 3 Quarters

The high school varsity cagers climbed to the 500 mark for the season when they smothered Allen Park 70 to 43 in the last pre-vacation game at the high school gym. This is believed to be the highest total scored by a local team in the last decade. The game was never close, and Coach Sandmann substituted freely throughout the contest, with substitutes playing the entire last quarter. Kenneth Kisabeth came within one point of breaking the individual total point for a game. Ken scored 25 points in less than three quarters, and then went out of the game on five fouls. It is a cinch he would have broken DeWayne Becker's record of 26, and probably would have set a new one of over 30 if he had not fouled out.

The Rocks were really clicking in this game, and leaped into a 13 to 5 first quarter lead, and a 32 to 13 halftime lead. By the end of the third quarter they had doubled the score at 55 to 28, and the substitutes went in and played the remainder of the contest. Ten players shared in the scoring of these 70 points.

Young Kisabeth led with his 25. David Finney had 9, Casey Cavell 8, and the others were scattered among 7 players. Smith had 13 for Allen Park and McNew 10 points. Plymouth made good on 10 fouls out of 26 attempts and Allen Park 12 out of 36 tries.

Frosh Win Easily Over Allen Park

The freshman basketball team played masterful ball last week while downing the Allen Park frosh 50 to 36 in a game at Allen Park. They took a commanding lead in the first quarter and never had any trouble thereafter leading at the half by a 28 to 14 score.

The young Rocks made 20 out of 44 fouls, and Allen Park only connected on 4 out of 29 shots from the free throw line. Linden Mills led the scorers with 16 points made on 5 baskets and 6 free throws. Dick Davidson had 12, Peter Schipper 9, Tom Ferguson 8, Jack Carter 3 and Jerry Steele 2 points.

The next game for the Frosh will be here with the Belleville freshman furnishing the opposition at 4 p.m. Thursday, January 8.

Junior High Loses Second Straight

Coach Gus Gorguze's junior high basketball team lost its second straight game by a close margin when Allen Park juniors upset them 35 to 30 last week. The score was tied at the half, but Allen Park jumped into the lead in the third quarter when they scored 12 points while holding Plymouth to 3 points. Free throws played an important part in the loss as the young lads could only make good on 6 free throws out of 26 attempts.

Jerry King led in the scoring with 13 points—Bob Grady had 10 points, Bob Jenkins 5 and Jack Carr 2 points.

The next game will be on January 8 at 4 p.m. against Belleville in the local gymnasium.

Social items can be phoned to 1600.

Sports Glances

by "Professor" Edgar Brown

The Detroit Lions hurdled the final barrier and copped the professional football league championship last Sunday as they downed a stubborn Cleveland Brown eleven 17 to 7.

The Lions earned the title the hard way, for after losing two of the first three games, each to the then "hot" San Francisco 49'ers, they won all but one of the remaining games, and beat a good Los Angeles Ram team in a play-off. Yes, this 1952 team deserved the title in every respect.

So early next fall you will see the championship Lions battling the all-star collegians at Soldier's Field in Chicago.

Say, those high school cagers were "red hot" the other night against Allen Park. They not only broke the modern team scoring record, but Kenny Kisabeth nearly broke the individual scoring record of 26 set by DeWayne Becker back in 1948. Kenny had 25 before he went out on fouls near the end of the third quarter. It was a cinch he would have made a new record if he had not fouled out in the third quarter.

But what was more important the team clicked on their passes and plays—it is true that Allen Park did not present much of a defense, and neither team had what is known as a tall basketball player, nevertheless, the team looked much better than in previous outings.

The recreational basketball league is underway again, but it seems that the boys are slow in signing up. Players are needed in the 16 and under group, and the 14 and under group, to make a league a certainty. The expanding athletic program in the public school takes many of the better lads, but there must be a number of boys who aren't good enough to make the school teams, and those who like to play for fun and exercise. If you read this and wish to play contact Herbert Woolweaver at the high school recreational office. Teams are needed in the D and E leagues.

The big college game is Thursday between Southern California and Wisconsin. The Big Ten has won every game since these closed contests began in 1947. Most observers believe that this is the year for the Pacific Coast champions to come through and that Wisconsin will be ground into the dirt. Don't sell those Badgers short, they may not win, but don't be surprised if they do. I know I won't be for I think they have a good chance. The Badgers have a psychological disadvantage in that Southern California will have the odds in their favor, and after six years without a win will be playing their "darndest" to provide victory.

The high school athletes will be back at their sports again next

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week after a holiday layoff. There will be basketball games, and the first swimming meet will be held in the new pool next week. More about these in next week's paper. During vacation this page has been rather skimpy because of the sports vacation, but we'll have more from now on. Watch for my all-state football team next week—it will be a duzy.

I wish to take this opportunity to wish all my readers a holiday greeting and may life be good to you throughout the new year. Some people worry about the future, others can't forget the past, but I'm going to take one day at a time—it is much easier, more simple, and much more happy that way.

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Boy Scout Troop P4 Sells 262 Wreaths
 Boy Scout Troop P4 of the Presbyterian church sold 262 Christmas wreaths.
 The troop, under the direction of scoutmaster Ken Rosencrans, sold the wreaths during a three week period. Profits from the sale will be used for troop equipment, summer camp, and to provide each member with a subscription to Boy's Life magazine.

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"FROM THE MEN AND WOMEN IN THE ARMED FORCES."
 Brief items of interest about your sons or husbands in the services are welcomed in this column providing the information does not conflict with press security policies.
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James F. Gray
 Second Lieutenant James F. Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Gray of Dewey street, recently completed a 15 week course for company grade officers at Fort Benning, Georgia.
 Lieutenant Gray's home station is Fort Richardson, Alaska. He has been in service for six years. During this time he has received the good conduct medal, the victory medal World War II, and the occupation medal.

Roderick Cassidy
 Private Roderick H. Cassidy, whose wife, Barbara, lives at 895 Williams street, recently received a letter of commendation from the Eighth Army ordnance school in Korea.
 Cassidy received the highest mark in the course, 99.5 per cent, while attending the school last November.
 He is a member of the battalion motor maintenance section of the X Corps' 196th Field Artillery Battalion.
 Before entering the Army in November 1951, he was a parts clerk with the Lincoln-Mercury division of the Ford Motor company in Detroit.
 His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roderick A. Cassidy, live at 44622 North Territorial road.

Wayne A. Henry
 Serving aboard the minesweeper USS Ransom is Wayne A. Henry, fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Henry of 12701 Inkster road, Plymouth.
 The Ransom is a unit of the Atlantic Fleet Mine Force berthed at the U. S. Minecraft Base here in order to give ship's personnel an opportunity for holiday leave.
 Early next year he is expected to participate in a series of simulated war maneuvers in the Caribbean.

