

Dansville

Gailey Family Holds Party

Thirty-five members of the Gailey family celebrated Christmas Sunday at the Wheatfield (Gleaner) hall.

A potluck dinner was served at 1:30 after which gifts were exchanged.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Lantis, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pessal of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lovitt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Oakley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaw and family of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cosgray and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cosgray and Max of Stockholm, Mr. and Mrs. William Niswonger and Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gailey, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gailey and Donald Gailey, all of Dansville and Mrs. Edna Hatch and sons of Leslie.

W. S. C. S. Plans Meeting

The Woman's Society for Christian Service of the Methodist church will meet next Wednesday, January 9, at the town hall. There will be a potluck dinner at noon and this will be followed by a business meeting and program.

Dansville Aid Society to Meet

The regular meeting of the family night of the Dansville Aid society will be next Tuesday evening, January 8, at the town hall. Supper will be served at 7:30 by committee No. 3 with Mrs. Robert Smith, chairman. A short business meeting and program will follow.

Mrs. Myrtle Grimes and family of Lansing were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corwin.

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Brotherhood Will Meet

The regular meeting of the Brotherhood will be next Monday evening, January 7, at the town hall. Supper will be served at 7:30. Those who attend are to take their own dishes and a dish of food to pass. Potatoes and meat will be furnished. After the supper there will be a business meeting and program.

Choir Is Entertained

The members of the choir of the Methodist church were entertained Friday evening at an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rogers. Those present were Mrs. George Vogt, Sr., Mrs. Virginia Ackley, Miss Barbara Anderson, Mrs. Wayne Taylor, Mrs. Aethen Witt, Mrs. Roscoe Arnold and G. E. Manning.

M. Y. F. Has Party

About 20 members of the M. Y. F. held a party at the church Sunday evening. Following a chili supper various games and contests were played. Rev. and Mrs. Seitzler and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson, Sr., were in charge of arrangements.

Birthday Party Is Held

Saturday evening several relatives were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Felton in honor of the third birthday anniversary of Arnold, Austin, and Dennis Felton. Guests were Miss Lyle Underwood and Mrs. Underwood of Grosse Ile, Mr. and Mrs. Jerred Austin and son of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. Ceral Underwood and family.

O. E. S. Round Up Is Held

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Warfle, Mr. and Mrs. Donal Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Swan and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton attended the Ingham County Association of O. E. S. Round Up Saturday evening at Okemos. A potluck dinner was served at 7:30 with square dancing and cards being the diversion of the evening.

O. E. S. Plans Meeting

Dansville Chapter No. 90, O. E. S., will hold its regular meeting Thursday evening, January 10, at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served by the committee at the close of the meeting. Dansville Chapter is sponsoring a public card party at the town hall, Saturday evening, January 12, beginning at eight o'clock. Prizes will be given. The public is invited.

Sunset Haven News

Miss Jane McKigan of Cass City and A. D. Fleuning and son, Cobble of Lansing, visited Miss Jennie Means Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cobb, Miss Ruby Cobb and Miss Elsie Cobb of Williamston were Christmas Day visitors of Mrs. Esther Avery.

Mrs. Vera Arnold and daughters, Joyce, Geraldine and Elsie of Williamston visited Mrs. Esther Avery Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Morgan of Webberville was a Saturday visitor of Mrs. Maggie Burden. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hayner of White Oak were Friday visitors of Mrs. Burden.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Gauss were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Clickner of Williamston.

There will be a special meeting of the Dansville P. & A. M. No. 160 next Tuesday evening, January 8. This meeting is for the purpose of conferring the first degree. Following the ceremony refreshments will be served.

There will be a family night for members of the Masonic lodge and O. E. S. January 15. A potluck supper will be held at 7:30 with a program following.

Several friends of Philip Arnold were entertained at his home at a New Year's Eve party. During the evening games were played and late refreshments were served by Mrs. Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Felzer and daughter, Mrs. Jane Szabo of Lodi, Ohio, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Utter and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Finn and daughter, Mrs. Bessie Strydom, were spending the week end and New Year's with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bregger of Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Price and family were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Glynn of Wheatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Alger Bowen and family of Webberville were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Showers. Martin Showers spent his vacation with Russell Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Smith of Ann Arbor were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stetler. They took their mother, Mrs. Leticia Smith, to the St. Joseph hospital in Ann Arbor for treatment.

Mrs. Bessie Turnbull and Mrs. Frank Woods spent Monday with the former's daughter, Verna Turnbull of Lansing.

Pic. Pat Izzo of Camp Rucker, Ala., and Miss Nellie Izzo of Lansing and Mrs. Sam Meredith and son, Don of Leslie, were Saturday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald West.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rogers attended the 50th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William McRobie at West Highland Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ailie Thompson spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Ben Stanbury at Bloomfield Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Curtis were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Curtis of Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arzy Stetler of Clinton, Maryland, and Marvin Stetler of Jackson were Sunday evening visitors of their mother, Mrs. Lena Stetler, Mr. and Mrs. Arzy Stetler left Monday for their home in Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt, Jr., were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald West and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy West were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brewer of Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatch of Jackson were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Diehl, Mr. and Mrs. Dorn Diehl and Mr. and Mrs. David Diehl and family were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stid of Rossford. The birthday anniversary of Mrs. Dora Diehl and Louis Stid, Mrs. Ada Harkness of Munnith is spending a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. Mina Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mason and Bonnie of Webberville were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Muench.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morefield and family of Reed City spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Morefield, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson and family were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Corrette of Mason. Sgt. Jack Corrette of Ft. Hancock, N. J., and Mrs. Corrette of Okemos were also dinner guests there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wing of Grass Lake visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Almond Wing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ottman of Jackson were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shoppell.

Mrs. Robert Anderson and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Elsenor of Lansing.

Mrs. Virginia Ackley, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Anderson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gauss and Mr. and Mrs. James Wright of Lansing and Miss Barbara Anderson, Miss Nancy Anderson and Keith Anderson were entertained Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Braman, Charles Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Diehl, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Warfle, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Taylor attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hullinger at their home near Williamston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Benton Freesehey and children of Columbia City, Indiana, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Scripser. On Sunday other guests at the Scripser home were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grable and family of Dimondale, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Koops of Bell Oak, Mr. and Mrs. James Scripser and family of Vantown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scripser and family of Webberville, Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels and family of Henrietta, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Scripser and family of Aurelius and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Scripser and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Donal Parks and family of Williamston were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shariand.

Pfc. Richard Kehres and Mrs. Kehres and son of Mason were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roylyn Miller. Pfc. Kehres returned Friday to Ft. Bragg, North Carolina.

Dr. Leo Connelly and daughter, Ann, and Bernard Craig of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mueller. Miss Mueller and Mrs. Craig remained over New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence DeReamer of Bunker Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxine Nelson and family and Mrs. Sadie Behm spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Salasie of Pontiac. Mrs. Flora Nelson, who has been in Pontiac the past two weeks returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Melba Battige and Linda were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Humrich of Webberville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Craft and family and Mrs. Victoria Craft of Bunker Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Bailey and family of Holt were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Craft. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Craft and family of Picturing were afternoon guests at the Craft home.

Mrs. J. B. Dalton returned home Christmas Day after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sager of Chelsea. Mr. Dalton and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Baker and family were also guests Christmas Day at the Sagers.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Anderson and family of Jackson, Lester Anderson and son, Charles of Willow Run, Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. George Bettman of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Irma Bettman, William Hurlingame and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon at Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Anderson, Sr., and family, Mrs. Virginia Ackley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Anderson, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Walker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gauss and family entertained New Year's Day at the home of Mrs. Rosa Anderson.

Mrs. Edna Raymond entertained at a family gathering Christmas night the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Foster and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Raymond and family of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Gene A. Underwood and family and Mrs. Leonard Underwood and family of Holt, Miss Myrta Curtis of Mason, Mrs. Marion Davis and Miss Margaret Curtis of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ertler were guests at dinner Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Spicer of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Freer and family were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sibley of Ann Arbor.

LL. Harold Kelley and Mrs. Kelley of Agawan, Massachusetts, were Monday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baughner and family of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bailey and family of Battle Creek and Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey and family of Mason were entertained Christmas Day at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bailey.

Mrs. Jessie Reinhart is spending a couple of weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Eloise Hazelton of Center Line, and her son, Forest at Melvindale.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Sweet of Lansing were Monday visitors of the latter's sister, Irene Brennan of New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Leonard were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roylyn Miller on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jaeger and Sally of East Lansing were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fitch and family of Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Fox and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Greenough were guests at dinner Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Orin Voss, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kinne and family were Christmas Day guests of the latter's father, Peter Kinne of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kirby of Lansing were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Kirby.

Jack McKenna and Miss Jacqueline Brink of Lansing were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Leonard on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Putnam of Williamston were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Gauss.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson of Ann Arbor spent Wednesday and Thursday with the former's mother, Mrs. Rose Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shariand and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Taylor and Miss Phyllis Taylor were entertained Sunday at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Battige.

Sgt. Tim Stoltz of Warren air force base, Wyoming, was a Friday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks.

Patsy Craft was brought home Sunday from the Mason General hospital following an appendicitis operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Schray and Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Clickner and family of Williamston, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Holden of Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Clickner and Ted, Mr. and Mrs. James Wright and family of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gauss were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Gauss.

Mrs. Andrew Millhouse and Mrs. Tom Cavender and sons of Stockholm were Saturday visitors of Mrs. Paul Hedgden.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ed Cosgray of Stockholm were Sunday dinner guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gaffner and family of Perry were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Merle E. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gaffner celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage Sunday evening. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gauss of Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyden Duff of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Osborne Sunday. Mr. Osborne is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Brady were entertained New Year's Eve at an annual get-together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson of Webberville.

Miss Carolyn Healy spent Monday night with Miss Kathryn Writer of Mason.

Mrs. and Mrs. Paul Card and Mrs. Mabel Card were guests at dinner Sunday of Miss Josephine Townsend of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Carl and family were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peters of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Brady and family attended a Christmas dinner Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ward of Stockholm, in honor of Floyd Ward, Jr., who arrived Saturday on a short leave from Norfolk, Virginia. Rose Maria and Catherine Brady spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bachar of Parkers Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Braman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fitzsimmons and Mrs. Bernice Fitzsimmons of New Hudson, Ont. Thursday were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Baggley of Chelsea. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fitzsimmons and family returned to their home at Saunt Ste Marie, Canada, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woods were Christmas Eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods. Christmas Day dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. David Woods and family.

Mrs. Maude Marquardt of Holt was a dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shoppell.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Baggley of family met Sunday noon at the Dansville town hall for Christmas dinner.

Rev. and Mrs. Tallman and family were Wednesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Geer.

Mrs. Ray Hadley of Winter Garden, Florida, called Mrs. Wayne Geer Friday night. She reported that in Florida the temperature was 75 degrees.

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Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Graham

Webberville

Extension Group Holds Yule Party

The Webberville extension group held its Christmas party Monday evening, December 17, at the home of Mrs. Betty Aitch. There were nine members present.

There was a short business meeting held with Mrs. Muriel Van Piper appointed reporter to replace Mrs. Arthur Gerhardtstein. Mrs. Muriel was also appointed. Miss McComb will be assistant project leader. The next meeting will be held January 7 at the home of Mrs. Grace Lowes and will be on basket weaving. Mrs. Dorothy Housh will have the lesson on Scotch tooling January 21.

Costly games played and gifts were exchanged after which the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Beatrice McComb, served a luncheon of Christmas cake, cookies and coffee.

Birthday Party Held

Penny Kay Field entertained several friends in honor of her sixth birthday anniversary Saturday, December 29. Games were played. Then Penny played records of everyone. She received many nice gifts. Ice cream, birthday cake, cupcakes and cookies were served by her mother, assisted by Sheila, Marilyn Smith, Verna Lee Van Riper and June Jackson.

Verna Lee and Elaine Van Riper of Lansing spent their Christmas vacation with their father, Vernon Van Riper and family.

Leroy Van Riper visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Van Riper of Bell Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Vick Bedford spent Christmas in Lansing with Mrs. Anna Wygant and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bayley of Jackson. Mrs. Hazel Deagan and Mark Twist were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Parker entertained their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Parker, and other relatives from Fowlerville Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Graham and Mrs. Maude Graham spent last Sunday in Charlotte.

Guests this week of the Arthur Taylors are Mr. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Taylor of Newberry, in the Upper Peninsula.

Holt Garden club will meet January 8, at eight o'clock at the town hall with Etta Buck as hostess. Lenora Boettcher, chairman of the conservation committee, will present the evening's program on Michigan wild flowers. This will be illustrated by colored slides from the conservation department.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Krauss celebrated New Year's Eve with a party of friends in their home. For Christmas they joined their families in Lansing and later in Grand Rapids.

Robert Sparkes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Sparkes, has been called into the armed forces and will leave January 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Morse Reed of Detroit spent the holiday week end in Holt with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Rockwood.

The Robert Rhines family spent New Year's Day in Charlotte at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Rhines.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elsenby were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Messacur of Albion.

The P. T. A. executive board meeting will be held Monday evening at seven o'clock in the faculty room of the high school.

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Social Events and Personals

Couple Speaks Wedding Vows

Miss Marilyn Briggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Briggs, and Willard Robinson, son of Mrs. Mary Robinson, spoke their wedding vows Saturday. Rev. Carl Briggs, uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony in the North Aurore church parsonage. The bride and bridegroom are both from Vassar.

The bride chose a blue crepe dress with a corsage of white gardenias for her wedding. Miss Naomi Briggs, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Dale Robinson was his brother's best man. Those present for the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Briggs, Donna Lou Briggs and David Briggs, parents, sisters and brother of the bride, and Mrs. Robinson and Dale, mother and brother of the bridegroom.

After the ceremony Mrs. Carl Briggs served a wedding supper to the group.

FAMILY DINNER HELD

Members of the Every family met at the Wheatfield Gleaner hall New Year's day for their annual dinner. The dinner also honored Mr. and Mrs. Robert Every who were recently married.

Luana Kamp Has Yule Wedding

Miss Luana Kamp and Charles Harry Lewis were married in Houston, Texas, Christmas Day. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kamp of Millwood. The family once lived in Mason, in what is now the Herbert Fox home on East Ash. Luana and her brother Walter attended the Mason school. The father was engaged in the finance business in Lansing.

In Houston Mrs. Lewis is engaged as director of radio and TV programs for an advertising agency.

Engaged



MISS JENNIE KRUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel W. Kruse of Mason announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Jennie, to Terry L. Clark, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry L. Clark, Sr., who reside on Columbia road, east of the city. The nuptial date is set for February 14 at the First Presbyterian church, Mason.

Yule Party Is Held Thursday

The Past-Noble Grand club annual Christmas party was held at the home of Mrs. Nellie Bailey last Thursday evening, December 27. The table decorations consisted of miniature holly wreaths placed at each setting. An angel and candles centered the table.

Gifts were exchanged and the program was conducted by the past president, Ella Lewis. The last past noble grand gave the highlights of her year as noble grand. She presented each past noble grand with a gavel which had the year and name on the gavel of which each served.

New officers elected are Edna Lillywhite, president; Isabelle Smith, vice-president; Florence Strickling, secretary; and Oreah Hanna, treasurer.

