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CHRISTMAS

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## Merchants Have Stores Filled with Attractive Holiday Gift Displays

**Shops Follow Trend Set by Village; Stores Wear Holiday Dress in Keeping with Street Decorations; Business Men Select Excellent Assortment of Stock for Christmas Shoppers**

### Hire Extra Clerks for Xmas Trade

Following the trend set by the village in having strings of colored Christmas lights hung across the streets throughout the business district, the stores in the downtown section this week further carried out the holiday idea by taking on a festive Yuletide dress.

Merchants gave their shop interiors holiday decorations early this year, and are now getting the exteriors of

#### Assistant Coach



Tom Weeks, the new assistant coach of the Northville high school, has been appointed to make the home a comfortable place with all kinds of time-saving conveniences to speed up the daily household routine.

Somewhat off the beaten path but worth the time it takes, is the Sew and So shop where handbags and hats are the specialty. In Schaff's furniture store there are gifts and gifts in the small furniture accessories as well as being practical. From the hundreds of toys and games that are on display in Hammer's hardware, perhaps it's a safe bet that may be just the present that a weary shopper is hunting.

At Hainsford's an effort is made to find the right toy for the right age child...right there's a problem settled for the uncle who buys with good intentions, but who's inexperienced in finding the game that suits. Christmas time is always a time to make gifts practical. Hendin's shoe shop has some new styles in dress slippers that will make daughter happy. And in the D. & C. there's just about everything to make your house a festive place with decorations, even down to minute table appointments.

Easter isn't the only time a woman likes a new hat—she'll look one at Christmas time for all the

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### Name Detroiter To Be Assistant Athletic Coach

**Tom Weeks Takes over H. B. Smith's Classes at High School**

### 30 Bouts Scheduled for First Exhibition

The first boxing show of the winter season will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 17, in the Northville high school gym, where some 30 rounds will make up the card.

The exhibition this year will be under the joint supervision of the Northville Recreation department and the Boy Scouts. George Rusher, director of the boys' activities for the community recreation program, will referee the bouts.

Tickets are being sold by the Boy Scouts. Richard Loomis aid

Mr. Rusher, showing how not to address cards.

### Football Season Ends for Players and Two Coaches



The Northville high school football players are pictured with their two coaches, Harry E. Smith and Neville Walker. Head Coach Smith leaves today to accept a position in Hawaii.

Left to right top row: Coach

Smith, Walter Fox, Orval Lyke, Ray Hartner, Louis Eaton, Bud Ross, Jim Odgers, Bob Vogtum, Henry Lester, Walter Nafarowicz, Bob Beesley, Sid Lamey (manager) and Assistant Coach Walker.

Middle row: Marvin Trapp, Lawrence McMurtry, Jack Holcom, Steve Forno, Zeke Tague, Don Kehler, Bud Earehart, Frank Frank, and Bob Crawford.

### Wolf Store Gets New Manager

**Ralph Chitwood Succeeds "Happy" Spence, Who Is Transferred to Detroit**

Ralph Chitwood of Illinois, and a brother of the manager of the Wolf store in Plymouth, took charge of the Northville Wolf store last Monday morning.

Congress is closer to the sentiment of this country than any sampling poll or any other branch of government can possibly be. If our present course of conduct and the purposes of Mr. White's people are, in fact, leading us unswervingly toward war, the debate on such a resolution would reveal both that fact and the popular judgment on it.

For all these reasons, while this column doesn't agree with what it thinks Mr. White's committee stands for, it does agree with his recent suggestion, that congress be consulted in the way he describes.

The high school choir sang Christmas songs, Wednesday at the Woman's Union meeting in the Presbyterian church house. The group was under the direction of

## Civic Leaders To Sell Newspapers Thursday for Christmas Charity

### Theatre Books Shows Here Every Night

The village grows up Harry Bush and Samuel Stremick are giving to the theatre-going public shows each night throughout the week in the Penniman-Alten theatre.

Mr. Stremick, manager of the local theatre, says that the Sunday show will run continuously from 3 p.m. with the doors opening at 2:30 o'clock.