Michigan Leads Other States in License Sales
 Michigan again led all other states in both hunting and fishing license sales. In the last fiscal year the U. S. Department of Interior credited the state with having 1,037,633 licensed hunters and 1,089,864 licensed fishermen.
 The 1952 calendar year should mark the setting of new records when the last of the license agents' sales reports are made. Estimates point to about 1,147,000 hunters and 1,145,000 anglers. More hunting permits were issued because some 70,000 extra persons showed hunting interest in the liberalized regular deer season. Hunting tally includes a record 30,000 some archers.

Jack D. Gobel
 Serving aboard the escort carrier USS Palau, recently returned to Norfolk, Virginia after a training cruise in the Caribbean area, is Jack D. Gobel, seaman, USN, of 190 Hamilton street.
 While in the Caribbean, forces of the Navy and Marine Corps were combined in a joint operation designed to develop new methods of assault.
 Numerous ships of the Atlantic Fleet participated in Operation Track II, consisting of tactical maneuvers involving Vieques Island, P. R. and an assault under simulated wartime conditions at a beachhead in North Carolina.
 Also participating were two Marine air squadrons plus a Marine infantry company aboard the Palau during this training period.
 Liberty and recreation periods were spent in a three-day visit to Havana, Cuba.

Lyle P. Ernst
 Private Lyle P. Ernst of 42530 Hammill street has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for his action under enemy fire with the 40th Infantry Division in Korea.
 The badge consists of a miniature replica of a Revolutionary War flintlock rifle mounted on a blue background and superimposed on a silver wreath.

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Legal Notices
 Petitioner: William H. Roberts, Jr. Plymouth, Michigan
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE
 No. 404,755
 At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the third day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.
 Present James H. Sexton, Judge of Probate.
 In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM H. ROBERTS, Deceased.
 On reading and filing the petition of William H. Roberts, Jr., praying that administration of said estate be granted to himself, or some other suitable person:
 It is ordered, That the eighth day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition.
 And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in the Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Wayne.
 JAMES H. SEXTON, Judge of Probate

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Legal Notices
 Petitioner: Ruth R. Bolla
 Deputy Probate Register
 Dec. 18-25, 1952, Jan. 1, 1953
 Attorney: J. Rustling Cutler
 140 N. Main St.
 Plymouth, Michigan
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE, ss.
 No. 404,730
 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 second day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.
 Present James H. Sexton, Judge of Probate.
 In the Matter of the Estate of ALMA L. MILLIMAN, Deceased.
 An instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased having been delivered into this Court for probate.
 It is ordered, That the eighth day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition.
 And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in the Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Wayne.
 JAMES H. SEXTON, Judge of Probate

Legal Notices
 Petitioner: Ruth R. Bolla
 Deputy Probate Register
 Dec. 18-25, 1952, Jan. 1, 1953
STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE
 No. 404,252
 In the Matter of the Estate of GAYLE M. DONNELLY, 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 file a copy thereof upon ANNE C. DONNELLY, administratrix of said estate, at 223 North Harvey, Plymouth, Michigan, on or before the 25th day of February, A.D. 1953, and that such claims will be heard by said court, before Judge James H. Sexton in Court Room No. 527, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 25th day of February, A.D. 1953, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
 Dated December 15, 1952.
 JAMES H. SEXTON, Judge of Probate
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10 Year Lake, River Study Now Underway
 A 10-year study of Michigan lakes and river systems, first major research project financed with U. S. Dingell-Johnson funds, was started. Some 60 lakes and river systems were on the first year investigation schedule. While this and other types of fisheries work have been carried on by the department for a long time, return of rod and reel tax money will speed up the pace.
 With the experimental Rifle River watershed improvement program nearing completion, the department commenced work on the Pine river system overhaul project in Osceola, Lake, Wexford and Manistee counties. The latter is believed to be the largest restoration project of its type in the nation. Objectives are restoring fish habitat, curbing soil erosion and providing other benefits.
 Research was underway on natural lake fertilization methods with the plan being to find ways of increasing fish production in poor fish lakes.
 Hatchery crews again released a large number of legal-size brook, brown, rainbow and lake trout, 1,284,000 as compared to 1,301,000 the year before.
 When final commercial fishermen's reports are tabulated, figures may show the annual haul from Michigan portions of the Great Lakes to be close to an average of 26,000,000 pound year. More small species such as smelt, herring and chubs were netted, fewer big fish like whitefish, lake trout and walleyes. Smelt catches may have reached an all time high.

Girl Scout News
Troop Makes Nut Cups, Sees Doll Collection, Holds Christmas Party
 The leaders and members of Brownie Troop 17 have been very busy the past few weeks.
 They were pleasantly surprised two weeks ago at their meeting when Mrs. Lyons brought her collection of dolls to show the girls. She has dolls from many countries as well as character dolls of our country.
 Last Monday the Brownie Christmas party was held at the home of Martha Jane West. At this time the girls and their leaders enjoyed an exchange of gifts and refreshments served by the hostess and her mother.
 The Brownie Troop filled and decorated 20 nut cups for the children at Maybury Sanitorium.