Auxiliary Holds Membership Drive

The 1952 membership enrollment of Browne-Cavender American Legion Auxiliary, No. 148 of Mason now exceeds that of 1951 by four members, stated Mrs. Erma Smith, the unit's membership chairman. At a special meeting held at the Legion Memorial building Wednesday evening nine applications for membership were accepted, the new members include Mrs. Virginia Elliott, Mrs. Lorraine Clemens, Mrs. Glenn Swift, Sharon and Phyllis Jewett, Linda, Carolyn and Mary Ellen Pardee and Patricia Adams. The six last-named are junior members, the first received in the classification for a number of years.

Nortons Entertain At Family Dinner

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Norton were hosts to 19 members of Mrs. Norton's family for dinner and a family gift party Christmas Day.

Rev. and Mrs. George Tennant of Pike Lake, who are the parents of Mrs. Norton; Rev. and Mrs. Wirth Tennant of Scottville, with Carolyn Ruth and Mark; Rev. and Mrs. Wilson Tennant of Holt with Carol Jean and Ruth Ann; Rev. and Mrs. Floyd George of Mount Vernon, New York, with Floyd Edgar III, David and Phillip, made up the group.

The entire group was entertained on Wednesday, the day after Christmas, at the Holt Methodist parsonage by Rev. and Mrs. Wilson Tennant.

Rev. George of Mount Vernon, New York, travelled in Europe this past summer, attending the ecumenical conference at Oxford, England. He brought with him pictures he had taken and Tuesday evening the family spent in seeing his pictures and hearing his story. Especially interesting was his account of the trip behind the Iron Curtain, which he and another minister took, going by helicopter. That is the only way in which visitors can cross the line.

Mrs. George Tennant, mother of Mrs. Norton, remained throughout the week, and will return to Pike Lake for New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark and family of Middleville spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Katie Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Vander Ven have been visiting friends and relatives in Holland and Chicago the past week.

Miss Jacqueline Lamb and Miss Judith Lamb of Jackson and Charles Lamb of South Haven spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Freeland of Mason left early Sunday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jarchow of Detroit. A family gathering was held on Christmas Eve and among those present were Mr. and Mrs. James Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vlach and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boultinghouse and daughters, Mrs. Judy and Sheriel, of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Boultinghouse of Indiana and Robert Friedman of which a lunch of salad, sandwiches, fancy cheese and crackers, Christmas cookies and coffee were served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes of Lansing held a New Year's Eve watch party. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armbruster and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Freeland of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Victor DeRose of Lansing, Miss Cherie Harris of Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Christian, Hank Fogg and Benno Leyer of Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal David of Appleton, Wisconsin, spent Monday through Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Benham, and Mrs. Marguerite David, Dorothy Benjamin of Olivet Nazarene college, Kankakee, Illinois, spent the holidays with her parents, the William Benhams.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McArthur entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wignall and son, Bruce McArthur, New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Soper, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallis and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schuler in Marshall-New Year's Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Carrier and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Somerville at dinner New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Banfield and daughters, Connie and Kathy of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Urquhart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boultinghouse and daughters of Detroit were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Freeland of Mason Sunday afternoon. Later that evening Mr. and Mrs. Freeland and Mr. and Mrs. Boultinghouse visited Mr. and Mrs. Merton Shoemith of Olds-road, Leslie, parents of Alfred Freeland.

Mrs. Grace Ankinney, Auxiliary president, states that the campaign for both senior and junior members will continue through the winter. Workers in the Mason unit are planning to attend the annual membership luncheon of the sixth district which will be held in the Union building at Michigan State college Wednesday, January 16.

The local Auxiliary is making arrangements for the sixth district convention, scheduled for Mason on Sunday, January 20.

The next regular meeting will be held at the Memorial building Tuesday evening, January 7, at 8 o'clock. The special subject for the group's consideration is the legislative program of the Legion. The study will be directed by Mrs. Janet Zimmerman, unit legislative chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anway and Davey of Pike, California, and Mrs. Anway's sister of Flint were guests of Mrs. Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Gail Anderson and family.

Elizabeth Adams attended the Speech Association of America meetings in Chicago held at the Stevens Hotel December 27 through December 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alderman and Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Alderman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall at Big Rapids.

Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Barr and sons, Bobby and Randy of Battle Creek, and Lt. J. and Mrs. Max Barr and David and Marianne of Skokie, Wash., visited Mrs. Bertha Barr, Col. and Mrs. Marshall D. Barr of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Darryl and sons, Dennis and Danny of St. Maries, Idaho, spent Christmas vacation with Mrs. Bertha Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rose of Grand Ledge, Mr. and Mrs. Vonn Ammerman and Gary of Leslie and Raymond Baker of Millville spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ammerman.

Mrs. Mary Hickok visited her son, Robert L. Bensinger, at Saginaw over Christmas.

Muriel Barr and Mrs. Margaret Bear and daughters, Evelyn and Jerry from Ferndale, called on Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Bertha A.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bailey and daughters, Margaret and Mary, spent a two-weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eastman at Platte, South Dakota, to celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Crall of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Diamond of Mason spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baldwin.

Douglas Barr left for California Wednesday to return to Taft Junior college at Taft.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miles of Dimondale, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Reinhard and Kenneth and Martha of Lansing and Lowell McKenzie of Mason spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton J. Stroud and Barbara attended the funeral of Mr. Stroud's father, S. W. Stroud, of Bad Axe, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice I. Strait entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Brattin, Dr. and Mrs. L. Luker and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brandstatter of East Lansing at a dinner party Saturday evening. Bridge was played following the dinner. Dr. and Mrs. Brandstatter won the prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Snyder and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Huntington and family of Eaton Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Huntington and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Collins Huntington Christmas Eve. Ronnie Snyder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Snyder, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Somers and family spent Sunday at Jonesville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Somers and family.

Troth Revealed



MISS IDABELLE RIBBY

Mrs. Stella Ribby of Holt announces the engagement of her daughter, Idabelle P., to Joseph W. Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kelly of Pickford.

BULLENS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Bullen entertained 50 members of the Lamphere family Christmas Day. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Turner of Erie, Mrs. Susan Green of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rathburn, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lamphere and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Lamphere and family, Mr. and Mrs. Celand Lamphere and family, Mr. and Mrs. Verje Lamphere and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Lamphere and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donovan McDevitt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith and Mr. and Mrs. John Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clipper were New Year's Eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Clipper and daughter, Jean.

Mrs. Clare Raymond and Mansil spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Raymond.

Donald and Douglas Horning of Ann Arbor visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Clipper over the New Year's holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Paddock of Manton spent the New Year's holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lott and family. Both families spent New Year's Day in Holt at a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Raymond and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Don Stoneham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Farr, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kimmerer and Elmer and David Raymond of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ohm of Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Raymond and Mr. and Mrs. Mort Raymond at a New Year's Eve party Monday evening. The occasion also honored Clare Raymond's birthday anniversary.

Tom Shoemaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Shoemaker, is spending the holidays at Caberfee, skiing.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Schram and family spent Sunday at St. Johns visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hiller.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Seeley and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seeley of Midland and Mrs. Charles Seeley and daughter of Marcellona and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hickman and son of Farmington spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Charles F. Seeley, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spies of Lansing called on Mrs. Charles F. Seeley, Sr. Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rich entertained Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rich at dinner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stid of Williamston visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ribby Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Coffey and family of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coffey and family of Stockbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Masely and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Coffey and Burnett spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Coffey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Graham entertained Mrs. Hattie Freeland and Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard and sons, Marvin and Gary, at dinner Saturday in Concord, Gary remained at the Grahams to spend a few days. His cousin, Doug Graham of Flint, is also visiting at the Graham home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sweet and David of Midland spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Collar.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Darrow entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Overmyer from Charlotte at dinner New Year's Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shepard and Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shepard, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shepard of Williamston spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard and family.

Mrs. Emma Coon and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Heins of Little Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Beebe.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kutt and daughter, Carol of Lansing, spent New Year's Day with Mrs. Kutt's mother, Mrs. Bessie Waters.

Mrs. M. L. Gilmore and Michael of Michigan Center are spending the New Year's holidays with Mrs. M. C. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Partridge and family of Williamston and Mrs. Alfred Jacobs and Marguerite of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. John P. Taylor and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Salisbury visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Salisbury, and son at Stroud, Oklahoma, over the Christmas holidays. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lennagene Swearingen who visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Swearingen, and family of Seminole, Oklahoma. They returned home Friday evening.

Every-Shields Vows Repeated Friday Evening

Miss Mary Shields and Robert L. Every spoke their wedding vows Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Everett of Lansing. Rev. Charles Brooks read the single-ring ceremony at 8:30 in the presence of members of the immediate families.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shields. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Every are the bridegroom's parents.

The bride chose a forest green tulle gown with red accessories for her wedding. She wore an ornate corsage. Shirley Shields was her sister's maid of honor. Her dress was purple tulle with which she wore a corsage of gardenias and red roses.

Raymond Every, cousin of the bridegroom, was best man. Both mothers wore pinned corsages of gardenias to their dresses.

After the ceremony a reception was held. Shirley Shields presided at the guest register.

A three-tiered wedding cake topped with miniature bride and bridegroom cake was served from a linen-covered table.

The couple took a trip to Ohio. They are now residing at the home of the bridegroom's parents, where he is engaged in farming.

The bride attended Mason high school. Mr. Every graduated from the Mason school in 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Warner, Patrick, Robert, and Anita attended the annual Christmas gathering Sunday of the family of John and Minnie Warner. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pollok of Williamston and Mrs. John Pollok of Lansing present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warner and Margaret of Williamston, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Warner, Jane, Dale and Mary of Leslie and Mrs. Maxine Warner of Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Al Shustari of Lansing.

There was a decorated tree in the living room, where those present exchanged gifts. They also played games and the hostess served a buffet luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and daughter, Deborah, have returned to San Antonio, Texas, after spending two weeks with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Dart and daughter.

Phil Knapp of Hartford was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Edmonds and Bonnie.

Warner Family Party Is Held

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Miller and children spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Bateman and family entertained Mrs. Bateman's mother, Mrs. Ralph Altenburg of Owosso, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Peck and family of Lake Odessa, Murray Peck of Farmington and Maurice Peck of Huron, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jacobs, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Siefert of Greenville spent the week end and New Year's holidays with Mrs. Siefert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jewett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jewett and family of Grand Blanc called on Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jewett, New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ackley and Shirley entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mosher and Pvt. Bill Knight at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mosher called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fox of Lansing, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Mooney attended an open house at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Azelton in Lansing last Thursday evening. The occasion honored Dr. and Mrs. Robert Azelton of South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mosher entertained Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fuller and son, Jerry, and Shirley Ackley New Year's Day. The occasion honored Pvt. Bill Knight who returned to Camp Breckenridge, Kentucky, Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Mosher of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Mosher Tuesday evening. The occasion honored Mr. Mosher's birthday anniversary.

Miss Anna Welsh of Jackson spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. George Kellogg.

Richard Peck and Miss Betty Lanford, who have been attending the Union Theological Seminary in New York, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jacobs over the Christmas holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt, Jr., and Douglas of Danville entertained Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Palmer at dinner New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wigan of Holt, and Mrs. Iva Peterson at dinner New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Southwick and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sawyer Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Southwick and Kay attended the 25th wedding anniversary party of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Warner of Holt Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer returned to Belleville Monday after spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Alden Fortit of Alto and Kenneth Palmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Palmer.

SOUTHWICKS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Southwick and family entertained the Hartness family on Christmas Day. They included Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hartness of Lansing, Ed-dard Hartness and Mariene of Danville, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Warner and daughters of Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Todd and Larry of Onondaga, Ronnie and Gary White of Eaton Rapids, Mrs. Nora Hartness, Mr. and Mrs. June Hartness and Garth and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Darrow and Sharon. Gifts were exchanged and a wedding gift was given to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hartness who were recently married.

Robert Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ion D. Phillips, spent the week end in Detroit visiting friends. He returned to Michigan State college Tuesday, after spending the holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nichols of Jefferson City, Missouri, who have been spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wigan of Holt, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson and family Monday evening.

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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kranz have a son, Larry Daniel, born Saturday at the Mason General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wall of Phillips road have a son, born Saturday at the Mason General Hospital.

A son, Dennis Walter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Pollok on Sunday at the Mason General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Corlette of Danville have a daughter born Monday at the Mason General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bullen of Jackson have a son, Mark Stuart, born New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seelye, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Don Green, games and dancing were the diversion of the evening.

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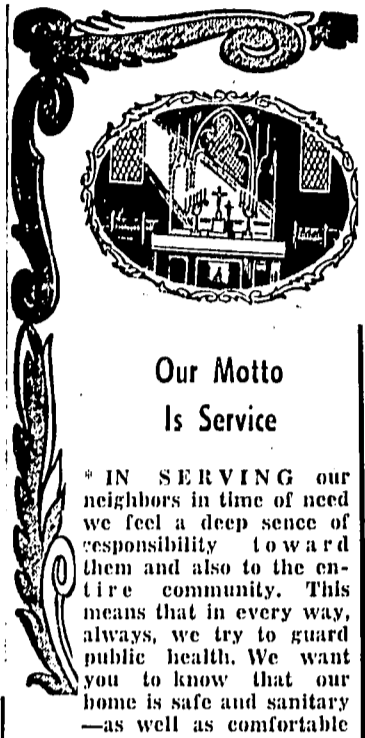
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Organizations

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FARM FOR SALE - Five acres,
four miles outside of Mason.
Very nice house. Seven rooms,
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ested for prices and appointment
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acre farm, 9-room modern
house, 32 x 50 basement barn,
other buildings. This farm
can be bought on terms.
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Modern home, large hip roof
dairy barn. Milk house, ce-
ment slave silo, other build-
ings. \$17,500. Terms.
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acre farm, house, four rooms
and bath, garage, \$15,000.
\$2,700 down balance \$35.00
per month.

60 ACRE FARM south of Wil-
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stock and tools, \$12,500, 1/2
down.

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Mason, five-room house, par-
tly modern, garage, poultry
house, \$4,600, terms.

20-ACRE FARM near William-
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house, oil heat, 30x40 hip-
roof barn, near school, \$13-
500, terms.

IN MASON - Near business dis-
trict, 3-bedroom modern
home, modern kitchen with
dishwasher and sink disposal,
gas heat, 2-car garage, \$11-
500, terms.

IN MASON - New 3-bedroom
home, all on one floor, gas
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terms.

IN LESLIE - Good house, 7
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age, large lot, located on
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IN MASON, a 9-room modern
house, full bedroom, four-
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down. New Chrysler oil temp
heating plant. Garage, lo-
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700, terms.

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three rooms and bath, includ-
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PARM - One of the better 40
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MASON, close in, brick modern
house, suitable as nice home,
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2-car garage. Lot 99x132. Might
consider trading for modern
smaller house. Price \$16,000.

MASON (near) 231 acre farm
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120 ACRES, in Alabedon township
all tillable, and best of heavy
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area, 165 acres under cultivation,
30 acres wheat, 54 acres
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porch. Owner says, sell this
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270 ACRES with 190 acres under
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alfalfa broom, 30 acres canary
grass, 30x108, 28x42, silo
12x36, modern 3 bedroom, full
2 compartment basement, living
room 15x32, forced air heat, wa-
ter heater, laundry tubs, 2 car
garage. Price \$30,000.

