

No Depression in 1948 Is Babson's Prediction

1948 IN A NUTSHELL
BUSINESS: Watch out after November 27, 1947.
COMMODITIES: Wholesale price peak in sight.
TAXES: Personal income taxes will be somewhat lower.
LABOR: Wagerworkers to use Taft-Hartley Bill as check on labor leaders.
REAL ESTATE: Increased suburban building.
POLITICS: Election year propaganda.
STOCKS: A year for switching.
BONDS: Low-coupon rate, long-term bonds will be lower.

BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL OUTLOOK FOR 1948

By Roger W. Babson
 1. 1948 will be, more or less, a duplicate of 1947. Certainly there will be no "depression" as so many pessimists are talking about, but fundamental conditions will become increasingly less favorable. Watch out after November 2, 1948.

GENERAL BUSINESS

2. The above paragraph applies mostly to gross business. Certain industries will show smaller net profits. This means that, in some cases, dividends may be less in 1948. Remember some things may be allocated or rationed again in 1948.

3. The reconversion from war to peace has been entirely completed; war surpluses are pretty well disposed of; and 1948 will even show a resumption of military purchases.

4. Inventories, quoted both at their price values and their volumes, will increase during 1948. Both raw material piles and manufactured goods will be in greater supply during 1948.

COMMODITY PRICES

5. Notwithstanding the above paragraph, some allocations or priorities may be re-established in 1948. The public is sick of high prices and will make demands for some price controls in the case of certain products in short supply.

6. The retail price of some goods, other than food products, will be higher during 1948 as the final turn has not yet been reached for all types of goods.

7. We expect to see the peak in wholesale commodity prices sometime during 1948. We, therefore, advise going easy on inventories, especially on borrowed money.

8. Retail price changes will lag after wholesale price changes. This explains why we expect retail prices on good quality merchandise to hold up for awhile after wholesale prices begin to decline. BUT 1948 WILL BE A YEAR OF WAR PREPARATIONS.

FARM OUTLOOK

9. The total farm income for 1948 should approximate that of 1947; but we forecast lower prices for wheat, corn, and certain other products. Farmers should certainly diversify more in 1948, get out of debt, put money into improvements, and prepare for real trouble someday.

10. The supply of certain vegetables, fruits, and fish products should increase during 1948 and the price of these should fall off barring some weather, insect, or blight catastrophes.

11. Meat will be in shorter supply in 1948 than in 1947. Should the current propaganda to "eat less and have a better figure" gain popularity, upward pressure on meat prices would be greatly reduced.

12. Farmers will try to get both 1948 Presidential candidates to promise further subsidies.

The above four Farm Forecasts assume normal weather which we do not attempt to predict.

LOWER TAXES

13. The Federal debt will be decreased during 1948.
 14. No personal taxes will be increased during 1948 and there will be some reductions, — perhaps 5% to 10% in the upper brackets and the entire elimination of those in the lowest bracket.

15. We forecast that the new tax bill will enable a man to share his income tax equally with his wife without sharing his income or property.
 16. The 25% tax limit on long-term gains will remain unchanged.

RETAIL SALES

17. Goods on counters will be of better grade in 1948, even if retail prices hold up.
 There will be many "markdown sales" of goods of inferior quality and curbs on unsalable buying may return.

18. The dollar value of all retail sales in 1948 should be at least equal 1947.

19. The unit value of retail sales will be less in 1948 than in 1947; there will be fewer customer purchases in most stores, although each customer may visit more stores to "shop around."
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Churches Plan for New Year Services

Several of the local churches will hold special services on New Year's Eve and New Year's Day to usher in 1948.

The Methodist church will hold a Watch-Night service beginning at 9:00 p. m. New Year's Eve in the church house. A special program has been planned and refreshments will be served. Beginning at 11:15 p. m., a service will be held in the church auditorium.

The First Baptist Church will also hold a Watch-Night Fellowship Wednesday evening beginning at 9 o'clock with the regular prayer service. Refreshments will be served and a time of testimony, special music, and praise will be followed by a message from the pastor.

Communion will be served as the New Year is ushered in. St. Paul's Lutheran Church will hold both New Year's Eve and New Year's Day services. The former service will begin at 7:00 p. m. at which time communion will be served and the latter service will begin at 10:00 a. m.

Our Lady of Victory parish will hold two masses on New Year's Day, the first to begin at 8:00 a. m. and the second one will be read at 10:00 a. m.

The regular Watch-Night service of the Novi Baptist Church will begin at 9:00 p. m. with a social hour to be held in the basement of the church. Refreshments will be served by the ladies of the church. Following this, the worship service will be held in the auditorium. The Lord's Supper will be served at a candle-light service at the advent of the New Year.

700 At C. I. O. Christmas Party

About 700 children from the community attended the annual Christmas party held Tuesday afternoon at the Pennington-Alton theatre. The affair was as in the past sponsored by Local 896 of the C. I. O. of the Ford plant.

The children were treated to a movie and then were presented with bags of fruit, candy, and nuts.

The youngsters at Maybury Sanatorium, under the supervision of the Recreation department, enacted the Nativity on Christmas Day. They received goodies, the compliments of the Eagles.

Eastlawn Sanatorium heard Christmas carols Monday night sung by the choir from the Centerville Methodist church. Tuesday evening was their annual frolic at which time the local chapter of the SP. E. S. S. Q. A. sang for them.

The employees of the Wayne County Training School contributed to a fund to bring the spirit of Christmas to the boys and girls at that institution. Presents were given the youngsters and the buildings were festively decorated to receive guests on Christmas Day at their annual "open house."

Hobby Show Dates January 21-22

Announcement is made of the dates and tentative plans for the annual Northville Community Hobby Show to be held at the Northville High School on Wednesday and Thursday, January 21 and 22.

Elaborate plans for the exhibits that will far surpass last year's displays, and a program of special events and programs will be offered each evening of the show. Wednesday will be Newcomers and Sportsman's Night, and Thursday will be Old Timers and Community Night.

Committees on the various projects are set to get underway right after New Year's and complete the details of the set up for the two-night event.
 Get your hobbies all dusted off for the big annual event of the community. Wilson Funk, leading the recreation committee, with the cooperation of practically every local organization, will be in charge.

A new edition has just been published by the Macmillan Co. of New York of Dr. Alfred McClung Lee's "The Daily Newspaper in America." Dr. Lee lives on East Cay Street, Northville. His book, one of a number, Dr. Lee has written, was first published in 1937 and received the 1937 National Sigma Delta Chi Research Award.

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Sails for Argentina



SPRAGUE S. LESTER

To Open Office in Buenos Aires

Still another Northville boy has sailed for foreign ports but this time the trip was undertaken on a peace-time basis.

Sprague S. Lester, second son of Mrs. Eber Ward Lester of Walnut street and the late Mr. Lester, left recently for New Orleans to board a steamship for Buenos Aires, Argentina, where he has secured a position in the expectation of remaining in that country at least ten years with intermittent visits back home.

Sprague will set-up an office in Buenos Aires for the Corbett-Bates Method of Eye Education. This opening has been available ever since the start of the second World War and Sprague is the first person to leave from the States for connection with the project in Argentina.

"Sprag" as he is known locally, a graduate of N.H.S. class of 1941, served in the States as a corporal in the infantry training division during the recent war. Upon receiving honorable discharge, he took up the study of the Corbett-Bates method under the G. I. Bill of Rights in a school at Seattle, Washington, and has just completed the course.

Pupils in the school at Buenos Aires are to be English-speaking Argentinians, of which some 300 comprise the present waiting list. Individual lessons are to be given by instructors, pupils later to act as assistants in the remedial eye-work taught, by the C-B method. The office which young Lester will set-up opens a new territory for the school, others being located at various points throughout the world.

Last July, Sprague married a resident of Seattle, the former Eleanor Phillips, who expects to join her husband in Buenos Aires next spring. Needless to say, the young couple were most unhappy at not being able to spend their first Christmas together. Mrs. Lester is residing in the Seattle home of her parents, until sailing time arrives for her early in 1948.

Driving Club to Meet Friday, January 16

The official call for the annual meeting of the Northville Driving Club sets the date for January 16th at the Veterans Memorial Hall at 8 o'clock p. m.

The call states that five directors will be elected four for two years and one for one year.

Last week stockholders requested not only the call for the annual meeting but also a brochure containing a message signed by a group of former directors and stockholders. A dividend of \$99.00 has been declared payable in January.

Xmas Decorations Light This Year

Very little exterior decoration was used in the community this holiday season.

Of unusual interest to passers-by was the painted windows in the grade school building on W. Main Street. The scenes, done in blended shades of water colors, depicts the Nativity, and Santa Claus and his eight reindeer. The scene was sketched by Robert W. Luke, art instructor, and painted by the grade school children.

Eighty-one year old John Boushars of Beck Road was again in charge of putting up the creche in front of Our Lady of Victory parish. This is the sixth year that Mr. Boushars supervised the job. Inside the creche are figurines depicting the birth of Christ. On either side of it are lighted pine trees. It is an unusually beautiful spectacle this year.

The immense pine trees at the Village Hall were again festively decorated with strings of multi-colored lights as were the trees which adorn the front yard of the Presbyterian church. A lighted star stood atop the porch in front of the Veterans Memorial Hall building. A few people in the community decorated the trees in front of their homes, and almost without exception could be seen tinsel ornaments and lights from within the houses.

Heads Exchange



WARD MASTERS, President-Elect of Northville Exchange Club

Names Working Committees

President elect Ward Masters of the Northville Exchange Club has named the following working committees for the next six months:

- Program—Alfred Lee, Fred Hunter, Elroy Ellison
- Project—Harper Britton, Geo. Clark, Geo. Heald, Bruce Turnbull
- Publicity—Bill Cansfield, Levi Eaton
- Membership—Ken Rathburn, Walter Stobbe, H. H. Hamden
- Fellowship—Elmer Iverson, Edward Landau, Geo. Miller, Russell Clarke
- American Citizenship—Harold Sparling, Carl Ely, Orson Atchinson, Michael Carey
- Finance—Auditt—Harold Johnson, Jack Gray, Forrest Doren
- Coordinating Council—Sid. Erid Howard Mitchell (Alternate)
- Community—Ed. Pomes, Glen Richardson
- Junior Exchange—Cyrus Fiero
- Inter-Club—Glen Hall, Roy Casterline, Harold Church
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Pre-School Group Adults to Meet Jan. 5

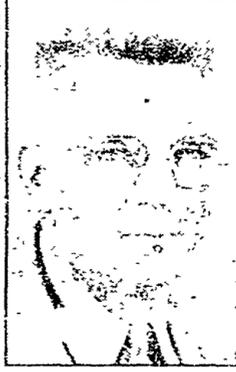
The 14th meeting of the Northville Pre-school group will meet Monday evening, January 5, at 8 o'clock at the Pennington-Alton theatre. The group is held in a bi-weekly meeting. A slide presentation by the P. S. A. will be shown at this various subject matter. Mrs. Ralph A. Harnett, nursery school specialist, will lead a session on "What can we expect from a three and four year old." Mothers interested in such a session or in the enrichment of their child to the group are invited to attend.

New Year's Eve Party for Youths

A New Year's Eve dance for high school and Junior High students will be held in the Scout building Wednesday evening from 8:30 p. m. to 12:30 a. m. The party is to be sponsored by the Northville Recreation committee. The building will be appropriately decorated and favors will be given out to all who attend. A juke box has been installed with a good selection of records. Mothers and fathers are invited to drop in at the dance for a visit.

The high school canteen will hold open house at the Scout building on Friday, January 2, and Saturday, January 3, from 8:00 to 11:30 p. m. All High and Junior High students will be welcome.
 On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 1, 2 and 3, Mr. Helmer will hold a basketball clinic at the high school gym from 8:30 to 11:30 a. m. and from 1:00 to 3:00 p. m.
 Hat designing and making class, under the direction of Mrs. E. V. Ellison, will start Thursday, January 15th at the Village Hall. Those interested are requested to enroll at once. This class is sponsored by the Northville Recreation committee. A fine display of work accomplished by the former class is being displayed in the front window of the Schrader Furniture Store.
 An ice skating "flood" is being made ready for use at the corner of West and Cay streets by the Recreation committee.

Receives Citations



CHUB J. SMITH

Cited for Services to Local Veterans

Chub J. Smith, Service Officer of the Green Post American Legion of Northville was presented with state and national citations for his excellent work in service to the veterans of this community. The citations were presented at the meeting of the local post last Tuesday evening.

On his complete surprise to Mr. Smith, Arthur C. Harnett, State Officer of the state department presented Mr. Smith with the Special Rehabilitation Certificate in behalf of National Commanders. Only twenty-five such certificates were presented among over 500 posts in Michigan, only five in this immediate area. A Gold Certificate of Merit, a citation of the Commander of the Department of Michigan was presented by Carlton C. Harnett, State Service Officer. This Department citation is one of only ten awarded by the Michigan Department in the last five years. A district service citation is now being organized for future presentation.

Mr. Smith is a Past Commander of the local post, and has for years been a most active worker in Legion affairs. During the past several years his work as Post Service Officer dealing with the problems and troubles of returned servicemen has been outstanding, and a most vital factor in the progress and growth of the local post. The post now has 245 members, the largest in the district.

Mrs. Smith was presented with a corsage of red roses by Past Commander McDougall in behalf of the post and the auxiliary.
 Spending the Christmas vacation holiday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hills of West Main St. is their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Watts and daughter, Mary Kay of Quincy, Christmas Day. Dinner guests of the Hills were Frank Hills of Northville and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hills of New Hudson.

Organizations and Churches Spread Christmas Cheer

Many of Northville's organizations and churches remembered the hospitalized and needy people of the community during the holiday season with gifts of clothing and food.

Last Sunday the local Post and Auxiliary of the American Legion, together with the Groves Walker Post of Farmington, the Passage-Gayde and Myron H. Beas Posts of Plymouth, and the Redford Toynsin Post visited the veterans of Eastlawn and Maybury Sanatoriums. As a part of their "Gifts to the Yanks" program they distributed some 119 packages to them which contained the pair of pajamas, a crisp one dollar bill, compliments of the State American Legion Auxiliary Department, and many personal tract articles such as toothpaste and shaving equipment.

Last Thursday afternoon, the 11th district of the American Legion of which the local Lloyd H. Green Post is a member gave a Christmas party for the children's unit at Maybury Sanatorium. Whiskey Smart, director of the Club Welfare Department of the 47th district, attended the children. Presents from candy, and other bright, new, novel youngsters at the conclusion of the party.