There will be a change in program for the Tuesday and Wednesday night shows.

The popular 10-cent show will be held Thursday night, followed by a change in program for the Friday and Saturday night theatre shows.

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handbag, demonstrating by act and deed that the spirit of goodwill is the first principle in the pattern of life for Norvaline. This they have shown by cooperating in helping newspapers to bring needed revenue to the coffers of the organizations which care for needy patients in Northville's two salarioriums. The money will be apportioned in proportion to the number of patients at each salariorium. Dr. J. E. Schatz will have charge of the fund for Eastlawn, and the Goodfellow's club will do the same at Maybury.

Plans for the Goodfellow's club benefit sale of The Northville Record, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 19 and 20, are under way, with stations being assigned today to villages prominent in civic, business and social activities in Northville.

The patients at both the Maybury and Eastlawn sanatoriums are going to benefit by the sale of newspapers on the streets and in the stores next week when business men

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Four shifts have been assigned to Northville business and professional men who will take up their posts at 4 o'clock Thursday, Dec. 19, for the street sale. There are seven selling posts: 1, northwest corner of Main and Center; 2, northeast corner of Main and Center; 3, southwest corner of Main and Center; 4, southeast corner of Main and Center; 5, southeast corner of Dunlap and Center; 6, corner of Dunlap and Center; 7, West and Main.

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**OBITUARY****Mrs. Frank Rider**

A heart attack was fatal early Monday morning, Dec. 9, to Mrs. Frank (Nellie) Rider of 4704 West Seven Mile road. She had been in health for the past two years.

Born Mar. 16, 1897, at Hawleyville, Can., the daughter of George and Phebe Nollar, she came to make her home in this vicinity when she was united in marriage to Frank Rider in 1914. Mr. Rider preceded her in death five years ago.

Surviving Mrs. Rider are a son, Albert, who has been Salem township supervisor for a number of years; two brothers, John of Dearborn, and Henry of Kalespell, Mont.

Her body lay in state at the Schrader Funeral Chapel until Monday evening. Funeral rites were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 11, from the home, with the Rev. J. J. Holiday officiating. Burial was in Walker cemetery.

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DECEMBER

17—50th anniversary of Michigan Basketball for three boys 1940

18—Day care adopted from Farmington High School

19—Farmington High School band won first place in 1940

20—U.S. took possession of the Ward 192

21—First cardinal association elected to charge the new committee

22—Mrs. Lorraine Ferguson elected to Ward 192

23—Ward election record established by Ward 192

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**General's Guest****"Hot Stove League" Convenes**
**Michigan Mirror**  
Non-Partisan News Letter

LANSING — The "hot stove league" has convened at country stores, and one of the choice, timely topics is Governor-elect Murray D. Van Wagoner.

What will "Pete" try to accomplish during his administration?

How will he get along with a Republican legislature and an administrative board which he cannot control?

Folks take their politics seriously in the "hot stove league" when the snow drifts grow higher and skies are overcast, and the northwesterly winds whistle outside. The Van Wagoner administration should get a lot of free advice, all for the best.

**Business Administration**  
First, Governor Van Wagoner will emphasize a business administration.

Mr. Van Wagoner intends to seek a gradual liquidation of the \$20,000,000 state deficit, a bookkeeping result of fund juggling, by having a specified amount of state revenues set aside each year out of the ranks of pressure group spenders.

When times are good and the state tax and liquor revenues are

mounting, this thrift program should not be hard on anyone. The sales tax this year is expected to reach the \$70,000,000 mark, proof enough that it is productive if not ideally fair to the low-income group.

The governor-elect is confident that a more business-like collection of taxes through a centralized agency, will enhance the productivity of the sales tax. This is a sore spot in state government, and it evoked a hasty situation last spring in Wayne county where rumors were thick that many retailers were being favored and that exemptions and adjustments were being made entirely too promptly.

**Budget Revision**

Under the present budget arrangement the legislature appropriates funds for use of state institutions and departments, but there is no legal power to penalize or reward.

This imposes the responsibility of budget balancing squarely on the governor, as he could check the instinctive instincts of a legislature.

