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Happy and Prosperous New Year

All our old customers and acquaintances

The Farmer's Market

SAM PICKARD, Owner

News from Salem

By Mrs. F. Buers

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burke and family of Farmington spent Christmas eve with the Raymond Lewis family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis visited Mrs. Raymond Lewis at the Milan Hospital last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buers of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Knowles Buers and son, Ted, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Buers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bennett and family spent Christmas at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell O'Neil at Bloomfield Hills.

Miss Josephine Retherstoff of Chicago is spending several weeks with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lyke and children spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Livingston at Clawson, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Knowles Buers entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Northrop and Clara of Plymouth and Mrs. Nellie Larned of Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pennell were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hanson at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Bingle and family of Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Leand Wooster and family of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hartman, and family of Stockbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Lewis of Six Mile road were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rider for Christmas.

Mrs. Anna Young spent Christmas at the Frank Huff home in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Harry Leggett of Detroit is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Leggett.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stacey were Christmas dinner guests of the Go Heintz family on Ford rd.

Alvin Abraham spent the week end with friends at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Poling spent Christmas at their home in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wheeler were Christmas guests at the A. C. Wheeler home.

Sam Wheeler, who is stationed at Sheepshead Bay, N. Y., with

the Merchant Marines, was home on a short furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wheeler were guests of the Will Wheelers at Holly at Christmas dinner.

J. W. Bussey and son Wallace of Detroit were Sunday afternoon callers at the Wheeler home.

The John Smith family spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Fordland.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Whipple and family Mr. and Mrs. Myron Atchison and the William Hanert family of Detroit spent Christmas at the Wheeler residence.

Mrs. Asa Whipple is ill with flu.

The Glen Burnhams spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Burnham's mother, Mrs. Crystal Anderson of Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lyke and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Myra Lyke and Murry spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Opal Lyke and daughter Doris of Plymouth.

The Salem Farmers Club will meet at the home of Albert Rider on Seven Mile road Wednesday, Jan. 5 for dinner. Elton Eaton of Plymouth will be the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Van Aken spent Christmas day with Dr. Arthur and Mrs. Kenneth Eslick of Ann Arbor. Sunday they had Christmas dinner with the James Dick- eys of South Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts were hosts to a Christmas party at their home Sunday. Those present were the Arthur Blunk family, Mrs. Mertie Murray and Mrs. Opal Lyke and Miss Doris Lyke of Plymouth; Mr. and Mrs. Myr- lan Lyke and Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lyke, Beverly and Janice of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. William Merritt of Seven Mile road entertained at Christmas dinner, Donnel Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Savles and Mrs. Beulah Merritt, Detroit.

Donald Merritt of Howell, who spent the Christmas week end at home, called at the Ronald Lyke and Orsen Atchison homes.

Mrs. Lucia M. Stroh entertained her brother, F. B. Wittich and family from Detroit and her sister and family, Mrs. L. J. Vici of Birmingham for Christmas dinner.

Sunday Mrs. Stroh entertained her cousins from Toledo.

The annual meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Salem Congrega- tional church will be held with

Mrs. Anna Burgess for potluck dinner at 12 o'clock.

The pageant "When the Chimes Ring" given at the Salem Fed- erated Church Sunday evening was very well rendered and en- joyed by a full house.

Mr. and Mrs. John VanAken and daughters spent Christmas at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ken- neth East Lick of Ann Arbor.

O.P.A. Tells How to Budget Fuel Oil

The O.P.A. today issued its regular report on fuel oil consumption designed to give householders a ready index for budgeting their rations.

The report shows that, as of today, consumers in the Detroit area should not have used more than 33 per cent of their total yearly fuel-oil ration.

Period 1 coupons which went into effect last July 1 throughout the state rationed, since 1943 for use by consumers Monday Jan. 3 1944. On Jan. 4 Period 2

coupons may be used in the east and far west. Last November 30, Period 3 coupons in all other areas became valid for use. Con- sumers in all areas still may use their Period 2 coupons.

In addition to these "period" or definite value coupons, which are assigned a gallonage value periodically on the basis of sup- plies available, this year's rationing plan provides definite value coupons good throughout the year. These coupons repre- sent a sizable portion of the householders' total ration.

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USE 666 COLD 666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS



Undue Optimism is hardly justi- fied, but, looking into our crystal ball, we see better days ahead. In the light of this fact we say Happy New Year with the old-time spirit: May the best of everything come your way in 1944.

NEEL'S Northville Hardware Main and Center Northville, Michigan



Sponge off the slate... Let's start a spotless page

PYTHAGORAS, when asked what time was, replied that it was the soul of the world. And so it is. Time—precious, priceless—is the span during which we build up enduring friendships, and in our business friendship counfits for a great deal. We thank you cordially for yours.

MAY THE SANDS OF THE HOUR GLASS, DRAIN- ING AWAY DURING 1944, BRING TO YOU MANY GOLDEN HOURS OF HAPPINESS AND JOY

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Holiday Cheer



The future? Your guess is as good as ours—but if our wishes count for anything, there is a lot of health and happiness in store for you in 1944.

NORTHVILLE RECREATION

Corner Cady and Center NORTHVILLE



HOLIDAY GREETINGS

* The success we enjoyed in 1943 is not merely the result of chance. It is the accumulating reward of long years of effort on our part to give the most in quality and service for your money. That policy holds good in 1944—a year which, we hope, will shower many blessings upon you.

Freydl's Store

Gift Headquarters for Ladies and Misses

PENNIMAN-ALLEN THEATRE

NORTHVILLE

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday - January 2-3-4

Janey Lydon, Charlie Smith, John Little

"Henry Aldrich Haunts a House"

If you like your home haunted with hilarity you'll want to move right into 'his one

News Shorts

Wednesday Only - January 5

Bill Elliott, George "Gabby" Hayes

"BORDERTOWN GUN FIGHTERS"

also

"DEER SLAYER"

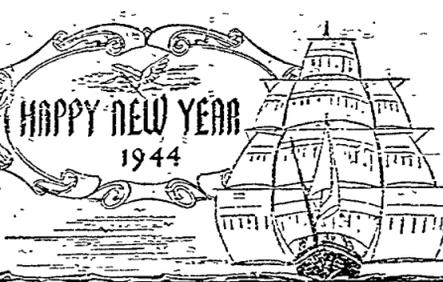
Thursday, Friday, Saturday, January 2-7-8

George Sanders, Anna Sten

"They Came to Blow up America"

The real, rising story from yesterday's headlines that could be repeated tomorrow

News Shorts



More than a half a century ago Robert Barry Coffin wrote:

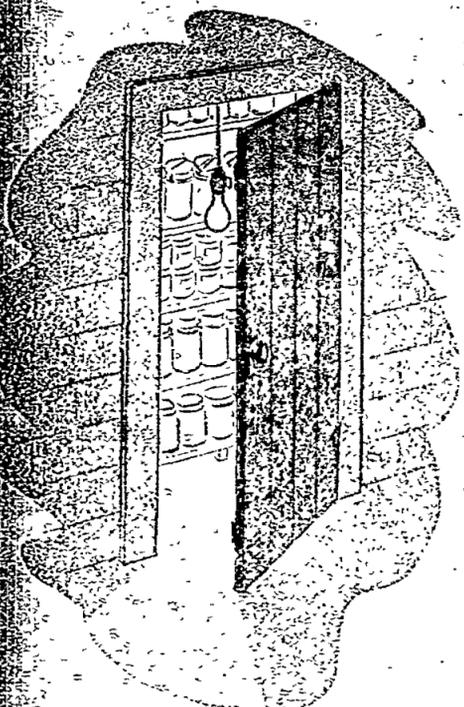
"I have ships that went to sea More than fifty years ago; None have yet come back to me, 'But keep sailing to and fro."