IF YOU DON'T see what you
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I may be able to help you.
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good lots, evergreen trees, fruit
and 2-room cabin, a bargain at
\$8,800 on good terms. Call Lewis
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sing 69749. 49w1f

Houses for Sale
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4401. 46w1f

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Real Estate
502 Center Street
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HELP WANTED
A MARSHALL FIELD
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Opening January for alert, educa-
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rector of Childcraft work in
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trained. Do not apply if not plan-
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Call for interview. 6MA 24751.
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er, 500-chick capacity. Balzer's
Rock Haven Poultry Farm, phone
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WOULD LIKE WORK of any
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inson, corner of Ann and Mathews,
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WANTED - Work by hour or day.
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WANTED - To baby sit evenings
and Saturdays. Kay White,
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WANTED - Man and wife or
woman who want a home, to
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Classified Ads

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In Memorium

JONES—In memory of my father, Eugene Jones, who passed away two years ago December 29. Though father has gone away sweet memories linger so. Happy hours we spent together in my heart still glow. His daughter, Chloee Anderson. 1w1

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Tax Notice

ATTENTION—Ingham township taxpayers, I will be at the Ingham town hall to collect taxes each Saturday, hours from 10 to 4, beginning December 22. A. C. Dowling, township treasurer. 50w4

MASON—I will be at the Farmers bank on Thursdays and Fridays from 12 to 3 and at the Dart National bank on Saturday forenoons for the collection of taxes. Mrs. Doris Austin, treasurer. 49w1

WHEATFIELD TOWNSHIP—I will be at the Peoples State Bank, Williamston, December 29, January 5, February 16, and 23 for collection of taxes. I will accept at my house other than above dates, each Wednesday and Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. George Ban Demark. 52w2

TAXES FOR WHITE OAK township will be collected at my home every Friday until March 1. Charles Gauss, Webberville. 1w1

ATTENTION—Aurelius township taxpayers, I will be at the Farmers Bank every Saturday, starting December 15 to March 1, 1952 for the purpose of collecting taxes. Dorr L. Eckhart, treasurer. 50w1

Lost and Found

FOUND—Man's rubber, almost new. Owner may get it by notifying Emery Colby, phone 26501 Mason. 52w1

Inter-City Tabernacle 2827 E. Michigan, Lansing Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 ALL WELCOME Roy Patterson, Pastor.

DOGS—Report own or stray dogs to City Huiet, county dog warden, Mason phone 2-5890, or to sheriff's office, 6601, 52w1

LOST—Probably between court house and South Lansing street Christmas week, metal cover for large portable furnace cleaner with motor, cord and three large blue dust bags. Finder please contact Ingham County News, Box 94. 1w2

LOST—Brindle Boxer. Disappeared Wednesday afternoon. Answers to the name of Bretin. If found notify Dr. Green, phone 9791 Mason. 1w1

LOST—Parakeet, one toenail missing. Part green, very friendly. Phone 28100 Mason. 1w1

4-H Club

Vantown The Fancy Doers and Busy Fingers 4-H club met Friday at the home of Beverly Henselct. After a brief business meeting the afternoon was spent sewing. The next meeting will be held January 12 at the home of Lynne Schaaht.

Mason Market

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| Wheat | | \$2.43 |
| Oats | | .58 |
| Corn | | 1.74 |
| Soybeans | | 2.69 |
| Buckwheat, cwt. | | 2.75 |
| Rye | | 1.87 |
| Navy beans, cwt. | | 6.65 |

Book Talk

INGHAM COUNTY LIBRARY

Hours open to the public at the Hall Memorial Library: Daily, 2-5 p.m. Mon. Wed. Sat. 7-9 p.m. Tues. and Fri. noon. Sat. 10-12 p.m.

One of the main purposes of a library, and the Ingham county library is no exception, is to save people time and money. Not only writers, and literary men, but business men, and individuals working independently have profited by a careful use of the library. For example, Thomas A. Edison acknowledged his gratitude to the library service, saying that it was the books which he borrowed in the days when he was a train boy and too poor to buy them, that gave him the scientific information which he needed for his early experiments. And a young Detroit mechanic named Henry Ford enlarged his knowledge of chain traction engines and steam engines through the books and magazines which he found in the public library, until he was able to develop the internal combustion engine for a self-motive power for bugs.

In other fields, too, ambitious people are making use of their library. Those books which are too technical, perhaps, for the Ingham county library itself to own, are easily available through it, as books can be borrowed from state libraries for the use of all residents of the county.

People are turning to the library for help in every phase of life. The Ingham county library furnishes names for new babies, gives addresses of publishing companies and prominent individuals, finds the sources of quotations, provides minor statistics, gives help on club and school entertainments, answers questions concerning etiquette, and locates recipes for busy cooks. This information, and more, is available in the books and answers to questions are also given over the telephone. The patron of a community library will find much material available there, but, if it is not, he will have only a few days wait while material is sent to his library for him.

In closing, we might remind you that in all probability, the least known fact in regard to your county library is that it holds surprises and material of importance to every individual in the county who is old enough to read—all that is necessary is the curiosity to explore.

New books for adults this week, include the following:
THE END OF THE AFFAIR, by Graham Greene
THE UTMOST ISLAND, by Henry Myers

TWO ARE BAPTIZED

At Christmas services Rev. Paul L. Arnold of the Mason Presbyterian church baptized two Deborahs. They were the infant daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor of San Antonio, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Barr of Mason. Mrs. Taylor was Janice Dart before her marriage. Mrs. Barr was Margaret Davis.

Special Music Is Planned for Sunday Service

Prof. and Mrs. Lyman W. Bodman of East Lansing will be the guest musicians at the Presbyterian church Sunday, January 6, at 10 a. m. service of worship, according to the pastor, Paul L. Arnold. Mr. Bodman is an instructor in violin, and Mrs. Bodman is a member of the Michigan State college music department. They will play two numbers, "Adagio," by Schumann, and "Andante" by Handel.

Mr. Bodman was formerly a member of the First Presbyterian church, Bement, Illinois, where Mr. Arnold was pastor. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois in music and completed post-graduate work at the Oberlin College of Music. He and his wife have been on the Michigan State college staff for five years.

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One of the main purposes of a library, and the Ingham county library is no exception, is to save people time and money. Not only writers, and literary men, but business men, and individuals working independently have profited by a careful use of the library. For example, Thomas A. Edison acknowledged his gratitude to the library service, saying that it was the books which he borrowed in the days when he was a train boy and too poor to buy them, that gave him the scientific information which he needed for his early experiments. And a young Detroit mechanic named Henry Ford enlarged his knowledge of chain traction engines and steam engines through the books and magazines which he found in the public library, until he was able to develop the internal combustion engine for a self-motive power for bugs.

In other fields, too, ambitious people are making use of their library. Those books which are too technical, perhaps, for the Ingham county library itself to own, are easily available through it, as books can be borrowed from state libraries for the use of all residents of the county.

People are turning to the library for help in every phase of life. The Ingham county library furnishes names for new babies, gives addresses of publishing companies and prominent individuals, finds the sources of quotations, provides minor statistics, gives help on club and school entertainments, answers questions concerning etiquette, and locates recipes for busy cooks. This information, and more, is available in the books and answers to questions are also given over the telephone. The patron of a community library will find much material available there, but, if it is not, he will have only a few days wait while material is sent to his library for him.

In closing, we might remind you that in all probability, the least known fact in regard to your county library is that it holds surprises and material of importance to every individual in the county who is old enough to read—all that is necessary is the curiosity to explore.

New books for adults this week, include the following:
THE END OF THE AFFAIR, by Graham Greene
THE UTMOST ISLAND, by Henry Myers

'Other Burma Surgeon' Will Speak at Baptist Association Meeting Here



Dr. Anna Grey

Dr. Anna Barbara Grey, the "other Burma Surgeon," will be on the program at the Mason Baptist church Tuesday night. She served in Burma as a medical missionary and plans to return there at the end of her present leave.

When at Denison university, Dr. Grey responded to a call for missionaries and secured her training at Rush Medical college, Chicago. She first went to a Baptist hospital in Burma and was there until driven out by the Japanese. When Dr. Gordon Seagrave went in the army, he called Dr. Grey to re-open his hospital at Namikun. She escaped from there by plane to Assam. After an interlude as Red Cross instructor she was invalided home but soon returned to the Ellen Mitchell Memorial hospital in Moulmein, Burma, where she serves as director and chief surgeon.

Dr. Grey is the headliner on the Jackson Baptist association program which will be held in the Mason church Tuesday afternoon and evening. Others who will have leading parts include Rev. Donald T. Grey of Lansing, brother of Dr. Grey, Dr. Ralph Taylor Amden and Rev. O. B. Robinson, both of Lansing.

Mrs. Fred E. Scott of Detroit, president of the Michigan Baptist Convention, and Mrs. Gilbert A. Miles of Lansing, president of the Women's Council of the Michigan Baptist Convention, will conduct conferences at 4:30 and 6:50. When Dr. Gordon Seagrave was in the family supper a special table will be reserved for all Lake Louise outh campers. Women of the Mason church will serve supper at 6:15.

Baptists are going to compete to see which church in the association has the greatest percentage of members at the sessions. Rev. Loyd G. Caraway of the Mason church is moderator of the association.

meeting of Woman's Society of Christian Service. Reception for new members, Wednesday, 7:00. Prayer group; Thursday, 7:45, choir rehearsal.

Burley Road Gospel Hall, 1021 Burley road, 3 miles west of Williamston, US-16. Breaking of bread, 10:00 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school, 11:30 a. m. Preaching of the gospel, 8:30 a. m. Starting January, gospel 3:30 p. m. Ministry of the world, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Prayer and ministry, Friday, 8:00 p. m.

Eden United Brethren church, Rev. E. Gamble, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, senior and Y. P., at 7:45 p. m. Evening service, 8:15 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Petters, Tuttle road, 8:00 p. m. Friday.

Colorado's mean temperatures range from 31 degrees in the higher mountains to 54 degrees in the lower Arkansas valley.

News of the Churches

Williamston Methodist, Horace James, pastor. Church school, 10 a. m.; worship services, 11 a. m. Junior Youth Fellowship, 4:00 p. m.; Senior Youth Fellowship, 5:00 p. m. Choir practice Wednesday, 7 p. m. Religious movie 7:30 p. m. W. S. C. S. first Wednesday 2 p. m. at church; circles second Wednesday in homes. Nursery department teachers lesson study, open to all, under capable woman during worship service.

Christian Science healing. A public reading room is open at the church every Wednesday and Saturday from 2 to 4. How obedience to God brings rich blessings to mankind will be discussed in the lesson-sermon to be read in all Christian Science churches on Sunday, January 6, 1952, under the subject "God."

Dansville Methodist church, Rev. Samuel Seizer, pastor. Church school, 10:00. G. E. Manning, superintendent. Worship service 11:00; Song service 7:30; Bible study, M. Y. P. 8:00. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Dansville Pres. Methodist, Rev. E. H. Kincaid, pastor. Sunday school 10:00, Leland Perrine, superintendent; preaching service 11:00; Young People's service 6:30; Evening service 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Williamston Wesleyan Methodist, Brick, C. E. Miller, pastor. Worship service, 10 a. m.; class meeting 11 a. m.; church school, 11:15 a. m. Prayer service Wednesday.

Williamston Nazarene, Rev. D. Miller, pastor. Church school 10 a. m.; worship service 10:00 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Williamston Seventh Day Adventist, 1169 Stillman road, R. K. Krick, pastor. Saturday, church school 1:20 p. m.; worship service, 2:45 p. m.; Adventist hour, WJIM 1 p. m. Sunday.

Williamston Lutheran, John Westendorf, pastor, 1022 West Grand River, Church school, 9:45 a. m.; worship service 10:00 a. m.

Williamston St. Mary's Catholic, Rev. Fr. Hugh Conklin, pastor. Confessions and devotions, Saturday 7:30 p. m. Sunday masses 7:30 and 10:30 a. m. Fowlerville, confessions and devotions Friday 7 p. m.; Sunday mass, 9 a. m.

Williamston Center Methodist, Horace James, pastor. Worship service, 9:30 a. m.; church school, 10:30 a. m.

Williamston Nazarene, Rev. D. Miller, pastor. Church school 10 a. m.; worship service, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Williamston Christian Science Society, Frey Bldg. Worship service 11 a. m.; church school, Frey residence 11 a. m. Mid-week service every first and third Wednesday 8 p. m.

Williamston St. Katherine's Episcopal, Rev. Norman F. Kinzie, pastor. Worship service 11:00 a. m.; church school 11:00 a. m.; evening song 4 p. m.

Williamston Wesleyan Methodist, Rowley, C. E. Miller, pastor. Church school 10 a. m.; class meeting 11 a. m.; worship service 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Young People's service, 7:30 p. m.; prayer service Thursday, 8 p. m.

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Lutheran Church in Mason, Legion Memorial Hall, S. Jefferson street, Walter F. Koepplin, pastor. Divine services at 9:15 a. m. Holy communion Sunday morning.

Mason Church of the Nazarene, located at 235 West Elm street. Rev. Hugh Putnam, pastor. Regular church service at 10:00 a. m. Men's prayer service at 6:30 p. m. N. Y. P. S. at 6:45 p. m.; evening service at 7:30 p. m. Prayer service every Wednesday night at 7:30. Choir practice following.

St. James Mission, Rev. Msgr. Charles Keating, pastor. Mass will be said at the chapel at the corner of South Jefferson and Cherry streets at 8:30. Sunday morning Catechism classes will be at 1:30 at the Legion building, Saturday.

Aurelius Center Baptist, Rev. Gilbert Miles, pastor. Worship service is at 11:30 a. m. with church school preceding at 10:30.

North Aurelius Church, Rev. Carl Briggs, pastor. Corner Columbia and Elbert roads. Sunday school 10:15 and morning worship at 11:15. Young Peoples Fellowship service evening at 6:45, with an evangelistic service at 8:00 p. m. Wednesday evening at 8:00 is the mid-week prayer service.

Williamston Baptist, Harold Reese, pastor. Church school 10 a. m. worship service 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior and senior groups 6:30 p. m. Thursday.

Williamston Gospel Hall, 4021 Burley road. Breaking of bread, 10 a. m.; church school 11:30 a. m.; worship service, 3:30 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Mason, holds services at the church, corner of Oak and Barnes Streets, every Sunday at 11:00. Sunday school is held during the services for pupils up to the age of 20. Wednesday evening meeting at 8:00 includes testimonies of

Men's Council Will See Film

"The God of Creation," produced by the Moody Institute of Science, Los Angeles, will be shown at the Men's Council dinner program, Wednesday, January 9, 6:30 p. m., according to the chairman, Hallie Hawkness.

The sound-color film portrays the wonders of creation, through the use of micro-photography, and lapsed-time photography, and is designed to show the harmony between the creation and Biblical narrative. The Institute of Science has developed a unique ministry in this field, and its productions have been used widely in colleges, high schools, churches, business institutions, and for inductees in the air corps of the U. S. Army.

The men of the community are invited to the program. Reservations for the dinner may be made at the church office.

CHARLOTTE MARKETS

Hogs—Top, \$18.00 to \$19.20; mixed, \$16.50 to \$17.90; roughs, \$15.50 down; feeder pigs, \$4.00 to \$12.50 each.