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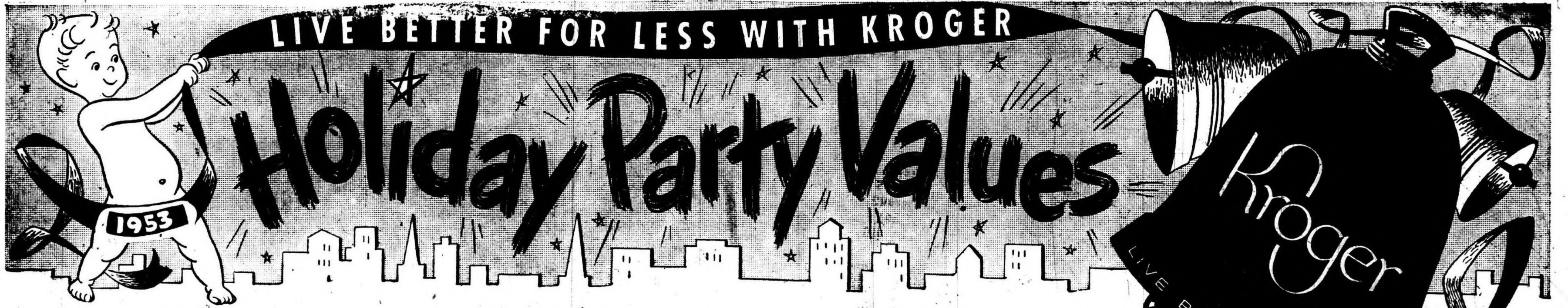
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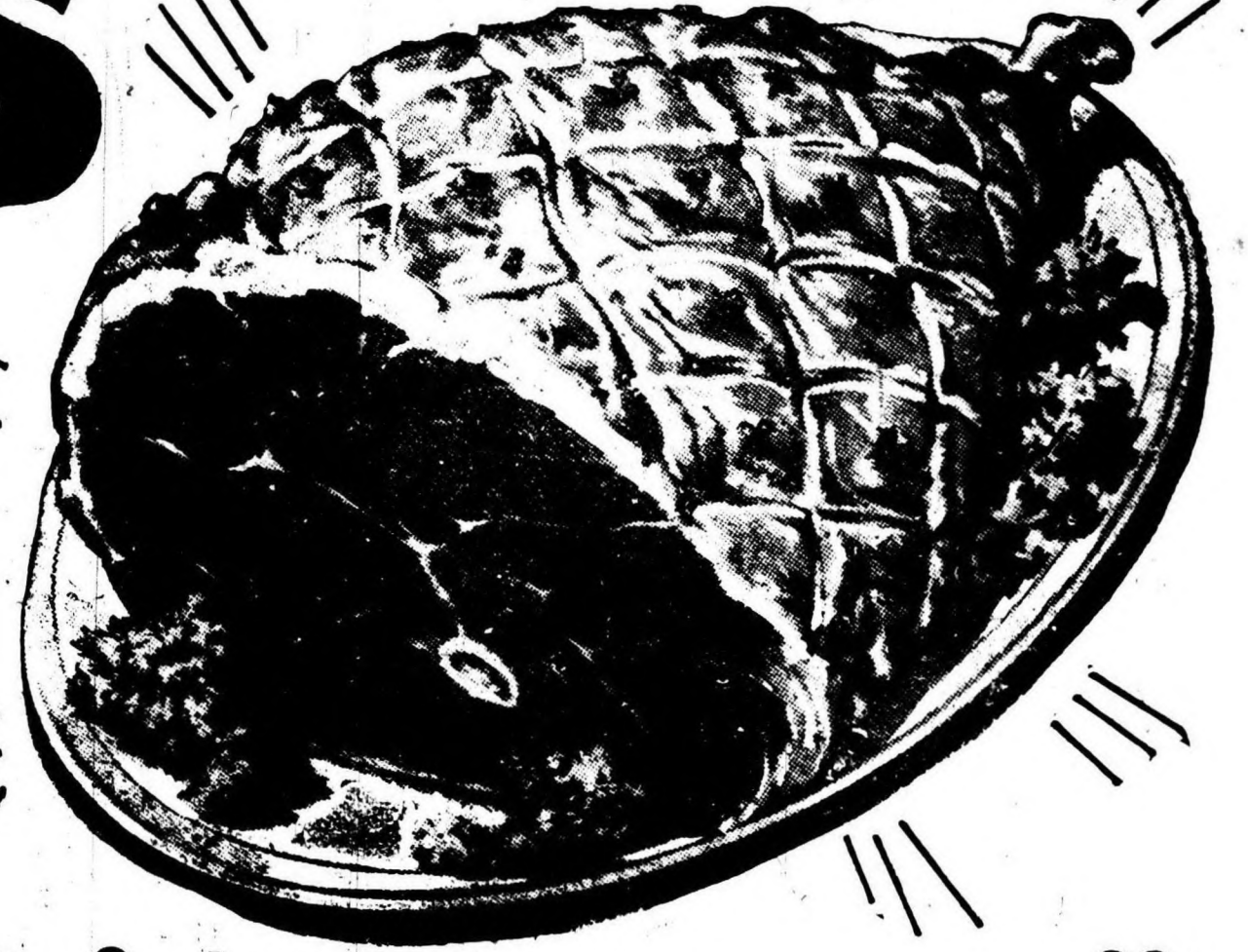
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Mazola Oil For All Fine Cooking . . . Gal. 2.29 **Pop Corn** . . . Bango . . . lb. bag 22¢ **Pie Filling** My-T-Fine Lemon . . . 3 pkgs. 25¢
Spread Cheese Windsor Club . . . 2 lb. loaf 89¢ **Peas & Carrots** Butter Kernel No. 303 can 21¢ **Vegemato Cocktail** 46-oz. can 41¢

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 Medium Size Solid Heads
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

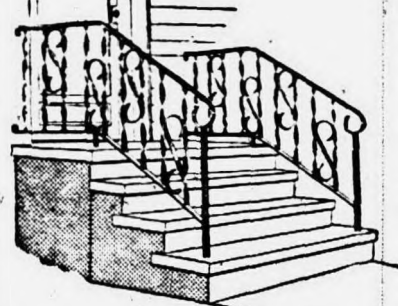
Entertaining at a Christmas Eve get-together in their home were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Salley of Ford road. Among the many guests present were, Gladys and Ronald Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Palmer, and children Maryann and Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Palmer and children David and Connie Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Palmer and Rodger Kidston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph West, Martha Jane and Bill were Christmas Day guests at a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Knud Jorgensen and family in Cherry Hill.

Fred Pinnow of Northville road is still confined to St. Joseph's hospital in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hauk of Canton Center road entertained at Christmas breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hauk. Later they all attended the Smith family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Buck in Dundee.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hirschlieb had as their guests on Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. William Hirschlieb and children Patty Ann, Terry and Marikay, of Ypsilanti; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hirschlieb and children, Judy Kay and Gary of Grantland avenue, Livonia; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hirschlieb, Mrs. Harold Hirschlieb, Charles Wilske, all of Plymouth. Private Harold Hirschlieb, who was unable to be present, is now stationed in Korea.

Among those who attended the annual Christmas banquet and meeting conducted by the Pioneer Coin Company of Indiana, for salesmen and their wives, were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schultz of Proctor road, Plymouth. The banquet was held on December 20 at the Hayes Hotel in Jackson. Guest artists from WLS, Chicago and a talk by Colonel Kellems, USAF were the highlights of the evenings program.

The W.S.C.S. of the Newburg Methodist church will meet on Tuesday, January 6, at the church hall. A potluck dinner at noon, beginning at 12:30 will be followed by a program which will include Reverend Robert Richards as guest speaker.

Joyce Ann Barnett of Garden City was the weekend guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Charles O. Lueke of Ross street.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Siterlat and family of Five Mile road were guests at a Christmas breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harrison of Merriman road.

Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finney of Arthur street were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hosier and son, Bobby, and Reverend Herman Hosier of Gary, Indiana.

Mrs. Shirley Groit of Bainbridge spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. Groit's parents.

Cadet Larry Finney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finney of Arthur street, is spending the holiday season with his parents. Larry is stationed at Pensacola, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullard of Maple street were the Christmas eve and Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer N. Burrows of East Tawas.

John E. Finney of Palo Alto, California has been the holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finney of Arthur street.

Arthur A. Secrist of South Bend, Indiana, has been the holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finney of Arthur street.

The Mayflower hotel was the setting for the BBS club's annual Christmas party and exchange of gifts on December 18. Members who attended the party were Mrs. Lewis Baker of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Earl Lutz of Birmingham and Mrs. Dale Curtis of Detroit. Those attending from Plymouth were Mrs. Bert Coverdill, Mrs. Anna Rathburn, Mrs. Paul Nash, Mrs. Frank Broegman, Mrs. Charles Thorne and Mrs. Lloyd Fillmore.

Alan Finney and Hugh Grieve returned last Tuesday from their vacation trip to New Orleans, Louisiana. Upon their return home, they stopped at Pensacola, Florida, to return Cadet Larry Finney to his home for the holiday season.

Cadet Edwin L. Kimbrough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kimbrough of South Main street, a student at Wentworth Military Academy in Lexington, Missouri, spent the Christmas holiday with his parents.

Tommy Rollin celebrated his eleventh birthday on Saturday, December 20, by taking some of his schoolmates to the theatre matinee, later returning to his home for dessert and games. Those invited were Ellen Callahan, Jean Cooper, Linda Williams, Roxanna Smith, Betty Garrett, John Jousma, Ronald Tuckett, Byron Williams, Hobart Hammand and Robert Westover.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chute have returned to their home on Garfield avenue after spending the Christmas holiday with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Chute, Jr., and their little grandson, George, III, in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. Fred Ebert who was home from St. Joseph's hospital, Ann Arbor, for only a few days, has returned to the hospital and remains quite ill.

The PLYMOUTH MAIL

Thursday, January 1, 1953

Plymouth, Michigan

Section Three

Private First Class Edward Thorne and Mrs. Thorne spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thorne of Ann street, Edward is with the 3rd division, U. S. Marine Signal Battalion, as a switch board operator and wire repairman instructor, at Camp Pendleton, California. They reside at 619 Hill street in Ocean-side, California.

Mrs. Burton Johnson of Church street left by plane last Tuesday to spend the holidays with her son, Stanley Daniel and family in Madison, New Jersey.

Frank Sanders of 651 Auburn avenue underwent surgery at St. Joseph's hospital, Ann Arbor on Wednesday of last week. He is coming along just fine.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Todd of Clemons road spent Christmas in Toledo, Ohio, with Mrs. Todd's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howell of Gold Arbor road will attend a New Year's Eve party in Detroit at their daughter and son-in-law's home. The Oscar Fords are entertaining a group of Detroit friends.

A Peaceful New Year...

Our thanks to everyone in town for his good will and friendship.

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Holiday Greetings

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Best wishes for a successful New Year.

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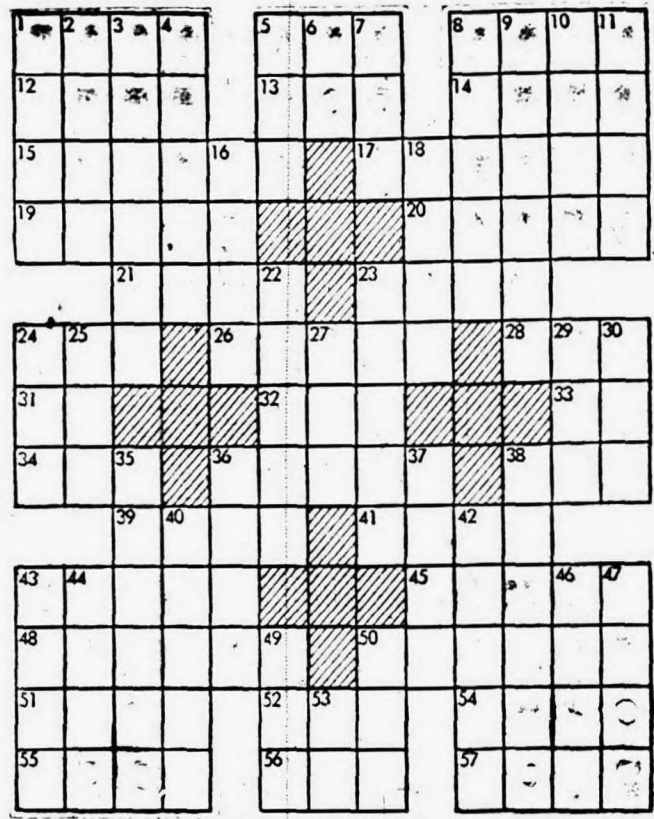
Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- Strike
- Hike
- Attention
- Person
- Man's name
- Eye
- Bird (pl.)
- Route
- Language
- Aviation
- Formerly
- Lid
- Condition
- Bean
- Whim
- Sick
- Sun god
- Extent of ship
- Game like
- Clothes
- Weight of
- Kind of boat
- Cattle farm
- To speak
- First to
- to encounter
- Howing
- Impatient
- Persian poet
- Mistake
- To re-
- compense
- Inclined walk

VERTICAL

- Hastened
- Unexpectant
- Merchant vessel
- A guide
- Aciform
- White
- Morose
- Period of
- Time (pl.)
- Bird (pl.)
- Otherwise
- Exploit
- Epic poetry
- Fabled monster
- Two of a kind (pl.)
- Splendor
- Source
- container



Answer to Puzzle No. 218

GREY	PROA	RIUM
OISE	LEND	TINA
AD	SPAG	SCETA
GO	TER	SCETA
ABEC	END	BER
BEAN	PALE	TH
FORER	SNORES	
EL	EMIR	ROAST
CEE	OBIA	MICA
ESAR	SARD	NO
CEE	RID	EA
USE	ROAM	ABEL
PER	NESS	POST

Tougher Tests For Drivers

A tentative draft calling for the revision of the rules and regulations governing the issuance of drivers' licenses and a tightening up of examinations has been agreed upon by the Secretary of State Fred M. Alger, Jr., Secretary of State-elect Owen J. Cleary and State Police Commissioner Joseph A. Childs.

The next step will be the presentation of the proposal to a representative meeting of all interested governmental and police agencies, public safety groups and others who have a primary concern in the problem.

