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## A Message for Christmas

There are but two philosophies which invade the recesses of the human heart. One is the philosophy of giving; the other, of getting.

A great minister was once preaching a powerful sermon on true Christianity to which a miser was listening. First, the minister pointed out, a person should get all that he can in this life, and the miser agreed. Secondly, he said, it should be the practice of everyone to save all that is possible, and the miser agreed. And finally the minister declared that one should give away to others all that he has, and the miser felt the sermon had been ruined. There are two philosophies.

At the Christmas season the hearts of men are turned, more than at any other time of year, to the spirit of giving and sharing. This is the spirit which the Heavenly Father expressed, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son." This is the divine spirit of Christmas, giving much to help and to strengthen others.

Giving and love are synonymous. True giving, right giving, real giving is based on love; and any other giving is selfishness. And conversely love can express itself only in the spirit of giving. John the Beloved was compelled to declare, "Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God." This is possible only through Christ our Lord.

And this is the reason the angels sang that beautiful song to the shepherds; this is the reason the Magi traveled so far to bring their royal gifts to a Baby in a manger; this is the reason the courts of heaven rang with angelic music; this is the reason that Christ was manifest in the flesh and dwelt among us: "For God so loved the world that He gave." And this is the reason just now that we remember that great act of love, "For unto us a Son is given, unto us a child is born."

God did not give a cheap gift to His children. He did not give sparingly. He did not give just to fulfill the act and obligation of giving. God emptied heaven of its choicest, for that Babe in the manger is the "Fairest of ten thousands." And Christ did not give himself with reservations, and in part. He gave His all - Himself.

One poet has put it thus:

Not what we give, but what we share,  
For the gift without the giver is bare.

Let this be the real spirit of Christmas this year. Give with a heart well filled with love; share God's goodness to you with others; forget not all His benefits. And having experienced real love, the love of Christ at Christmas, let it linger in the heart for a year.

Reverend Merton Henry  
Seventh Day Adventist Church

## Rain Cuts Santa's Followers

Santa Claus came to town last Saturday afternoon and greeted over 800 area youngsters at a sneak-preview in Kellogg Park. Apparently it was a warm-up for the big night five days hence.

Timid and bold, smiling and crying, little boys and girls looked with awe at the laughing old man with the huge white beard. Santa's brilliant red outfit was properly impressive, too.

But the local Elks club, sponsor of the event, was disappointed. Gift packages had been prepared for more than 1,500 tots. However the rainy cold afternoon kept many tiny folks glued to their television sets.

Nevertheless Santa had his hands full with the children that toddled up to his knee. Some were aided by parents and grandparents. Santa's mind must have whirled with all the requests for electric trains, bullwhips, zap

guns, atom bombs and the endless other things youngsters can want for Christmas.

The line of boys and girls, patiently waiting, spiraled half a block from Santa's temporary headquarters in the middle of Kellogg Park.

Each youngster came away clutching a bagful of goodies—candy, apples, bubblegum, peanuts and oranges. Each seemed pretty much satisfied on such short notice - but all were still waiting for the real McCoy on Christmas Eve.

Scheduled to arrive by plane at a nearby airport, Santa was grounded by bad flying weather. Instead, he had to settle for a quick taxi trip around the airfield and then was hustled into town by auto.

A spokesman for the Elks club said that the remaining 700 bags of goodies will be distributed

among various hospitalized children. Last year 1,400 youngsters were greeted here by Santa under similar circumstances. The event was held in cooperation with the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce.

## Livingston Recovering From Heart Attack

Laurence Livingston, 529 Jener, director of music at Plymouth high school, is in New Grace hospital in Detroit this week recovering from a heart attack suffered last Friday morning. His wife reported that he is "doing well."

Doctors have indicated that Livingston, 45, may possibly return home in two weeks. He is also owner and operator of the Livingston Music store, 504 South Main street.

## Some Employees To Get Longer Holiday Weekend

Although Christmas comes on Tuesday next week, many Plymouthites are being given an extra-long holiday weekend due to the closing of their places of work on Monday.

Most industry in the area have announced that they will be closed from Saturday through Tuesday. Local retail stores, however, will be open as usual Monday but most will close their doors at 6 p.m.

While most folks now have their gift purchases complete, stores still expect a last-minute surge by the late shoppers. A survey of some of Plymouth's stores indicates that business is not as good as last year. Dollar volume has fallen about 12 per cent. Some merchants report that more gifts are being bought but that the value of the gifts has dropped since last year.

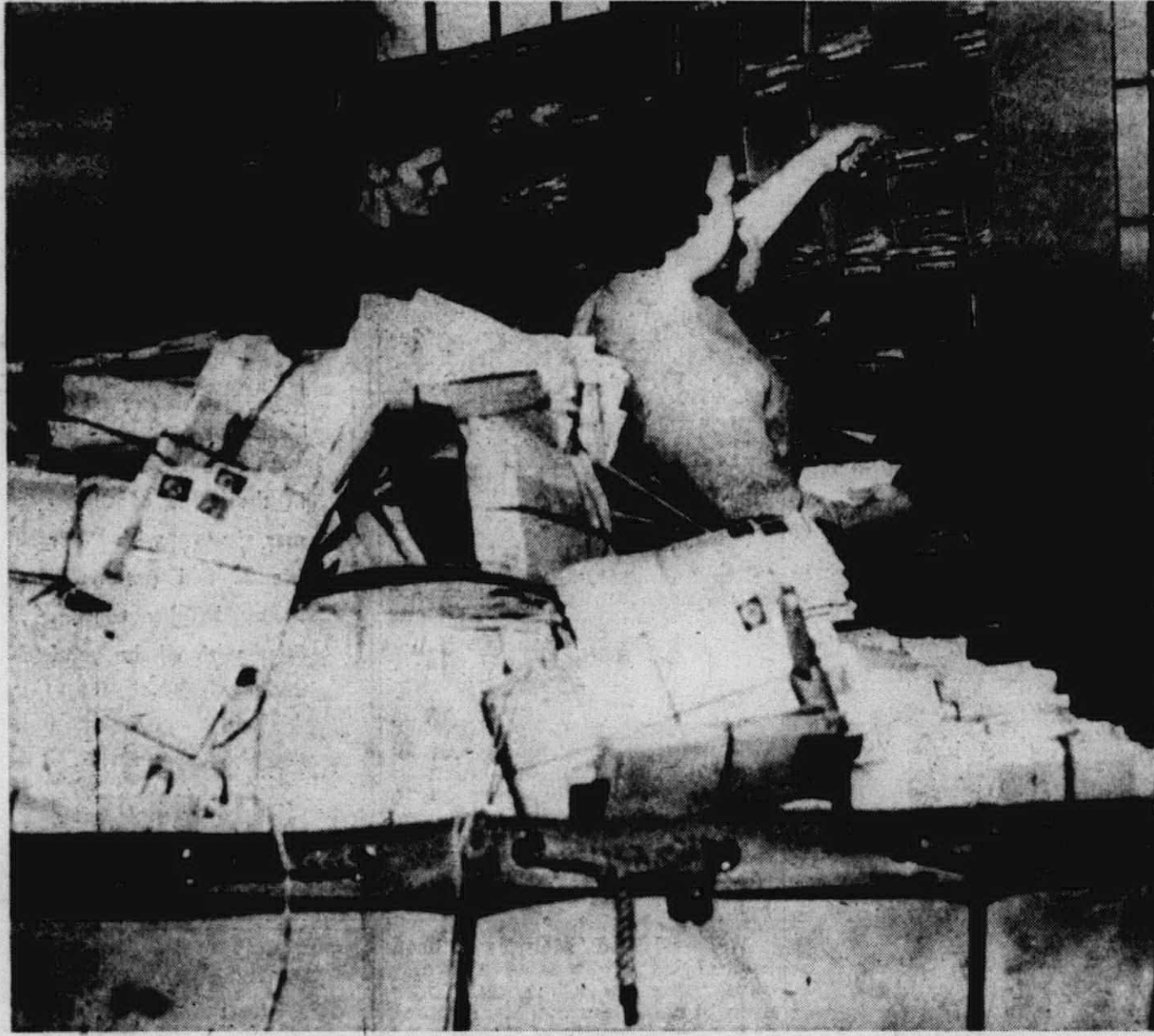
Christmas time also means a long vacation for school children and college students. The local public schools will dismiss tomorrow afternoon and will not convene until Wednesday, January 2.

Christmas, of course, will be celebrated in its true meaning in the community's churches. Pageants depicting the Christ Child's birth will be held in many of the churches as well as usual worship services. Some will be held Christmas Eve and others on Christmas day. Listings of these services will be found inside.

## Mail Office Closes Monday

In order that employees may have a longer holiday weekend, the Plymouth Mail will be closed next Monday.

It will, however, be open this Saturday. The deadline for submitting classified and display advertisements will be 1 p.m. Saturday. News items will be accepted until 5 p.m. Saturday.



AMID STACKS of letters, Mrs. James Grater (left) and Barbara Muir sort mail at the Plymouth post office. Forty part-time workers were taken on this season to help handle the Christmas rush of mail here.

## Post Office Having Busiest Season on Record

Plymouth's post office - swamped by the holiday mailing rush - is presently handling a volume of Christmas cards and parcels that threatens to exceed last year's record total by as much as 20 percent, said Postmaster George Timpona Wednesday.

The total number of letters and cards fed through the automatic cancellation machine from December 10 to December 18 this year serves to emphasize the huge increase when compared to the same period during 1955.

During those nine days last season, 368,892 pieces were cancelled by machine. This year the figure has leaped to 418,583 over the same span. This total does not include the hand-cancelled, metered or parcel post mail also being processed.

The volume of machine-cancelled mail hit a peak last Tuesday, explained Timpona, when 110,283 pieces were handled. The total will decline from now until December 24 when the rush is expected to end and business returns to normal.

Forty substitute workers have been employed to help take up the flood of mail jamming the sorting room. This is five percent more than last year. Every regular carrier has two helpers. A Sunday delivery will again be made this weekend.

ing in the central parking lot in downtown Plymouth is being utilized to handle incoming and outgoing parcel post.

As many as 300 bags of parcel post packages have been handled on several days so far, a 200 percent increase over normal.

## Sign May Regain Business Lost Due to Route Change

Road markers which point the route for eastbound cars into Detroit by way of the Willow Run Expressway instead of through Plymouth, Livonia and Redford have resulted in losses of tens of thousands of dollars to business establishments in the three communities during the past three months — but action now has been taken which may return much of this business.

It was three months ago that the State Highway Department changed the route of U.S. 12. Formerly running from Ann Arbor to Grand River avenue by Plymouth, Livonia and Redford, the route number is now assigned to the Willow Run and Edsel Ford Expressway. The former U.S. 12 is now M-14.

On the west side of Ann Arbor where the Expressway and M-14 begin, a sign points to Detroit only on the Expressway. So most transient traffic now takes that route.

Businessmen, particularly those with eating establishments, hotels, motels and service stations, immediately felt the pinch. Local

restaurants which were always jammed after University of Michigan football games were noticeably avoided.

Sterling Eaton of Plymouth, state representative-elect from this district, was told of the situation. Yesterday he reported that the State Highway Department has agreed to erect a sign beside the other one at the Expressway-M-14 intersections saying "Detroit Via Plymouth and Livonia."

Eaton said that although he is not yet officially a state legislator, he went to the highway department in Lansing to explain the plight of the area businessmen. Department officials said that they had to change the route

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## Protests Voiced by Citizens At City Commission Meeting

One hour's worth of an hour-and-a-half meeting of the city commission Monday night was devoted to the "citizens suggestions" department with 16 people appearing to protest new no parking restrictions on one side of South Main street.

Signs forbidding parking on the west side of South Main went up on a temporary basis two weeks ago and both businessmen and their customers angrily protested the action to commissioners.

Most outspoken against the restriction was Dr. G. K. Ashton, who has his chiropractic office at 838 South Main.

## Deadline Sunday For Decorating Homes Contest

Local residents still have until this Sunday to decorate their homes in Christmas fashion and enter the Plymouth automobile dealers' Christmas decorating contest. Four \$50 savings bonds will be offered as prizes.

Judging will be handled by two members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and two members from the Plymouth Garden Club. It will take place Sunday evening. The contest is being held in cooperation with Plymouth Chamber of Commerce.

There are no specific categories and judging will be based on originality and artistic ability. No entry blanks are needed this year. Judges will tour all populated Plymouth areas. Only requirement is that the contestant be a resident. Prizes will be awarded on January 2.

Chamber Manager Edward Hart said that those wanting to enter need merely to have their decorations lighted Sunday evening. Those wanting to enter but who live in a rural area should contact the Chamber office.

Sponsoring the contest are: R. H. Mercury, Ernest J. Allison, Berry & Atchinson, Jack Sells' Buick, Beglinger Oldsmobile Cadillac Inc., Forest Motor Sales, West Bros. Nash, and Paul J. Wiedman, Inc.

## New Women's Apparel Store Opens Downtown

A new women's apparel store opened its doors in Plymouth this week at 863 West Ann Arbor trail.

To be known as Craig's, the store is at the former location of Papes' House of Gifts. The owner is Erwin O. West, owner of another apparel store in Highland Park.

Miss Ann Sielaff, formerly with Winklemans and an employee in West's Highland Park store for three years, will be manager of the new store here. West has been in the women's apparel business for nine years.

The new store will sell dresses and accessories in the "medium to better price" range, West announced.

The store is open for business this week but formal opening will not take place until a later date.

Waving two parking violation tickets before the commission, Dr. Ashton declared that he was paying the tickets for two customers who had received them when they parked on the street during a foggy night and that it was grossly unfair.

Mayor Russell Daane and Chief of Police Kenneth Fisher took up the defense. It is the chief of police who decides where to place road signs. After the signs are up 30 days, he can ask the commission to make the signs permanent. The signs under fire are still in the "probationary" period.

Dr. Ashton opened the offensive for the visitors by demanding who authorized the signs, why they were put up and what future plans are for the street. He noted that the street is zoned commercial like Penniman and Ann Arbor trail and that parking is allowed on both sides of the street there.

"I think it improper to do surgery before doing some doctoring," the chiropractor asserted.

The mayor answered that the signs were placed "after careful study of the Main street problem." The zoning ordinance, he said, now requires off street parking and that the future will undoubtedly demand that there be no parking on South Main, just as there is none on North Main (on the widened portion).

Chief Fisher cited some figures from a traffic count made some time ago, and said that another count is now being taken. He also pointed out that the AAA traffic survey made in 1953 had recommended that Main street be "opened up."

The chief said that between 400 and 500 cars an hour travel South Main, but sometimes it is as low as 203 as on one Wednesday morning, and as high as 637 as shown on a Saturday morning. "When it reaches over 600 an hour," Chief Fisher told the group, (Continued on Page 6)

## The Weekend Weathervane

U. S. Weather Bureau Outlook

Temperatures will be three degrees above normal. Normal maximum, 32; minimum, 20.

THURSDAY—Rain or drizzle, mild. Low 30, high 42.

FRIDAY—Cloudy. Low 28, High 38.

SATURDAY—Partly cloudy, colder. Low 22, high 34.

SUNDAY—Cloudy. Low 25, high 35.



"HI-YA SANTA, glad to see you again," is what this three-year-old appears to be saying when she met St. Nick in downtown Plymouth Saturday afternoon. She is Deborah Jean Flatt of Northville.



"I FORGOT what I was going to ask for," is what this young lady seems to be saying as she turns to others for help in her moment of frenzy.



"THAT GUY with the camera is listening in," is what Deborah Reed, 3, is apparently thinking as she stares in silence at the cameraman. She is with her brother, Leroy, 4, of 1735 Brookline.



"NICE BUSHY beard you've got there Santa," is what brave 16-month-old Jim Mathias, 871 Hix road, may be thinking as he gives the old gent's beard a feel.



"Waaaaaa," is the only comment from this unidentified young lady who is quite unhappy with the idea of getting so close to the big man with the white whiskers.



**Happy Holiday**



Our best wishes to you on this Happy Christmas Holiday.

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**Janet Christensen Engagement Told**



The engagement of Janet Christensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Christensen, 464 Evergreen, to Richard Hessler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hessler, Warren road, was announced this week by Janet's parents.

No wedding date has been set. Janet is a 1955 graduate of Ladywood high school in Livonia while her fiance is a 1952 graduate of Plymouth high school.

**Phil Barney Honored At Elks-Vivians Party**

Nearly 100 guests attended the local Vivians and Elks clubs joint Christmas party and pot-luck dinner held at the Elks lodge last Thursday evening.

One of the highlights of the evening was a "This is Your Life" skit honoring Phil Barney, 934 Hartsough, one of the three original sponsors of the local Elks club. It was also Barney's birthday.

He received an autographed scrapbook, signed by all of his brother Elks and a gift from the club's officers. A huge birthday cake was served. Presently a Chaplain of the local club Barney is past district vice president and past district deputy.

Ted Box and Herman Bakhaus are the other two original sponsors of the local Elks club.

**Japanese U-M Graduate Student To Speak at AAUW Tonight**

A talk by Mrs. Sayo Yotsukura will highlight the program of the American Association of University Women. Hostess for the meeting at eight o'clock tonight, Thursday, December 20, is Mrs. R. L. Nulty, 1385 Park Place. Other hostesses are: Mrs. R. E. Houston, Mrs. C. C. Wiltse, and Mrs. John Demott.

In charge of the program tonight is the International Relations Group. Group chairman, Mrs. R. F. Webber, will introduce Mrs. Yotsukura, who will talk on teaching languages.

Mrs. Yotsukura is well qualified to speak on this subject, being a former teacher of Japanese to American missionaries in Japan. At present she is working on her Ph. D. in the field of linguistics at the University of Michigan.

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**Attends Firm's Employe Party**

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Distler and daughters Glenda and Wanda attended the Childrens Christmas Party at the Cody high school Sunday afternoon. The party was given by the Ford Co. for their employe and their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Montgomery of Wayne were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kirby on Butternut street.

Bob Lewis of Milford and Charles Spaulding of Gilbert street had a match bowling game at Farmington Sunday afternoon. Lewis and Dolly Delcore of Detroit had lunch at the Spaulding home following the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Best of Ann Arbor were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips on Gilbert street.

Mr. Willard Olson of Homer, Mich. and Mrs. Charles Olson and family were Sunday luncheon guests at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Olson on Brownell street. They celebrated Charles birthday.

Mrs. Virginia Gibson invited 18 girls from her Sunday school class at the Methodist church in Plymouth to a Christmas party at her home Saturday afternoon. The girls enjoyed an afternoon of games after which Mrs. Gibson (their teacher) served a very nice lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gibson invited his brothers to a family dinner Sunday afternoon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibson and family of Fraser and Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Gibson and family of Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Meader were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kinney of Detroit at a movie "The Seven Wonders of the world" at the Madison Theater in Detroit and a dinner in celebration of Mr. Meaders birthday last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Walker of Wayne were Sunday evening guests at the Joseph Distler home.

Miss Lisa Kirby is recovering from the chicken pox.

Mrs. H. J. Brisbois of Rocker street will be hostess, Thursday evening, at an annual co-operative dinner and exchange of gifts, for her Birthday club, when the following members will be present: Mrs. Paul Wiedman, Mrs. Raymond Bachelard, Mrs. John A. Miller, Mrs. Christine Van Poppelen, Mrs. George Cramer, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Josephine Fish and Mrs. E. J. Allison.



**by Carl Peterson**

I guess everybody knows that in nature the male species is much flashier than the female. And this has been worrying Paris and New York designers who are anxious to put a little more sparkle into men's clothes. One French tailor says, "Man is in a state of vestimentary inferiority." We wonder if he'd like to step outside and say that.

Schiaparelli claims, "Men are dying to dress up, only they're afraid of being conspicuous." To save the day, the designers are putting out raspberry linen slacks, black ski outfits with red scarves and green-laced boots, purple opera capes, and alligator shoes with inch-high crepe soles. This may seem a bit radical, but we know a fellow who wears bright red suits . . . fellow named Santa Claus.

Bring your last minute gift problems to us. We have a wide selection of gift items appreciated by everyone.

Washington reports that both marriages and divorces were up in the past year. This seems to prove the old quip that the greatest cause of divorce is marriage.

It's time to mention the fine old Christmas stocking tradition. Fill one up for each member of your household. It's easy to do in one visit to our store . . . toys, candy, pens and pencils, smokes, perfume and sachets, endless ideas for everyone . . .

"Remember . . . Someone you know, knows me . . ."

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**U-M Club to Dine**

Members of the University of Michigan Club of Plymouth will hold an annual All-College Banquet at Hillside Inn on Thursday, Jan. 17, it was announced this week by President Fred Green. The main speaker will be Dr. Bartlett Hess of Ward Memorial Presbyterian Church, who has recently returned from the Middle East.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hartmann entertained Mr. and Mrs. Milton R. Laible at dinner Saturday evening at Webber's near Ann Arbor in celebration of Mr. Laible's birthday and as a farewell to them before they're going to Florida to live.

Now studying on a Barbour scholarship for oriental women Mrs. Yotsukura formerly studied on an AAUW Fellowship. She is a graduate of Women's Christian College in Tokyo and received her M. A. degrees from the University of Tokyo. She was one of the first women awarded this degree from this university.

Mrs. Yotsukura's husband is also studying for his doctorate at the University of Michigan. They plan to return to Japan in the near future, where she will teach at a Japanese Language School, run by the Lutheran church.

Other members of the International Relations Study Group are: Mrs. William Slinger, Mrs. Robert Houston, Mrs. C. B. Levering, Mrs. C. C. Gracey, Mrs. Betty Demorest, Miss Twyla Hartley, and Mrs. William Schmidt.

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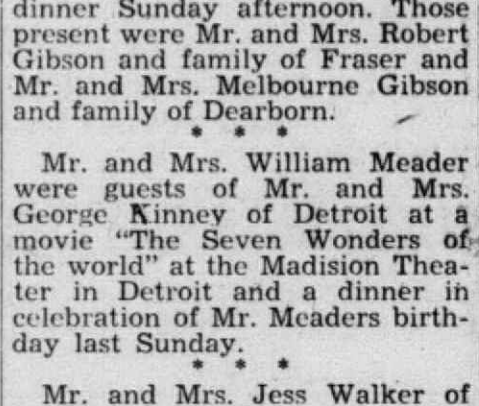
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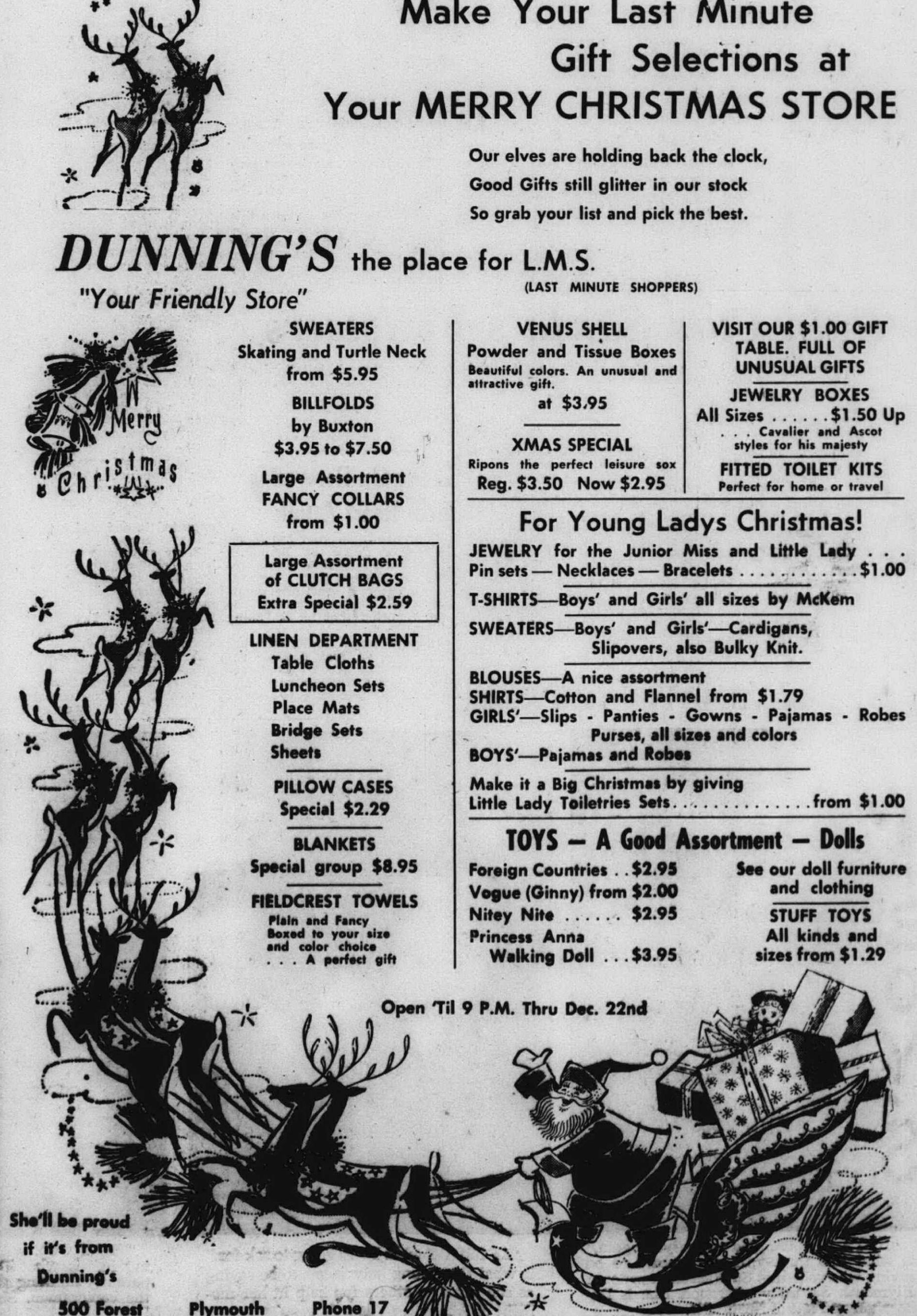
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## AF Reservists Discuss Suez

At the last regular meeting of the year, the local flight of the U.S. Air Force Reserve discussed the current status of the Middle East situation.

The discussion was preceded by a film portraying historical information on Egypt from 8,000 years B.C. to the present. Some of the underlying reasons for the present conflict date back to the earliest days of the Middle East.

After the film, Robert Jacquemotte, flight training Officer, sparked the discussion by presenting a resume of a recent Air Force publication covering the Suez conflict.

Also of interest was a film on the construction of the B-47 Jet Bomber, which is one of the main-stays of the U.S. Air Force. This sweat-wing A-bomb giant recently flew non-stop around the world.

## Social Notes

On Tuesday Mrs. Henry Wolens of Farmington was hostess to the members of her contract bridge group at a co-operative luncheon and Christmas party with the following guests present, Mrs. Howard Sharpley, Mrs. Lawrence Lyons, Mrs. William Bartel, Sr., Mrs. Earl Russell, Mrs. Edwin Zipse, Mrs. Florence Wood, of Plymouth and Mrs. George Baker of Northville.

The many friends of Mrs. Irene Bocik, who is in the St. Joseph hospital in Ann Arbor, will be glad to learn that she is gradually improving.

Miss Elsie Melow will entertain 10 members of her club at a Christmas party tonight, Thursday, at her home on Farmer street following a supper party at Arbor-Lill.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hartmann, of this city and Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Bradley of Battle Creek returned recently from a fifteen day trip to Florida, going down the west coast then over to Miami and Key West and returning by the east coast. Mr. Bradley is the division manager of the western part of Michigan for the Sinclair Refining company.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartwick spent the weekend with their daughter, Mary Lou, at Alma College. On Sunday they attended the Christmas party Mary Lou gave for the guests at the Masonic Home. Several students from the college presented a program followed by bags of candy furnished by the Plymouth Hi-12 club and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Goodale and cookies donated by the Past Matrons club of Plymouth. There are 285 guests at the home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wood of Simpson street will entertain Saturday evening at a co-operative dinner and Christmas party for members of their bridge club. Present will be Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, Dr. and Mrs. Elmore Carney, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dobbs and Mr. and Mrs. George Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Harris of Bristol, Connecticut, arrived last Wednesday to spend a month with her daughter and family, the Charles Griswolds of Arthur street. The Griswolds only recently moved to Plymouth from Bristol.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Graham Laible of Livonia entertained at a family dinner the occasion celebrating the birthday of the former's father, Milton R. Laible, of this city. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Laible, Mrs. Jennie Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hartmann and Mrs. Martha Heft.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Spicer of East Ann Arbor trail celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary on December 4 with a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Norman of Ann Arbor trail.

Several neighbors of the Milton Laible's joined them Monday evening at a buffet dinner as they plan to leave Friday for Florida to make their future home.

Nineteen women of the Plymouth branch of the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension group met at the home of Mrs. William Rudick, Jr., of South Main street, for their annual Christmas party on Monday, December 22. A turkey dinner was served and gifts were exchanged. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Forest Olsen and Mrs. Russell Rudick.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Deyo and family of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, have arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deyo on Church street, where they will spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McKellip and Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Rustin, formerly of Five Mile road, have purchased the Blue Sands Motel in Hollywood, Florida, and would enjoy visits from any Plymouth friends. Mrs. McKellip is the former Marjorie Allen of Forest avenue and Mrs. Rustin is the former Gerry Flinn.

Mrs. Wvman Bartlett left Tuesday for Syracuse, New York, to spend the holidays in the home of her son, Professor Kenneth Bartlett and family.

Mrs. Lottie Jones will leave by plane, Monday evening, for Coleman, where she will spend Christmas with her son, Howard Jones and family and return home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar Leonard, son, Phillip, and granddaughter, Cathy, of Lincoln, Illinois, were week-end guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Guettler, of Dewey street and on Sunday they were all dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bartel, Sr., on Plymouth road.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Terry entertained Wednesday evening at dinner in their home on Union street in celebration of the birthday of their son, Marvin Terry of this city. Also attending were Mrs. Terry and children and Mrs. Lottie Jones, sister of Mrs. Frank Terry.