Cattle—Top, \$35.00 to \$39.00; second, \$31.50 to \$36.00; butts, \$30.50 down; deacons, \$11.00 to \$28.00 cwt.

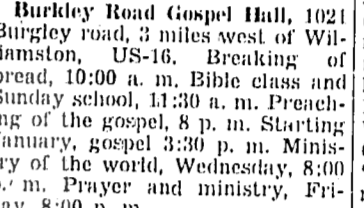
Lambs—Top, \$30.25 down; other lambs, \$29.00 down; ewes, \$15.00 down.

Cattle—Steers and heifers, \$24.00 to \$33.80; best beef cows, \$23.00 to \$26.50; commons, \$19.00 to \$22.50; cutters and canners, \$18.50 down; bulls \$30.50 down; dairy cows, \$22.50 down, each.

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Whooping cough is rapidly decreasing in the United States; deaths from this disease fell below 1,000 last year for the first time.

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TODAY'S meditation

The Upper Room
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An understanding of the loving power of God can help us to make new beginnings. A growing experience of God reflects the fact that He still creates, that He still works. He can take our lives and make something of them—provided we create a partnership with Him by offering Him our lives. God makes new beginnings possible, through Christ our Lord.

PRAYER
God of the ages. Thou hast surrounded us with resources far beyond our need. May we feel the tides of Thy renewing strength as we open our lives to Thee. Grant that our spirits may grow strong and beautiful and useful. Through Jesus Christ Thy Son, our Lord, Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
"My Father worketh hitherto, and I work."
Wills C. Phelps (Colorado)
Read John 5:17-21.

In the beginning God took what was and made something of it. The earth was a desolate waste, but God brought order out of chaos. He took the lesser and created something better. God is continually creating, creating.

In the beginning of many a Christian life, the influence of God is seen. Whereas once those lives were purposeless, self-centered, and lived on the casual surface of things, God has entered into them to mark the beginning, in each case, of a new life. He causes new thoughts and feelings to awaken within the depths of our beings. From our broken hopes and work spring other hopes and work that bud and blossom into a deepening experience of God.

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Kit Clardy Books Senator Taft For Four Weekly Radio Talks

Senator Robert A. Taft, candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency, will speak on the subject, "A Foreign Policy for Americans," on the weekly radio program sponsored and produced by Kit Clardy. This program is heard each Tuesday night at 6:30 on Flint radio station WBBG and Lansing radio station WJLS.



Senator Robert A. Taft

The series of four programs, according to Clardy, will cover the topics and subjects discussed in the senator's recently-published book. The four programs together will give a well-rounded story of the senator's beliefs and opinions in the important field of American foreign policy, according to Clardy.

COW TESTS HIGH
With 485 pounds of butterfat and 12,941 pounds of milk, testing 3.8% to her credit, Lynnmar Modest Bessie, a registered Holstein cow owned by W. H. Freshour, Mason, has completed a 247-day production test.

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Evening Shows Start at 7:00 P. M.
Continues Saturday from 3:00 P. M. Continuous Sunday from 3:00 P. M. Admission—14c and 35c—Tax included.

Thursday & Friday, January 3-4
Dick Powell in "YOU NEVER CAN TELL," also Don Barry in "GUNFIRE"

Saturday, January 5
KING OF OUTLAWS! PRINCE OF LOVERS!
He made history AT NIGHT!
The Highwayman
starring PHILIP HARRIS, CHARLES BRUCE, WANDA HENDRIX
Also—Tom Errol Comedy and Riddle Western.

Sunday & Monday, January 6-7
TOO FUNNY TO MISS!
M-G-M Joyfully presents
June Allyson, Van Johnson
Too Young to Kiss

The things she says!
The things she does!
Is she a kid or is she kidding?
Plus—Cartoon, News and Pete Smith Specialty

Tuesday & Wednesday, January, 8-9
An eye-ful...an ear-ful...an armful of the **BIG TOWN!**
HOWARD HUGHES presents
TWO TICKETS TO BROADWAY
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starring
TONY MARTIN, JANET LEIGH, GLORIA DeHAVEN, EDDIE BRACKEN, ANN MILLER
with BARBARA LAWRENCE, BOB CROSBY, including THE CHARLIVELS
Also—Cartoon and "Art Of Archery"

Thursday & Friday, January, 10-11

LEO GORCEY
and the
BOWERY BOYS

—SECOND FEATURE—
Jean Porter
Tom Neal

in
G. I. Jane

Ant—Chapter 10 of
"MYSTERIOUS ISLAND"

NEXT WEEK—Robert Ryan in "BEST OF THE BADMEN" in Technicolor; Shelley Winters-Farley Granger in "BEHAVE YOURSELF"; James Mason in "DESERT FOX"; Marguerite Chapman in "FLIGHT TO MARS" in color.

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Section 2

Farmer Peck's Wife

Fathers need to share joys of giving.
Surprise always adds to enjoyment.
Elizabeth steadily improves.

The doll house is a great success! Susy and Sally have hugged us many times and told us how much they liked it. . . . and us. They have always done a good job of pretending and make believe with their dolls and toys and now they are having a picnic. You should hear them talk and go on. You would think they were grown up and keeping house.

They haven't mentioned the lack of a stairway so far but Sally did say it needed closets. We thought it was plenty large but now we wonder. Even now Pete and I are saying we should have done this or that just like folks do when they've built a real house.

We had a wonderful Christmas this year. . . . and I know one reason that Pete did it because he had a real part in the preparations of the girls' gifts. You know how it goes most years in most families. . . . the mother does the buying because the father leaves it up to her. If he would help how much fun they could have together. I know we did.

Christmas morning was so much fun. The girls dashed out at five for their socks and came back and dumped them into bed with us. Pete pushed the bed up to the wall as last year. I came out onto the floor. . . . almost. Don't know what we'll do next year. Probably have to make an extension to our bed with chairs. If we all lie in straight rows we could make it all right but Susy has a way (a four-year-old way) of sprawling and if there's anything sharper than her heels and elbows, what is it?

When Pete went to do chores there we were with the promise that we'd wait until he came in to go out to the ivo. We got dressed and combed out and the bedroom work done and still he hadn't come. At a quarter to eight he came and the waiting was over. We had put the dining room table in front of the tree and draped it with a sheet so no one could see anything. The surprise was worth it for the girls didn't look before they touched anything. It was so comical Sally said, "Is that why you didn't want me to go into the basement? I'm awfully glad now you didn't let me because it's such a surprise and I like surprises better than anything."

Pete has a streak of humor that never shows but to those who know him very well. Our first Christmas together we put up a tiny tree and decorated it with a happiness that comes to folks who have married in their late twenties and who ate at last decorating a tree of their own.

Pete said he was going to put my gift on the tree a full week to tease me. He did, too, but he made a little wooden box and into this he nailed shut whatever it was. He said no amount of shaking or feeling could reveal its contents. It was white mittens.

Well, I saved that box and next year tied and bolted down a hammer in it for him and put it on the tree a week early and he never guessed what it was. . . . not that he didn't try. The next year he had it again and he fastened a billfold in it for me. So went that box. It was narrow and thin and that limited the size of the gift. Even when we had another gift on the tree we reached first for that box.

I remember one year when we opened our gifts around the tree in the living room. I thanked him for my lamp table and perfume and set to straightening the littered floor and then went to get breakfast. Imagine my surprise to see a kitchen stool standing right where I had wanted a stool for a long time. He said it had been out in the granary over the oat bin. Ever since then no matter how hard I try not to I can't resist an upward turn of my head when I go to feed the hens. . . . around Christmas.

What made Christmas special, I wonder this year was the look Elizabeth has nowadays. She really looks good. She does all her own work and can go to church and town. She can't eat everything, nothing with salt, which means bread from town and candy, but she has a diet of her own and she's gaining. It's a miracle that she got well like this.

It's baking weather. We stay home more and the fire feels cozy and inviting. I can hardly wait to try out those recipes sent to me on Christmas cards. Guess that would be called a hobby with me as I like to cook.

Former Merchant Dies in Petoskey

Louis E. Tucker, 62, of Petoskey died in the hospital there Friday after a short sickness. He formerly operated a grocery store in Mason. His first store in 1929 was at the corner of Columbia and Mason streets. Later he was in business on East Ash.

After leaving Mason Mr. Tucker became an auditor for the state revenue department. He was born in St. Johns. He lived in Lansing 22 years and in Mason from 1929 to 1932. For six years he had been in Petoskey on the staff of the Emmet county road commission.

Besides the widow, Effie L., Mr. Tucker is survived by two daughters and two sons. The daughters are Mrs. Marvin Feather of Petoskey and Mrs. Earl Williams of Lansing. The sons are L. Glenn Tucker of Boyne City and George F. Tucker of Lake City and a sister, Mrs. Glenn Wilbur, and a brother, Arthur Tucker, both of St. Johns.

Funeral services were held in St. Johns Monday.

Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bishop in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Murray of Lansing were New Year's Eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noxon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams, Joanne and Janis and Mr. Harold Mrs. Paul Notestine were Christmas Eve guests at the Avery home. Mrs. John Avery and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Avery and daughters enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Avery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riley and family were guests also.

John Avery spent two days visiting with Sheila and Teresa Avery. Teresa returned home with John and spent the week end there.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Strickling entertained the North families at a potluck dinner Christmas Eve. Twenty-five were present. Sunday before Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Strickling and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Strickling.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith, of Hobbs, Neb., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bush.

Northwest Stockbridge

Mrs. Guerdon Usher
Friendship class party will be held Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guerdon Usher.

Clyde Walker of Detroit and Vera Walker of Lansing spent Christmas Lay with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bauer and family and their mother, Mrs. Daisy Walker.

Mrs. Pat. Hegge's sister and family from Payne, Ohio, spent Christmas here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sharland and children spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sharland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hicks of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Campbell.

All of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Briggs' children and grandchildren spent Christmas Day with them.

Cpl. Lawrence Briggs returned to camp Wednesday.

Comedy Dominates Fox Screen

Laughs, laughs and more laughs will be provided by the week's bookings at the Fox theatre.

Thursday and Friday Dick Powell is starred in the farce, "You Never Can Tell." The second feature on the twin bill stars Don Barry in "Gunfire."

Saturday afternoon and Saturday night the exciting romance, "The Highwayman," is featured.

With Charles Coburn, Wanda Hendrix, Philip Friend, Cecil Kelly and Victor Jory starred, "The Highwayman" achieves a rare combination of a perfect love story with the flashing action of swordsmen and fast riding nobles of pre-revolutionary England.

"The Highwayman" is the classical poem by the famed Alfred Noyes. Friend, good looking Englishman, plays the title role. Wanda Hendrix is cast as Bea, the inn-keeper's daughter. In one sequence Wanda portrays a boy intent on holding up a stagecoach. The part, besides being highly romantic, calls for Wanda to ride a horse like the wind, handle swords and give a good account of herself with dueling pistols. Coburn is cast as a scheming nobleman.

Hal E. Chester, producer of the film, kept to the original story with meticulous care. Jan Jeffries, who wrote the script, and Lesley Selander, who directed, also approached their tasks with great devotion for Noyes' original poem.

John is Bewildered
There is plenty of fun in store for those who enjoy a hearty laugh in M-G-M's rib-tickling romantic comedy, "Too Young to Kiss," which brings Van Johnson and June Allyson to the Fox screen, Sunday and Monday in a story tailor-made to the talents of these popular stars.

In the new offering June is seen as a concert pianist who is constantly thwarted in her attempt to get an audition from concert manager Van. In desperation, she finally crashes a children's audition in the guise of a thirteen-year-old and Van thinks he has discovered a new child prodigy. Circumstances force June to continue the masquerade and even to live at Van's country house in preparation for her first concert an experience which not only brings about hilarious complications between the concert manager and his "prodigy" but which also results in repercussions on the part of G. I. Young, playing June's irate fiancé, and Paul Corday, cast as Van's temperamental rival friend.

The manner in which June's fraud is finally brought to light and the resulting hi-jinks make for a picture which is fast, furious and funny all the way.

The role of the manager who finds himself in the position of being a somewhat bewildered foster parent to an extremely attractive child is right up Van Johnson's alley and he makes the most of it in a sly and ingratiating performance. Miss Allyson, also, is just right for the part of the ambitious girl who is determined to get her chance on the concert stage but finds that in posing as a little girl she has let herself in for a great deal more than she bargained for.

Songfest Due Tuesday
Throwing a sparkling and tuneful light on show-business today, Howard Hughes' presentation, "Two Tickets to Broadway," in color by Technicolor, offers a merry package of entertainment with an all-star cast headed by Tony Martin, Janet Leigh, Gloria DeHaven, Eddie Bracken, Ann Miller and Barbara Lawrence.

The troubles of four showgirls and a young singer with their gift but tricky booking agent combine the basis of the gay plot. Disguised with his empty promises, the five are about ready to give up the battle for Broadway fame when the agent persuades them he has sold their act to Bob Crosby and his band, and sets them in color for the concert stage but finds that in posing as a little girl she has let herself in for a great deal more than she bargained for.

A flock of hit tunes by some of the nation's top composers, along with startling new dance numbers enliven the gay story. Besides Bob Crosby, featured are the comedy team of Smith and Dale, the Charleys, Taylor Holmes and Buddy Baer, supported by a host of dancing and singing lovelies. James V.

Northwest Ingham

Mr. and Mrs. Ami Terrill and Mrs. Ina Davidson were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Laing and sons of East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butterworth and Dorothy entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cogley of Lansing for dinner Christmas Day, at a Lansing restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butterworth and Dorothy left Saturday morning for a two-week vacation in Florida. Their first stop will be at Brookfield, where Mrs. Butterworth's sister, Mrs. Kenneth Dean, is living.



Van Johnson and June Allyson team for love and laughs in "Too Young to Kiss." M-G-M's hilarious story of a concert manager who gets into uproarious complications with a girl whom he believes to be a pianist "child prodigy." The new attraction plays Sunday and Monday at the Fox Theatre.

Kern directed the picture at RKO Radio, with Busby Berkeley as dance director. Sid Silvers and Hal Kanter wrote the screenplay from Sammy Cahn's original story, with Julie Styne and Leo Robin writing many of the songs.

Twin Bill Starts Thursday
The Fox film fare for Thursday and Friday will feature Leo Gorcey and the Bowery Boys in "Crazy Over Horses" and Jean Porter and Tom Neal in "G. I. Jane."

"Crazy Over Horses," the newest in Monogram's Bowery Boys series of popular comedies, finds Leo Gorcey starred, Huntz Hall in his comedy role as Sach, William Benedict as Whitey, Bennie Bartlett as Butch and David Condon as Chuckie. Bernard Gorcey continues to operate the famous Sweet Shop.

In the picture the boys, acting as collection agents for Louie, get a race horse in payment and find themselves immediately involved with a gang of crooked gamblers. They get out of their difficulty only after a snafu of involvements. Leo and Huntz saving the day by Huntz riding in a winner with Leo coaching him during the race over a walkie talkie.

A large part of the picture was filmed at the Hollywood Park race track, one of the finest in Southern California. The big plant, Southern California, was re-activated just for this production.

