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Business And Financial Outlook For 1950

By Roger W. Babson

1. The total volume of business for 1950 will be less than that of 1949, due primarily to the unfortunate labor conflicts. Considering that the innocent consumer will be the chief sufferer and will be obliged to pay the bills, it seems too bad that labor troubles should upset the apple cart.

Labor Outlook

2. Even with all the threats, there will be few wage increases during 1950. On the other hand, all labor negotiations take the minds of both the employees and the management off their regular business. However these negotiations come out, they result in a loss from the standpoint of the country as a whole.

3. There will be fewer strikes in 1950 than in 1949, but there will not be fewer extended negotiations, which are very expensive in themselves.

4. The Taft-Hartley law will continue to stand throughout 1950, although many schemes for detouring this law will be devised.

5. The great drive against the big companies will be for pensions and/or for sick and other benefits. These will probably be helpful to the wage workers and may aid in ironing out the business cycle, but they will be paid for by consumers.

6. It is hoped that all parties will begin to realize during 1950 that the real road to national progress is through increasing production and greater efficiency. This is the bright light we see in the labor situation.

Commodity Prices

7. Movements in commodity prices 1950 will vary with different groups of industries and of products, but altogether there will be a general lowering during 1950.

8. We, therefore, advise going easy on inventories 1950 is a time to get out of debt and stay out of debt. Speculation in commodities should be avoided.

9. We believe that the cost of living index has turned down for the present. The average for 1950 will be less than for 1949.

10. Practically all retail prices will average less in 1950 than in 1949, notwithstanding the excess of money generated under 27 and 28 below.

Farm Outlook

11. The total farm income for 1950 should be less than that of 1949, which means lower prices on the average for wheat, corn, pork, poultry, eggs and certain dairy products. Farmers should diversify more in 1950, get out of debt and put their surplus money into savings, in preparation for the next crop failure.

12. The supply of certain canned vegetables and fruits (except citrus) should be greater during 1950 than at the same time during 1949. The prices of these products should fall off, barring some weather, insect or blight catastrophe.

13. Poultry and dairy products will especially increase in volume during 1950 with prices averaging less than in 1949.

14. Farmers will continue to work to hold present subsidies. It is popular to criticize the vast amount of crops which the Government owns or is making loans on, but this surplus in storage may be a great blessing when the next crop failure or war comes.

Taxes

15. The Federal Budget will be increased during 1950 over that for 1949.

16. Over-all Federal Taxes will not be increased during 1950 and there may even be some readjustments to encourage venture capital. Moreover, some of the nuisance taxes may be eliminated or reduced.

17. The long-term capital gains tax of 25% will remain unchanged.

18. There will be many increases in local and state taxes, more reaching for relief by "sales" taxes or other forms of raising needed funds.

Retail Trade

19. Goods on counters will be of better grade in 1950 than they were in 1949.

20. Markdown sales will continue during 1950 as consumer spending slackens due to a decline in employment and other factors.

21. The dollar value of all retail sales in 1950 will be moderately downward, and the unit volume of retail sales will, also, be less in 1950 than in 1949.

22. Less will be spent on new building and equipment by stores and factories during 1950.

Foreign Trade

23. Our exports will be down during 1950 and our imports will be up during 1950, - comparing both with 1949. This will partly be accounted for by the devaluation of the English Pound and other foreign currencies.

24. Foreign credits will continue to be granted during 1950, but some of these will be direct by American business firms and investors. If our Government will get foreign governments to agree that such investments will be exempt from any new tax or other legislation by the foreign country in which the investments are made, considerable progress would be noticeable along foreign trade channels.

25. American interests will have more competition from foreign producers of raw materials and of manufactured goods during 1950 than they had during 1949. This will benefit some American concerns, but be harmful to others.

26. Fear of war with Russia will continue during 1950. World War III will come sometime, but it will not start during 1950. Those in large vulnerable cities should use these years of peace to get some small farm or country home to which they can go in case of war. Such places will be almost unobtainable when war actually comes.

Deficit Financing

27. The supply of money will be increased during 1950, but the price of Government bonds will not change much one way or the other during 1950.

28. In addition to the anticipated Federal deficit the \$3,000,000,000 being distributed as insurance refunds to veterans will be mostly spent.

29. Congress will not change the price of gold during 1950.

Stock Market

30. Most stocks will work up and down in about the same range during 1949 and during 1950.

31. Stocks of companies with assets mostly in industrial resources, known as industrial stocks, should have the greatest demand.

32. There will be more money in the market for income during 1950 and utilities and companies making labor-saving machinery may be more popular than other industrial or railroad.

33. The wisest investors will keep a fair amount of their funds liquid throughout 1950, pending the great break in stock prices which will come someday.

Bonds

34. High-grade taxable corporate bonds bearing low coupon rates should continue at about the same prices during 1950, but of course they will sell for much lower prices when money rates increase.

35. 1950 will see a further fading off in certain tax-exempt bonds due to the new Housing Authority Obligations to be issued during 1950.

36. The Federal Reserve will continue during 1950 the same general policy which it followed in 1949.

37. The importance of diversification will be given more attention in 1950 and wise investors will watch their bond maturities to see that they are either short or systematically staggered.

Real Estate

38. The city real estate outlook is uncertain. It should continue to hold firm throughout 1950 due to less available rental space caused by pulling down old structures to save taxes and to provide parking spaces. Owing to high costs and the fear of World War III, there will be little inclination to build new city property. On the other hand, the continual movement out of our large cities - i.e. the interest of decentralization - may cause prices to soften.

39. There will continue to be a fair demand during 1950 for suburban real estate with a shading of prices for large places, but the residential construction boom should continue well into 1950.

40. The demand for large commercial farm acreage will be less during 1950, but small sustenance farms, especially those located close to established communities, will hold up and, perhaps, increase in price.

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Presbyterians Call Meeting Jan. 11

Plans and reports of the First Presbyterian Church will be presented and discussed at the 121st annual congregational and corporate meeting Wednesday, January 11. A pot-luck supper will be held at 6:30 p. m. with the meeting opening at 7:30 p. m.

Elders, Trustees and Deacons will be elected for three year terms. Reports from each organization will be received and filed in the permanent records. The century old records are now in safe-keeping at the Michigan Historical Collection at The University of Michigan.

The annual congregational meeting was a forerunner of the town-meetings as originally held by the settlers in New England. When in 1620 the Pilgrims landed in Massachusetts they brought with them the Presbyterian and Congregational churches. Both groups of Calvinists were called Puritans, one followed the congregational form of church government the other adopted an elected representative form of government called Presbyterian.

Elders or Presbyters were elected to represent the people in the affairs of the church.

In 1820, the local Presbyterian Church was organized by the first group of settlers to Northville. New York State people by background, they had come to Michigan via the Great Lakes using the old steamer "The Walk-In-The-Water". After a three day trek from the port of Detroit, using the old plank road (now Grand River) they landed in Northville. The Northville Church was founded by The Farmington Congregation and is in turn the parent of The Plymouth Church.

Decorating Contest Winners Named

Prize winners in the annual home and town Christmas decorating contest were announced this week.

Home winners were first prize \$25.00 Lynn Siskin, Mr. Sullivan stated that the credit for the decorations went to his son who did the work. Second prize winner was Dawn Sutton, 1601 West State Mile Road who received \$15.00, third prize winner was Conrad Springer of 225 Lake Street who was given \$10.00 and fifth prize winners who each received \$5.00 were the Veterans Memorial Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyers of Church Street.

Honorable mention went to the homes of Ralph Pickard, Regis Street, Harry Clark, Thayer Blvd., and Leonard Bouquet, 42100 Light Mile Road.

Business places who received awards were First prize, \$25.00 went to Allan and Locke, Inc. The decorations were put up by Irving Gaffield, parts manager, and his assistants. Second prize \$15.00 went to Freydl Cleaners. Third prize of \$10.00 went to Nellie Barr of Freydl's Ladies Wear. Fourth and fifth prizes of \$5 each went to Atchinson Motor Sales and Hamden Paints and Hardware.

Honorable mentions went to Counselor's Drug Store and Northville Men's Shop.

Mrs. V. George Canabu, Dick Allan and Leo Sheehan were judges in the Rotary Club's annual contest.

Rotarians Invited To Annual Breakfast

As has been the custom for the past several years, members of the local Rotary Club have been invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Angove of W. Main Street, for the New Year's breakfast. The traditional pancakes and sausage breakfast will be served on Monday from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Several of the local ladies will assist Mrs. Angove in serving the breakfast. The Rotarians have been hosts to the Rotarians at the breakfast for several years.

Mrs. Thad J. Knapp of West Dunlap Street spent Christmas day with cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haddock of Milford. The occasion was also a reunion for the Knapp family.



Day by day . . . and decade by decade . . . we have carried the torch of Freedom and Progress through the first fifty years of this fabulous Twentieth Century. Now, as we approach the Century's half-way point, let us reflect upon the magnificent achievements of those Golden Years . . . and resolve to strive tirelessly in the years ahead, that we might continue to bear this torch ever forward. A Very Happy New Year to you all!

Bell Rate Case In Final Stage

After 12 months, the Michigan Bell Telephone Company rate case has entered what is expected to be the final stage.

The case originally involved a request for rate increases which would boost revenues \$20,400,000 a year, based upon the volume of business in September, 1948. Last summer, the Michigan Public Service Commission accorded the company a revenue increase of \$4,800,000 a year covering that portion of the request for increased intrastate long distance rates.

The remainder of the company's application would average about 34 cents a day per customer for all type of service in the company's territory and about 26 cents per day for users of residence services.

In week-long hearings, the Commission denied a motion of the city of Detroit to terminate the hearings and refused to permit a witness of its own staff to designate the company's rate of return.

Motion for the termination of hearings was based on the contention that the commission, in effect, had ended the rate case by its toll rate order. Refusal to admit staff testimony on the rate of return was based on the contention that such a proposal invaded the province of the commission itself. Previously, a witness for the state had testified that the cost of money should be regarded as only a "floor" to the rate of return.

Hearings the first week concluded upon a charge by an outside consultant of efficiency upon the part of the company in carrying out its construction program, citing postwar projects which he claimed to be costly. The company promised to prove that the charges are wrong.

NHS Pupils Collect Sum For San Children

In response to letters from children at Maybury Sanatorium, the Northville High school pupils under Student Council sponsorship have collected \$89.00 plus many gifts to be used for the children hospitalized.

Peggy Price directed the drive for money to aid the children. The NHS pupils also bought \$18.00 worth of Christmas seals.

New Year's Drivers Warned By Police

Chief Joe Denton issued a special plea to all motorists who plan on using their cars to go to and from end-of-the-year celebrations, especially New Year's Eve parties. He urged them to heed the posters displayed in all retail liquor stores and bars carrying the slogan "Drunk Drivers Lose Their Licenses and the message on tables in all bars saying "IF YOU'RE DRIVING, TAKE IT EASY."

According to Chief Joe Denton the motorist public have never been provided with such a thorough plea for their support nor warned so completely about the hazards and penalties resulting from drinking too much and driving.

The law enforcement licensing agencies and the court officials are conducting this vigorous public educational program in order to be completely fair with the motorist. Those who fail to respond to this education leave these officials no other choice but to apprehend violators, assess penalties and take action against the license which is the privilege of driving, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burnham and son, Jimmy of East Eight Mile Road spent a few days in Chicago this week.

Needy Remembered With Food Baskets

Northville's less fortunate families were remembered over the holiday with baskets of food, clothing and toys by the various churches and organizations throughout the community as well as by many individuals.

The Kings Daughters made up 28 food and fruit baskets which were distributed to the needy and shut-ins. The food basket contained a chicken, vegetables, fruit and staple goods when provided several folks with Christmas dinners. The fruit baskets contained several varieties of fruit and were distributed to those who were ill or bedridden.

The Methodist Sunday school in their annual White Gift Service gave the money from their program last Thursday evening to the Methodist Children's Home Six Mile Road Detroit. In addition to the money they also brought toys to be taken to the children hospitalized at Maybury Sanatorium.