Mrs. William Kaiser of Blunk street was hostess to her Tuesday contract bridge group that evening for an exchange of Christmas gifts, and games following dinner at the Hotel Mayflower, when covers were laid for Mrs. C. H. Goyer, Mrs. R. L. Hills, Mrs. Harold Stevens, Mrs. George Burr, Mrs. Wyman Bartlett, Mrs. Harry Reeves and Mrs. Elmore Carney.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lindsey were in Lansing Wednesday evening to attend a Christmas dinner party with the Realtors of Michigan as hosts in the Hotel Michi-

## Well-Known DJ To Emcee Dance

More than 500 young people of high school and college ages are anticipated to fill the Plymouth high school gymnasium Wednesday night, December 26. The occasion is a Christmas record dance sponsored by the local Optimist club and the department of recreation. The dance will last from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

Ollie McLaughlin, well-known disc-jockey from WRRV in Ann Arbor, will act as emcee for the dance. McLaughlin will spin records for the event. However the dance will not be on the air.

Recreation Director Herb Woolweaver said that young people from Northville, Livonia and Wayne have also been invited to attend. Woolweaver indicated that the attendance might run as high as "600-700."

A similar attendance total was registered last year at such a dance. It was termed a huge success. Christmas dances of this sort have been held since 1950.

Mr. and Mrs. George Billings were hosts Saturday evening to the Suburban 500 club at its annual co-operative dinner and Christmas gift exchange party. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blunk, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mumby, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gardner.

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PAUL M. CHANDLER, Editor

The members of the Green Thumb club will be the luncheon guests today (Thursday) of Mrs. Walter Gemberline, in her home on North Territorial road and will enjoy a Christmas party. Covers will be laid for Mrs. A. H. Dohmen and Mrs. Andrew Vargha of Detroit, Mrs. Paul Wiedman, Mrs. Arnold Samuelson, Mrs. Peter Ralph Miller, Mrs. L. R. VonStein, Mrs. George Cramer and Mrs. Albert Pint.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Russell plan to leave Sunday afternoon by plane for Tacoma, Washington, where they will spend the holidays with their son and daughter-in-law, Major and Mrs. Earl Russell, Jr., and their three sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Folsom of Adams street left Wednesday by train for Monterey Park, California, to spend the holidays with their son, Charles Folsom and family.

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**To Sponsor Dance**  
Ladywood high school's newspaper staff has made plans to sponsor a holiday dance, entitled "Paper Ball," which will be held at the St. Robert Bellarmine Parish hall, 27101 West Chicago on December 27. The dance will last from 8 p.m. until midnight. Music will be furnished by the "Rhythm Aces." The public is invited to attend.

**SALEM NEWS**  
**Farm Bureau Holds Family Yule Potluck**  
Mrs. Herbert J. Famuliner Northville 1341-W

The N.E.W. Farm Bureau met at the Salem Town Hall on Friday evening for their Christmas Party. A potluck dinner with turkey and all the trimmings was enjoyed by 21 members and their families. Games were played and all received gifts from under the Christmas tree. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Van Boon and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hirth were the hosts and hostesses.

Salem Busy Beavers 4-H Sewing Club will have their Christmas party this Saturday afternoon 1:30 to 4 at the Salem Town Hall. Mother invited.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reddering and two young daughters as new residents of the village of Salem. They purchased the Nagy home on Six Mile road. Mr. Reddering is a teacher at Cooley High School in Detroit. They formerly made their home in Wayne.

Mrs. Earl Roberts, Mrs. W. Clay Mrs. P. Merritt spent last Monday in Howell, Mich.

Plane spotters are needed for the South Lyon post. This is a Civil Defense post and spotters are badly needed for 2 hour duty any day. For more information call Mr. Kenneth Clinansmith, Geneva 8-8437.

New Year's Eve dance at Salem Town Hall. Modern and square dancing. 9:30 till 1. Tickets available at door.

The annual Christmas program will be held at the Salem Congregational church Saturday evening, December 22, at 7:45.

Mrs. Carleton Hardesty, Ken and Ruth and Mrs. Herbert Famuliner and daughters spent Wednesday in Dearborn where they enjoyed the Christmas display and meeting Santa at the Ford Rotunda.

**Cherry Hill News**  
**Cherry Hill Groups to Meet**

Unit I of W.S.C.S. meets Tuesday Dec. 18 at 12 noon at the home of Mrs. Blanche McKim. A dinner will be served and an exchange of Christmas gifts.

Youth choir meets at 10 a.m. Sunday with teachers. Senior choir meets Tuesday evening at 7:30.

The Christmas School Program will be held Thursday evening Dec. 20 at 7:30 p.m. at the church.

Ella Dicks died Monday p.m. at Boston, Mass. She was a daughter of James and Elizabeth Dicks. She had resided in Detroit and Cherry Hill and for the last 32 years in Hartford, Conn., and in Boston three weeks. She is survived by two brothers, Sam of Caro and John of Saline, two sisters, Mrs. Geo. Arno of N. Adams and Mrs. Alice J. Griffen of Adrian. Another sister Pearl died in 1934.

Services were held Friday at 2 p.m. at Lockwoods Funeral Home in Saline. Rev. Henry McKenzie officiating. Burial was in Cherryhill cemetery.

Mr. John Barker of 1095 Centennial St. of Ypsilanti died in Beyer Hospital after a lingering illness. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Moore Funeral Home with Rev. Sam Cathey officiating. Burial was at Cherryhill cemetery.

Surviving are a wife, 4 sons, 2 grand children and 3 great grandchildren.

Mr. Leon Lobbestael is confined in Beyer Hospital after a severe heart attack on Friday.

**Firemen Extinguish Flames in Automobile**

The Plymouth city fire department was called Sunday morning to extinguish a fire in the engine of an automobile parked on Starkweather avenue. Minor damage was reported.

The car, parked in front of 584 Starkweather, belonged to Charles Hinderliter, 15550 Portis, Plymouth township. The fire was practically burned out when the fire truck arrived at the scene.

No fires were reported this week up to Tuesday afternoon in Plymouth township by that fire unit. Canton township department reported that it has had no fire calls yet this month.

**Social Notes**

Mrs. William Agosta of Livonia entertained members of her sewing group on Thursday evening of last week, at their annual Christmas party and lunch. Present were Mrs. Richard Straub, Mrs. Clifford Manwaring, Mrs. Bernard Curtis, Mrs. Larry Forwald, Mrs. Walter Dzurus, Mrs. Noel Showers, Mrs. William Johnson, of Plymouth and Mrs. Frank Hokenson of Livonia.

The following couples will enjoy dinner and a Christmas party, Friday evening at the Washtenaw Country club at Ypsilanti: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ward, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Vallier, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wiltse, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Selle, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McLaren, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. William Bake, of Northville.

On Christmas Eve Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wiedman will be hosts at their traditional family dinner and Christmas party entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bland, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cabbie and three children of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. George Barber of Allen Park and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Minock and daughter of this city.

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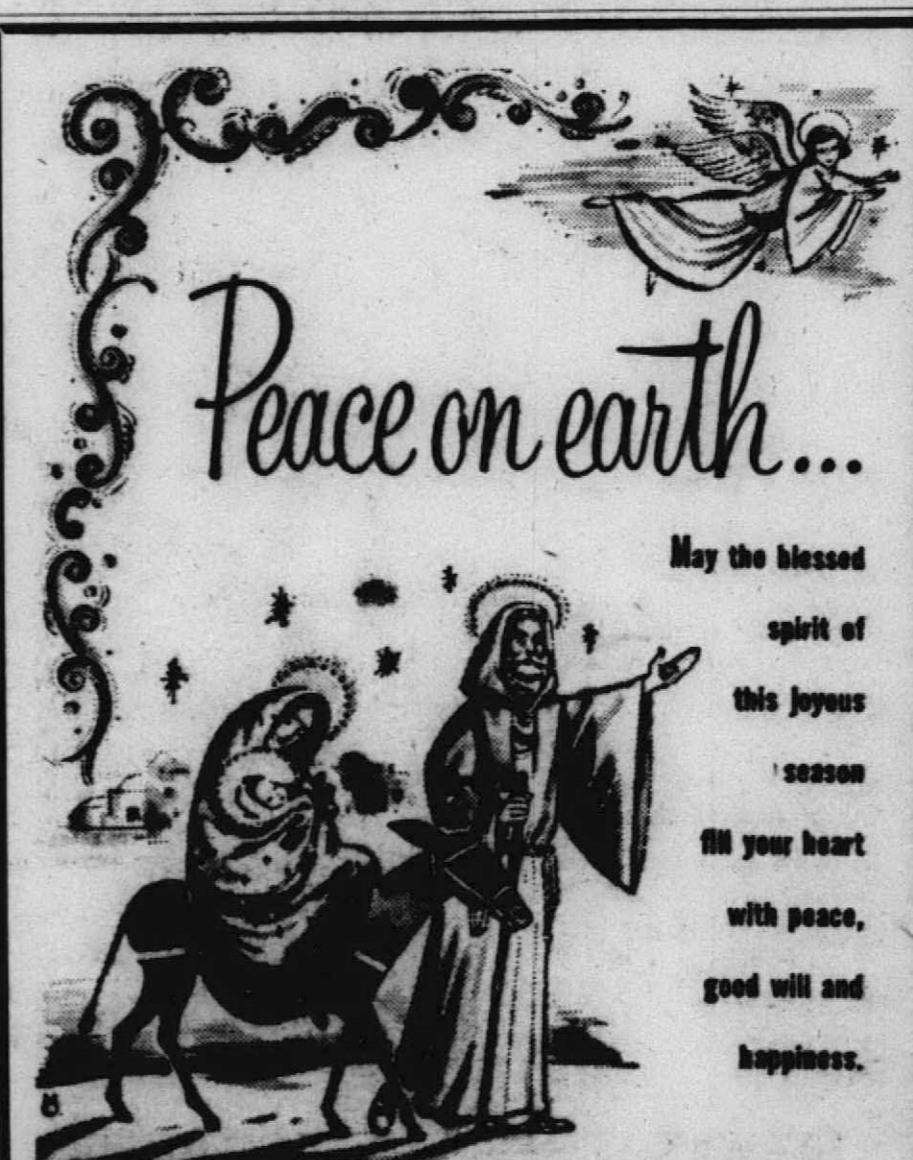


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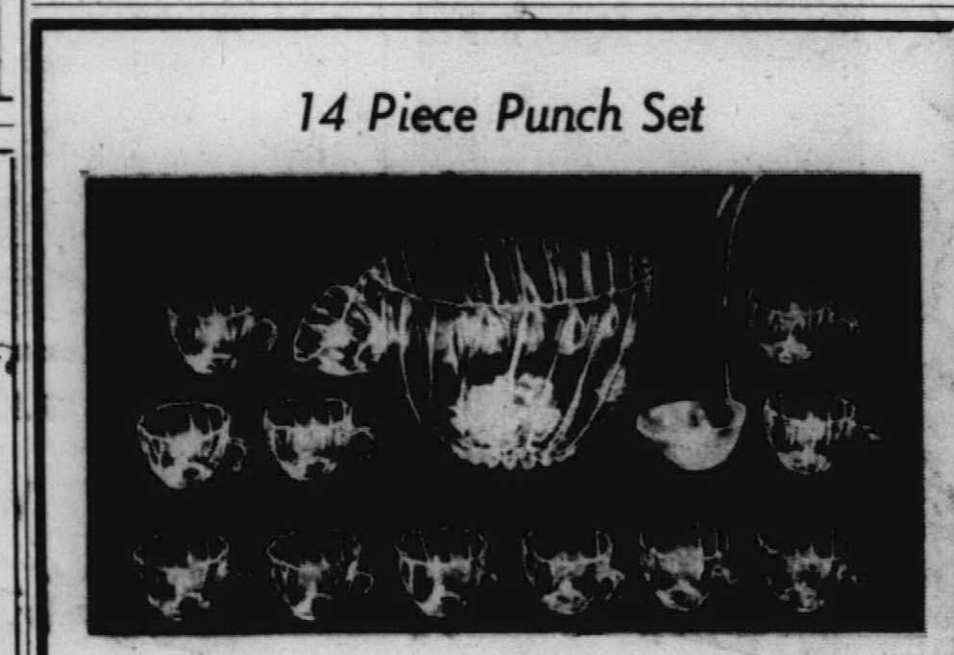
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Susan Goddard will return home today (Thursday) from Stephens College in Columbia, Missouri, for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Goddard on Beek road.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pint and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Pint, attended a Christmas dinner party Saturday evening at the Grosse Isle Country club.

The Monday afternoon 500 club was the guest on Monday of Mrs. Henry Ehrenberger of Joy road when they enjoyed games and exchange of gifts at a Christmas party.

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## The MAIL Attitude

BY PAUL CHANDLER

We don't go around knocking the local weather as a general practice, except at Christmas time. But we do happen to think that a human being should have the privilege of uttering a protest—futile though it is—when fogs and balmy rains attack the community after the Yuletide decorations have gone up.

Did you get out Friday evening? There it was—rain, mud, humidity, and mess. Our Plymouth street and park lights strived bravely to glow through, but it just wasn't the same with a swirl of steam over everything.

Christmas is a time for memories and maybe that's why we complain. Our childhood was spent in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, where when winter arrives, it generally stays for a while, at least through the holidays. There the Christmas lights swirl behind a coating of real snow. "But the winters must be terrible," foreigners always comment. Well, they aren't. The Spring thaws are horrible, but the Upper Peninsula natives don't have fog for Christmas. You don't hear complaining about a certain day "being a terrible one for sinus," either.

The mild weather gave us a sulky disposition through most of the past week-end, until Sunday afternoon when Sterling Eaton phoned and said he was offering a few neighbors a chance to go to his farm and chop down their own Christmas tree.

We grabbed the family, laced on the boots, and proceeded on the direct line to Eaton acres. Thence we strode manfully over the landscape, found our tree, sawed it to the ground and dragged it back to the station wagon. Long-neglected lungs almost collapsed in the effort, but it was good for morale.

Going out into the woods and bringing in one's own tree is something else they used to do up north. It was our first crack at that in better than 20 years.

The only fan we know in Plymouth who sat in front of his TV and beamed happily when the Lions took their licking from the Chicago Bears Sunday was Dick Papes. He was celebrating a triumph as a prophet.

Dick stood in this office 10 days ago and said it was his firm belief that the earlier Detroit victory over the Bears here was something of a fluke. He spoke of having supported his assurance with wagers of one kind or another, here and there. He rather suggested that his portfolio of wagers might still have an opening or two, if anyone was interested. No one was, because he later went wistful and wondered if he might take the Bears and also get a 13 point handicap.

To Lion patriots, the defeat Sunday was brutal. They were locked in the very two departments that it might have been assumed nobody would humiliate them—in the rock-ribbed line and in the department of brains and strategy. The Bears out-smarted the Lions all afternoon, and moved Detroit's offensive and defense lines around like they were straw-filled dummies.

From the announcer's description, it seemed that the Lions did have a little fight in them in the fisticuffs department. But the TV audience didn't get a chance to confirm the report. When the fights were on, the cameras were somewhere else—usually on long range panoramic views.

Thumbing through some December magazines we have come upon advertisements for two "unusual" gifts that perhaps you haven't considered for friends or relatives. One is a "genuine shrunken head from South America." The other is whiskey-flavored toothpaste—in scotch, rye or bourbon-flavors. Mrs. Chandler couldn't find anyone on our own gift list they would suit, but then we have a drab group of acquaintances.

Undoubtedly this has happened before, but this was the first time to us personally. The office phone rang Friday evening and an angry housewife was on it complaining about a package that the postman hadn't picked up. She was suggesting that there had better be some fast action Saturday . . . or else.

After about three minutes of dialogue the truth emerged. She was calling under a belief that the Plymouth Mail handled Plymouth's mail. After being told that she really wanted the U.S. Post Office, the lady cooled right down.

## Christmas Wishes



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## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Rodhe, 36251 Five Mile road, announce the birth of an eight pound five ounce son, Timothy Lester, in St. Joseph's hospital, Pontiac, on December 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Huebler of Parkhurst avenue are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Todd, on December 13, in Beyer Memorial hospital, Ypsilanti, weighing eight pounds 15 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Thomas of South Harvey street are the proud parents of a son, Charles William, born December 8 at St. Joseph's hospital, Ann Arbor, weight seven pounds 12 ounces.

Born November 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Theriault of Brighton, a son, Richard Duane, weight five pounds one ounce. Mrs. Theriault is the former Loralee Gayde.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carson of Gilbert street have chosen the name Cynthia Gail, for their new daughter, born December 2 in Garden City hospital. The little miss weighed in at seven pounds nine ounces. Mrs. Carson is the former Maxine Johnson.

A daughter, Holly Joanne, was born Tuesday at Beyer Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. James Sponseller, 660 Parkview drive. Weighing five pounds, seven ounces, the infant is their second child, both daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Vabulas of 1366 Ross street announce the birth of a son, Richard Stephen on December 12, University hospital, Ann Arbor, weight nine pounds fourteen and one-half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawson of Powell road are the proud parents of an eight pound six ounce son, Peter Stitt, born December 1,

University hospital, Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunter of 135 Starkweather avenue are receiving congratulations on the arrival of an eight pound three ounce son on December 16, Detroit Osteopathic hospital. He has been named Alan Ross. Mrs. Hunter is the former Betty Bowden.

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## OBITUARY

Donald Edward Straw, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Straw, 11825 Morgan, died only hours after his birth December 18 at Ridgewood hospital in Ypsilanti.

Funeral services were held that same day at the Schrader Funeral home here. Burial was in Riverside cemetery.

The deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Gabbard and also his grandparents of Boonville, Kentucky.



May the joys of the Christmas Season be yours — and may you be blessed with health and happiness in the New Year. The eternal promise of Good Will to All is the star that guides us in our dealings with the community. The personal integrity we put into serving its people is the greatest gift we can give.

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### South Main Parking Restrictions Opposed

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"it is recommended that all parking be prohibited." Dr. Ashton declared that a few days after two of his patients had been ticketed, he followed police cars twice down the street and that they failed to ticket other cars parked in the no parking zone.

Carl Shear, a resident of South Main street since 1923, asked why the city could not prohibit parking during rush hours such as 7 to 9 a.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. It was answered that places like Detroit that do it have much wider streets and still have four lanes even though there is parking.

George Todd, who with his father ran the former Todd's Market on South Main, pointed out that much of the street has no curb and gutter and that most cars do not even park on the street.

Another spokesman, Roy Pursell, owner of a business supplies store on South Main, said that it boils down to two things: either prohibit parking on one side and speed up traffic, or allow parking and make it convenient for citizens. "It seems to me that traffic is already too fast," Pursell said. "The very same people who may gain a minute by having traffic speeded up will lose time by trying to find a place to park."

Dr. Ashton said that "we don't want people to speed through town, we want them to stop."

The mayor noted that prohibiting parking and congestion will not allow traffic to speed, but permits traffic to "flow" more freely.

One speaker countered that cars pulling on and off the road is a "psychological" factor in prohibiting motorists to speed because they must constantly be on their guard.

Two city commissioners appeared sympathetic to several of the points offered by the group.

Commissioner Ernest Henry said he didn't think parking should be prohibited where there is no curb and the cars can park off the street. Commissioner Marvin Terry, a downtown businessman himself, said that he could see why parking on the narrow part of the street should be prohibited, "but not beyond Tremlin's Market". "It hurts when you slap a parking ban on a small business."

It is Tremlin's grocery on South Main that is causing much of the furor. Owner Clare Tremlin told the commission that he is losing \$75 a day in business, "and believe me, I can't last long doing that." A number of people have already been ticketed for parking in front of the neighborhood store.

The police chief said earlier that no tickets were issued during the first week that the signs were up. He said that the only person who he knew was unhappy with the signs was Tremlin, and that an attempt was made to have parking limited for customers on a side street, but that Tremlin was not interested. Chief Fisher added that he would be glad to meet with anyone to try to work out something.

At the end of the hour-long discussion, commissioners decided that the best thing to do is to have interested citizens talk with the chief and City Manager Albert Glassford.

### Criger Recovering

Marvin Criger, 454 Arthur street, returned home last Thursday after a 10-day stay in St. Joseph hospital in Ann Arbor as a result of a heart disturbance suffered December 4. He said he expects to be back at work in a week. Criger is employed at the Bank of Dearborn on Warren avenue in Dearborn.

Read the Want Ads.

### Christmas Checks Total \$204,489.50

Local residents - 1928 of them - received \$204,489.50 last month in Christmas Club checks from the National Bank of Detroit branch offices here in Plymouth, said Walter Brown who assists in handling the bank's Christmas club memberships.

The Plymouth office on Main street handled 1748 clubs for a total of \$185,046. The Harvey street branch listed 180 clubs and a membership total of \$19,443.50.

However the total deposits this year were nearly \$10,000 less than in 1955 when \$214,124 were handled through 2004 clubs. Brown said that the difference was due in part to the elimination of the .25 per week club this year.

### Sign May Regain

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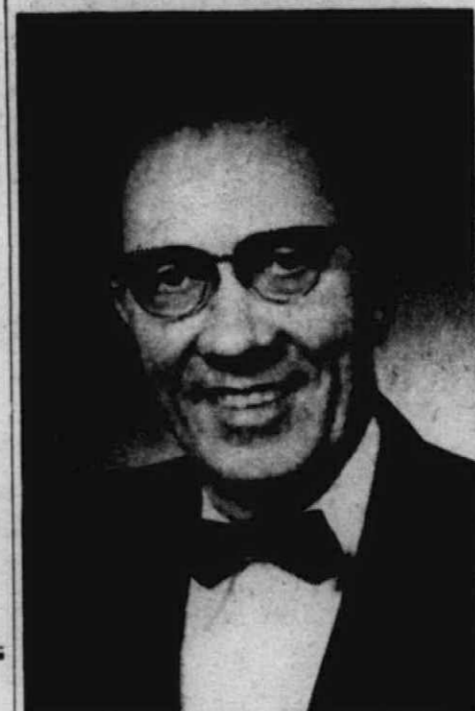
because the federal government felt that there was not enough traffic on the Expressway to warrant the funds they provided.

Highway department men said, however, they would listen if Eaton would furnish more information. The Plymouthite said that he dug up more concrete figures showing that 50 per cent of the diningroom business of two area restaurants was lost; that two Plymouth road motels had lost between 70 to 80 per cent of the business and are now for sale; and that business has fallen off greatly for service stations along the route.

Eaton received word this week that the State Highway Department will have the new signs "up before Christmas."

War or peace for the United States, unfortunately, is not left to this nation.

### Plymouth Rock Lodge Installs New Officers



Harry H. Gerst

At a semipublic installation ceremony, 12 newly elected and appointed officers of Plymouth Rock Lodge No. 47 F. & A.M. were installed December 14 in the Masonic Temple here.

New Worshipful Master of the Lodge is Harry H. Gerst, 9409 Ball. The ceremony was conducted by Leslie R. Evans and Harold C. Mackinder, assisted by post-masters of the Lodge. Refreshments were served following the ceremony.

Other officers installed were: Arnold Williams as senior warden; Frank Willard as junior warden; Richard Straub as treasurer; Leslie Evans as secretary; William O'Brien as chaplain; Fred Hadley as senior deacon; Arthur Fulton as junior deacon; Alfred Wood and Elijah Moore as stewards; Neil Walker as marshal; Henry Whalen as tiler; and Donald Woodside as organist.

### 'Santa' Contest Ends Fourth, Final Week

This is the fourth and final week for the game of "Every Merchant Feels Like Santa Claus" and 42 more prizes await local shoppers.

Monday at 5 p.m. will be the

prize. Among the prizes offered were a waffle iron, shirts, iron and articles of apparel and appliances. The contest has run four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Lorenz of Evergreen street, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watts and Mrs. Minnie Thompson of New Hudson, joined their sister, Mrs. Frances Halstead, Monday evening, in her home in Farmington in celebration of her birthday.

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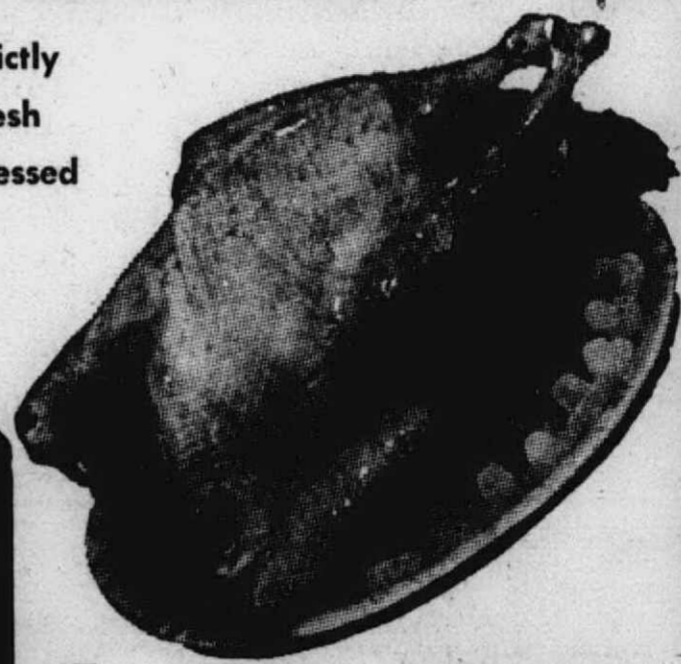
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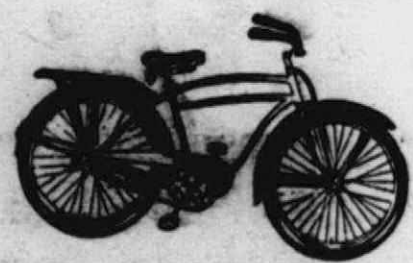
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CHAMPS of the Little Seven Catholic football league was the Our Lady of Good Counsel squad shown here. The team chopped the title on four wins and a tie in league play. Only loss during the season was a 19-0 non-conference battle with the Plymouth junior high eleven. Front row, from left: Jim Bennett, Tom Hinckley, Brian Gilles, Bill Signorelli, David Schoeneman and John Newell. Middle row, from left: Jim Lockwood, Peter Lomonaco, Jim Gavigan, Gary Mirto, Keith Bever and Bob Campbell. Back row, from left: Paul McConnel, Chuck Degenhardt, Dan Siremich, Mike Kisabeth, David Conrad, Murray Denny, Father Francis Byrne of OLCG church. Team coach Mike Spitz stands at right while line coach Dick Nelson is at left.

### P.E.O. NEWS

Members of the local P.E.O. Program Chairman will be club will hold their regular bi-Mrs. D. P. Hammill, who will monthly meeting Friday, December 21, at the home of Mrs. H. W. Blomberg, 44572 John Alden. A exchange gifts later in the evening business meeting will follow a ing. Co-hostesses are Mrs. R. H. Johnston and Mrs. Henry Jensen.

Gordon Champion, son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Champion of North Harvey street, who has been stationed since August 1955, with the United States Army, Third Armoured regiment in Nuremberg, Germany, will be home to spend the holidays with his parents.

### Historical Society Sees Movie On Christmas Carol

A color film, "Silent Night", was shown to the Plymouth Historical Society last Thursday night. The film, furnished by Mrs. Agnes Pauline and the Dunning library, dramatized events leading to the writing of the world's most beloved Christmas carol and then to the events that followed.

The film traced the history of the original poem, written by Joseph Mohr, rector of a small Bavarian church, and of the music composed by Franz Gruber, a church organist whom Mohr was visiting.

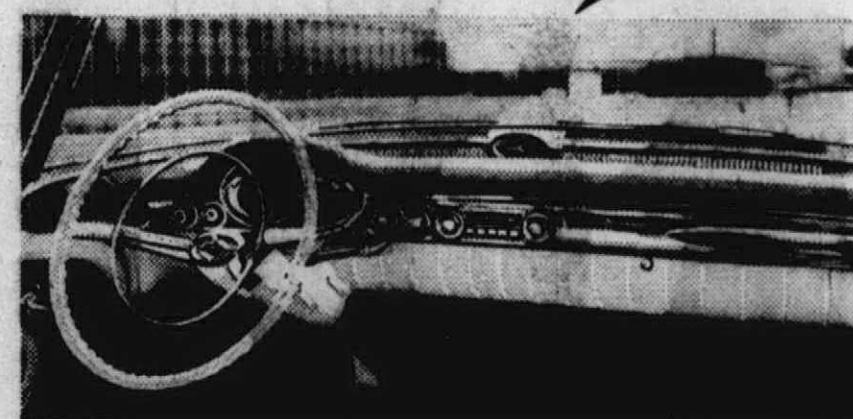
At first there were no thoughts that the carol would ever reach beyond the confines of Oberndorf but eventually it reached all over Europe, and then the entire world.

Karl Starkweather brought to the meeting some old letters written by Easterners to their pioneer friends and relatives in Plymouth. Most of the letters were written through the 1830's but there was one as early as 1828. There were no envelopes, no postage stamps. The correspondent wrote on a large sheet of paper, folded it up in the shape of an envelope and sealed it shut with sealing wax.

The postage usually paid was 25 cents.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday evening, January 10 at the Veterans Memorial building. Guests are welcome.

