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## HAPPY NEW YEAR



Skip Dowd of Birmingham was the only double cup winner at last night's Optimist Club Equestrian dinner. Skip was the individual low score jumping champion and took fourth place in elementary dressage individual competition during the 1953 season. Skip also had one other distinction. He was the only male rider to win an award.

### Equestrians Feted at Dinner Tuesday

Seven teenage horsewomen and one young horseman were honored Tuesday night at the Northville Optimist Club's Equestrian dinner held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

The banquet climaxed a season of five equestrian contests which started last March.

Highlight of the season was a three-day equestrian trial last fall held at J. P. Malley's Franfield Farm on Eight Mile Rd. which included competition in jumping, dressage and cross-country trials.

**WINNERS LISTED**  
Trophy winners include Skip Dowd, individual low score jumping champion, with an average 1.6 faults per round; Nancy Fisher, reserve champion, with 1.8 faults; Mary Casenhiser, 15, of Franklin, third, with 2.25 faults, and Martha McDonald, 16, of Metamora, fourth, with 3.29 faults.

In the elementary dressage individual competition, first place went to non-team member Jocelyn Scofield, 14, of Pleasant Ridge, with a high point average of 62.5; second place to Lou Wilson, with 62.166; third place to Frannie Malley, 16, of Northville, with 57.133, and fourth to Skip Dowd with 56.375.

Members of the Optimist Club equestrian committee, besides Mr. Malley, are Dr. J. K. Eastland, Dr. Waldo Johnson and Mrs. Franklin Beeks, secretary.

### Pioneer Village Resident Dies at Detroit Home

One of Northville's pioneer residents, Mrs. Louise Beal Chadwick, who was born here in 1866, passed away in Detroit last Saturday and was brought to Northville for burial in Rural Hill Cemetery Monday, Dec. 28.

Mrs. Chadwick was the daughter of F. R. Beal, owner of the old Globe Furniture Company, which was one of the Village's leading industries in the 1880's and 1890's. It was her father who developed the section of Northville which is known to old timers as Bealtown. The Globe Furniture factor burned just prior to the turn of the century.

Mrs. Chadwick had been in ill health for many years. She would have been 88 years of age on Jan. 2.

She attended Genesee Wesleyan Seminary in Lima, N.Y., where she met Charles C. Chadwick, whom she later married. Mr. Chadwick came to Northville and was associated with the Globe Furniture Co. until it went out of business. He died several years ago.

Mrs. Chadwick is survived by five children, Mrs. Ruth Barns, head of the English department at Cooley High School, Detroit; Francis E. Chadwick, Wayne County Register of Probate; Mrs. James Porch, Mrs. Thomas Tobey and Mrs. John Astleford. All reside in Detroit.

### Excellent Progress Shown in Community Building Construction

Barring bad weather, the Northville Community Building should be completely roughed in within the next three weeks.

Workmen for the Wallace Construction Co. hope to begin next Monday erecting the last of the building's steel framework. After that, the roof goes on.

The concrete slab for the stage already has been poured. However, the rest of the interior concrete will not be poured until the building is enclosed and heated. The walls of the structure were finished this week.

The promised completion date is April 15. However, if the present pace continues it is expected the building will be ready by the first of April.



Hard at work are these employees of the Northville Post Office, sorting some of the hundreds of thousands of pieces of Christmas mail. Left foreground is Mrs. Audrey Joki. Behind her are Mrs. Ruth Balko and Mrs. Ruth Briggs. In right foreground is Mrs. Virginia Smith. To her left is Mrs. Marguerite Hartner and in the rear is Barbara Bayless.

### Williams to Ask for New Hospital

Gov. G. Mennen Williams plans to ask the 1954 Michigan legislature to build a new children's psychiatric hospital on Northville State Hospital grounds, it was reported in Lansing Tuesday.

The proposed hospital would accommodate 120 mentally disturbed children and cost \$1,812,000.

Construction would be financed from the remainder of the mental hospital bond issue or from the general revenue fund. Part of the mental health issue has been used for tuberculosis hospitals.

Officials of the Mental Health Commission said the Northville children's hospital would in no way duplicate the hospital at Ann Arbor, which was authorized during the last session of the legislature.

They said that while the Ann Arbor hospital is part of a teaching clinic, the Northville facility would be used entirely for the care and rehabilitation of mentally sick children.

### For Post Office Crew

## Christmas Meant 600% More Work

Not that they're a bunch of Scrooges. Nothing like that.

But the crew at the Northville post office is just as glad Christmas is a thing of the past.

Christmas itself is just fine. But those last few weeks before Santa Claus arrived. That's a different matter.

Each day brings mountains of mail and piles of packages. It's a never-ending struggle to try and reach the bottom of the pile.

"We never quite make it," Postmaster Leland Smith sadly admits.

**25 PER CENT INCREASE**  
This year, for some reason, the crush of holiday mail was heavier than usual.

"Most of the other towns in this area reported a lighter than usual load," Smith said. "But both Northville and Garden City, strangely enough, had big increases. In our case, the increase amounted to about 25 per cent over last year."

During the last week before Christmas, Smith estimates 30,000 pieces of mail arrived at the post office each day for sorting and delivery with the same number leaving here for out-of-town destinations.

Each day, a total of about 150 incoming and outgoing sacks of packages were processed, each containing an average of eight or nine parcels.

It all adds up to about 600 per cent more work.

On a normal day, from 3,500 to 5,000 pieces of mail and perhaps seven sacks of packages are processed.