The Presbyterian Lutheran and Catholic Churches remembered the needy and shut in families in their congregations with baskets. The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary packed and distributed baskets to the veterans hospitalized at Eastlawn Sanatorium.

As a part of the "Gifts to the Yanks" program, the American Legion Post No. 147, and Auxiliary in conjunction with posts and auxiliaries at Farmington, Plymouth and Redford distributed 125 presents to veterans at Maybury and Eastlawn sanatoriums and Sessions Hospital. The Veterans received boxes which contained pen and pencil sets, personal toilet articles such as soap, shaving equipment, handkerchiefs, candy, gum, fruit etc. The Legion also remembered three needy families with baskets.

Exchange Club Lists Year's Projects

During 1949, the Exchange Club has contributed approximately \$900.00 worth of benefits to the community.

Included are varied projects such as: sponsorship of attendance at a ball game for the children, a scholarship, banquet for the football squad of the High School, payment of professional fees for attentions to needy children and sponsorship of Junior Exchange activities.

Materials purchased that serve a civic need might be listed as half the expenses of sound movie projection equipment and light proof shades for the Methodist church, (sometimes used by the Exchange Club), installation of drinking fountain at Ford field, one third the cost of an education film for public showing and a complete public address and record playing system presented to the Northville Department of Recreation.

Langfield Entertains Rotarians, Guests

Richard Hedke of Trenton, a past president of Rotary International, was the principal speaker when Mayor C. D. Langfield entertained the Rotary Club and guests at Northville Laborator's Inn last Tuesday noon.

Hedke related his 6000 miles of travel during his term as Rotary's International president and traced the club's ideals and the value of service and individual brotherhood as an aid to international understanding.

During lunch, Hedke outlined the program for a tour of the plant and during lunch a group of Rotarians and guests accompanied Mayor Langfield to the plant to see the plant and the work of the plant.

Mayor Langfield, in his address, welcomed the Rotarians and guests to Northville and expressed his appreciation for the club's service to the community.

The club's program for the year 1950 was outlined by Mayor Langfield and the club members.

Village Churches To Herald New Year

Northville churches will herald the arrival of the New Year with Watch Night services, communion services and special services of meditation.

Presbyterian

The Presbyterian church will hold no special service Saturday evening but at their worship hour at 11:00 a.m. Sunday morning, Rev. H. E. Fredsell will speak on the communion meditation. Behold, I have come to make all things new. New Year's communion will be served and the reception of new members will take place.

Catholic

Confessions will be heard on Saturday evening from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. and on Sunday morning, Rev. Lorenzo E. Woods will read the regular masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.

Lutheran

A communion service will be held at St. Paul's Lutheran church at 8:00 p.m. on New Year's Eve. Regular services will be conducted by Rev. E. E. Rossow at 10:00 a.m. Sunday morning.

Methodist

First Methodist church will hold their regular Sunday morning worship service with the pastor, bringing the New Year's message at 11:00 a.m. Sunday school will be held at the regular time at 10:00 a.m.

Baptist

The Baptist church Saturday evening at 7:00 p.m. will hold a "Watch Night" service. All members are invited to attend. A communion service will be held at 10:00 p.m. Sunday morning. Pastor, Rev. Walter Ballagh will preach at the regular morning service at 11:00 a.m. and he will be in charge of the singing at 7:00 a.m.

Old Mill To Give New Year's Dance

The owners of the Old Mill, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mitchell, will give a New Year's Eve dance at the Old Mill, 1000 E. Main Street, on Saturday, January 1, from 8:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

The dance will be held in the ballroom of the Old Mill. The admission is \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children. There will be no charge for refreshments.

In addition to dancing, billiards and ping pong will be offered in the basement.

The dance is being given by the Old Mill to the youth of Northville in appreciation of their patronage for the past three years.

New Names Added To Lighting Fund List

The following persons and organizations have contributed to the street lighting fund in addition to those listed last week:

Lloyd M. Green, Post and Auxiliary, V. F. W. Post and Auxiliary, Castaneda Funeral Home, Michigan Bell Telephone Company, Merger Oil Company, St. Louis Service, The Old Mill, Mrs. Loveland, Harper Bros. Doren's Service, Hamden Part Store, Bill & Walter Service, Petz, E. H. Northville Shell Service, Roy Van Alta Eckstrom, Body Shop, Frank Hills Realty, H. B. Clark and Dr. Irene Spang.

Winners Named In Hardware Contest

Winners in the contest sponsored by Neil's Northville Hardware were announced Friday night.

Those who won prizes were: W. C. Overly of West Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, an electric train; H. E. Wood of Walled Lake a doll; M. Farley, 789 Thayer Boulevard, 20 piece set of dishes and Harold Wagenschultz, West Main street, fishing rod.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Vickers of Grand Rapids were Christmas day dinner guests at the S. H. Robinson home on Grace Ave.

Square Dance To Be Held January 12

Calls of Swing You, Partner, will ring out at the Presbyterian church house Tuesday, January 12, when another in a series of the early American folk dances will be held.

Dancing is conducted from 9:00 p.m. until midnight with a period of instruction in square and round dancing from 8:30 until 9:00 p.m. Fred Sargent will call the changes and admission is \$1.00 per couple with refreshments being served at 10:30 p.m.

Public Invited To Free V. F. W. Movie

The Northville VFW Post 4012 is sponsoring a movie for members of the post and their families and the general public, entitled "Joe's Kid".

The movie will be shown at the VFW hall on Plymouth avenue Sunday, January 15 at 2:00 p.m. and there will be no admission charge.

In addition to the movie, a speaker from the Veterans' Administration will talk.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wacker of Hill-street spent Christmas with friends in Detroit.

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NEWS FROM SALEM

By Mrs. Myrland Lyke

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson attended a Christmas dinner and family gathering Christmas Eve at the Manfred Becker home in Plymouth. There were 43 guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown have received word from their son, Walter who is in Peking, China. He will sail for home some time in January.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kreeger attended a family dinner, and supper in the Town Hall in Salem, Christmas Day. About fifty one guests were present from Detroit, Danville, Dearborn, Plymouth, Northville, Salem, and Fowlerville. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Korzon and children, Linda and Diane from Hawaii were also present. Mr.

Korzon has been in service in Hawaii and this is the first time in nine years that they have been with their family for Christmas. They plan now to make their home in Detroit.

Christmas day dinner guests in the Harry Atchinson home were Mr. and Mrs. Orson Atchinson and sons, Rickie and Roger, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Atchinson and children, Kurt and Jili, Mrs. Edna Butler and Jackie, M. and Mrs. Lewis Stuge and sons, Bobbie and Johnnie, Mrs. Nellie Smith of Howell and Arthur Huston.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson and family attended a Christmas Day dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Ed Carter at Whitmore Lake.

New Year's guests in the

Glenn Burnham home will be Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Hayes from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrland Lyke entertained eighteen guests for dinner Christmas Day. Those present were George Roberts and daughter, Iva; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lyke, Janice and Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bunk and son, Douglas; Mrs. Opal Lyke was a week end guest and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lyke of Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gates entertained for dinner Christmas day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Gates, Mr. and Mrs. David Gates and daughter, Martha Ann and Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Murray.

Tuesday dinner guests in the Mark Green home were Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Green of Orchard Lake.

Jack Currie was a Friday guest in the Grant Currie home. The Salem school children are enjoying two weeks' vacation. School was dismissed December 16th and will open again January 3rd.

The Ford Atchinson family entertained Christmas day at a family dinner. Those attending from Salem were Mr. and Mrs. Myron Atchinson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hannert family. Seventeen guests were present.

The Don Kimmell family entertained at a family dinner Christmas day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Trapp and daughters, June Jane and Jean and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Trapp of Whitmore Lake.

Spending the holidays in the Glenn Burnham home are Mrs. Crystal Anderson and son, Emerson of Marlette. They are the mother and brother of Mrs. Burnham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. VanAken spent Christmas in the James Dickie home in South Lyon. It was a family gathering and Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee is entertained their family for dinner on Christmas day.

Mr. Pauline Merritt has something unusual for the time of year. She has in her yard a flowering Quince bush. She picked a branch Saturday and brought it in the house. The leaves are about an inch wide and the buds are a bright pink.

Breakfast guests in the Ronald Lyke home Christmas morning were Mr. and Mrs. John Cullen from Plymouth. Mr. and Mrs. Cullen left following the breakfast for Grand Rapids where they plan to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bode.

The day extending dinner guests in the Grant Currie home were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin and children, Marilyn and Douglas. Other guests were Christmas day were the Don Clement family.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, December 28th, at St. Joseph's hospital. His weight was seven pounds and one ounce and his name is Charles Martin.

Holiday guests and calls in the Ryder-Opdyke home were Ronald Opdyke, Martina Brown, M. and Mrs. Charles Handley and baby, Ronald Clay, and M. and Mrs. George Brown, John Handley and friend and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Handley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wheeler were Wednesday evening callers in the Arthur Wheeler home.

John Currie is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Currie.

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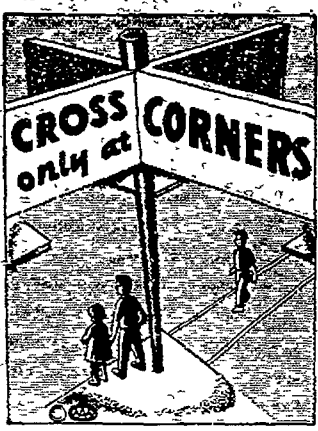
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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wheeler spent Christmas in Holly at the home of their son, Will Wheeler. It was a family gathering and Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gates spent Christmas Eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Knowles. He is a brother of Mrs. Gates.

Mrs. Elmer Bennett entertained at a facial and cosmetic party at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Schwein, last Tuesday evening. About fifteen ladies were present. The demonstration was put on by Mrs. Frances Schief (Frances Dunn).

Mrs. Hattie Williams and Mrs. Doris Smith went to the Naval Armory at Michigan City, Indiana for Raymon Smith, who



Winner, Fifth National AAA Traffic Safety Poster Contest

returned home with them for Christmas. The Arthur Dahls entertained all of their family Christmas for dinner. Raymon has to report back for duty Tuesday morning.

The Girl Scouts of Troop 1 will hold their meeting in the Town Hall January 2nd, from 7:00 to 8:30.

The Salem Home Extension Club will hold their meeting January 10th, at the home of Mrs. Robert Wilson.

Christmas day dinner guests in the Wm. Merritt home were Clyde Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sayles, Beulah Merritt, Dorothy Clayton and Walter Sayles of Chicago. The Merritts spent Monday in Detroit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sayles.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and family entertained at a Christmas day family dinner. About 42 guests were present.

Holiday guests in the Ralph Cole home are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cole from Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Everett from Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kuhn entertained for dinner Christmas day the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Groomer, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burke and son Jack and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Schroeder and daughters, Barbara Ann, Dorothy Lou and Corlis, Jeanne and Mrs. Woffing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bell spent Christmas in Garden City with Mrs. Sarah Stonehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bond spent Christmas in Pontiac at a family gathering in the Robert Schriber home. About 12 guests were present.

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Editor

Carleton, Michigan, Dec. 19, 1949

In your addition of last week, I read of some rural subscriber having a Victor cutter plate. His inquiry was "when and where was the Victor cutter manufactured?" There are, no doubt many Northville residents that can give more information than the writer, but am familiar this much—that in the 1880's this cutter could be adjusted from a single seated one to a double-seated that would carry four or five persons. The adjustment could be done in five minutes by pulling back the rear end of the single seater and you then had a two-seated family conveyance. It was the best in those years when snowy winters furnished sleighing nearly every season.

The Victor cutters were a product by Northville promoters, L. W. Simmons, F. R. Beal, Eli K. Simonds, C. M. Joslin, J. Lapham and others were interested in the company that produced. These men have gone from us but they were only some of that took great interest in the early days.

The manufacturing plant was located immediately back of the stores on the north side of Main street. The building used was formerly a roller skating rink, this leaving the skating business to a competitive rink later used as a dance hall on the lots now occupied by Northville's moving picture house.