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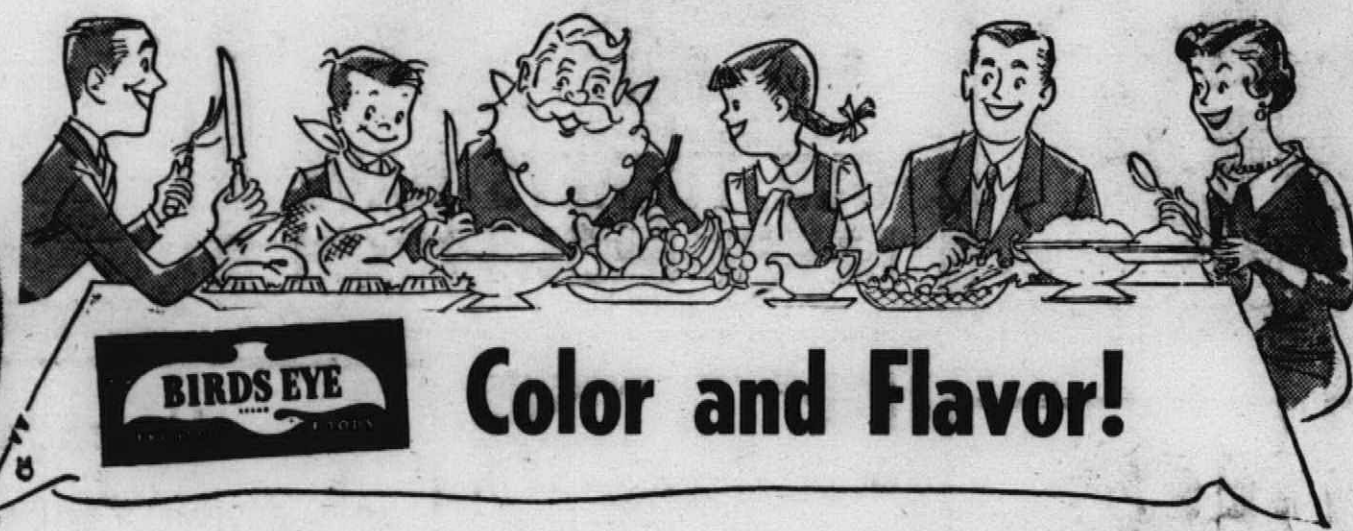
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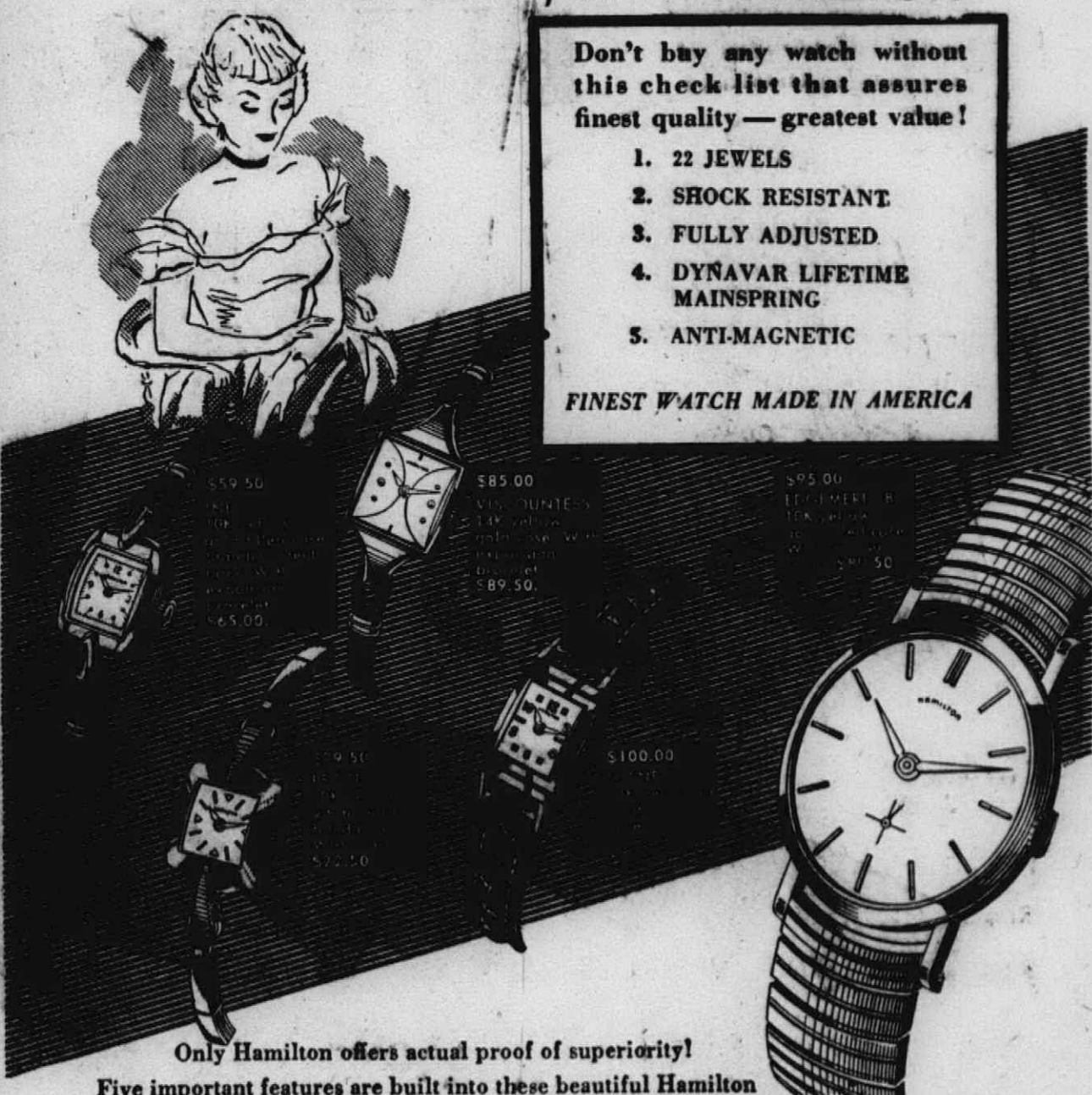
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SATURDAY, DEC. 29

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DANCING 9:30 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. \$3.50 per couple

Sponsored by the Plymouth Symphony Society

## SOCIAL NOTES

Miss Carolyn Premo of Franklin, Michigan, was the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Florence Pankow and their daughter, Joanne, from December 9 through December 11. The girls are roommates at Michigan State University.

Mrs. John K. Nelson of Arthur street is convalescing in her home after surgery in Ford hospital, Detroit.

Members of Girl Scout troop 15 are busy making Christmas gifts for their parents. Mrs. William Rudick of South Main street, is their leader and Mrs. Russell Micol, co-leader.

## Numerous Tales Spark St. Nick Origin

For over ninety years, we have pictured the traditional Santa Claus as a rotund jolly elf with snowy beard and mustaches, dressed in red and white.

This image of Santa Claus has been dear to the hearts of youngsters since 1863 when it first appeared.

But have you ever wondered where the legend of Santa Claus began?

About 1600 years ago, a young boy named Nicholas lived in what is now part of southwestern Turkey. Even as a boy, he was known for his piety and generosity. Later he became the Bishop of Myra.

Nicholas found a poor nobleman who could not afford dowries for his three beautiful daughters.

Secretly on three different nights, Nicholas tossed a bag of gold through the windows of their home. Then the daughters were able to be married.

Down through the centuries the story of St. Nicholas was carried to other countries and when unexpected gifts appeared, they were attributed to him.

"Sint Nikolass" came to America through our early Dutch settlers. Later the name was changed to Santa Claus.

Clement Moore's famous poem, "The Night Before Christmas", to illustrate this epic poem show Santa as the now-familiar figure.

Nast drew Santa Claus as a jolly gentleman, dressed in red, wearing cap and boots and carrying a huge pack-full of toys and treasures. . . and this is the jolly old elf we know and love so well.

Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Blake of Marilyn road entertained at dinner Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Simon and daughter, Susan; Vivian Gercaia, Mr. and Mrs. William Mousseau and son, Cedric and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simon, all of Detroit.

# CHRISTMAS TREE SALE

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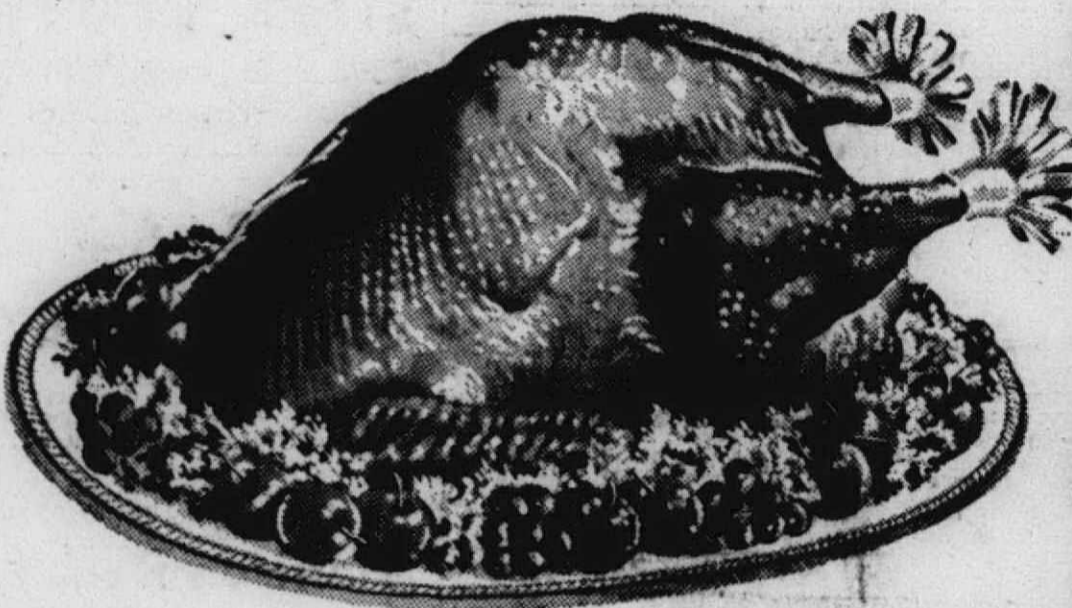
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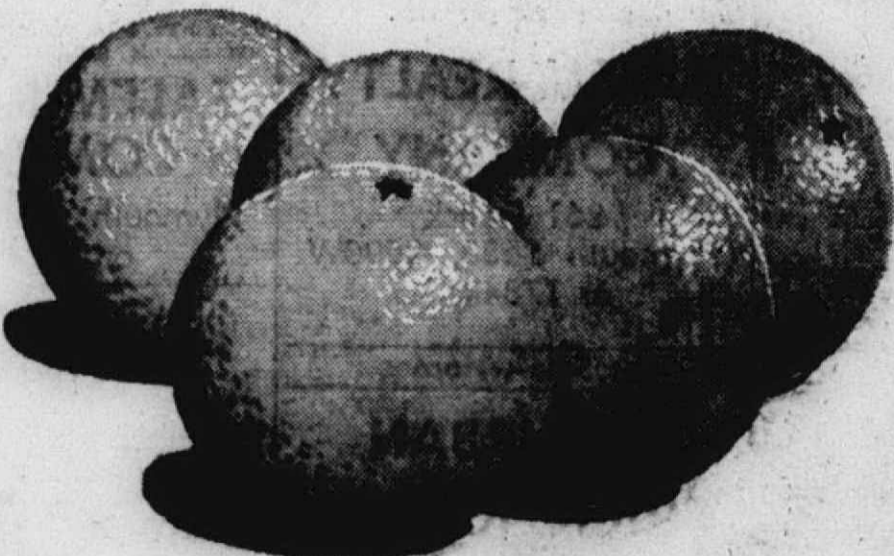
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| Smoked Hams Hygrade's Full Shank Half . . . | 45¢ | Calves Liver From heavy 5-6 lb. livers . . .      | 79¢ | Canned Hams Hygrade 10-12 lb. avg. . .           | 69¢ |
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| Anjou Pears Bursting with juice . . .              | 2 lb. 39¢ | Grapefruit Florida Marshseedless . . .        | 5 lb. 49¢     | Green Trees Fire-proof, sturdy . . .     | Each \$1.49 |

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Earl Myer family and Max Skinner family

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LOST black and white Cocker Spaniel female, Friday night. Vicinity of Canton Center-Cherry Hill. Reward. Plymouth 1050-R11, 47095 Saltz road.

LOST Lady Burton red wallet, in Shop and Shop Store, Saturday about 6:30. Liberal reward. Plymouth 427-J.

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LOST—Small female beagle. Suzzie scratched on collar. Lost Sunday, Dec. 9th. Inkster-Schoolcraft. Reward. \$5.00. KE. 1-2895.

LOST Friday, boys glasses in brown leather case. Dr. Salan's name inside. Vicinity of 485 S. Mill. Plymouth 1925-W.

### 7-Help Wanted—Male

EXCLUSIVE FRANCHISE available. Sell liquid fertilizer to farmers, full or spare time. Liberal profits, free local advertising. No investment, no experience required. Write "Nia-Chur" Plant Food Co., 300 Monroe St., Marion, Ohio.

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Experienced in general analysis, acid solutions and ferrous routine laboratory work. Liberal fringe benefits including fully paid life insurance and hospitalization.

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PLYMOUTH, MICH.  
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WOMEN  
For Baby Sitting  
and  
Nursing Care  
References Required  
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M. Groff, R. N. GR. 4-2143

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WANTED MOTHERLY type lady for good Christian home, room, board and home privileges in exchange for ironing and cooking only. MUST LOVE CHILDREN. Plymouth 3157, 242 Blunk.

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If you have been active in club and church work or have a good education and pleasing personality, and if you have a reasonable amount of time available for part time or full time employment—then perhaps you can qualify for a local assignment with a highly reputable National Organization and leader in its field. Guaranteed income. References required. For local interview, write Mr. Reid, Box 63, c/o The Livonian.

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### 8-Help Wanted Female

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FOR BILLING AND GENERAL TYPING EXPERIENCE ON IBM ELECTROMATIC PREFERRED  
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### 9-Help Wanted—Male and Female

EX-TEACHER OR SUBSTITUTE TEACHER  
FOR a position with a highly reputable National Organization and leader in its field. Age 25-55, desires of rendering an important educational service—This vicinity in school coordination work with guaranteed income, retirement plan, based on Profit Sharing and group insurance. Opportunity for rapid advancement for those showing leadership ability. For local interview write, stating age, experience and telephone number to Mr. Crampton, Box number 50, c/o The Livonian.

### 10-Situations Wanted—Male

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NOW AVAILABLE  
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TWO stores 18 x 54, 750 and 754 S. Main. Paved parking lot in rear. New. Gas heat. Ready now.

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Ground floor location; Ann Arbor trail at Forest. Includes adjacent parking area. Immediate occupancy.

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LARGE attractive room in private home within minutes of Ford & General Motors. Gentlemen only. 9669 Gold Arbor, Plymouth 1241-R.

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LARGE sleeping room for gentleman inner spring mattress, 1069 Starkweather. Plymouth 2365-R.

LIVONIA, sleeping rm. 13251 Levan road, near Ford Automation plant. GA. 1-3259. Men only.

LARGE comfortable room, sitting room, for one or two gentlemen in private home. Near Middlebelt. GA. 1-6478.

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### 21-For Rent—Halls

American Legion Hall  
Newly Decorated  
Redford  
2635 Plymouth Rd. nr. Brammel  
Kendwood 5-0440

### 18-For Rent—Apartments

3 ROOM unfurnished upper apartment suitable for two. Kitchen stove, refrigerator, hot water and heat furnished. Pay own electric. \$75 per month. 40870 Joy road, Plymouth 3271.



### 18-For Rent—Apartments

FURNISHED apartment, children allowed—no pets. 41174 E. Ann Arbor Tr. Plymouth 3597.

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NEW, large 3 room, first floor apartment. One block from shopping. Beautifully furnished. Private entrance and parking space. New gas heat, automatic soft water. Everything furnished. Plymouth 2247.

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75 ACRES located on good paved road, in lower Michigan best Deer country. Near Baldwin. Small stream. KE. 2-2707.

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Lot on Southworth—100 x 200—\$2,200.00.  
1 acre parcels on Lotz Road south of Ford Rd.—\$2,000.00.

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10 acres on North Territorial Rd. near Napier Rd.

17 acres on Salem Road south of 6 Mile Rd.

20 acres on Brookville Rd. near Tower.

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### 24-For Sale—Homes

### SUBURBAN BRICK RANCH

TWO large bedrooms, walk in closets. 19 ft. carpeted living room, natural fireplace. Tile bath, Youngstown kitchen, with large eating area. Beautiful landscaped lot, solid cement drive, attached garage. Priced below market. Will accept reasonable offer. Ply. 2029-R after 6 p.m.

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Attractive 6 room brick home, 4 bedrooms, full basement. Landscaped lot. Garage.

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ONE year old 3 bedroom brick, 2 car garage, full basement, large landscaped lot. Owner transferred. Garfield 2-6134.

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Howard & Frances Stark  
Realtors

Luxurious comfort describes this 7 room brick one floor home. You could really relax before the fireplace in the 23 ft. living room of this custom built home. Mahogany paneled dining room, deluxe kitchen with spacious white birch cupboards, Thermador table top stove and oven, dishwasher, 3 bedrooms, beautiful den with fireplace, 1 1/2 baths, 2 1/2 car garage, mature trees and landscaping, 3/4 acre, choice location, \$31,000.

Lovely suburban 3 bedroom home just a mile from Plymouth. Luxuriously landscaped 1/2 acre, finished recreation room, gas furnace, 2 car garage, outside grill, excellent family home or retirement site, \$17,000.

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This 3 bedroom home at a very attractive price. Owner transferred out of state.

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### HOUSES FOR SALE

Marquette St., S. of Ford Rd. and E. of Wayne Rd.: 1 bedroom and unfinished upstairs—\$8,800.00 terms.

Southworth, bet. E. Ann Arbor Trail & Ann Arbor Rd., 2 bedroom, large lot—\$2,600.00 down \$90.00 per mo.

Sutherland, W. of Main St. & S. of 6 Mile road, 2 bedroom with 5 extra—\$14,900.00.

Mill St., 2 bedroom house with extra lot with frontage on Mill St. & Amelia St.; 2 car garage—\$14,900.00.

Jarvis St., E. of Plymouth & S. of Plymouth Rd.; 2 bedroom on large lot.

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"When did you first notice your wallet was gone?"



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4 BEDROOMS  
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### 26-Business Opportunities

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Large new 3 bedroom home 1 1/2 acre—paved road, South of Plymouth.  
Sold \$11,450.00  
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Buyer has worked at Ford's 20 years. Discount \$2,000.00.

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### 27-Farm Equipment

CORN PICKERS—New and used Minneapolis Moline and New Idea. Dixboro Auto Sales 5151 Plymouth road, Dixboro, Michigan Phone Normandy 2-8953

### BOTTLE GAS

SALES and service for home heating and appliances, Otwell Heating and Supply, Plymouth 1701-7.

### 28-Farm and Garden

POTATOES  
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### THURMAN'S FARM

36715 Ann Arbor trail  
Garfield 1-1353

### 29-Livestock and Poultry

FRESH dressed fryers and stewing hens, every weekend. Bill's Mkt. 584 Starkweather, Plymouth.

Fresh dressed Fryers—Roasters—Stewers  
Young Turkeys  
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### 30-Farm Products

BALED HAY and straw, 41494 Joy road, Plymouth 2294-W.

NEW crop white navy beans at 12c per lb. any amount. Specialty Feed Co., Plymouth 262 and 423.

SPELT for feed \$2.25 per hundred. Call Plymouth 1269-R.

FRESH eggs, 815 S. Main or 5830 Gafredson road, Plymouth. Elmer Blunk.

SHELLED PECANS—whole, halves and broken nut meats. Paul Ware, 1017 Holbrook, Plymouth 190-W.

### 31 Wearing Apparel

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### 36—For Sale—Miscellaneous

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SET of yellow gold wedding rings, size 5. Engagement ring medium size, stone and 2 chipped diamonds on sides. Wedding band—1 chipped diamonds. Both tru-fit. \$175. Also Relaxator, almost new. Phone Plymouth 663-W.

RADIO transmitter, signal cor BC-1306, 45 watt transmitter, A-1 condition with receiver power supply. Plymouth 2892.

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MAN'S Hamilton wrist watch—like new. Also Elks ring and Elks tooth tie-clip. Small Philco console TV, excellent condition. Craftsman band saw motor and table. Best offer. Phone Plymouth 2862.

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### 38—Automobiles

1955 FORD V-8 station wagon radio and heater. Ideal Christmas gift—only \$1495. JACK SELLE BUICK 200 Ann Arbor road Plymouth 263

DID you have to park blocks away from the shopping center? A Rambler would slip into many of the parking places you had to pass up. See our used Ramblers at—West Bros. Nash, Inc., 534 Forest Ave., Plymouth 888.

1950 PONTIAC, 8 cylinder, Hydromatic. Brand new white wall tires, radio, heater and seat covers, tu-tone. Very nice condition. GA. 2-1788.

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STATION WAGONS All in excellent condition 1952 Chevrolet fordor 1952 Chevrolet ranch wagon 1954 Ford V-8 ranch wagon 1955 Rambler custom fordor 1956 Rambler custom demonstrators

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1954 STUDEBAKER Starlight coupe. Hydramatic, radio, heater, etc. Only \$195 or your old car down and \$34.18 per month. Bonded guarantee. West Bros. Nash, Inc., 534 Forest Ave., Plymouth 888.

1946 FORD, 4 door sedan, motor overhauled, good rubber, runs real good, make offer. Ga. 1-749.

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1955 Ford conv. all white, V-8 power pack, radio, heater, Fordomatic, wsw tires 100% warranty for 1 year only \$1595.00

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SEE US FOR 1957 FORD

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### 38—Automobiles

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1946 FORD, 4 door sedan, motor overhauled, good rubber, runs real good, make offer. Ga. 1-749.

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### 38—Automobiles

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**Rosedale Gardens**

by Earleen Pomroy  
GA. 1-5231

**Association Christmas Party Enjoyed on Thursday Evening**

Real sorry to hear that Ron Conway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Quick of Vermont street, has a badly injured knee as a result of a fall at the skating arena recently.

Vermont street has another casualty to report—Aileen Briggs small daughter of the Richard Briggs went calling on a neighbor

on windy December 11th and when the neighbor opened the storm door it was blown so hard that Aileen got knocked down and has a lump on the noggin!

December 9th was anniversary Sunday at Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church. The Reverend William W. Townsend, D. D. of Grace Presbyterian Church

in Detroit was guest minister. Dr. Townsend, when a student at McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago, supplied the pulpit of the Rosedale church during the summers of 1930 and 1931. There was a coffee hour in the church basement following the 11:00 service.

Tuesday, December 18th at 8

p.m. the Women's Association of Rosedale Presbyterian church will present its Christmas program, featuring beautiful music and all are cordially invited.

Brownie Troop No. 1098 entertained Troop No. 2252 on Monday, December 17th. The girls enjoyed a gala Christmas party with fun, food and frolic. The girls each brought a 25c gift to exchange and the guests were presented with Christmas corsages and candy canes.

Troop 1098 members are Gretchen Anderson, Cheryl Davies, Debby Jenkins, Tyra Hilgers, Jamie Hopp, Jennifer Kastner, Diana McLaren, Karen Stanley, Patty Wolverson, Linda Valenti, Janet Welch, and Susan Roble.

Just heard that Connie Jackman, daughter of the Robert Jackmans on Hubbard was the lucky girl that won the pony in the recent contest, but since ponies aren't quite the type of house pets suitable for city living, Connie had to be content with a nice chunk of money in its place, and we hear she's going to have a nice bank account plus a new bike instead. Nice going, Connie—it's easier to wash a bike than a horse!

Tickets for guests of members for the Rosedale Gardens Civic Association New Year Eve Dance are now available, and if any of you members are planning on taking guests, you'd better get your tickets right away so as not to be disappointed! Tickets will be \$12.50 per couple for guests, which includes food and music by Danny Del Grosso's orchestra, which will play from 10:00 to 2:00. You can get your tickets from Bob Clogg, Les Core, Bob Durivage, Oscar Heitner, Peg Jenkins, Bob Page and Rita Seelinger. Member's tickets will be \$10.00 per couple.

Well, folks, this column would be longer if your good intentions had been stronger and you'd phoned me! The phone number still is Ga. 1-5231, so let me hear from you soon.

The Rosedale Gardens Civic Association Christmas party was held Thursday evening, December 13th, and it seems that these parties get better every year!

The evening started out with a dinner that included just wonderful food, and then everyone got busy making decorations to trim the clubhouse, and when they finished the place was really done up in the holiday mood—a beautiful Christmas tree that touched the ceiling, streamers and balloons, clusters of tinsel bells, and felt Christmas trees trimmed in white ball-fringe, to mention a few things.

Over the mantel was a poster done in three dimensional paper work of the "Twelve Days of Christmas" that was really very clever. While all this work was going on Mr. Diefenderfer led the singing of all the traditional Christmas carols and songs and the rafters rang.

Those in charge of decorations were Betty Talbot, chairman, Liz Page, Mary Jo Smith, and Lyn Gay, Jeanette Shanks, Winnie Esper, and Gwen Jackman. The hostesses were the members of the Women's Club Board. Noticed a "Wishing Ring" in the center of the room. A "Wish-

ing Ring" is a very pretty ornament composed of tinsel, rings, ribbons, and mistletoe, and is a good excuse for all the extra smooching that goes on during the holidays.

Saw Les Core, Bob Jenkins, and Bob Page holding a conference directly under it, but didn't notice any lines forming to the right, so hope the fellows weren't disappointed!

Cynthia Barnes accompanied her mother to the Ford Division Holiday Concert at the Thurston High School Little Theater Tuesday, December 11th, and both Cynthia and her mother reported that they had a very enjoyable evening.

The Rimers, Dorothy and Chuck, of Virginia street, had a pretty busy time Thursday. It was Carolyn Ann's second birthday, and also the Rimer's 15th wedding anniversary. By way of celebration in the evening they had a family gathering at their home, with the Hillers, Rimers, and Roes.

Theresa Hilgers, better known as Terry, daughter of Ed and Rosemary Hilgers of Westmore street, celebrated her 5th birthday Thursday, December 13th.

December 8 a stork shower was held in honor of Mrs. Dolores Shie, Virginia street, at the home of Mrs. Jack Sheldon of Hathaway street. Mrs. Shie received many lovely gifts for the little one and an out-of-this-world luncheon was served. About 25 women were present, among them Vivian Quick, Connie Conway, Mrs. Lantz, Norma Sheldon, Dorothy Rimer, Mrs. Sanstrum and Beverly Wickman.

Virginia and Walter Kobiata, Vermont street, entertained their pinocle club December 8th with a Christmas party at their home. Friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Felice, Westmore street; Mr. and Mrs. James Welsh, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cortney, Mr. and Mrs. Bill West, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelpac, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Janovich.

all of Redford Township. The couples danced and played games.

The Pomroys attended a square dance at Oxford School in Berkeley December 8th with Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Halloran and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Clancey. After the dance they all went to the O'Halloran home in Royal Oak to celebrate Ed's 39th birthday.

Dick and Margaret Briggs, Vermont street, and friends that they went to school with got together December 8th for dinner at Hillside. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Chalmers, Redford; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Russ Travers, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Budnek, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Johnson, all of Royal Oak, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kindree, of Clawson.

Did anyone notice that the clubhouse has a new basement ceiling? The Walters Wedding party furnished the labor on this job, and already the place is improved 100%. Also might mention here that Girl Scout troop No. 1437 cleaned the windows at the clubhouse—talk about good deeds—this troop doesn't talk them, it does them!

The Welcome Wagon Newcomer's Club held their annual Christmas Dance at the civic clubhouse on Hubbard Saturday night, December 8th. The couples danced to hi fi music and enjoyed a midnight buffet.

The Greens Market Tea was held at the clubhouse December 11th from 1 to 4 p.m., an annual event given by the Rosedale branch of the National Farm and Garden Association. The theme was "Prelude to Christmas" with a display table of Christmas ideas and gift ware. Bows, loose greens and roping were sold, also. Proceeds of this tea go to the club scholarship fund. Tea hostess was Earl Bishop.

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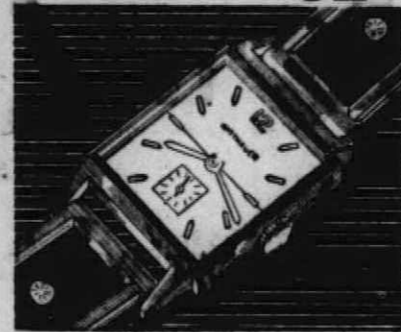
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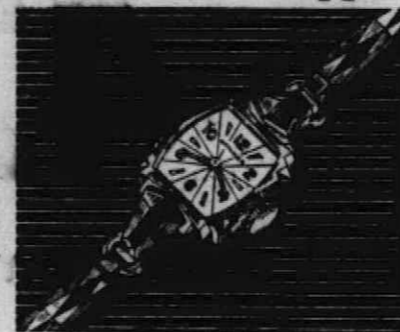
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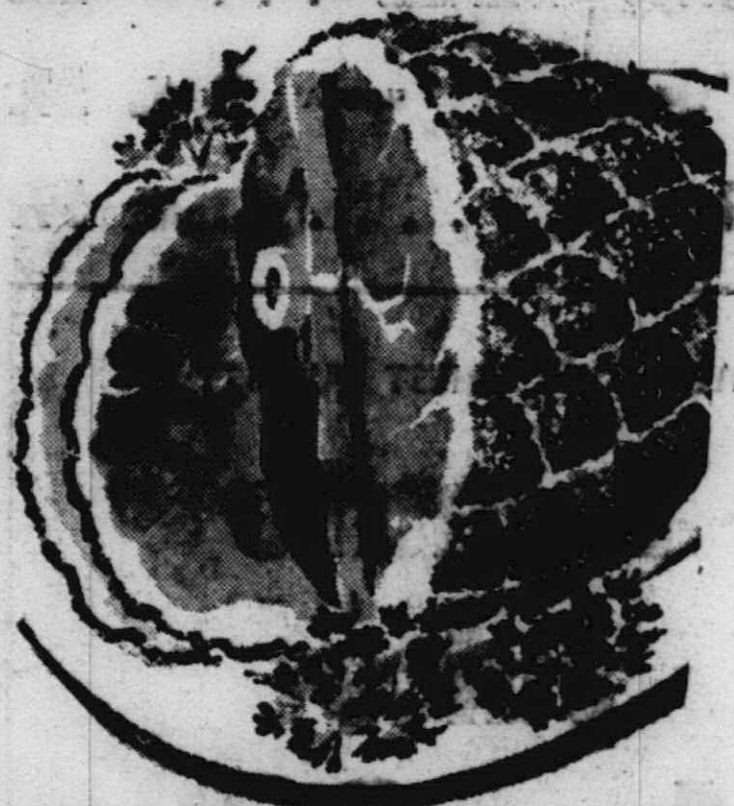
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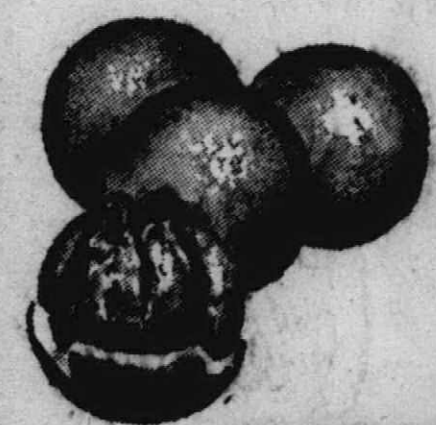
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**Northville News**

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**Green Meadows**

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**Attends Wedding In Middleville**

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Briggs and family attended the wedding of his cousin, Norma Davis in Middleville last Saturday, December 8. On Sunday, December 9 they were guests at the home of his uncle and aunt at an open house celebrating their golden wedding anniversary.

Mrs. C. W. Brandell of Sheldon road left Thursday evening by plane to spend the weekend with her husband in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Reid of Lakewood, Ohio visited at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin of Brookline last Sunday, December 9.