It is hoped to hold this meeting the latter part of January. The proposal, with such modifications as may be made at that time will then be ready to place in effect.

The program is aimed primarily at those applying for driving permits the first time. The written examination will be expanded and the vision test made more complete. The road test also will be more thorough.

"The office of the Secretary of State and the State Police have had this under study for a long time," said Commissioner Childs, "and have prepared an examination which we think will better fit today's needs and requirements. We have not believed present procedures entirely satisfactory and therefore have endeavored to come up with something that will put much safer drivers on the road."

Christmas Trees Can be Put to Many Uses After New Year's

There are a number of things you can do with your Christmas tree after New Year's besides burning it.

If it is a fir, for instance, it can be anchored in the back yard—perhaps in a corner of the garden—and used as a bird feeder the remainder of the winter. Pieces of suet and little feed bags may be tied to the branches. A container of water should be placed beneath the tree and kept filled so the birds will have a drink every day.

Or, cut off the branches and place them, curved ends up, over flower beds when the ground is exposed. An evergreen mulch helps prevent the soil from heaving during alternate freezes and thaws. Long branches may be built into little lean-tos to protect tender shrubs from sun scald.

The needles of a Christmas tree can be sprinkled beneath acid-loving plants such as laurel, andromeda, rhododendron and blueberries.

If the needles on the tree are still firm, use the branches in an outdoor windowbox. Moisten the soil in the box. Then push the cut ends of the branches down to the bottom and tamp the soil firm around them. This will generally give you greenery all winter.

If you must burn your Christmas tree, don't toss it into a fire place. Cut off the branches and burn them safely one by one.

And remember, a Christmas tree tossed into the street can become a fire hazard if playful children pick it up and make a bonfire of it in a vacant lot.

It is as hard for some people to keep a secret as it is for all of us to keep the Ten Commandments.

Phone news items to 1600

We Wish Each of You

Happy New Year

Anderine Hotel
 886 N. Mill Phone 9167

"Auld Lang Syne" Is Integral Part Of New Year's Fete

"Auld Lang Syne" has become such an integral part of our modern New Year's eve that no celebration, however gay, would be complete without it.

The music sheets for those nostalgic strains simply say "Robert Burns — Scotch Air", and Robert Burns generally is supposed to have written it after he had settled down on a farm and taken himself a wife, following the sweeping success in 1778 of the second edition of his "Poems." Well and good, but Auld Lang Syne was not exclusively a Burns' product, nor did he claim it to be.

In a letter to George Thomson, a publisher, Burns explained: "It is an old song of olden times, which has never been in print. I took it down from an old man's singing."

Modern scholarship has discovered that Burns was wrong when he told Thomson "Auld Lang Syne" never had been in print. Its refrain, at least, was printed obscurely long

The secret of education lies in respecting the pupil.

It is only the ignorant who despise education.

Times change, but a country man still has the idea that a useless dude is a city chap who does not know how to harness a horse.

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before Burns heard his "old man singing."

Further, the original song often has been credited to Sir Robert Ayton (1570-1638). Ayton was one of the earliest Scots to use the lowland dialect as a literary medium. Multitudes of Americans descended from non-British stock are perpetually mystified by this dialect, nor does it seem to make much sense in the standard English translation.

Regardless of its original author and origin, it was Burns who gave "Auld Lang Syne" its immortality.

Phone news items to 1600

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

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NEW YEAR Greetings

As we review the accomplishments of a good year just closing, we find it offers a splendid challenge for each of us to strive for even greater things in the New Year. We pledge anew our willingness to serve in any capacity that may be your pleasure during the coming year.

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ACHIEVEMENT

The achievements of past years are many and worthy of recognition. But somehow the prospects and possibilities of the coming year seem more important to us now.

A challenge awaits us and we accept it with every confidence that the people of this community will meet every situation capably and efficiently. The result will be a year of magnificent achievements unsurpassed by none.

As we approach the New Year, we extend our best wishes and assure you that we will make every effort to aid in the progress of this community.

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

DETROIT EDISON COMPANY

**Official Proceedings of
Your City Commission**

Monday, December 1, 1952
A regular meeting of the City Commission was held in the Commission Chamber of the City Hall on Monday, December 1, 1952.

Present: Comm. Bauer, Fisher, Hammond, Henry, Tibbitts and Mayor Daane.
Absent: Comm. Arlen.

Moved by Comm. Bauer and supported by Comm. Tibbitts that the minutes of the regular meeting of November 17 and the Special meetings of November 24 and November 28, 1952 be approved as read. Carried unanimously.

The Clerk presented a property owner's petition requesting construction of curb, gutter, and bituminous pavement on Auburn between Blanche and Junction. Moved by Comm. Fisher and supported by Comm. Hammond that the petition be accepted and placed on file for consideration with other petitions of a similar nature in January. Carried unanimously.

Mr. Verne Martin representing the American Automobile Association, appeared before the Commission and presented to Mayor Daane and Police Chief Greenlee a certificate of commendation for its outstanding record of no pedestrian deaths during 1951 as reported in the A.A.A. National Pedestrian Protection Contest.

The Clerk presented a communication from the Wayne County Road Commission recommending that proposed guard rail posts on Sheldon Road not be installed. Moved by Comm. Hammond and supported by Comm. Bauer that the letter be accepted and that a conference be arranged between the County Engineer of Safety and Traffic, the City Manager to discuss protection of pedestrians on Sheldon Road. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Comm. Henry and supported by Comm. Fisher that the request of the Plymouth Taxi Service for one more taxi cab license be granted. Carried unanimously.

The following resolution was offered by Comm. Tibbitts and supported by Comm. Henry:

WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Plymouth requires that a panel of jurors be drawn during the month of November of each year from which panel the jurors will be selected to act for the following calendar year, and

WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Plymouth directs that the jury be impanelled in accordance with Sec. 730.251 to 730.271 inclusive of the Compiled Laws of 1948, as amended, and

WHEREAS, sections of the Compiled Laws, aforementioned, cannot be followed unless the City Commission appoints a Clerk of the Court as provided in Sec. 8.7 of the Charter of the City of Plymouth.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that this City Commission create the position of Court Clerk in the Municipal Court and that the City Manager forthwith appoint a person to act as Court Clerk in the Municipal Court of the City of Plymouth; and Be It Further Resolved that the compensation of the Court Clerk be established by the City Manager within the limits of the budget of the City of Plymouth. Carried unanimously.

City Manager announced the appointment of Mrs. Leona Bonnette as Court Clerk.

The City Manager presented a report in regard to local improvement described as: An alley in, over, and upon a part of Lot 172, Assessor Plymouth Plat No. 7 and to open and improve the same.