Yes, the Victor cutters were dark blue or black in color and were sold about the U. S. and abroad. No millionaire resulted from big sales but much satisfaction to the producers. They were proud of their patented conveyance and the Northville citizens were proud of the cutter as well as giving honor to the company.

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Babson's Outlook

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41. There will be some decrease during 1950 in industrial and private building. The cost of such building will decline a little and the quality of workmanship will improve. There should be an increase during 1950 in publicly financed building.

42. There will not be much change in business rentals during 1950 but residential rents will average higher in 1950. Only as property owners are granted higher rentals will there be more houses built for rental purposes.

43. Mortgage interest rates during 1950 will continue about the same as during 1949.

44. The growth in industrial pensions should help real estate sales in Florida, California, New Mexico and Arizona.

General Business
 45. Many business concerns find their operations sliding down toward the break-even point. There will not be as much margin between costs and selling prices during 1950 as during 1949. Unemployment will gradually increase due to the installation of labor saving machinery and other causes.

46. Military preparedness will continue to bolster general business and employment during 1950, but this is not a healthy development.

47. Excluding Government

owned commodities, the physical stock piles of manufacturers will remain about the same during 1950 as during 1949.

Politics
 48. 1950 will be an election year. The Republican Party will remain in the doghouse. The Administration will continue to talk radically against "Wall Street and the so-called 'Selfish Interests', but at heart the Administration will be fairly conservative. Its bark will be far worse than its bite.

49. The Administration will continue to be sympathetic to organized labor unless someone like John L. Lewis goes too far. In that event, such a man will be made the whipping boy, but with the consent of other prominent labor leaders.

50. The Congressional Elections of 1950 will not change the political status of Congress to any great extent.



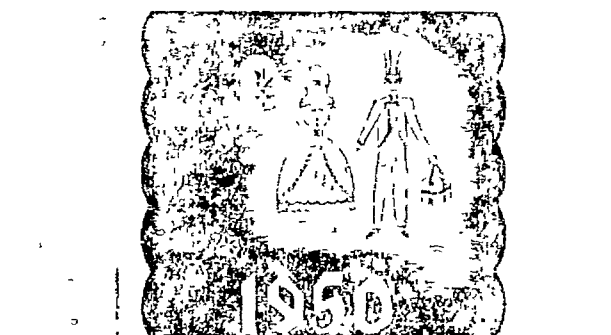
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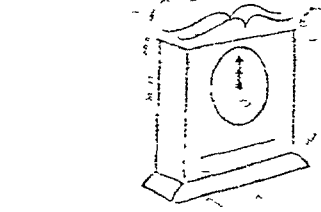
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STATE PARK REHABILITATION PROGRAM TO USE PRISON LABOR IN 1950

Expansion of a state park rehabilitation program using prison labor is planned for 1950 if the legislature approves a conservation commission recommendation.

Much needed repair and improvement of equipment and grounds was carried on in four state parks this year, and the commission has endorsed extending the prison work camp program to Warren Dunes park, Berrien county, Brighton state recreation area, Livingston county, Black river game area, St. Clair county, Au Sable river state forest, and the Cusino wildlife experiment station, Schoolcraft county.

Prison labor was first utilized in 1948 at the Waterloo recreation area in Jackson county. This

year 11,000 men worked in Pontiac lake recreation area, Oakland county; Tahquamenon Falls park, Chippewa and Luce counties; Wilderness park, Emmet county; and the Porcupine Mountains park, Ontonagon and Gogebic counties.

Besides making picnic tables, prisoners repaired park roads, cleared brush, constructed or improved beach and other park buildings, developed parking lots, made park signs, cut timber to supply logs and lumber for improvements, and worked on other necessary projects.

The conservation commission also has agreed to spend up to \$1,000,000 of the \$2,000,000 in the game and fish protection fund to acquire additional hunting land in southeastern Michigan. Fund money is derived from sale of hunting and fishing licenses.

Other matters approved by the commission:

Leasing of the U. S. Forest Service nursery at Manistiquet with the provision that the state will supply the U. S. forest service annually with up to 4,500,000 seedlings at cost. Either the state or federal government may terminate the lease at any time.

A reciprocal agreement with Wisconsin or uniform fishing regulations on common boundary lakes and streams. Trolling with motors will be prohibited on six of the 21 lakes—Tenderfoot, Lac Vieux Desert, Mammie, Crooked, West Bay and Big.

First Blast Furnace

In 1645, the first successful blast furnace in America went into operation at Lynn, Mass. The initial casting was a crude kettle. TODAY—huge blast, open-hearth, bessemer and electric furnaces in the U. S. can surpass iron and steel production of the rest of the world.

Northville's Yesterdays

One Year Ago:

At the regular meeting of the Exchange Club last week, officers for the coming six months were elected. Dr. Hugh G. Godfrey was named president.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Angove of West Main Street on New Year's Day will open their home to the members of the Rotary Club for their annual New Year's breakfast, which has become a tradition throughout the years.

Dr. Elizabeth Bryant Lee, of Cady Street will speak on "The Present Status of the American Woman" at the next Northville Woman's Club meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Goza of Meadowbrook Road announced the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn Jane to Carl Longobardi, at a party given at the Goza home on Christmas Eve.

The ice rink is being made ready for use again this year on the lots in the rear of the fire hall. Paris' have arrived so that the field can be flooded at once.

Five Years Ago:

The present World War creeps ever nearer into the homes of Northville. Word has come that Edwin C. King and Ossie Allen have been killed in action and that Robert Sears has been wounded in Germany.

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the DeKey school on the West Seven Road early Friday morning, December 22.

The Northville theater was packed Saturday afternoon for the annual Christmas party of the Northville Local No. 396, UAW-CIO.

The annual election of the Exchange Club was held at the regular meeting December 27. D. Harper Britton was elected president.

Sub zero weather and snow, and a plenty of it brought a cold white Christmas to this area. Monday morning found the roads blanketed with snow.

Ten Years Ago:

Flames caused, approximately \$400 damage to the home of Bert Pearson on Cady street.

Harold Church is the new president of the Exchange Club. Mrs. Barbara Phillips engagement to William B. Peltz of Plymouth was announced at a tea.

Thirty Years Ago:

The Kings' Daughter, supplied a number of well filled baskets to some of Northville's fortunate families.

Dodges On Display Next Wednesday

Dodge dealers will display the new Dodge line of automobiles in their showrooms Wednesday January 4, L. L. Colbert, vice president and director of Chrysler Corporation, president of the Dodge Division, announced today.

Pictures of the new models and specifications have been released. They are longer and lower in appearance as a result of styling modifications. Rear fenders are larger and longer and the rear tread is two inches wider. The rear window area in Coronet and Meadowbrook models is increased one third. New parallel bar-type grille; of separate piece construction to minimize repair and replacement cost; new larger bumper guards, new exterior chrome trim, a restyled instrument panel, new dash and cowl insulation and new tail lights are among the improvements.

Available in ten body styles and on two standard wheelbases, the new Dodge cars retain the generous head room, shoulder room, leg room, seat height and wide door openings of preceding models, which established an all-time Dodge high in retail sales.

Measles Show Gain In Wayne County

Health officers at the Wayne County Health Department report that cases of measles are on the increase in Out-County Wayne, as well as in Metropolitan Detroit, and state that incidences of the disease usually reach their peak in the late winter or early spring months.

Since measles is a serious disease especially for young children and babies, parents should be on the lookout for signs of it. It begins like an ordinary cold with coughing, red eyes, and running nose, and is more easily passed on to others during the early stages before the rash appears and parents realize what their children have.

Make a special effort to protect your children under four years of age by restricting their contacts with others. If you know your young children and babies have been exposed to measles go immediately to your family doctor. He may wish to give them the serum which will give an attack less severe and protect them against dangerous complications.

If your child has measles report the case to your school or the health department and call your physician.

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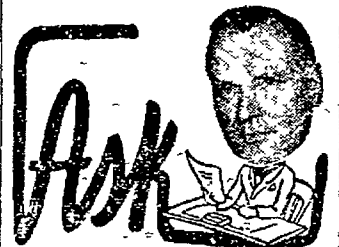
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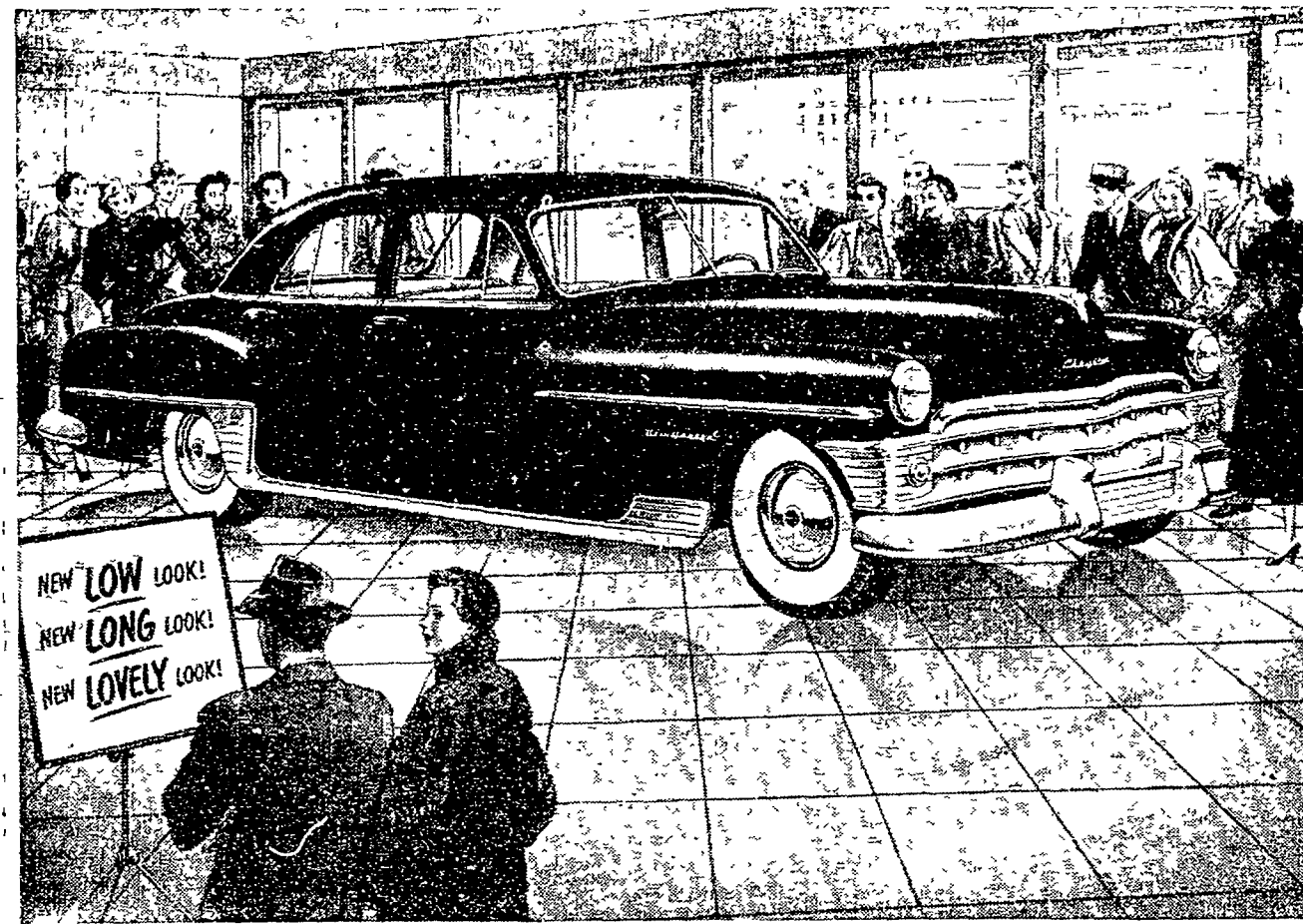
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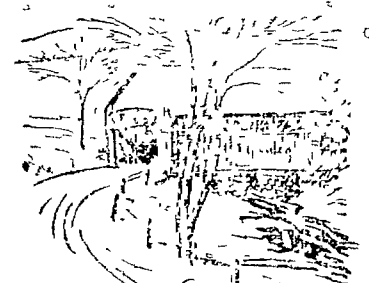
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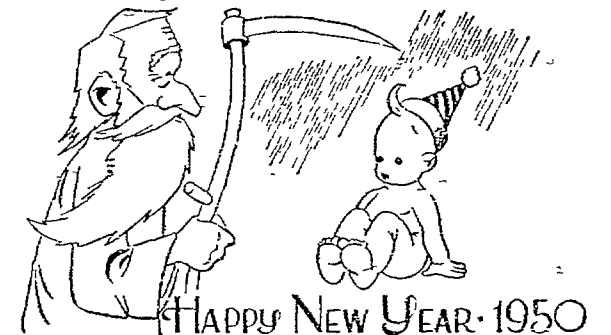


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WEST POINT PARK NEWS

By Mrs. L. A. Ault

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunter and daughter, Mary Margaret, were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ault.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ackerson of Dearborn called on West Point Park relatives last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Griffith of Dearborn visited with Mrs. Griffith's parents the Stanges, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Stange and son, Edward called on the Judds, in Grosse Pointe, last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Edith Willet of Detroit visited with her son, Cecil Willet and family Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ackerson and children of Detroit were Thursday evening guests of Mrs. Ackerson's mother, Mrs. James Simpson.