We don't want that to happen to you, kind friend. This year A.D. 1944 is the year we want your ship to come in.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

D & C STORE

E. Main St. Northville, Mich.



THE LIGHT IN THE FRUIT CELLAR

Someone, perhaps Mrs. Jones, went down to get a jar of victory garden tomatoes last evening and forgot to turn off the light. It wasn't discovered until next morning—washday, luckily—when Mrs. Jones started working in the basement.

Ordinarily a small light left burning all night wouldn't be too important. But today ANY waste of electricity is serious because it wastes coal—as well as transportation, manpower, and other critical resources. That is why the Government requests you to conserve electric power—voluntarily—in home and store and office.

Even though electricity is not rationed and there is no shortage in this area, conserve whenever you can, as much as you can. The Detroit Edison Company.



NO FRIDAY Floor Show Until Further Notice Dance Sunday Night. Includes 'Happy 1944' and 'CHOICE LIQUORS'.

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over-all shortages, unprecedented demand and the necessity for maximum output will tend to maintain strong upward pressure on most prices. Advancing parity prices, storage, insurance and black markets further tend to keep prices high. Subsidies will be granted certain producers during 1944.

Inventories Businessmen should watch the Government's policy of disposing of its huge inventories of con-

sumer merchandise. With supplies at a much higher level than in World War I, retailers, wholesalers, and manufacturers should insist there be no dumping on domestic markets. This could smash prices. Flooding the export markets could make it difficult to sell goods abroad at a fair profit. I hope a substantial portion of our surplus will be given to the peoples of Continental Europe and China.

Sales Prospects I forecast that retail dollar sales will average .5% to 10% higher in 1944 than in 1943. Sales volume of consumer goods will again start to climb as smaller

companies get the okay on post-war expansion. I expect some decline from 1943 in the physical volume of retail sales due to scarcity of goods and less employment. Substitute merchandise has sold well but manufacturers and wholesalers are now wary of it. As good war news increases, consumers will wait for new post-war merchandise rather than buy synthetic war made goods. Merchants should keep a workable inventory. Do not over stock.

The following ten states are tops for 1944: New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Texas, California, Oregon and Washington. Of smaller volume states, Florida, Georgia, Michigan, Florida, Nebraska, Utah and Arizona. Florida may see a real boom. Outstanding sales cities are scarce. A year ago it was simple to spot cities with expected gains of 40% to 50%. Now more cities will show gains of only .5% to 10% in 1944 over a year ago. Here is the pick of the lot: Detroit, Michigan; Jackson, Michigan; Knoxville, Tennessee; Phoenix, Arizona; Portland, Oregon; San Diego, California; Savannah, Georgia; Springfield, Massachusetts; Topeka, Kansas and Wichita, Kansas. It will make a difference in 1944 business whether Germany cracks in the early or latter part of the year. When this happens Washington will begin at once to cancel war orders, especially on the Atlantic seaboard. The army will accept no more recruits, may begin credit demobilization. Navy men may be in for two or three years more. Army demobilization may start around election time in 1944. This should help retail trade.

Industries Differ Expansion of airplane factories has been practically completed. Automotive industry during 1944 will gradually reconvert to normal. New car stockpile low. Look for relief only on trucks. The chemical industry has enjoyed great expansion. This may continue. Leaders in new drugs should prosper. Heavy chemicals may not show any gain over 1943 volume. Building about the same level for total new building as in 1943. Relaxing restrictions on private construction will come in near future. Gains in 1944 will show in this category when compared with 1943. An optimistic post-war home building.

The shoe and clothing industries are beset by shortages and increased costs. These will continue through 1944. Woolen goods will be in short supply. Hayer will continue a capacity output. Cotton will be in early active trade. Yearly level with Germany, but consumer demand for it is low.

What value is gratitude if it forever remains unexpressed? We are grateful to you for the loyalty which has enabled us to make measurable progress during these difficult times. And we want you to know it.

At transport will gain in equipment and efficiency. Manpower is far from solved. The trend of the industry is up for both air and water. Freight Railroads will continue to suffer from equipment shortages. We peak traffic is passed. Railroad needs are so acute that higher priorities for equipment will be forced. After the war, railroads will have a terrible slump. With much less to haul, they will be facing, as never before, competition from costwise shipping, air or transportation, new planes, airplanes and trucks. Eastern roads will slump as soon as Germany collapses.

Electronics and television should boom. Heavy electrical equipment orders may decline slightly in 1944. Kilowatt output may be 10% better in 1944 than in 1943. Lumber volume will continue to be reduced. Backlogs of machine tool orders is declining sharply. Subcontracts may help. Nonferrous metals are held down

by acute manpower shortage. Paper and pulp will be affected by the cut in newspaper. Paperboard output in 1944 should equal 1943. Refinery petroleum output in 1944 will run 10% above 1943. Higher prices for crude probable. All-time peaks in steel, output scheduled for 1944. Shipbuilding may not show further gains, but launchings will.

Crux is whether sufficient skilled and unskilled workers can be channeled into critical war industries. It is estimated that 2,500,000 workers must be added to essential plants in the next few months. However, over 2,000,000 men are already in the line of every twelve months. Therefore, the labor situation may begin to ease. There will be many disputes but most upsets will be of short duration and small scope. Labor leaders must threaten strikes for publicity and to hold jobs. The cost-of-living situation will dictate the rise and fall of strikes. If rolling back prices is successful, pressure for higher wages will be considerably less. There will be no scarcity of labor. Labor's hobbyhorse is approaching its end. There will be no railroad strike in 1944.

Stock Market The 1944 long-term trend of stock prices is definitely upward. A growing hoard of money seeks investment. Few new stocks are available. Present holders are less willing to let stocks go, except at higher prices. The rise from May, 1942 to July, 1943, was a long unbroken advance. From July 14 to date, ups in order. The next few months may still be marked by irregularity. This should not disturb real investors. Corporations are adjusted to wartime operations. Any material change in the war situation may create temporarily upsetting uncertainties. On the bullish side, the market strengthened in the face of the largest War Bond Drive in our history.

Unsettled companies are stronger than ever. Debts have been reduced, cash reserves increased. Companies doing well in war work may get new buildings and machinery for a song. War stocks have gradually given ground in some of record earnings and growth in net current assets. Many peace stocks have forged ahead in spite of declining earnings and lower dividend payments. It is possible the year 1944 may become a record year for the stock market.

What Stocks to Buy

Public Utilities

Chemicals

Automotive

preferably E's. Otherwise, hold cash. Municipals are too high. I expect no near-term shift in interest rates. They may remain low as long as government financing must be carried on in large volume, or as long as restrictions are placed upon the expansion of business to meet civilian demands and the money board continues to grow. When the readjustment comes the investor should not be tied up in long-term, low-coupon bonds. Current yields on better-grade issues have been forced down too low. Investors looking for liberal income are, therefore, buying cumulative preferreds. Such issues are also in favor with investors skeptical over the general trend of common stocks; but the field is very selective. My usual advice is to buy only first mortgage bonds or else common stocks of companies with no cumulative preferreds.

Taxes There may be a small increase in 1944 taxes. This increase will hurt only a few industries through increased excise taxes. Income taxes, inheritance taxes, gift taxes, and probably corporation taxes will remain about where they are or tapered. Furthermore, 1944 may be the last year of tax misery. Taxes should begin to decline in 1945. Investors should especially keep that in mind that when excess profit taxes are eliminated many corporations can make more money and pay more dividends with much smaller or greater taxes.