1. Consolidate all tax-collecting agencies into a single revenue department.

2. Intend the governor with power to veto individual items of legislative appropriations and other financial responsibilities on the executive office.

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and thus invites fiscal irresponsibility passed by the legislature.

This would be particularly true in 1941 when a Republican legislature would be asked by one of its own study committees to draw up a comprehensive network of organization wings of such popular (Cont. on page 9, this section)

vote-getters as Secretary of State Harry F. Kelly. Mr. Kelly's department collects automobile license fees, for example, and it maintains a large staff of agents.

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25-lb. \$1.19  
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**WHEATIES**

2 pkgs. 19c

**PEANUT BUTTER**

2-lb. jar 19c

**PEACHES**

Vol. Vita  
No. 2½ can 2 for 23c

**RINSO or OXYDOL**

giant 49c

**DONUTS**

Sugared or Plain dozen 10c

**PEAS**

GREEN GIANT 2 cans 25c

**Headquarters for  
FOOD BARGAINS**
**WOLF'S**

PHONE 77

Check These for Savings!

WALNUTS	lb. 25c
BRAZIL NUTS	lb. 13c
MIXED NUTS	lb. 19c
ALMONDS	lb. 23c
CHOCOLATE GUM DROPS	lb. 10c
	20 oz. 25c 2½ lb. 49c

**LUX FLAKES**

lge. pkg. 19c

**HOUSEHOLD**

9c

**Nozema Cream**

75c size 49c

**PREP for Shaving**

12c

**Prince Albert Tobacco, lb.**

69c

**Banner Hot Water Bottles**

49c

**Pacquin Hand-Cream, 50c size**

39c

**WOLF's offer for COFFEE**

This Week's Special!

**IVORY FLAKES or SNOW**

lge. 19c  
pkg. 19c

**SOAP FLAKES**

SWEETHEART 23c  
5-lb. box

**DOESKIN TISSUE**

500's 17c

**DEL MAIZ NIBLETS**

3 cans 28c

**SALAD DRESSING MERIT**

quart 17c

**CRISCO**

3-lb. can 42c

**CORN DEL MAIZ CREAM STYLE**

3 cans 25c

**TISSUE NORTHERN**

4 rolls 19c

**TREET**

can 19c

**CATSUP**

Michigan Brand Stubby Bottle 2 for 15c

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GIANT PANDA TEDDY BEAR \$2.89

Ask for Your Card Today Here's How! The amount of your purchases will be punched on a card. When the card is completely punched you may secure this Giant Panda Teddy Bear for only \$2.89 and the punched card.

SPIN-PORK & BEANS	5c	DAIRY
1-lb. can	5	Goldendale
Peerless Queen	33c	BUTTER, lb.
Olives, qt. jar	33c	Brookfield
Silver Floss Kraut	22c	BUTTER, lb.
3 No. 2½ cans	22c	Kraft's Loaf
White House Coffee	20c	1-lb. pkg.
1-lb. pkg.	20c	(American, Brick, Velveeta, Vel. Pimento)
Sweet Life Coffee	19c	Royal Spread
1-lb. can	19c	OLEO, 3 lbs.
OXYDOL	35c	Mich. Mild
2 lge. pkgs.	35c	CHEESE, lb.
None Such Mince Meat, 9-oz. pkg.	10c	Eggs, med. size, Grade C, doz.

**WOLF's offer for**

This Week's Special!

**Pot Roast BEEF**

14½ lb. 11c

**PORK LOIN ROAST Rib End**

lb. 13½ c

**PORK CHOPS Center Cuts**

lb. 19c

**RIB ROAST OF BEEF Boned and Rolled**

lb. 27c

**SLICED BACON, Arm. Fancy Sugar Cured, Cello Wrapped, ½-lb.**

12c

**Fresh GROUND BEEF Fresh**

lb. 12½ c

**Plain or Sugared Doughnuts**

doz. 10c

**Blue-Flo Anti-Freeze**

gal. 69c

**Pure LARD**

lb. 7c

**CIGARETTES POPULAR BRANDS**

carton \$1.19

**FRESH DRESSED CHICKENS**

17c lb.</



## Calendar

Here From Orient



Dec. 13—Fellowship class potluck supper in the home of Mrs. D. W. Richford, 407 North Center Lutheran Ladies Aid noon, luncheon in the church hall.