The following resolution was offered by Comm. Tibbitts and supported by Comm. Henry:

WHEREAS, the City of Plymouth is again indebted to Mr. C. H. Bennett and Mr. E. C. Hough for their generosity in assuming the purchase price of

the additional land necessary for access to the East Central Parking Lot, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bennett and Mr. Hough have, as on numerous other occasions, demonstrated civic pride and interest in the welfare and convenience of the citizens of the City of Plymouth.

THEN THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Commission of the City of Plymouth does hereby publicly acknowledge and thank Mr. Bennett and Mr. Hough for their generous contribution and as an expression of their grateful appreciation for this continued interest and help in improving the facilities of the City of Plymouth for the benefit of all its citizens directs that a copy of this resolution, certified by the Clerk under the seal of the City of Plymouth, be presented to Mr. Hough and Mr. Bennett. Carried unanimously.

The Clerk presented an agreement signed by Roderick A. and Norma M. Cassidy permitting use of a portion of Lot 232, Assessor's Plymouth Plat No. 9 for public automotive parking. Moved by Comm. Tibbitts and supported by Comm. Hammond that the agreement be accepted and the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to sign for and by the City of Plymouth. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Comm. Bauer and supported by Comm. Hammond that the Plat of the Birch Estate Subdivision be approved and accepted subject to the approval of the water and sewer installation by the Engineer, Mr. Hamill, and the deposit of \$27,000.00 cash with the City Treasurer, or the posting of a bond in the amount of \$27,000.00, approved as to form by the City Attorney, to guarantee

construction of sidewalk and completion of graveling and finish grading. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Comm. Henry and supported by Comm. Fisher that the City dedicate 5 feet on the Westerly side of the City owned parcel of land, known as Assessor's Parcel BB 3a Section 35 (Water tower property), for use as a public street, namely Dewey Avenue, subject to the same conditions and provisions set forth in the resolution approving and accepting the Plat of the Birch Estate Subdivision. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Comm. Henry and supported by Comm. Fisher that the meeting adjourn.

Time of adjournment: 9:45 p.m.
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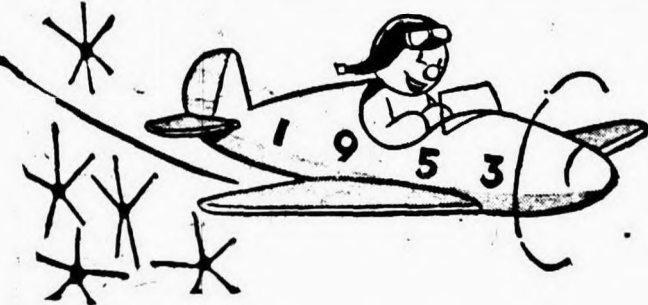
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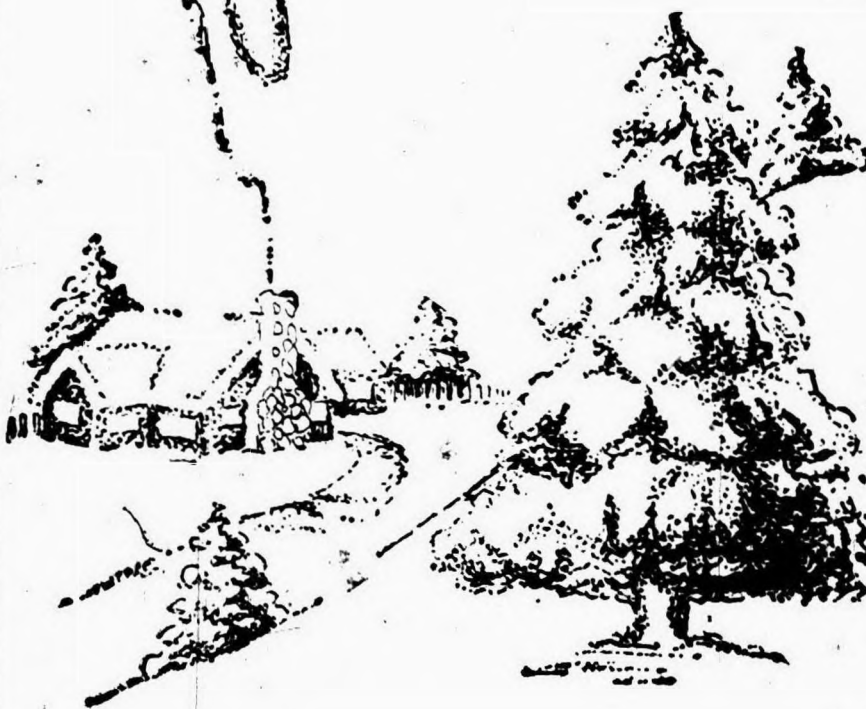
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Happy New Year

May the New Year bring you every promise of good health and happiness... and leave you with each promise richly fulfilled.

May each day unfold new opportunities for warm friendship and solid achievement... and each month be a milestone in your steady forward march to better things.

May 1953 prove one of the brightest pages in your memory book... because of what it did for you... your loved ones... your country... your world!

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Penniman Avenue

Executives, Employees Hold Annual Dinner; Present 43 Service Awards

Wall Wire Products Company held its fourth annual Service & Supervisory Dinner at the Hawthorne Valley Golf Club Saturday.

E. L. Russell, vice president, was toastmaster; E. L. Malone, executive vice president, gave the principal address concerning business conditions throughout the country. Harry S. Boorman, works manager, made the service pin presentations.

Service Pins were presented to these 12 employees reaching the ten year service mark:

Robert Allenbaugh, Thomas Horn, William Winn, Edward Reeves, William Fox, Hendrix Gross, Noble Walton, Gene Walters, Arthur Mitchell, William Hicks, Raymond Spencer, and James Dyer, Jr.

The awards also went to 31 employees reaching the five year service mark. They are: Howard Hochstadt, Clearon Gardner, Homer Dodson, Kelly Hayes, Earl Hays, William Hunt, Ralph Bramlett, Franklin Gribble, Davis Roberts, Harold Courtney, Harold Micol, Lloyd England, Mary Williams, Eltrym Van Valkenburg, Anna Madaras, Herbert Dyer, Clarence Huss, Marcus Baggs, Norman Kirby, Daniel Ray, Bertha Maher, Vada Smith, Vera Yarbrough, Irene Dodson, Thara Robinson, William Fannin, Noah Robinson, Edwin Bierschbach, Edwin Habicht, Carrie Kearney and Thelma Potts.

Attending the dinner were all employees with five years or more of service, up to and including those with over 12 years of service.