Postwar Jobs Men and women who lost jobs to enter the armed forces should have no trouble getting jobs when they return. Those who entered the "armchair" forces at Washington or elsewhere may have trouble with getting postwar jobs. Men who were unemployed when they entered the army will get postwar jobs based on their war record and behavior. Character and habits will be an important consideration. Men and women who left employers in the lurch to get more money or thrills may be left "high and dry" when the war is over. There will not be a good job for everyone after Germany cracks. In fact, there will begin to be unemployment when Roumania, Bulgaria and Hungary give up, which I expect early soon.

Politics and Inflation Unless Germany collapses before August, Roosevelt will be re-elected and probably re-elected. It looks now as if Willkie will be nominated if the Republican leader believes Roosevelt has the election on the way. This attitude is a good way of getting rid of Willkie. Another possibility is that Willkie may accept a second place on the Democratic ticket in 1944. Congress will be elected in 1944. The House and Senate will be elected in 1944. Roosevelt will have a long term with the Democrats in 1952. This will be a long period of stationary periods. In the meantime, we will have slowly creeping inflation until 1948; but nothing radical. After Roosevelt is re-elected to him, I should not be surprised to see him resign to accept the head of the new World Organization whatever the way be. This could take place as soon as Japan is whipped, possibly in 1943.

How Long Will War Last? Intelligence forecasts of 1944 business should be based upon such assumption as to the length of the war. If Germany is to crack within a short time, 1944 may be a very different year than if Germany should hold out until after our Presidential Elections in November, 1944. Germany may collapse early in the year but consider the following:

- (1) Churchill is very close to Roosevelt. He desperately wants him re-elected. Knowing that only a continuation of the European conflict through October 1944 will assure that he is not hurrying a Second Front.
- (2) As the Republicans have not yet insisted upon "unconditional surrender," the German and Japanese people think their chances might be better with a Republican President—which is a temptation for them to hold out.
- (3) Stalin is definitely waiting until after November 6, 1944 before making certain decisions.

and this will delay Germany's collapse. (4) Although the Washington New Deal group might do nothing to prolong the war merely to insure themselves another four years of power, yet they surely would not be adverse to others doing so.

(5) Generally good war news should feature 1944. The battle-hardened Russians should continue to drive the German horde back. As we enter 1944 the war has rounded second base and is on the way home. As, however, I stated in my 1942 and 1943 Annual Forecasts, we should not expect an ending of the War until gas, chemicals or bacteria bombs are used.

All of the above may be upset by the death or serious illness of Roosevelt, Churchill, Stalin, Chiang or perhaps even Hitler in 1944.

Needed: More Research and Religion Businessmen are faced with three vitally important questions: (1) Is it time now to give up seeking war contracts and prepare plants for civilian goods output? (2) Should sub-contracting be reduced by approximately 30% so as to be ready for civilian goods production? (3) Is all-out war production the best course? My advice is: Continue to take all-war sub-contracting you can get provided it will not tie your plant up beyond Election Day next year. Stop further expansion plans now. Work research and postwar planning departments overtime. Give orders now for reconversion equipment.

It is a question of whether these two philosophical theories which are splitting civilization today—these may be expressed by the eternal question of whether man (1) is a spiritual being to be guided by the Ten Commandments; or (2) is a evolutionary animal permitted to follow the rules of the jungle even when possessing a college diploma and dressed in a tuxedo. If our first assumption, the one for which our churches stand, is adopted as a goal, the coming year can be the beginning of a glorious future. If the second, which too many educators are teaching, is allowed to grow, then World War II may have been in vain in the end, spiritual forces must overcome the material forces or civilization is sunk. The hope of a better postwar world lies with greater research and more religion.

Why Not Send The Home Paper to Your Absent Son or Daughter? It Helps To Cure Homesickness. OH, BOY! JUST LIKE A LETTER FROM HOME.

HOLIDAY GREETINGS 1944

To have served you in 1943 has been a pleasure and a privilege. We hope we have served you well enough to merit your patronage in 1944. Right now we want to say **Happy New Year To You and Yours**

JONES FLORAL CO.
Linden and Dubuque Phone 453J
We Telegraph Flowers
Closed All Day Christmas and Sunday

Spirit of '44

Happy New Year

IT IS on New Year's that we keep "open house"—a happy old traditional custom. On such occasions how important that one's home be inviting and comfortable. We have been particularly fortunate for many years in that we have helped our customers and friends to make their homes more livable.

To all whom we have thus served, to all whom we may serve in the future, we send the season's greetings.

DEPOSITORS STATE BANK
F. D. I. C.



The past comes before us in review... memories of peaceful New Years, memories of rainy New Years, and of New Year's Eves when the wind shrieked like a banshee and sleigh-bells jangled along country roads, memories of when this town was young. Yes, we have seen many a New Year's come and go.

To the oldest inhabitant, to the youngest, and to all the good folk in between, we say now, as we have said so often,

HAPPY NEW YEAR!
FISHER SHOE SHOP
PLYMOUTH
Open Friday and Saturday Evenings 'Til 9



What value is gratitude if it forever remains unexpressed? We are grateful to you for the loyalty which has enabled us to make measurable progress during these difficult times. And we want you to know it.

WE WISH FOR YOUR 1944 LOADS OF GOOD LUCK

Wixom Coop. Co.
Phone 41-F2 Wixom, Mich.

Peace On Earth... NEW YEAR JOY 1944

ON THE THRESHOLD OF 1944 IT MAY BE APPROPRIATE TO ENVISION A BETTER WORLD... "A WORLD WHICH SHALL AFFORD TO ALL NATIONS THE MEANS OF DWELLING IN SAFETY WITHIN THEIR BOUNDARIES, AND WHICH WILL AFFORD ASSURANCE THAT ALL MEN IN ALL LANDS MAY LIVE OUT THEIR LIVES IN FREEDOM FROM FEAR AND WANT." MAY GOD SPEED THAT DAY. WE PRAY, AS WE SEND YOU OUR NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS.

S. L. Brader Department Store

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No Village Pickup
SATURDAY, DEC. 25
OR
SATURDAY, JAN. 1
Being holidays the regular village pickup will be on the next Mondays. Regular days thereafter
Earl Montgomery
City Engineer

HAPPY NEW YEAR 1944

Northville Bus Line
TUNIS P. BIDDLE, Prop. Northville

WE pause to extend our sincere holiday greetings to our customers and friends. It has been a pleasure to have served you in 1943. We hope for a continuance of your friendship in 1944.

Sally Bell Bakery

Entrance from Parking Lot
125 E. Main St. Northville, Mich.



HAPPIEST NEW YEAR...



The hum of those Liberators high in the sky is a portent of progress—a glimpse of the reality that, speed the day, lies beyond the turn of the road. Freedom is on the march!

That you may participate in all of the good things that 1944 may bring is our sincere New Year's wish for you.

John A. Ross **L. E. Rehner**
Doctors of Optometry
809 Penniman Ave Plymouth, Michigan
Phone 433
7:00 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday
2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Saturday



Our entire business has been built upon friendship. We look upon all our customers as our friends, and are determined to give them the friendliest service possible. It is our aim to wrap up a little friendliness in each transaction.

Thanks, friends, one and all, for the privilege of serving you. And we want to say right now, as fervently as we can say it...

HAPPY NEW YEAR

SCHRADER'S

Fine Furniture Funeral Chapel Ambulance Service
N. C. SCHRADER
Phone Day or Night 48



*Above the clangor of the midnight bells, you might hear the ringing of another Bell, whose chiming means 'life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.'

In your pursuit of happiness during 1944 we wish for you the fullest measure of attainment.

L. V. Sonnenberg
Your News Man



The top of the world to you, folks! And now here! We're going to give you still better service in 1944. Think we can? We've got a record to beat, but just watch us! It's our New Year's pledge to old customers, to new and potential.