Members of the Kings Daughters, on the 25th, looked after Northville needy families with baskets of food and gifts of clothing. Each basket included in each basket and all the trimmings for a festive holiday meal. The group also filled twenty-seven packages for the children of these families and distributed many toys and clothing. They also gave three families Christmas trees, who otherwise would have celebrated the Day without a tree in their living room.

The Ladies Aid of the local Post brought cheer to the children of Maybury and Eastlawn Sanatoriums on Christmas Day. On that afternoon, George Becker of West Dunbar street, acted as Grand Old St. Nick and distributed about 120 bags of fruit, nuts and candy to the youngsters. They also visited St. Ann's Hospital and gave and visited a bag of food and candy.

The churches did their part to see that no family went without a Christmas dinner this year. The Baptist church congregations donated food and clothing for needy families as did Our Lady of Victory Parish.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church packed baskets of food and distributed them to the families in the surrounding community. The Circle of the Women's Society for Christian Service, the Service Guild and the Sunday School of the Methodist Church sent baskets to Eastlawn and Maybury Sanatoriums and to the needy in the village.

The Presbyterian church added three food baskets and the congregation collected toys and sent them to the Children's Unit at Maybury Sanatorium, the crippled Children's Home at Farmington and to the boys and girls at the Wayne County Training School. Money was given to Dodge and Drury Community Houses in Detroit and the Women's Union gave a sum of money to be used at the Sarah Grinnley Christian Community House in Detroit.

The children in grades one, two, and three in the Sunday School collected mittens and sent them to the Presbyterian Orphanage at Harps, Alaska, and the older children of the Sunday School collected canned foods and sent it to the same orphanage.

The local Scout organizations were also active in Christmas charities. The Brownie groups made and collected toys and wrapped gifts which were sent to the Farmington Crippled Children's home.

The Scouts collected clothes and foods for distribution locally and overseas. Cards were also made and sent to patients at Maybury Sanatorium.
 As in past years, Northville again looked after the less fortunate villagers to see that Christmas was a meaningful day for them.
 Mrs. and Mrs. Russell Carter and children visited relatives at White Lake, Christmas Day.

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CHRONOLOGY OF 1947

DISASTERS

- January**
 1—Five killed when DC-3 transport crashes near Charleston, S. C.
 2—Transport plane falls near Carmel, Calif., killing 3, including 20.
 12—Airliner crashes near Galax, Va., killing 18 of 19 aboard.
 13—Fifteen miners die in gas explosion in coal mine near Westmoreland, Pa.
 30—Tornado sweeping through Alabama, Tennessee, Arkansas and Missouri kills 20.
- February**
 18—Twenty-one killed, 126 injured when train derailed at 156-foot embankment in Allegheny mountains near Altoona, Pa.
 20—Explosion in tank in electroplating factory in central Los Angeles kills 13, injures 158, demolishes area half mile square.
- March**
 3—Worst mass disaster since 1928 in gas explosion in Centralia, Wash., killing 11.
- April**
 2—Explosion in fireworks plant in Clinton, Mo., kills 10.
 9—Tornadoes rip through Texas Panhandle and Oklahoma, killing 138, injuring 1,000, destroying Oklahoma's hardest hit with 84 dead.
 15—Most of Texas City, Tex., destroyed by enormous explosion when freighter, loaded with nitrate fertilizer, explodes in harbor and sets fire to docks, oil tanks and factories. Fire rages for three days. Toll: 400 killed, 3,500 injured.
 23—Tornado destroys Worth, Mo., kills 14. Another trailer kills 9 in rural northwest Arkansas.
- May**
 6—Outbreak of infant diarrhea in Philadelphia area causes deaths of 27 babies.
 23—Fort two killed when DC-4 airliner crashes after take-off at La Guardia field in New York's Seventh avenue.
 31—DC-4 airliner crashes near Ft. Deposit, Mo., killing all 23 on board. 20 of those have or worst air disasters in U. S. history.
 31—Tornado strikes Lecky, Okla., wrecking town, killing 9.
- June**
 1—Tornado kills 25 in farming section near Freeburg, Ark.
 9—Mississippi river floods lowlands in northern Missouri, southern Iowa and Kansas, forcing 22,000 to abandon homes. Seven drowned at Ottumwa, Iowa.
 13—All 23 aboard DC-4 airliner killed when it strikes mountain near Leesburg, Va.
 21—Flash flood drowns 11 in Cambridge, Mass.
- July**
 3—Tornado kills 11 near Grand Forks, N. D.

- 13—Chartered DC-3 transport plane crashes in swamp near Melbourne, Fla., killing 20, including 15 passengers. 74, secretary of labor, 1921-30.
 21—Four die when chartered plane driven into chimney of gas plant in Everett, Mass.
- September**
 3—Labor day weekend takes death toll of 468, compared with 437 in 1946.
 11—Twenty killed when excursion boat blows up at Pittsburgh dock.
 23—Hundred needed in one southern Florida, crosses Gulf of Mexico, strikes Louisiana, Mississippi and Arkansas. Toll: 100 killed, many injured, property loss of 25 to 30 million dollars.
 23—Hurricane hitting hurricane drowns 37 in New Orleans area.
 25—Fire on New York City pier results in 28 injuries to 141 crewmen, five million dollar loss.
- October**
 24—Fifty-two killed when transport plane crashes in Bryce Canyon, Utah.
 25—Forest fires in Maine kill 17, destroy many homes. Fires rage throughout northeastern states.
 26—Transport hits mountain in Alaska, killing 13.
- November**
 13—Army plane hits Mt. Spokane, Wash., killing five men.
 21—Five naval personnel killed, two saved in crash of bomber in Pacific, 300 miles southwest of San Diego, Calif.
- December**
 9—Army plane crashes near Goose Bay, Labrador, 22 killed.
 11—Two passenger trains collide head-on near New Braunfels, Tex., killing two, injuring nine.
 12—Army plane burns and crashes near Memphis, Tenn., killing 20.
 15—CAB laboratory shows 1947 toll of 274 fatalities in crashes involving scheduled airlines.

SPORTS

- January**
 1—Bowl football scores:
 45, U. C. I. A. 14;
 10, Cotton Bowl, Arkansas 0, Louisiana State, 0; Orange Bowl, Rice, Edwards and Williams, Lehigh, Wake Forest, 13, East 9.
 21—Bob Feller, Cleveland Indians pitcher, signs contract for \$88,000 for 1948 season.
 22—GI holds runs Knights of Columbus mile in Boston in record 4:08.1.
- February**
 2—National Collegiate Athletic association bans running shirt among football players.
 12—Charles Trippi, pro football star, signs to play baseball with Atlanta Braves.
 21—Bark Greenberg signs with Pittsburgh Pirates for \$50,000.
 22—Joe Louis, light heavyweight champion, knocks out Billy Fox in title bout in New York.
- March**
 12—Maiden Ortiz takes bantamweight title from Harold Dade in Los Angeles.
 15—White Hoppe retains world three-cushion billiards championship.
 16—Earl Browne and William Langelbach win U. S. court tennis doubles.
 22—Joseph Vandert sets new record for 200 yard freestyle, 2:14.4, in Eastern Interscholastic Swimming League.
 23—U. S. defeats Kentucky, 49 to 45, to win National Collegiate basketball title.
 29—Deddy runs fastest indoor mile, 4:08 in Chicago.
- April**
 9—Commissioner Happy Chandler suspends Leo Durocher, Brooklyn baseball club manager, for 1947 season.
 15—Earl Browne wins world lightweight title, defeats Bruce Woodcock, British champion, in London.
 16—Rochell season opens, Brooklyn is won by Burton Elyton.
 25—Texas U. take top honors in Drake relay in Des Moines, Ia., 1:14.4.
 27—Rube Ruth Day observed at all ball parks in U. S. and Japan.
- May**
 3—Jet Pilot wins Kentucky Derby in 2:06 4/5; Preakness second, Favourite, 1:57.
 6—National women's senior A. U. championship swimming meet in Boston won by Crystal France club of San Francisco. Ann Cerus takes individual honors.
 17—U. S. set team retains Walker cup at St. Andrews, Scotland.
 20—Mauri Rose wins annual 500 mile auto race at Indianapolis with average speed of 116.3 miles.
- June**
 3—Honeyman sets new world record for seven furlong race of 1:21 4/5 minutes at Hollywood Park, Calif.
 15—Lloyd's (London) wins world title in British light heavyweight championship in London.
 15—Low Meador wins national open golf title by one stroke at St. Louis.
 18—Harvard rowing crew defeats Yale in historic race at New London, Conn.
 Dwell Blackwell of Cincinnati Reds pitches first no-hit game of season against Boston Braves in Cincinnati.
 21—U. of Illinois retains National Collegiate Athletic association championship in meet at Salt Lake City.
 23—Betty Johnson wins U. S. women's open golf title in Greensboro, N. C.
- July**
 3—American League wins All-Star baseball game in Chicago, 2-1.
 16—Rocky Graziano defeats Tony Zale to win world's middleweight boxing title.
 21—Hawker Dolphin II wins California-Hawaii yacht race in 11 days, 10 1/2 minutes. Skipper, Carl Misa captures victory in 24-hour race in 29 hours, 5:45 minutes.
 29—Ous Lesievich, light heavyweight champion, defeats champion Tami Mammolo, heavyweight, in non-title bout in New York.
- August**
 4—The Williams knocks out Bob Montgomery in Philadelphia to become boxing champion of world.
 13—Victory Song sets new world record for trotters by running mile in 1:57.4 at Springfield, Ill.
 21—D. Lee Bram of Dallas, Tex., was professional North American clay target champion in Vandalia, Ohio.
 22—White Pop retains featherweight title by defeating Jack Leslie in Flint, Mich.
 College All-Stars beat Chicago Bears pro football squad in Chicago, 16-0.

DEATHS

- January**
 8—Ovington E. Weller, 64, former U. S. senator from Maryland, 81, one of founders of Here chain.
 11—Eva Tabor, 65, famous vaudeville actress.
 23—Andrew J. Volstead, 81, former Minnesota congressman who introduced 1919 prohibition act.
 26—Grace Moore, 43, opera, radio and screen star, in air crash.
 27—Paul P. Harris, 78, founder of Rotary International.
- February**
 3—Adna Marc A. Musbacher, 60, hero of both World Wars.
 6—John Gardner, 64, U. S. ambassador to England.
 12—Sidney Toler (Charles Chaney), 60, film actor.
 15—Harry K. Thaw, 74, wealthy playboy who shot Stanford White.
- March**
 9—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, 84, woman suffrage leader.
 17—William C. Durant, 85, founder of General Motors corporation.
- April**
 7—Henry Ford, 83, auto manufacturer.
 18—Benny Leonard, 51, former world lightweight boxing champion.
 23—Charles N. Deamrick, 78, 24—Vivian Carter, 70, famous novelist.
- May**
 4—Meritt J. Insell, 78, brother of Samuel and himself a millides magnate.
 16—Sir Frederick G. Hopkins, 88, biochemist who discovered vitamins.
 27—Bing Gen Evans F. Carlson, 51, marine hero, leader of "Carlson's raiders."
 31—Adrienne Ames, 39, actress and radio commentator.
- June**
 11—David I. Walsh, 74, former U. S. senator and governor of Massachusetts.
 22—John G. Barry, 56, novelist and screen writer.
- July**
 12—Rep Joseph J. Mansfield, 28, Texas congressman since 1915 and oldest member of house.
 28—Henry E. Truman, 94, President Truman's mother.
- August**
 4—Opey R. Smith, 87, noted evangelist.
 10—Theodore G. Bink, 89, U. S. senator from Massachusetts, 1833-87.
- September**
 23—Eronelio H. La Guardia, 64, former congressman from New York state, mayor of New York City and director general of UNRRA.
- October**
 17—Arthur H. Coe, 79, former secretary of agriculture, former governor of Missouri.

- 7—Minor league (Eastern season) coach Jersey City leads International League, Kansas City, the American association.
 22—Brooklyn Dodgers clinch National League pennant, New York Yankees win American League flag.
 27—Armed beats Assault at nation's top race horse. Compete in \$100,000 two-horse race at Belmont Park, N. Y.
 30—Ben Hogan wins International golf tournament in Chicago.
- October**
 8—New York Yankees win World series, 15—Army's record of 22 football games without defeat broken by Columbia.
- November**
 8—Notre Dame defeats Army, 21 to 7.
 14—Billy Fox defeats Jake Lamotta by technical knockout in New York.
 20—Brooklyn Dodgers buy St. Paul club of American Association.
- December**
 8—Joe Louis retains heavyweight title in split decision over Joe Walcott.
 6—Notre Dame beats Southern California, 13-0.
 13—College of Pacific defeats Utah State 28 to 21 in Grape Bowl grid game.

- 7—Last major telephone workers strike since Newburyport, Mass., merchants abandon voluntary price cut campaign.
 24—Army accepts new jet-propelled fighter plane, carrier-based XP-52-1, with speed of 600 mph.
- June**
 1—Commission on universal military training issues Stern warning of dangers of swift annihilation in specific war without a huge army, extensive defensive organization.
 11—President reasserts doctrine of maintaining world peace by helping weak nations.
 17—House fails by two votes to override presidential veto of income tax reduction bill.

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- November**
 8—Notre Dame defeats Army, 21 to 7.
 14—Billy Fox defeats Jake Lamotta by technical knockout in New York.
 20—Brooklyn Dodgers buy St. Paul club of American Association.
- December**
 8—Joe Louis retains heavyweight title in split decision over Joe Walcott.
 6—Notre Dame beats Southern California, 13-0.
 13—College of Pacific defeats Utah State 28 to 21 in Grape Bowl grid game.



New gleams of hope, fresh streams of courage, come with the dawning of the New Year.

We cherish the thought of the fine associations that have been ours for many years past, and take this means of expressing our deep appreciation of your valued friendship.

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CLOVERDALE DAIRY
 134 North Center Street Phone 656



At the magic stroke of 12, the New Year will make its advent, marking the turning of another page in the book of our lives. Lo, there is before us a clean white page, a slab of snow-white marble, whereon must be recorded the events of the coming year. What shall be written thereon?
 A saga of peace and contentment, of happiness and joy, of health and happiness. That is our wish for you on the threshold of 1948.