Russell Fisher of Dearborn has purchased and is now occupying the former Jahn property on Westmore avenue.

Sharon Wyman of Shadyside avenue is ill.

Mrs. Leslie Bolyard of Hubbard avenue is ill.

Mrs. George Welsh of Mayfield is still ill.

The Geo. Sandau family of Hubbard avenue were all reported on the sick list last week.

Mrs. William Greens of Sunnyside Avenue is recuperating from a bad attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kelbert of Hugo avenue left Friday morning to spend the holidays with Mrs. Kelbert's parents in Tennessee.

Mrs. Leshe Mansfield, formerly of West Point Park, but now of St. Petersburg, Fla., is in fine health and looking forward eagerly to greeting all her folks on her 93rd Christmas Day.

Mrs. George Strassburger, once a resident of West Point Park, but now of St. Petersburg, Fla., writes that a low state of health keeps her in bed most of the time but letters and cards from Michigan are a real boost to her morale.

Saturday evening, the 17th, a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Austin Ault of Brentwood ave. was held at the home of Mrs. Ault's sister, Mrs. Norman Gedig in Detroit. Guests were Mrs. Ault's close relatives.

Gloria Kaumen of Hubbard avenue headed in seven birthday pennies at the Neighborhood Bible School last Sunday and was at the same time given an award for faithful attendance.

Young folks dropping in for the Youth Fellowship meeting in the Livonia Methodist Church were all grouped in a choir to sing for visitors and later, were rewarded with a box of candy apiece.

A group of young men, representing the Neighborhood Bible School, were out caroling on Mayfield and Shadyside avenue Monday night. Upon their return hot cocoa and cookies were waiting for them in the Neighborhood Church.

Girl Scouts of the district had an outing scheduled as a Thursday night activity.

The Magners were spending the Christmas week-end with Detroit relatives.

The Grundys were to be with relatives on Ten Mile for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Judd and children of Grosse Pointe are to spend Christmas with Mrs. Judd's parents, the Stanges.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roberts and their two daughters, Beth Anne and Mary Lynn, came up from Monroe to be Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Ault.

Mary Lynn is now two months old and this is her first visit to the home of her grandparents.

Her new little cousin, Mary Margaret Hunter, who is only a month younger was on hand with her brother, Ray Block and her parents, the Robert Hunters.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Ault, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ault and children, and the Edwin Johnsons visited with the Tom Roberts in Monroe last week-end.

Pierson School closed for the holiday season last Wednesday afternoon.

Freda Ault visited in Harper Hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Austin Ault and Mrs. Ralph Voorhies have been daily visitors in Sessions' Hospital, Northville, this week. Their sister, Mrs. Norman Gedig of Detroit underwent a major operation several days ago and has been in a critical condition.

Mrs. Richard Stevens of Hubbard avenue is reported on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ring of Detroit called upon Mrs. Wilbur Dixon, on Farmington Road, and Mrs. Ring's parents, the Varhols, last Sunday.

Glenn Vance, who has been for some time in a veterans' school in Kentucky, is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aittama spent last Sunday evening with Detroit relatives.

In a Christmas letter to Michigan friends, Mrs. Jos Sidelinker of Plant City, formerly of West

Point Park, expresses a wish that northern friends would send her Christmas cards decorated with other than winter scenes.

Joanne Craig of Detroit spent the Christmas vacation with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Chavey.

Mrs. Anna Currie of Redford called on Mrs. Ernest Tallman Friday.

Mrs. John Mercer, formerly of Seven Mile Road, but now of Hawthorne, Calif., writes that Christmas decorations along the streets in the town seem wholly out of keeping with the bright warm sunshine.

Mrs. T. M. Gillespie, formerly of West Point Park, but now of Tucson, Arizona, writes that she and her family are all just fine, but think often of old friends back here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baker, formerly of Hubbard avenue, but now of Phoenix, Arizona, write they are learning to like their new home, but would like to come

back for at least a visit with old friends.

The Forrest Aults are spending part of the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Ault's relatives, the Updigraves, in Flint.

Livonia Methodists had their main Christmas program Friday evening. The cantata was reported to be very lovely, attracting much attention. On Christmas Day there was to be no Sunday School.

The Neighborhood Bible School had its Christmas program and gift distribution Thursday evening. A large group of children and their friends enjoyed the affair. A caroling opened the service. The scriptural account of Christ's birth was read and prayer offered.

Mrs. Kenneth Allen presided at the piano. Mrs. Allen and Alice Vance each rendered special piano numbers. Mary Lou Ackerson pleased everyone with an accordion solo. Nancy Varhol, Janet Schult and Judy Muir each sang a solo. Readings were given by Caroline Allen, Patty Schult,

Ellen Lewis and Susie Lewis, Susie, who is less than three, delighted every one with her well-spoken verse. Pauline and Beverly Varhol sang together. Bobby Melvin and the two Stevens boys sang together. Bobby Allen and Bobby Melvin also sang together. Bobby Melvin, in his own words, told the Christmas story. In closing, Sharon Butler recited the 23rd Psalm as an aid to entering the New Year with faith and hope.

Mrs. Forrest Ault and William Varhol had charge of the gift distribution. Each of the younger children received a stuffed animal or sock doll made by the Sunshine Sisters. Each older girl received a dainty, hand-crocheted sachet, also work of the Sunshine Sisters. Older boys were given neckerchiefs. All were given candy treats, and Mrs. Willet's famous Christmas cookies, now a tradition with the Neighborhood Church folks, were cut from the tree and distributed to all present.

The Neighborhood Bible School held its Christmas program at their regular 1 o'clock session Sunday morning. A decorated Christmas tree is in place to make the room more festive appearing during the holiday season.

Many gifts were brought in to be distributed to needy or sick of the neighborhood.

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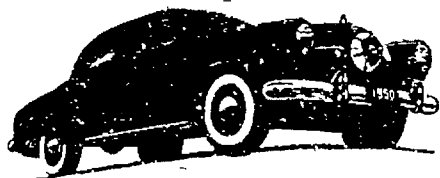
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10 a. m.—Sunday worship.
11:15 a. m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
1:30 p. m.—Ladies' Aid, each second Thursday of the month.
Voters' meeting, first Sunday of every second month.
8 p. m.—each second Tuesday of the month—Walter Leaguers.
Holy Communion first Sunday of the month.
Lutheran Laymen's League, third Friday, 8 p. m.

Our Lady of Victory Parish
Rev. Lorenzo E. Woods, Pastor
Masses — Sundays 8:30 — 10:30 a. m.
Children 8:30 Mass.
Religious Instruction — Grade School Children — Saturday 10:00 a. m. at Church.
Confessions — Children — Saturday 11:00 a. m. during school year.
Adults — Saturday 7:30—9:00 p. m. Sunday 8:00 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 Second Sunday — Holy Name Society 8:30 Mass.
Third Sunday — Altar Society 8:30 Mass.
Fourth Sunday — Sodality of Our Lady 10:30 Mass.
Altar Society meeting on every Wednesday before 3rd Sunday of month.
Parish Council first Tuesday of each month at 8:00 p. m.

First Methodist Church
William M. Hughes, Minister
Sunday, January 1st:
Church School 10:00 A new year and a new beginning with all new pupils welcome. No new gospel but new applications to our day and age. The Superintendent and teachers ready to

First Presbyterian Church
Rev. Harold F. Fredsell, Pastor
Sunday, January 1st:
10:00 a. m. Church School Classes for all age groups.
Parents' Class meets in the Church Parlor.
10:30 a. m. Adult Bible Class meets with Mrs. C. M. Chase.
11:00 a. m. Communion Service and the reception of new members. Nursery, kindergarten and Junior Church.
5:00 — 9:00 p. m. Open House at the Manse.
Tuesday, January 3rd:
7:30 p. m. Men's Club Bowling Teams, Northville Center Recreation.
Wednesday, January 4th:
7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the church.
Thursday, January 5th:
3:45 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor. Mrs. Robert Adams sponsor.
7:30 p. m. Boy Scout Troop N-5, meeting in the Social Room Friday, January 6th:
7:30 p. m. Boy Scout Troop Committee N-5, meets at the Church House.

Christian Science Churches
"God" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, January 1.
The Golden Text (Psalm 77:13) is "Who is great a God as our God."
Among the Bible citations, is this passage (Psalm 115:13) "Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations."

Salem Congregational Church
Lucia M. Stroh, Minister
Divine worship 10:30 a. m. The pastor will bring a New Year's message. The Holy Sacrament of Communion will be administered at this service.
Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Mrs. Martha Dragan, Supt.
Monday, January 2nd there will be New Year's Prayer and Praise Service beginning at 7:30 p. m. All are urged to come and participate. After the service the ladies will serve light refreshments.
The Christmas Eve program was well attended and a fine service was held. The choir under the leadership of Mrs. Emily Lewis rendered two selections; Solo by Harry Richards, songs and recitations by the children, several tableaux by our young people.

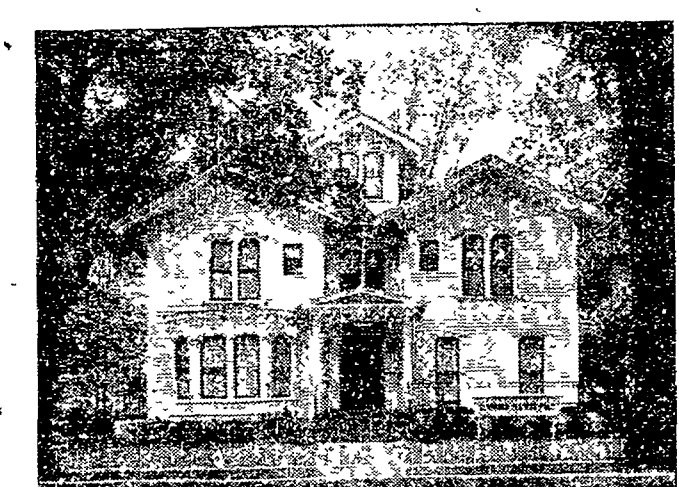
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Youth meeting 6:15. Mrs. DeJohn sponsor. All intermediates welcome.
Senior Youth Group 7:15. The Presbyterian and Methodist groups combine for this month meeting at the Methodist church. Mrs. R. Coolman sponsor. This is a great group for fun and fellowship to which we invite all young people.
Tuesday, January 3rd. The Service League meeting with Miss Rhos Lyon. The program will be presented by Mrs. Louise Cansfield, "Overall Picture."
Thursday 7:00. Choir rehearsal. Carl Stephens director.