W. E. FORNEY
102 W. Main, Northville
Phone 353-J



"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times, it was the age of wisdom, it was the age of foolishness, it was the epoch of belief, it was the epoch of incredulity, it was the season of Light, it was the season of Darkness, it was the spring of hope, it was the winter of despair, we had everything before us, we had nothing before us, we were all going direct to Heaven, we were all going direct the other way—in short the period was so far like the present period, that some of its noisiest authorities insisted on its being received, for good or for evil, in the superlative degree of comparison only."

When these words were written, they were written in 1859 by Charles Dickens. The words of Dickens' "Great Expectations" are a story of the French revolution 70 years earlier.

Approaching events of history cast their shadow ahead. On the basis of current information, we predict for 1944:

BUSINESS. Another boom year for the U.S. The industrial index is climbing higher. It makes the pre-war years look like the first steps of a tall ladder. Back in 1929 when they say we had prosperity, the peace-time record was \$28 billion. The estimated sales total for 1943 is \$58 billion and the experts expect that higher production in 1944 should boost this dizzy sum to around \$65 billion. As long as Germany holds out, American arms production generally must continue at high level.

FARM INCOME. Cash farm income is expected to rise 5 to 10 percent in 1944 for another new record. The price of goods to farmers may decline due to shortage of raw materials. Farmers are accumulating surpluses, earning for the post-war period. They will buy more of consumer goods, possibly increasing their demand for farm labor. Watch for a farm hand boom. It's all ready on the way.

INVASION. The big chance for invasion is likely to take place in Africa, April and June. The British invasion, probably a diversion, is then a possibility. The invasion of Italy will probably be completed by July. The American invasion of Germany will probably be completed by the end of 1944. The invasion of Japan, supported by air and land, will probably be completed by the end of 1944. We must be ready for the invasion of the North by the Japanese.

POLITICS. President Roosevelt will be a candidate for a fourth term, and the Republicans' choice will be either Thomas Dewey or Wendell Willkie. Vandenberg's pro-McArthur boom is a tactical move only. Michigan Republicans are confident that Harry F. Kelly will be re-elected, and this confidence is enhanced by uncertainty among Democrats as to their leader. Inability of soldiers and sailors to vote in the 1944 election, due to lack of time, handicap of distance and inadequate legislation, appears to favor G.O. chances.

LEGISLATURE. Michigan's special session of the legislature will convene about Feb. 1 at Lansing for consideration of limited fiscal and war needs. With \$59 millions in sight for post-war planning and the sales tax assuring continued revenue through out 1944, legislators will be inclined to be generous. The governor's program of long-range planning and year-to-year spending



1944 1944

May this New Year's bear a photographic likeness to the one of your heart's desire, and may 1944 be an album of 365 very happy days. This, friends and putions, is our New Year's wish for you.

NORTHVILLE SHOE REPAIR
104 East Main St.

will be put to practical test in 45 days.

GRAND JURY. Michigan law definitely provides for dual responsibilities: To Judge Leland Carr of Lansing, full responsibility for the grand jury investigation and indictments; to Attorney General Herbert J. Rushton, full responsibility for trial prosecutions. We predict that when the facts are revealed WHY Jay Lindsey of Grand Rapids was named prosecutor, Rushton will emerge stronger than ever in public confidence.

LOBBYISTS. The grand jury investigation has resulted in indictment of several legislators and a few individuals who were indicted in pending legislation at Lansing. Hence, the so-called lobbyists are vulnerable in 1944 to legislative reform. Any severe restriction would affect legislators as well as lobbyists, for it is ethically possible for an attorney to serve both the people and a private client when he votes as a member of the house or senate. We predict that the legislature will impose mild regulations, if any.

TIMBER. Forests of Michigan are being depleted rapidly of valuable timber. The Lake Superior region once supplied from a tract of 2,000,000 acres of timber, today it possesses less than 4 per cent of the nation's standing timber, and one-half of this is held by big corporations such as General Motors, Ford Motor, and Calumet-Heckel. The state planning commission recommends that the state acquire the largest unbroken tract of virgin hardwood timber in the United States—130,000 acres comprising the Porcupine Mountains in Gribble and Ontonagon counties. This is a beautiful and spectacularly scenic region. Lumberjacks are now at its borders. Action by 1945 may be too late.

AUTOS. General Motors reports it is possible, with government cooperation, for Michigan automobile plants to reconvert and retool in three months and to effect full production in six months. Defeat of Germany by mid-summer could mean partial reconversion of automobiles by automobilers not later than spring of 1945 for essential war workers.

RESORTS. Our third summer in war, plus nerve jitters from invasions, will stimulate public demand for rest and relaxation. Michigan's northland resorts should have a fine season, if their facilities are adequately publicized.

Eth-Mead Guernsey Farm Cow Sets Record

A two-year-old registered Guernsey cow, Eth-Mead F. Patricia, owned by Ethel M. Bricker, Eth-Mead Guernsey Farm, Northville, recently completed a creditable record of 10,467.2 pounds of milk and 524.3 pounds of butter-fat. This cow was milked 337 times while making this record.

Patricia is a daughter of the famous Guernsey sire, Green Meadow Foreman, that has forty-two sons and daughters in the Performance Register of The American Guernsey Cattle Club.

A two-year-old registered Guernsey cow, Eth-Mead M. Patricia, owned by the above, recently completed a creditable Advanced Register record of 11,631.9 pounds of milk and 588.9 pounds of butter-fat.

The Ralph Bogart family entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bogart and Miss Marie Schoof for Christmas dinner at their home on Randolph street.

Modern and Old Time Dancing
Every Saturday Night
9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Every one Welcome
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Community Dance Hall
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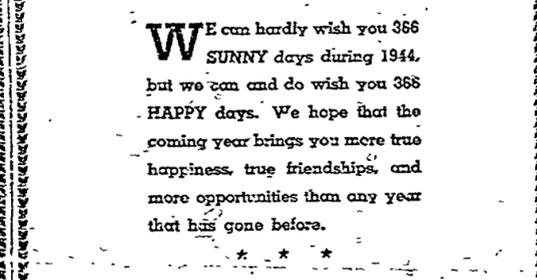
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HEAR THE MUSIC OF THE BELLS

Ring out wild bells your New Year's greetings. Blow, whistles, blow! On with the dance, let the joy be unconfined!

Again we wish for you all the good things that 1944's cornucopia may contain.

CLOVERDALE DAIRY
North Center Street



BEST WISHES 1944

WE can hardly wish you 365 SUNNY days during 1944, but we can and do wish you 365 HAPPY days. We hope that the coming year brings you more true happiness, true friendships, and more opportunities than any year that has gone before.

State of Michigan The Probate Court for the County of Wayne No. 313,814

In the Matter of the Estate of John G. Hermen, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon Lucy Lapham, administratrix of said estate, at 4843 West Nine Mile road, Northville, Mich., on or before the 23rd day of February, A.D. 1944, and that such claims will be heard by said court, before Judge Thomas C. Murphy in Court Room No. 303, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 23rd day of February, A.D. 1944, at two o'clock in the afternoon. Dated December 13, A.D. 1943

Thomas C. Murphy, Judge of Probate

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DR. R. M. ATCHISON
Physician and Surgeon
Office Hours: 9 to 4 p.m. daily except Thursday, Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings 7 to 9 p.m.
No office hours Sunday or holidays. Mornings by appointment.
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Novi Township TAXES

are now due and payable

I will be at:

Fenn's Store, Wixom
TUESDAYS, JAN. 11 and 25

Moeren's Store, Novi
Wednesdays, Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26

Depositors State Bank, Northville
Thursdays, Jan. 6, 13, 20, 27

GEORGE R. SIMMONS,
Novi Township Treasurer

TAX NOTICE

Northville Township
Taxes are due
Dec. 15, 1943

I will start collecting 1943 taxes Friday, Dec. 17, 1943 at the Depositors State Bank and every Tuesday and Friday following during banking hours. Persons may obtain their 1944 dog licenses at this time.