Top Ten Spot News Stories of 1947

- (As selected by nation's weekly editors in Publishers' Auxiliary poll.)
 1—Tate-Hartley act keynotes turbulent labor picture.
 2—Marshall plan, including 22 1/2 billion dollar outlay, marks U. S. effort to rehabilitate stricken Europe.
 3—Tanker explosion and fire wreak havoc in Texas City, Tex., with death toll of 400.
 4—U. S.-Russian disputes hold spotlight in United Nations quest for world peace.
 5—Britain grants India long-sought freedom; rioting and bloodshed prevail.
 6—Governorship dispute flares in Georgia, with M. E. Thompson as ultimate victor.
 7—Telephone strike ties up communications over widespread area.
 8—Price inflation staggers domestic economy.
 9—Marriage of Britain's Princess Elizabeth brings royalty into limelight.
 10—Truman Doctrine and Greco-Turkish aid mark revised concept in foreign relations.



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Another year has rolled around... 1948. As we see it, this is another opportunity to make new friends, and to serve our old ones even better. May we offer you our best wishes for a truly Happy New Year.

C. R. Ely & Sons

North Center Street

Phone 191

CHRONOLGY

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 - 30-President signs rent control bill continuing modified controls until March 1, 1948.
- July**
- 15-Senate sustains presidential veto of income tax reduction bill.
 - President signs presidential succession bill placing speaker of the house first in line.
 - 22-Sixty wartime emergency powers needed and termination dates set for 1948.
 - 27-Bill approved to unify armed forces.
 - James Forrestal appointed to a newly created post, secretary of national defense.
 - Eighteenth congress ends first session.
- August**
- 10-William Odom of Roslyn, N. Y., sets around world in record 78 hours, covering 19,645 miles.
 - 11-Senatorial Hughes' investigation by senate committee probing army airplane contracts suddenly adjourned.
- September**
- 1-President and Mrs. Truman visit Brazil on 20-day goodwill mission.



Smooth SAILING

Have you been waiting for that "ship" to come in? It's coming in now, loaded to the gunwales with good wishes from all of us for your health and happiness for 1948.

BEN'S NOVI INN
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NOVI

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 - 11-Employment in U. S. passes 60 million, figure set as ideal by Henry Wallace.
 - 27-Gallup poll reports 51 per cent of voters would vote for Truman for President, 49 per cent for Dewey.
- August**
- 15-More than a third (33 per cent) of veterans who entered college under G. I. bill of rights have dropped out of school, VA reports.
 - 23-New rubber plant discovered by University of California. It is 10 times as large, 156 million, times from diameter. Radio line "almost as small as a grain of rice" developed.
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NORTHVILLE RECREATION
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- FOREIGN**
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 - 11-Chinese civil warfare continues to rage.
 - 15-Triple becomes effective between French troops and native rebel forces in French Indo-China.
 - 19-Poland holds first election for parliamentary offices since 1922.
 - 21-Paul Ramadier chosen new premier of France. New cabinet leans to left but not Communist.
- February**
- 2-Spanish Aisla, de Gasset forms new Italian cabinet, composed of coalition of Christian Democrats and Liberals.
 - 4-Arab-British conference on Palestine adjourns in failure, as Arabs reject partition plan.
 - 7-British military government of Germany announces plan to free 1,000,000 of the 1,500,000 Nazi suspects in zone.
 - 10-First legal Polish cabinet since war formed by Josef Cyrankiewicz. Ten key positions held by Communists or Socialists.
 - 20-British announce withdrawal from India before June, 1948.
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To one and all, we thank you for your appreciated year-around patronage and friendship. Best of wishes for a joyous New Year.

Plymouth Federal Savings & Loan Association
665 South Main Street
PLYMOUTH

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

- Janus, the ancient Roman deity who presided over all beginnings, was represented by a double head that looked both ways.
- At this beginning of 1948 we voice the hope that good fortune will come to you not from two ways alone, but from every direction!

Northville Men's Shop
MEN'S WEAR
Telephone 80
Northville, Mich.
Mamie Lapham Proprietor

SEASON'S GREETINGS

GOOD NEWS FOR THE NEW YEAR

IF WE HAD OUR WAY ABOUT IT, 1948 WOULD BE A BIG BUDGET OF GOOD NEWS FOR YOU. ACCEPT OUR BEST WISHES FOR YOUR HAPPINESS IN THE YEAR TO COME.

GEORGE CLARK HARDWARE COMPANY
107-109 N. Center Street Phone 370 Northville, Mich.



Once Again we greet the New Year in the traditional manner—with pealing bells, with fun and gaiety, laughter and music.

Despite his ingenuity, man still persists in "watching the old year out and greeting the new year" in almost the identical manner of his forefathers.

In that same identical manner, we extend our traditional New Year's greeting to you:

MAY HEALTH, HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY BE YOURS TODAY AND THROUGHOUT THE NEW YEAR

Depositors State Bank
MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION



ALL HAIL TO THE NEW YEAR

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

As the glad bells peal out at the stroke of midnight to mark the passing of the old year and the arrival of the new, we pause for a moment to express our appreciation for the confidence, friendship and good will which have been extended to us during the past year and to extend our best wishes for a bright and happy New Year.

Welcome — 1948!
SCHRADER'S
North Center Street Phone Northville 48-J

CHRONOLGY

(Continued from page 3)

March

- 1-Chinese Communist troops open large scale offensive against Chiang Kai-shek.
- 4-Greek government appeals to U. S. for immediate aid.
- 8-Japan underground forces battle British soldiers in Palestine.
- 14-U. S. and Philippines sign treaty granting U. S. 99-year leases for naval bases.
- 24-Indonesians sign treaty recognizing Indonesian Republic with sovereignty by January 1, 1948.

April

- 2-U. S. grants U. S. strategic trust-ship over former Japanese-mandated islands, the Caroline, Marshall and Mariana groups.
- 5-Chinese Communist troops kill 6 U. S. airmen, burn to in raid on marine munition dump.
- 24-Moscow conference ends after 46 days, after reaching agreement on only a few points for Austrian and German treaties.
- 26-Communist negotiators begin Indo-Chinese talks with French forces.

May

- 9-Communists ousted from French cabinet.
- 15-Congress passes foreign relief bill providing \$50 million dollars for Austria, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Poland, Greece and China.
- 20-Soviet Japanese premier under new treaty, and a Christian.

31-Russia seizes control of Hungarian government through Hungarian Communist party coup.
 Premier de Gasperi of Italy forms new cabinet, minus Communists or Socialists.

June

- 5-Secretary Marshall reveals "Marshall Plan" for European aid.
- U. S. Senate ratifies peace treaties with Italy, Hungary, Rumania and Bulgaria.
- 27-Austria and U. S. reach settlement on occupation.
- President of Chile Gabriel Videla proposes inter-American army to fight Communism.
- 30-UNRRA largest relief effort in history, ends after spending three billion dollars in four years, 60 percent of funds coming from the U. S.

July

- 15-Paris economic conference establishes European organization for European economic cooperation under Marshall plan.
- 20-Dutch forces, with air support, attack Indonesian Republic in the West Irian province, demand the Dutch breach of treaty.
- 23-Protests on uncodified war in New Guinea East Indies pour into U. S.

August

- 1-U. S. atomic energy commission releases top papers on atomic control plans. Russia rejects proposals.
- 15-India becomes free of foreign rule as British viceroy leaves. The sovereign states, Dominion of India, and Pakistan, govern most of high India.
- 21-Russian votes keep Italy, Austria, Transylvania, Eire, Portugal from U. N. membership.
- 22-Government of Ecuador seized by bloodless coup by defense minister Col. Carlos Manchego.

September

- 2-Inter-American treaty of reciprocity assistance signed by delegates of North and South American nations at Rio de Janeiro.
- 6-Gandhi sweeps India, with thousands of followers.
- 22-European nations ask 200 billion dollars and under Marshall plan.
- 23-Arab Higher Committee of Palestine tells U. N. commission Arabs entitled to keep Palestine an Arab country.
- 30-Greek government reports 42,000 Greek civilians and 4,000 soldiers and policemen killed by retreating since October, 1944.

October

- 4-Government parties of nine European nations form "Cominform," revived Communist and Communist party, Charles de Gaulle's RFP, replaces Communists as largest French party.
- 12-U. N. establishes permanent Russian "border-watch" committee to cover Greece, Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Albania.
- 30-New French cabinet gets vote of confidence in assembly, averting new crisis.

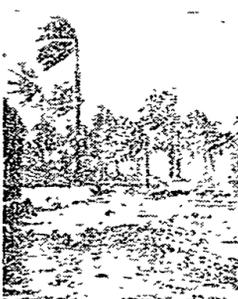
November

- 2-British and Scotch elections turn to conservative side as Labor and Communist parties lose ground.
- 8-Britain forced to ration potatoes.
- 12-U. N. creates "Little Assembly" to act during recess of main body.
- 15-Communists inspired riots and strikes sweep France and Italy.
- 17-U. N. accept Geneva trade agreement, signed by 23 nations.
- 27-Working of Tinian, Elizabet, and La Philip Mountains on Luzon draws world wide interest.
- 28-Strikes in France and Italy fail, as workers return to jobs.
- 29-U. N. partitions Palestine into Jewish and Arab states.

December

- 6-U. S. forbids shipment of arms to Poland.
- 9-Russia breaks off trade pact discussion with France.
- 12-Government of Paris, Rome, Communist march on Rome.
- 14-Soviet power cut reaches Russia's borders.
- 15-United Nations Four foreign ministers meet in London, Secy of State Marshall blames Russia for Europe.

Population Trebled
 Our population more than trebled from 1870 to 1930. During the depression years of the thirties, however, population growth dropped to about one half of what it was in the preceding decade.



BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS TO:
 Jan. 2—Harold Schoultz
 3—Mrs. George Stalker
 Mrs. Earl Collins
 4—Mrs. Roy Utley
 Mrs. M. J. Mullett
 5—Fred Wick
 6—Norman C. Tibble
 N. C. Allison
 7—James Wick
 Mrs. Daisy Martin
 Nancy Dewsbury
 Aunt Ida Hendryx
 8—Mrs. E. H. Herby
 Marie Searfoss

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS TO:
 Jan. 2—Mr. and Mrs. John W. Clarke
 Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Flint.



Throughout the entire globe people just like us... are wishing their friends a happy, successful New Year.

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Just as flowers shine in the sunlight may the beams of joy radiate through your home during the coming New Year.

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When you cross the threshold into 1948... our hopes are for your continued health, happiness, prosperity.

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 1165 W. Ann Arbor Trail
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Each year we welcome the New Year, certain it can bring only better things. Under New Year's familiar lights we share memories of struggle, of triumph, of hope.

May all your hopes for 1948 come true! And may you enjoy a very happy New Year.

HENDIN'S
 Florsheim Shoe Store
 Main at Center.

The NEW YEAR is HERE
 You wouldn't be thinking of painting the town red, now, would you? Anyway, there's reason aplenty for feeling happy and carefree and confident as the New Year of 1948 approaches. May this New Year bring happiness to you and yours.

VILLA HAT SHOP East Main Street Northville

Hello Everybody!
HAPPY NEW YEAR

When the shadows begin to lengthen on the afternoon of December 31st we experience a feeling of buoyancy as we hurry home. The air is already charged with hope for the New Year, now so close at hand.

We look hopefully forward, with you, to a better year than the last, to a better year than any of us even dream of—for all!

NOWELS LUMBER & COAL CO.
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NEW YEAR'S 1948 GREETINGS

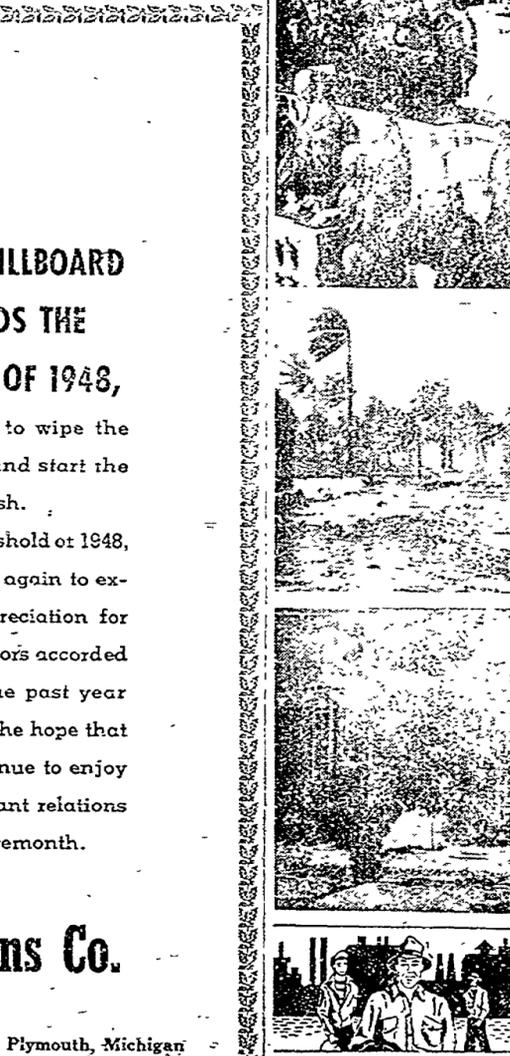
When the stork alights with that brand-new year, he is bringing \$25,600 minutes in that precious package. May each of these passing minutes of 1948 add its mite to your happiness and welfare, and may you have a moment, now and then, to spare for old friends over here.

JACK & JILL SHOP
 Mrs. Isabel Willgues, Proprietor

AS THE BILLBOARD HERALDS THE ARRIVAL OF 1948, we are glad to wipe the slate clean and start the New Year fresh.

On the threshold of 1948, we wish once again to extend our appreciation for the many favors accorded us during the past year and to voice the hope that we may continue to enjoy just as pleasant relations the next twelvemonth.

The Robert Simmons Co.
 JEWELERS
 Across from First National Bank Plymouth, Michigan



CONTENTMENT PROSPERITY

Time flies! It seems but yesterday since we wished you a **Happy New Year** and here we are again repeating the time-honored greeting.

It has been a good year for us. To the customers we have been privileged to serve in 1947 we express our deep appreciation, together with our assurance of continued friendly service in the days to come. May every member of this community pursue his or her happiness during 1948 amid peace and plenty!

NORTHVILLE COACH LINE
 TUNIS P. BIDDLE AND STAFF

IF YOU HAVE AN ATTIC FULL OF ARTICLES THAT ARE STILL USEFUL, SELL THEM WITH A FOR SALE AD!

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Baptist Church, Northville
Rev. Walter Ballagh, Pastor
Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Sunday School, classes for all ages. Mr. Clare Carpenter, Supt.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship hour. Pastor will bring the message.
6:30 p. m. B. Y. F. Young people welcome.
7:30 p. m. Song Service and Evening Worship Service.
Wednesday:
Mid-week Prayer and Praise Service.