Mrs. Charles Austin of Brookline gave a birthday party Thursday evening for their daughter, Carol, who was 8 years old December 13. 16 of her little friends helped her celebrate.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin, Jr., of Northville are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born December 13 at Sessions Hospital. The little lad weighed 6½ pounds and has been named Charles Bradley. This is the third grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin of Brookline.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Nagy of Allen Park were dinner guests last Tuesday evening, December 11 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Humphries of Elmhurst.

Fay Nicks of Brookline attended a birthday party in honor of Miss Shirley Andrews held in Belleville last Friday evening, December 14.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson of Oakview spent last Sunday at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carson of Gilbert and to see their new granddaughter, Cynthia Gail.

Mrs. Ira Cude of Northern spent last week at the home of their son, Charles Cude and to care for the children while Mrs. Cude was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cude of Newburg road are the parents of a six pound baby girl born December 11 at the Garden City Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cude of Northern are the grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. David Francis of Brookline spent Saturday, December 8 in Detroit shopping and also visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. Al Jeffrey and Mr. and Mrs. David Francis, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kujat of Roseville.

Roberta Jean Fox of Northern, who was 7 years old Monday, December 17, celebrated with a party on Sunday, December 16, her family and relatives being there for the occasion.

Fay Nicks of Brookline attended the Christmas party Saturday evening, December 15 for the employees of the commercial office of Michigan Bell Telephone Company at the home of Mrs. Audrie Moore in Livonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice and daughter, Carol of Wayne visited at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Fox of Northern last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hoelt and family of Brookline were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson last Thursday evening December 13 in honor of the birthday of their son, Greg.

Mrs. Charles Heard  
PLY. 1271-M

Bob German and Charles Lapham. The charters were received on Saturday, Dec. 8 at a special dinner dance.

Anyone knowing a family that needs a Christmas basket, please contact Mrs. Clifford Pollings, 771-J; Mrs. Clifford Winters, 379; or Mrs. N. C. Schrader, Jr. 515. Phone PLY. 1271-M.

The Methodist Men's Club of the Methodist church had a breakfast on Sunday, Dec. 16 at 7:30 a.m.

At the Monday, Dec. 10 meeting, the Garden Club had as guests, the Girl Scout troop which the club sponsors. Speaker at the meeting was Mrs. Harriet W. Woolfenden who gave a speech entitled "Christmas for the birds." The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. D. H. Clark on 7 Mile road.

Last Sunday, Roger and Kurt Atchison celebrated their 15th birthdays at a family dinner held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Atchison of Salem. Kurt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Atchison of Plymouth and Roger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orson Atchison of Northville.

The Northville Woman's club will honor 8 new members at the annual Christmas tea on Dec. 21. The women being honored are Mrs. Richard Martin, Mrs. R. G. Nelson, Mrs. C. M. Hammond, Mrs. Edward Mueller, Mrs. L. J. Marcoux, Mrs. C. W. Rogers, Mrs. Walter Belasko, and Mrs. William Weidner.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Heard & grandchildren, Dianne and Dick of Franklin road were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heard of Plymouth last Sunday.

Mrs. Roger Pelchat of 46470 10 mi. road had as guest on Monday, Dec. 17, Miss Jean Thornton of Lincoln Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campbell of 246 Wing Court will have as Christmas Day guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell of Livonia, Mr. and Mrs. John Angell, of Northville, Thomas Campbell and Mrs. Campbell's brother, George Gardner, from Scotland.

**Extension Unit Holds Meeting, Learns of Wills**

Information on the problem of distribution and descent of property, plus the recommendation that every person leave a will, were the topics of discussion at the Robinson Home Demonstration monthly meeting December 13.

The group, sponsored by Michigan State University's Cooperative Extension service, was brought up to date on the latest laws of Michigan in regard to estates and handling of them.

Chairman of the group at the meeting was Mrs. Ralph Wagenschutz. Mrs. Robert Widmaier and Mrs. Harold Shirey led the discussion. Hostess was Mrs. Alfred Brewer.

A luncheon was served by the hostess. Next monthly meeting of the group will be January 24. The group toured the Ford Rotunda in Dearborn on December 17.

**NOTICE**

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to action by the members thereof, the Redford Township Civic Improvement Association, Inc. is about to be dissolved. All creditors of said Corporation are requested to present their claims at the registered office of the Corporation, 25546 Five Mile, Detroit 39, Michigan, on or before January 15, 1957, the time existence of said Corporation terminates.

R. C. Rice  
Attorney for Corporation  
25538 Five Mile  
Detroit 39, Michigan



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Fresh Cranberries	. . . . 2 16-OZ. BAGS <b>39<sup>c</sup></b>	Seedless Grapefruit	FLORIDA 8 LB. BAG <b>59<sup>c</sup></b>
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**Season's Greetings**  
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# IN OUR CHURCHES

## ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

South Harvey and Maple Avenue  
Office phone 1736, Res. 3302  
Reverend David T. Davies, Rector  
Wayne Dunlap, Choir Director  
Mrs. Roland Bonnell, Organist  
Mrs. William Mills, Church School Superintendent.  
Fourth Sunday in Advent  
8:00 a.m. Holy Communion.  
9:30 a.m. Family Service and Sermon. Classes from Nursery to High School.  
11:15 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Classes from Nursery to Fourth Grade.  
3:30 p.m. Hanging of the Greens in the Church.  
5:00 p.m. Church School Christmas Pageant and Distributing of Gifts. Light refreshments will be served.  
Christmas Eve—December 24  
11:00 p.m. Carols by Choir and Congregation.  
11:30 p.m. Festal Holy Eucharist. Christmas Day—December 25  
8:00 a.m. Holy Communion.  
10:00 a.m. Family Eucharist and Blessing of the Children. The Christmas Story will be presented to the little children in the Church Hall using the medium of colored slides and records.  
Christ is the heart of Christmas. Do not fail to make room for Him in your hearts this Christmas. Merry Christmas to you.

## CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Reverend Charles D. Ide  
4155 E. Ann Arbor Trail  
Frank Klipp, Sunday School Sup'l.  
Sunday School 9:45 p.m.  
Worship Service 10:45 a.m. During the worship hour there is Junior Church for boys and girls and a nursery for babies.  
Youth Groups 8:00 p.m. Activities during this hour include five services: Boys and girls, ages 4-8; Boys and girls, ages 9-11; Teen-agers, 12-19; Young people, 20-40; and a prayer service for all others who come.  
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p.m.  
Choir rehearsal follows the prayer service.

## SALEM FEDERATED CHURCH

Richard S. Burgess, Pastor  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study hour  
6:30 Young People's Fellowship  
Intermediate Fellowship Senior Fellowship.  
7:30 p.m. Evening service.  
Monday, 7:30 p.m. Young people's Bible study and fellowship.  
Wednesday Morning Meeting, and Bible study, 7:30 p.m. Choir practice, 9:30 p.m.

## CHEERY HILL METHODIST CHURCH

Shearman T. Richardson  
Personage 4254 Denon  
Phone 4254  
Wesley Hall, Church School  
Superintendent  
10:45 Church Service.  
11:45 Church Service.  
Unit W. S. C. S. Last Thursday of each month 1:45.  
Unit 2, W. S. C. S. Last Thursday of each month 1:45.  
We extend to you a cordial welcome to all services.

## ROSEDALE GARDENS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

861 Hubbard at West Chicago  
1/2 mile west of Middlefield  
3 blocks south of Plymouth road  
J. Woodway Wesley, Pastor  
Phone: Garfield 4-2444 or 1-4774  
Worship services—9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.  
Church school also held at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.  
The nursery at 9:30 will take children from 3 months through 4 years, and at 11:00 from 2 years through 4 years.  
All other classes meet at both 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.  
The Church School Christmas Vesper services will be held at 4:30 and 6:30 p.m. The 9:30 classes present their program at 4:30 and 11:00 classes at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited. The annual Christmas Eve Carol service will be held December 24 at 10:45 p.m. with music by the Choirs. Everyone is invited.  
Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Adult Bible Class.

## PLYMOUTH ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Ann Arbor Trail at Riverside Dr.  
John Walsky, Pastor  
Phone 1736  
Mrs. Junita Fickett, Sunday school superintendent.  
11 a.m. Morning worship.  
10 a.m. Sunday school.  
8:30 p.m. Young Peoples Service.  
7:30 p.m. Evening service.  
Midweek service on Wednesday at 7:45 p.m.

## JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

218 South Union Street  
5:30 p.m. Public Discourse  
6:45 p.m. Bible study with Watchtower magazine.  
"Blessings through Service." Isa. 12:4.

## WEST SALEM COUNTRY CHURCH

7150 Anglin, Pastor  
Patrick J. Clifford, Pastor  
3:30 p.m. Annual Christmas Program. You are cordially invited to attend the old-fashioned country church where friendly people worship.

## NEWBURG METHODIST CHURCH

Robert D. Richardson, Minister  
Church Phone Garfield 2-6149  
Residence—381 Malrose, Livonia  
Phone GARFIELD 1-2525  
Gerald Blanton, Superintendent  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m. Services.

## FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Melbourne Irvin Johnson, D. D., Minister  
Mrs. Joyce Hoseney Bogart, Organist  
Urey Arnold, Choir Director  
Eugene Jordan, Church School  
Donald Tapp, Assistant Superintendent  
Miss Sanford Burr, Assistant at Worship Services  
9:30 Sunday school.  
9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Worship service.  
11:30 a.m. MYF. 6:00 p.m. Senior MYF. 7:00 p.m.  
Sunday, December 23rd will be Christmas Sunday with special music by the joint Chancel and High School choirs who will sing the cantata "Rejoice Beloved Christians" by Buxtehude in both services. The Christmas Eve Communion Service will be at 8 p.m. same as last year. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered to all who love the Lord regardless of denominational affiliation. Sunday, December 30 is Student Sunday. Students home for the holidays will participate in the services. All young people from school, business, or the Armed Forces, home for vacation are cordially invited to attend either the 8:30 or 11:00 worship services.

## ST. PETER'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Penniman at Garfield  
Edgar Hoesebeck, Pastor  
Mr. Richard Scharf, School  
Mr. Joseph Rowland, Sunday School Superintendent  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
9:30 a.m. Morning Worship.  
Christmas Services Sunday 10:00 a.m. Christmas Service Christmas Eve 7:00 p.m. Children's program Christmas Day, 10:00 a.m. Song Service.  
10 a.m. Sunday school.  
11 a.m. Worship service.  
8:15 p.m. Young people's Legion service.  
7:30 p.m. Evangelist service. Tuesday: Home Correction: Service of song and gospel message. 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Corps Cadet Bible study class 8:30 p.m. Sunday school teachers class 8:30 p.m. Prayer service study class 7:30 p.m. The Ladies Home League 1:00 p.m. Sunshine class 4:00 p.m.

## THE SALVATION ARMY

Edgar Hoesebeck, Pastor  
Senior Major and Mrs. Harill J. Nichols, Officers in Charge  
10 a.m. Sunday school.  
11 a.m. Worship service.  
8:15 p.m. Young people's Legion service.  
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## SPRING STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Affiliated with Southern Baptist Convention  
Plymouth, Michigan  
Pastor, W. A. Palmer, Jr.  
Sunday School Superintendent  
Thomas Griffin  
Planiat, Mrs. Alvin Moss  
For transportation call 1838-R or 2079-W  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
6:30 p.m.—Training Union.  
Christmas Program.  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Teachers and officers meeting.  
7:30 p.m. Bible Study.  
8:15 p.m. Choir Practice.  
We extend to you a cordial welcome to all services.

## BETHEL GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Elmhurst at Gordon, 1/2 Mile South of Ford Road  
Phone Cedar 7-4275  
Plymouth, Michigan  
Reverend V. E. King, Pastor  
John Pope, Sunday School Superintendent  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship.  
8:30 p.m. Christian Education.  
Midweek prayer service, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

## RIVERSIDE PARK CHURCH OF GOD

Newburg and Plymouth roads  
E. S. Jones, Pastor  
252 Arthur Street  
Residence Phone 2775  
10:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
10:00 a.m. Junior Church.  
11:15 a.m. Sunday School.  
6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship, Senior and Junior high.  
7:30 Evening Evangelistic Service  
Wednesday 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Midweek Prayer Service 8:30 Choir Rehearsal.

## CHURCH OF GOD

Cornus N. Holbrook and Pearl Streets  
Reverend F. S. Gillon  
1050 Cherry street  
Phone 3484  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service.  
7:30 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer Meeting.  
7:30 p.m. Saturday—Y.P.E.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

9451 S. Main Street  
W. Herman Nell, Minister  
Bible School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.  
Mid-Week Bible Classes, Wednesday.

## REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Services in Masonic Temple  
Union street at Penniman Avenue  
Robert Burger, Pastor  
31570 Schoolcraft, Livonia, Mich.  
Phone C.A. 1-4775  
Sunday Services  
9:45 a.m. Church school classes for all age groups.  
11:00 a.m. Worship Service. Speaker, Elder Robert Burger.  
7:30 p.m. Worship service.  
Preaching by Jack Clans of Redford. Wednesday evening 8:00 p.m. Fellowship service. Sterner home, 556 Elunk, theme "Be Ye Perfect" Matthew 5:30. We extend a sincere invitation to you to worship with us.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Reverend Henry J. Welch, D. D., Minister  
Reverend Norman J. Stanhope, B. D., Assistant Minister  
Richard Daniel, Superintendent  
Church School  
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.  
Church School 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.  
Minister's Class 7:15 p.m. each Sunday in the parlor.  
Senior Hi Westminister Fellowship 6:30 p.m. each Sunday in the dining room.  
Junior Hi Westminister Fellowship 3:45 p.m. each Thursday in the dining room.  
We shall celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion on Christmas eve, Monday, December 24, at 11:00 p.m. Sunday, December 23rd, at 4:30 p.m. the Junior Hi Westminister Fellowship in conjunction with the Cherub and Sanctuary Choirs, will present "The Christmas Story" in pageant form. Following the worship services, the Christmas Party for the youngsters and parents will be held in the dining room, with fun and recreation for all.

Sunday, December 30th, at 6:30 p.m., the Senior Hi Westminister Fellowship will hold the Homecoming Dinner for all our young people home from the armed forces, business, or school for the holidays. The invitation to attend is extended to all our young people, and any of their friends who may care to attend with them. Please telephone the church office, 1984, for reservations.  
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## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

North Mill at Spring street  
David L. Rieder, Pastor  
Parsonage - 434 N. Mill street  
Wade Eddleman, Sunday School Superintendent  
Mrs. Velma Searfoss, Organist and Choir Director  
Mrs. Dorothy Anderson, pianist  
Mrs. Norma Burnette, organist  
10:00 a.m. Church School with classes for all ages. Nursery care for babies.  
Bible Story hour "Facts of Christmas."  
11:00 a.m. Morning Service of Worship. "The Star Still Shines."  
Junior Church and Nursery  
8:30 a.m. Youth Fellowship Hour for young people 8 years through college age.  
7:30 p.m. Pageant "Let Us Tell the Story" church school and chancel and choir assisting.  
Monday, 3:45 p.m. The Carol Choir will be held for children 8 through 14 years.  
Wednesday, 7:15 Home visitation and calling.  
Wednesday 8:45—Chancel Choir rehearsal.  
Wednesday: 7:30, midweek Service.

## OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

Rev. Francis C. Byrne, Pastor  
Masses, Sundays, 6:00 8:00, 10:00 and 12:00 a.m.  
Holy Days, 6:00, 7:45 and 10:00 a.m.  
Weekdays, 8:00 a.m. during summer.  
7:30 a.m. during summer.  
Confessions, Saturdays, 4:30 to 5:30, and 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.  
Wednesdays, after Evening Devotions.  
Instructions, Grade School, Thursdays at 4:00 p.m.  
High School, Tuesday at 4:00 p.m. Adults, Mondays and Thursdays at 8:00 p.m. and by appointment.  
Meetings Holy Name Society, each Wednesday evening following second Sunday of the month after Devotions. Rosary Society each first Wednesday of the month after Devotions. St. Vincent de Paul Society Thursday evenings at 7:30.

## SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

4123 East Ann Arbor Trail  
Pastor: Morton Henry A. Arthur  
Arthur B. Saville, Sabbath school Superintendent  
Phone 3434 or 67-M  
Services Saturday morning 9:30 a.m. Sabbath school 11:00 a.m. Worship service.  
Tune in on channel 7, 10:00 a.m. "Faith for Today" with Pastor Fagel.

## FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

10:30 Sunday morning service.  
10:30 Sunday school.  
Classes for pupils up to 20 years of age.

## CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Patrick J. Clifford, Pastor  
408 West Ann Arbor Trail  
Church 2244  
Residence 1413  
Bible School—9:45 a.m.  
Heber Whitford, superintendent.  
Classes for all ages. If you need transportation, call 1413 or 2244.  
Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.  
"Have you Any Room for Jesus?"  
Youth Fellowship, 5:45 p.m.  
Gospel Service, 7:00 p.m.  
The Christmas Story "The Prince of Peace" presented in kodachrome film-strip.  
Monday 7:15 p.m. Home Visitation.  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Prayer and Praise Service.  
Wednesday 8:15 Choir Practice.  
All are always welcome at Calvary.

## SALEM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Pastor: Rev. Henry Tyslerud  
10:30 Service.  
11:30 Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Service.  
Thursday 7:30 prayer meeting.  
Annual Christmas program, Saturday evening 7:45 p.m.

## BETHEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

39000 Six Mile Road  
between Haggerty and Newburg  
Elder Sherman Harmon, Pastor  
Phone C.A. 1-4775  
10 a.m. Sunday school, classes for all ages.  
11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Worship services.  
7 p.m. Baptist Training service.  
An extended invitation to everyone.



CHECKER-PLAYING was one of many items of entertainment last Saturday at the Teen-Age Happy Friendship club's annual Christmas party at the Plymouth Girl Scout Lodge. Here Edward Bisson, 14, reaches for a move against Dick Snider, 17, as (from left) Sally Wittenberg, 18, Larry Crowl, 17, Charles Reabe, 17, and Miss Neva Lovewell watch. Miss Lovewell's high school sociology class sponsored the party for the handicapped children. Dick Snider is a student of Miss Lovewell's. About 35 physically handicapped young people attended the party from Plymouth and neighboring communities.

## Yule Party Held For Handicapped

Helping to make the Christmas season a little bit brighter for members of an organization of handicapped young people was the sociology class of Plymouth high school.  
The class, taught by Miss Neva Lovewell, held the Christmas party for 30 members of the Happy Fellowship club last Saturday afternoon at the Plymouth Kiwanis Girl Scout Lodge. The club is sponsored by the Western Wayne Out-County Chapter of the Michigan Society for Crippled Children and Adults.  
Kiwanians had furnished a Christmas tree for the event and it had been decorated by members of Girl Scout Troops 27 and 29.  
With the aid of the high school class, the handicapped guests enjoyed games during the afternoon followed by refreshments and the presentation of gifts.

## First Methodist Couples' Club Holds Xmas Party

The Couples' club of the First Methodist church sponsored a children's Christmas party on Sunday, December 16, in the church's Fellowship hall.  
Punch and cookies were served as refreshments. Later in the evening several band selections were played by a group of older children. Mrs. Bernard Curtis led the group in singing Christmas carols.  
A talent show was presented with the following children taking part: Krisan and Rhea Fluckey in a piano duet; David Fehlig on the guitar; Patty Fehlig with her accordion; Linda Gibson and Delores Aldrich doing ballet numbers; Elizabeth Taylor on the flute accompanied by Marilyn Taylor at the piano; Janis Larkin and John Duke in a vocal duet; Judy Green and Jeannie McClow in a piano duet; Susan Noll and Martha Fowlkes reciting a poem.  
Highlighting the evening for the youngsters was the arrival of Santa Claus, who handed out presents to all the children. The evening was a great success and was very much enjoyed by the people present.  
Chairmen for the event were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall North assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rix and Mr. and Mrs. William Fowlkes.

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### MOMS NEWS

A combined Christmas party and business meeting was held by the Moms of America at their meeting on Monday night of last week at the Veterans Memorial Center. Plans were made for the trip to the TB ward of the Veterans hospital in Ann Arbor which took place the following Wednesday.  
Cookies and drinks were served patients and each were given cigarettes and stockings. Making the trip were Mrs. Agnes Rollins, Mrs. Eleanor Bellanger and Mrs. Angelina Lare.  
Seven members of the Girl Scout troop sponsored by the club also visited the ward and sang Christmas carols in the corridors.

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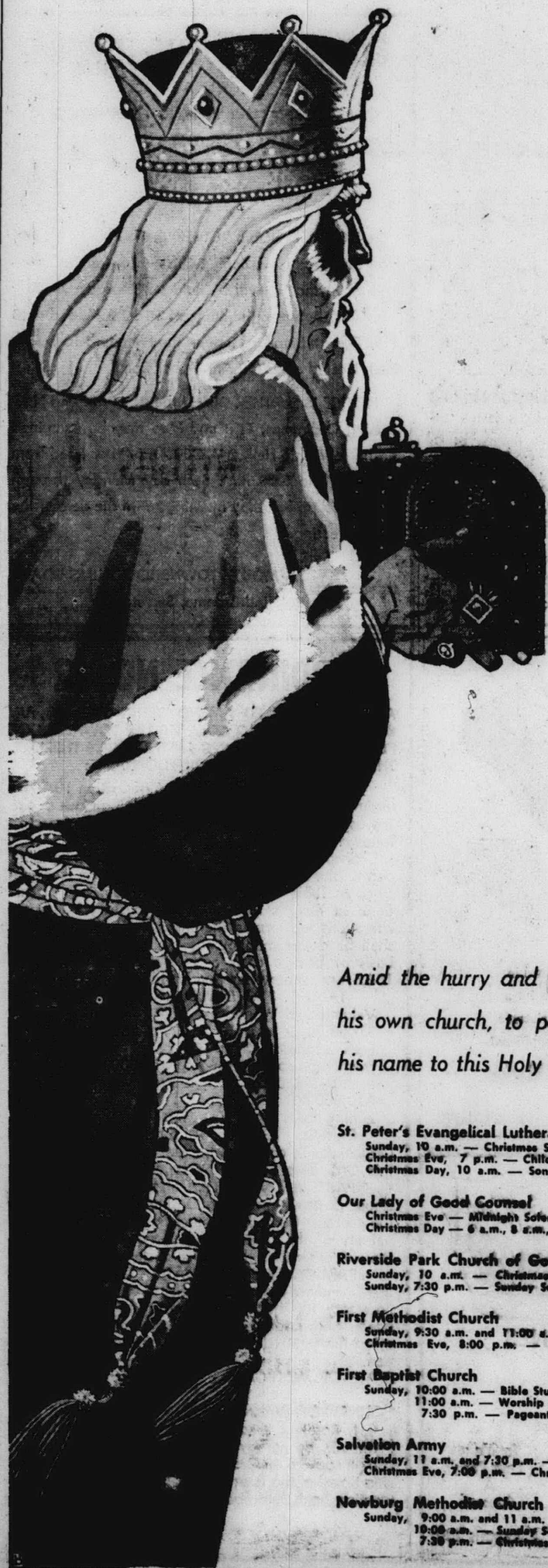
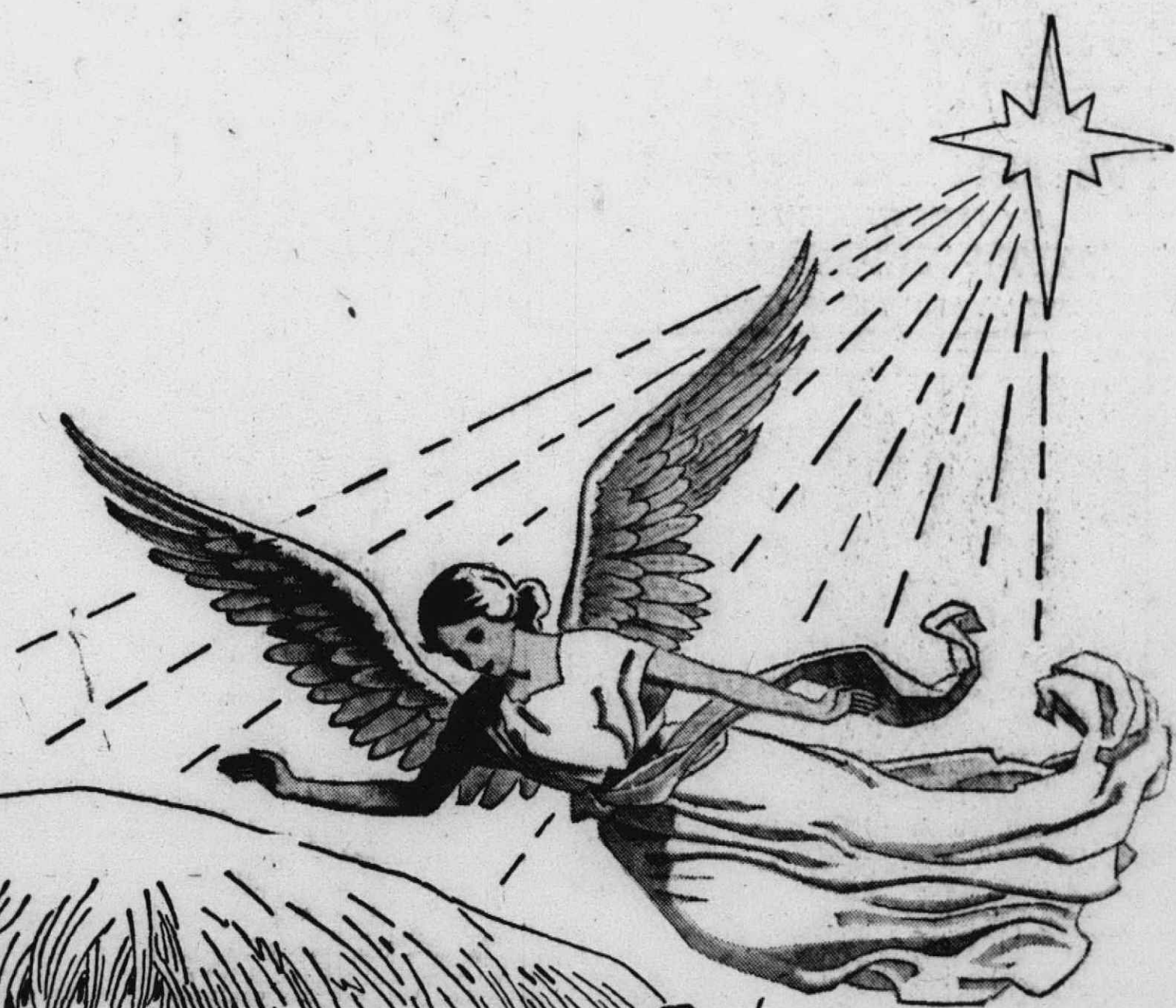
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As the wise men followed a guiding star to the place where He was born, may our hearts turn to Him this Christmas, with love and adoration. As we hear again the blessed story of His birth, may we experience anew all the joys of that first Christmas, long ago. May the spiritual inspiration of the day abide with us through all our years. And may the Star of Bethlehem light the way to "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men." These Christmas wishes we share with you, in the true spirit of this Holy Season.



Amid the hurry and activity of the Holiday Season, let us turn again, each to his own church, to pay homage in our own way to Christ our Lord, who gave his name to this Holy Season.

**St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
 Sunday, 10 a.m. — Christmas Service  
 Christmas Eve, 7 p.m. — Children's Program  
 Christmas Day, 10 a.m. — Song Service

**Our Lady of God's Counsel**  
 Christmas Eve — Midnight Solemn Mass  
 Christmas Day — 6 a.m., 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 12 noon Masses

**Riverside Park Church of God**  
 Sunday, 10 a.m. — Christmas Worship Service  
 Sunday, 7:30 p.m. — Sunday School Christmas Program

**First Methodist Church**  
 Sunday, 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. — Christmas Services  
 Christmas Eve, 8:00 p.m. — Special Service

**First Baptist Church**  
 Sunday, 10:00 a.m. — Bible Study Hour  
 11:00 a.m. — Worship Service  
 7:30 p.m. — Pageant, Chancel & Carol Choir

**Salvation Army**  
 Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. — Special Christmas Services  
 Christmas Eve, 7:00 p.m. — Christmas Program

**Newburg Methodist Church**  
 Sunday, 9:00 a.m. and 11 a.m. — Christmas Worship Services  
 10:00 a.m. — Sunday School Christmas Program  
 7:30 p.m. — Christmas Pageant

**Plymouth Assembly of God**  
 Sunday, 11:00 a.m. — Christmas Worship Service  
 7:00 p.m. — Special Christmas Program

**Calvary Baptist Church**  
 Sunday, 9:45 a.m. — Sunday School Christmas Program  
 11:00 a.m. — Christmas Service  
 7:00 p.m. — Christmas Program

**Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**  
 Sunday, 11:00 a.m. — Christmas Service  
 7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship

**First Presbyterian Church**  
 Sunday, 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. — Christmas Services  
 Christmas Eve, 11:00 p.m. — Communion Service

**St. John's Episcopal Church**  
 Sunday, 5:00 p.m. — Church School Pageant  
 Christmas Eve, 11:00 p.m. — Carol Sing  
 Christmas Day, 8:00 a.m. — Holy Communion  
 Christmas Day, 10 a.m. — Family Eucharist & Blessing of Children

**Church of the Nazarene**  
 Sunday, 9:45 a.m. — Christmas Sunday School Program  
 10:45 a.m. — Christmas Message  
 7:00 p.m. — Carols by Candlelight



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**NOTICE OF HEARING**

on proposed Amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the Township of Canton, Wayne County, Michigan  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing on a proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the Township of Canton on the following proposed changes to the Zoning Map:

- 1—To change that part of the N.W. 1/4 of Section 3, designated on the Wayne County Assessment Records Plat as Items P1P2a and P2b1 from R-1-H and AG districts to an M-2 district.
- 2—To change that part of the N.W. 1/4 of Section 3, designated on the Wayne County Assessment Records Plat as Items P2b2 and 3Q from R-1-H and AG districts to a C district.

will be held at 8:00 O'clock Eastern Standard Time at the Canton Township Hall, Monday, January 14, 1957.

Notice is further given that the Map of said proposed amendment may be examined at the Canton Township Hall, 128 Canton Center Road, from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. each day Monday through Friday, until the date of the hearing.