Dec. 14—Mothers' Dram and Craft club bake sale at Hammer's Hardware.

Dec. 16—Royal Neighbors' Christmas party at the B. E. Warner home, 343 South Rogers.

Dec. 17—Men's Club in the Presbyterian church house. Service League at 7:45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. V. H. Canfield, 212 South Rogers.

King's Daughters at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Emma Reid, 240 Fairbrook.

Dec. 18—O. L. of Alpha Society Christmas party at 12:30 p.m. the Misses Lena and Permelia Kohler, 904 E. 7 Mile.

Dec. 20—Exchange club's annual ball, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. high school gym.

Dec. 21—O. E. S. Christmas party at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple.

Dec. 22—Christmas festival and program in the Presbyterian church.

Jan. 14—Legion Auxiliary meeting at 8 p.m. in the Legion Hall.

Jan. 17—Hunters' Ball in the high school gym.

More than 200 American evacuees from the Orient arrived in San Francisco on the "President Pierce." These youngsters from Hong Kong and Shanghai were aboard.

Mrs. Wood To Be Hostess before Woman's Clt.

Before the Woman's club meeting today in the Northville Library, Mrs. Ernest H. Wood will entertain at luncheon in her home.

She'll have places for: Mrs. Willard A. By, Mrs. Kenneth A. Bitchen, Mrs. S. K. Stephens, Mrs. Orton, G. Owen, Mrs. Robert F. Coolman, Mrs. Harry F. Wagenschutz, Mrs. Harry C. Dierksen, Mrs. George Stalker, Mrs. R. A. Chapman, Mrs. M. C. Gundell, Mrs. M. J. Lupham, Mrs. J. C. Stewart, Mrs. T. N. Kampf, Jr., Mrs. Gerald V. Hartman, Mrs. Del W. Hahn and Mrs. Harold Bloom.

Thursday, Dec. 5, the Woerck Camp Fire group met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Davis. With Mrs. Davis at the piano, Christmas carols were sung. Later refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Hart were called Sunday to Mt. Clemens by the serious illness of James Terren former of Northville. Mr. Hart returned Sunday evening. Mrs. Hart remained there until Tuesday evening.

The program at the Rotary luncheon Tuesday was furnished by the Coca Cola company, which presented pictures on sponsorship and merchandising. Al Hardie, the district manager of the company, showed the pictures.

William Beale, father of Leonard Beale, celebrated his 60th birthday on Dec. 6. His son, Robert Beale, fifth month old, was born Dec. 4, making it a double celebration. The committee in this occasion organized and entertained at the home of Mr. C. C. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weitz were born Friday, Dec. 6, in the members of the Get It Better club. Two persons were present. The active period was the division of the ocean. The group will meet Monday evening Dec. 19, at 7 p.m. at the Hahn residence, where the following committee will have charge of the arrangements: Mr. Lyda Eberle, Mrs. Oliver Herzer, Mr. Elmer Potts and Mrs. John Scall.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller of the Nine Mile road, had as their dinner guests Friday evening, Dec. 6, Mr. and Mrs. Lauritsen and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hansen Detroit. Mr. Alex Johnson, Mr. Bertha Miller and Victor Miller.

Marie Muriel Myraham celebrated her fifth birthday, between Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 6, at the home of Mrs. Dorothy and Walter Murray and Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester G. Lee attended the annual Christmas concert given Thursday evening at the Michigan State Normal School, Ypsilanti. This was the 11th year for the concert under the direction of Dr. Frederick Alexander, who retires this year.

It's Christmas Time at the Game Store, Toys, Gifts Galore, Girls and Boys - Bikes - Old Burners.

## News Around Northville

Bill Baker of Plymouth, was a guest at Rotary Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mullop spent Saturday in Detroit.