Pentecostal Church
8275 McFadden Street, Siam.
Pastor, Elder Joseph Chambers
We believe and teach according to Acts 2-4 and 2-38.
Regular Services:
Wednesday Eve, 7:30 Bible Class
Friday Eve, 7:30 Saints Meeting
Sunday Morn, 9:45 Sun. School
Sunday Morn, 11:30 Preaching
Sunday Eve, 7:30 Night Service.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
Corner of Elm and High Streets
Rev. E. E. Rossow, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday worship.
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
1:30 p. m. Ladies' Aid, each second Thursday of the month.
Voters meeting, first Sunday of every second month.
3 p. m. each second Tuesday of the month—Walter Leaguers.
Holy Communion first Sunday of the month.
Lutheran Laymen's League, third Friday, 8 p. m.

St. John's Episcopal Church
Cor. Maple at Harvey, Plymouth
Church School 9:30 to 10:30.
Morning Prayer and Sermon 11.
Walter Keip, Lay Reader.

Novi Methodist Church
Rev. J. M. McLucas, Minister
Residence Brighton, Phone 3731
Mrs. Raymond Scheffer, Organist
Mrs. J. M. McLucas,
.....Choir Director
Mrs. James D. Mitchell, S.S. Supt.
Morning worship and
Sermon 10:00
Sunday School 11:00
Methodist Youth Fellowship Wednesday 7:30
Choir Rehearsal Wednesday 8:15
A hearty welcome extended to all who worship with us.
Classes in Sunday School for all ages; Primary to Adult departments.
The Pastor calls in the community every Wednesday.

Our Lady of Victory Parish
Phone 330
Rev. Lorenzo E. Woods, Pastor
Masses — Sundays 8:30 — 10:30 a. m.
Religious Instruction — Grade School Children — Saturday 10:00 a. m. at Church.
High School Students — Monday 1:30 and 2:30 at the Northville High School.
Confessions — Children — Saturday 11:00 a. m. during school year.
Adults — Saturday 7:30 — 9:00 p. m. Sunday 8:30 and 10:00 a. m. Eve of First Friday 7:30 — 8:30 p. m.
Eve of Holy Days 7:30 — 8:30 p. m.
Monthly Holy Communion — First Sunday — Grade School Children 8:30 Mass.
Second Sunday — Holy Name Society 8:30 Mass.
Third Sunday — Altar Society 8:30 Mass.
Fourth Sunday — Sodality of Our Lady 10:30 Mass.

Armed Forces
Saturday 7:30 p. m. Rosary and Benediction for the friends and relatives of members who are in the service of our country. Lasting peace.
Altar Society meeting on every Wednesday before 3rd Sunday of month.

First Presbyterian Church
Rev. Harold F. Fredsell, Pastor
Sunday, January 4th:
10:00 a. m. Church School. Classes for boys and girls and young people from pre-school through High School.
11:00 a. m. Worship and Sermon. New Year's Communion Service.
11:00 a. m. Nursery and Primary. Departments during the church hour.
7:00 p. m. Senior Westminster Fellowship, Social Room. "The Ten Commandments for Our Day" is being discussed by the young people of the community. A cordial welcome is extended.
Monday, January 5th:
4:00 p. m. Girl Scout troop in Social Room.
6:30 p. m. Men's Club Supper meeting. Malcolm Ballenger, former Chaplain of "Task Force Frigid" at Fairbanks, Alaska will show colored films and relate his experiences on The Alcan Highway.
Tuesday, January 6th:
3:45 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor under the leadership of

First Methodist Church
Northville, Mich.
Minister, Wm. M. Hughes
Phone 699-J
Sunday—
Church School at 10:00 Richard Sommers, superintendent. Teachers for all groups and interests. We invite you.
Morning Worship 11:00. Communion Meditation by the Pastor. We have a nursery where small children are cared for.
Sunday Evening 6:30 Youth groups, Intermediates and Seniors.
Tuesday, Jan. 6th: Service Guild meeting with Mrs. Atchison. Devotions; Jeanette Stannum. Program. Motion Pictures.
Thursday, Jan. 8th: Wesleyan Guild Meeting at 8:00 with Mrs. Roy Stone, 37760 E. Seven Mile. Choir Rehearsal every Wednesday 7:30



W.C.T.S. Children Give Program at Rotary Club

Tuesday noon the Northville Rotary Club was delightfully entertained by a group of 25 children from the Wayne County Training School. Under the leadership and direction of Mabel Bowers and Lynn Sullivan the chorus rendered a splendid program of Christmas music. Rev. Harold Fredsell presented a Christmas message.
The tables were nicely decorated with toys made by the boys and girls at the school.
Guests present for the day were: David McDougal, Frank Kaderback, Ben Klaigler, Frank Ticeo, Walter Moore, Gunner Bjarnesen, Mae Pierce, John Saxton, James Knott, Wm. Magaw, John S. Wimsatt, John Summerlee, and Ted Caveil.

American Hemp
American hemp was increased from a prewar average of about 2,000 acres to 175,000 acres in 1943.

Farmers' Profile
Farm people of this country supply about half of the increase in population.

MODERN FAIRY TALE
Blonde, 16-year-old Katherine Scott, beautiful daughter of a poor London wagon driver, had a dream come true. She married son of immensely wealthy Indian potentate, will live in a palace.

Mrs. C. E. Woodruff and Mrs. C. C. Boyd.

7:15 p. m. Men's Club Bowling Royal Recreation.

Wednesday, January 7th:
3:45 p. m. Intermediate Westminster Fellowship meeting, Mrs. Ward Masters, sponsor.
6:30 p. m. Annual Congregational meeting for the election of Elders, Trustees and Deacons. Reports from each society. Potluck supper precedes the meeting.
7:30 p. m. Senior Choir Rehearsal.

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Christian Science Churches
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The Golden Text (Isaiah 44:5) is: "Thus saith the Lord the King of Israel, and his redeemer the Lord of hosts; I am the first, and I am the last; and beside me there is no God."
OBITUARY
J. C. HOBBS
J. C. Hobbs passed away Saturday, December 27 at Maybury Sanatorium at the age of eighteen years. Funeral services were held at 8:00 a. m. at the Schrader Funeral Home and at 9:00 a. m. at Our Lady of Victory Church on Tuesday, December 31. Rev. Lorenzo Woods officiated at the services and burial took place at Roseland Park Cemetery, Detroit.
J. C. Hobbs was born in Detroit to Rennie Hobbs of 5944 Frontenac, Detroit and the late Mrs. Hobbs. He had been confined to the Sanatorium for the past year and a half. Besides the father, a sister, Doris Hobbs also at Maybury, survives.



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Seguin-Stanford Vows Pledged Saturday

Margery L. Seguin, daughter of the Frank Seguin of Grand River Ave., became the bride of Charles M. Stanford in ceremonies performed at ten o'clock, December 27 at St. Mary's Student Chapel, Ann Arbor.

A soloist sang "Ave Maria" and "Pani Angelus" and the ceremony was read by Father McPhillips.

Margery, who was given in marriage by an uncle, Everett Eagle of Novi, wore a gown of white satin fashioned with a peplum and short train. Her finger-tip veil of bridal illusion was caught to her head by a coronet of satin which was adorned with satin flowers. She carried gardenias on a missal showered with white satin streamers with greens and white baby mums entwined.

Mrs. Dorothy Batt of Northville was the bride's only attendant. She was attired in blue tulle styled in princess style, with a sweetheart neckline and three-quarter length sleeves. She wore

red roses in her hair and carried an arm bouquet of red roses and snapdragons.

Charles Batt of Northville was the groom's best man. Seating the guests were William Stanford, the groom's brother, and Charles Freydl of Northville.

For her son's wedding, Mrs. Stanford chose a navy-blue dress. Mrs. Seguin was attired in gray. Both mothers wore gardenia corsages.

A luncheon was held following the wedding ceremony at the American Legion Hall here for about forty guests. The table was attractively centered with a three-tiered wedding cake topped with a bride and groom and decorated with baby mums and gardenias. Baby white mums, fern, and streamers completed the table appointments. Assisting were Mrs. W. Ballagh, Mrs. A. Vradenburg, Mrs. G. Stanford, and Mrs. S. Van Valkenburg.

The young couple then left on a short wedding trip to Chicago by train. For going away, the new Mrs. Stanford wore a brown gabardine suit and natural colored topcoat. Upon their return, they will make their home at 221 Dubuque street.

Mrs. Stanford is a graduate of Northville High school with the class of 1945. She attended Wayne University for a year and is now employed in the advertising division of General Motors.

Charles is a student at the University of Michigan. He is also a graduate of Northville High with the class of 1945. Upon graduation he entered the armed forces and spent two years at Fort Sill Okla., and in Okinawa. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stanford of Northville.

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INTRODUCING...
Mr. and Mrs. John Steel and baby daughter, Sidonie of 450 Main street. The Steels originally of New York, moved to Northville this fall. Mr. Steel, former New York artist and book illustrator, came to Detroit to do advanced illustration studying at the Messinger Art School in Detroit. During the war years Mr. Steel was a combat artist attached to the First Marine Division.

Since their arrival in town, Mr. Steel has been commissioned to do several water color home landscapes and figure portraits of local scenes and people. Mrs. Steel is the sister of Mrs. William Chaffee of Randolph street.

News from Salem

Mrs. F. Buers
Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lyke and daughters, Beverly and Janice, were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Myrnan Lyke.

Janice Lyke was an overnight guest recently of her grandmother, Mrs. Opal Lyke of Plymouth. The Euchre Club will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Hodgson on Seven Mile Road Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rider entertained at a family dinner Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carter and son, Robert of Whitmore Lake, were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson.

Mrs. Anna Youngs spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Clements Hough and family of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Knowles Buers and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buers will entertain at New Year's dinner in the Knowles Buers home, Mrs. Lucy Wagonchutz and daughter, Beulah, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sackett, Mrs. Will Rankow and Mr. Irving Parault, all of Plymouth.

Mrs. Ruth McMullen, Rev. Lucia Stroh and Mrs. French visited Roger French in St. Joseph's hospital Sunday evening. We are glad to report that Roger is slowly recovering from serious injuries from the auto accident he had Christmas Eve in Salem. He is going home to convalesce for a few weeks Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Borison, featured missionaries of French West Africa, were house guests of Rev. Lucia Stroh the past Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Knowles Buers and Elizabeth Ann were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. George South of Plymouth.

Mrs. Myrnan Taylor and Grant Taylor spent Christmas with cousins Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hemstead of Pontiac.

Bob Klock spent a few days last week with his sister in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Macé Green spent Christmas with their son, Edwin Green and family of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Westrum of Pontiac were Christmas guests at the Bert Klock home.

Miss Elaine Green of Ann Arbor is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Green of Six Mile Road.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wheeler had Christmas Day dinner at the William Wheeler home at Holly. The beautiful Christmas tree

played on our streets, in the afternoon from three loud speakers. Now that this good work has been started let us keep it up each year. In the evening we had a Christmas party for all the township in the Town Hall, 245 Mile Road.

Mrs. Wm. Merritt returned home last week Tuesday from Sessions Hospital, Northville, where she had been a patient with pneumonia for two weeks.

H. L. Opykko, who has been a patient at Veterans' Hospital, Dearborn, for three weeks, was home for Christmas. He returned to the hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Opykko and Albert Rider had Christmas Day dinner with the Cloyd Hardisty at Whitmore Lake. There were 21 guests present.

George Roberts and Ira ate Christmas Day dinner at the Myrnan Lyke home. They were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henderson in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Curtis and daughter of Plymouth and Miss Janice Curtis of Pontiac were at Salem Sunday and attended service at the Federated church.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clement entertained for Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Dan McKinney of Garden City, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Russell and children of Milford, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Clement of Island Lake and the Don Clement and Marshall Atkin families of Salem.

J. W. Dussey of Detroit, was a guest at the A. C. Wheeler home from Friday to Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and Miss Janet Sherwood were Saturday evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Williams spent Christmas Day in Detroit with Mr. Williams' mother and sister and also visited Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. J. H. Whiston on Martindale, Detroit.

Salem Union School opens Monday, January 5th.

The Misses Catherine and Lois Renner of Plymouth and Melvin Clement of Pontiac had Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Renner.

Rev. Lucia Stroh entertained her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Vioit of Birmingham for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lyke were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Lippink in Detroit.

Mrs. Russell O'Neal of Birmingham was a caller in the Frank Buers home last week.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Benjamin were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts and family. Evening visitors, Donald Merritt and Mrs. and Mrs. Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Donovan of South Lyon were evening callers one day last week of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Opykko and Albert Rider were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coca Savery of Brockville Road.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Van Aken were Christmas dinner guests at the James Dickie home at South Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Aken and Carol were Tuesday evening callers at the A. B. Van Aken home. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Eastick were Tuesday afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Aken and daughters, Joan and Carol spent Christmas with Mrs. Van Aken's parents at Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Burnham and Bonnie spent Christmas at Marlette with Mrs. Burnham's mother, Mrs. Crystal Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hayes of Detroit attended the Christmas program at the Federated church.

Miss Velma Lewis of the U. of M. at Ann Arbor is spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis.

Miss Jane Hood of Plymouth was a Christmas dinner guest of Miss Velma Lewis.

Miss Patricia Quinn of Flint is spending the week at the Frank Lewis home.

The Christmas street lights have been on at Salem for a week and they certainly put the Christmas cheer in our village, thanks to the fine businessmen. On Dec. 24th we had Christmas carols

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The fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Keller of Randolph Street will be celebrated at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Elmer Heichman of 1900 Woodring, Farmington, near Seven Mile and Farmington Roads on Sunday, January 4th. Open house will be held from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. with members of the Keller family acting as hosts to the many friends and relatives who will gather there to extend their congratulations.

The first wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Keller's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Keller of Orchard Heights will also be observed.

CHRISTMAS ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Schofer of Ridge Road announce the engagement of their daughter, Dolores E. to Jack O. Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boyd of East Base Line Road.

BABIES BAPTIZED SUNDAY

At the Sunday morning service of the Presbyterian Church two children were presented for Christian baptism. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carrington presented their daughter, Ruth Ellen and Mr. and Mrs. George Hunter came from Albion to present their daughter Gayle Ann. Maternal and paternal grandparents from both families were present. Mrs. Hunter is the former Dorothy Orr of East Seven Mile Road.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS MRS. CARL ELY

Mrs. Carl Ely was the honored guest at a surprise birthday dinner at Hillside Inn Sunday evening. The dinner was planned by Mr. Ely and guests included their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Ely and daughter Gayle Ann. Maternal and paternal grandparents from both families were present. Mrs. Hunter is the former Dorothy Orr of East Seven Mile Road.