Bring your tax bills or send them with your remittance and avoid inconvenience

Roy M. Terrill
Northville Township Treasurer
Phone 7135-F11

• TO PLACE WANT ADS... PHONE 200



COME TO CHURCH

Our Lady of Victory Church. Fr. John M. Lynch, Pastor. 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.—Sunday Masses.



Deane Herrick

Jeweler 839 Penniman, Plymouth Phone 1197



1944 Greetings

An old adage reads us that "silence is golden." But, on the Eve of New Year's, we can hardly agree.



We make a Prediction And a Wish As the old year wanes

Our Prediction: 1944 is going to be a very bad year for the Japs. Our Wish: That 1944 be especially favorable to you...

FREDYL Cleaners

PHONE 400 116 East Main

the young men in the armed forces. 10 a.m. Saturday—Catechism class for the grade children at the church.

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church (Mo. Synod) Corner of Elm and High Streets Rev. E. E. Rossow, Pastor

Novi Methodist Church Rev. Clarence E. Dean, Pastor 10:30 a.m.—Morning worship

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Salem Federated Church C. M. Pennell, Pastor 10:30 a.m.—Sunday morning worship

Salem Congregational Church L. M. Sloan, Minister 10:30 a.m.—The Holy Communion

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OBITUARY

MRS. ELIZABETH HEARN Private funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Hearn were held Friday, Rev. W. Leslie Williams officiating.

CHARLES A. WATERMAN Charles A. Waterman died on Monday, Dec. 27, at Sessions hospital at the age of seventy-eight.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES "God" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, Jan. 2.

CARD OF THANKS Will each one of my friends who remembered me with gifts and cards accept this as a personal thank you.

IN MEMORIAM In loving memory of Fred Fogel who left this life four years ago, Jan. 1, 1940.



PROGRESS IS THE KEYNOTE OF THE FUTURE. AND ON ONE POINT AT LEAST WE ARE FIRMLY RESOLVED.

SAVE ON OUR ANNUAL PRE-INVENTORY SALE This Week's Special POT HOLDERS

Attractive quilted holder in a deep maroon color. Edged in white and taped. Available in Oval and Square shapes.

Hammer's Hardware PHONE 370 WE DELIVER NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN

CHURCH BOWLING LEAGUE

Table with columns for Church, Score, and Bowler. Includes entries for Lutheran, Presbyterian, and German churches.

High Individual Three Games Staman 572 Grinshaw 558

Lightening up on Non-Farmers Local Selective Service Boards are lightening up on non-farmers.

Public Wants Alarm Clocks "What are some of the snafus that have bothered you most?"

These Foods Do Not Need Ration Stamps SUNBLEST DILL PICKLES

SUNSHINE KRISPY CRACKERS 1 lb. 20c

APPLE JUICE qt. 20c

RINSO 1 lb. 23c

Breakfast of Champions WHEATIES Pkg. 10c

FRESH FIG BARS Bulk lb. 20c

BROOK'S MEAT SAUCE 6 oz. bot. 14c

WATERMAID RICE 3 lb. 33c

Meat Special Pot Roast lb. 29c

WOLF'S MARKET 125 East Main Street

Entrance from Parking Lot

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Northville Social Record

NEWS AND NOTES OF COMMUNITY INTEREST

McLAREN DELAMETER

A wedding of local interest occurred at St. Mary's church in Redford Monday, Dec. 27, when Miss Margaret McLaren of Detroit and Flight Officer Lewis S. Delameter of Northville were united in marriage by Father Donnelly.

The bride, a daughter of the late J. W. McLaren of Detroit, and a niece of John McLaren of Plymouth. Officer Delameter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Delameter of North Center, the family having moved here for the past five years. He graduated from U. of D. high school and is now an instructor at Drew Field, Tampa, Fla., where the young couple will make their home.

The bride is the daughter of the late J. W. McLaren of Detroit, and a niece of John McLaren of Plymouth. Officer Delameter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Delameter of North Center, the family having moved here for the past five years. He graduated from U. of D. high school and is now an instructor at Drew Field, Tampa, Fla., where the young couple will make their home.

Northville Woman's Club

The Northville Woman's Club meeting for Jan. 7 has been changed so that due to necessary arrangements scheduled for Jan. 21 will take place on the seventh. A luncheon at 12:30 will be followed by a current events program, with Mrs. Clara Clark as speaker. Mrs. Clark has only recently returned to this country from Europe where she lived for nearly forty years. This will be a guest day and the social committee will assist with the luncheon.

Calendar

- Jan. 3—Installation of officers of Blue Star Mothers, Northville Chapter.
- Jan. 4—Nellie Yerkes Auxiliary meets, home of Mrs. Kenneth MacKay on Dubuay st.
- Jan. 4—King's Daughters, Annual meeting, home of Mrs. J. Lisenberger, Dunlap st. A potluck; luncheon at 12:30 p.m.
- Jan. 4—Equestrian Circle meets at home of Miss Margaret Carpenter, First St., 8 p.m.
- Jan. 4—W.R.C. meets at home of Mrs. Ella Thompson, Dunlap st.
- Jan. 4—Service League, 7:45 p.m., home of Mrs. O. F. Reng, 718 Thayer Blvd.
- Jan. 7—Northville Woman's club 12:30 p.m.—luncheon followed by Current Events program.
- Jan. 7—O.E.S. School of Instruction at 7:45; dinner at 6:30.
- Jan. 13—N.H.S. Band concert, H. S. gym, 8 p.m.

WASHBURN-SCOTT

Announcements have reached the Northville friends of Mr. and Mrs. Crosby Washburn of Olive, telling of the marriage of their daughter, Virginia Gene to Clarence Orrin Scott, pharmacist's mate, U.S. Coast Guard, Tuesday, Dec. 21 at Chicago. The bride graduated from Notre Dame University last August and is a supervisor at Living-In Hospital in Chicago. The Washburns lived in Northville for some time and Virginia attended Northville High school, as did her brother, Crosby, who is now stationed at Midway as a member of the armed forces of the U.S.A.

Reinhart-Dengler

Miss Hazel Reinhart and Albert Dengler, both of Detroit, were united in marriage by Rev. Leslie Williams at the Northville Methodist church at 2:30 Monday afternoon, Dec. 27. The bridegroom is a member of Northville Community.

Family Reunion

A family reunion was held at the Philip Anderson home recently and the delightful dinner was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. William Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wagner of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Roy and Beverly and family of Garden City, Mr. and Mrs. Don Miller and family and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sanford of Northville in the evening program. A hot time was taken by Roger Miller, now serving in Italy.

Birthday Surprise

A number of young ladies got together to celebrate the birthday of Miss Virginia McCaughey Sunday afternoon, when they arranged a surprise party for her home on Redford street to help her feel the love and affection of her friends. Mrs. McCaughey, who has been in the secret, furnished the birthday cake and ice cream for the party. The guests included the Misses Loyola Groat, Dorothy Leavenworth, Shirley Lyke, Howell, Betty Snow, and Joann Kitchen.

Dancing Party

The Volney Gunning dance club gave a special holiday dancing party at the Wayne County Training school last evening. Invitations were sent to members of the club who live in Redford and Clarksville, also to Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Fitt of this place, who attended. The club was formed some twenty years ago in Northville and has continued to function through the years. A slight change in membership from time to time.