Hilarious comedy and tricky, tuneful musical numbers highlight "G. I. Jane," Lippert Pictures film

which is the second portion of the twin bill.

The film boasts several musical numbers, cleverly interspersed with the highly amusing comedy situations.



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Michigan State and the Fair

State fair promoters are looking at the banks of the Winding Cedar for a state fair site.

Michigan State college officials don't want the fair. Several years ago they found that the state fair was not the place for 4-H competition and the college now runs its own show without a midway, without exploitation, without horse races. The youngsters show their exhibits and demonstrate their skills without the confusion and the other poor environmental conditions suffered at Detroit.

Maybe Michigan State would be interested in a state agricultural fair held in Demonstration hall, the stadium concourse, the livestock pavilion and college barns if the other things didn't go along with it.

The state fair in Detroit has developed into three separate enterprises, maybe four—agricultural exhibits, industrial exhibits, what passes as entertainment, and politics. Agriculture seems to come last.

Perhaps if Michigan really wants an agricultural fair and not what now goes under the name of a state fair, Michigan State college would be interested.

The Lethal American Weapon

With the billions Americans have spent on the Marshall Plan, Point Four and Lend Lease we could have had our enemies killed off or crippled up. All that we would have had to have done would have been to supply them with American automobiles. They would have killed themselves off even quicker than we have exterminated them by bombing.

Sometime this coming February the American automobile fatality total will exceed the total of the nation's military dead since 1775.

At the end of the first year and a half of the Korean war, military deaths in all U. S. wars since the Revolution started had reached 1,004,000. The automobile killed its one millionth victim on December 22.

In the 18 months of the Korean war the U. S. department of defense listed 17,800 military deaths in Korea. In the same 18 months here in the United States the automobile toll was 56,500. By February 1 the automobiles will catch up with the cannon and the bombs and by the end of the month the automobile toll should be well out in front.

The Korean war death toll for Americans has averaged 33 per day. On U. S. highways and city streets the average daily kill has been 103 per day.

So instead of shutting down our automobile factories to shift to defense production we should keep the automobile assembly lines running, shipping the excess to Russia, not for defense but for offense.

Maybe we all ought to remember that an automobile is a weapon more lethal than a tank.

Freight Rates Are Higher

That phrase gets quite a workout these days. Some business men use it in defending their prices. Yes, railroad freight rates are higher, but not enough higher to make a big difference in retail costs on most items.

The increase in freight charges since 1946 on an 83-pound crate of Texas grapefruit to Detroit is 48c, on a 93-pound case of California oranges, 47c, on 100 pounds of shoes from St. Louis, \$1.12 (about four cents a pair), 27c on 100 pounds of sugar from New Orleans, 5c a suit on men's clothes from Rochester, 25c on 100 pounds of beef from Omaha, or a quarter of a cent a pound.

Sure, freight rates are higher than they were and will likely go up again. But they probably won't go high enough on most small articles to bulk up to any big portion of the price. On big machinery, coal, lumber and other heavy items the freight rates count up fast. On the little items that go into retail trade the freight rates amount to little.

Apprenticeships Pay Off

Here at the Ingham County News we knew it before but since the fire the lesson has been reviewed. The young man with a mechanical bent who can keep off an assembly line for a few years can have it as good or better than a lawyer, doctor or any other professional man.

The machinists sent to the Ingham County News from manufacturers and agents, the mechanics who have worked on the repair of the building, have known their trades. They have drawn big money, more in an hour than skilled craftsmen used to get in a day not so long ago, but they have produced. They have known what to do and how to do it. And that knowledge doesn't come from books. It comes from experience. It comes from thorough training.

There are some big opportunities being overlooked by young men today. So many of them can't see the value of long training when the assembly line, mass production, jobs pay off so well so quick.

Welcome to Our Cousins

Winston Churchill and almost as many Englishmen as came over on the Mayflower are heading for this side of the Atlantic. They don't want to settle in Massachusetts. They want to get out of settling at Washington. They intend to pay a little on account, perhaps all they can pay, and to get a lot more.

Yet we should welcome the distinguished visitors. This talk of having Paul Revere ride again to warn of the Redcoat invasion should not be taken seriously.

We should welcome Churchill because he can calm down some of the shrill screeching now coming out of Washington. If he can make Secretary Acheson pipe down there is a chance for peace, an honest peace. That would be worth all the Churchill visit would cost.

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Strong Michigan Government Is Contrast to Other States

By Vernon J. Brown

It has been in my mind for some time to attempt to discuss for my readers some of the proposed reforms which a Michigan joint legislative committee has proposed. As a preface to what I may write in that respect it would seem to me wise to review the background of those operations of state government which complaint is now made and also to discuss briefly wherein Michigan may differ from other states in its organizational structure.

In a sense I have enjoyed a rare privilege in the study of other states. While a member of the state legislature I was honored by being appointed by Governor Fitzgerald as his personal representative on the Council of State Governments. At the conferences I attended I met many men prominent in the affairs of their respective states and many members of congress. While I was auditor general of Michigan, it was my privilege and great opportunity to attend the annual sessions of the Association of State Auditors, Treasurers and Comptrollers. There again I met those who had been selected within the several states to carry on the business of their respective commonwealths.

Divining Rod Sense
 Long before either of these opportunities were opened to me I

was paid a compliment one time by the late Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan. At the risk of being called immodest, I will tell about it. The senator pointed to me as one of a group and said I possessed the gift of discernment in putting my finger on certain weaknesses in government. He likened me to a man seeking underground water with a divining rod. He declared I could spot shortcomings of government better than most men he knew. He had read something I had written.

Be that as it may, I have been around in and about our state capitol since the days of Governor Fred Warner. I have personally known every governor since. My interest has led me to store away some impressions of each, some remembrances of what were the issues each administration faced and during the past 20 years as I have traveled about and visited other states and discussed affairs with officials of other states, there has gradually taken shape a sort of map or chart. Each state has its own peculiar twist or distortion that keeps it from exactly fitting any set pattern.

Room for Differences
 Under the American plan this is the way it should be. If it were different, that difference would

prove that self-government does not work. Uniformity can become tedious. Uniformity in human affairs comes only with dictatorships.

So let us take just one brief look at Michigan and seek the answer to one question. What is there about Michigan that is different from most of her sister states?
 Foremost and really significant is the fact for some reason or another, over the years, here in Michigan our legislatures have consistently asserted themselves and governors who had the least trouble in getting their programs and proposals adopted are those governors who knew how to get along with legislators, individually and collectively. Warner had his troubles until he learned this. Chase S. Osborne fought his legislature from the outset and won his fights constantly by sheer strength of character and will. He lasted only one term and was succeeded by that soft spoken but wise Woodbridge N. Ferris. Governor Ferris was confronted with a legislature of preponderant opposing, political persuasion but he got along with it and saw much of the things he wanted worked into law.

Then came Albert E. Sleeper who had served as state treasurer while Ferris was governor. He took his cue from his predecessor and had little trouble with his legislature. The fact that Sleeper was a conservative and proposed few reforms also contributed to his peace and relations across the halls.

Next in line came Alex Groesbeck. Governor Groesbeck never got along with anyone, not even himself. He bulldozed his way through and saw much of what he proposed adopted but it came grudgingly and there was no love between the legislative halls and the executive offices.

Depression Stopped Brucker
 Green did better with the legislature but not so much in the way of change was attempted. The depression hit the Brucker administration before it started and emergency measures took up most of the efforts of all during those two years.

William A. Comstock stepped into the deepest of the depression era but worked well with his legislature and saw much accomplished. Fitzgerald was a good compromiser and got along well. Murphy got nowhere because he failed to work with the senators and house members. Van Wagener did better and Kelly did well. Both had come to the front office by way of serving in less important state elective positions and by way of membership on the administrative board. Each maintained good liaison with legislative leaders.

During this almost half-century of Michigan history the legislature has perfected many methods of pursuing its own way. It is now traditional in Michigan that the legislature has a very strong voice in shaping the policies and destinies of public affairs within state lines and within the straight jackets imposed from time to time by the people acting under their constitutional rights and powers.

Next week I want to say something concerning Michigan's administrative board, so-called. This is the creation of Governor Groesbeck and it too is unique among the states. Later I shall take up the matter of certain restrictive constitutional amendments and their background.

Down by the SYCAMORE

If you stayed up December 31 to see the New Year in you were fooled. What's a new year to us is old to somebody else.

When the hands of the clock moved past 12 o'clock midnight and we tooted on our little horns we said that 1952 had arrived. This is 2612 by the Japanese count, and since October 1 there have been 1371 by Muslim count. On the Byzantine calendar we are well along into 7460. Last September 30 at sunset Orthodox Jews ripped their old calendars off the walls and hung up their new ones which read 5712. And I've been told that the Jewish calendar, the one the Masonic fraternity uses in the ritual, I have always paid my dues, though, by either a Farmers bank or a Dart National bank calendar.

Most all early peoples started their count of years from the reigns of new kings. On that basis this is Truman 6 just as it was Roosevelt 13 when that dynasty ended.

Early Egyptians started their calendar with the cattle census, 110 being the 110th time the king sent his revenue collectors into Nile township. There is some talk that the Egyptian system will be incorporated into the Brannan Plan.

Babylonians, Assyrians and Sumerians all reckoned time and came out close to the 365-day figures. Some said Happy New Year: June 1 or July 4 or Labor Day. Some of the Sumerians combined Thanksgiving and New Year's, making one turkey and one batch of dressing do for both occasions. One Assyrian tribe insisted on celebrating New Year's on November 4, my birthday.

The Mexican-Mayan calendar used 18 months of 20 days each with an extra five days tossed in for good measure at the end of every year. With 18 months instead of 12, there were 50 per cent more sales tax reports to make out but the five days at the end of the year came in handy for computing the income tax. The Mayan calendar came out to 365 days, mighty close figuring for people who lived thousands of years ago on this side of the Atlantic and didn't have slide rules.

American Indians based their reckoning of time on big snows, big floods or tribal wars. In the Cherokee tribe this would now be year 3, using the justice court case against Mary Martinet and Harriet as a starting point. At the Ingham County News the New Year started December 11, A.F., after the fire.

Some Indians worked out a precise calendar of so many snows or so many harvests. Thus the calendar was based on seasons, and that's as good a way as any and close enough if January thaws don't induce the hens to set.

For centuries people went by the moon instead of the sun in measuring time. The early Roman calendars, borrowed from the Greeks, showed 12 lunations of 29½ days each, making a 354-day year. But they evened things up every few years by throwing in extra days.

Back in the time of Caesar the calendar was so fouled up that winter came when farmers were still fighting potato bugs and summer arrived just when the plant sprouted. After he crossed the Rubicon Caesar looked up So-signes and the two of them abolished right then and there the lunar calendar. Caesar and So-signes computed the year as 365¼ days long, which wasn't far off.

The first Julian calendar used January 1 of the 46th year before the birth of Christ as a starting point. That was the 708th year from the founding of Rome.

Measuring time is relative. If Pitt-down men had tugged up a calendar and kept track of time until this year the 1951 calendar might read 1,210,022. Some folks

claim this earth is 2,000 million years old. There are calendar makers who insist that generations of men can be traced back 300,000 years on any calendar.

Maybe I'm getting too far back to where I'm older than I really feel. So I'll skip down to Pope Gregory who popped 10 days off Caesar's calendar in 1582. He did that to compensate for the error of one day in every 128 years, the error which now exists.

There has been further correction since Pope Gregory scratched 10 days off Caesar's calendar. The day his son George was born Augustine Washington checked February 11 on the calendar then in use and made a like entry in the family Bible. During George's lifetime the calendar was changed, and February 11 (O. S. for old style) became February 22 on the new calendar. That's why mail carriers don't have to work on February 22.

According to my watch, and it's accurate even if the hour hand has been broken, the actual interval during which the earth makes one complete revolution around the sun consists of 365 days, 6 hours, 9 minutes and 9.6 seconds of mean solar time. That's called a sidereal year among us astronomers.

By the same watch the interval between two consecutive returns of the sun to the vernal equinox is 365 days, 5 hours, 48 minutes and 46 seconds of mean solar time, now slowly decreasing at the rate of .530 second per century, if you haven't already noticed. It's this difference between the sidereal year and the tropical year which divides us calendar makers into two opposing groups. The last I knew, Mason merchants were issuing calendars computed on the basis of mean solar time, known as sidereal time.

So may 1952 or 2612 or 1871 or 7460 or 5712, or if you have Pitt-down blood in your veins, 1,210,022, use you will. Happy New Year or Happy Old Year and may you be ready for whatever happens by anyone's calendar.

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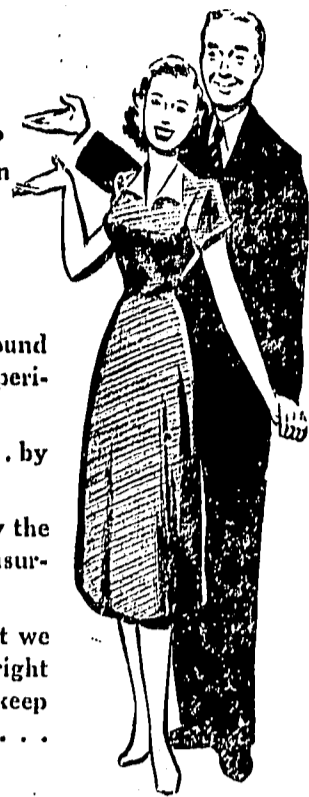
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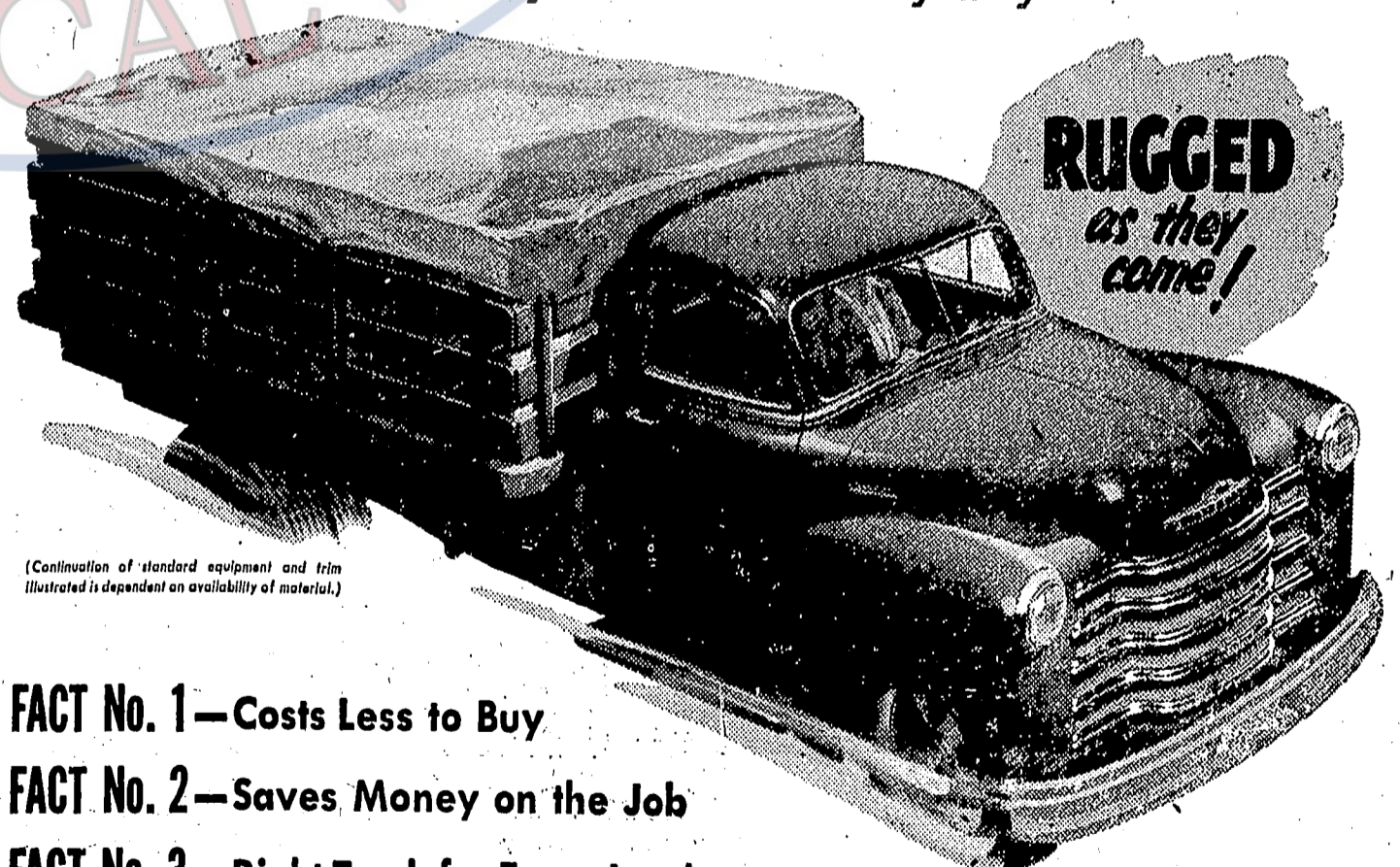
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Review of the Old Year

(Continued from Page 1)

This week to send the frost line under blacktop down deeper...