NURSERY SCHOOL REOPENS

The Northville pre-school group will re-open Monday, January 5. There is still room for a few three and four year olds. Three year olds will now meet three days a week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday and four year olds on Tuesday and Thursday. Anyone wishing information about enrollment may call Mrs. George Alexander, membership chairman, at 483W.

MRS. JAMES HIGGINS OF BOSTON, MASS. ARRIVED HERE FRIDAY, DEC. 26, TO SPEND THE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS WITH HER DAUGHTER AND SON-IN-LAW, MR. AND MRS. SHEPARD KISSMAN OF RANDOLPH STREET.

ALLAN AND LOCKE CHRISTMAS DINNER

The employees of Allan & Locke Motor company were treated to a dinner party at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth preceding the Christmas holidays. Guests enjoyed pheasant which was bagged by C. R. Allan on a recent hunting trip to South Dakota.

Following the dinner Mr. Locke and Mr. Allan presented their guests with their usual Christmas turkeys and also for a job well done, the boys were given cash bonuses.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. Evelyn Harris of East Base Line Road announces the engagement of her daughter, Ann, to Jack E. Stout, son of Rev. and Mrs. Lynn Stout of Plymouth.

No date has been set for the wedding.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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LOCAL NEWS

Clarence Baum of Garden City is Northville's new policeman. He replaces Charles Blood who resigned. Baum is married and has four children.

Dr. and Mrs. V. George Chabot announce the arrival of a six months old baby boy, David, Ed Reid of Fairbrook Road, together with other members of the University of Michigan Ski Club, is spending the week at Aspen, Colorado, where he is receiving instructions in skiing. Ed returns to classes January 3.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Grissom of Randolph Street and Mrs. J. W. Grissom of Walled Lake started early Tuesday morning for San Antonio, Texas, to visit the former's son, Pfc. Lloyd, who is stationed there. The B. E. Grissom's son, Ronald, is staying with Mrs. E. D. Perry of Dunlap Street while his parents are away.

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News Around Northville

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Mrs. E. D. Perry of East Dunlap Street spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Grissom of Walled Lake.

Mrs. A. W. Hooker of Pine Lodge, Pass Christian, Mississippi, spent the Christmas holiday with her mother, Mrs. Grace Westover of Seven Mile Road. Mrs. Hooker is a former Northville resident. She and her husband are the proprietors of a fishing lodge there.

Your chiropractor, Dr. G. K. Ashton, is now located in the Penniman Building, 881 Penniman avenue, Plymouth, Michigan. Phone Plymouth 1016 for appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Matson are the proud parents of a daughter, Marilyn Ann, born December 26 at Mt. Carmel Hospital. The baby weighed 7 lbs., 9 ozs. The Matsons formerly resided in the Seelye apartment on Dunlap St.

Mr. and Mrs. William Yerkes of Griswold Avenue, had their home pneumatically insulated by the Booth Insulation Co. last week. This will make their home much warmer in the winter and cooler in the summer, on less fuel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Anderson and family have moved from Walled Lake to a home on West Eight Mile Road.

The A. H. Vogtlin family of Grandview were the Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vogtlin of Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Morden spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter MacArthur of Brighton.

Hostesses at the High School Canteen on Monday evening included the Misses Margie and Lillian Kehler, Esther Lockman and B. and E. Ware.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Giles are visiting friends and relatives in the East for a few days. Both are vacationing from their duties at the S. L. Brader store.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Stark and family together with Joyce Tallmage had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shafer of First street.

Miss Christine Milne of Evanston, Ill., is a house-guest of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Anderson of Eight Mile Road. Miss Milne is an aunt of Mr. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geraghty of Rosedale Gardens spent Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Geraghty of N. Wing street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Moody of Clement Road were Christmas Day hosts to Mrs. Moody's Aunt and cousin, Mrs. W. J. Seelinger and son, Dick, of Plymouth.

Mrs. Nora Sloan of Walnut street, who was recently injured in an automobile accident, is now able to have visitors at Sessions hospital.

New Year in a New World



BABSON

(Continued from Front Page)

FOREIGN TRADE

21. "Our foreign trade will be less in 1948 than in 1947. We shall help Europe; but it will be on a more economical and efficient scale.

22. More foreign loans will be made during 1948 but many of these will be direct to business concerns rather than to political governments.

23. There will be considerable competition from other countries in legitimate foreign trade where the credit is good. Other countries will not compete with us in our "charities" but they certainly will compete for all profitable business.

24. Throughout 1948 our talk and uprisings will continue, but no World War III will start in 1948. **WAR PREPARATIONS WILL ACCELERATE.**

LABOR OUTLOOK

25. 1948 will see an average hourly wage rise of 5% to 7%. Lower income taxes should increase buying power, but this will be about offset by further rises in the cost of living.

There need be no more unemployment in 1948 than in 1947, but "Unemployment Insurance" will be taken advantage of by too many unprincipled people.

27. Wage workers will gradually see that the Taft-Hartley Bill puts a checkrein only on their labor leaders, but not on Union membership. Hence, the bitter hatred against this Bill will gradually subside. The Bill is merely an "SEC" for labor leaders who need it today as much as investment bankers needed the SEC which was started ten years ago.

28. Any labor legislation during 1948 will be to amend the Taft-Hartley Bill and to raise minimum wages.

INFLATION

29. The Inflation Era which we have forecast for several years will remain at this stage until November 2, 1948. There will be no reckless printing of currency or government borrowing in 1948.

30. 1948 will see a public reaction against "feather bedding," "workless" jobs, and union rules which result in slow-ups. More labor-saving machinery will be installed. The public is gradually realizing that inflation can be beaten only by increased production.

31. Sometime during 1948 production in many lines will have caught up with consumption which will prevent further price increases in such lines.

32. There will be many inflation and price investigations during 1948. Both the Democrats and Republicans will try to lay the blame for high prices on the other party.

STOCK MARKET

33. We believe that 1948 will be a year of switching for various reasons. One of these will be an attempt to get out of stocks of companies which have most of their assets in big "vulnerable-in-case-of-war" cities into companies whose assets are well distributed and safe from attack.

34. The Administration will try to keep the Dow-Jones Industrial Averages between an upper ceiling of around 185 and a floor of around 165. Commodity speculators will be curbed.

35. The special will not try to pick any special "winners" in 1948, but will diversify broadly

Novi News

George McCollum, a student at the University of Michigan, is spending his holiday vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McCollum of Eleven Mile Road.

Christmas Eve guests at the A. McCollum home were their relatives: George McCollum and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoge and family and Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCollum and family of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Orla McCollum of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McCollum and son, George, spent Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoge in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rachov and sons, John and Mitchell, spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Chumra in Detroit.

A group of Baptist young people accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Remsen went caroling around Novi Christmas Eve.

Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Remsen visited their daughter and son-in-law and their new grand-daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gleason and Karen Eileen, at Mr. Morris' last Friday and Saturday.

All are welcome to attend the "Watch Night" services at the Baptist Church from 9 to 12 o'clock New Year's Eve. There will be a social hour, a program and lunch after which there will be a worship service until the New Year begins.

Mrs. Russell Stevenson and son, Butch, and Mrs. Lillian Riley of Walled Lake left Saturday for Florida where they expect to remain for two weeks.

The I. O. O. F. will sponsor a card party and dance at the Hall January 31. James Frisbee, Geo. Atkinson and Glen C. Selow are the committee in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Lockwood were the Christmas Day guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walters at Union Lake. On Sunday they spent the day with their son's family, Mr. and Mrs. James Bites at Walled Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Lockwood are grieved at the disappearance of their red Cocker Spaniel dog the day before Christmas.

Mrs. George Atkinson entertained her Novi bridge club at her home on First Street Monday evening. Present were Mrs. Fraser Stanton, Mrs. Harry Watson, Mr. George Kahrl, Mrs. Floyd Darling, Mrs. L. J. Putnam, Mrs. Hadley Barrett and Mrs. Glen C. Selow.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rix spent from Friday through Sunday with their son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David O'Leary in Traverse City. Mr. O'Leary, who has been ill, is slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rix spent a few days, including New Year's Day, with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rix. They have been visiting the latter's mother and sister in Lansing since Christmas. The mother is quite ill in the hospital there.

Christmas Day guests at the Art Trotter home were their son's family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Trotter and son, Billy, and Mrs. Art Trotter's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. Robertson, Sr. and daughter, Lucie, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Robertson, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson and two children and Robert Robertson, all of Detroit, and Miss Carolyn Gaffney of Novi.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shurtliff of Twelve Mile Road entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cooper and son, Terry, and daughter, Lucille of Gregory, also their daughters, Maxine, Donna and Ila, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hill are visiting the latter's parents in Ohio for a few days.

Our Creed - -

The word "Customer" has always had a pleasant connotation but I am afraid that during the war period some people have rather lost sight of its full significance. So by way of reminder, I give you a few brief answers to the question "WHAT IS A CUSTOMER?"

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A Customer is not an interruption of our work — he is the purpose of it. We are not doing him a favor by serving him — he is doing us a favor by giving us the opportunity to do so.

A Customer is not an outsider to our business — he is part of it.

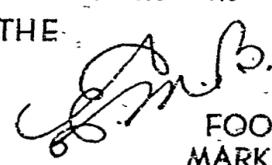
A Customer is not a cold statistic — he is a flesh and blood human being with feelings and emotions like your own, and with biases and prejudices.

A Customer is not someone to argue or match wits with. Nobody ever won an argument with a customer.

A Customer is a person who brings us his wants. It is our job to handle them profitably to him and to ourselves.

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Tuesday night, January 6th, the Northville Mustangs will resume play following the Christmas holidays. The game promises to be a fast and thrilling one as they will meet the Plymouth Rocks at the local gym. The preliminary game will get underway at 7:15.

Pfc. Blake Couse arrived home Monday evening, December 22 from Camp Stoneman, Calif., discharged from the Army. Blake, the son of the Walter Couse of Seven Mile Road, spent about eighteen months in the service, six of which were spent in a camp in Texas and the remainder with the military government in Japan. While in Koshi, Japan, Blake contracted polio and was removed to the general hospital at Osaka where he was a patient for six months. Blake attended Northville High school and is a graduate of Detroit Country Day school.

As a New Year's resolution the ladies of the Baptist church are asked to attend the Baptist Woman's Union meeting at the church next Thursday, January 8 at 2:00 p.m.

Mrs. Fred Hausbeck of Walled Lake, who has been seriously ill the past 10 days in the Detroit Osteopathic hospital, has been moved to her brother's home in Detroit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Howick and son, Mike, are spending the holidays with Mr. Fred E. Van Atta and family on East Cady street. Mr. Howick is on vacation from Michigan State College.

T/S Joe Felber arrived in Northville Christmas Day discharged from Camp Stoneman, Calif. Joe spent about eleven months in the Army, most of which were spent in Japan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Funk, accompanied by their children, Marilyn and John, attended the seventeenth Spence family reunion held in Wayne on Sunday. Thirty-seven guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stark, weather of West Seven Mile are expecting a visit the first of the year from their nephew, Ronald Turner of England. Mr. Turner is on his way to California.

Christmas dinner guests of the Roy M. Van Atta's of Randolph Street were Mrs. Mabel Kulken of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Kiken and son of Hillman, Mr. and Mrs. Loyte German, Robert and Loyde German, Robert Ely and Mr. L. Fest.

The Kings' Daughters will meet next Tuesday, January 5 at the home of Mrs. John Litsenberger of West Dunlap street at 12:30 for potluck luncheon, to be followed by the business meeting in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Funk entertained relatives from Ferndale on Christmas Day. Their guests were Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Duncan and sons, Donald and William.

Christmas Day dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Cavell of Griswold Road were Dr. and Mrs. Ted Cavell and family and the Sterling Eatons of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cavell of Cleveland, Ohio. The Cavell's daughter, Mrs. Robert Casady of Los Angeles, Calif., called her parents that evening to wish them the Season's Greetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stephens (Pearl Denton) of Norton Ave. were hosts to the latter's family for Christmas Day dinner. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Denton of Randolph St. and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denton and daughter, Suzie, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Denton of Detroit. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Denton were hosts for dinner for their family. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Denton of Detroit will hold a New Year's Eve party for the same group.

The fuel conservation department recommends a saving on all types of fuel in order that all may share in the shortages. They also recommend insulating the home as a sure way of saving fuel and money. When you buy insulation you are buying a tried and proven fuel saver. Ask your friends who have had their homes insulated by the Booth Insulation Co. Why put it off longer, phone Northville 106 for a free survey on your own home.

and those who have too many stocks will gradually build up good reserves in cash or Government bonds for the big break which will come someday.

36. Careful buyers of stocks will insist on making full payment and avoid borrowing during 1948.

BONDS

37. We are definitely bearish on low-coupon rate, long-term bonds. Many of these will sell at even lower prices in 1948 than in 1947. Money rates will gradually increase.

38. If Congress gives a good reduction in Federal taxes to investors in high brackets, 1948 will see a further falling off in the prices of most municipals and other tax-exempt bonds. As indicated above, however, we do not expect such a desired tax reduction.

39. In view of the large decline in many preferred stocks during 1947, this rate of decline should begin to level off during 1948.

40. Investors will give much more attention to diversification in 1948 and not become too heavily interested in railroad securities, telephone issues and other public utilities, many of which are now selling 160 high.

REAL ESTATE

41. City real estate will continue to hold firm through 1948, due to less available space caused by pulling-down structures to save taxes, to provide parking spaces etc. There also is a disinclination to build city property, in view of the present high inflationary building costs.

42. Suburban real estate will continue in greater demand with still higher prices during 1948.

43. Big commercial farm acreage may sell for less during 1948; but sub-steeze farms located close to established communities will hold up in price.

44. General building should increase during 1948. Young people are gradually getting accustomed to high building costs and tired of living with their mothers-in-law.

45. Both office and residential rents will be higher in 1948. Property owners are entitled to receive higher rentals. Only as such are granted will there be as much building as there should be.

46. Mortgage rates during 1948 will continue about the same as in 1947. These rates are very favorable for those who have the courage to build. However, in 1948, it will be harder to obtain mortgage loans.

POLITICS

47. Both President Truman and the Republican leaders will be playing politics up to November 2, 1948. It is now too early to forecast the outcome of the Presidential election on the Republicans, however, have so bungled the price controversy that Mr. Truman has a fair chance of re-election.