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Wednesday Eve, 7:30 Bible Class
Friday Eve, 7:30 Saints Meeting
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Discharged:
Lloyd Benay, Mrs. Eva Willet, Royale Parkfield, John Wood, Ernest Wallis, Peter Munster, June Hamilton, Lillian Miller, Mrs. Mae Sulkowski, Mrs. Madge Edwards, Mrs. Mable Jones, Barbara Struder, Mrs. Claire Hines and baby, Jack and Gordon Larzelere, Mrs. Flora Babbitt, Mrs. Alice Gebhardt, Mrs. Margaret Ramshaw, Mrs. Mable Van Sickle, Mrs. Martha Hess, Miss Josephine Brunton, Mrs. Iona Bassett, Mrs. Johanna Mullin and baby, Mrs. Mary Alexander, Mrs. David Leach, Mrs. Helen McClue and baby, Mrs. Marion Chargo, Mrs. Mary Crauw, Ardith Bidwell, Mrs. Wilma Hanlin Douglas, Olds, Jacob Hanna, Mrs. Carl McCullum.

Babies were born to:
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mullin, Detroit, a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Dean McClue, Plymouth, a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Muga, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hines, Northville, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Teatro, Jr., Northville, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Eckles, Jr., a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Jack D'Hearn, Plymouth, a boy; Mr. and Mrs. William Fox, Plymouth, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hamilton, Northville, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. David Catton, Northville, a boy.

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CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank my friends for the cards, flowers and gifts, also to Rev. E. E. Rossow to Dr. Irene Sparling, and Sessions hospital staff for their kindness during my stay in the hospital.
Mrs. Henry Bernhardt 30x

CARD OF THANKS
My sincere appreciation and gratitude to my friends for all the lovely cards and visit which I received while I was in the hospital.
Bud Gow. 30x

Potatoes, one of America's principal crops, are grown in every state of the Union.



NOVICES VOLUNTEER . . . Two novices at the Maryknoll convent at Ossining, N. Y., report to the medical clinic for anaesthetic tablets in a scientifically controlled "cold study." Tests were made on volunteers at the convent and the Maryknoll seminary. The drug to eliminate the common cold is one of the antihistamines—substances used to combat hay fever and other allergic reaction. It is known medically as neobetramine.

Obituary—
JULIA ANNA AUTRIETH
Mrs. Julia Anna Autrieth passed away at her home on West Cady street Sunday, December 25. She was 87 years of age. Funeral services were conducted from the Schrader Funeral Home Wednesday afternoon with Rev. E. E. Rossow officiating. Burial took place at Oakland Hills Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Autrieth was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, the daughter of the late Frank and Catherine Schriener. Her husband, Edmund C. Autrieth, died in 1919.
Surviving the deceased are two daughters, Mrs. Jean Cole and Mrs. W. E. Forney of Northville and two grandchildren, Mrs. Mason Bartlett of San Antonio, Texas and Lt. Scott W. Cole, serving with the U. S. Army in Japan.
Mrs. Autrieth had been a resident of Northville for the past 50 years.

MRS ELLEN TAGGART
Mrs. Ellen Taggart died at her home, 11030 Blackburn, Plymouth, Saturday, December 24. She was 60 years of age. Funeral services were conducted from the Casterline Funeral Home Tuesday and burial took place at Oakview Cemetery at Royal Oak.
Mrs. Taggart was born in Chicago, Illinois, the daughter of the late May and Luke Brophy. At one time Mrs. Taggart resided at 216 Church street for three and one-half years.
The husband, Calvin E. Taggart, preceded her in death surviving one son, Robert E. Taggart of Marion, Indiana, formerly of Northville, two daughters, Mrs. J. Robert Jones of Rosedale Gardens, formerly of Church street and Mrs. A. P. Richards of Canton, Ohio, one brother, V. L. Brophy of Chicago, Illinois and three sisters, Mrs. M. F. Drukenbrod of Detroit, and Mrs. F. A. Harrington and Mrs. L. B. Carlsle, both of Toledo Ohio.

MRS. TECLA E. OWEN
Mrs. Tecla E. Owen of 117 Linden street passed away at Sessions Hospital December 22 after a short illness. She was 46 years old.
Funeral services for Mrs. Owen were held from the Schrader Funeral Home Saturday afternoon with Rev. Harold F. Fredsell of the Presbyterian church officiating. Interment was made in Rural Hill Cemetery.
Surviving Mrs. Owen are her husband, Orlo G. Owen and daughter, Andrea, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Eggenberger of Northville and a brother, William Eggenberger of Detroit.
Mrs. Owen was born to Freda and William Eggenberger in Karlsruhe, Germany. She was graduated from Michigan State Normal College, Ypsilanti, and for some time worked for the late Superintendent of Northville Public schools, Thad J. Knapp. She was widely known throughout the village as she was active in the Northville Woman's Club, Cancer Club and Book Club.

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Employees of Depositors State Bank last Thursday evening gathered in the board of directors room at the bank for their annual Christmas party. The group exchanged gifts and enjoyed a bountiful meal.

R. Woodworths Mar- Golden Anniversary

Northville friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Woodworth of Plymouth will be interested to hear that the Woodworths will observe their Golden Wedding Anniversary Jan. 1.

Open house will be held at the home of their son, Maurice Woodworth, 936 Church Street, Plymouth, Monday, Jan. 2 from 2 to 5 o'clock in honor of the occasion.

The Woodworths were united in marriage Jan. 1, 1900 in Salem Township. They resided in and near Northville for many years. Mr. Woodworth was in business with Frank Woodworth and they owned the Woodworth dime store in Northville, which is now the D. & C. store. Later he ran the Woodworth store in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth have one son, Maurice, and two grandchildren, Marcia and Alan. Mr. Woodworth is an uncle of G. F. Woodworth of Thayer Boulevard.

Popular Book

Most popular book ever received by the U. S. information library in Belgrade, Yugoslavia, was Sears-Robinson catalog.



FREED FROM SERFDOM... These women are members of a party of 1,000 German women who have just been set free from virtual slavery by the Russians. They have worked in Russian coal mines since their capture in 1945. The women are still wearing jackets padded with cotton to keep out the cold supplied by the Russians. They are sniffling with pleasure the cakes of soap and bottles of perfume they bought with the first money since the liberation. This picture was made in Hof-Mischendorf, Germany. Protests have been lodged with the Russians for making slaves of prisoners of war and mention of the subject has been brought before the United Nations.

Fredsells To Hold Open House Jan. 1

The annual New Year's Day "Open House" at the Presbyterian Manse will again be observed this year on Sunday, January 1st from 5 to 3 p. m.

Friends of the Rev. and Mrs. Harold F. Fredsell will again call, a custom which has been observed for a number of years. Officers and members of The Woman's Union will pour and assist in entertaining the guests. Later in the evening some recent colored pictures taken in Skagway and other Alaskan communities will be shown.

San Employee Honored For 25 Years Of Service

Mrs. Edith R. McKenna head dietitian at Maybury Sanatorium, was honored at the annual Christmas Open House held at the Sanatorium Tuesday, Dec. 20.

Each year it has been the custom for Mrs. McKenna and her department to give a tea for all the employees. This year the Dietry department took the affair out of her hand, and made the guest of honor Mrs. McKenna marked her 25th year of service at the sanatorium on Christmas Day.

The party took place in the Maybury recreation room which was nicely decorated for the occasion with a Christmas tree and a brightly lighted table. Christmas music was played throughout the affair. Decorated Christmas cake, candy, fruit, etc., nuts, spread tea and coffee were served. Three hundred guests attended the affair and signed the guest book.

V.F.W. Auxiliary Holds Christmas Party

Wednesday evening, Dec. 21, the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary met for their Christmas party.

A short business meeting preceded the party. Generous contributions by the Auxiliary and members made it possible to fulfill the wants for Christmas of two children at Maybury Sanatorium. Hospital Chairman Ruth King and members met at the home of Zada Riley on Friday evening to pack baskets for veterans at Eastlawn Sanatorium and for shut-in members.

After the meeting the members exchanged gifts, followed by a lunch. The singing of Christmas carols completed the evening.

Boyd's Celebrate Wedding Anniversary At Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Ciel Boyd of Merrill Road entertained 24 guests for Christmas dinner Monday. Their guests came from Lakeside, Calif., Edmore, Mich., Brighton, Dexter, Detroit and Northville.

The dinner party also celebrated Mr. and Mrs. Boyd's twenty-fourth wedding anniversary.

Brownie Troop Members Are Guests of BPW Club

Members of the Northville Brownie Troop 1 were guests at the meeting and Christmas party of the Business and Professional Women's Club Monday night, Dec. 19. The Brownie Troop's leaders, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Mapes and Ellen Stark were also guests. Mrs. Nellie Barry, chairman of the Remembrance Committee, had charge of the Christmas program.

Mary Circle To Meet At Home Of Mrs. F. Beeks

Two Circles of the Woman's Union of the Presbyterian church have postponed their regular holiday meetings until a later date. The Elizabeth and Martha Circle meeting dates will be announced in a later edition of the Record. The Mary Circle, headed by Mrs. A. W. Parmenter, will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Beeks, Jan. 4 at 12:30 p. m. for the regular meeting.

Schrader Outlines Polio Fund Drive

Nelson C. Schrader, March of Dimes chairman for Northville, stated that the 1950 drive, to be held the last two weeks in January, will be conducted by direct mail contact and through the use of canvassers in the business places and in the schools.

The Wayne County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis Drive is headed by Nate S. Shapiro, president of the Cunningham Drug Stores, for the third consecutive year.

"With the entire nation scarred by this summer's severe polio epidemic," said Shapiro, "The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis needs more money than it has ever needed before. Right here in our own Wayne County, more than 800 persons have been this year's victims of the crippling disease. By September 15, the local Chapter's funds were completely exhausted by the expenditure of \$2,000 a day for patient needs. Since that time, Wayne County's patients have actually been cared for by contributions made by people in other states which did not have epidemics this year. This is a desperate time. Dollars are needed in the March of Dimes."

The March of Dimes activities do not duplicate those of the recently completed Torch Drive and they are conducted with the knowledge of the United Foundation. In addition to the Rosebush Memorial Ball they will include such familiar activities as the Match of Dimes, mailing cards, canvassers in retail stores, and tables in downtown business places.

Mrs. Louise Casterline was hostess to a Christmas dinner at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, E-thee Dixon, Dec. 20. Present were all her sons and daughters and grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Casterline, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Casterline, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Casterline, from New Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Briggs and son, Duane, Mr. and Mrs. Vito Ippolito all from Northville. A good time was enjoyed by all present.

Legion Stag Party Set for January 28

An invitation is extended to all veterans in Northville and the surrounding community to be present at a stag party to be given Saturday, January 28 at 8:00 p. m. at the Veterans' Memorial Hall. The affair, sponsored by Lloyd H. Green, Post No. 147, American Legion, and will be in the nature of an "open house."

Good fellowship and plenty of entertainment is promised all those who will attend the party. Refreshments will be available. More details of the party will be published in a later edition of the Record.

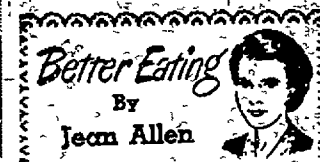
St. John's Church To Present Feast of Lights

St. John's Episcopal Church in Plymouth will present the traditional "Feast of Lights" pageant on the Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 8, at 7:30 p. m. in the church. The service is open to the public.

The pageant, depicting the coming of the Wise Men of the East to worship the New-Born Saviour of the World, is most meaningful and beautiful. Lighted entirely by candles, the church will present an unforgettable picture of the dramatic visit of the Sages of the East to Christ Jesus.

Through the ages, light has been the symbol of progress and truth. The Feast of Lights depicts the spread of Christian truth. It had its origin in the Eastern Church very early, even antedating the observance of Christmas by the Western Church. The Feast of the Epiphany inaugurates the great missionary season of the church, and the pageant will vividly portray the first witness of the Saviour by the Gentiles.

Special music will be sung by the choir, and a truly beautiful presentation awaits those who attend. Guests, for several days this week at the Paul Bayless home on West Eight Mile Road were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gage and son and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Casterline of Grand Rapids.



Better Eating

By Jean Allen

QUICK-FIX HOLIDAY FOOD—Holiday entertaining is as easy as "falling off a log" if you have a few well-chosen foods on your cupboard shelf. Combine them with the items in your refrigerator and you will have an easy-to-serve lunch when your friends drop in to see your gifts or wish you a Happy New Year.