March 29 The draft has slowed down. The original April quota for Ingham was 40...

April 5 Rep. Lawrence Lindemer announced that the Sunday hunting ban favored by Ingham farmers is doomed...

April 12 Judge Lucien Sweet of Kalamazoo sentenced Rex Lee Olson and Velorus Mattheis of Vicksburg to life terms for the slaying of Carolyn Drown of Stockbridge November 26, 1950...

April 19 Ingham's assessed valuation went up \$15,000,000 when the board added \$15,000,000 in equalizing figures submitted by city assessors and township supervisors...

April 26 Larry Lowe, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lowe of Mason, is one of 100 Michigan safety patrol boys to get a four-day trip to Washington...

April 27 The annual 4-H variety show held at the Mason school was a success. Dave Beatty of Williamston was given the award as top performer...

May 3 Robert Sommers is the commandeer of Murphy-Evans post of the VFW at Dansville...

May 10 Directors of the Leslie Co-Op approved adoption of a new charter which gives added powers to a seven-member council...

May 17 Justice of the Peace Roy W. Adams held that a flaw exists in Mason's charter covering drunk driving. Until the defect is remedied, Mason will have to rely on state law...

May 24 Funeral services for Pfr. Dugald A. Bill of the U. S. nurses are planned for Sunday at the Felt Plains Methodist church...

May 31 Claude D. Fay, 74, died at Leslie. He had lived nearly all his life in Vevay and Leslie townships...

June 7 Trees were uprooted and buildings damaged by a cyclone which struck sections of Ingham county June 1. Leslie, Onondaga and Holt suffered the heaviest damage...

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June 28 Flo Bornstein of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Joyce W. Taylor of Eden Seminary, Webster Grove, Mo., and John D. Anderson of Anderson college, Anderson, Ind., and Glen Murphy of Phillips university, Enid, Oklahoma, have been sent to Ingham by the National Council of Churches to do missionary work among migrant farm workers...

June 29 Mrs. Cornelia Nye, 72, a resident of Mason for 69 years, died June 26. Painters are giving the court house a new coat of paint...

July 5 Mayor C. H. Hall, last mayor under the old charter, was elected mayor under the new Charter Monday night. Miss Martha Thayer has completed 30 years of service in the office of judge of probate...

to three-year terms and Dwight Henderson to a two-year term...

July 19 Mayor C. H. Hall has picked a five-member committee to study municipal valuations. Ingham 4-H boys and girls and some of their parents took an excursion to Detroit by train Tuesday...

August 23 Mrs. Floy Turner, 59, librarian at the Ingham county tuberculosis sanatorium, was one of the 10 people killed in a bus-truck collision near Amos...

August 30 The Dansville Booster club netted \$550 at its annual auction. The Dansville High School boys' basketball team defeated the Otsego team 24 to 20...

August 31 C. B. Smith & Sons took nine out of a possible 14 first places at the annual Ingham Black and White show held at the Smith pavilion in Williamston...

September 1 Ingham now has 38 members on the county board. By virtue of its increased population, East Lansing is entitled to a fifth supervisor...

braria to become supervisory of branch libraries in Siphonish county, Washington...

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Leslie News

By Paul Tucker

Services Are Held For Albert L. Clark

Albert Rezin Clark, 73, of 305 Church street, Leslie, died at his home Sunday morning. Mr. Clark was born in Bolivar, Ohio, and had lived in Leslie for 20 years, being employed as a mechanic. He is survived by the widow, Helen Clark; a twin sister, Mrs. George Gilson of Chelsea; and three other sisters, Mrs. Edith Ackley of Lansing, Mrs. Ivan Stedman of Holt, and Mrs. Carl Schopp of Lansing.

Mr. Clark was at the Behrens-Luecht funeral home in Leslie where funeral services were held Wednesday at 3 p. m., Rev. Paul Tucker officiating. Burial was in Mt. Hope cemetery, Lansing.

Johnson-Stadelman Vows Are Solemnized

Gerald L. Johnson and Beverly Dawn Stadelman spoke their wedding vows before the altar of the Calvary Methodist church in Jackson Saturday evening. Rev. Thomas Pollard, pastor of the church, read the double-ring service before the background of white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Lennie Hunt played traditional wedding music and accompanied Miss Betty Sanford who sang "Because of You" and "Through the Years." The bridegroom is the son of

Mrs. Gerald Hunter and Allen Johnson, both of Leslie. He is a graduate of Leslie high school and is employed in Jackson. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin J. Stadelman, 924 Buckus street, Jackson, and a graduate of Jackson high school.

A ballerina-length gown of white satin, lace and net was chosen by the bride. Seed pearls studded the lace tiara which secured the fingertip-length veil. The pearls she wore were a gift from the bridegroom and she carried a bridal bouquet of white chrysanthemums centered with a white orchid.

Miss Ada Johnson, the maid of honor, was dressed in a pink nylon floor-length gown with yellow accessories and yellow chrysanthemums. Virgil Stiles attended the bridegroom as best man and guests were seated by Tom Deming and Bruce Clark.

The wedding reception was held in the church parlors. Mrs. Stadelman wore a combination blue and black satin gown with a gardenia corsage. The bridegroom's mother wore navy blue with a gardenia corsage.

The bride chose a red suit with navy blue accessories for her travel ensemble. After a trip to Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home at 503 Munith road, Jackson.

The bride was entertained at pre-nuptial parties given by the Auxiliary of the Home City Canton No. 43, the Woodbine Birthday club and by her mother.

Nelson Hurlbut Dies Sunday

Nelson E. Hurlbut, 34, of 214 E. Race street, Leslie, died Sunday morning at the Veterans hospital in Dearborn. Mr. Hurlbut was born at Lake Oleson and came to Leslie when 14 years of age. He operated the local Hurlbut's Restaurant for four years.

Surviving are the widow, Jennie G. Hurlbut; a daughter, Judy E. at home, and his mother, Mrs. Florence Hurlbut of Leslie.

Funeral services were held at the Behrens-Luecht funeral home in Leslie Wednesday at 1 p. m. with Rev. Samuel B. Wenger, Leslie lodge F. & A. M. No. 212 and the American Legion post No. 491 officiating. Burial was in Woodlawn cemetery, Leslie. He was also a member of the Leslie O. E. S. No. 155.

Leslie Grange Stages Program

The Leslie Community Grange Christmas program was held Thursday evening at the Grange hall with about 60 present. The program was directed by Miss Marion Blackmore, Miss Joyce Reeder, Mrs. L. S. Barnes and Mrs. Barbara Morehouse. Recitations and songs were sung by Linda Parker, Sharon and Mary Lou Andrews, Sharon Fox, Roxanne and George Beaumont.

Mrs. Lloyd Blackmore gave a reading, "I Kinda Wish I Didn't Know" and Lloyd Conard sang "It Is No Secret" with Mrs. Fay Taylor at the piano.

Bertha Reeder and Mrs. Vernon Glover led a candlelighting service. Myrna Ann Cassidy and Sharon and Mary Lou Andrews were angels in a tableaux scene. Christmas carols were sung accompanied by Mrs. Claire Morehouse at the piano. Gifts from the Christmas tree were distributed to everyone and popcorn and candy were given to all.

The next meeting of the Grange will be on Thursday evening, January 3.

Marriage Is Announced
O. B. Wood of Leslie and Mrs. Ruby Barr of Jackson have announced their marriage on December 22 by Rev. Henry Lidicoot at Osego. They will make their home at 819 S. Mechanic street in Jackson. Mr. Wood is manager of the Ford new and used car lot in Leslie after having been a merchant here for many years. Mrs. Wood is employed at the Jackson county building.

Special Program Planned
Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Legg of Pontiac will be the speakers at the Childs Corner church west of Leslie at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday, January 6. The Leggs are missionaries under the Sudan In-ferior Mission to Nigeria. African Pictures of the work will be shown in the evening. The Leslie Baptist church will unite with the Childs Corner church for the evening service. A group from Cassidy Lake, under the direction of Rev. Forrest Cook, are expected to bring special music.

Leslie police discovered garbage and rubbish dumped along the highway on West Bellevue street last week and later located the trailer and borrower. The guilty party cleaned up the mess and paid a five dollar fine. Leslie police are cautioning local people to avoid such careless and thoughtless acts.

Bank Hours Announced

Harold Hamilton, cashier of the Peoples bank of Leslie, announces that the bank will close each Saturday at 12 noon beginning January 5. On all other days except holidays the bank will be open from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Formerly the bank had closed on Wednesday afternoons.

Prizes Are Given Yule Decorations

Mr. and Mrs. Moore Brownlee of 121 S. High street have been announced the winners of first place in the best decorated home contest sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. They received \$20 for the arrangement of colored lights around the house and over the peaks of the roof, pine boughs tied with red ribbon, and a flood-lighted Santa Claus face with an inscription, "Merry Christmas."

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vander Linden of 620 S. Main street received second prize of \$10 for the large snowman made of cardboard and artificial snow, with a red scarf and stocking hat, sailing with the night wind holding a sign saying "Merry Christmas" with the left. Floodlights lighted the scene and colored lights outlined the door and a wreath, and revealed the Christmas tree and sign in the large window saying "Happy New Year."

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Baldwin of 412 W. Bellevue street received the third prize for the nativity scene in their large window. A lighted star over the manger lighted the figures which were the dolls of Charlotte and Elizabeth Baulch. Christmas tree lighted another window and green boughs with lights outlined the center pillars of the porch.

Rites Are Held for Emmet E. Scofield

Emmett E. Scofield, 60, died at his home at 111 E. Bellevue street, Leslie, on Thursday evening. Mr. Scofield was a lifelong resident of Leslie community and was for a number of years employed at the local postoffice. He is survived by the widow, May Scofield; two daughters, Mrs. D. C. Bishop of Baldwin Park, California, and Mrs. E. C. Lincoln of Leslie; one son, Clare K. Scofield at home; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday from the Behrens-Luecht funeral home, Rev. Samuel B. Wenger officiating, with burial at Woodlawn cemetery, Leslie.

The Leslie schools will open at 9 a. m. on Thursday morning, January 3, after the 10-day holiday vacation. Maintenance work has been carried on during vacation by George Bigg and Fred Wynman. New cleaning equipment has been purchased with wet and dry vacuum process. The school library has been sound proofed. Among the home-for-Christmas young people in Leslie are: Forrest Hampton attending Chicago Evangelistic Institute at University Park, Iowa; Robert Copperton from Taft Junior college, Taft, California; Sally and Anne Chapman and Richard Wallace of Albion college, Robert Campbell of Alma college, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Robinson of Ferris Institute; Pvt. Jack Baylis of Ft. Jackson, South Carolina; and John Wyman and R. J. Raymond.

The Leslie Cub Scout pack 269 will meet on Thursday, January 7, at the Methodist church with a potluck supper, achievement ceremonies, pictures and program at the Methodist church.

Pink Community

Mrs. Eileen Fry
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller and family entertained Sunday. They had a belated family Christmas dinner. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Wightman and family, all of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Slagh, Floyd Miller and Charles Miller of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Soller of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe and family Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Rowe returned to her school Monday after having Christmas vacation. She teaches at the Dunn school.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Densmore held open house New Year's Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Droscha and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fry and daughters were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bim Franklin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Silsby and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Lee were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Lock.

Mrs. Laura Eitel and daughter, Laura of South Haven, were guests of Miss Phoebe Bartlett Christmas Eve.

Mrs. Ruth Hall and Miss Florence Fletcher of Mason were guests at dinner of Miss Jean Bartlett Friday evening.

Robert W. Eames returned to his ship, the USS Midway, at Norfolk, Virginia, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Eames, Jr., and family.

Pfc. Robert Thomas is spending the holidays with his wife and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eames, Jr., attended the funeral of Carl I. Williams in Lansing Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coe Emens are entertaining their nephew, Billy Emens of Waldron, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Snider received word that their son, Ray Snider, arrived safely in camp in California and that he has been



WOODING MUSIC MUSE IN MUSEUM—Five youngsters of the Children's Museum in Boston, Mass., rehearse Christmas carols on ancient hand bells. Bell-ringing classes, which started in 1944, are open to any child over ten who can read music. About a dozen good bell-ringers are turned out here each year. Original set of the old bells was made in the British foundry which cast famous Big Ben.

alerted and expects to be shipped out soon to Japan or some eastern port.

Mr. and Mrs. Chellis Hall were hosts to their community Canasta club Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Etta and Snider called on Mr. and Mrs. Rihhold Sager Sunday evening.

The annual Pink Community New Year's dinner will be held Thursday at the school house.

The Ingham County 4-H Service club held its monthly business meeting and vacation party Thursday evening, December 27, with Miss Irl Baker. Twenty-six members and friends held an evening of games, candy making and a taffy pull.

School at the House school started January 2, after a 7-day vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gorsline and family of Gull Lake were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Gale Pierce and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and

Childs District

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Townsend entertained their children and grandchildren for Christmas dinner Christmas Eve. There were 23 present.

Miss Carolyn Page has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Medley entertained her parents from Grand Rapids recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Comstock entertained their children and

families Sunday for Christmas. They were all home but Mr. and Mrs. Louis Williams and son, who are living in Omaha, Nebraska, and John Comstock and family of Reading.

Wild rabbits are heavy breeders but only about 20 per cent of the young born each spring and summer live to reach the late fall hunting season.