Thirteen Years: D. B. Kelly, Otto Habrecht, Thomas Koliba, Charles Gow, Glen Kisabeth, John Chaney, Clifton Tillotson, Nick Marginean, Frank Broegman, Robert Kisabeth, Richard Simpson, Frank Nair, Earl O'Day, Kenneth McPherson, Robert Britton, Harold Hancock, Jesse Tritton, Thomas LaByatt, Herman Kreger, Jesse Bugard, Jr., Phillip Rodman, Thomas Cramb, Burl Gooch, A. J. Jefferys, Edward Rienes, Leo Goldstine, Harold Plant, and Jack Warkup.

Twelve Years: Roy Wheeler, Harry S. Boorman, Homer Moody, Hugh Ronayne, Harold Villerot, Edmund Burnham, and Elton Williams.

Eleven Years: Kenneth Weage. Nine years: Angus Diack, Mark Everett, Louis Zalas, Edgar Armstrong, and Paul Habicht.

Eight years: Bernie Tritten, Elizabeth Spencer, Olga Landau, Margaret Fisher, Ernest Van Meter, and Naomi Brackenbury.

Seven years: Mildred Anstice, Ethel Price, Mabel O'Connor, Carroll Warkup, Wayne Bowyer, Reeves Smith, Walter Rogenski, John Boone, Roy Singleton,

Lawrence Parrish, George Johnson, and Elroy Cowell.
Six years: James Huber, Eugene Gasper, Charlie Gann, Frank Gnida, Fred Drews, Clifford Foddrill, Elmer Anderson, Betty Westphall, Floyd Bell, Walter Schweim, John Johnston, Rector Elkins, Orpha Hoffman, Edna Hills, Josephine Steiger, Bertha Sims, Henry Mende, Lillian Minock, Hilding Olson, Jack Brown, and Aubrey Duncan.

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25 Years Ago

A large barn, silo, tool shed chicken house and three green-houses were destroyed by fire last Saturday, on the farm of Louis Kaiser, a mile south of this village. The contents of all the buildings were also destroyed. How the fire originated is not known.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage last Monday noon, when Miss Irene Bird, daughter of Mrs. Nellie Bird was united in marriage with Walter Faber of this village. The bridal party was attended by Miss Genevieve Bird, sister of the bride, and Roy N. Thurnber.

Howell has 200 foreign students in its schools at the present time. Their tuition amounts to \$15,000.

The management of the Penniman Allen theatre announces a splendid bill New Year's night and the following Monday night, at the local theatre. The attraction is Buster Keaton in "College". This picture is said to be one of the best comedies Buster has ever appeared in, and a scream from start to finish.

If there are any World War ex-service men in this community who have not yet applied for their federal bonus, they must do so today or tomorrow. Men of home service as well as overseas are entitled to apply for the same, it costs nothing and no red tape, simply the time of making out the application.

The fourth annual Christmas party of the Daisy Mfg. Company to its stockholders, employees and members of their families took place at the Penniman Allen theatre last Saturday afternoon. There were about 350 present. As each employee entered the theater, he or she was given a Christmas check from the company by George Hunter, paymaster.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Hall, Golden road, a son, Thomas J., December 21.

Miss Audrey Burrows of Detroit, is spending the week with Miss Marion Beyer. Miss Burrows is a room mate of Miss Beyer at the U. of M.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William E. Davison, a son, Sidney Robert, December 26.

Little William Etherford had a narrow escape last week Thursday noon, when he ventured out on the thin ice at Phoenix pond, which broke through with his weight, and he was precipitated into the cold water. Aside from the wetting, Billy escaped what might have been a more serious happening, and this should serve as a warning to the boys and girls to keep off the ice at this time.

Claude Pevy of Dallas, Texas, is spending the holiday vacation with Clifford Wood. The boys are roommates at Ann Arbor, where they attend the U. of M.

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Celebrating New Year's Is Centuries Old

Man has welcomed the New Year in a giddy fashion for centuries. It has been observed on various dates in different times and places, but the manner of celebration has been virtually the same from the times of the Romans. And in America, the merry-making spirit has been a strong one since the colonial days.

"Lewd Orgies" is the way writers have described the early festivals of the Romans. The celebrations were noted for the amount of food and drink consumed.

In colonial days in America it was the custom of younger people to visit taverns and friends to drink their health and toast the coming of the New Year. Some of the parties became small riots.

The custom of celebrating has grown so much that today the average American feels lost unless he has plans to "go somewhere" and "do something" on New Year's eve.

In France and Germany, the holiday is marked by festivities resembling those of this country. Before World War II, Paris and Berlin assumed a carnival atmosphere. Much of that spirit is returning as these countries recover from the economic and physical damage.

Rabbit Hunting Good Up North

Rabbit hunting conditions in the northern lower peninsula have been excellent during recent days, the conservation department reports.

Snow has covered most of the region and hunters with hounds have reported good success. Hunting pressure has been light during the week, but weekends still bring out considerable numbers of hunters.

Also, ice fishermen got their first real chance for extended fishing and spearing when lakes throughout the region froze over. Some good catches of perch, smelt and other panfish were reported.

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The New Year is here and we welcome it with enthusiasm and with complete confidence in what it may bring. We sincerely believe that the coming twelve months will be one of complete happiness and prosperity for the fine people of this area.

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Evered Jolliffe

Rotary secretary Evered Jolliffe is your columnist this week. A resident of Plymouth for over 60 years Mr. Jolliffe was born in Blenheim, Ontario and educated in Plymouth schools and later received a degree from the University of Michigan. He was a former secretary of the Markham Air Rifle company of this city and was associated for many years with the Auto industry serving with Oakland, Reo and DeSoto in various top sales capacities. He has been active in local Rotary and University of Michigan club affairs and for many years has been a member of the board of trustees of the Methodist Church.

The third vice president in charge of the department of I-Recollect-When, has come up with this one. The late Leopold Hudson, one time citizen of this community, lived for many years in the home of a farmer, where, in addition to the farmer and his wife, there were nine youngsters. Leopold worked on the farm and lived in the home with the family. The din, especially at meal time, was something terrific. One day it was reported that Leopold had quit and had gone to work for another farmer who had no children — just the farmer and his wife in the home, and the couple had not been on speaking terms for years. Leopold was in the general store one cold winter morning, and as he backed up to the big round stove the storekeeper asked him about the change. "Yep," said Leopold, "It's just like going from a boiler factory to a quacker meeting."