Sandwiches

With a can or two of Boston brown bread you can prepare delicious fresh sandwiches at a moment's notice. Just open the can, slice the bread thinly and spread with turkey salad made from the left-over Christmas turkey. To make the salad, dice turkey, celery and pickles, add seasonings and moisten with mayonnaise.

Just in case you didn't have turkey or have other plans for the left-overs use a can of luncheon meat. Place thin slices of meat on the brown bread which has been spread with cream cheese.

Desserts

The sweet spicy smell of gingerbread baking will prepare your guests for a real treat. A gingerbread mix stirred quickly and poured into greased muffin tins will "bake" while you are making the coffee or tea.



Separate the top from the bottom of the hot gingerbread muffins. Quickly place a slice of American cheese on the bottom half of the muffin. Top with a tablespoon or two of applesauce. Replace the top of the muffin and serve while warm. The melted cheese makes a delightful flavor combination with the gingerbread and applesauce.

If you have fresh or canned cranberry sauce on hand substitute it for the cheese and applesauce. Replace the top of the gingerbread and serve with whipped cream.

Beverages

Keep an extra can of vacuum-packed coffee in your cupboard so that you may serve fresh hot coffee to the expected or unexpected guests who come in. It's a good idea to have a box of cocoa mix on hand, too, so that the children in the crowd may have their favorite beverage. It is no trouble at all to pour hot milk into the cups containing cocoa mix and stir until dissolved. Best wishes for the New Year.

Faithfully
Jean Allen

MAJOR FOOD FOUNDATION, CINCINNATI, OHIO

Kenner-Sutton Troth Told

Betty Jane Kenner's engagement was announced to William Sutton this week by Betty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kenner of Novi Road. Bill's parents are the Jesse Suttons of West Seven Mile Road.

Bill is a graduate of Northville High school and is working at the Wayne County Training School. Betty is an operator at the local Bell Telephone Co. office. Betty and Bill have set their wedding date for June 17.

Local News—

Christmas day dinner guests at the Roy M. Van Atta home on Randolph street were Mr. and Mrs. Mel Kniken and son, Dick of Lincoln Park. Mrs. Mabel Kniken, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Jaska and daughter, Clyde Van Atta, Larry Fest all of Northville.

Mr. I. E. Van Atta of Randolph street, left Northville by train Thursday far Grand Rapids. He will spend the holidays there with both his sons and their families, James Van Atta and the Lee Van Atta's.

St. John's Episcopal Church, Cor. Maple at Harvey, Plymouth Rev. Alexander Miller, Rector. Sunday, January 1, 1950 8:00 a. m., Holy Communion 11:00 a. m., Holy Communion with Sermon.

Wednesday, January 4: Holy Communion at 7:15 a. m. Thursday, 8:00 p. m., Vestry meeting at the Rectory.

Friday, Feast of the Epiphany. Holy Communion at 10:00. Sunday, January 8: The traditional Epiphany Feast of Lights Pageant will be presented by the pageant of the church at 7:30 p. m. The public is most cordially invited to this service.

Salem Federated Church C. M. Pennell, Pastor

A resolution for 1950: "As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord." Joshua 24:15

Sunday morning worship, 10:30 o'clock. Sermon subject: "The Way I Take."

Bible School, 11:45 a. m. Sunday evening hymn. Sing. 7:30 o'clock.

Cottage Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:30 o'clock.

Pvt. Walter Boyd Stationed In Japan

Private Walter Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ciel Boyd of 19601 Maxwell road, Northville, is at the present time serving with the 31st Infantry regiment, or the "American Foreign Legion" of the 7th Infantry division and is stationed at Camp Crawford, Hokkaido, Japan.

Pvt. Boyd is assigned to Company "K" 31st Infantry, as a squad leader in the weapons platoon.

Pvt. Boyd entered the army in November 1947 at Redford, Michigan. He completed his Infantry basic training at Fort

Knox, Ky. He was ordered overseas in March 1948 to Korea with the 31st Infantry regiment. Last December he made the move with the regiment from Korea to its present station here in Japan.

Pvt. Boyd was going to school in Northville before entering the army. Upon completion of his enlistment in the army, Pvt. Boyd plans to resume his education.

Guests at Rotary Tuesday were: Buck Allen of Detroit, Carl Wagenschutz of Livonia, Howard Sharpley, Don Sutherland, Pierce Owens, Elton Eaton, Earl West, Roy Woodworth, Russ Dane and Ed Hough of Plymouth.

With Best Wishes

May all the joys of Christmas be yours and may your New Year overflow with happiness.

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- Pink Salmon** 12-Oz. Can 37¢
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- Ritz Crackers** 12-Oz. Box 29¢
- Salty Twist Pretzels** 12-Oz. Box 25¢
- White House-Milk** 12-Oz. Can 34¢

Sliced Swiss 69¢

- Sunnybrook Eggs** 12-Oz. Can 49¢
- Wildmere Butter** 1-Lb. Box 65¢
- Philadelphia Cream Cheese** 2-Lb. Box 29¢
- Sharp Cheddar Cheese** 1-Lb. Box 69¢

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Green Beans 1-lb. 19¢

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Salted Mixed Nuts 6 oz. Bag 35¢

Salted Virginia Peanuts 1-lb. Bag 45¢

Salted Spanish Peanuts 1-lb. Bag 35¢

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News Around Northville

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

Friends of Howard Bay of West Dunlap street will be glad to learn that he is convalescing nicely at his home following an operation at New Grace Hospital, Detroit.

The Village Commission will not meet Monday, January 2 as their regular meeting falls on the holiday. Their next regular meeting will be held January 16 at the Village Hall at 6:00 p. m.

The Northville Fire Department was called Tuesday morning to Tom's Tavern, East Main street, when it was discovered that an oil stove had become overheated. Very little damage was said to have been done.

The United Fund campaign as conducted in Novi under the leadership of Frank Clark collected \$1,271.03 and went over their quota, a final report shows. Mr. Clark is also a member of the Oakland County United Fund executive committee.

Guests last Wednesday at the Optimist Club were Mr. Koester, Bill Slater, Howard Rogers Jr., Carl Ely and Charles Ely.

Black's Catering Service last week gave each Grade and High school pupil a candy tree. About 900 of the delicacies were given out. They were laden with gum drops.

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Patrons at the Depositors State Bank last week enjoyed, during the banking to the strains of the Hammond organ played by Duane Shultz, of Lansing. Mr. Shultz, a pupil of Bay City, Michigan, attended the convention with costumes rule.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parkin and daughter, Anne, and daughter, Jo, of Lansing, spent Christmas with Mrs. Mary, Keny of West Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Foster (Mae Anjove) and young son, David, of Pittsburgh, Pa. arrived in the village last week to spend the holidays with Mrs. E. A. Parkin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mary Anjove of West Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bishop, entertained at a dinner party Wednesday, December 21, in honor of the twentieth birthday of Delbert Martin of East street. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Brannell and son, Randy.

Carroll Holden was a guest at the Yale Jance December 23 at the George Pointe Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Paulger went to Jackson last Friday (December 16) as guests at a banquet given by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. in honor of Mr. Paulger's 20 years of faithful service with that company.

A daughter, Jo Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hines (Clare Thomason) of Horton avenue Thursday, December 15 at Sessions Hospital. The baby weighed five pounds, 13 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Eckles, Jr., of Lake street are the parents of a boy, Larry Edward, born Saturday, December 17 at Sessions Hospital. The baby weighed six pounds, 13 ounces. Mrs. Eckles is the former June McDermott.

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Eaton (Ida Marie Ware) and children of Quincy arrived in the village, last week-end to spend the holidays visiting their parents, the William B. Walkers Jr., of East Eight Mile Road and the Lee Eatons of Eaton Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fiesler (Lorraine Lapham) of Scranton, Pa. were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bauman (Lorraine Lapham) of North Center street Thursday. The Fieslers were enroute to Salisbury, N. C. where Mr. Fiesler has accepted a position.

The Service League of the Methodist church will meet January 3 at 8:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Lois Van Atta, 511 East Cady street. Mrs. Jeannette Starnum will be the hostess and Mrs. Louise Cansfield will speak on "An Overall Picture of the Guild."

Mrs. Grace Stark of Randolph street left recently to spend the remainder of the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Hyde at Houston, Texas.

Wednesday evening, members of the Optimist Club, their wives and children were entertained by Roy Rue and four year old son of Plymouth, who performed feats of magic for the crowd.

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Sammy Kees of Jackson is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Moore of West Dunlap street this week.

Mrs. Louise Casterline of Garden City was a holiday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Casterline of West Dunlap street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Catton of G-sword Road are the parents of a son, David John, born last Monday at Sessions Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds, 12 ounces.

Maryoe Wamight is the name of a daughter born to Dr. and Mrs. Richard Brunner (Betty Barry) December 23 at Sessions Hospital. The little girl weighed eight pounds.

Mrs. W. H. Cansfield and Bud and Helen of West Dunlap street spent the holiday week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cansfield and family of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carrington of West Main street received a telephone call on Christmas day announcing the birth of a grandson, Thomas R. Carrington III. The baby was born Christmas morning and weighed seven pounds. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carrington of Montpelier, Vermont.

Birthday congratulations to Miss Mable Burgess of East Main street on December 29.

The annual meeting of the Mizpah Circle of Kings Daughters will be held January 3 at the home of Mrs. John Littenberger. There will be a pot-luck luncheon at 12:30, followed by reports of officers and the election of officers for 1950.

Beulah birthday congratulations to Del Martin of East street. Mr. Martin celebrated his 60th birthday December 21.

The Record Office last week received a lovely Christmas card from Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth A. Maynard who are residing in Mexico.

The Donald A. Montgomery of Hagerly Road will return to their home January 3 after a month's vacation in Sonoma, Fla. at the home of Mr. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steven S. Armstrong. The Steven Armstrongs resided in the village seven years ago.

Belated birthday congratulations to Harry Selim of Dunlap street whose birthday occurred December 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sedan at family of Dubuque street Christmas day entertained Mrs. S. dan's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Edwards and his father, Maurice Edwards, Manistee.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hammar of West Main street were Christmas day guests at the home of Mrs. Hannard's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Unruh of Milford.

The Winona Club will meet Friday, December 30 at the home of Mrs. Pauline Wagner, 28 South Rogers street for their regular pot-luck luncheon and social party.

James Willis and children Dick and Rosemary of Lander street were holiday week-end guests at the home of relative in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hamilton, Mrs. Amelia Ford and Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Allison were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Doren and son Jack of Randolph street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Billmeier (Leila Rossow) of Saginaw, Catherine Rossow of St. Joseph and Edwin Rossow of Fort Wayne, Ind. were holiday dinner guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Edwin E. Rossow of Elm street.

The Patriotic Club will meet with Mrs. Ora Pickell 340 Eaton Drive, Thursday, January 5 at noon for their regular pot-luck luncheon.

Miss Ethel Seeley and Miss Grace Temper on Christmas day entertained Mrs. Sadie Norton of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nelson of Ferndale and Miss Ann Brown of Ok-Bay Lake.

Miss Rose Blundell of Detroit spent the holiday week-end with Mrs. Recha Salas of West Dunlap street.

Sunday holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ervan of West Main street were cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Haggason of Detroit and Mrs. Haggason's mother Mrs. A. E. Welker.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gotts and family of Lake street celebrated the following guests at dinner Christmas Eve: Mr. Gotts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Waterman and daughter, Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Merithew and son, Russell and Mr. (Ed) mother, Mrs. Sarah Gotts.

The Record acknowledges two errors made in the issue of December 22 in the "Lagoon and Fogles" story on page 6, the first line should read "The American Legion, Post 147" in the neighborhood advertisement for Revell Chambers on page six the word "Nylon" was used erroneously and should be "Rayon." The Record regrets that the errors were made.