48. Congressmen returning from Europe will determine our foreign policy and take it out of the hands of the State Department, the Brass Hats, and even the President himself.

49. Unless illness or accident interferes, Mr. Truman will be the Democratic candidate, with the possibility of Mr. Marshall being on the ticket with him.

50. We forecast a greater interest in sane religion, temperance, and civic righteousness during the 1948, with continued reaction against "denominationalism, intolerance and dogma."

From our hearts-deeply we wish all our friends and patrons a joyous New Year.



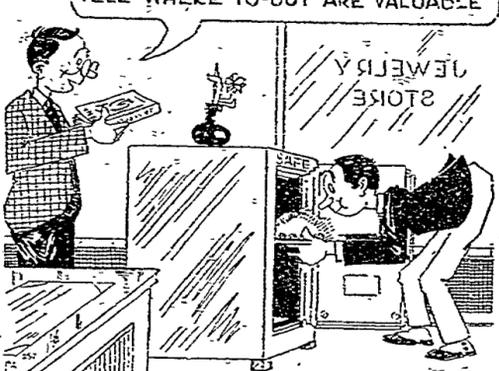
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to the Editor

Dec. 24, 1947

I would like to thank publicly Mr. Wayne Forester of Royal Oak for taking up the defence of the people of England by refuting the claims made by Mrs. E. D. Peary published in your paper. Such letters even if true were better left in the waste paper basket. There are many people of British birth living in this locality whose indignation was aroused by such unjust and unfair claims. There can be no good will generated by such ill advised criticism.

Respectfully yours,
Ruth Starkweather.

Farmers' Profile
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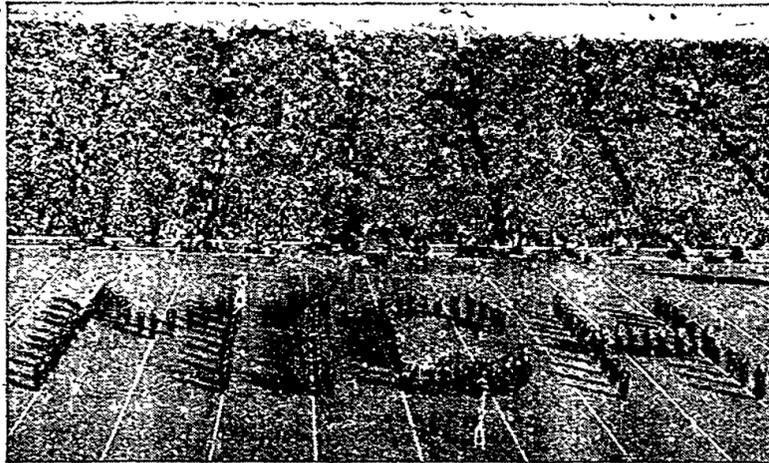
Northville, Michigan



Banners commemorating the New Year festoon the parlor . . . party favors are in readiness . . . and we're all set to wish you a happy New Year.

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Michigan's Band to Perform in Rose Bowl



THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN'S famed 133-piece marching band will make a trip to Pasadena to cheer the Wolverine football team in the Rose Bowl game with Southern California on New Year's Day. The band's trip to Los Angeles is being sponsored by the Buick Division of General Motors. Buick general manager, Harlow H. Curtis, said the firm wishes to give the six thousand Michigan alumni on the West Coast an opportunity to see the band in the Rose Bowl. The band, shown above in "MICH" formation, will make appearances enroute at Denver, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, and on the return trip at Kansas City, Mo.

News Around Northville

Mrs. Leda Pless is now convalescing at her home in Walled Lake after her accident.

On January 2, 1948, Orient Chapter No. 77 will meet at the Masonic Temple for the exaltation of degrees at 7:45.

The Grace Trempe Circle of the Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Sidney Frid at 450 East Main Street, Jan. 8 at 12:30 p.m.

Last Saturday afternoon, the Altar Society of Our Lady of Victory church gave their annual Christmas party for the children of the parish. The youngsters were presented with gifts and boxes of candy.

Veterans Administration has announced that the dead line for re-issuance of National Service Life Insurance without physical exam has been extended to July 31, 1948. Veterans who wish to restate or convert should visit Veterans Counseling Center at the Village Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pless of Walled Lake will observe their wedding anniversary on Jan. 6.

Mrs. Zada Riley of Yerkes street will be hostess to the Wimpna Club January 2 at one o'clock for a potluck luncheon.

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Cavell of Griswold Road attended the Christmas party last Monday night at the Kings Daughters and Sons Home in Redford.

Mizpah Circle of the Kings Daughters donated 81 bars of face soap for the party held at the Kings Daughters and Sons home in Redford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Haskin and daughter, Nadine and Martha Jo, spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Mary Keeney of West Main Street.

Starting room only was available at the annual Candle Lighting Service held at the Presbyterian Church Christmas Eve. From Processional to Recessional of the entire program of music and biblical readings was enjoyed throughout.

Charles W. Hills Jr. of Howell, nephew of Frank and George Hills, West Main Street, made the trip to the Rose Bowl game in California with the 131-piece University of Michigan Marching Band. Hills plays clarinet in the band.

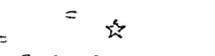
The Lutheran Laymen's League gave the children of St. Paul's Lutheran Church a Christmas party Friday night. The affair was held at the school house and the youngsters were treated to movies, after which they received gifts. The Walled Lake members from the church caroled at Eastlan Sanatorium and at several homes in the village.

Visiting at their parental home during the holidays are Edwin Rossow who is a student at Concordia College, Fort Wayne, Ind., Leda Rossow who teaches in Furt, Katherine Rossow who teaches at Pontiac, and Esther Rossow who is a nurse at Community Hospital at DeCatur, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Gates were Christmas Day hosts to Mr. and Mrs. C. Oscar Hammond and family of North Center St., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ely of South Center St., Mrs. Augusta Foss of Walnut St., Mr. and Mrs. William Foss of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Teshka of Hillsdale, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Teska of Howell. Evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bloom and family and the Ivan and Charles Ely families.



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New Year's Day often has proved a memorable day in history. Among the events that stand out are:
The era of the Caesars began, 33 B. C.
King Edward III, of England, annihilated the French before Calais, 1349.
Paul Revere was born, 1735.
Betsy Ross, born, 1752.
George Washington unfurled the first Union flag of 13 stripes, 1776.
Ireland was united with Britain in 1801.
Haitian Independence Day, 1804.
General Jackson turned back the British at New Orleans in 1815.
Abraham Lincoln's emancipation proclamation issued, 1863.
Greece gains independence, 1832.
New York City of five boroughs incorporated, 1898.
Commonwealth of Australia united, 1901.
U. S. pure food law put into effect, 1907.
Republic of China founded, 1912.
U.S.S.R. formed, 1923.
United Nations Declaration signed, 1942.
Hitrohito disavows divinity, 1945.



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Time, the one monarch to whom the whole world pays obeisance, poises his scythe to sweep back another year into history's pages.

Few tears mark the death of the old year, but there is gladness at the advent of a new era, which man feels is to prove better and more fruitful than the old one.

May new faith and new courage be your lot in 1948.

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Bowling News

MONDAY NIGHT HOUSE LEAGUE

Points
Don's Jr. Five 38
Plymouth Grill 33
Miller's Sales and Service 33
Max Barber Shop 27
Hubenschmidt and Fielding 26
Royal Recreation 26
Allan and Locke 20
A & P Tea Co. 16
200 Games
Schultz, 225, J. Bogart 212, Robinson 211.

FRIDAY NIGHT LEAGUE

Points
Bord Bros. 38
Northville Lab 32
Neil's Hardware 25
Blacks 17
High Single
Fitzpatrick 206
Bord Bros. 770
High Series
E. Warner 539
Bord Bros. 2244

TUESDAY NIGHT LEAGUE

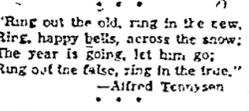
Points
Broders 23
Shaplys 21
Tvin Pines 19
Ply Real Estate 18
Royal Recreation 13
Northville Tax 16
Snack Bar 15
Pauline's Five 12
Team High Single
Royal Recreation (week) 718
Team High Series
Ply. Real Estate (week) 1985
High Single Game
Vandenburg (week) 171
High Individual Series
Darnell (week) 458

NORTHVILLE CHURCH BOWLING LEAGUE

Points
Pencans 36
Liens 32
Tigers 29
Eagles 28
Wildcats 27
Panthers 25
Hawks 25
Falcons 21
High Game (for week)
Waterman 193
High Series (for week)
Thomson 497

New Year QUOTES

"The object of a new year is not that we should have a new year. It is that we should have a new soul and a new nose; new feet, a new backbone, new ears, and new eyes. Unless a man starts afresh about things, he will certainly do nothing effective . . . Unless a man be born again, he shall by no means enter into the kingdom of heaven."
-G. K. Chesterton.



"New leaves, to be sure! Let them turn them that are ashamed of their old ones."
-Edward Payson Powell.

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

"We are bound, by every rule of justice and equity, to give the New Year credit for being a good one until he proves himself unworthy the confidence we repose in him."
-Charles Dickens.

"The good old year is with the past; Oh, be the new as kind!"
-William Cullen Bryant.

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NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF NOVI TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the Novi Township Zoning Board will be held on Thursday evening, January 8 at 8:00 p.m. at the Novi Town Hall, at which meeting any person having interests in the Township or their duly appointed representatives, shall be heard relative to any matters that should properly come before the Zoning Board.

GEORGE R. SIMMONS,
 Secretary.

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NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP
TAX NOTICE
 NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP TAXES
 ARE NOW DUE AND
 PAYABLE

I will start collecting 1947 taxes Tuesday, December 16, 1947 at Depositors State Bank and every Tuesday and Friday thereafter during banking hours.

Bring your tax bills with you. In mailing your remittance always send complete tax bill. Receipted section will be returned to you.

1948 Dog Licenses are due and payable at this time.

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ROY M. TERRILL
 Township Treasurer
 Phone 902-W1

MORTGAGE SALE
 Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Austin D. Ault and Mable A. Ault, his wife, of Leoni, Wayne County, Michigan, Mortgagee, to the Depositors State Bank, a Michigan banking corporation, of Northville, Michigan, Mortgagee, dated the eighteenth day of September, A.D. 1946, and recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds, for the County of Wayne, and State of Michigan, on the twenty-seventh day of September, A.D. 1946, in Liber 3249 of mortgages on page 210, and a certain mortgage thereon claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred Ten and 57/100 dollars (\$1510.57). And no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been maintained to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, now therefore, by virtue of the power contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan, in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the fourth day of March, A.D. 1948, at four o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the southeast corner of Congress Street extending to the County Building in the City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan (that being the building where the County Courthouse of the County of Wayne, Michigan, is located) of the premises described as said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at six per cent (6%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney's fees allowed by law, and also any sums or sums which may be paid by the mortgagee, necessary to protect his interest in the premises, which said premises are described as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate on the Township of Leoni, in the County of Wayne, and State of Michigan and described as follows: to-wit: Lots No. 251 and 252 of Seven M. E. Super. Highway Subdivision of the east half of the northeast 1/4 of section 9, Township 14 North, Range 18 East, Leoni Township, Wayne County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof on file in Liber 13, page 150 of plats, Wayne County Records.

Dated at Northville, Michigan, December 29, 1947.
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 John A. Boyer, Attorney for Mortgagee,
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On Capitol Hill

"Black-Gray" Markets in Public Works: Congressman George A. Dondero (R-Mich.), Chairman of the Public Works Committee, points out that inflated prices generally have seriously affected public works projects, even to the point of stopping many. Immediately upon passage of the Resolution authorizing an investigation into so-called "black market," "gray market," and associated questionable practices, Chairman Dondero appointed a subcommittee to carry out its provisions. The five members appointed to this subcommittee were Rep. W. Kingsland Macy (R-N.Y.) as chairman; Rep. Howard A. Coffin (R-Mich.); Rep. Frederick A. Muhlenberg (R-Pa.); Rep. Wm M Whittington (D-Miss.); and Rep. Frank W. Boykin (D-Ala.). Hearings will begin in the very near future.

Appropriation For Interim Aid: The House of Representatives cut one appropriation for Interim Aid to France, Italy, and Austria, by \$88 million, and an additional \$260 million from the sum requested by the Army for occupation costs. A total of \$509 million was approved. The \$88 million curtailed by the House was not believed justified for the reason that it was to have been used by France and Italy to pay their debts to other countries. This should not be an obligation of the U. S.

While relief for these countries was being considered by Congress the Bureau of the Budget sent in another request for an additional \$190 million as a supplement appropriation for the "occupied countries" of Germany, Austria, Japan, and Korea. This money to be used to provide food, petroleum, medicine, etc. — products which are in short supply in this country and which will directly affect the price which our people will have to pay for them. In addition to this, Governor Griswold, charged with the distribution of aid to Greece, provided earlier in this session of Congress, had expected that more will be asked for that country in the near future.

Shipment To Russia: In spite of the protest of Chairman Weichel (R-Ohio) of the Merchant Marine Committee, the Administration allowed two shipments of scientific and professional instruments, dump trucks, steel, diesel engine parts, electrical machinery, and 17 human, equipment to sail for Russia from United States port during the special session of Congress. Congressman Weichel identified the ships as the Neva and the Both, former American ships turned over to Russia under lend-lease, he said.

Veterans' Bill: The House and Senate passed a measure guaranteeing an additional \$750 million worth of veterans' housing loans. The House in 1947 upon making \$275 million available immediately.

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reports that prices paid by veterans for new houses with GI loans average \$8,200. Forty-five per cent of such loans made between May and August of this year were for new homes. The remaining 55 per cent of G. I. home loans were for purchase of used houses. The monthly volume of sales under lending provision of the G. I. Bill is now averaging 48,000.

"News and Comment": This is the last news letter for 1947, or until the reconvening of Congress in January.

READ THE WANT ADS.



We're bubbling with enthusiasm and sincerity... when we extend our wishes for a happy and successful New Year.

ROY M. VAN ATTA
 279 Park Place Northville



May the happiness and success you deserve be with you all through the New Year. And may joy and contentment reign.

SELLE BODY SHOP
 936 Ann Arbor Road
 Plymouth

Happy New Year!
 Hearty as the first horn blast at New Years... are our wishes for a happy 1948 for you and yours.

ALEXANDER'S GREENHOUSE
 Corner Rayson and Hutton Phone 176



• A New Year looms before us. Our wish for it is that happiness will bless our homes and contentment reign among our families — that friendship will continue to grow in our community from day to day and in its afterglow come the serenity of good will to each and all.