Back in the horse and buggy days there lived a farmer south of Plymouth, Will Robinson by name, father of Maude Bennett. Will is well remembered by many of Plymouth's old timers. He had a good-natured German neighbor who was always trying to get his milk cans in his wagon and be on his way to the cheese factory so he could get in line ahead of Will. The line was usually quite long and the wait was not always pleasant, particularly in bad weather. Some how or other Will almost always got there first. But one morning his German friend managed to get in line just ahead of Will. With much glee he turned toward Will and said, "This morning William is the scripture fulfilled—the first shall be last and the next shall come afterward."

Another farmer who lived in the same general neighborhood decided that after 40 years of hard farm work he was entitled to a rest, so he prepared to move to town. One of his friends met him one day and inquired if it were true that he was going to quit farming. "Yep," said he, "farming is all right but it does get monopolus."

The members of the congregation of Plymouth's Methodist Church have special reason to be joyous. The donor of the beautiful red cushions, fitted to all the church pews, prefers to remain anonymous. Whoever he is, if he should be reading these lines, he should know that everyone is very happy over this most generous and thoughtful gesture. No sleepers were observed in last Sunday's congregation. This, of course, is a tribute to the fine words of Rev. Melbourne Johnson and to the splendid music; but let's give some credit to those new cushions. There is a suspicion that the donor is not even a Methodist, which reflects all the more credit on a great-hearted citizen of Plymouth. His gift will be enjoyed over a period of many years.



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Louis Reber, for many years a well-known barber in Plymouth's north end, was usually equal to any joke cast in his direction. One of his customers remarked one day that a man had told him he came in Louis' place for a shave and the razor was so dull that Louis dragged him all over the shop. "Well," said Louis, "I didn't charge him anything for the ride."

Of interest to Plymouth citizens is the recent newspaper story about Bobby Sutton and Roger Putnam, two 7-year-old Pontiac lads who sought to get around a city ordinance which prohibits the use of air rifles. They wrote President-elect Eisenhower about having the law changed so they could shoot targets and an occasional crow. Nothing came of it. They should have contacted Bob Wesley at the Daisy who might have whipped up a little lobbying program, thus gaining the everlasting goodwill of a couple of disappointed youngsters.

We take issue with one Charles D. Rice, a collector of strange names. He has an article in the December 14 issue of This Week Magazine, wherein, among others, he features the name of Blunk. Little does Mr. Rice know that Blunk is a highly honored and respected name in our city of Plymouth. We have a Blunk street, a Blunk subdivision, a Blunk furniture business, to say nothing of our good citizens Irving, Arthur, Melvin, Bill, Lawrence and others. There are many names more curious than Blunk, even in our own community. Modesty forbids mentioning at least one.

It seems that this column would not be complete at this joyous Holiday Season without giving expression to hope and wish that is probably uppermost in the mind of every individual in this great land of ours. May 1953 see the end of the Korean and other so called police actions. May all of us be the cooperative sort of citizens, not necessarily expecting the new administration to perform miracles, but exercising patience, offering constructive suggestions whenever and wherever opportunity offers. By thought, word and deed, may we do all that good citizens can do to bring order out of chaos. Thus may our country be a better one in which to live, and may the world soon learn the futility of war. A Happy New Year to all.

Announce Spring Schedule of Adult Night Classes

A tentative second semester adult education program consisting of 26 courses was announced today by Herbert Woolweaver, director of recreation and adult education. Varying from mechanical to artistic skills, registration for the six to 13 week courses will be held January 26 to 30 in the adult High school. Regular classes will begin for education office at Plymouth the greater part during the second week in February. Women's swimming, older girls' gymnastics and second semester badminton, however, begin the first week in January, with golf for adults and teen-agers beginning May 7 and running for a six-week period. The Plymouth Symphony, Community Chorus, Theatre Guild and Square Dance courses will also vary in time lengths with each course ending at a pre-set season date. Other tentative courses to be offered at varying tuition costs are: Parliamentary Law, Americanization, Family Living, Sewing and Tailoring, Shop Mathematics, Typing, Welding, Woodworking, Blue Print reading, Basic Electricity, Ceramics, Oil painting, Adult Piano class, Interpretive Reading, Chinese Paint, Public Speaking (speech psychology) and Shorthand.

See Beglinger for a better deal.



Gov. G. Mennen Williams would have been a mighty fine Santa Claus this year, but the Michigan senate stole his thunder in a move involving a possible split in G.O.P. ranks as well as "politics as usual."

The governor had dropped very fine appointments in the stockings of John J. Kozaren and Charles R. A. Smith. Kozaren, Hamtramck Democrat, had been reappointed to the liquor control commission. Smith, Detroit Negro attorney, had been named to the Workmen's compensation commission. Neither appointment had been approved by the senate.

And so when the lawmakers came back Dec. 18, to authorize more borrowing power for the state's schools, they turned both men out in the cold, throwing a wet blanket on any hot rumors that the olive branch would fly over the capitol.

Williams has assumed his third term as governor apparently determined to cooperate with Republicans as far as humanly possible. The governor's career timetable long has been a question, but it most certainly includes a crack at Ferguson's senate seat in 1954.

It follows that Williams will lean over backwards to promote harmony between his office and the legislature to set his house in order in Michigan before taking a go at the senate. Just before the special session he made it official when he asked the C.I.O.-P.A.C. to keep its criticism constructive.

But the Republicans apparently are not about to accept the sprig of olive the Democrats are offering. Says one, just after the governor's latest appointments had been turned down: "This is one way we can hurt Williams." This may sound a bit shortsighted, but the Republicans don't want Williams in Washington any more than they wanted him to be governor.

However, the vote on Kozaren verified what capitol observers have suspected for some time—there is strife in the senate G.O.P. ranks. Republicans hold a 25 to 7 majority in the upper chamber. But the vote to confirm Kozaren was 14 to 14. Some place along the line seven Republicans jumped the political fence.

Cause: The young Republicans have been trying to take over the senate reins. Under the lead of Senators Creighton Coleman (Marshall) and Carlton Morris (Kalamazoo), the "young Turks" have been edging out some of the old timers. And the oldsters don't take too kindly to this treatment.

Wise in the ways of political maneuvering the older heads are sure to come up with something to counteract the so-called coup of the youngsters.

In the hassles over senate control, Governor Williams may be able to sneak through some of his appointments and perhaps a bit of legislation.

He isn't counting on it. From here it looks as though the old battle is still on.

Michigan Schools, now in the greatest expansion period in history, can expect a 37 percent increase in enrollment in the next five years. Dr. John F. Thaden, M.S.C. sociologist, predicts a 1956 registration of 1,465,000 pupils as compared to 1,067,000 in the spring of 1951. The increase will require 13,000 more classrooms and an equal number of additional teachers, he warns.

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