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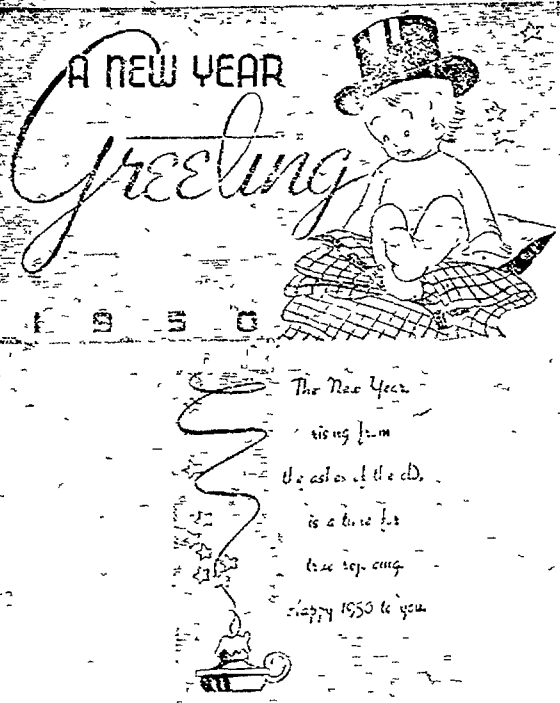
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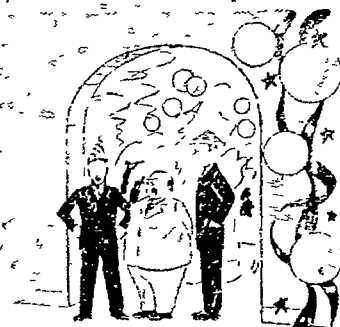


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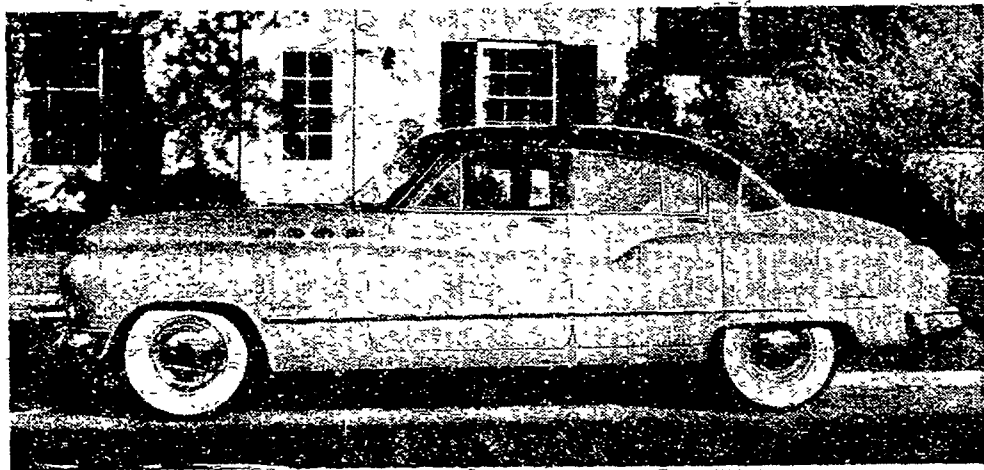


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Michigan friends of Arthur E. Summerfield, the Flint chairman of the Republican National Strategy Committee, are convinced that Michigan may yet rescue the national minority party from its current predicament of near total eclipse.

Since a Michigan-born man, Thomas E. Dewey of Owosso, was on the losing end of the surprise election in November, 1948, the situation has more than casual interest.

It has been the belief of Mr. Summerfield, who is the Republican National Committeeman for Michigan, that voters are entitled to a clear-cut choice of issues in the two major parties. Governor Dewey the Republican national nominee in 1944 and again in 1948, offered a "moderate" attitude with respect to many of Roosevelt's new deal reforms.

As chairman of the national strategy committee of the Republican party Mr. Summerfield has called for an end of agreement with the Democratic party in principle by saying that "we can do it better."

Under the direction of Mr. Summerfield and the state chairman, John A. Wagner of Battle Creek, the state GOP organization did wage a vigorous campaign in 1948, losing only the Governor's Office in a surprise reversal caused more by antipathy of many voters to Governor Sigler than anything else. While Governor Dewey lost in other mid-west states, he did carry Michigan, his home state, by a respectable margin.

It is the thesis of Mr. Summerfield that an important difference has developed between the Roosevelt and Truman administrations. "With Roosevelt we were drifting towards socialism, but with Truman there is no drift - it's a headlong rush," said Summerfield at the strategy meeting in Chicago. "The American people can only sense this, but the members of congress, the governors and the politicians everywhere know it. If the Democrats make any gains whatsoever in the house and senate in

1950, there is likely to be a pell-mell rush to get on the Socialist bandwagon."

The basic predicament of the Republican cause, as interpreted by many students is the fact that many wage-earners and farmers have associated the Republican party as the emblem of "selfish interest" as contrasted to the liberal position enjoyed by the Democrats.

In advocating more benefits for the masses President Roosevelt and his Democratic party successors have identified the Democratic party as the popular liberal cause of the hour. For a good generation there has been a steady movement towards centralization of power in government, both state and national. This trend has been accelerated by two World War experiences, climaxed by a ten-year depression between wars, and recently the historical epochal event of the atomic bomb. Farred everywhere with individual and national insecurity, American citizens have sought to solve the problem of insecurity by going to Lansing and Washington increasingly for answers to these problems.

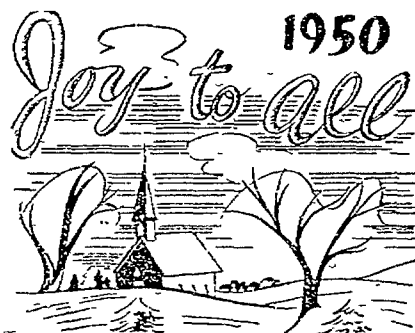
The result has been that the trend towards centralization of power at Washington has been greatly accelerated in recent years and with the new welfare spending programs already approved, together with others advocated, a strong state socialism appears to be in prospect, according to Mr. Summerfield.

In opposing state socialism under an economic planning-type of national administration, Summerfield would place the Republican party more on the side of traditional liberalism in behalf of rights of the individuals. As contrasted to mere and more centralized control at Washington, whereby the wants of the individual would be guaranteed by the government from cradle to the grave, the Republican cause would be closely identified with survival of the American free enterprise system as linked to opportunities of the individual.

Whether the Republican party can shed the shell of its reactionary label and assume the role of a liberal leader will be an interesting development in 1950 to appraise.

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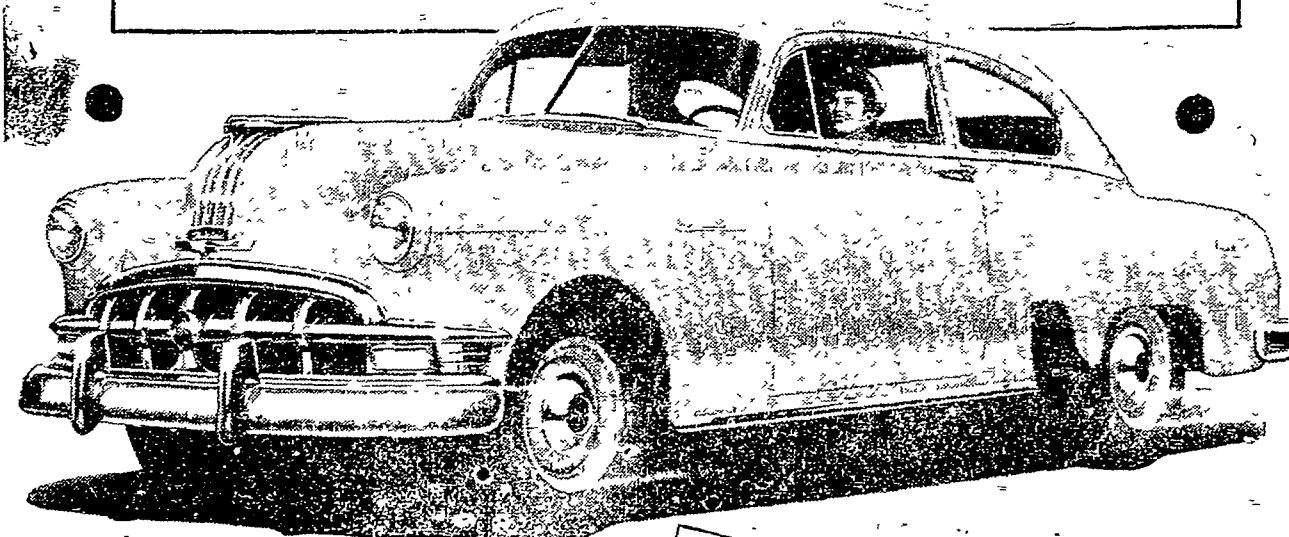


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Tuesday Night Mechanics League

White Kitchen 35 21

Bretners Hi Speed 32 24

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Shafers Bar 24 32

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Wednesday Night Business Mens League

Bens Novl Inn 44 16

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Stockroom 36 24

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NEWS FROM NOVI

By Mrs. L. Ritz

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trickey of First street entertained on Christmas day their daughter, Laree and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trickey, Jr. and son, Chloé, and the latter's mother and niece, Mrs. Clydia Craven, and Rosalma of Howell. On Monday their guests included Mrs. Trickey's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bertschinger and son, Walter and Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Blaess and daughter, Donna of Detroit.

Services at the Novi Baptist Church will be at 10:30 Sunday morning as usual. A guest speaker will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. William Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Banks and sons and daughter were the Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Banks.

The Novi Past Noble Grand of the Rebekah Lodge entertained the Past Noble Grand of District No. 6 last Wednesday at the I.O.O.F. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trickey, Jr. spent Tuesday at Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Remen had a Christmas Eve get-together at their home for relatives. Present were Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Remen; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnston; Mrs. Belle Walter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnston and children.

On Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnston had dinner for their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Remen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnston and sons, and Mrs. Johnston's sister, Mrs. Belle Walter Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Remen were supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Race spent the Christmas weekend with their sons and families in Detroit.

The Ray Scheffer family spent Christmas day with a sister's family at Whitmore Lake and had dinner Monday with a brother's family at Grand Blanc.

Guests at the home of M. and Mrs. Joe St. Onge for Christmas Eve and Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Drouillard, Ward Drouillard, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. David O'Leary and Randy spent the holiday weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther B. Rice's brother, Henry Christmas of Williamston spent Christmas day with the Rices.

Ward Drouillard was home for Christmas and is now discharged from the U. S. Navy where he has been for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ruchow and sons, John and Mitchell spent the Christmas weekend with Mrs. Ruchow's parent, Mr. and Mrs. John Chumma in Detroit.

Mrs. George Schwarz, Mrs. Walker Holden, Mr. Russell Metcalf and Mrs. Vernon Gilmore of Detroit and Mrs. Phil Eaton of Williamston were the luncheon guests of Mr. Luther Rice on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Plan Jennings entertained the latter's relatives Christmas Day. On Monday the Jennings celebrated by having open house from four to eight p. m.

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The women's gymnasium has been set aside for showing new and better ways of handling farming problems. Chemicals for insect, disease, and weed control will be featured. Farm game management for fun and profit will be stressed. Members of various departments will be on hand to talk with farmers who have problems they wish answered.

The annual grain and potato show for adults and 4-H Club boys and girls will also be part of the Women's Gymnasium exhibits.

The new agricultural engineering building will again be full of machinery and building features. Also presented will be rural electrification, food preservation, farm machinery, irrigation and drainage, farm structures, metal working, and tourist and resort facilities.

The poultry science club is holding a baby chick show in the poultry building, on MSC's south campus. Entries will be 25 chicks of any standard breed. An egg show is also planned.

The veterinary hospital will be open for inspection so visitors can see the large animal clinic and the building's facilities.

The engineering building open house will feature exhibits of television and radar. Also on display will be house design and concrete construction work.

Radiant Heating Use Valuable to Farmers
Its Advantages Outweigh Initial Expensive Costs

Radiant heating, one of the latest developments in construction of farm buildings, has many advantages which outweigh its high initial cost, according to a publication dealing with building methods, materials and techniques.