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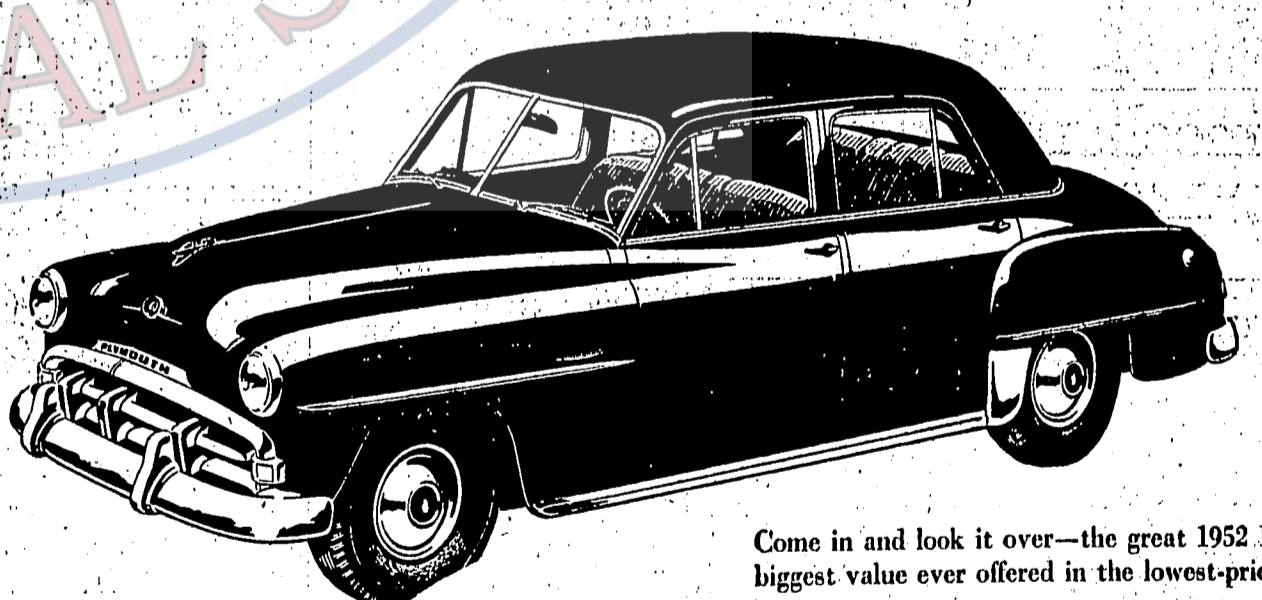
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BY CARL COLLIN

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When the moisture test shows 25 per cent, 15.7 lbs of water are in the kernels, 7.2 lbs in the cobs. When the moisture test drops down to 20 per cent, the corn will

have 11.8 lbs of water in the kernels and 4.5 lbs in the cobs. In these measurements, a bushel is defined as the quantity of corn required to yield 56 lbs of shelled corn at 15.5 per cent moisture. The data are from USDA studies.

The significance of the figures is the decreasing feeding value in a bushel of corn as the moisture content gets higher. Because of the great amount of wet corn this year, total supplies of feed grains have been cut substantially. This situation already is making itself felt in the outlook for pork production next year.

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Speaking of pork production in 1952, USDA surveys indicate that about eight per cent fewer sows will farrow next spring compared to 1951. At an average litter this would mean a pig output around 56.5 million head.

Pig production here in Michigan in 1951 totaled 1.6 million head. That's eight per cent more than the 1950 spring and fall crops. It's interesting to note that the average number of pigs saved per litter in the fall farrowings was 6.97. That's a new record for fall farrowings. The national average was 6.6. Michigan farmers report to the Crop Reporting Service that they expect six per cent

fewer farrowings in the spring of 1952 than in the spring of 1951.

Egg production, which hit a low in September, may climb to a seasonal high by April. USDA marketing people say the price steadiness in the egg market from September through most of November was an unusual situation. Mid-November average price for eggs was 56.5 cents a dozen; the previous year was 45.8 cents. Since November the price trend has been sharply down. Week ending December 7 prices at Chicago dropped 17 to 20 cents a dozen from mid-November. The following week at the Chicago wholesale market they were off 2 to 6.5 cents more. Just before Christmas top grade eggs at Chicago fell to the lowest level since May 28.

Those small breed turkeys, marketed at the lighter weights, gave hen turkeys of the larger breeds some close competition in 1951. Market people say the hens of the larger breeds didn't command quite the increase in price over tons of the larger breeds that they usually do.

The government hasn't had to do much buying of dairy products in the past year to support prices. Latest reports on purchases show that up to early December the USDA had purchased about 221 thousand pounds of butter. A year ago at the same time, purchases were nearly 128 million pounds. Cheddar cheese purchases were three million pounds in the first 11 months of 1951 compared to nearly 109 million pounds a year ago. Evaporated milk purchases were about the same. Dry milk buying added up to about a fifth of the purchases. Slightly less evaporated milk was purchased in 1951 compared to the previous year.

Antibiotics have performed miracles in the fight against many human diseases. They are becoming pretty well established as an important ingredient in livestock feed. Now it appears they have wide uses in the industrial fields. A new version of the antibiotics, made from mold fermentation, toxic to humans, is said to destroy fungi that attack textiles, leather, paint and electrical insulation. Scientists say there is a possibility that antibiotics may be used in insecticides to fight certain milliw, wheat rust and similar plant diseases. Successful experiments have already been reported for preserving food by the use of antibiotics in canning and freezing processes.

Conservation people say that the U. S. uses from 450 to 200 billion gallons of water per day. Currently we are using about twice as much as we did in 1935. Demands are increasing all the time. Industry is using great quantities. It takes, for instance, 600 thousand gallons to produce a ton of rubber. One kilowatt hour of electricity requires about 6,000 gallons. A ton of steel uses up to 65 thousand gallons. To turn out a ton of aluminum, 320 thousand gallons are needed. A family of four, if the members bathe regularly, uses about 500 gallons a day for all purposes. One leaky faucet will release 65 thousand gallons of water a year. With the water table falling, the population is increasing rapidly and industry is using more water every year, water supplies some day may be sent some tough problems. Basic conservation methods need to be started now.

Miscellaneous—Scientists have found that detergents effect growth of chicks similar to antibiotics. If experiments with the detergents pan out, feed costs could be reduced. . . . The Jonathan apple scores as the No. 1 apple among fall varieties grown in the U. S. in 1951. Closest competition was from Grimes Golden. The Delicious was the top scorer among winter varieties, followed by McIntosh. . . . Milk isn't the main source of undulant fever in people. Most cases are traced to direct contact with infected animals. . . . Deer harvest in Michigan in 1951 may have dropped as low as 90,000 animals. Record kill was 125 thousand in 1950. . . . Commercial hatcheries in Michigan turned out 480 thousand chicks in November. That's an increase of three per cent over the same month the year before.

Young Wallace was an inquisitive child and had been bawling his father with questions. "Papa," he asked, "is it true that Edison made the first talking machine?"

"No," sighed his father, "God made the first one, but Edison made the first that could be shut off."

Country & Town

By JIM BROWN

When a marine field strips his M-1 rifle, he takes out the trigger mechanism, removes the stock, the gun sling, the recoil chamber, the plug and the front sight. They call that field stripping. Further stripping of parts is called detail stripping. Rifle experts take care of that.

Generally the men and women at the News office are able to make most of the adjustments on the printing and type setting equipment. We can change inking rollers, clean matrices, keep the working parts oiled and do the other minor tasks necessary for smooth machines. We sort of do the field stripping.

But the December 10 fire at the Ingham County News gutted and broke machinery to such an extent that the experts, or the detail strippers, had to be called in for help. Machinists from Detroit, Chicago, Lansing and Mason answered the call. The last one finished up New Years Eve.

Leo Robertson of Chicago rebuilt the two Intertypes, Olin Marshall of the C. R. Mueller & Sons Co. of Detroit put the job presses back in harness. He was the one who finished up just in time to make his own New Years Eve party in Detroit Monday night. Earl Bingham of the Goss Printing Press Co. in Chicago tuned up the Duplex newspaper press and had it going for the second A. P. (after fire) edition.

V. E. Pollock of Detroit came up the first week end and repaired the Ludlow type casting machine. The Teeter Machine Shop in Lansing lent a hand at straightening some shafts and Mayor C. H. Hall removed his ermine and worked Saturday and Sunday lathing a new bushing and shaft for a job press.

Machinists are a world apart from mechanics or riggers or builders. Machinists have the fineness of watchmakers, surgeons or champion cookie bakers. They understand machines. They talk to them. Some talk louder than others. Machinists know the why and where of every part in a machine. That's why they were called to detail strip the News machines. That's why the rest of us "field strippers" were, and are, content to shovel broken plaster, wipe off water-logged parts and run errands.

In about 10 days, detail strippers working for the Cranger Brothers Construction Co. will wind up their job at the News. We field strippers will take over and try to keep the building and the machines in as good shape as they are being turned over to us.

A new broom sweeps clean, doesn't it?

Chamberlain Herd Has Highest Test

The 18 registered Holsteins owned by J. H. and R. D. Chamberlain of Leslie led the Ingham South testing association for November. The Chamberlain herd averaged 44.9 lbs of butterfat and 1,125 lbs of milk.

Other herds in the association which averaged 30 lbs in November were: Robert Rhines, 19 grade Holsteins, 43.4 pounds butterfat, 1,209 pounds milk; Fred Ruthig, 18 registered and grade Holsteins, 41.6 pounds butterfat, 1,096 pounds milk; Richard W. Smith, 11 grade and registered Holsteins, 39.4 pounds butterfat, 825 pounds milk; D. L. Cady, 26 grade Holsteins, 37.5 pounds butterfat, 1,073 pounds milk.

Earl Brownlee, 14 grade Holsteins, 34.6 pounds butterfat, 918 pounds milk; J. H. and Dennis Underwood, 21 grade Holsteins, 33.5 pounds butterfat, 886 pounds milk; W. D. Freiermuth, 19 registered Holsteins, 33.1 pounds butterfat, 945 pounds milk; L. E. Harris, 21 registered and grade Holsteins, 32.3 pounds butterfat, 880 pounds milk; Gottfried Graf & Son, 43 registered and grade Holsteins, 32.1 pounds butterfat, 911 pounds milk; LaVern Eldred, 23 registered and grade Guernseys, 30.3 pounds butterfat, 590 pounds milk.

High cows in each age class were: Mature—5 years and over, Robert Rhines, grade Holstein, 95.0 pounds butterfat, 2,030 pounds milk; J. H. and R. D. Chamberlain, registered Holstein, 84.0 pounds butterfat, 2,050 pounds milk.

Under 5 years—Richard W. Smith, grade Holstein, 96 pounds butterfat, 1,440 pounds milk; Fred Ruthig, grade Holstein, 71.0 pounds butterfat, 1,550 pounds milk. Under 4 years—J. H. and R. D. Chamberlain, registered Holstein, 82.0 pounds butterfat, 1,960 pounds milk; J. H. and Dennis Underwood, grade Holstein, 75.0 pounds butterfat, 1,710 pounds milk. Under 2 years—J. H. and R. D. Chamberlain, registered Holstein, 64.0 pounds butterfat, 1,520 pounds milk; J. H. and Dennis Underwood, grade Holstein, 60 pounds butterfat, 1,230 pounds milk.

Horns on Cattle Are Dangerous

Horns on cattle are both expensive and dangerous, says Dr. Glen Reed, extension veterinarian at Michigan State college.

Reed says that you'll gain in several ways if you dehorn your cattle. For one thing, dehorning your cattle will cut down "hogging" in the feed bins and in the dairy shed. That means fewer expensive injuries and less chance of injury to the herdsman.

Better prices on the market for finished cattle also will pay you. Some shipments of cattle are severely docked because of the deep bruises caused by horns. Late fall, during the winter, or early spring are good times to dehorn because screw worms or maggots are not a problem then. Unless you're an expert, you'd better let your local veterinarian do the job, Dr. Reed said. He can "pull" the horn arteries to prevent severe bleeding which otherwise might cause loss of weight or even death.

Dairy cows in production need special attention when being dehorned, the Michigan State college veterinarian explained. Your local veterinarian may suggest a local anesthetic to deaden the nerves from the horn to prevent pain. Otherwise the cow is likely to drop

in production. The cost of the local anesthetic will often pay for itself many times in the amount of milk the cow will give. It is also safer to do the dehorning close to a cow's calving time if a local anesthetic is used, Dr. Reed has found.

Farmers Will Tour Dairies Tuesday

Ingham farmers will have a chance to see four methods of dairy operation during the dairy tour scheduled for Tuesday. The tour starts at 10:00 a. m. at Michigan State college and includes the Lewis Wilson farm, the first place west of Okemos road on Harper road; the Charles Davis farm, two miles south of Aurelius Center; and the Coe Emens farm at the corner of College and Chatham roads.

The group will meet at the loose housing project at the corner of College and Forrest roads at the college.

Women of the Aurelius Baptist church will serve lunch to the group at noon. L. H. Johnson of the dairy department at Michigan State college will speak to the group after the noon meal.

Sawdust Provides Bedding for Cows

Dairymen who have access to a supply of shavings or sawdust will find that they make an excellent bedding material for the herd, according to word from Michigan State college's Upper Peninsula experiment station at Chatham.

In Northern Michigan supplies of shavings are naturally easy to get. However, dairymen in many other sections of the state may be able to locate a good supply at a nearby sawmill.

Shavings used as bedding or sawdust under straw make a warm, absorbent bed for the dairy herd.

The U. P. agricultural specialists say that some farmers think that sawdust or shavings will have a harmful effect on the soil when the manure is later applied to fields. This, they point out, is not true.

Arthur Wolcott, soils and crops researcher at the U. P. station, says that under controlled conditions, mixing sawdust with soil, only one to two per cent of nitrogen need be added to counteract the effect of sawdust.

If the dairymen used two tons of sawdust per cow during the winter and the cow produced five tons of manure (which contains 10 pounds of nitrogen per ton), this would provide one and one-quarter per cent nitrogen. This would be adequate under controlled conditions to counteract any possible ill effects to the soil caused by the sawdust.

College Arranges Dairy Program For Farm Week

Michigan farmers attending the dairy programs during the Farmers' Week at Michigan State college in late January are going to find the programs quite changed from previous years.

"We want to give our dairymen a chance to find the answers to the problems bothering them. That's why we're having a more informal type program this year," reports Dr. Earl Weaver, head of the department.

The Monday, January 28 "Dairy Day" program is about as usual, with the general session for dairymen in the morning and breed association meetings in the afternoon and evening. Fred Istle, Beloit, Wis., will be the main speaker discussing "Why Purebred Dairy Cattle." Istle is secretary of the Brown Swiss Breeders of America and also of the Purebred Dairy Cattle association.

Tuesday through Thursday, January 29 through 31, the morning dairy programs will be held in the east concourse beneath Macklin field stadium. Here Dr. C. F. Huffman of the Michigan State college staff will show some of the research work being done in dairy nutrition and exhibit the animals. He and others will answer questions.