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**Dear Santa —**



Dear Santa:  
I would like some toys so much. This is the list: Roy Rogers, and Trigger and Dale and horse. Amateur broadcast radio. Atomic submuring. Long Ranger guitar.  
Patrick Michael Donnelly

Dear Santa:  
I would like a gun and hoster set. And a little tank with a man on top. May I please have a little toy duck? And a little boy doll. And some new sox. May I have a picture of you? And a hanger with a light on it.  
Tom Drennan

Dear Santa:  
I would like a tea set for Christmas and a clay set. But what I would like is a doll buggy so I can ride my dolls. And a cow girl suit. And a nurse set with medson but not real medson.  
Ann Drennon,  
215 South Main

Dear Santa:  
I want a high chair, a baby bed and some doll clothes. Bring my brother some cow boy pants and some cars and a garage. Thank you.  
Patsy and Danny

Dear Santa:  
How are you? I am fine. I heard that you had snow up to your roof. I would like a sweater and some jeans for my doll and a clutch bag for me. In case you don't know what a clutch bag is, it's a purse without any straps. I will leave you some lunch on Christmas night and I will leave eight pieces of straw for your reindeer. Do you like peanut butter and jelly sandwiches and milk? If you do call me up and tell me so. Tell your reindeer I said hello.  
Love, Karen David:  
P. S. - the doll stuff is for Cookie.

Dear Santa:  
I want a take-apart airplane and a play refrigerator. Merry Christmas.  
Susanne Rowe

Dear Santa:  
I want a play sink and a play dog. Merry Christmas.  
Marianne Rowe

Dear Santa:  
I am a little girl three years old. I have been a good girl and I would like for Christmas: spoon, dish, cup, baby dog, doll, a round game, a pretty dress, and sled for Charlotte, size three years old. I am a big girl and pretty, too.  
Charlotte Ippolito  
670 Sheldon

Dear Santa:  
Little Miss Muffett tea set, ironing board, two-door refrigerator, washing machine, play stove, layette set, electric iron, cleaning set, Emmett Kelly's Willy the Clown, Joanie Walker and her trunk of clothes, eight-piece furniture set. Revlon Kissing pink doll.  
Margaret Rudlaff

Dear Santa:  
I would like a few things like a miniature Kampanile, a game of Merry Milkman, a toy switchboard, a drum set. If that's too much, you can let me know by not leaving some of them on Christmas. I'm a good boy.  
Brian Turkett

Dear Santa:  
I love you very much; I go to Allen School in Plymouth, Michigan. I am in kindergarten this year. For Christmas I want a big dump truck and a steam shovel.  
Dave Massarello.

Dear Santa:  
I am Kaye Gotts. I am eight years old. My sister Linda is five years old. She can not write yet. She would like a walking doll. She would like a cake set to bake cakes. She would like a cowgirl suit. She would like boots and a gun.  
I would like some slippers and ice skates. I would like a Brownie scout pin because mine is broke, and a Brownie purse. Merry Christmas to you dear Santa Claus with love.  
Kaye and Linda Gotts  
16750 Meade road  
Northville

Dear Santa:  
I would like to have an archery set and beebie gun. And a town and country set and a ranch set. I want a long Ranger outfit and saxophone. I would like some new socks and most of all I want a new bike and a camera. I would like a bulwip.  
Yours Truly,  
George Drennan

Dear Santa:  
I would like some toys. This is Billy Donnelly. I love you Santa. Good bye. The list is on the other side. Lone Ranger and Silver and Tonto horse. Guided Missile base. Army camp set. Rin-Tin-Tin set. Fort Apache. A trumpet. Roy Roger's Fix-it set, and Nelly-belle set. Brinks truck. Bell Truck telephone service trunk. Buddy L Coca cola truck.  
Billy Donnelly

Dear Santa:  
I am a little boy six years old. I been good and I would like some nice things. These are some of them. Army truck, steam shovel, build blocks, davy crockett suit, tent, sled, jack in the box.  
Victor Ippolito

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a crane for Christmas. And a sled, too. Please bring Kathy a Tiny Tears doll. Thank you.  
Love, Dale Stanhope

My name is Joan Flack. I have a sister named Jannie. She also has been a good girl. She wants a dolly and a Donald Duck pull toy. I would like a dolly with a full wardrobe and a suitcase, a mouse-ter slipper and mosquituar and I would also like a housecoat to keep me warm in the morning when I get up for school. I hope you don't catch cold on Christmas eve. Be nice and quiet so you won't wake my little sister. We will leave a cup of tea and some cookies for you. Bye-Bye for now. I love you Santa.  
Love, Joan Flack

Dear Santa:  
I am a good boy. Please bring a train and a truck and an electric car.  
Jack Massarello  
276 Union Street

Dear Santa:  
Flying-Duck-Shoot. Suburban-Pumper. Green-Giant-Pumper. Dragnet. Riot-Cap-Gun. Thank you.  
John Rudlaffe age five  
297 West Liberty street

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy and I love you, Santa. I am only four years old and cannot write yet so my mother is writing for me. Would you please bring me some toys:  
A Wyatt Earp gun, a horse, a cement mixer, make believe, a sweater, a razor, a record player, binoculars.  
Thank you very much.  
James Burgess Donnelly  
312 Sunset

Dear Santa:  
I love you very much. I don't go to school yet because I am only three. For Christmas I want a bulldozer and an electric car that runs on batteries. Lots of love.  
Mike Massarello

**Newburg News**

**Scouts Camp Out for Weekend To Pass Tests for Advancement**

Scout Troop 270, associated with the Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian church, spent the past weekend at the D-Bar-A Scout Ranch near Metamora. Scouts from the Newburg area were Paul Overmyer, Larry Dickie, Bob Pregitzer and Bruce LaPointe. Emil LaPointe went along with the group to help with the transportation. Despite the wet weather, a fine time was had by all and the boys took many hikes, cooked outdoors and passed tests to help in their advancement. Scout LaPointe succeeded in falling in a nearby creek in his anxiety to get some fire wood for their cooking fire. Result: one damp boy and more damp wood.

The Patchen school Community Club will meet at the school on Newburg road, tonight, Thursday, December 20 for the monthly meeting and annual Christmas party. Each member is to bring a 50 cent gift for the exchange. The meeting will begin at 8 p.m.

You still have time and still have a fine selection to choose from. Christmas trees that is. The Men's club of the Newburg Methodist church have beautiful balsam and spruce trees for sale at their lot located at the Lakeview Orchards on Plymouth road. Bring your friends to select their's too and help the men go over the top in their sales.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil LaPointe on Joy road, Friday, December 14 were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Weiss Sr., of Graham road, Detroit.

Sunday, December 23 at the 11 a.m. church service the Newburg Methodist church's choir under the direction of Mrs. Paul Nixon will be presenting their Christmas Cantata, "The Christ Child." Featured soloists for the presentation are Graham Bennett, tenor; Leonard Ritzler, bass; Paul Nixon, bass; Evelyn Shier, soprano; Laurel Dorr, soprano; Frances Higgins, soprano and Jean Greenwood, alto. Other members of the choir include, Muriel and Leola Coole, Donna Bennett, Sally Fedus, Mildred Case, Ruth Ann Busenbark, Carol LaPointe, Beverly Mende, Ed Reid, David Mackinder, Bill Schmidt and Charles Bowen.

In celebration of their daughter Debbie's birthday, Thursday, December 6, Mr. and Mrs. James Greenwood of Newburg road entertained Mrs. Marie Greenwood and son Donald and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eeles all from Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kreger and Jack Horton and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Clayton and son David all of Livonia. Denise and Kim sisters of the honored birthday girl were also on hand for the festivities.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ritzler of Plymouth road for a Christmas party on Sunday, December 16, where Graham Bennett, Carol LaPointe, Donna Bennett, Beverly Mende, Sally Fedus, Leola and Muriel Coole, Ed Reid, Winnie and Paul Nixon, David Mackinder, Bill Schmidt, Mildred Case and Ruth Ann Busenbark. The group presented Mrs. Nixon with a loose-leaf bound Methodist hymnal as a small expression of gratitude for her untiring efforts on behalf of the choir of the Newburg Methodist church during the Christmas season. Supper was served by the hosts after which the entire group engaged in playing games.

Evening guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Greenwood of Newburg road on Saturday, December 8, were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Agott.

"No Room in the Inn" is the title of the Christmas pageant to be presented by the members of the Newburg Methodist church Sunday school and directed by Mr. Ed Reid. The pageant can be seen on Sunday, December 23 at 7:30 p.m. All friends and members of the church are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur DeCoster and children Dale, Dennis and Denise of Ravine Drive were guests in the home of Herman DeCoster of Mt. Clemens on Sunday, December 16.

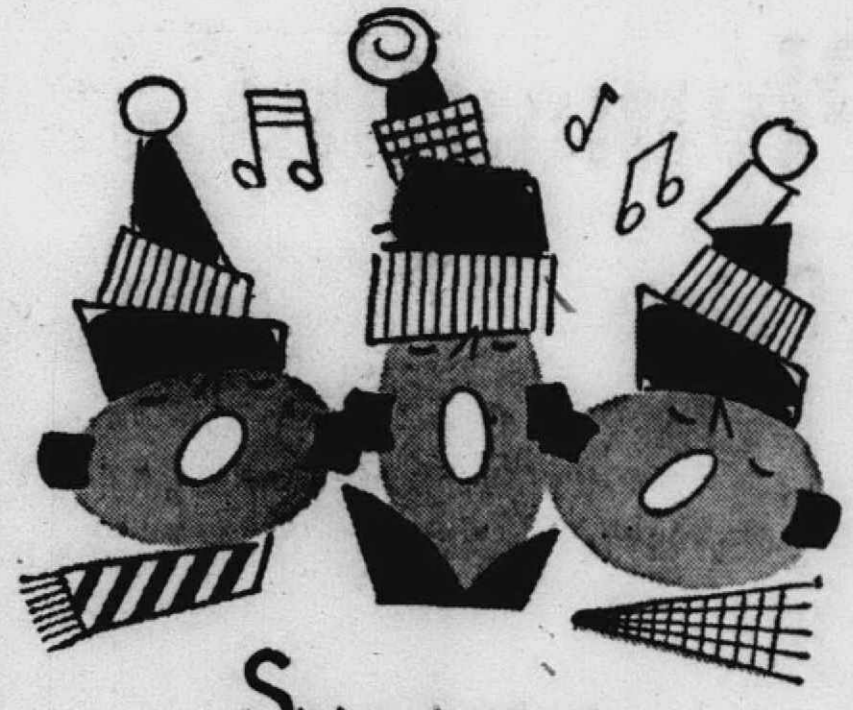
Nancy Ritzler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ritzler of Plymouth road was a recent winner of a brand new bicycle, as a result of the clean plate contest, sponsored by the manager of the Mayflower hotel, in Plymouth.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mende, Sr. of Newburg road on Sunday, December 16 were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Paul of New Baltimore, Michigan.

It is the sincere wish of this writer that you and yours be blessed with the merriest Christmases and the happiest of New Years. Be sure to let me know about your guests, parties and other activities during this festive season.

**Cattle Association Elects Local Farmer to Membership**  
Fred J. Korte, Jr., 40954 Warren road, has been accepted as a member of The Holstein-Friesian Association of America by action of the Board of Directors at their recent meeting in Chicago, Illinois. The Association is the world's largest dairy cattle breeders' registry organization, with more than 47,000 members throughout the nation.

**Almanac Now Available**  
The 1957 edition of the Telephone Almanac is now available in all business offices of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company. The journal contains a wide variety of interesting information ranging from astrological data to a picture series of incidents from the lives of famous world leaders. In addition, a calendar highlights holidays and lists an important historical event for each day of the year. The traditional sunrise and sunset tables are included with time schedules for viewing the planets.



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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
ON A  
**PROPOSED NEW ZONING ORDINANCE**  
FOR THE  
**TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH**  
**WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing, on a Proposed New Zoning Ordinance, for the Township of Plymouth, will be held on Saturday, January 12, 1957, between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. Eastern Standard time at the Plymouth Township Hall, located at 42350 Ann Arbor Road.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Proposed New Zoning Ordinance, Text and Map may be examined at the Township Hall, at 42350 Ann Arbor Road from 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. each day Monday through Friday and on Saturday mornings until the date of the Public Hearing.

**PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD**  
Rosalind Broome, Secretary

**ORDINANCE NO. 12**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. VI, BEING THE BUILDING CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BY AMENDING SECTION 104.6 THEREOF. THE TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:**

PART I. That Section 104.6 of Section 104.0 of Ordinance No. VI known as the Building Code of the Township of Plymouth is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 104.6 FEES. Before receiving a building permit, the owner or his agent shall pay the fees specified in Table 1. In applying the provisions of this Code in respect to new work, existing buildings, alterations and repairs, the physical value of the work shall be determined by the building official on the basis of current costs and as provided in Section 106.5, or as otherwise provided in the local ordinance.

**TABLE 1. SCHEDULE OF PERMIT FEES**

Valuation of Work	Fees
\$1000.00 or less	\$8.00
Each additional \$1000.00 or fraction up to and including \$10,000.00	5.00
Each \$1000.00 or fraction over \$10,000.00	1.00
Zoning fee	2.00

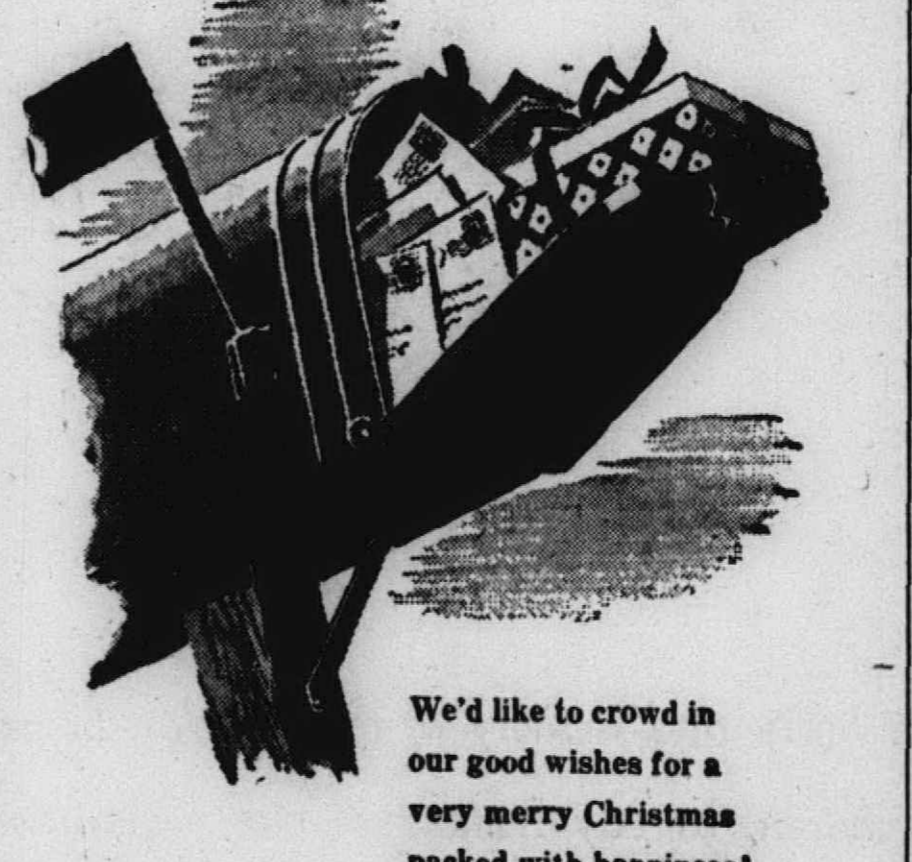
PART II. REPEAL. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

PART III. VALIDITY. Should any section, clause or provision of this Ordinance be declared by the courts to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole, or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

PART IV. EFFECTIVE DATE. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and are hereby ordered to take effect thirty (30) days after final passage and publication.

STATE OF MICHIGAN )  
COUNTY OF WAYNE ) ss

I, Rosalind Broome, Clerk of the Township of Plymouth, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of an Ordinance as passed by the Township Board of the Township of Plymouth, at its regular meeting held December 5, 1956.  
**ROSALIND BROOME,**  
Township Clerk



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Plymouth	2	0
Trenton	2	0
Bentley	1	1
Redford U.	1	1
Allen Park	0	2
Belleville	0	2

Plymouth High is a "two point a minute" basketball team as it rolls into the holiday recess, but sterner opposition is coming immediately in January.

With every man in uniform contributing something, the Rocks tossed 64 points into the basket here Friday night to win their third straight game, 64 to 36, over Belleville.

In two previous contests, with Northville and Allen Park, the quick Plymouth squad scored 64 and 65 points, respectively. This makes the season average just about 64 on the nose, and since there are 32 minutes in a regulation game, the "two points a minute" label is valid.

Belleville succumbed to the same "run-and-then-run some more" strategy that Coach Charley Ketterer had employed previously. The score was 18-13 in favor of Plymouth at the end of the first period, but by halftime, with the Rock players entering and leaving the floor on three-minute shifts, the margin had ballooned to 34-18. At that point, it was clearly no contest.

Plymouth had ten men in uniform. All scored at least one field goal, and Bob Jenkins led in totals with 10 points. The team's shooting average on field goals was a fancy 44 percent. Belleville hit on 21 percent.

Plymouth is tied for first place in the league standings, but there is little doubt that the two victories have been at the expense of the weak sisters of the Suburban Six this season. Beginning Jan. 4, the Rocks must face the cream of the league on successive weekends—Livonia Bentley, Trenton, and Redford Union.

In a junior varsity engagement here Friday, Plymouth took a hair-raiser from the Belleville J.V. squad 42 to 41. This represented an eleventh-hour rally that pulled Plymouth ahead from a 25-35 deficit at the end of the third period.

Belleville led, 41 to 40, with two minutes left. Myron Hopper dropped a pair of free throws shortly thereafter to leave the score in its final state. Hopper was the king of scoring, with 25 points. He's a sophomore forward.

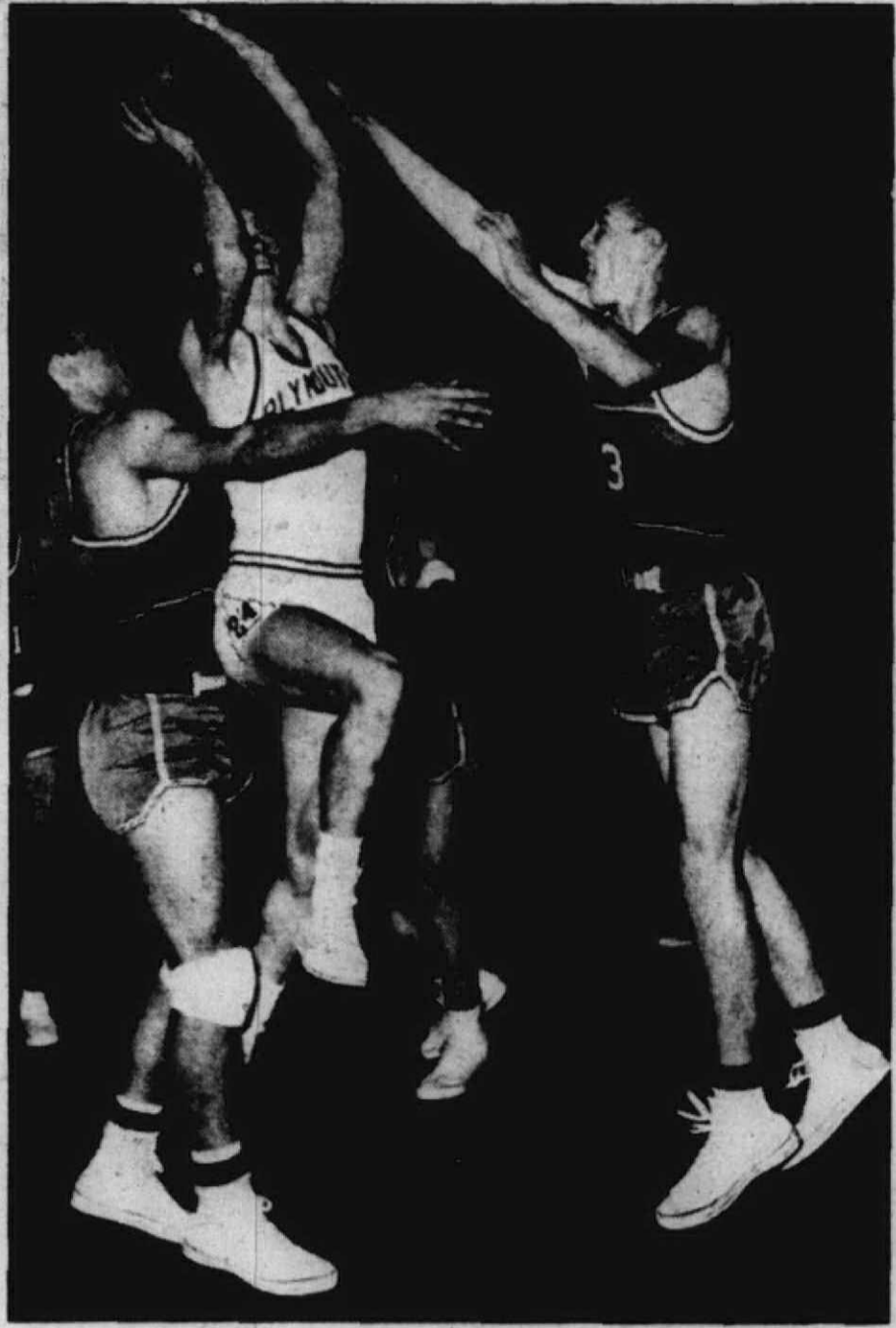
PLYMOUTH—64			
	FG	FT	TP
Jenkins	3	4	10
Calhoun	3	1	7
Daurus	2	0	4
Tait	2	0	8
Thomas	3	0	6
Knipschild	4	0	8
Cummings	4	0	8
DoCoster	1	0	2
Hubert	3	1	7
King	2	0	4
	29	6	64

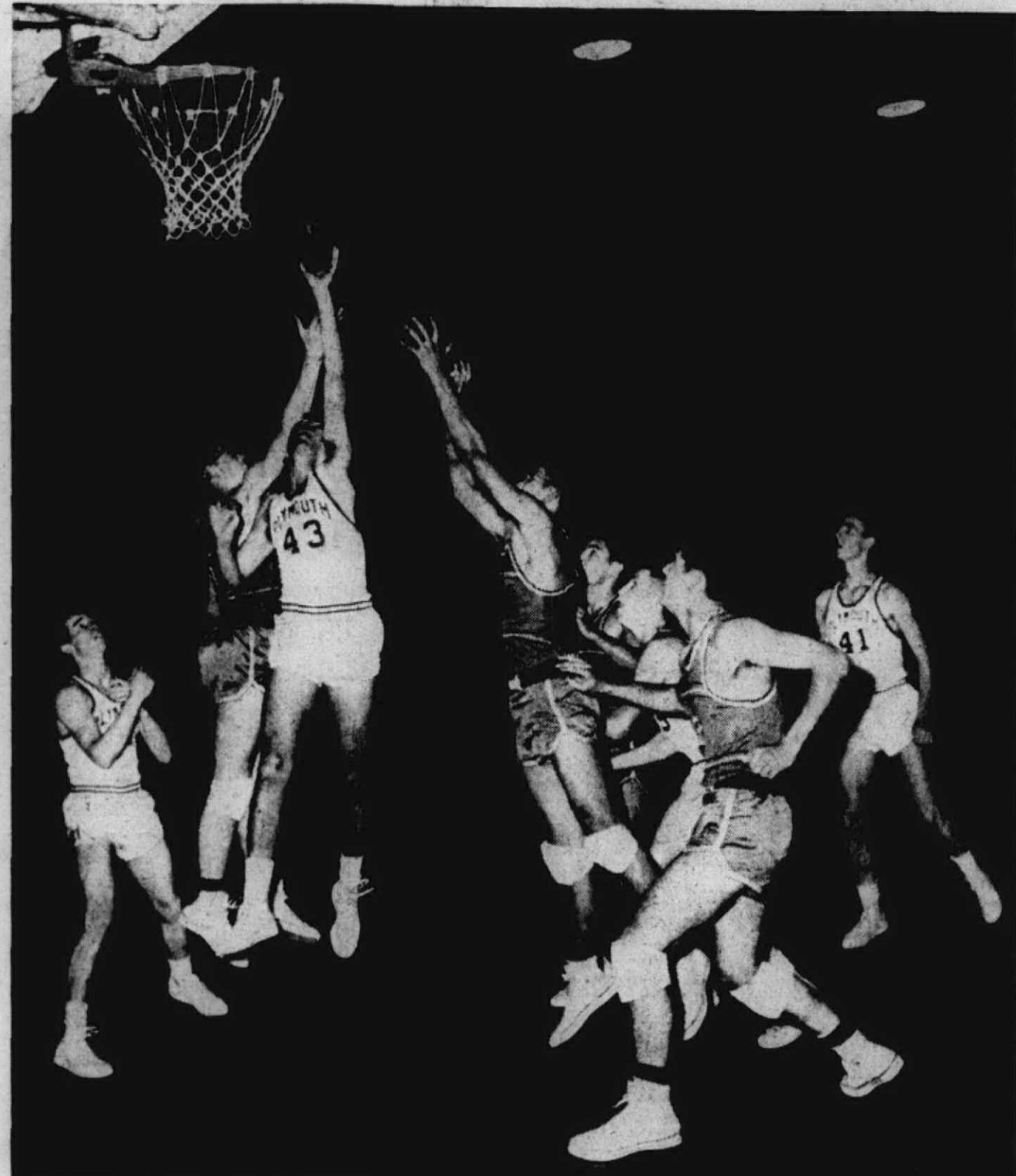
BELLEVILLE—36			
	FG	FT	TP
Jahn	1	4	6
E. Snodgrass	2	1	5
Pitcher	1	4	4
J. Snodgrass	1	1	3
Padcock	1	0	2
Daroci	2	4	8
Ostrowski	1	0	2
Sala	2	0	4
	11	14	36

Plymouth	18	16	14	64
Belleville	13	5	8	36



GUARDED BY TWO MEN, Ken Calhoun of Plymouth still gets through the defense and drives upward for a field goal from close range in Plymouth's drubbing of Belleville.



KEN KNIPSCHILD goes up for another two points, right among four Belleville defenders who were too little or too late to stop him. Plymouth connected on an amazing 44 percent of its field goal attempts. The Plymouth player with crossed wrists under the basket is John Thomas.



THIS TYPE OF SHOT is called "lay up" by the technicians, and the picture shows why. Jim Dzurus of Plymouth is in for a clear shot and he's laying the ball into the hoop as carefully as if it were a fragile egg.

## New Names Grace Standings As Men's Basketball Resumes

Plymouth recreational men's basketball swung back into action last week as the teams picked up where they left off late last winter.

Six games, three Tuesday, December 4, and three more on Thursday, December 6, set things in motion for the 1956-57 recreation cage season here.

However new names grace the team standings. Gone is all-powerful Geo. Tripp, Inc., which riddled opponents last year on the way to a local championship.

Hickory Farms is the title of the squad that most resembles the Tripp quintet. Other new names include Daisy Mfg., Northville Recreation, Northville State Hospital and Plymouth Independents.

Beglinger Olds and S. L. Brader are holdovers from last season and complete the seven-team league of present.

The squads squared off in usual fashion last week. And Hickory Farms, despite its new name, continued in the Geo. Tripp manner. Hickory Farms racked up S. L. Brader, 61-34, and Daisy, 73-36.

Against Daisy Don Huebler pumped in 19 to pace Hickory Farms as Bob Luffs, last year's top scorer, added 12. Bill Davis led the Daisy attack with nine points.

Plymouth Independents, a new addition to the loop and whose players furnished their own entry fees, also scored a pair of victories. On Tuesday the Independents halted Northville Recreation, 56-43, and on Thursday Northville State Hospital bowed, 66-47.

Jim Macomber with 22 tallies in the second game was the big gun for the Independents. The hospital five was paced by Sam Byler's 19 points.

Beglinger Olds "doubled" in the victory column, too. The Oldsmen trimmed Daisy, 77-44, and halted Northville Recreation 67-45. Max Pierce totaled 17 against Northville Recreation but Bill Lovette of the losers was the game's high scorer with 19.

The teams will compete in a regular league schedule until Thursday, March 7, playing 18 games apiece. At that time a play-off will get underway. Supervisor of the league is Jerry Vetteze.

### Starkweather Leads Little Cage League

Starkweather riddled Catholic, 19-4, last Saturday for its second consecutive win and sole possession of first place in the local elementary school basketball league.

Roger Warner with eight points and Charlie Worthington with six provided the big noise for Starkweather. The Elementary cage league is two weeks into its 1956-57 schedule.

In other games Saturday Smith stopped Canton Hill, 8-4, and Lutheran whipped up a 12-2 win over Bird school. Dick Egloff scored 10 points for Lutheran.

Trailing Starkweather in the standings are: Lutheran, Canton Hill, Bird and Smith each with one win and one defeat; Catholic and Allen with no wins and one loss.

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#### High Individual, 3 Games; J. Katis 667

#### High Team Game; Walt Ash Service 998

#### High Individual Game; J. Katis 254

## Rocks Scuttle Maples For Third Tank Win

Plymouth's swimming squad scuttled a highly-regarded Birmingham tank team by a 57-39 margin last Thursday evening when the Rocks scooped up 30 points in the final four events.

The decision, a non-league victory, was the third for the locals against no losses this year.

After a 27-27 deadlock in scoring going into the last four events the Rocks broke loose to win going away.

Plymouth wrapped the meet up easily in the late stages with a first and second in diving, a first and third in the individual medley, and outright victories in the 200-yard medley relay and the 200-yard freestyle relay.

Plymouth had conceded Birmingham an edge in the dual-meet before it got underway, but the Rocks fooled everybody, including themselves, in setting down the touted Maples so handily.

Along the way, six pool records were either tied or broken and three team records were smashed or equalled. However Plymouth's All-American high school freestyle artist, Bill Brandell, suffered his second loss in three outings when Birmingham's Tom Bechtel edged him in 2:00.8.

The Rocks' medley and freestyle relay teams glittered in posting wins in these two events. In the 200-yard medley relay, John Gregory, Mike Todd, Bob Ishister and Brandell combined talents to set new pool and team standards. The foursome's time was a sparkling 1:56.2.