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This double quonset turkey house, measuring 60 by 220 feet, has radiant heating to maintain a temperature between 50 and 70 degrees in winter. The house holds about 3,500 breeder hens, or 20,000 poult.

such a system in a turkey house on the farm of W. E. Wright in Mitchell county, Iowa.

This house, a double quonset measuring 60 by 220 feet, is heated by hot water which circulates through copper tubing imbedded in concrete floor slabs.

The radiant heated floor is described as enabling the temperature of each zone to be regulated independently. The temperature usually is kept between 50 and 70 degrees in the winter. About 3,500 breeder hens, or 20,000 poult can be housed in the building and can be cared for by three men.

Water for the system is heated by an oil burner in a room on the south side of the structure. Supplementary unit heaters are used when required during extremely cold weather.

The story of the radiant heating system used in the turkey house described was carried in the American Builder magazine.

Fruit Growers Gather At MSC Jan. 18-20

An instructional three-day conference for fruit growers has been scheduled by the Michigan State College horticulture department from January 18 to 20 in East Lansing.

The conference has been developed to help all growers to become keen observers and better equipped to diagnose their problems of fruit growing. Orchard practices, use of chemical and disease control are among the topics for discussion.

A copy of the program for the conference can be obtained by writing to the Department of Special Courses and Conferences, Michigan State College, East Lansing 11, Michigan.

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NEWS and COMMENT FROM CONGRESSMAN GEORGE A. DONDERO

When everything has been boiled down to essentials, it becomes evident that the greatest issue, now before the American people, is the issue between pseudo-liberalism and real liberalism.

Pseudo-liberalism is false and dishonest. It is the technique of the liberal ends by means which lead in the opposite direction.

The self-styled liberals of the New Deal and the Fair Deal propose to give us more freedom and more prosperity first by destroying the freedom and prosperity we have now.

These pseudo-liberals who have seized control of the Democratic Party talk big about the "underprivileged" and the "forgotten man." They ache for "social justice" and accuse every opponent of their freedom-destroying "well-fare state" proposals of being reactionary. It is the technique of Hitler, and of Stalin.

For example, if one industrial company reduces the price of its product, other companies in the same business tend to meet this reduced price. Presently all of them are sailing at substantially the same reduced price.

On the other hand, if increased wage and materials costs force one company to boost its price, others tend to do the same thing. This, for the simple reason that wages and materials costs go up and down fairly evenly for all the companies in a given industry, owing to the activities of industry-wide unions and the general economic position of materials suppliers.

But when prices stabilize, on either the up side or the down side, do the pseudo-liberals attribute the fact to the normal workings of free competition? No, indeed! In order to create a situation wherein they may pretend to rush to the rescue of one economic group or another, they profess to see collusion in restraint of trade and price-fixing. The Sherman Anti-Trust Act is invoked.

The whole breed of pseudo-liberals has set out to destroy our economic freedoms in the name of "social justice," while ignoring the fact that political freedom cannot survive the destruction of freedom in the market place. Political and economic freedoms are siamese twins, which are born, live and die together, and cannot do otherwise.

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CORN CHAMPIONS... Charles N. Fischer and his 13-year-old son, Leonard, of Shelbyville, Ind., were crowned King and Prince Corn at the recent International Livestock Exposition in Chicago. Their recipe for championship corn is "plenty of elbow grease, plus good seed, good fertilizer and good soil management." It was the third father and son victory in show history. The Chicago exposition attracted the best examples of rural achievement from all parts of the nation and set goals toward which farmers will advance during the coming year. Farmers came to display what they had learned and to learn more.

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This whole business of professing a tender regard for the welfare of the "common man" is political demagoguery of the worst kind. Why should it be "liberal" and "idealistic" to assume that the common man, if there is any such, is a weakling and a fool who must be coddled from the cradle to the grave? Why is it not truly liberal and even more idealistic to assume that he is a man who prefers to stand on his own feet, wanting nothing more than due legal protection against those who would victimize him through fraud?

Ever since the days when Zenophon led his 10,000 common soldiers safely from Babylon to the Greek homeland, right down to the days of the Battle of the Bulge, and since that time, the so-called common man has proved himself a pretty resourceful and wise individual when his honesty was not imposed upon by those who would deceive him for their own dishonest ends.

The liberal cause in America today has been kidnapped by a gang of political firebreathers and their dupes, the befogged intellectuals. It is time for an opposition with principle, intelligence, and courage to call the people for the use of their well-earned station as a free citizen, a free man, and a free community, a rescue which this country so greatly needs.

U-M Engineer Says St. Ignace Docks Should Be Changed

Ideal site for rebuilding St. Ignace ferry docks is on State-owned property a mile and a quarter south of present location, according to a University of Michigan marine engineer.

The present docks at St. Ignace are worn out and will have to be replaced very shortly, reports Prof. Louis A. Baier, chairman of the Department of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering.

Erection of docks at the new site would shorten the ferry trip, remove the traffic bottleneck from St. Ignace, and be cheaper than rebuilding the present docks, he said.

Professor Baier objected to the proposal to use the 4,000-foot causeway as the northern terminal for the Straits ferries. The causeway is too vulnerable to wind, waves, ice and strong currents for a suitable docking site, he stated.

The site recommended by Professor Baier is on the edge of deep water which would require no dredging for dock erection. Dock "slips" could be built into the shore, rather than out into the water, he pointed out. This would result in cheaper construction cost, he declared.

Professor Baier urged the erection of the new docks before the delivery of the new \$4,314,000 ferry in the spring of 1951. With the new ferry, the Straits' fleet would be able to handle a capacity load of 6,674 cars in peak periods, he said, and new docking facilities are necessary for efficient handling of capacity periods.

According to a 1948 survey of the 552,404 cars crossing the Straits, the maximum waiting period was seventeen hours, Professor Baier said. With the new ferry and new docks, the maximum waiting period in peak capacity periods would be cut to one hour, he declared.

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Number one objective at the University of Michigan during 1950 will be to further safeguard the high teaching standards that have brought world renown to the institution.

The University's request for \$12,870,000 from the state to help finance operations for the 1950-51 year includes funds to add 92 full-time members to the faculty.

"If we are able to do this, it will mean that we can cut the ratio of teachers to students down to 1 to 15," President Alexander G. Ruthven said. "This ratio shot up to an alarming 1 to 18 in the emergency period right after the war and we have been seeking additional funds each year to increase the faculty so as ultimately to cut the ratio down to one teacher for each 15 students."

The increase in the size of the faculty becomes even more important, Ruthven said, since enrollment for 1950-51 is expected to reach about the present figures. This would mean approximately 21,000 students, a semester taking courses for which credit is given towards a degree. This involves 21,000 students on the campus and 3,000 at five Extension Service centers.

Another problem which may be partially solved during the coming year is the present inadequacy of the Medical School's facilities in the face of the terrific pressure for the acceptance of more students.

"The 1949 Legislature voted \$100,000 for the preparation of plans for an out-patient clinic at University Hospital," the University president said. "This building would increase both clinical and teaching facilities. Should the special session of the Legislature assure funds to construct this building, the University will accept 200 freshmen medical students in the Fall of 1950, as compared with the previous normal of 125."

Such an increase of 75 students would alone be comparable in size to the whole first-year class in some medical schools and is the most inexpensive way to add to medical education in Michigan," Ruthven declared.

Concrete Pipe

Although shrinkage cracks may develop in exposed concrete pipe, these small cracks will heal themselves in the presence of moisture and in fact become stronger than before the break. The reason: concrete in the presence of moisture exudes calcium hydroxide, which upon exposure to the atmosphere is converted to calcium carbonate which seals the cracks and prevents rusting of the metal reinforcement.

A Swiss settled on the Mississippi River in 1791. A town was laid there and named in his honor. It was in operation at Johnstown as early as 1809, and the town has been noted as an iron center since 1842, when its first furnace was built. A steel works was built seven years later. The city was almost completely destroyed by a flood in 1889, but made a rapid recovery from the disaster.

Beef Cattle

Studies with beef cattle show that rate of growth is largely determined by the parent stock. This means that bulls should be selected not only for pedigree and appearance, but for their own rate of growth under normal feeding conditions.

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NO MATTER how hard you try, no matter what precautions you take, if yours is a normal home you are going to be the irritated victim, from time to time, of a varied assortment of marks, spots, smudges, smears and stains on your walls, woodwork, floors and furniture.

A continuing problem of every householder, then, is how to get rid of the marks without doing a complete refinishing job. Here are a few suggestions that help.

One of the most commonly recurring stubborn problems in a home where small children abound and bound in the presence of wax crayon marks on such improbable surfaces as walls, woodwork and furniture. You can't use a rubber eraser on them with any success, as you often can with pencil marks. And you can't ignore them.

However, crayon marks, as well as grease stains, on wallpaper can be taken out if you use this method: Cover the marks with a thick layer of a soft paste made of fuller's earth or powdered chalk or whiting, moistened with a cleaning fluid—preferably a non-inflammable one, if you can find it. Let the paste remain until it is dry, and then remove it gently with a soft brush. You may find it necessary to repeat this treatment, so don't be discouraged if you don't achieve 100 per cent success with the first application.

If your wallpaper is on the elderly side and stained as a result of general use, it first should be cleaned in the area around the crayon mark with a wallpaper cleaner (sold at any good hardware store). If this cleaning is not done, the paste will leave a cleaned place surrounded by a violently contrasting dirty ring.

Another everyday problem is the task of removing unsightly ink or rust spots from linoleum. In the case of ink, if it is not of the indelible variety, simply try washing with a mild soap and a small amount of scouring powder. Should this fail, scrub the surface lightly with thick soap suds and very fine "00" steel wool. Wipe off the soap with a damp cloth and dry. Then polish with a paste wax, applied in a thin coat and allowed to dry hard before rubbing.

When you are confronted with rust spots on a piece of linoleum and have been unable to get results from the soap-and-water plus mild abrasive treatment, try this alternative: Rub the spots with the fine steel wool dipped in turpentine.



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Ford Subscribes To Hospital Fund

A subscription of nearly \$2,500,000 to be used for the construction and equipment of needed voluntary hospital facilities in the metropolitan Detroit area has been made by the Ford Motor Company to the Greater Detroit Hospital Fund. The contribution includes a payment of \$900,000 made to the fund last December.

The \$2,461,000 subscribed to the Hospital Fund is on the basis of \$27.91 per Ford employee in the metropolitan area, James B. Webber, Jr., Ford president, pointed out when he announced the action of the Ford Motor Company.

"This means," he said, "that the Ford Motor Company is doing its full share to supply the additional hospital protection urgently needed by each Ford worker and his family in the Detroit vicinity."

The automobile company based its subscription on an over-all employment of 88,208 Detroit-area workers. The \$27.91 contributed per employee is the formula figure generally accepted by corporations throughout the community as their share of the investment hospitals will have to make in additional accommodations and facilities for adequate service to workers and their families in Greater Detroit.

"Once again," the Ford Motor Company has taken an important step toward the betterment of the health, welfare and security of its employees," the Hospital Fund president commented. "Furthermore, this generous action will result in better hospitals for all residents and deserves the gratitude of the entire community."

Henry Ford II praised the Hospital Fund as "the American way of solving the hospital problems of Detroit."

Many recognize the need for greatly increased hospital facilities and services in this rapidly growing city," he said, "and we believe the best way to meet the needs of our employees and rest of the community is by enlarging and strengthening the voluntary hospital system that has been developed in an atmosphere of free enterprise rather than by depending on government to do the job for us."

Ford stressed the advantages of a single federated program that allows for the coordination of hospital expansion plans and will result in a voluntary hospital system of proper size, designed to bring modern hospital service within easy reach of all residents.

"It is obvious to us," he continued, "this one campaign for hospital expansion has taken the place of an undesirable series of individual hospital building funds that would have been presented to the public over a period of years, probably without much chance of success. I think the Greater Detroit Hospital Fund way is the intelligent and the

U.S. Population

The census bureau reports that the population in the U.S. rose to a record high of 147,946,000 on Jan. 1, 1949 from 145,434,000 a year ago.

Washington's Brother

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