Mr. E. G. Brockway assisted Wednesday at the news desk of The Northville Record.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mitchell plan to go to Rose City over the week end on a hunting trip.

A guest this week of Mrs. E. A. Babbin was Mrs. H. H. Whitlock of the Game Store. Toys, Gifts Galore, Girls and Boys - Bikes - Old Burners.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Raymond had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stridener and four daughters.

## MR. MERCHANT

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## Edgar Guest Purchases Christmas Seals



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## Calendar

Here From Orient

Dec. 13—Fellowship class potluck supper in the home of Mrs. D. W. Richford, 407 North Center Lutheran Ladies Aid noon, luncheon in the church hall.

Dec. 14—Mothers' Dram and Craft club bake sale at Hammer's Hardware.

Dec. 16—Royal Neighbors' Christmas party at the B. E. Warner home, 343 South Rogers.

Dec. 17—Men's Club in the Presbyterian church house. Service League at 7:45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. V. H. Canfield, 212 South Rogers.

King's Daughters at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Emma Reid, 240 Fairbrook.

Dec. 18—O. L. of Alpha Society Christmas party at 12:30 p.m. the Misses Lena and Permelia Kohler, 904 E. 7 Mile.

Dec. 20—Exchange club's annual ball, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. high school gym.

Dec. 21—O. E. S. Christmas party at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple.

Dec. 22—Christmas festival and program in the Presbyterian church.

Jan. 14—Legion Auxiliary meeting at 8 p.m. in the Legion Hall.

Jan. 17—Hunters' Ball in the high school gym.

More than 200 American evacuees from the Orient arrived in San Francisco on the "President Pierce." These youngsters from Hong Kong and Shanghai were aboard.

Mrs. Wood To Be Hostess before Woman's Clt.

Before the Woman's club meeting today in the Northville Library, Mrs. Ernest H. Wood will entertain at luncheon in her home.

She'll have places for: Mrs. Willard A. By, Mrs. Kenneth A. Bitchen, Mrs. S. K. Stephens, Mrs. Orton, G. Owen, Mrs. Robert F. Coolman, Mrs. Harry F. Wagenschutz, Mrs. Harry C. Dierksen, Mrs. George Stalker, Mrs. R. A. Chapman, Mrs. M. C. Gundell, Mrs. M. J. Lupham, Mrs. J. C. Stewart, Mrs. T. N. Kampf, Jr., Mrs. Gerald V. Hartman, Mrs. Del W. Hahn and Mrs. Harold Bloom.

Thursday, Dec. 5, the Woerck Camp Fire group met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Davis. With Mrs. Davis at the piano, Christmas carols were sung. Later refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Hart were called Sunday to Mt. Clemens by the serious illness of James Terren former of Northville. Mr. Hart returned Sunday evening. Mrs. Hart remained there until Tuesday evening.

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William Beale, father of Leonard Beale, celebrated his 60th birthday on Dec. 6. His son, Robert Beale, fifth month old, was born Dec. 4, making it a double celebration. The committee in this occasion organized and entertained at the home of Mr. C. C. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weitz were born Friday, Dec. 6, in the members of the Get It Better club. Two persons were present.

The active period was the division of the ocean. The group will meet Monday evening Dec. 19, at 7 p.m. at the Hahn residence, where the following committee will have charge of the arrangements: Mr. Lyda Eberle, Mrs. Oliver Herzer, Mr. Elmer Potts and Mrs. John Scall.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller of the Nine Mile road, had as their dinner guests Friday evening, Dec. 6, Mr. and Mrs. Lauritsen and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hansen Detroit. Mr. Alex Johnson, Mr. Bertha Miller and Victor Miller.

Marie Muriel Myraham celebrated her fifth birthday, between Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 6, at the home of Mrs. Dorothy and Walter Murray and Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester G. Lee attended the annual Christmas concert given Thursday evening at the Michigan State Normal School, Ypsilanti. This was the 11th year for the concert under the direction of Dr. Frederick Alexander, who retires this year.