Attend Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. John McCollough and daughters Jean and Joan of Eastwood road, attended the wedding of their niece and cousin, Miss Margaret McCollough of Arden Park, Detroit to Lieut. Markham Cheever, U.S. AEC. The ceremony took place in the home of the bride's parents' Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. McCollough were also guests at the Detroit Golf Club Sunday evening, when a shower was given for the bride-to-be.

Holiday Dinner

Another family gathering took place Christmas eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Biery on West street. Relatives present besides the Bierys and their two sons were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Perkins and daughter, Maxine, and Mrs. Proebe Biery, all of Northville.

House Party

A house party for five young Northville ladies was one of the social events of the past holiday week. Miss Peggy Ely invited to her home on Gardner ave. Monday evening, the Misses Shirley Ely, Lyke and Hodge and Mary Ellen Babbitt, all of Northville, the girls spent an enjoyable time with a late lunch, a slumber party and a delicious breakfast.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. George Evans of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter Velma, to Air Cadet Richard Parmalee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Parmalee of Northville.

SESSIONS HOSPITAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ackman, Plymouth, a son, Donald, to Mr. and Mrs. M. and Mrs. Arthur Miller, Northville, a daughter, Mary Kathleen, Dec.



SAVE WASTE PAPER
IT WILL LAY WASTE TO
TOKIO and BERLIN

Christmas Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ely and daughter, Peggy, and nephew, Norman Rice, entertained members of the Ely families at their home on Gardner ave. for Christmas dinner. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Ely, daughters, Jane and Shirley and Bob Ely, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weeman and Dorothy and JoAnne, Mrs. Mattie Cook, all of this place and Norman F. Rice of Detroit.

Mrs. Bryan Entertains

Mrs. Carl Bryan has invited some twenty-five young ladies of the village to her home, on west Main street this Friday afternoon for an informal tea. The purpose of the affair, beside the purely social, friendly side, is to bring together girls who have some one near and dear to them now in the service of our country.

Silver Anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Paul Becker

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Becker were pleasantly surprised by a group of friends and relatives last Sunday evening at their home on West Light Mile road. The occasion was the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. Guests were present from Northville, Okla., South, Wayne and Fenton.

Mrs. J. R. McColl is planning to leave for St. Petersburg, Fla. Jan. 4 to be gone for several months.

Red Cross Sewing Center to Reopen January 4

The Red Cross sewing room will open again after the first of the year. The sewers will meet at the Methodist Church House on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. and on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

The first meeting of the New Year will be Jan. 4 beginning at 10 a.m. at the Red Cross sewing room at the Methodist Church House.

New Police Officer Added to Department

Ed Trombley of Detroit has been added to the Northville police department and has started on the customary three month probationary period.

Chief Redecker states that Officer Trombley will move his wife and two children to Northville from their Detroit residence at the end of the probationary period matters work out satisfactorily for all concerned.

Chief Redecker expressed the wish that everyone in Northville may enjoy a happy, prosperous and victorious New Year.

WAR BONDS in Action



A sprig of green on the Mediterranean front; today it's camouflage for an American machine gun nest. To win quicker our soldiers must have munitions and material, more and more. To provide them all we must buy more and more War Bonds.

Michigan Bell Telephone Co. Looks Back Upon 1943

The Michigan Bell Telephone Company today looked back upon the wartime year of 1943, with all its problems of crowded circuits and growing shortages of materials and personnel, confident that it had met the challenge of war and most civilian demands. Never before had telephone people been called upon to do so much with what they already had as in the past year, sixty-fifth of telephone service in Michigan. Moreover a spring program to conserve materials was so successful that Michigan Bell turned back more copper in to the national pool than it used during the year. The company also reported a "savings" of 436,000 gallons of gasoline and 460 tires in the first year of gas and rubber rationing.

War calls went through promptly and so did most civilian calls. The general public cooperated in curtailing long distance calls, particularly to war activity centers, and in keeping the voiceways clear for service calls. From 7 to 10 p.m. a "cease progress" more distance calls to act in the home, many calls of which were usually made. Some applicants had to wait until facilities became available as others discontinued service. But virtually all essential calls were met. At many points central office equipment and cables were used to full capacity, but nothing more use of telephone service and wiring out spare facilities necessary to the furnishing of service when wanted.

A serious shortage developed in "woman power" and the company blanketed the "Help wanted - women" sign in an extensive newspaper and radio advertising campaign.

Total calls handled by the company approached the two billion mark. There were 40,400,000 long distance messages, an increase of 17.4 per cent over the previous record, set in 1942, and 75 per cent over the volume during the year before Hitler invaded Poland.

So great were wartime service demands that company-owned telephones operated in Michigan climbed to a new peak of more than 1,110,000, a gain of nearly 75,000 despite restrictions on new installations. A large proportion were for essential war and war production service.

Expansion of telephone plant was at the lowest level since the depression era, so tight was the pinch of material shortages. Gross construction expenditures of \$8,500,000 were less than half the amount in 1942 and lowest since the \$6,900,000 program of 1935. The company completed its \$700,000 dial-conversion program at Mt. Clemens, sole project of its kind for the duration.

The company also continued its accent upon "service for servicemen." Telephone centers with operator-attendants to expedite

calls were set up at locations where men in uniform gather in considerable numbers, including Fort Custer and large USO locations.

Michigan Bell had more than six men in the military services for every ten on the job, highest ratio of any Bell System company. Its service flag bore the figure "2,800." Three out of every four women on the job were engaged in voluntary war activities in their spare time.

County Agent's Column

E. L. Beschner

Fruit growers and other farmers are urged to accept delivery of fertilizers immediately in order to avoid acute labor, storage and transportation shortages next spring.

Fruit growers will find a shortage of ammonium sulfate and nitrate of soda but they can be replaced by ammonium nitrate which is a by-product of munition manufacture. Ammonium nitrate is 30-35% available and is used at the rate of 2 as much as of nitrate of soda or 2-3 as much as of ammonium sulfate.

Victory gardeners in 1944 may expect more tools with the exception of garden rakes. Making factories are restricted to 60% of 1943. The amount of rakes made in 1943 was 1,200,000 dozen. Garden rakes were made in 1944 it is estimated there will be 121,000 dozen.

Victory Garden Clubmen of Wayne County will meet at the O.C.D. office, 2631 Woodward Ave. in Detroit on Jan. 4 to formulate plans for the 1944 year.

Farmers are to be permitted to use binder twine for any part of the growing, harvesting or shipping of agricultural products, according to the War Production Board. Previously an order limited twine use by farmers to mechanically self-tying binders.

Fruit and Vegetable growers are urged to order and take delivery of insecticides and fungicides at once. Manpower and transportation are becoming increasingly uncertain and delivery in the spring may not be possible. Rottenone supplies will be extremely tight. White amended EPO-13 permits expanded use, this does not indicate an improved supply situation.

CONFUCIUS SAY EVEN ELEPHANT FORGET MAN WHO NEVER ADVERTISE



A Happy New Year to the people of this community! We want everyone to know that we regard the popularity of this store not only as an honor but as a grave responsibility. We will meet that responsibility by making every effort to improve our service in 1944.

Best Wishes

1944

Best Wishes

BAILEY'S Standard Service

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HOLIDAY GOOD CHEER

1944 1944

LIKE a worn out old boot we discard the old year, and we voice the hope that 1944 will see many more unpleasant things thrown into the eternal discard. And now, we join our friends in the general rejoicing, and wish you a Very Happy New Year.

NORTHVILLE MILLING & LBR. CO.
Base Line Northville

New Year's GREETINGS

★ WE'VE BEEN HITTING 'EM WHERE THEY LIVE, FOLKS, and the future looks a great deal brighter. Here's wishing all our friends Health, Happiness and Prosperity in 1944.