In the 200-yard freestyle relay, Dennis Baker, John Williams, Jack Taylor and Don Carney tied both the team and pool record in 1:49.9 for the victory.

Plymouth's Gary Wright raced to a win in the 150-yard individual medley in 1:41.8.

Rocks' Art Losse and John Walker dominated the diving competition. Losse posted 66.3 points to barely top Walker's total of 65.7.

Other successes for the locals included: Fifty-yard freestyle—Don Carney, first, 25.2 (team and pool record); 100-yard butterfly breaststroke—Dick Showers, second; 100-yard backstroke—John Gregory, first, 1:64, Jim Archer, second; 100-yard freestyle—Dennis Baker, second, Jack Taylor, third (tie); 100-yard breaststroke—Mike Todd, second.

Brandell's defeat at the hands of Birmingham's Bechtel last week followed his loss to Allen Park's Bill Reest earlier this season. Bechtel and Reest are reported to be the top 200-yard freestylers in Michigan.

Brandell will have another shot at Bechtel on January 31 when Plymouth once again faces the Maples in dual-meet action. He will bump into Reest in the state meet at the season's end. Despite Brandell's times of 2:04.5 and 2:02.9, swimming coach John McFall states that his freestyle ace has yet to reach top form.

Next action for the local swimmers will be on January 3 when Dearborn pays the Rocks a visit.

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NATURALLY, with their team winning easily and still unbeaten for the season, the Plymouth cheerleaders had a merry old time at the Belleville game.

## Cagers Boast Perfect Records

While the Plymouth high school varsity cagers have rolled to three straight victories so far, the Rocks' junior high and freshman basketball teams have done their best to keep in step.

The junior high quintet has managed two decisions in as many outings and the frosh five has also marched to a pair of basketball wins.

The junior high crew, paced by Dave Palmer, blasted Allen Park 30-16 in the inaugural December 7, and squelched Belleville 30-26 on December 14. Palmer scored 10 points in each game. Wayne Woods also tallied 10 against Belleville.

The freshman team, equally successful to date, powered its way past Allen Park 33-18 on December 7 and bowled over Belleville 32-22 a week later.

Dick Hubert provided the scoring punch against Allen Park with nine points. John Nance's 12 points did the trick against Belleville.

Thus Plymouth's winter athletic program boasts of a perfect record as the various squads take time out for the Christmas holidays. No varsity, junior high or freshman team has suffered a defeat yet.

Next competition for the varsity cagers is January 4 at Bentley. However the swimming squad resumes action January 3 when Dearborn visits the Rocks' pool.

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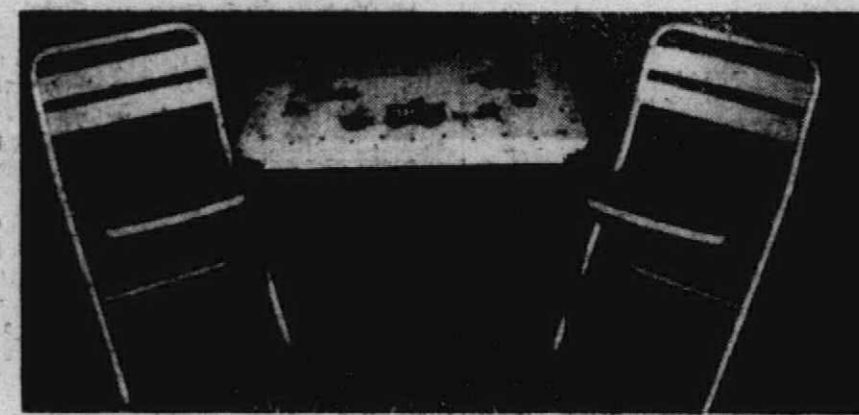
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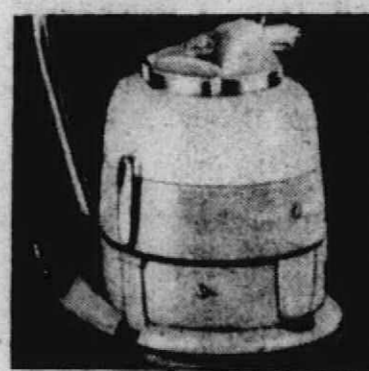
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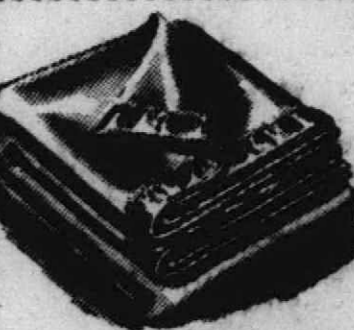
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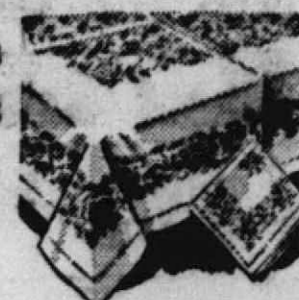
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**OUTDOOR NOTES**  
 From The  
**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION**

Michigan hunters bagged some 70,000 deer during regular and special firearm seasons in northern areas of the state this year, according to statistical estimates by Conservation Department game specialists.

In the upper and northern lower peninsulas, an estimated 58,300 deer were taken by hunters during special seasons.

In comparison with past year, the regular season buck kill was 18 percent below the 71,000 taken last year—but two percent above the 1954 buck kill. Department field personnel reported a general decrease in the number of hunters afield this year.

The largest regular season drop was recorded in the upper peninsula where hunters took an estimated 21,200 buck this year—more than 27 percent below the 29,110 bagged last fall. Another 750 whitetails were taken this year in the first "any deer" season held in the U.P. in more than 30 years.

The northern lower peninsula bag this year—37,100 bucks—was about 11 percent below the 1955 total of 41,930, but also was 11 percent above the buck kill for the region in 1954.

The decline in the buck kill this year—anticipated by Department game biologists—undoubtedly was affected by food shortages last winter when more than 36,000 deer died of starvation. At least 15,000 of these starvation victims were buck fawns and could have been legal bucks this fall, if they had lived.

Other results of the critical situation last winter were apparent to game biologists who examined thousands of deer bagged this fall. The physical condition of northern deer generally was poorer than in the 1955 season.

Biologists found a decline in antler development, both in number of points and beam diameter, in 1½-year-old bucks. Comparison of deer weights with the special season of 1952 showed that fawns taken this year in the Lake-Newaygo county area averaged almost 12 pounds less than those taken in 1952. This could indicate a threatening future for this year's fawn crop in food shortage areas because feeding experiments show that five pounds may mean the difference between life and death for fawns under critical winter conditions.

An upper peninsula resident, recently convicted of violation of state trapping laws, received an unusual penalty in a Manistique justice court. The violator, arrested by conservation officer Harold R. Peters of Seney, was required to reimburse the state for the value of the wildlife, illegally taken.

Peters apprehended the defendant in Schoolcraft county with three mink pelts and five muskrat skins—before the opening of trapping season.

After the violator pleaded guilty, Justice Edward J. Doyle asked Peters' opinion on the value of the furs. The officer estimated the total value at \$50. Justice Doyle then ordered the violator to pay the amount of restitution, plus a \$10 fine and \$7.50 in court costs.

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The early settlers in America brought many of the old European carols to this country. "Adeste Fideles", long a traditional hymn, has an unknown origin.

"Away in a Manger", Luther's hymn, came to us from Germany. "God Rest Ye, Merry Gentlemen" from England and the lovely "O, Holy Night" from France. From Austria came "Silent Night, Holy Night".

Americans too, have contributed to our rich heritage of Christmas songs. In 1849, Edmund H. Sears, a Unitarian minister, composed "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear".

"We Three Kings of Bethlehem Are" was composed by Dr. John Henry Hopkins, Jr., an Episcopalian rector.

Perhaps the best known and most beloved of all American carols, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" was written in 1868 by Phillips Brooks, a young Episcopalian minister. A trip to the Holy Land was his inspiration for the carol.

The gay holiday song, "Jingle Bells", has been popular for almost a century and was composed by another American churchman, John Pierpont.

**First Federal to Hold Christmas Party Monday**

The Plymouth branch of the First Federal Savings and Loan association will hold its annual public Christmas party at its offices on Pennington avenue on Monday, December 24, from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Featured attraction will be Santa Claus' appearance to give out presents to guests. Youngsters will receive candy canes and women will get flowers. There will be cigarettes for the men.

Perry W. Richwine, vice-president of First Federal and manager of the local branch, said that last year over 500 persons attended the party. The interior of the office has been gaily decorated in the Christmas tradition.

First Federal will be closed on Saturday, December 23, and Saturday, December 29, Richwine stated.

**American Legion News**

The Auxiliary held their regular business meeting last Thursday Night at which time they wrapped the gifts for Maybury. The gifts will be taken to Maybury, today, December 20.

Don't forget to buy your Christmas trees from the post. They are selling them at Flagg McCartney's gas station, Brush and South Main streets.

Don't forget to turn your papers into Vern Miller and Don Kinghorn. If you need them picked up contact these boys.

Remember to get your cookies ready for the visit to the VA Hospital in Ann Arbor on December 27.

Notice Change: The next 17th District Meeting will be held January 11 at Redford Detroit. More on this later.

Plans for a pilgrimage to the war cemeteries in Europe are being made by The American Legion and Auxiliary, Mrs. Melva Gardner, president of Passage Gayle Auxiliary Unit, has been informed. The pilgrimage, open to members of both organizations in Atlantic City, New Jersey, September 16-19, world conditions permitting. Similar pilgrimages were made by Legionnaires and Auxiliary members in 1927, 1937 and 1947.

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# Who's New in Plymouth



**NEW RESIDENTS** in Plymouth since last June are Dr. and Mrs. H. Dawson, 445 Parkview, shown here with their two daughters, Sandra Lee, 3, (left) and Cheryl Lee, 2. A veterinarian, Dr. Dawson is a recent Michigan State University graduate, presently associated with Parkway Veterinary clinic, 41395 Wilcox road. Photography is one of the couple's favorite hobbies. Mrs. Dawson also plays the piano. Both are originally from Detroit.

## Santa with Suit Ready to Travel

Are you in the market for a Santa Claus this Christmas eve? One to step right into your home and pass out the presents to the little folks.

Bill Farwell, 169 Adams street, is offering his services as a Santa-free of charge - complete with long flowing white beard and hearty laugh. This Christmas eve will be Farwell's fourth as a door-to-door Santa.

He does it just for the kick he gets out of seeing little children's faces light up at his appearance. He spends about four or five hours on Christmas eve stopping at Plymouth homes and playing Santa.

Farwell, 23, schedules his stops about 15 minutes apart. His brother, Dick, drives him to each of his engagements. Parents are told to leave presents on the doorstep with the porch light on a few minutes before Bill is due.

He tromps up to the door, gathers up the gifts and, after a knock, hales the family and the youngsters. His red uniform and black boots lets each tot know in an instant who he is. Santa's phone number in this case is 352-W.

In the off season Farwell is a salesman for a sporting goods company. He's looking for orders as Santa now, though.

## Grange Cleanings

Merry Christmas! Everybody. Hope we have a good crowd out tonight to give each other the greetings of the season. We shall not meet again until 1957. Come and help enjoy the Christmas tree, the Santa Claus and the program which will be, of course, relative to Christmas.

Be sure to mark on your calendar the date of January 19. That is Grange Fun Night and we hope there will be a good crowd, you can play cards, dance or eat, also visit with your friends so let's have a fine attendance.

Blue Cross time again so please send or bring your money to the B. C. Secretary by Christmas. It is too bad that it comes just at this time but that is the way it happens so we must pay or else.

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## Origin of 'Silent Night'

The story is told that over a hundred years ago a parish priest in Salsburg, Austria, returning late one night from administering last rites to a dying woman, was awed by the particular majesty of the still, sparkled-with-stars night, went home to write the lovely, haunting words of "Silent Night, Holy Night."

With his organist, Franz Gruber, playing the great music on guitar, the Father Joseph Mohr, first introduced the hallowed strains of this most popular hymn to a small congregation in Austria.

The Puritan Government banned the celebration of Christmas in England in 1643 in an attempt to do away with all forms of frivolity.

## NEW BOOKS At The Wayne County



Plymouth branch, Wayne County library added the nation's top best seller, "Peyton Place" by Grace Metalious, to its collection this week plus five others on the best-selling list. They are: "The Tribe That Lost Its Head" by Nicholas Monsarrat, Paul I. Wellman's "Jericho's Daughters," "The Loving Couple" by Virginia Rowans, F. Van Wyck Mason's "Our Valiant Few" and "The Life of the Party" by Bennett Cerf.

Other new editions were "The Best Plays of 1955-56" edited by Louis Kronenberger, Edward C. Colin's "Elements of Genetics," "Without Regret" by novelist F. Kenyon, George M. Chute's "Electronics in Industry," "Forward, Gunner Asch," by Hans H. Kirst; John A. Timm's "General Chemistry," "Bite the Hand" by Ruth Fenison, Frank O'Rourke's western, "The Diamond Hitch," "The Case of the Gilded Lily" by Eric S. Gardner, Vernon Fox's "Violence Behind Bars," and Angela Thirkell's "Never Too Late."

Other additions were Jeanne Judson's "Nancy Ross, Private Secretary," "Roll the Red Wagons," story of volunteer fire service by Charles S. Strong, Ed-

mund Wilson's "The Scrolls from the Dead Sea," "Mrs. Wappinger's Secret" by Florence Hightower; Jeanette and Francis Letton's "The Robsart Affair," Robert C. Goldston's "The Eight Day," "The House Next Door," mystery by Lionel White, John A. Leland's historical novel, "Othneil Jones." The new shipment also included Helen T. Miller's "Sing One Song," "The Long Watch" by novelist Elizabeth Linington, Louis L'Amour's "Silver Canyon," "Nurse Kathy" by Adeline McElfresh, Charles Dunscomb's novel, "Behold We Live," "The Rival Shores" by A. R. Beverley-Giddings;

Eric's Ambler's "State of Siege," "How to Select and Use Your Tape Recorder" by David Mark, Ann Ritner's "Summer Brings Gifts," "The Hope of Refuge" by Sikes Johnson and Hammond Innes' sea tale, "The Wreck of the Mary Deare."

Concluding the new shipment were a copy of Hank Ketcham's "Dennis the Menace Rides Again," "China and Soviet Russia" by Henry Wei, Clyde Ormond's "Hunting Our Biggest Game," Lester B. Pearson's "Democracy in World Politics," "Christmas," American annual of Christmas literature and art,

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, December 20  
American Ass'n. of University Women  
8 p.m. Member's Home  
Plymouth Grange No. 389  
8 p.m. Grange Hall  
Knights of Pythias  
8 p.m. I.O.O.F. Hall  
Lions Club  
6:30 p.m. Mayflower Hotel  
Friday, December 21  
Plymouth Rock Lodge  
No. 47, F & AM  
7:30 p.m. Masonic Temple  
Rotary  
12:15 p.m. Mayflower Hotel

PEO Sisterhood  
7:30 p.m. Member's Home  
Monday, December 24  
None scheduled  
Tuesday, December 25  
Christmas  
Wednesday, December 26  
BPO Elks  
8:30 p.m. Elks Temple  
Hi-12  
6:30 p.m. Arbor-Lill  
Thursday, December 27  
Passage-Gayde Post Auxiliary  
8 p.m. Memorial Bldg.



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## Favorite Recipes From Plymouth's Kitchens



Shown with part of their 1500 cookie assortment made as an annual Christmas project are Mrs. Chester Keller of Five Mile, left, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Paul Keller of Sunset, right. Tasters are the latter's daughters, Cathleen, Paulette and Jeanne.

### Culinary Partnership Shares Yule Specialty

Shortly before Christmas each year, Mrs. Chester Keller of Five Mile road and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Paul Keller of Sunset, stage a weekend get-together for a mammoth cookie-making project. Their 14th such venture, held recently at the Paul Keller home, produced some 1500 treats of 16 different varieties which are destined for relatives all over the U.S. as well as friends and acquaintances at the culinary artists' homes.

The cookie assortment ranges from cut-outs, filled, toll house and peanut butter types down to the "Minceat Swirls" and "Oatmeal Chews" the Kellers share with Mail readers this week. Recipe for the latter specialties you'll find below:

#### Minceat Swirls

Filling:  
1 1/4 cups dates, cut in pieces  
1/2 cup sugar  
1/2 cup water  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1/4 cup chopped nuts

#### Dough:

1 cup vegetable shortening  
1 1/2 teaspoons grated orange rind  
1/4 teaspoon grated lemon rind  
1 1/2 teaspoon salt  
2 cups brown sugar, firmly packed  
2 eggs  
3 3/4 cups sifted flour  
1 1/2 teaspoons soda  
2 tablespoons milk

Cook dates, sugar, water until thickened, stirring constantly. Remove from fire and add lemon juice and nuts. Cool, meanwhile making cookie dough.

Combine shortening, fruit rinds, salt, brown sugar and eggs. Beat thoroughly. Sift flour with soda. Add flour mixture and milk alternately, mixing thoroughly. Divide dough in half, roll out about 1/4 inch thick. Spread thin layer of date filling over dough. Roll like jelly roll. Chill in refrigerator overnight or until firm enough to slice. Cut in 1/4 inch slices and place on greased baking sheet. Bake in moderately hot

oven, 375 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes. Makes about 5 1/2 dozen.

#### Oatmeal Chews

1 cup sugar  
1/4 cup butter or margarine  
2 well-beaten eggs  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
2 cups rolled oats (quick)  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
3/4 teaspoon salt  
1/2 cup flour  
1 cup gum drop pieces  
1/2 cup nutmeats

Cream sugar and butter, add eggs and vanilla extract. Blend thoroughly. Combine oats, baking powder, salt and flour. Add to creamed mixture. Mix well. Add nutmeats and gumdrops. Drop by teaspoon 2 or 3 inches apart on greased baking sheet. Bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees) about 10 minutes. Remove from pan at once to prevent breaking. Makes 3 or 4 dozen cookies.

## Devout, Gay Yuletide Customs Emanate from Many Lands

Every Christmas children and grown-ups alike look forward to giving and receiving gifts. In Scandinavian countries, gifts are given to the children by a Santa who rides on a goat instead of a reindeer. He is accompanied by elves who distribute the gifts. Bowls of porridge are left on the door-way for the elves.

The thought is the same today to express love and goodwill but the bearer of these gifts differs from country to country. American children look forward to Santa Claus, plump and jolly, dressed in traditional red and white, with a snowy white beard. He carries his gifts in a pack on his back and is drawn in a sleigh by eight reindeer.

Santa Claus is supposed to come down the chimney and fill the stockings, hung by the fireplace, with little gifts and heap presents under the Christmas tree.

Children in many Latin American countries are in for a double treat. There are two dates for giving gifts to children. January 6 is called Kings' Day. Children leave their shoes outside and the Three Wise Men fill them with presents. The other gift-giving date is Christmas Eve or morn.

U. S. customs have been creeping into the Latin American's holiday season, particularly in countries close to the States.

Costa Ricans, Cubans and Guatemalans are among those who now have Christmas trees.

In Norway, the birds are remembered with gifts of suet and choice sheaves of grain tied to trees; extra fodder is provided for the cattle.

Father Star listens to the children's prayers and catechism in Poland. If they have been good, Mother Star who is dressed like an angel in a white robe and veil distributes the gifts.

Swiss children also await a radiant angel who rides in a sleigh drawn by six reindeer.

English children also wait for Santa Claus, who looks very much like our American Santa Claus. They find their gifts tied to, and under a Christmas tree.

Dutch children wait for St. Nicholas who is dressed in traditional bishop's robes of black and carries a crozier and wears a miter. He brings gifts for the children and places them in their wooden shoes.

When the Dutch settled in the American colonies, they brought with them the tradition of St. Nicholas of "santeklas" as he was called. From the lean, rather stern St. Nicholas came our jolly Santa Claus.

Italian children receive their gifts from "La Befana", a good fairy, who carries a broom. "Baboushka" goes from house

to house in search of the Christ Child in old Russia.

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The Christmas tree has its origin in the 8th century when St. Boniface, English missionary to Germany, replaced the sacrifices to Odin's sacred oak by a fir tree decorated in tribute to the Christ Child.

Among the garments you would press from the wrong side, include the embossed and quilted fabrics. Press them from the wrong side and over a thick padding... such as turkish towel. You will need to do very little pressing if you allow garments of these fabrics to drip dry.

# The PLYMOUTH MAIL

Thursday, December 20, 1956, Plymouth, Michigan

Section 4

### Realtors Attend State Association Inauguration

A delegation from the Western Wayne County Board of Realtors, which includes Plymouth, attended the inauguration of the 1957 officers of the Michigan Real Estate association held December 12 in the ballroom of the Hotel Olds in Lansing.

President-elect John McFarlane of the Western Wayne County Board of realtors headed the local delegation.

### Nothing New

The natives of India were using shellac to protect the surfaces of their temples and homes long before Julius Caesar and his legions started tramping around Gaul.

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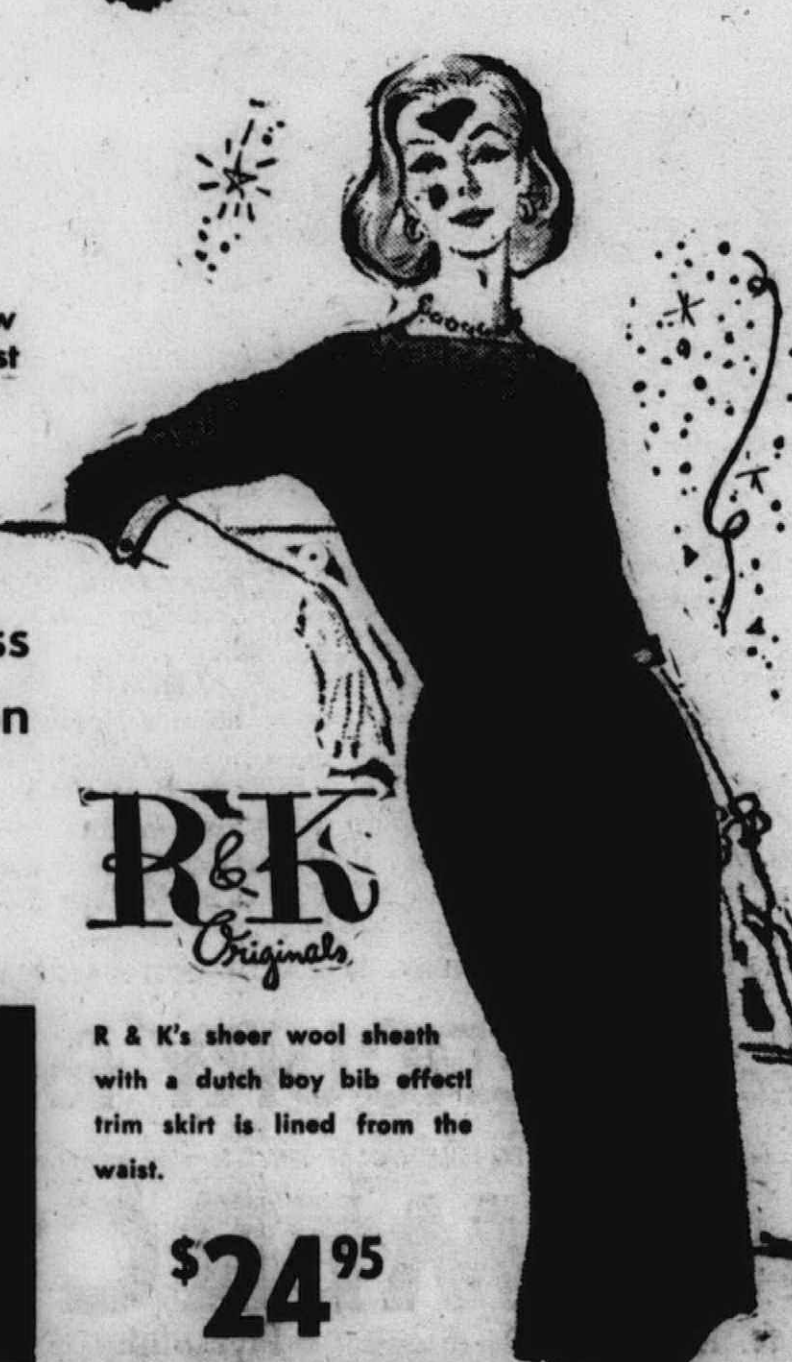
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## Upstairs — Downstairs ALL AROUND THE HOME

### 'Spud' Printing Keeps Kiddies Occupied During Holidays

Potato printing is a craft that will keep children busy during the holiday season. Equipment needed is a potato, dull knife, some tempera paint, paper, a flat brush and some absorbent paper toweling.

First cut the potato in half widthwise, then blot the cut surface on absorbent paper toweling. The secret to success in doing potato prints is to remove as much moisture as possible from the potato before applying paint.

Next, use a variety of tools such as a dull knife, a spoon, an ice pick, or a pencil to make a design on the cut surface of the potato. The design can be abstract or real. Once you have your design on the potato, dip your brush into some paint and apply the paint to the cut surface of the potato. With sufficient paint on the design (it doesn't require too much) merely blot the painted potato surface on a piece of paper. The design

comes out better if you press to some extent. Continue this same process until you have the sheet of paper filled or you wish to change designs.

To switch the color of your design, rinse off the paint from the potato with water and blot the potato on some absorbent toweling. Then apply the other color of paint.

Potato prints can be used on fabrics as well as on paper. To apply them to fabrics you must use textile paint plus extender. First, wash and iron your material. Next, use one-half the amount of extender as you use paint. Follow the same process as you did using paper. Allow the paint to dry 24 hours and then iron the fabric.

Advance planning of every detail is the secret of a smoothly successful Yuletide party.

### SPARKLING SALADS

Sparkling, shimmering gelatin salads will add a festive touch to your family's Christmas dinner. Chill them in star shaped molds or paper cone cups to resemble pine trees—and they'll be particularly attractive.

**Cranberry Shimmer**

1 pound cranberries  
2 large apples, cored, but not peeled  
1 large orange, washed, but with skin on  
2 cups sugar  
1/2 cup nut meats  
1/2 cup white seedless grapes, cut in halves  
2 packages (3 ounces each) lemon flavored gelatin  
1 cup hot water

Put cranberries, apples and orange through food grinder (coarse attachment). Add sugar and stir until dissolved. Add nut meats and grapes. Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Add to cranberry mixture, place

in individual star molds and chill until firm. To serve, unmold on crisp salad greens.

Yield: Ten to twelve salads.

Without the gelatin and hot water, the cranberry mixture may be served as a relish.

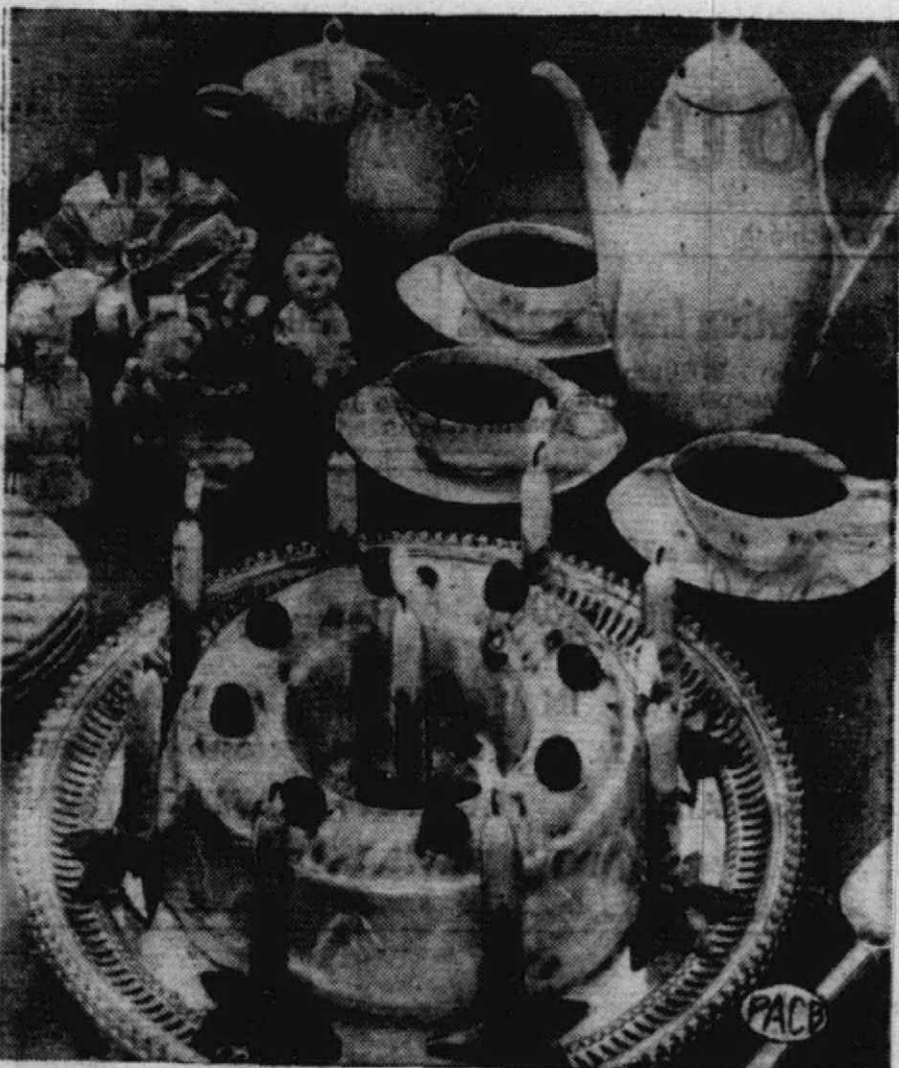
### Tables Take On Festive Air

A glamorously set table is one of the most effective ways of adding to the festive atmosphere in holiday entertaining.

It doesn't matter whether the gathering is a small dinner party for family and close friends or a holiday open house for a large number of guests, the table setting allows a woman to indulge her flair for elegance. And most women enjoy a sense of pride and satisfaction from this chance to display their best table cloth, gleaming glassware and polished silver.

Don't be afraid to try new ideas in table decorating. A change of pace in color or a daringly new background material for your centerpiece can be an inspiration for your party.

For buffet entertaining, let your chafing dish, plates and glasses tell the story. A too fancy centerpiece on a buffet table will distract from the convenience and informality of your buffet supper.



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## Here's Regal Dessert For Christmas Day

The holiday season brings forth the best of spirits, the warmest hospitality, and, naturally, the best in food. When it comes to festive fare, the Christmas dessert should be the gayest and best of all. One such dessert is our elegant Christmas Cream, a beautiful white molded ring filled with all sorts of colorful candied fruits.