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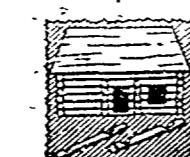
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"You can't feed a kid on candy and then take it away from him without stirring up a fuss. How will all this war economy affect Michigan people? Will they tend to favor our participation in the Battle of Britain in order to keep our factories going?

"Come on, mister, don't keep your head in the sand!

"Here is something vital in the lives of your readers. Tell them about it."

Ains and Michigan — How will the national defense program affect Michigan?

Editor and Publisher, national magazine for Newspaper and advertising people, places Michigan second of the 48 states in volume of government contracts let from July 13 to Oct. 26 and reported by the department of labor at Washington.

Michigan contracts totaled \$125,820,000.

October awards aggregated \$41,423,000.

And these sums are only a modest beginning. National expenditures during the third quarter (July, August, September) totaled \$56,020,000. The fourth quarter will double this amount, while the first quarter of 1941 is expected to bring another 70 per cent increase.

These figures are spiraling upward and by July, 1941 they are due to reach \$606,000,000 to \$700,000,000 monthly until the billion-a-month peak is met. Compare this figure with a current monthly estimated spending of about \$100,000,000 a month it seems almost like a dream to our U.S. A.

Mass Production

It is believed that large-scale mass production methods have already begun in U.S. factories to be reflected in increased output of war materials and munitions.

Some 1,000 Detroit Flint workers are now busy for Pontiac and other auto manufacturers.

Michigan had been world-famous for its assembly line and the efficiency of its workers.

That has not been without penalty, however. When automobiles are in demand, times are good in Michigan. When the reverse takes place, times are hard.

The assembly line, the mass production system, and the adoption of annual models assures either steady employment or layoffs. A sit-down strike in one supply factory can cause the entire line to come to a stop. Flint automobile workers who went deer hunting the other day accomplished the same thing: The line could not function.

These industrial centers consequently have experienced recurring periods of boom and depression. Unemployment dips to an extreme, or rises to a near vanishing point. This does not happen alone, taking the fringe of suburban communities being directly affected. Scores of small-town industries are kept alive by the big motor business. Thousands of workers reside in nearby towns, commuting daily by automobile between work bench and home.

British Orders

National defense orders and British arms orders are today, to all practical extent, one and the same. Henry Ford balked at manufacturing of Rolls-Royce motors for British planes, but promptly accepted a similar contract from the British Government for airplane engines. Other automobile companies have not been so choosy. Packard is to make British engines. General Motors has substantial British arms contracts.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt announced that Britain would get 70 per cent of our arms output, and there is little doubt that the proportion will be increased in Britain's favor if a new crisis threatens.

Under our capitalistic system whereby private ownership is entitled to private profits, it is inevitable that a war economy of this type will produce war profits. Such was the history of World War I. Let us take a look at 1940.

Our Export Trade

The Wall Street Journal on Oct. 21 stated that 42 per cent of America's exports are munitions or related arm materials. Exports during the first year of World War II exceeded four million, a gain of 37 per cent over the preceding 12 months. Our export balance was the largest since 1921. Of these exports 62 per cent goes to Britain.

The three-quarter earnings of leading industrial corporations also show large gains. United States Steel had more than a 500 per cent increase. Jones & Laughlin, 2,500 per cent, Glenn L. Martin 300 per cent, according to figures printed in Business Week.

General Motors earnings for the last quarter of 1940 were \$129,172,000, a gain of \$20,000,000 over the same period in 1939. The third quarter earnings record was \$15,527,000, an increase of \$8,627,000 in 1939 or more than double even after new tax laws were deducted.

Motor Wheel in Lansing, Inc., earned from \$1,600,000 to \$1,400,000 for the same three-quarter period. Oil firms show substantial gains.

And yet it would be grossly unfair to infer that directors of these corporations are interested in war for war profits. Better than the average worker, the modern industrial leaders realize that a war economy is a false economy, tomorrow's headaches will plague capital and labor for years to come.

One reasonable conclusion from the rising tide of war profits might be, Michigan, as one state, is getting an economic stake in the war.

Will History Repeat?