NORTHVILLE
NYAL SERVICE DRUG CO. TELEPHONE 238

Best Wishes

1944

SOME day soon we hope to thank you personally for your kindness to us during 1943. But right now, with the Spirit of New Year's in the air we want to say

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Harold Bloom

for Auto - Fire - Plate Glass - Liability War Risk - Windstorm INSURANCE

108 W. Main Northville Phone 470 or 421

MIRA CURL
COLD WAVE

Thomas J. ANKNER'S Beauty Shop

104 West Main Street, Northville Phone 871

HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO ALL

Happy New Year 1944

HAPPY NEW YEAR

For many years in succession we have been wishing our friends and customers a Happy New Year. It is with the greatest of pleasure that we now renew this custom. Many thanks, and every good wish for you.

YOUR FIRESTONE HOME SUPPLY STORE

Atchinson Gulf Service

Phone 675 202 W. Main St.

Spirit of '44 GREETINGS

MANY years of continued progress car, in no small measure, be attributed to your esteemed friendship and cherished patronage. To all of you we extend thanks and most sincere holiday greetings, with the hope that 1944 has in store for you much that is beyond your most optimistic expectations.

Gunsell's Drug Store

News Around Northville

Best equipped optometric service in Michigan. Dr. John A. Ross, Plymouth.

A daughter, Mary Beth, was born to Lieut. Alex. Knazovich and Mrs. Knazovich on Friday, Dec. 21 at Mt. Carmel hospital, Detroit. The new mother was formerly Miss Thyrza Lester, daughter of the Ezer Ward Lesters of Walnut street. Lieut. Knazovich was fortunate in securing leave from Camp Sticker, Alaska and was in town last week and this.

The Women's Relief Corps will meet Tuesday evening, Jan. 4 at the home of Mrs. Ella Thompson, 127 east Dunlap street, at which time the newly elected officers will be installed.

The Misses Kathleen and Bonnie Rinck have been spending the holiday vacation with their parents on west Eight Mile road. Miss Kathleen is an instructor in the music department of the U. of M. at Ann Arbor and Miss Bonnie, a sophomore student at the U.

Dr. Rice and Rice, Chiropractors, X-ray services, 747 Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, Mich. 23-11.

Joe Wroman came home from Memphis, Tenn. to spend Christmas with his wife and daughters at the family home on Verkes ave. Joe has been in the south for several weeks in connection with his work at the local Ford plant. He left on Monday for Memphis, via airplane.

Mrs. Edward Abgove (Louise Alexander) left Northville last week Thursday to accompany her husband, Lieut. Abgove, to Redmond, Oregon, where he was recently transferred from Florida.

The Charity Circle of the Northville Baptist church will meet at the home of Miss Margaret Carpenter on First street at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, Jan. 4. A missionary book report will be given, entitled "For all of life."

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Murdock and son and Clawsen Murdock, Garden City, spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Cora Murdock.

The E. M. Bogart will entertain at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lapham and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schoutz.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Aulbach of Detroit spent the holiday week end with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Lee at their home on Novi ave.

The Nellie Verkes Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. Kenneth McKay on Dubuay St. Tuesday evening, Jan. 4 with Mrs. Harold Wagenschulz as co-hostess. A short induction program will take place and the president, Mrs. George Weiss will conduct the devotional exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ash of Farmington received a cablegram from their son, Corp. Arthur Ash, wishing them a happy Christmas and that he is doing as well as possible. This is the only word that has been received from their son in several weeks, so it was doubly welcome. Another son, Corp. Charles is stationed somewhere in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gregory of Flint spent Christmas Eve and day with their daughter, Mrs. Ciel Boyd and their son, Floyd Gregory and family.

Ernsig and Mrs. John Skerrett (Gwen Jones) came from New York City to spend Christmas week with the latter's mother and sister, Mrs. William T. Jones and Miss Phyllis at their home on Linden street. They are returning to the east today.

The many friends of Mrs. O. Casterline of the Gift Shop on Main street will be pleased to hear that she is doing as well as possible following an operation performed at Mt. Carmel hospital, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beller returned to their home in Salem, Oregon after spending the past week visiting relatives. He also attended the wedding of Sgt. Howard Beller to Miss Helen Van Sickle, which took place Thursday, Dec. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Anderson entertained Mr. and Mrs. William C. Joy of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. George Wraske of Plymouth for dinner Christmas.

ATTENDS FUNERAL SERVICES
Mrs. T. J. Knapp left Monday evening by train for Suffolk, N. Y. to attend funeral services for her sister, Mrs. Frances Spalding Copeland, who died of a heart attack at Sarasota, Florida, on Dec. 24. Mrs. Copeland was the widow of Senator Royal Copeland of New York, whom she married in 1912 at Deser, Mich. Her late husband is survived by a son, Major Royal S. Copeland, Jr., a brother, Dr. Leonard J. Spalding of Suffolk, N. Y.



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NEW YEAR 1944

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On this Eve of New Year, 1944, we wish all of our friends. Happy New Year to you!

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Corner Main and Center Northville

The Northville fire department was called to the Robert K. Leary residence on Novi road Christmas Eve to extinguish a fire on the roof. The fire was started from sparks flying from a defective chimney.

The Sunday Detroit News carried a photograph and engagement announcement of Miss Nancy Jane Brown of Birmingham to Ensign Robert Nelson of Pontiac. Miss Brown and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert W. Brown lived in Northville for some time before their removal to Birmingham.

A large number of Northville people were the fortunate recipients of Christmas time of telegrams, cards and phone calls from their folks away from home at holiday time, in the service of their country.

Mrs. E. G. Marburger left Northville Monday evening for St. Augustine, Fla., where she will visit her sister for a month or so. Since Miss Jean is training as a WAC at nearby Daytona Beach, Mrs. Marburger plans to visit with her also.

The Methodist Service League will meet at the home of Mrs. O. F. Reng on Thayer Blvd., Tuesday evening, Jan. 4. This program will be a study and discussion of the race problem.

Mrs. Edward Abgove (Louise Alexander) left Northville last week Thursday to accompany her husband, Lieut. Abgove, to Redmond, Oregon, where he was recently transferred from Florida.

The E. M. Bogart will entertain at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lapham and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schoutz.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bogart of Detroit will have New Year's dinner in Northville with the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bogart in the afternoon all will go to Wilson to attend the golden wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Richard McGuire, son-in-law and daughter of the late Mr. Marvin Bogart.

Miss Gertrude Von Weller of Royal Oak is the guest of Miss Joanne Kitcher this week.

Mrs. Audrey Joki enjoyed the Christmas holiday with her parents in Hope, Mich.

Mrs. Katherine Dillon and Mrs. James Willis and family were visitors in Hudson last week.

Mrs. Lee Estlin of Baton Rouge, La. Tuesday for Abilene, Texas, where she will spend some time with her daughter, Alice, now Mrs. Roger Sackett. Capt. Sackett is stationed at nearby Camp Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Louise Parmenter of East Base Line Road entertained those members of the family who were not ill or away in the service of their country, on Christmas day. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farrell and two children, Mrs. Carl Rink and Mrs. Willard Ely, all of this village.

Mr. and Mrs. James Willis and family spent the Christmas holidays in Jackson, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Walter D. Appel, chairman of the Camp and Hospital Committee at the Oakland County Chapter, American Red Cross, wishes to thank all organizations and individuals who contributed Christmas boxes for the Services. Over 200 packages were collected and forwarded to the Red Cross Field Directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gillespie (Gertrude Deib) returned to their home in Muskegon, Tuesday after an over-Christmas visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Deal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hodge of High street received a phone call Tuesday from their son, Homer, who is a member of the U. S. Coast Guard. Homer has recently been on Caribbean cruise.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kitchen and daughter, Joanne, and Mrs. Edna Raymond spent Christmas in Williamson.