DOREN'S STANDARD SERVICE
 302 East Main Street



NEW YEAR IS HERE!
 When the old year with his flowing robe and long whiskers gives way to the new year cherub with his telescope set on a fruitful year ahead, we are always sure that the new twelve months will be better — and it generally is!

Young Mr. 1948 will prove no exception, we are sure, and so we again greet you with the hope that the traditional faith and good will which always mark the advent of the New Year will bring their reward in the form of an improved community this year.

Allan & Locke
 Northville's Ford Dealers
 1170 West Main Phone 54-J

HAPPIEST NEW YEAR 1948



HAPPY NEW YEAR, EVERYBODY!

We know of no better way to begin the New Year than by extending our thanks to our friends for their generous patronage. We hope that we can be of still greater service to you in 1948, and may the best of everything be yours!

S. L. Brader Dept. Store

Good Health Good Luck



We stand at the end of one year and are about to enter upon a new. We are not sorry to bid farewell to 1947 and we greet 1948 with that traditional hope and faith that well eternally in the breast of human-kind.

May the New Year be a brighter and happier one for all!

C. HAROLD BLOOM for INSURANCE

AUTO - FIRE - PLATE GLASS - LIABILITY - WINDSTORM

108 W. Main Street Northville, Michigan Phone 470. or 421



OUR BEST WISHES TO YOU

1948

It may be a good thing, as some maintain, to stop and take stock at the end of the year, to review, to analyze, and to resolve greater accomplishments in the New Year.

With 1948 immediately ahead of us, let us remember only the best, forget the worst, and look confidently ahead. May this year hold for you more blessings than any that has gone before.

Guernsey Farms Dairy

125 S. Center NORTHVILLE, Phone 593 Fred Russell and John McGuire 748 Starkweather PLYMOUTH Phone 9177

Northville's Yesterdays

ONE YEAR AGO:

Maurice Lapham, well-known resident of this village, has purchased the Woolen Goods Store on East Main street from A. E. Schofield.

The Old Mill Sandwich Bar is opening this week under the proprietorship of H. F. Mitchell and J. MacDonald of Brighton. Lloyd N. Morse of North Center street passed away at the Detroit Osteopathic Hospital early Thursday morning, January 2, at the age of forty-seven years.

Two places of business, The Michigan Powdered Metal Products, and the Northville Waste Materials, were broken into and entered this week and sums of money were taken.

New Year's morning, the members of the Northville Rotary Club were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Angove of West Main street.

FIVE YEARS AGO:

Following established custom, the Kings Daughters made sure that no family in the Village lacked Christmas cheer. This organization distributed baskets of food, and toys to Northville's needy families.

The employees of the Northville Ford plant will participate this week in the \$9,000,000.00 bonus distribution of the Ford Motor Car Company paid in lieu of 1947 vacation. Of the 279 local employees, 207 are eligible for vacation pay under the terms of the U.A.W.-C.I.O. agreement.

The Goodfellows were highly successful this year, netting a total of \$473.73, the largest amount ever collected for the sale of the Northville Record in the annual charity drive for the Kings Daughters and Maybury and Eastlawn Sanatoriums.

TEN YEARS AGO:

Several thousand persons attended Northville's first ice carnival held on the Ford pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Garcia returned from a three week vacation in Havana, Cuba.

Mr. Sidney J. Frid gave a talk on her recent trip to Cuba and Haiti at the Service League meeting at the home of Mrs. Maurice J. Lapham.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO:

The Cover Club spent New Year's Eve in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ely.

The committees were chosen for the Senior Prom to be held Feb. 10. Those responsible for the arrangements were Leo Kohler, Wilma Hattenbury, Mary Bennett, Robert Christensen, Miriam Dundas, Gertrude Ugas, Harold McCardie, John Stenchen, Kenneth Kerr, Margaret Hay, Roy Warner, Robert Pewer, Warner Neal, Herbert Ware, Florence Johnson, Robert Reed, Harold Clark, Mary Humphries, Dorothy Shoebridge, Richard Nash, Jack Harper.

THIRTY YEARS AGO:

Earl Montgomery came home on a furlough from Camp Custer for a visit with his family.

The Northville Woman's Club met in the home of Mrs. Brock instead of at the library. The change was made in the interest of fuel saving.

Wartime Spending

At the peak of the war effort the government was spending 100 billion dollars a year, 3 billion dollars a month, 2 billion dollars a week, 12 million dollars an hour, \$203,000 a minute and \$3,333 a second.

Vegetable Dyes

Dyes of vegetable origin were used almost exclusively by primitive man. They were obtained in the vicinity, with the dyer merely collecting dye plants and roots in nearby fields or forests and boiling them in water. The range of color was very narrow, being confined to red, blue, yellow, green, brown and black. Variants in shades were quite limited.



As the new Year comes in we wish to extend to you all of our sincerest hopes for continued prosperity.

NORTHVILLE SHOE REPAIR 108 EAST MAIN ST.



DAWN OF A NEW DAY

... and a new year. Hopes rise with the sun when its golden glow gilds all our prospects. May all the promises of 1948 be fulfilled. This is our wish for you.

D & C STORE

East Main Street Northville, Mich.

HERE IS HOPING

1948

As the years come and go we can count our friends in ever increasing numbers. We like to think that neither luck nor chance accounts for this, but that the answer lies in public recognition of our determination to give our customers superior service and value at all times. Here is hoping that you may all enjoy

A MOST HAPPY NEW YEAR



NORTHVILLE DRUG CO. TELEPHONE 238



a PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR to all

SEASON'S GREETINGS!

To our Faithful old friends and our valued new ones we send these greetings of the New Year.

Willoughby Bros.

Walk-Over Shoe Store PLYMOUTH



Another New Year!

There's a lift of the spirit, a warming of the heart. There's laughter and youth ... story joins hands with twenty, and on this day the old grow young and youth throws off the grasp of time.

On this happy occasion we wish for you the very best that life affords!

HOME BAKERY

E. Hverson, Prop. 152 N. Center Street NORTHVILLE



Every new year

is a sealed package ... as we start to unwrap 1948, it is our sincere hope that you are opening a big box of happiness ...

NORTHVILLE REALTY

Realtors CARL H. BRYAN LEE M. EATON

Office Phone 129J



The stork depositing the young cherub is the traditional symbol of the New Year.

Just as traditional is our old-time wish for all our old-time friends: That good health, good cheer, good friends and good fortune may be your lot in

1948

W. E. FORNEY 110 East Main Street



MAY YOUR NEW YEAR BE HAPPY

The pursuit of happiness is every American's right

... the Constitution says so. May you catch your full share of it in 1948 ... that is our sincere hope, as another New Year's Day rolls around.

THE FARMER'S MARKET

"Where Your Dollar Buys More All the Time"

RALPH PICKARD

MARK BELL



Hoopskirts and sideburns belong to a legendary era now. External ways of life change constantly, but friendship remains ever the same. And just as friends wished each other a Happy New Year a hundred years ago, so we on the eve of 1948 extend our warmest greetings to you.

Sibley's Style Shop

135 East Main Street



all aboard! THE NEW YEAR 1948

... and may the Year 1948

be streamlined to your wants and chock-full of blessings!

Thanks a million for your patronage during the year 1947.

Northville Electric Co.

C. B. Turnbull, Prop. 153 East Main Street

Phone 184-J

LAREE'S BEAUTY SALON

Wishes You and Yours
A Happy New Year
43230 Grand River, Novi
Right Next to Trickey's Treet
Permanents
Machine, Machineless and Cold Waves
Phone Northville 429-J
Closed All Day Monday



Bottoms up! May we extend our sincere wishes to you and your family for continued happiness, and prosperity this New Year.

KROGER STORE

- Ed. Barnes, Manager
Walter Moore
Lawrence Berridge
Claude Hinchman
Harry Williams
Frank Light
Dora Tibbitts
Hazel Lynch
Mary McCarty
Marjorie Lees
Albert Lees
Gail Enders
Herman Hagedorn



Our Proclamation for 1948!

The New Year presents a challenge. We accept that challenge, pledging to do our utmost to make this a better community in 1948.

GUNSELL'S DRUG STORE
The REXALL STORE



Greetings to you!

Yes, it's time to change the figures again. Nineteen hundred and forty-eight... Let's look optimistically into the future.

FISHER SHOE STORE

290 South Main Street Plymouth, Mich.

West Point Park News

By Miss L. A. Ault
Carolers were busy in West Point Park Monday evening of last week. The Livonia Methodists were busy in the Seven Mile Road section.

The Livonia Methodists held their special Christmas service in 'The Little Pink Church' Christmas Eve. Movies attracted a crowd that taxed the capacity of the building.

The Neighborhood Church held its annual distribution of treats and gifts Tuesday night. A full house participated in a hymn-singing, which included all the carols and a number of favorite church songs.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ault of Irving Avenue, were dinner guests Christmas Day of the Herman Hoffmans in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Judd of Mack Avenue, Detroit, were among the callers at the home of the Misses Lora and Freda Ault, Christmas Day.

Norma Judd of Detroit, is spending a week with her grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Stange.

The Gordon Vances visited with Glenn Vance in the Veterans' Hospital Christmas Day.

John Aittama, Jr., of Shady-side Avenue, was a visitor at the Veterans' Hospital, Dearborn, Christmas Day.

Christmas mail from the Sidelinkers, recently of Mayfield Avenue, indicate they have reached Florida and are spending the holidays with the Hoaglins, former West Point Park residents.

Mrs. Willet of Redford, was the dinner guest of her son, Cecil Willet and his family on Mayfield Avenue, Christmas Day.

The Cecil Willets spent Christmas evening with the Ackersons in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Porter and children, Carol Ann and John, of New London, O., were Wednesday to Friday guests of relatives in West Point Park, and called in several homes in the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ault and children, Marena and Nelson Meade, of Hubbard Avenue, spent Christmas evening and Friday with Mrs. Ault's parents, the Updiggers, and other relatives in Flint.

Tom and Lora Anne Roberts of Monroe, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Ault Christmas Day and called upon their aunts, Miss Lora and Miss Freda Ault in the evening.

June Vance of Detroit, was the Christmas guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Vance.

Mrs. John Aittama is ill at her home on Shady-side Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Galloway of Garden City, spent Christmas Day with their aunt, Mrs. Walter Rehahn. Mr. Galloway is about to enter University Hospital, Ann Arbor, for observation.

The Maggoners of Shady-side Avenue, visited relatives in Detroit, Christmas Day. A young nephew was their house guest several days last week.

The Bradleys of Orchard Lake Road, were dinner guests or Mr. and Mrs. George Welch Christmas Day.

The Vahols visited relatives in Dearborn last week-end.

The Johnsons of Clarita Avenue, are leaving this Monday for several days' visit with relatives in Unontown and Akron, Ohio. They have just returned from Grand Rapids, where they were Christmas guests of Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Nelson Nordick.

Sponsored by the Goodfellows, a fascinatingly attired Santa Claus, with charming personality, attracted much attention as he sped over Livonia township highways taking cheer into the homes of the needy and underprivileged a few days before Christmas. Checks of sufficient size to make a regular holiday dinner possible was a welcome gift to families with meager incomes.

Christmas mail from Mrs. Henry Miner, who as Hazel Whipple, formerly resided in West Point Park and Farmington, bear the postmark of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Friends of Mrs. William Fisher, now residing near St. Petersburg, Fla., received boxes of delicious citrus fruits for Christmas from her.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gillespie, formerly of West Point Park, but now of Tucson, Arizona, wrote that they expected all their children and grandchildren home for a family get-together at Christmas. Mrs. Gillespie's mother, Mrs. Painter, and her niece, the former Betty Randall, with her husband, were to be included in the party.

Henry Sizeland, Fendt Avenue, is crippled from a leg injury received at his work several days ago.

The Simpsons, Mayfield Avenue, spent the week-end with relatives in Detroit.

High Team - 3 Games
Slauter's 2471
Sealtest 2422
Don's Five 2400

High Team - 1 Game
Don's Five 875
Slauter's 859
Cloverdale 844

High 3 Games-Ind.
D. Makby 559
F. Russell 533
I. Hutchins 533

High 1 Game-Ind.
D. Makby 222
A. Stoval 219
I. Hutchins 214

200 Scores for Week
J. Stuberovoll 247, E. Dayton 242, T. Bohjy 232, B. Laskey 231, P. Green 219, H. Kuehn 220-200, H. Paulger 213-224, B. Hawley 213, G. Eberle 213, C. Crumm 212, F. Jansen 210, E. Riley 210, P. Terry 210, F. Escherschultz 208, A. Gadioli 204, J. Green 203, D. Miller 202-204, P. Gross 201.

Game of the Week
Gaffney Buttermilk
K. Chariand 170 175 147 492
F. Jansen 210 198 150 558
C. Crumm 183 167 212 562
P. Green 170 153 219 542
R. Stevenson 192 141 161 494

Den's Five
H. Kuehn 167 250 200 567
E. Dayton 173 242 194 614
B. Jansley 183 214 191 587
D. Yokes 132 151 135 519
D. Miller 292 234 152 559

Northville Women's Bowling League
W L Av
Cloverdale Dairy 45 19 433
Gen. Millers 39 25 672
Sealtest Dairy 39 25 689
O. L. V. S. No 1 37 27 672
Slauter's Dairy 35 29 635
Northville Hotel 24 35 711
Don's Five 24 36 747
St. Paul's Lutheran 23 36 602
White Kitchen 23 36 626
Old Mill 27 37 674
Villa Hat Shop 27 37 648
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GREETINGS
Throughout 1947... We've looked forward to this opportunity to wish all our friends a joyous, memorable 1948!

E. J. WILLIS
Custom Tailor
Hours: 1:30 to 5:30 P.M.
119 Rayson Street Northville, Mich.

FOX 624 So. Main St. Ann Arbor
On this occasion we dedicate ourselves to please you more and more. Happy New Year.

WEST BROS., INC.
534 Forest Avenue Plymouth, Michigan

Shiple's Watch Repair Shop
133 West Main Street Northville, Michigan

1948 Greetings
The bells are ringing for you and your loved ones... resounding with peals of a successful, happy New Year.

DE KAY ELECTRIC SHOP
431 Yerkes Street Northville, Mich.

HAPPY NEW YEAR 1948
Illustration of a man with a camera.

BREITNER'S Hi-Speed Service
West Main at Wing Street Northville, Mich.
In looking forward to the future and a continuation of our pleasant relations with you, we have raised our sights once more and can promise you even higher standards of service and value than in the past.