Ray Stannard Baker in his Wilson biography stated:

"Thus by the end of the year 1914, the traffic in war materials with the Allies had become deeply entrenched in America's economic organization and the possibility of keeping out of the war by the diplomacy of neutrality no matter how skillfully conducted, had reached the vanishing point."

Or, in other words, will history repeat?

You can surmise what the future holds. We strive to interpret Jerome Frank, chairman of the news.

### Musicians Meet



Dr. Howard Hanson, who will preside at the annual conference of the National Association of Schools of Music in Cleveland, December 26-27. Many noted composers and instructors will attend.

### Escape Nazi Bomb



Mrs. Ann Halliecht and her son, when their arrival in New York, when a narrow escape in their Pittsburgh home after a bomb planted in their home exploded, killing a boy, was discovered through the efforts of the police.

Security and Exchange commission recently wrote: "Every statement made in connection prior to our entry into the first war after the non-intervention was made all but impossible to us of our previous knowledge due to the belligerents." The same terms are now in effect that were operative in 1914-17.

President Roosevelt in his Christmas speech referred to war profits as "fool's gold" and warned of "the inexorable penalties, the inevitable day of reckoning."

Admiral Page in 1915 advised Woodrow Wilson: "Perhaps our way to war is the only way in which our present predominant trade position can be maintained and a peace averted."

Secretary McAdoo in 1915 favored credit for the Allies as a protection to "great prosperity" for farmers and factory workers. Even Secretary Lansing said that neutrality should not stand in the way of "our national interests which seem to be seriously threatened."

The principle of cause and effect still functions. Will Michigan's coming prosperity help to create a public attitude, as history says it did previous to the last war, in support of our direct participation in the present war as a fighting ally of Great Britain?

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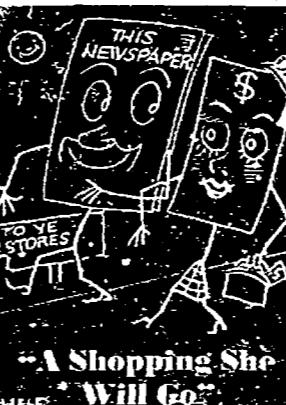
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## Local News

Injected Into Army



Birthday congratulations to Robert John Beasley, Dec. 5.  
Mrs. Alfred Strasen was a bridge-luncheon hostess Wednesday to the members of her contract club.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Wood were Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kiehl of Jackson.  
Horace Knight, president of the Men's club, announces that a meeting and game session will be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 17, in the Presbyterian church house.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Church were: Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mearns, Mrs. Earl Johnston and Mrs. William Hillhouse, all of Royal Oak.  
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ments of constitutional tax collecting powers, and any revision of state laws must run the gauntlet of a possible court test on its constitutionality. It may be predicted that at this pre-inaugural moment that any tax collection and budget reform, no matter how desirable, will face the practical rest of political horse swapping between Democratic Governor Van Wagoner and a Republican legislature, p. a. s. prominent vote-getting Republicans.

Instead of having a department of agriculture subject to house cleaning every two years or so, says Mr. "Pat," why not put the

department on a non-partisan basis of a commission whose members are appointed for long time terms?

Of course, the new civil service amendment to the state constitution was proclaimed as solving this very problem, but it still falls short of depriving the governor of certain prerogatives of political appointment of the commissioner who sets the pace for the entire department.

The Democrat state executive would like to see a staggered com-

mission select a director on the basis of qualifications and then keep him on the job as long as he performs satisfactory service.

The conservation commission is pointed to as affording an ideal pattern.

In this manner the farmer could rely on continuity of policies. The inspectors could become specialists and could enforce the law without running the risk of political intervention through the local senator or representative. At least such is the story, and it does sound plausible.

Appeasement?

If all this business-like administration whether due to Repub-

lican foresight or Democratic diplo-macy contributes more money to the state treasury, it would be possible for Governor Van Wagoner to appease the hungry hordes of pressure lobby with more appropriate funds.

Appeasing the pressure groups, State aid for the schools, balancing the budget and reducing the state deficit is a three-in-one The crippled children could have goal of Governor-elect Van Wagoner. Whether or not we can The new and empty coffers to achieve it remains to be seen.

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