Christmas Cream, garnished with cherries and surrounded with glowing tapers, is really a centerpiece in itself. But, in addition, the cream should go down in recipe files as a wonderful dessert experience. It combines a number of our favorite Christmas ingredients in a new and delicious gelatin ring which takes a minimum of time and trouble to make.

If you have a busy holiday schedule, but still want to turn out your culinary best, you can easily make this regal Christmas Cream ahead of time. It is a perfect light dessert to go with fragrant coffee after a gala meal. It can also be served at coffee-hour

when friends drop in for a holiday visit. Coffee and Christmas Cream, you can be sure, will spell out a truly festive welcome for your guests.

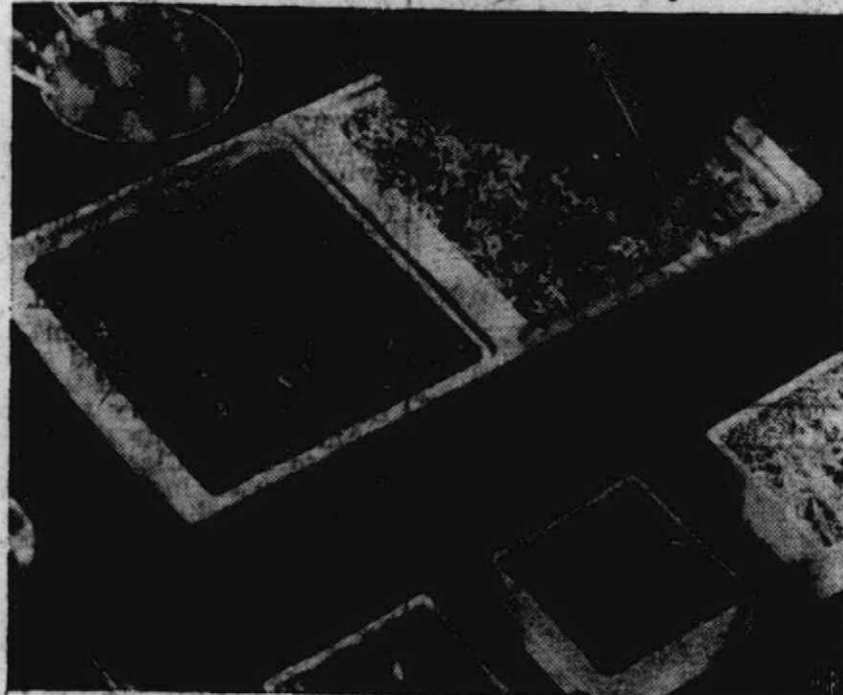
**CHRISTMAS CREAM**

1 cup milk  
1 envelope unflavored gelatin  
1/4 cup cold water  
2 tablespoons sugar  
few grains salt  
2 egg whites  
1/4 cup sugar  
1 cup heavy cream, whipped  
1 teaspoon rum flavoring  
1/2 cup quartered candied cherries  
1/2 cup chopped candied citron  
1/4 Maraschino cherries

Scald milk. Soften gelatin in cold water and dissolve in hot milk. Add 2 tablespoons sugar and salt and stir to dissolve. Chill until small amount mounds when dropped from spoon. Beat egg whites until they form moist peaks. Add 1/4 cup sugar slowly, continuing to beat until stiff. Fold egg white mixture, whipped cream and flavoring into gelatin mixture. Fold in candied cherries and citron. Spoon into 1-quart ring mold. Chill until firm. Unmold on large serving plate. Garnish top with well-drained Maraschino cherries. Makes 8 servings.

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### Wonderful Lamb Curry



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**LAMB CURRY**  
(Yield: about 2 quarts)

6 tablespoons butter  
1 garlic clove, crushed  
1/2 cup chopped onion  
1/2 cup chopped celery  
1 apple, peeled, sliced thin  
2 teaspoons curry powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
6 tablespoons flour

1 quart lamb broth or chicken stock made by dissolving 4 chicken bouillon cubes in 1 quart of boiling water  
1 medium banana, sliced (optional)  
1/2 cup chutney  
4 cups cubed (3/4-inch cubes or pieces) boiled lamb shoulder

Melt butter in large skillet or saucepan. Add garlic, onion and celery. Cook slowly, until onion is lightly browned. Add apple, curry powder, salt, and flour. Mix well and cook a few minutes. Add stock gradually, stirring constantly. Cook until thickened. Add banana, chutney, and lamb. Mix well; serve hot over steamed rice or pilaf.

To use up a small amount of leftover roast lamb, you'll like this Quick Curry Sauce. Add 1/3 cup seedless raisins to 1/2 cup water and bring to a boil. Simmer about 5 minutes to plump raisins. Stir in 1 can condensed cream of chicken soup and 1/2 to 1 teaspoon curry powder. Add lamb and heat thoroughly. Makes 1 1/2 cups sauce.

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## Orange Muffins Score Holiday Breakfast Hit

Sundays and holidays are a time to enjoy a breakfast that is a breakfast! Christmas morning is such a time. Suggested is a special but not necessarily a heavy breakfast on this day. Here's a menu idea:

Orange-Grapefruit Cup  
Pork Sausage Links  
Bacon Curis  
Scrambled Eggs  
Quick Orange Muffins  
Coffee Milk

Cook the sausage links slowly in a small amount of water in a covered pan 8 to 10 minutes. Then remove the cover and brown the links thoroughly. For the delicious muffins, remember to use lard for the delicate and light texture you enjoy in all your baked products.

**Quick Orange Muffins**  
2 cups sifted enriched flour  
1 tablespoon baking powder  
1/2 cup sugar  
3/4 teaspoon salt  
4 to 6 tablespoons lard  
2 tablespoons grated orange rind  
1 egg, beaten  
1/2 cup orange juice

Grease 12 medium-sized muffin cups. Sift together flour, baking powder, sugar and salt. Cut in lard until mixture has a fine even crumb. Add grated orange rind. Combine beaten egg and orange juice and add to dry ingredients, stirring until flour is moistened. Fill muffin cups 2/3 full. Bake in a moderately hot oven (425° F.) 15 to 20 minutes. Yield: 12 medium-size muffins.

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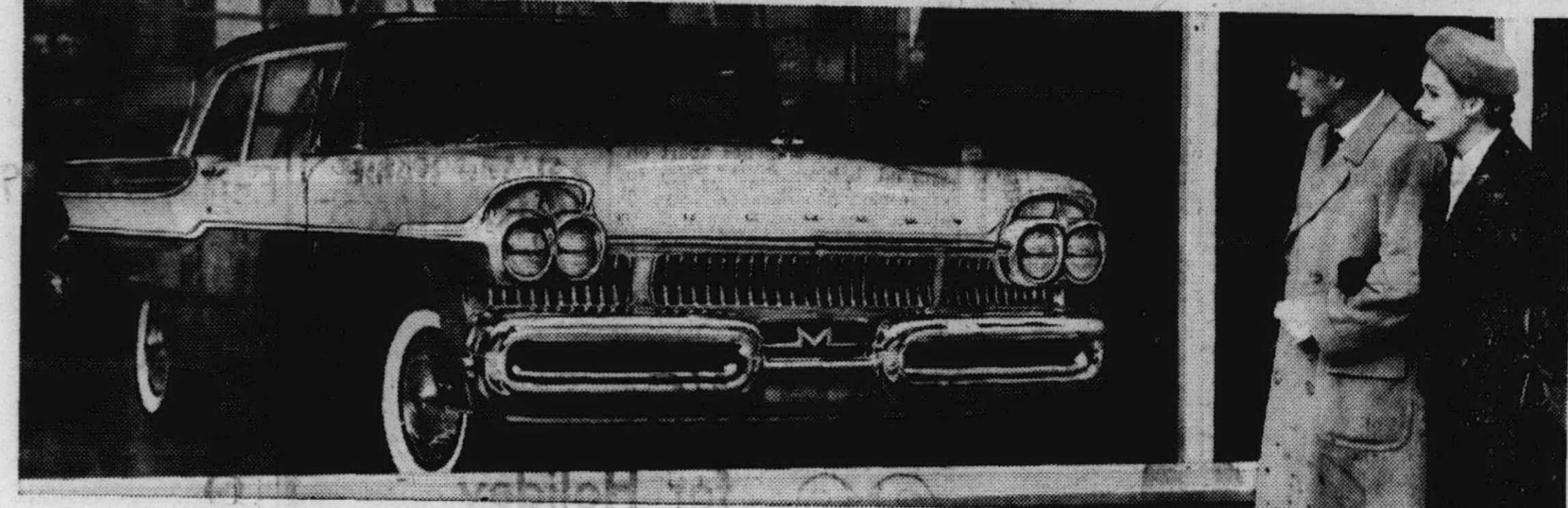
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# Home Design Trends May Mean Two Furnaces

America's home buyers—already accustomed to two-car garages for convenience—must now think in terms of two-furnace houses for comfort, a heating industry spokesman said recently.

C. W. Nessel told the National Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Association that one out of every five homes built in 1957 will have design features requiring the use of two or more furnaces, air conditioning plants, or zone systems of temperature control.

Nessel, a heating consultant, reported to the association's annual convention on surveys recently completed by his company and the association's field investigation committee, of which he is chairman.

"The high cost of land and the need for larger houses to accommodate larger families have brought about a reversal of the spread-out trend in home design," Nessel said.

"The houses today, in many cases, are going back to plans utilizing two or more levels but they are not returning to the square box styles. Instead, they are being built for basement occupancy, in split-level styles, with rooms over garages, and in some instances with rooms projecting out over a patio or carport, or unexcavated portions of the house."

These styles, he added, create new comfort problems, with the heating and cooling requirements for some rooms or areas of the house being different from those in other areas. Design characteristics that add to the problem include greater roof, wall and floor

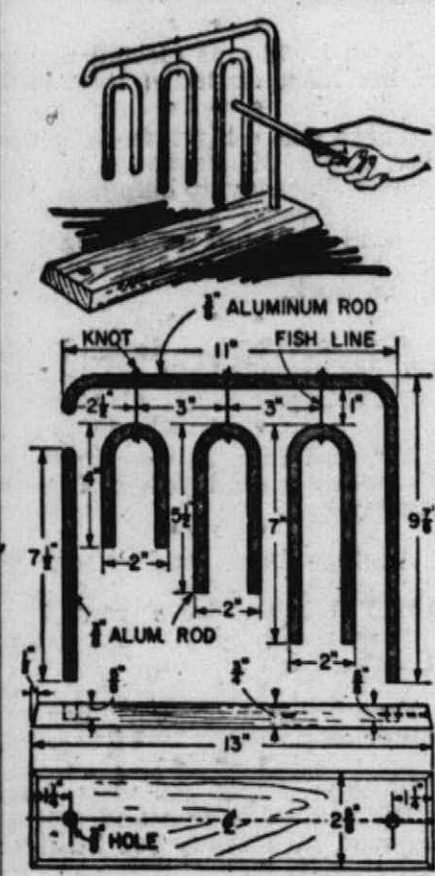
exposure; glass exposure; open arrangements which permit easier flow of air at different temperatures between rooms; living space in basements or above unheated garages or carports, and separate area for each family activity such as sleeping, living and recreation.

"The solution to these comfort problems," Nessel said, "is to treat the house as two or more units and install two or more furnaces, air conditioning systems, or zone thermostat controls so one comfort system can be operated at two."

He estimated that this represents a potential market of 200,000 additional comfort units for homes to be built in 1957.

## Dinner Chime Gift Easily Made From Aluminum Rod

You will be amazed at the clear ringing tones obtained from striking these decorative chimes. The chimes, arch and striker are made from one 3/8" aluminum rod cut in various lengths and bent to shape. The striker, when not in use, fits into the base to complete the arch. Make the base from mahogany or redwood, finish in natural tones.



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Saw chimes to their approximate flat length, two times the height plus 2". Clamp one end in the vise close to the bend, being careful not to mar the rod. Slip a short length of pipe over the rod for added leverage in bending. After bending, trim legs to the proper length and drill hole for hanging.

Bend the arch to form a complete "U" and cut one leg for the striker. Drill holes for the fish line to hang chimes.

Fit arch into hole in base and secure by drilling base and rod for a 3/8" finishing nail. Finally use fish line to hang chimes and place striker in base.

# Timely Care Raises Home Resale Value

Compared with home-owners of a generation ago, current house-holders are "nomads."

Families today don't settle down on homesteads and stay put. They move frequently. The Federal Reserve Board, recently found that almost half of the non-farm families that own their homes had been there for fewer than five years.

Another study disclosed that almost half the houses built last year were constructed for families that already owned homes at the time they were arranging to buy new ones.

This way of living puts a premium on keeping a house in good condition in order to maintain a high resale value. Well-designed, soundly constructed house deteriorates very little if it is well taken care of.

The secret is making repairs as they are needed. This not only spreads the cost over a longer period of time, but it prevents the added expense that often results from neglect.

For example, prompt attention should be given a leaking roof. Water seepage can raise havoc with walls and ceilings.

When a roof leaks in one spot, the rest of it should be held suspect. Various parts of a roof wear out at about the same rate. When a leak occurs in a weathered roof, a complete asphalt shingle reroofing job is warranted.

In addition to making a roof watertight, application of a new roof over the old one offers another benefit in terms of resale value. Asphalt shingles today offer a wide variety of colors in attractive dark tones or new, exciting pastels. Putting on a new roof, consequently, presents the opportunity of modernizing a house in appearance, thus making it more desirable in the current market.

Frequent exterior painting is another maintenance habit that pays rich dividends. Four or five years is generally considered the maximum interval between paint jobs. Special emphasis should be given to the exterior trim, particularly panel doors, ponderosa pine windows, and shutters. The highlights of exterior decoration, they are often taken as clue to the care a house has been given. Well-cared-for exterior millwork gives a house a brightness and freshness that a last-minute decorating job can never supply.

## Handy Jim's FIX-UP TIPS For the Home

### Closet for Linens

DRAWERS built into an ordinary closet to make of it a handy linen closet are a feature of the plan illustrated. Under the shelves is room for a tank type vacuum cleaner, adjacent to which is a portable clothes hamper.



Build the drawers according to standard construction methods, with snag-proof bottoms of 3/16" Preswood. They ride easily on hardwood drawer slides.

The hamper has a spring hinged door. The bottom and front are made of Masonite "Peg-Board" panels, which provide ventilation.

For complete instructions on converting a common closet into linen storage space, write for free plan No. AE-278 to Home Service Bureau, Suite 2037, 111 West Washington St., Chicago 2, Ill.

Freedom is a gift from the past but it is not at all certain that it will be a legacy to the future.

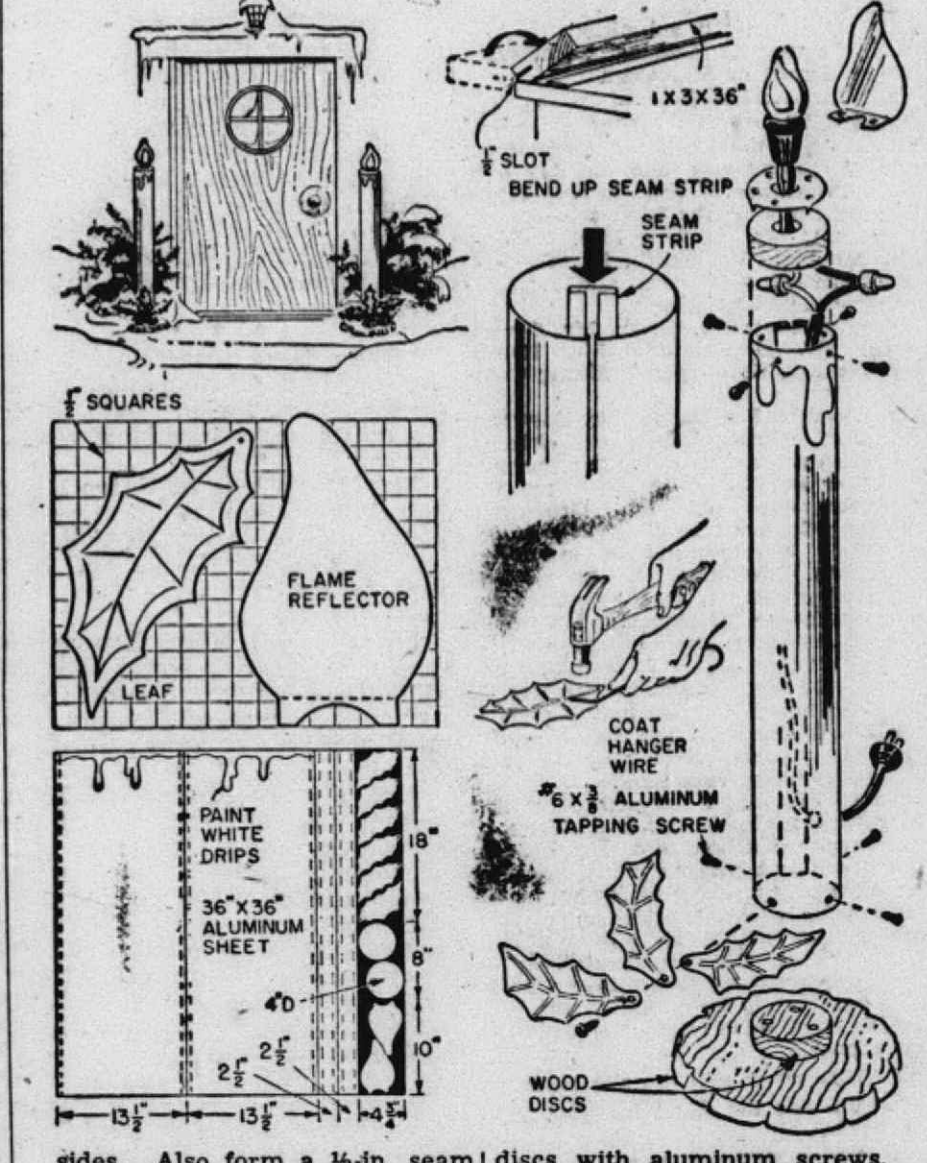
When athletics become more important than studies, the tail is running away with the dog.

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## Outdoor Candles Light Up Home at Christmas Time

Large candles alongside a doorway or as part of a lawn display add a welcome note to holiday decorations. These candles are large, 3 feet tall and 4 inches in diameter. When you make them from Do-It-Yourself aluminum, that won't rust, you can use them year after year.

Cut all the parts for two candles from one 36x36-in. sheet of plain aluminum following cutting diagram. Form seam strips from the 2 1/2 in. strips by folding edges with slotted board along both



sides. Also form a 1/2-in. seam along both edges of cylinder pieces.

Roll up the cylinders over a cardboard mailing tube. Cut 4-in. dia. discs and the irregular base from 3/4-in. exterior-grade plywood.

Begin assembly by sliding the seam strips over the cylinders. Screw bottom disc to base. Thread electric cord through bottom hole at rear, and through top wood and aluminum discs. Splice bulb socket leads at top. Screw cylinder to top and bottom discs with aluminum screws.

From squared pattern, enlarge leaf and flame reflector. Cut them from aluminum sheet. Crimp flame reflector by hand and screw it behind bulb. With bent coat hanger wire, hammer vents into hole leaves. Paint leaves green and drip around top edge while using model airplane enamel. Wire pine cones and berries to base along with aluminum leaves.

Reynolds Do-It-Yourself aluminum is available at local hardware and lumber dealers.

## Enjoy Your Tree Year Around

Perhaps you've toyed with the idea of buying a live Christmas tree for several years, then at the last minute dashed to the nearest lot selling cut Christmas trees.

If you have a garden, by all means consider buying an evergreen that you can plant after Christmas.

Your tree will be delivered with a burlap-wrapped ball of earth around the roots and will be in a wooden tub about 14 inches high.

After Christmas, the tree should be planted in a hole approximately 20 inches deep and 18 inches in diameter. Be sure to plant your tree in an uncongested area to allow plenty of room for future growth.

In planting, do not remove the burlap from the roots. Place the tree in an upright position and fill the hole with watered peat moss and dirt, packing it down firmly for a permanent base.

## Scrap Company Installs Big Scale

If you've got something really heavy that you want weighed the place to take it is the Plymouth Iron & Metal company, located at 40251 Schoolcraft, between Eckles and Haggerty roads.

Their new scale will weigh anything up to 100,000 pounds (that's 50 tons) and is the largest truck-trailer scale in the area.

Measuring 50 feet long, the scale is an authorized state scale that can be used in determining license fees. It is open for public general use.

Made by the Buffalo Scale company, it was sold by E. J. Carrol of Northville.

The Plymouth Iron & Metal company purchases and processes industrial and general obsolescent scrap for mill consumption. Plants are served by trucks and trailers and a 20-ton mobile magnet equipped truck crane. The yard also has shears, torching operations, a 30-ton railroad locomotive crane and a five-car railroad siding.

Management consists of Jack Seskin, owner; Raymond Colbert, yard and field superintendent; Seymour Peiss, office manager; and Sanford Seskin, dispatcher.

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A winter's supply of fire wood is an investment worth a little consideration. Lester Bell, of the Michigan State University forestry department, offers a few pointers on its purchase.

Apple wood is one of the finest fireplace woods. It holds well in the fireplace and gives a lot of heat. Apple wood also has a very pleasant aroma.

If you like a crackling fire, white birch is what you need. Elm and aspen are rather poor burning woods, but oak is highly desirable.

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# SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

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The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education of the Plymouth Community School District was held in the home-making room of the high school on Monday, November 12, 1956.

Present: Mr. Fischer, Mrs. Hulsing, Mr. Stecker, Administrator, Assistant Blunk and Superintendent Blunk.

Absent: Mr. Mitchell.

Also present: Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Meredith, Mr. Henshaw, Mr. Stahl, Mrs. Miller.

President Fischer called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.

Mr. Baker, speaking for a group of citizens in the West Plymouth Rural Area, urged the Board to establish a policy of radial zoning for the elementary school attendance areas. He presented for consideration a petition signed by ninety-one residents of the area. The petition requested that a zone line be established between Bird and Smith Schools, extending from Elm Street in the City of Plymouth, westward through the intersection of Ann Arbor Trail and U.S. 12, thence westward 1/2 mile south of Powell Road to the west limit of the school district. Attached to the petition were the following statements recommended as policy for the Board to consider:

1. Rural residents of a consolidated school system have a right to occupy the school which is directly in line between their home and the central high school of the district, in order that they may approximate the advantages of urban population in a universal school system.
2. Permanent zoning which forces daily transportation of children by loaded buses across main trunk line highways is unnecessary in this instance, and imposes a major measure of responsibility upon school authorities who insist upon this procedure against the concerted objections of the parents.
3. Growth of population in any area should shorten, not double the distance which rural pupils must travel to school.
4. Opening of the new Gallimore School in February 1957 immediately relieves Allen and Smith Schools of congestion and provides for growth south of the center of the city. It is the responsibility of the Board of Education and of the School Administration to plan the new construction for 1958 to relieve both Starkweather and Bird Schools and provide for the separation of zone lines can not be made. In this case it is proposed that the center of US-12 be established as the north boundary of Gallimore school, immediate relief to the four other school districts would be provided out any pupil being obligated to cross the main trunk line highway in any manner.
5. Temporary adjustment of school population should be effected by moving an entire grade to the adjacent school for class room work only, retaining the basic zoning intact in case legitimate and agreeable relocation of separating zone line can not be made. In this case it is proposed that the center of US-12 be established as the north boundary of Gallimore school, immediate relief to the four other school districts would be provided out any pupil being obligated to cross the main trunk line highway in any manner.

President Fischer pointed out that a public hearing on the proposed elementary attendance areas will be held on Monday, November 19. He invited the group to be present.

Bids for food laboratory cabinets and sinks for the new junior high school were opened and read as follows:

- Peninsular State Company, Cabinets, Stainless Steel \$4,175.
- Alternate—If enamel finish is substituted for natural finish, deduct from base bid \$300.
- Disposition is added, add \$180.
- W. D. Glardon Company Wood, Cabinets, Stainless Steel \$4,250.
- Alternate—If General Electric Disposal is added, add \$180.
- W. D. Glardon Company Metal, Cabinets, Stainless Steel \$4,600.
- Alternate—If General Electric Disposal is added, add \$180.
- Olesby Equipment Company Metal Cabinets, Stainless Steel \$5,264.

Mr. Blunk was instructed to study the bids and make a recommendation.

Mr. Dunlap discussed with the Board a plan to use a hard surface back drop in the gymnasium for musical concerts. He recommended that there be a series of panels hung on one end and suspended from the steel trusses near the ceiling while the other end could be raised or lowered by means of ropes and pulleys. When not in use the panels would be pulled up so as not to interfere with the athletic program.

After considerable discussion as to the location of these panels so as to make the maximum use of available bleachers, it was moved by Mr. Stecker and seconded by Mrs. Hulsing that the recommendation as presented by Mr. Dunlap be investigated by the architect and the director of athletics with the suggestion that the sound reflection panels be located at the end of the gymnasium if feasible. If it is not feasible they are to be located at one side.

Ayes: Mr. Fischer, Mrs. Hulsing, and Mr. Stecker.

Nays: Mr. Smith.

Mr. Blunk noted the need for additional bleachers at the football field. He was instructed to prepare a plan, estimate the cost of installing 2,000 permanent bleachers and report his findings.

Bus specifications were discussed. Mr. Blunk and Mr. Houghton will review with the Board the specifications before further bids are taken on buses.

It was moved by Mr. Stecker and seconded by Mrs. Hulsing to approve the minutes of the last regular intervening special meeting as corrected.

Ayes: Mr. Fischer, Mrs. Hulsing, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Stecker.

Nays: None.

It was moved by Mrs. Hulsing and seconded by Mr. Smith to approve for payment the following bills:

- Vouchers 9648, 9649, 9650, Payroll, October 12, 26, November 9, 1956 \$187,283.32
- Vouchers 9651 through 9645 28,070.75 Building and Site Fund, 281 through 289 175,602.34

Ayes: Mr. Fischer, Mrs. Hulsing, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Stecker.

Nays: None.

Superintendent Isbister was appointed the discussion leader for the public hearing scheduled for Monday evening, November 19, in the high school auditorium.

Meeting adjourned 11:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Esther L. Hulsing, Secretary

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Present: Mr. Fischer, Mrs. Hulsing, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Stecker; Administrators Mr. Blunk and Mr. Isbister.

Also present, approximately 125 citizens.

Acting Chairman Superintendent Isbister called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.

He pointed out that the purpose of the meeting was to provide an opportunity for citizens to express their opinions in regard to the proposed changes in attendance areas for the elementary schools. He noted that the Board had under consideration a plan recommended by a special study committee appointed for this purpose. This plan was interpreted through the use of maps.

The meeting was then opened to a general discussion. Various opinions, both favorable and unfavorable, were voiced.

Mr. Baker spoke in favor of a system which would include both city and rural areas. He pointed out that the plan proposed would be seriously considered.

Mr. Honey presented a petition signed by one hundred and thirty-nine residents of the area east of the middle of Blunk Street and north of the middle of Church Street whose children were transferred to the Starkweather School in September, 1956. This petition requesting the Board to not change the zoning in the Bird School, pointed to the hazard to children crossing the railroad and the main arteries of traffic.

After a number of reactions to the proposals were noted the public hearing adjourned in a friendly atmosphere at 9:20 p.m.

The Board agreed to meet again in special session on Monday, December 3, 1956. At that time a motion will be taken on the plan for changes in the attendance areas.

Mr. Greenspan will be invited to bring to this meeting his proposal for the school site in Northeast Plymouth Township.

The Board recessed and assembled again in the City Commission Room. A discussion followed relative to bids ordered by contractors on the sewer extension from the Gallimore School to the city sewer system, and for which the Board will assume the financial obligations. It was pointed out that the low bidder had failed to conform to a technical requirement in furnishing a fifteen hundred dollar bid bond rather than a five percent bid bond which he presented with his bid.

The Board by unanimous agreement directed the president to respectfully urge in a letter to the City Commission that it waive the bid bond requirement and award the low bidder the contract.

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Present: Mr. Fischer, Mrs. Hulsing, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Stecker; Administrators Mr. Blunk and Mr. Isbister.

Also present, approximately 125 citizens.

Acting Chairman Superintendent Isbister called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.

He pointed out that the purpose of the meeting was to provide an opportunity for citizens to express their opinions in regard to the proposed changes in attendance areas for the elementary schools. He noted that the Board had under consideration a plan recommended by a special study committee appointed for this purpose. This plan was interpreted through the use of maps.

The meeting was then opened to a general discussion. Various opinions, both favorable and unfavorable, were voiced.

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Mr. Welch submitted a letter with drawing his bid, inasmuch as it had not been previously read because of the technicality.

It was moved by Mr. Stecker, seconded by Mrs. Hulsing, to award the contract for the sanitary sewer connection of the Gallimore Elementary School to the City of Plymouth sewer system to the Boan Company, the low bidder of the bids opened November 15, 1956, in the amount of \$23,953.40.

Ayes: Mr. Fischer, Mrs. Hulsing, Mr. Mitchell, and Mr. Stecker.

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Also present: Mr. Staub, Mr. Greenspan, Mr. Braun, and Mr. Hamill representing Greenspan Building Company.

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There followed a lengthy discussion in regard to the location and size of the proposed school site. Members of the Board by a process of interrogation were seeking answers of certain questions which would assist them in making future plans. It was mutually agreed that the representatives of the company would bring to the Board at meeting held on December 10, 1956, future their answers to the following questions:

1. How much will the site cost?
  2. What is the exact location, legally described?
  3. When will water and sewer be available at the school site?
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# THE GOOD OLD DAYS... FROM THE PAGES OF THE MAIL

## 5 Years Ago

December 20, 1951

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Daly have returned from a visit with their daughter and family in Colorado. They are staying at the home of their son on Karmada avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chaney of Pacific avenue had as their Sunday dinner guests, Mrs. Chaney's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ayeys, and their son Tommy of Detroit.

Plymouth High art students showed their Christmas spirit by traveling to the Maybury Sanitarium Monday morning, December 17, to paint Christmas pictures on hospital windows. Doing the painting were: Janice Runge, Cordia Pursell, Betty Tibbets, Verlyn Knight, Marilyn Tefft, and Delphine Henneman. They were supervised by Mrs. Frances Overton.

"Lynn Osen was appointed to the position of managing editor on the '52 Plythean,' Beth Douglas, editor, announced last week.