Miss Joanne Kitchen will entertain about thirty boys and girls of the high school set at her home in Oakwood tomorrow, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mary Wilcox of Cady st. will spend some time in San Antonio, Tex., with her daughter, Marie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Saxton of West street visited the latter's parents in Buffalo, N. Y., from Friday to Monday.

Mrs. George Pickell of Eaton Drive spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Don McLean, and family in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson and children were Sunday guests of Mrs. Edna Drows at Plymouth.

Mrs. James Hoff of West street visited her daughter, Gertrude, in Detroit over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Griswold entertained Christmas day at their home Mrs. Alice Harwood and two children of Highland Park and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barton of Dearborn.

Twenty-four Northville friends of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Wallace Jr. were entertained at dinner Tuesday evening at the Walker home on east Eight Mile road.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tewksbury and daughter, Lois, of the place and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poff and little daughter of Detroit were Christmas guests of relatives in Mt. Clemens.

The many friends of Mrs. Mary Hedge, who is in Sessions hospital with an attack of pneumonia, will be pleased to hear that she is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lanning and Mr. Jay Caswell spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Jacoby and son, Dave.

The pupils of the Baseline school presented a very interesting Christmas program for their parents and friends on Wednesday evening, before Christmas. After the play in which all the children took part, they presented their teacher, Mrs. Dickerson with a handsome fountain pen.

Wedding anniversary congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Flint, Jan. 3.

Mrs. Harry Dickerson of Napier road has been a victim of flu the entire holiday week.

Birthday congratulations to Mrs. Harry Sedan, Jan. 1; to Harriet Schultz, Jan. 2; to Mrs. George Stalker, Jan. 3; to Mrs. Earl Collins and Mrs. M. J. Multon, Jan. 4; to Frederick Wick, Jan. 5; to Norman Charles Trumble, Jan. 6; to James Wick, Aunt Ida Hendryx and Nancy Dewsbury, Jan. 7.

Aunt Ida Hendryx writes from the King's Daughters home at Redford that the toe has been a victim of the current flu bug and is still confined to her bed a part of the time. Aunt Ida's birthday occurs Jan. 7 of next week.

Township treasurer Roy M. Terrell reports that the winter taxes are coming in at a good rate, about \$15,000 or 25 per cent having already been paid.

Lieut. Frances Bacon, A.N.C., who has served with the U. S. forces overseas for over a year, is expected home on furlough soon and will visit friends in this village.

Miss Jean Anderson entertained Miss Clara Robinson at a dinner Monday night. Jean is also entertaining a former roommate at Michigan State Normal, and her husband of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Cullen and baby Pamela Glee, for dinner New Year's Eve.

The Misses Jean and Joan McCollough are spending the holiday vacation from M. S. College at East Lansing with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCollough of Halstead road.

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ARMOUR'S SPREAD	1 Jar	7c
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ARMOUR'S TREET	12-oz. Tin	35c
ARMOUR'S PARTY LOAF	12-oz. Tin	35c
ARMOUR'S RED-MEAT	12-oz. Tin	35c
ARMOUR'S DEVILED HAM	3-oz. Tin	12c
ARMOUR'S DRIED BEEF	3 1/2-oz. Tin	22c
ARMOUR'S PIG'S FEET	12-oz. Tin	24c
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FRESH PORK LOIN	RIB END	29c
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STATE OF MICHIGAN County of Wayne ss. 308,038

At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit.

Present Patrick H. O'Brien, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Nellie Westcott, deceased.

Lorraine Lipp, Administratrix of said estate, having referred to said Court her first and final account in said matter, and filed therewith her petition praying that the residue of said estate be assigned to the person or persons entitled thereto.

It is ordered that the nineteenth day of January, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to the time of hearing, in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

Patrick H. O'Brien, Clerk of Probate.

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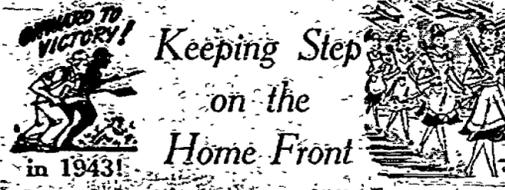


ONE'S home may be frail, its roof may shake, the wind may blow through it, the storm may enter, the rain may enter, but at New Year's eve, such a home may be slight with cheer.

Standing on the threshold of 1944 there is reason to believe that the new chapter has brighter pages for all. With this thought we extend to all OUR SINCERE NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

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MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Brown stamps L, M, N, P and Q are good through January 1, 1944. Brown stamp R becomes good Dec. 28 and remains good through January 29.

SUGAR—Stamp No. 28 in Book Four is good for 5 pounds through January 15, 1944.

SHOES—Stamp 16 in Book I and No. 1 airplane stamp in Book 3 good to Jan. 15, 1944.

GASOLINE—Stamps A-S good for 3 gallons through January 21, 1944. B, B-1 and C-1 stamps good for 2 gallons until used. B-2 and C-2 good for 3 gallons. State and license numbers must be written on face of each coupon IMMEDIATELY upon receipt of book.

TIRES—Next inspections due: A book vehicles by March 31; B's by February 29; C's by February 29; commercial vehicles every 6 months or every 5,000 miles, whichever is first.

FUEL OIL—Period 1 coupons good through January 3; Period 2 coupons good through February 7; Period 3 coupons through March 13. All have value of 10 gallons for each unit. All change-making coupons and reserve coupons good throughout heating year.

STOVES—Certificates to purchase most heating and cooking stoves that burn coal, wood, oil or gas must now be obtained from local board.

NOVI NEWS

By Mrs. Luther Rix
Hugh Schram is ill with rheumatic fever in the Navy hospital at Great Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Johnston of Adrian were Monday visitors at the Clyde Johns on home.

Anniversaries of the past year's accomplishments of the Novi Blue Star Mothers will be found in other columns of this week's Record.

Gerald Trotter, Petty Officer, 2C, U.S.N., arrived home last Friday and will be the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Art Trotter and his wife and small son, until New Year's Day, when he will return to the west coast where he is now stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Trotter entertained Christmas day at a family dinner. Twenty relatives were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Salew spent from Friday to Tuesday night in Jackson and while there attended the funeral of E. J. Brierly of that city. Mrs. Brierly is the former Joy Thompson of Novi.

The Mission Study group will meet on Jan. 7 with Mrs. Davis on Beck road.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newman spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanschke in Ferndale.

The Rev. Ezra P. Roberson of Detroit will preach at the Novi Methodist church Sunday.

Extend Hog Market Support—Good and choice butcher hogs weighing from 270 to 300 pounds will be included in the Price Support Program according to WPA.

This temporary emergency measure became effective December 23 and is expected to encourage the more orderly marketing of hogs and to relieve the congested conditions existing in many of the principal markets. The action is intended to protect farmers from prevailing heavy discounts for hogs weighing from 200 to 270 pounds. The Hog Support Program previously applied to good and choice hogs weighing 200 to 270 pounds. WPA requested that hogs weighing less than 200 pounds be kept off the market until congested conditions are relieved.

West Point Park News

By Mrs. Wm. Zwahlen
Shirley Aull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Aull, Shady-side ave. who was confined to her home by illness for several days, was pronounced by a doctor to have had scarlet fever early last week and a quarantine established.

is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mrs. Margaret Martin went to Detroit to spend Christmas at the home of her son, Carl Borland, and his family.

Emerson Aull spent Christmas and the week-end at his home on Mayfield ave.

The Sunshine Sisters held their annual Christmas party Wednesday afternoon in the Neighborhood church. In spite of the cold there was a fair attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown were in the city on Monday last week.

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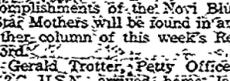
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