HOW MANY WAYS
COULD YOU USE A HEAT LAMP?
The DETROIT EDISON Co.
An Infrared Heat Lamp can be used in literally dozens of ways on the farm and in the home. Flexible, long-lasting, versatile, it fits any ordinary socket and is economical to use for limited periods.

★ CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING ★

FOR SALE

WOOD CLIPPINGS for kindling by the bushel or truck load. Phone 378.

CUSTOM SAWING - New mill capable of accurately sawing 30 feet also heavy duty planer. 44109 Grand River at Railroad, Novi. Phone Northville 956-111.

GOOD CLEAN used furniture, 271 N. Main street, Plymouth. For cash or trade. Phone Plymouth 208 or 7. Harry C. Robinson owner. Jess Hale, manager. Store always loaded. 381f

SACRIFICE - 3 diamond man's gold ring. Will sell for \$300. Brand new. Never been worn. Phone 733-J. 28-31

PAIR MANS Shoe roller skates 11 with casters. Hawaian guitar, stand, music pics and bars. Collapsible baby buggy, car seat and bed, swing stroller, high chair, play and potty, combination. All in excellent condition. Phone 916W3. 28-30x

AUTOMOBILE and fire insurance. Michigan Mutual Insurance Company, Associated General Fire Company, Don, Merritt, 135 East Main St., Northville. Phone 129-J - Home 923-W1. 4f

FLOOR SANDING, and FINISHING
O. E. SCHNEIDER
PHONE 53
619 N. Center St., Northville 451f

NICE BUILDING lots 4 acres and up on good gravel road, less than 1/2 mile from Grand River Ave. For sale by owner. Call Frank D. Clark, Novi, Mich. Phone Northville 936-W4. 42f

AUCTION SALE!
CAP SMITH & SON.
Auctioneers
Phones:
South Lyon 4363 and 4649
Address: New Hudson, Mich.

LUNCH AT 12 O'CLOCK SHARP

I have decided to quit farming and will sell at Public Auction on the premises located THREE (3) Miles NORTH of SOUTH LYON, or ONE and ONE-HALF Miles West of NEW HUDSON on the PONTIAC TRAIL, known as the George Coval Farm, on ...

SAT., JAN. 17
Commencing at 10:30 A.M.

TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

55 HEAD OF MILCH COWS AND HEIFERS
All Passed Bangs Test

HAY - GRAIN - FEED

This Farm of 180 Acres will be offered
FOR SALE
on Day of Sale, by the Owner
Full Listing Next Week

TERMS OF SALE - All sums of \$25.00, cash; over that amount 10 months' time on approved bankable notes bearing interest at 5%, payable at First National Bank of Plymouth.

GEORGE COVAL
OWNER
Floyd Kehrl, Clerk, First National Bank of Plymouth. 30x

FOR SALE

STRAUS MODERNIZING - CO. BUILDING & REMODELING

DELUXE MODEL RANCH-TYPE HOME OPEN for inspection, 23893 Beck Rd., south of 10 mile Road. Will duplicate or build to your specifications. FREE estimates on roofing. Insulation or Asbestos Siding, additions, attic rooms, recreation rooms, cupboards. For information PHONE 982-JL. 18-41-f

TRACTOR Overhaul and rebuilding by Allan Chalmers factory-trained mechanics. Expert workmanship with latest precision shop equipment. Near by thing to a new tractor. Gives you greater efficiency, lower operating costs, longer tractor life. Quick, friendly service. Schedule your job by phone - Walled Lake 126-F3. DON HORTON FARM SUPPLY, Pontiac Trail at Maple Road, Walled Lake. 19f

WOOD FOR SALE \$9.00 and \$8.00 per cord, \$1.00 per cord extra delivered to Northville. **GEO. H. SIMMONS,** 4320 Pen Mile Road, Phone Northville 942W1. 27-30x

BALED HAY, alfalfa, first, second and third cut. Also timothy, 2 miles west of Eight Mile, 2 1/2 mile north of 126th. Phone 931W11. 27-30x

QUANTITY of corn fodder; also chickens. Gus Schoof, 17435 Ridge Road. 30x

HAY FOR SALE - Timothy and Alfalfa. Phone South Lyon 3457. 30-31x

FIREWOOD and finished or rough lumber. Edger sawed, also custom log sawing. Edger sawed. Phone Northville 937W3. B. Munro, 23550 Taft Road. 30-32x

22 SAVAGE Rifle Bolt action, Microscope, Model Airplane Motor. Phone 678W. 30x

1947 Alma House Trailer or will rent to reliable party. 41631 Six Mile Road, Farmcrest Farms. 30x

SMALL quantity of baled hay for mulching purposes. Call 690W3 or 5915 W. Seven Mile Rd. 30x

MONTH Old Box Air Vacuum. Inquire 117 W. Main, Northville. 30x

1 PINE Bedroom Suite, family full linen bureau and side table. Inquire 117 W. Main, Northville. 30x

FOR RENT - Current Mixer. Phone 378, 1945 Gerald Ave. 45f

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FOR SALE

THREE Lady's fitted coats, size 10-12. Call 447-W. 120 West Cady. 30x

SHELL Gas Station at 446 Plymouth Avenue, Northville. Lease guaranteed at \$3,500. Forced to sell, no help. Phone Wayne 3062J1.

WANTED - FARM TO RENT NEAR NORTHVILLE. CALL NORTHVILLE 525. 29-30x

WANTED - Elderly woman or girl to get lunch and care for children afternoons 4 days a week. Call 277J. 46121 Sunset. 29-30

PICK UPS and Deliveries. Piano and furniture moving, short hauls. Phone 692. 48f

HELP WANTED - Michigan Bell has immediate opening in telephone operating for qualified girls 18 to 27, who are high school graduates. Apply at chief operators office, Michigan Bell Telephone Office, Northville. 27f

WANTED - Pneumatic air hammer work. Old foundations broken up and concrete busting. Boyd Bros. Phone 493J. 111f

WANTED - Carpenter work repair and remodeling. Byrle Hines, 44495 Twelve Mile, Walled Lake R3. 27-30x

WANTED - Repairing, alterations or general carpentry work. Call 338W Northville. John E. Kellogg. 27-30x

HIGHEST Prices paid for waste paper, rags, metals, old furniture and batteries. Northville Waste Materials Co., 742 Railroad Avenue. (Back of P. M. Depot). Phone 186-W. 11f

PLASTERING WANTED
Work Guaranteed
No Patch Too Small
Phone N'ville 548-W1 421f

WANTED TO RENT - Apartments or house. Jack Moffitt. Phone 515. 30-31x

WANTED - Carpenter work wanted. Specialize in cupboards and minor trim. R W Newton, 304 W. Main street, Northville, Mich. 30-31x

WANTED - Middle aged woman to act as companion for elderly lady. Phone Plymouth 1369-J. 4249 Parkhurst Avenue. 30x

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MISC.

BEGINNERS and advanced tap lessons. Learn to tap dance at the Jordan Dance Studio, 18866 Northville Road, one block south of Seven Mile Road. Individual lessons by appointment only. Phone 753J. 18f

INSURANCE, Fire, Theft, Liability, automobile. Mrs. F. R. Lanning, 214 N. Wing, Phone 209. 30x

CALDWELL CLEANERS, Pick-Up and Delivery. Alterations and repair. 117 Church Street. Phone 42J. 39f

Northville Lodge, No. 186, F.&A.M.
Regular meeting Second Monday of every month at 7:30 p. m. **SECOND DEGREE**
Monday, Jan. 5, 1948, 7:30 p. m. Visiting Brethren Welcome
WALTER E. MILLER, W. M.
R. E. COOLMAN, Sec'y.

NOTICE
There are certain people living along Eight Mile Road East who use the road as a place for dumping garbage. Please stop or face prosecution.
A Resident of Eight Mile. 30x

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank all the neighbors, friends and relatives, who so kindly remembered our mother with cards, gifts, fruit and flowers during her illness and death. Special thanks to Ray and Fred Casterline and all who so kindly assisted us during our bereavement.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kenner
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schweizer. 30x

CARD OF THANKS
Local 896 U.A.W. - C.I.O. We wish to thank the Pennman Allen Theatre, especially Mr. Sam Stremchik, his Operator and Ushers, for their cooperation in making the Children's Christmas Party a success.
Wishing them a prosperous New Year. Sincerely,
Geo. Stanford, Pres. 30

CARD OF THANKS
Local No. 896 U.A.W. - C.I.O. We wish to thank the Board of Education, especially, Mr. Emerson, Mr. Pierce, Mr. E. Allison for their cooperation in making the Children's Christmas Party a success.
Wishing them a prosperous New Year. Sincerely,
Geo. Stanford, Pres. 30

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank the nurses at Sessions Hospital and Dr. Hain and for their kindness during my stay at the hospital, and the Nov. Blue Star Mothers for their cards and flowers.
Mrs. Leda Pless. 30

CARD OF THANKS
To everyone who remembered me in anyway to make me happy at Christmas, I sincerely thank you.
Aunt Ida Hendryx. 30

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Frank W. Ross, who passed away 1 year ago January 5, 1947.
"They say time heals all sorrow, and helps us to forget, and time so far has only proved how much we miss you yet. Friends may think we have forgotten. When at times they see us smile, Little do they know the heartaches that our smiles hide all the while."
Sadly missed by his loving wife and son. 37f

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our dear husband and father who passed away one year ago, December 29, 1946. Gone but not forgotten.
Mrs. David Hay Sr. and Family. 30x

Drug Proves Effective In Killing Tree Borer
When applying parathion, be sure to kill off tree borers, take down and pull the soil back from tree, down to the crown of the root system. Spruce of all gum are loose bark. Then pull the soil back up around tree, to a height of about six to eight inches, and smooth off the top of the mound. Then apply one ounce of parathion to a tree that's over three years of age.

Confession Triumphs
After 38 and 52 years of absence, two towels marked 1910 and 1914 were recently returned to the Pullman company - one from a woman in Massachusetts and the other from a woman in Iowa.

Mechanized Hog Farm Makes Pig Raising Easy
A fully modernized and mechanized hog farm can be so rigged that one man can handle 100 sows and bring to market each year 1,500 to 2,000 hogs - a half-million pounds of pork on the hoof, according to Dr. Waldo Semon of the B. F. Goodrich company.
This is possible by mechanized means of conveyor belts, chutes and other devices. Tests show, he said, that rubber-tired tractors and other farm vehicles require only 40 to 50 per cent as much pulling power on plowed ground or sod as do steel wheels, and can plow a field in 25 per cent less time and with 25 per cent less fuel consumption.

Sessions Hospital

Admitted: Tommy Byrns, Mrs. Louise Bledsoe, Calvin Hickey, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. Mary Koenig, Mrs. Kathleen Somerville, Fred Riemann, Mrs. Olive McGeigewski, Mrs. Frances Mause, Robert From, George Parent, Mrs. Susanna Kowalski, Mrs. Betty Deaton, Mrs. Ruby Fisher, James Fraxtell, Mrs. Elsie Hamilton, Earl Kendrick, Mrs. Mal. McClure, Mrs. Alma Roberts, Mrs. Mayme Read, Mrs. Shirley Salmon, Mrs. Nora Sloan, Thomas Marler, Helen Kimmel, Mrs. Joyce Mizga, Mrs. Inez Parks, Harry Burdick, Mrs. Theresa Westberg, Mrs. Joy McHale, Mrs. Mildred McHale, Mrs. Doris Full-ton, James Holbrook, John Sockow, Sam Tiffin, Doris Underhill, Frank Wahl, Mrs. Lulu Witte, Mrs. Isabelle Goodrich, Mrs. Virginia Kelm.

Discharged: Mrs. Leota Ambler, Tommy Byrns, Mrs. Louise Bledsoe, Elmer Barlow, Neal Bowyer, Mrs. Florence Fennell, Mrs. Eleanor Grammead, Mrs. Alberta Goodman, Calvin Hickey, Mrs. Agnes Hertz Van Hale, Mrs. Mary Koenig, Mrs. Ann Jones, Mrs. Yvonne Miller, Mrs. Pauline Merritt, Mrs. Leota McCormick, Norma Jean Rhode, Mrs. Leda Pless, Mrs. Theresa Sahaaj, Mrs. Malion Wallace, Mrs. Grace McGaffin, Mrs. Kathleen Somerville.

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CHURCH NEWS

First Baptist Church, Novi
Rev. M. J. Hemein, Pastor
A blessed New Year to our members and friends.
Worship service at the church, Wednesday, December 31, 9 to 12 p. m.
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Church Prayer Service, Wednesday evening, Jan. 7, 7:30.
Meeting of Deacons and Deaconesses at the home of E. S. Howard, Halstead Road, Friday evening, January 2.

Salem Congregational Church
Lucia M. Stroth, Minister
Divine worship 10:30 a. m. Our first Communion Service of the year will be held here. There will be a New Year's message by the pastor. Happy is the man that getteth understanding. Proverbs 3:13.
Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Mr. Harry Richards, Supt. All are cordially invited to all services.
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Herds and Flocks

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Presbyterians to Have Meeting

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Elders and trustees whose term of office would normally expire at the end of March will be asked to serve the additional nine months. Two elders are to be elected to succeed the late Donald P. Yerkes and Gerald V. Harrison who has resigned due to the fact that he is no longer living in the community. It will be recommended at the Congregation meeting that a new Board of twelve Deacons be elected to care for the growing congregation.

Reports from all organizations will be received in writing and filed. The church in April of 1948 will celebrate the 100 Anniversary of the erection of the present sanctuary. Plans will be presented for a fitting observance and a Memorial Booklet is to be projected. A pettiuck supper at 6:30 p. m. under the direction of the Woman's Union will again be arranged for.

Proclamation

WHEREAS, there is throughout the land a mounting toll of highway traffic deaths and injuries; and

WHEREAS, the reduction of this serious menace is a matter of individual responsibility of every citizen; and

WHEREAS, the traffic accident toll is the direct result of mechanically unsound cars that are operated by careless drivers;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Forrest L. Doren, Mayor of the Village of Northville, Michigan do hereby proclaim the month of January as a period for the correction of mechanically faulty automobiles, and a period during which drivers will pledge themselves to learn safe driving practices, and to use and advise the citizens of this community, both individually and through their organized groups, to co-operate with the Police to bring the fullest possible effectiveness to the Police Traffic Safety Program.

Check your driving, your car - - - check accidents.
Dated at Northville, Michigan, this 2nd day of January, 1948.
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