Mrs. Roy Clark of Union street entertained Sunday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dicks and Mrs. Louella Partridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brown and family of Amelia street will attend their family Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Seaton in aspect on Sunday.

Mrs. George Molnar of South Harvey street entertained on Monday evening, December 17 in her home for the members of the bowling team of the Molnar Electric company at a Christmas party. Present were Mrs. Robert Zielasko, Mrs. Leona Kubitsky, Mrs. Larry Zielasko, Miss Dolly Bouterse, Mrs. Warren Bassett and Mrs. Rosemary Lyke.

Karen Marie Frederick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frederick of Marlowe was baptized on Sunday morning at St. Peter's Lutheran church. Her godparents were Mr. and Mrs. William Young.

Glenna Fraleigh, Betty Arnold, Marilyn Rowland, Irene Truesdell, Barbara Nelson, Kathleen Dowling, and Marilyn Rood enjoyed a Christmas Party and gift exchange Saturday evening in the Rood home on Rivergreen avenue.

## 25 Years Ago

December 18, 1931

John Lovitt, secretary-manager of the Michigan Manufacturers association last Friday told the Plymouth Rotary club that it is time "Recognition should be given the Soviets." Guests were the Plymouth Kiwanis club. "I am convinced of this opinion after spending a month in that country" stated Lovitt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Buznard and daughters, Margaret and Doris, are leaving today for Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, where they will spend the holidays.

Tough times are ahead for the boys and girls who want to dance all night. At this week's meeting, the village commission put a stop to all-night dancing. Public dancing will also be prohibited in this village on Sunday.

Arno Thompson is again honored when the Ex-Service Men's club again chose him to be their Commander.

J. C. Rutherford has leased the old D.U.R. building and will use it as a display room for his refrigerators. The lot will also be in use as a used car lot.

Mrs. Roy Fisher entertained the members of her circle of the Methodist church, Wednesday, in her home on Mill street.

Mrs. Sven Eklund royally entertained the members of the American Legion Auxiliary at a Christmas party Monday in her home on Adams street.

Mrs. Olivias Williams and Mrs. William Arscott were hosts to 16 guests at a chop suey dinner Saturday in the home of the latter on Blunk avenue. Guests included the William Biegeris, Vaughn Smiths, Harry Gebhardt, Jack Taylors, Perry Richwines, of Plymouth and the Sam Freshney's of Detroit.

Mrs. Eugene Orndorf entertained five ladies at a sewing party and tea last Tuesday afternoon in her home on Northville road.

Miss Amelia Gayde and brother, Edward Gayde were hosts at a delightful dinner-bridge for 20 relatives at their home on Starkweather avenue last Friday evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gayde, Mr. and Mrs. William Gayde and daughter, Sarah, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Beyer and daughters, Marion and Elizabeth, and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burgett and Mrs. Fred Gerz, of Plymouth, and Miss Clara Wolffe of Detroit.

Songs, laughter, sparkling Christmas tree and a host of mysterious gifts was the setting for the Business and Professional Women's Christmas party Monday evening at the Methodist church. Each member chose to bring a tiny friend who furnished the evenings entertainment with their interperations, recitations and songs. Highlight of the evening was the appearance of Santa.

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and daughters, Linnea and Mable, attended the MacConnell-Anderson wedding at Flint Saturday afternoon.

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"I do . . . but I also own the insurance company . . ."

## Helping Santa's Helpers

Good old Santa has a staff of helpers, as everybody knows, for even as magical a man as he could hardly be expected to do such a tremendous job without some assistance . . . But do you know where his helpers get a lot of their help? Why, from the thousands upon thousands of trucks that daily transport raw materials, manufactured goods, farm products — everything it takes not only for day-to-day living but for a Merry Christmas, too. You can bet your boots that everything you see around the tree on Christmas morning traveled by truck for many miles before it got into Santa's pack . . . Merry Christmas, everybody!

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## TIPS for TEENS

By ELINOR WILLIAMS



A big cause of problems among girls is—boys . . . especially when two girls like the same boy and one of them believes that "all's fair in love and war." One of the girls writes:

Q—"Dear Elinor: I am a junior in high school and going steady with a boy who is a senior. All at once one of my best friends who is a freshman likes him, too. She is always sending notes by her friends, saying that he and she are going steady. I asked him about it, and he always has something different to explain. What should I do about this boy? Forget him or remain as I am?"

Ans.—If you're "going steady" with this boy, you must have a pretty good idea whether he has time enough left to "go steady" with your friend, too.

If he spends all his available date-time with you, he can't also be "going steady" with her. If this is true, why not just disregard her notes as a trouble-making scheme to separate you and your boy-friend?

But if you're sure he does date her, then that ends your "going steady" arrangement and you're free to date other boys, too . . . and you should do so. It would be silly to tie yourself to a "going steady" deal while the boy has other dates.

Incidentally, a girl who tries to steal your boy-friend is not a

"friend" at all. You can find better friends than this trouble-making, date-stealing freshman who apparently thinks she can have your boy-friend and your friendship, too.

(For free printed tips on "Date Manners for Girls" send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Elinor Williams at this paper.)

## HEALTH AND BEAUTY

There is a new theory that if a baby is started early on solid foods, he will be eating eggs, soup, mashed banana, custard pudding and mashed crisp bacon by nine weeks.

This same theory says that by using a six-hour feeding schedule, the baby will soon be eating three meals a day. This would be a great help to the mother—as any mother who has ever worked on the 10-2-4 schedule will be happy to tell you. From a study of 600 babies fed this way, it is believed that they grow up with fewer eating problems.

Cereal feeding is started in most hospitals. Strained meats are begun at 14 days, strained fruits a few days later. Orange juice, eggs, soups and other foods added at weekly intervals, under this new feeding theory.

Doctors agree that environment influences neurotic tendencies among children more than heredity does.

An extensive study of more than 600 children found that early family influences were of great importance in development of neurotic tendencies.

Every mother and father has a duty to read at least two authorities on child training. A person is never so smart that he or she can know more about a subject than a doctor who has made a life study of children and their problems. Early training—this includes the first two years—is very important. Parents should understand that without the knowledge of speech to make themselves understood, children cry or whine to let you know what they want. This is the only way they have as yet.

The great danger is letting this practice continue after the child has the power of speech and can tell his parents, nurse or friends what he wants them to know.

There are two schools of thought on spanking a child. Some children can be reasoned with as sure as they are capable of understanding what you are saying to them. Some children are too strong-willed for their own good and may need a spanking every now and then. Even then it should be done in a calm manner and after explaining to the child why it is happening to him and that it is for his own good. In time he will understand.

## Feast On Holiday Mushroom Muffins



MARVELOUS are muffins made with condensed cream of mushroom soup. Their subtle flavor and extra special texture bring magical mouthwatering moments . . . especially when served on the days of feasting along with that holiday bird.

### HOLIDAY MUFFINS

2 cups sifted flour  
1 tablespoon baking powder  
1 tablespoon sugar  
½ teaspoon salt

1 can (1½ cups) condensed cream of mushroom soup  
½ cup chopped walnuts  
¼ cup melted shortening  
1 egg, beaten

Sift dry ingredients into a bowl. Mix soup, walnuts, shortening and egg; add to flour mixture. Stir until well blended. Fill greased muffin tins ¾ full. Bake in a hot oven (400° F.) about 20 minutes. Makes 12 muffins.

They'd make a special breakfast surprise some morning, too. You might like to vary this recipe by substituting condensed cream of chicken or cream of celery soups in place of the condensed cream of mushroom soup.

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### Brownies Elect Officers

Sherada Erdelyi became the new chairman of Brownie Troop 18 at an election meeting held last Wednesday at the home of Leader Mrs. Harry Larson on Burroughs.

Serving with her will be Marlene Newton, secretary; Mary Ronk, treasurer; Susan Darnell, Sunshine girl; and Janice Rudick, publicity.

Mrs. Larson is assisted by Mrs. Philip Barney as co-leader of the troop. At present the girls are working on Christmas gifts for their mothers.

### Soroptimists Celebrate Season With Hillside Party

Plymouth Soroptimists celebrated the season with a Christmas party held last week at Hillside Inn.

A new member, Mrs. Hilda Swanson, was welcomed into the organization. Favors for the affair attended by 12 persons were made by Mrs. Katharine Todd.

Soroptimists will hold their next meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 23. Mrs. John Henderson of Auburn will be hostess assisted by Mrs. Lorena Hubbs, co-hostess for the event.

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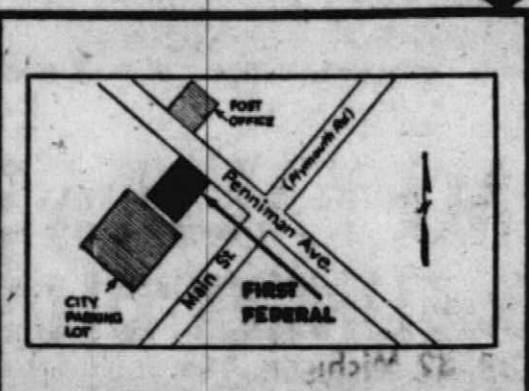
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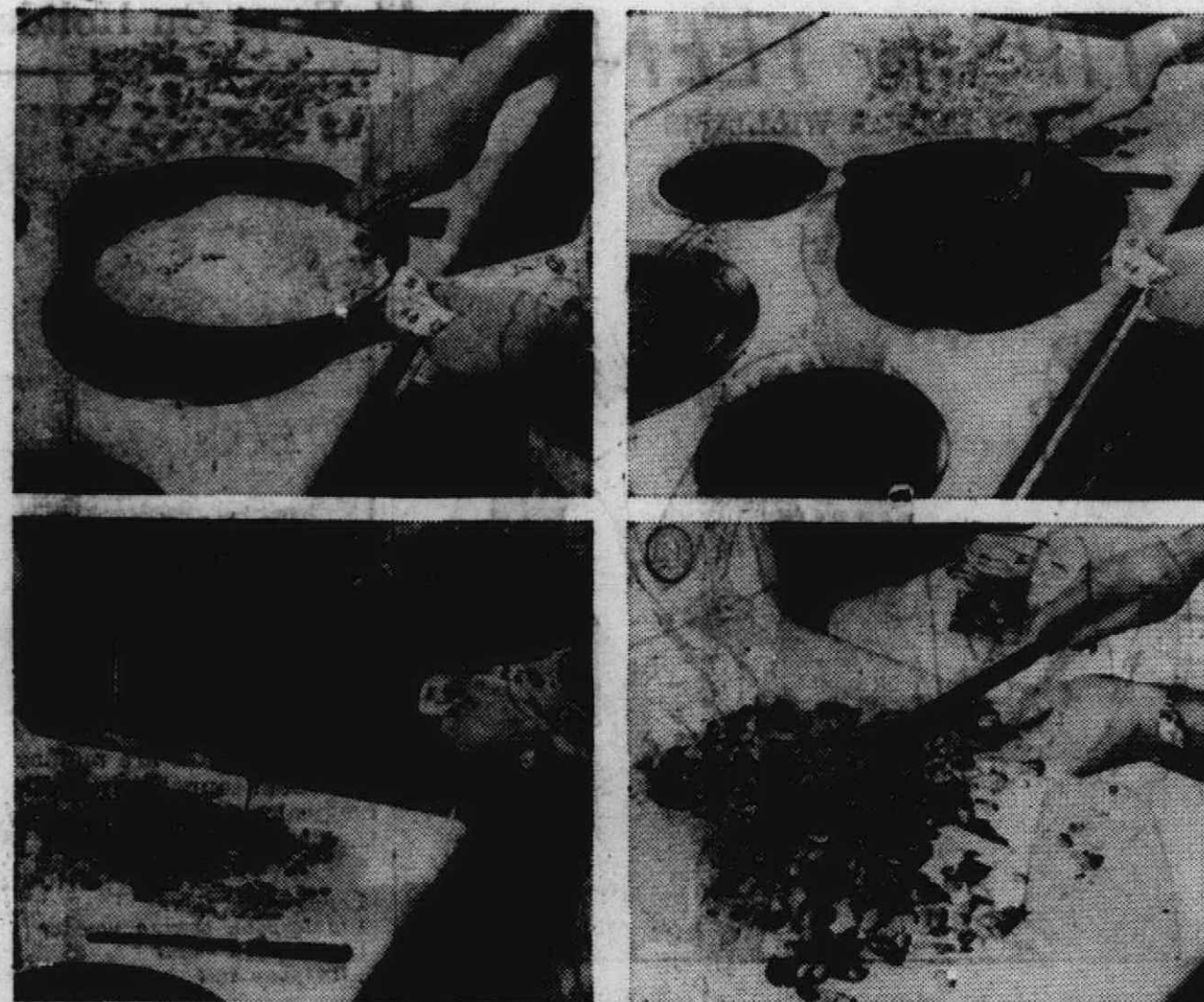
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## Christmas Card Custom Just Past Century Mark

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The first Christmas card to win complete acceptance was sent in 1862 by a London publisher, Charles Goodall & Sons. In the 20 years that intervened the idea had spread to the United States, and in 1874 a Boston lithographer, Louis Prang, issued his first Christmas card, thus launching an industry. Prang's cards were world famous for their beauty and craftsmanship and sold for several dollars each. They used few of the traditional Christmas scenes, so familiar today, but instead depicted spring flowers, harvest scenes and children at play. Many of Prang's designs were borrowed from the paintings of Elihu Vedder.

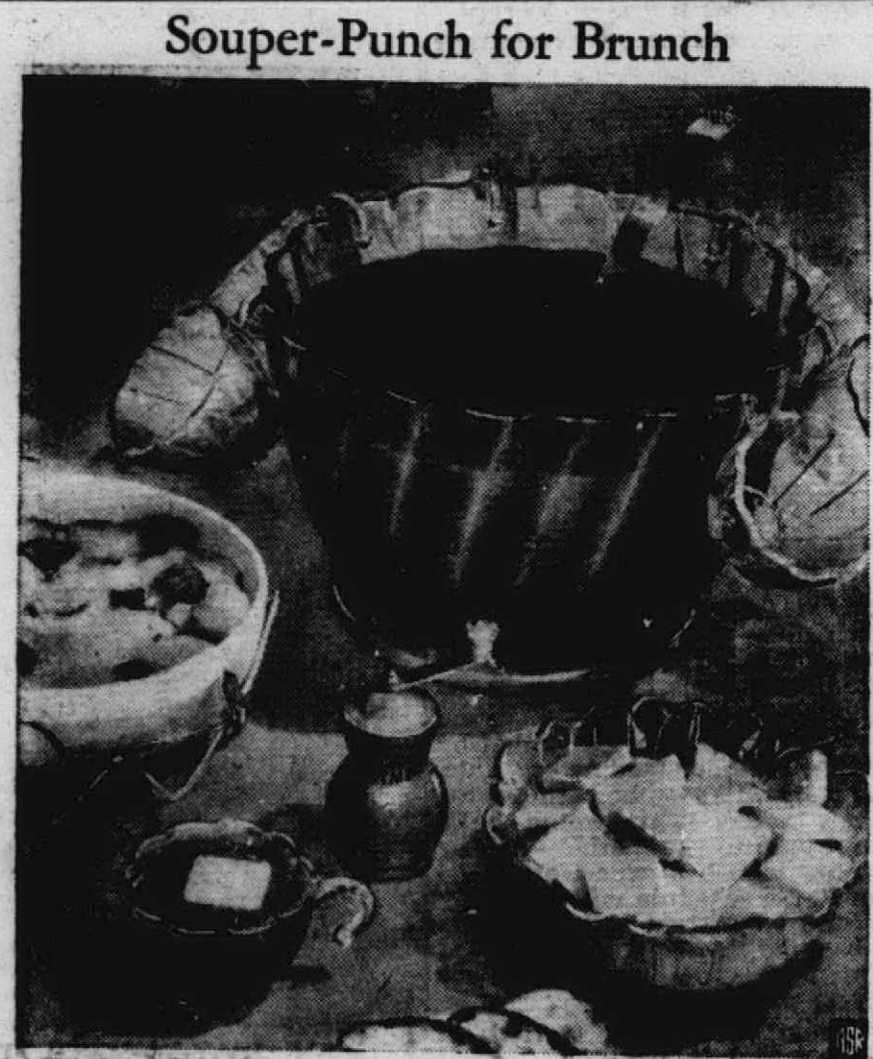


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**Mulled Tomato Soup:** Heat contents of 8 cans of condensed tomato soup with an equal amount of water, 3/4 cup of lemon juice, 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon and 2 teaspoons whole cloves. Makes about 24 punch cups of soup.

### Local Junior Achiever Appears on TV Salute

Harold Frick, president of the Plymouth Junior Achievement Pic-A-Rac company, appeared Saturday night on a Salute to Junior Achievement over CKLW-TV. The program followed the Red Wings hockey game and was sponsored by the Stroh's Ice Cream Division. Harold, a Bentley high school student, Pic-A-Rac, sponsored by the Daisy Manufacturing company, makes and distributes magazine racks. Speaking on the program was John Linsenmayer, president of the American Blower corporation and a member of the board of directors of Junior Achievement. Jim Turnbull, national J. A. president, also appeared. Toby David was master of ceremonies.

### Prison Atmosphere Lightened

An official of the New York Department of Correction says that the days of "Battleship Gray" prisons are gone. Maximum use of color psychology is being judiciously applied in prisons, which in the main are built of cold concrete and steel, making colors in the "cold family" depressive. Extensive use is being made of paints in the "warm family", creating a feeling of cheerfulness with which it is hoped to offset some of the depressing prison atmosphere.

### Reweighting Commercial Vehicles Now Necessary

All commercial vehicles must be reweighed before new license plates can be purchased, Mrs. Doris Root, manager of the Plymouth auto license bureau reminded truck owners this week. She added that if the registration slips have not yet been received from the secretary of state's office, commercial vehicle owners can obtain a slip from the license bureau and take it to a weigh station for the weight to be filled in. Both auto and commercial license tags must be purchased by March 1. The Plymouth license office is located at 181 Liberty. Hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Mondays through Fridays, and until 1 p.m. Saturdays. Questions can be answered by calling 2150. **Contributes To Air Safety** Researchers are currently testing a bright paint for aircraft that is so eye-arresting that it will help prevent mid-air collisions. Orange-red is thought to be the right color, with fluorescence added to augment its sharpness. To insure lasting brightness, research teams have developed a fluorescent compound that endured six months under hot sun tests in Florida.

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EDITORIAL

'Please Investigate Reasons'

Editor's Note. Our editorial this week is in the form of a letter to the editor. The Mail has checked the facts in the letter, and they seem to be correct in all details. The penalty the writer (and others in the same position in the Township) is paying comes straight from the friction between City and Township. The City loses revenue from the rental of fire hydrants there. The Township loses the insurance benefits. The problem is one more example of how unrealistic it is to try to erect a curtain between the two communities and regard them as separate and independent. It's a fairly small example, but a good one because it strikes at individual checkbooks.

Editor:

An insurance agent has brought an important matter to my attention—

It's a shame that hundreds of us citizens in the Township must suffer a much higher premium than necessary each time we purchase fire insurance, when at the same time a hydrant is almost sitting in our front yards. Each hydrant could represent a total possible savings of from \$1,100 to \$2,200 each year in premiums to Township homeowners situated near the hydrant.

Fire protection in each area is based on many things—water supply, fire department, etc. The insurance protection class for each city or area is set by the Michigan Inspection Bureau. There are 10 classes of grading, Class 1 having the best possible fire protection conditions and Class 10 the poorest.

The City of Plymouth has a Class 7 rating. Plymouth Township has two classes, 9 and 10. The western portion of the township from Beck Road is all Class 10. The eastern portion has a Class 9 rating.

To illustrate the fire rates: The premium for Class 9 rate for a frame approved-roof, one family dwelling for 3 years is \$7 per \$1,000 for Building and/or contents. If a house were insured for \$10,000 the three year premium for a fire and lightning insurance would be \$70. For \$4,000 of contents' insur-

ance (furniture, clothing, etc.) the three year premium would be \$28. Based on the above, the total 3 year premium for a policy covering house and contents for \$14,000 in the class 9 portion of the Township is \$98.

Now in the Township, if a fire hydrant is within 1000 feet of the insured property, the policy needs only a form stating that the hydrant is within 1000 feet and the premium of the above policy illustration would be reduced to \$63 for three years—a saving of \$35 on just the one policy.

Imagine the amount of money in premiums that is being spent needlessly by homeowners and business people of the Township. I say needlessly because the only thing needed to make us eligible for the lower rates is a letter from the City of Plymouth to the Michigan Inspection Bureau giving permission for the Township fire department to use the hydrants. For that use, the Plymouth Township could pay rental on each hydrant to the City of Plymouth. It seems to me this arrangement could be made without too much trouble if the officials have the best interests at heart of the citizens. (Average hydrant rental annually is approximately \$50. As many as 40 or 50 homes can be within the 1,000 foot radius of a single hydrant.)

I realize that the Township should not take the rental costs out of the general fund or taxes because not everyone in the township will benefit. A special assessment could be made to the property owners who will receive the lower rates for insurance.

The Citizens of Plymouth would be receiving income from the hydrants to help defray the costs of the water systems installed and maintained by the City in the Township.

So, Mr. Chandler, my request to you is: please investigate the reasons why this has not been accomplished. And more important, how soon it can be put into effect.

ORVIL D. SANDERS  
11430 General Drive  
Plymouth, Michigan

When You Retire

Retired Couple Regrets Farm

BY ROBERT PETERSON  
Retired Couple Regret Move to Farm

"It must be the work of the devil that tells men to buy a little farm when they retire." This blunt declaration is the opening line of a letter sent me recently by a woman in Toronto, Canada.

She writes that several years ago her husband—a welder in a manufacturing firm—heard someone describe the picturesque pleasures of life on a farm in retirement. He was so taken with the idea that he vowed he'd buy a farm when his welding days were over. Two years ago he retired and nothing would do but that they sell their home in the city and buy a 35 acre poultry farm located five miles from the nearest town. This, says my correspondent, was the worst mistake of their lives.

She admits it was fun at first. They tackled with enthusiasm the work of repairing barns, mending fences, and tending the ducks and chickens. But they soon discovered that life on a poultry farm is more demanding, and considerably less picturesque, than they had anticipated. Chores kept them going from morning till night. Retirement travels were out because they had to stay home and care for the poultry. Hired hands were almost impossible to find. And they missed their friends and the excitement of the city. Then her husband fell ill from over-work. Ironically, the country doctor recommended that they move to town so they'd have better access to medical care. By the time they were able to sell the farm and repurchase a home in the city they had lost several thousand dollars on their farming adventure.

IT'S EASY TO APPRECIATE how this couple must feel whenever anyone mentions farming. But they have only themselves to blame for they violated two elementary principles in retirement planning. First, unless an older person has unusually fine health he is not going to be up to the rigors of running a farm. Second, no one is wise to move to an environment greatly different from that to which he is accustomed.

Before moving to a farm in retirement you should be able to answer each of these questions affirmatively: have you spent several months on a farm during your mature years so that you know your interest in farming is more than a whim? Are you physically up to the demand of running even a small farm? Will you enjoy the isolation of farm life? Will you have someone available to take over if you want to go off on an occasional trip? Do you know enough about farming to make a go of the projects you undertake? Do you have sufficient income so that you'll not be

dependent on farm production for your support?

MANY CITY FOLK WHO have bought farms in retirement recommend the tenant method. For instance, Henry R. Rocker, an ex-postmaster in southern Illinois, purchased a 180 acre farm shortly after he retired. Then he found a congenial and competent tenant to operate it for him.

Mr. Rocker still lives in town but at least once a week he visits the farm, which is just half an hour's drive away. "This way I've got all the fun of farming, without the hard work and isolation," says he. Farming has become his No. 1 hobby. He has developed a keen interest in scientific farming and he now spends much of his spare time poring over agricultural journals, attending farm conferences and fairs, and talking crops and livestock with his tenant and other farmers in the area.

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Did You Know This About TB?

What do you know about tuberculosis? Try this on some of your fellow workers and see what they know about this disease which each year kills 15,000 Americans.

1. The most important item in treating TB is
  - Good climate
  - Rest
  - Medicine
2. Tuberculosis is not inherited
  - True
  - False
3. You can have TB without feeling sick
  - True
  - False
4. The best way to discover tuberculosis early is
  - A blood test
  - Listening to the chest
  - A chest X-ray
5. Tuberculosis is caused by
  - Too much exercise
  - Germs
  - Cold weather
6. You can usually tell which people have TB by looking at them
  - True
  - False
7. TB strikes approximately how many people in Wayne County each year
  - 1,500
  - 2,500
  - 3,500
8. Patients often must train for a new job in order to stay well after they leave the hospital.
  - True
  - False

Here are your answers  
1. Rest is most important in treating TB. When we are active our lungs are working hard. So rest in bed in a sanatorium will give the lungs a chance to rest. Drugs and proper medical supervision are important, too, to get well.  
2. Tuberculosis cannot be inherited. TB is often found in several members of a family because it has spread to them.  
3. Early TB has no signs or symptoms. People may feel fit as a fiddle and still have destructive TB germs at work in their lungs. That's why it's im-

portant to have a regular check-up.

4. A chest X-ray is the best and simplest way to discover TB. Free X-rays are available to everyone.

5. Tuberculosis is caused by a germ—the tubercle bacillus.

6. False. No one can tell who has TB just by looking at people—not even a doctor.

7. In 1955 tuberculosis struck 3,375 people in Detroit and Wayne County and caused 270 deaths.

8. True. Many patients cannot return to their old jobs and must take training to prepare them for less strenuous work. This training can be begun in the hospital with the aid of vocational counselors.

Christmas Seal money is being used everyday to help combat tuberculosis. Make your contribution today. Help cut down TB still further.



Happy Landing

**★ THINKING OUT LOUD ★**

Today we stopped at Bird school to ask first and second graders, "Where do you think Santa Claus lives and what do you think he does all summer."

ROBIE ROBERTS, 12075 Beck road: "He lives in the North Pole and I think he makes toys all summer. In the night though he rests. His reindeer play all year except Christmas."

MARY VALLIER, 1338 Penniman: "Santa lives at the North Pole because he usually works and people don't bother him up there. He makes toys most of the year and rests too. I think his elves help him."

ROBIE MARY CATHY ARTHUR

CATHY FLORA, 45260 N. Territorial: "Santa lives up at the North Pole, up where it's real cold. It's real warm in the summer and he puts on clothes not so heavy. Santa rests in the summer, but sometimes makes toys. His helpers help him."

ARTHUR DAANE, 530 Garfield: "Well, he lives at the North Pole but I don't know the address. In the summer he looks up and sees if children are good. This takes most of the summer. And he makes toys with his helpers. The reindeer just eat hay."

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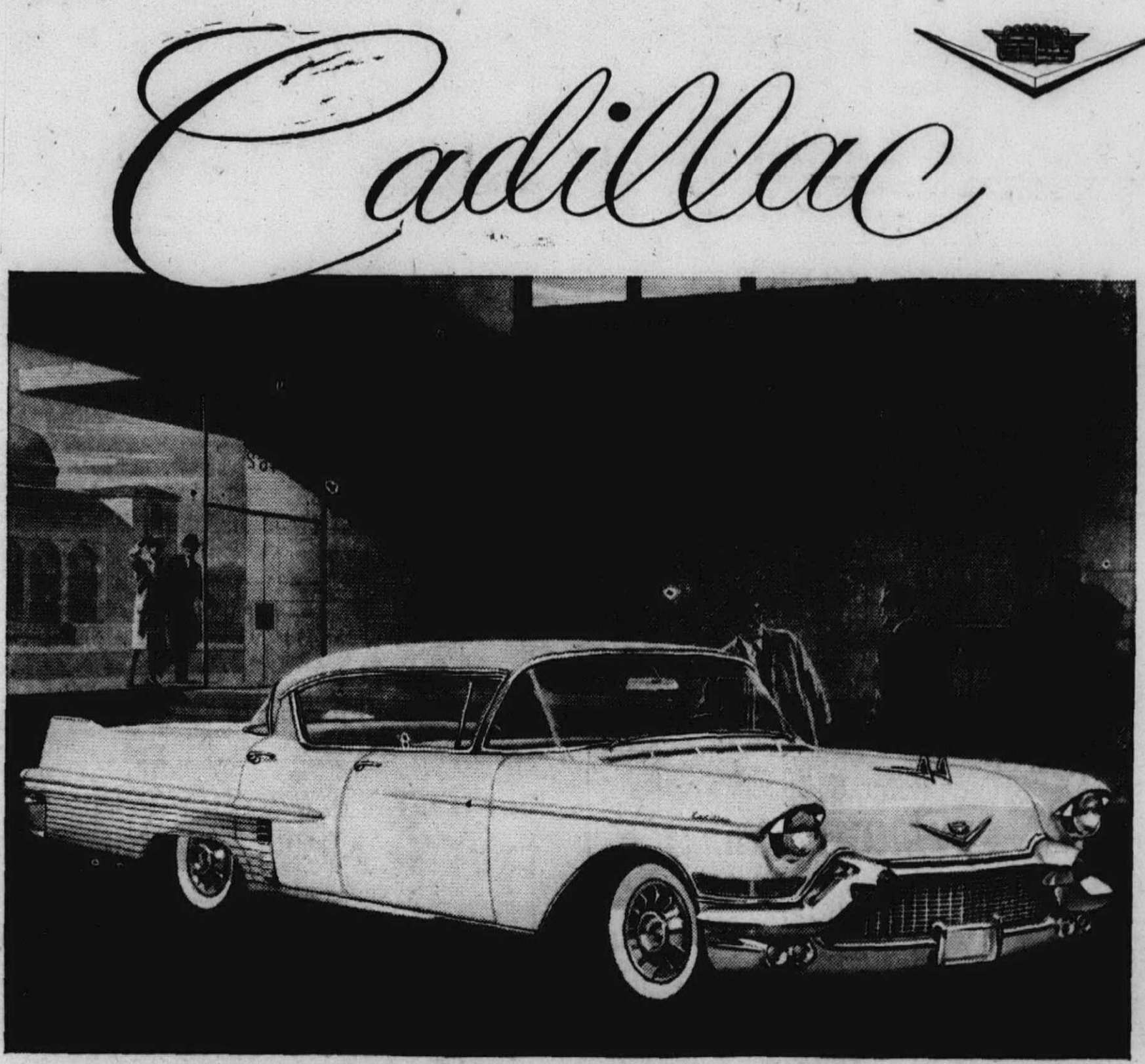
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