Afternoon programs will be at the new dairy housing research and demonstration center on the

College Arranges Dairy Program For Farm Week

college farm, a mile south of the main campus on Forest and College roads. Farmers will visit the new center and hear discussions of the labor saving methods made available. D. L. Murray, extension dairyman, and B. P. Cargill, agricultural engineer, will lead the discussions.

Remodeling Makes Safe Farm Shops

Farm shops may be safe places to work or they may be accident and fire traps.

With this in mind, David G. Steinkie, extension specialist in health and safety organization, calls on Michigan farmers to remodel, rearrange and clean up their workshops now during the winter. This little extra effort may save you a finger or serious fire, he believes.

Steinkie lists these ways to make your farm shop safer. Reserve one side of the shop for repairing large machines. Paint the interior with a light color and use large windows to improve lighting. Have a definite storage space for tools and supplies. Keep everything in its place.

Steinkie also advises against using gasoline or fuel oil for washing mechanical parts where there are open flames. Add do not leave waste and oily rags to accumulate. Check heating stoves, pipes and

chimney outlets. He points out that defective chimneys are a main cause of winter fires.

Use guards over moving pulleys and belts of power machinery. Don't wear loose clothing while working with power equipment. Keep goggles handy to protect your eyes.

DIETLS JOIN GROUP

Dorn K. and David D. Diehl, Danville, have been accepted as members of the Holstein-Friesian Association of America by action of the board of directors at their recent meeting in Chicago. The association is the world's largest dairy cattle breeders' registry organization. Membership in the organization now totals over 42,000, representing every state in the Union.

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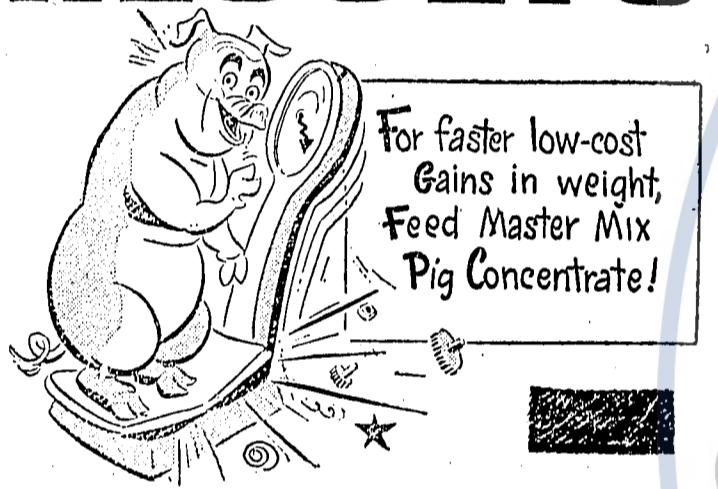
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The feature picture, "Galahad Jones," starring Marjorie Lord, Richard Crane, Elizabeth Patterson, and Jonathan Hale, is a top notch production—one which we are sure you will enjoy. We will also have several interesting and educational features on modern equipment and farming practices.

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Relief Corps Has Regular Meeting

The Woman's Relief Corps met Thursday evening at the G. A. R. hall with Rhoda Sloum presiding, assisted by her corps of officers. Plans were completed for the installation of new officers on January 10 with the past department treasurer, Bess Abbott, as installing officer. A potluck supper at 6:30 will precede the installation.

Reports for the year showed much work along patriotic lines and much child welfare work being done. The president presented Maude Eckman, press correspondent, with a gift in appreciation of her two years service, of perfect attendance, also for the past year's perfect attendance. She also presented Helen Johnson a gift for her last year's attendance, and Anna Shepler, who has missed only one meeting during the year. Officers of the past year were then presented gifts from the president.

Following the meeting the members had their Christmas party and lunch with Anna Kuehner and Rhoda Sloum acting as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harris and family spent Christmas Eve with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Nieman at Henderson.

Open House Is Held

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hillberger held open house Sunday, December 30, celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary at their farm home on Perry road, Roy Hillberger and Irma Anway were united in marriage January 1, 1902, at the Presbyterian parsonage in Mason by Rev. A. S. Zimmerman. The couple have two children, Rex Hillberger of Williamston, and Mrs. Noland Douglas of Mason, seven grandchildren and two great-grandsons.

OES-Masons Hold Christmas Party

The Eastern Stars, Masons and their families held a Christmas party Friday evening at the Masonic Temple beginning with a Bohemian supper. The hall was decorated in the Christmas motif, a large tree being the center of interest.

After the dinner a short program followed. There were Christmas carols, led by Helen Johnson accompanied by Ted Thompson; the junior choir of the Methodist church, under direction of Ruth Wilton accompanied by Mrs. Ethel DeCamp; recitations by Evelyn Thompson and Jack Clark; flute duet by Barbara Estes and Ann

Rowley Group Has Christmas Party

The Rowley extension club held its Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Zora Moore with a luncheon at noon, after which there was a social afternoon. Prizes for games went to Grace Reynolds, Grace Duncel, Merlee Erb, Hilfred Herje and Irene Preston.

Farm Bureau Group Is Entertained

The Wheatfield Community Farm Bureau met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Vandemark for its December meeting with a potluck supper preceding the meeting.

Roll call was responded to by each stating why they belong to the Farm Bureau. George Vandemark led the group in the topic "steel rationing and farm equipment problems."

Following the discussion there was an exchange of Christmas gifts.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Frost with potluck supper at the usual time.

Girl Scouts Offer Library Service

A unique and useful service to the residents of the city who are elderly, ill or shut in, is about to be launched by the volunteers of the Girl Scouts of Troop 6, who will be working in cooperation with the librarians of the Williamston branch of the county library.

On each Wednesday the girls will deliver and pick up reading material from persons unable to get to the library. Those wishing service may contact the local librarian, Mrs. Clara Beatty, 420 St. by card or phone. She will select the books and the girls will deliver them each week.

The local library now has a large selection of fiction as well as reference books, and can through the county library obtain most any book desired.

In return for the service the Girl Scouts will receive a merit badge.

IOOP-Relieks Have Party

The Odd Fellows and Relieks held their Christmas party at the Odd Fellow Temple with a Bohemian dinner preceding the festivities. The large tree was the main decoration with the hall resplendent in Christmas decorations. The program, with Mrs. Helen Shepard as chairman, was interesting, consisting of community singing of carols, a Christmas story by Marguerite Volmer and recitations and music, after which Santa stopped by and delivered gifts.

Christmas evening guests of Mrs. Bess Abbott were her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Montie King and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King and children, Donald and Leo King all of Lansing.

Mrs. Bess Abbott spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Winchell at Grand Ledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Clara McDermott and family have returned from spending the holidays with Mr. McDermott's parents at Caro.

Mrs. Julia Chamberlain spent Christmas Eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Chamberlain in East Lansing. She also called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chamberlain and spent the remainder of the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Chamberlain in East Lansing.

Mrs. Bess Abbott was a Christmas Day dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Croel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Adams entertained as their guests over the holiday season their children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker and daughter, Carol, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and children, George, Jr., and David, all of Traverse City and Mrs. Adams' sisters, Mrs. W. A. Tucker of East Lansing, Mrs. N. M. Gillus of Lake Linden, Upper Peninsula, Miss Martha Payne and Miss Mildred Payne of Lansing.

Watch Night Services Held

Watch night services were held at the Williamston Methodist church Monday evening, December 31, from 9:30 until 12:00. An hour of religious movies, Negro spirituals and colored hymn slides made up most of the program. An hour of fellowship in the basement with refreshments, and services in the church sanctuary from 11:30 until 12 closed the old year and ushered in the new.

Mrs. Myrtle Dennis Died Last Saturday

Mrs. Myrtle Dennis, one of the older residents of the city, whose family has been closely associated with the building of the city and were among its pioneers, died Saturday. Since the passing of Mrs. Dennis, Mrs. Dennis and daughter, Grace, have for many years resided at the family home on South Putnam street. She was a member of the Williamston Methodist church and among the charter members of the former Methodist Ladies Aid Society, now the Women's Society for Christian Service.

Mrs. Dennis was born January 25, 1866, in Ingham county. Surviving is an only daughter, Grace at home. Services were held from Gorsline Brothers funeral home Monday at 2 p. m. Rev. Horace James of the Williamston Methodist church officiated. Pallbearers were E. Dewey Allen, Paul Gibbs, H. S. McElmurry, Earl Kurtz and Lester Bixby.

Burial was in the family lot at the Dennis cemetery, Williamston.

Infant Dies Thursday

Daniel Frederick Pollock, one-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Pollock, died suddenly early Thursday morning, December 20. He was born at the Sparrow hospital in Lansing November 29, apparently a healthy normal child. A post-mortem examination revealed a deficient valve of the heart. His parents have both been instructors in the Williamston schools. Mr. Pollock is an instructor in the high school. Services were held from the Gorsline funeral home Saturday morning at eleven o'clock with Rev. Horace James of the Methodist church officiating. Burial was at Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barnes Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barnes entertained as their Christmas Day guests, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Swiger and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Swiger and daughter, and Joe Singer and Mortimer Ambrose, brother of Mrs. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Jackson Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Jackson entertained as guests Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lockwood, Mrs. Bess Barrack and Mrs. Evelyn Lockwood and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Halsted, Employees at the Local Printing Office, are Leaving

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Halsted, employees at the local printing office, are leaving soon for a southern trip, expecting to return about March 1. During Mr. Halsted's absence Howard Gorsline will take the news for the State Journal, and Mrs. Oscar Allen the classified ads and subscriptions office.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Erb and Family Spent the Christmas Week

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Erb and family spent the Christmas week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Church in Rose City.

Donald Babbitt of California Arrived Wednesday Evening

Donald Babbitt of California arrived Wednesday evening to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Babbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Wolcott Entertained their Children and Grandchildren for Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Wolcott entertained their children and grandchildren for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kliver and family visited Mrs. Kliver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hutchinson at Grand Ledge, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Ostran and Mrs. M. L. Van Ostran and Family Spent Sunday with Mrs. Blanche Walker

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Ostran and Mrs. M. L. Van Ostran and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Blanche Walker in Lansing for the family Christmas get-together.

Douglas Rexline Glynn

Douglas school resumed Wednesday after a week and a half of vacation.

Mrs. Carrie Riggs spent the Christmas holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Riggs of Stockholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zaleski and children called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glynn, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Price and family spent Sunday afternoon with the Harold Glynn family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glynn were both sick with the flu the first part of last week.

Pvt. Lawrence Everett of Camp Lee, Virginia, spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Groeman and David were Mr. and Mrs. John Francis and baby of White Cloud, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Van Valin of Kentucky, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Greenman of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall and Michael of Penton spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Warner. Sunday evening callers at the Warner home were Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Glynn of Vantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stearns and daughter were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Lamke and children. Her aunt and uncle of Lansing were Sunday afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Glynn, Dale and Shirley spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Gorton of Lansing. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark and Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Clark and sons, Dean and LeRoy of Lansing.

The British commonwealth is sponsoring a six-year plan for the development of South and Southeast Asia. Known as the Colombo plan, it is expected to benefit 570 million people at an estimated cost of more than five billion dollars.

Derby Neighborhood

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Smith were hosts at a family gathering on Christmas Day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Rescoe Arnold and family of Danville and Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Eickhorn of Ypsilanti and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fay and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ottoman and sons entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith and Janice on Christmas Day. Rully Ottoman of Chelsea was also a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. George Springman and Lynn visited Mrs. Myrtle Randall Tuesday. Other guests were Miss Clara and Anna Springman of Battle Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jackson of Gregory, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ransdell and children of Stockholm.

The pupils of the Derby school had a nice program Thursday evening, consisting of readings, dialogues and songs. Mr. Simmons, the teacher, and Mrs. Simmons, assisted by some of the mothers, served coffee, Christmas cookies and cocoa.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Harvill entertained at a family gathering on Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson have a son, Brad Joseph, born in the Mercy hospital in Jackson. Mrs. Wilson and baby are being cared for at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pyery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith and Janice spent Christmas night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Eickhorn and Wednesday they had a duck dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marz.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Moeckel, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moeckel and family were Christmas Day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Myer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith visited the Beryl Smiths Sunday evening.

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Saturday, Jan. 12

Commencing at 1:00 o'clock, the following described property:

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| <p>13-HEAD OF CATTLE-13</p> <p>Holstein Cow, 7 years old, due January 20 Holstein Cow, 4 years old, due March 20 Jersey Cow, 3 years old, due March 18 Holstein Cow, 3 years old, due February 12 Guernsey Cow, 5 years old, due March 23 Holstein Cow, 6 years old, due February 26 Holstein Cow, 6 years old, due February 26 Holstein Cow, 6 years old, due March 4 Holstein Heifer, 1 year old Holstein Steer, 1 1/2 years old Guernsey Steer, 9 months old Bangs tested and individual slips furnished</p> | <p>3 TRACTORS</p> <p>1950 Oliver 77 Tractor with Cultivator and Bean Puller Attachment 1948 Allis Chalmers B Tractor with dual wheels, starter and lights 1941 70 Oliver Tractor with starter, power-lift and cultivator</p> |
| <p>DAIRY EQUIPMENT</p> <p>DeLaval Milking Machine, 2 units, pipeline and stall cocks for 10 cows Chore Boy Milking Machine, 2 units, pipeline and stall cocks for 18 cows DeLaval No. 18 Electric Cream Separator 10 Milk Cans</p> | <p>FARM MACHINERY</p> <p>2 Oliver Radex Plows on rubber with 2 14-inch bottoms 1950 Oliver Power Mower, 7-ft. cut 13-Hoe Superior Grain Drill, Buck Rake, fits any Oliver Tractor 1948 Oliver Combine No. 15 2-Wheel Farm Trailer with Stock Rack New U. S. Chalender Grain Blower with 40 feet of pipe International Manure Spreader International 3-Bar Side Rake 7-ft. Oliver Disc 9-ft. Dunham Single Cultipacker Oliver Double Cultipacker 2 Oliver Tractor Drags Farm Wagon on rubber, 12-ft. rack Farm Wagon on rubber, 16-ft. steel box 2-Section 8-ft. Soil Surgeon Oliver Stoner 11-inch Hammer Mill Oliver Weeder John Deere Corn Binder McCormick-Deering Corn Binder Bazz Rig, fits any Oliver tractor</p> |
| <p>GRAIN</p> <p>500 Baskets of Corn 1,500 Bushels of Oats</p> | <p>MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>10-Hole Jamesway Metal Hog Feeder 22-Horse Stationary Continental Gas Motor 10-Barrel Water Tank Hay Slings Chain Falls Gasoline Pump Gas and Oil Barrels Feed Bags 20 Steel Fence Posts 20 Rods of 4-ft. Wire Fence Roll New Barb Wire Air Compressor Work Bench Forks and Shovels Many more miscellaneous items</p> |
| <p>FEEDER PIGS</p> <p>10 Feeder Pigs, weight 80 lbs</p> | <p>POULTRY</p> <p>75 Mixed Laying Hens 10 Ducks 15 Guinea Hens</p> |
| <p>COMPLETE LINE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS</p> <p>2 Complete Bedroom Suites Dining Room Table Buffet and 6 Chairs Singer No. 88 Sewing Machine Underwood Typewriter Ivers and Pond Upright Piano Tables Occasional Chairs And Many more household items</p> | <p>TERMS - CASH</p> <p>Not responsible for accidents on day of sale</p> |

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