It was impossible to keep ahead of the tide each day, despite the fact that carriers on the three town routes and two rural routes made two complete circuits a day and there was extra help on hand.

Those city routes, incidentally, are about six miles long. No easy job when you have a 30 pound sack of mail over your shoulder.

The regular staff of 14 was augmented by 17 Christmas season helpers.

The regular workers, besides Smith, include, Mrs. Ruth Briggs, Mrs. Virginia Smith, Mrs. Audrey Joki, Mrs. Marie Sietz, D. J. Stark, Art Schnute, Bob Hoshack, Elmer Balko, Harry Gerban, Fred Wendt, Harry Richards and Joe Litsenberger.

Helping out this Christmas were Carl and Ed Rossow, Howard Felt, Walter Newton, Bud Cansfield, Dick Sands, Doug Eilber, Bob Dixon, Tom Heslip, Bill Barber, Charles Fox, Ken Rowe, Karl Hofmann, Alice Burns, Mrs. Marguerite Hartner, Ruth Balko and Barbara Bayless.

### March of Dimes to Begin Next Week

Northville's March of Dimes drive will begin next week.

Canisters will be distributed in Village stores to collect the coins needed in the fight against infantile paralysis.

Mrs. Eldon Biery, local March of Dimes chairman, also appealed for local clubs and organizations to obtain canisters to pass at one or more meetings this month.

"We suggest that service clubs might contribute their 'fine' for the month of January to the March of Dimes drive," she said.

Canisters may be obtained from Mrs. Biery or Charles Carrington who has charge of canister distribution.

### Bumper Crop of Babies Born Here During 1953

A bumper crop of babies was born in Northville during 1953.

A check of vital statistics in Village Clerk Mary Alexander's office reveals that through Tuesday, a total of 346 births had been reported since Jan. 1—all of them at Sessions Hospital.

Of these, 45 were the offspring of Northville residents. The bulk of the remainder came from Plymouth.

It was pointed out that many Northville babies are born in Detroit, Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti hospitals.

A total of 74 deaths in the Village were reported. However, only 24 of these were Northville residents. Most of the remainder were patients at Maybury and Eastlawn sanatoriums.

### MOTHER'S MARCH

The local drive will be climaxed Jan. 28 by the traditional "Mother's March." At this time individual homes will be canvassed by women of the community. Householders will sign their wish to aid the polio fight by turning on their porch light.

Mrs. Biery said volunteers are needed to help with the Mother's March. She has appointed Mrs. Orson Atchinson to head the drive in the southwest section of town, Mrs. Adrian Willis in the northwest, Mrs. Clifford Rolling in the northeast and Mrs. Herma Hartner in the southeast. Women wishing to help should contact any of the sectional chairmen.

Meanwhile, William Bernar and Charles L. Gehring, chairman of the Wayne County Campaign, pointed out the need for the biggest drive in history this year.

They emphasized that more of everything is needed this year in the March of Dimes to meet its obligations—more volunteers, more and bigger contributions, and more special events, neighborhood block parties, club and church parties and any sort of activity that will raise a few more dollars. Incidentally, suggestions for such activities will be supplied on request.

### PREVENTION BIG NEWS

Polio prevention—program four of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis—will cost an added \$26,500,000 this year. This is in addition to the National Foundation's traditional program of aid to patients, professional education and scientific research.

The fact that the Wayne County Chapter never knows in January how many cases it will be called upon to assist during the rest of the year is the biggest question mark the March of Dimes faces, they said. That is the reason no local March of Dimes quotas are set.

### POLIO UNPREDICTABLE

"We know roughly how much we can earmark for laboratory research, how much for scholarships to train specialists, even how much will be needed to buy available gamma globulin and to start the validity tests of the new polio preventive vaccine," the chairman said.

"But polio is an unpredictable epidemic disease that strikes without pattern or precedent. All we have to go by is the fact that 1953 marked the sixth consecutive year of high polio incidence. With a record like that, it would be foolhardy to expect light incidence in 1954. And those victims look to the March of Dimes for care until they make maximum recovery, a great number of them for many years."

### Movie Scheduled for Saturday

Junior Police are planning their third movie this Saturday at the Methodist Church House.

The public is cordially invited. The feature is "Destination Moon" and there will be two showings—one at 2:30 p.m. and another at 7:30 p.m.

### JANUARY

Jan. 8—An attempt by the Township Improvement Association to stop circulation of petitions which would place the city-village question on the ballot was defeated by the Village Commission.

Jan. 15—The Village Commission scheduled an open hearing on the proposed new trailer ordinance.

Jan. 22—The Record announced plans to move from 120 N. Center St.—its home for 23 years—to its present quarters at the corner of Main and Center.

Jan. 29—A new subdivision between Main St. and Eight Mile Rd. near Beck, including some 70 homes in the \$30,000 class, was reported well into the planning stage.

### FEBRUARY

Feb. 5—The Village Commission gave informal consideration to plans for a Northville Community Building to be built with funds in the Village treasury. The plans were presented by Recreation Director Wilson Funk and Architect Walter Anicka.

Charles Trickey of Novi was elected state commander of the Amvets.

### JANUARY

Jan. 26—Two Detroit thugs beat and tortured Peter Wall, 94-year old Northville man, during a robbery attempt. Wall's life was saved when two women stopped by his home to buy eggs while the beating was in progress. The thugs were arrested quickly by the Wayne County Road Patrol.

An election was scheduled for April 6 on whether or not Northville was to become a city.

### MARCH

March 12—Manning & Locklin Gravel Co. petitioned the Novi Township Zoning Appeal Board for permission to open a new gravel pit at the southwest corner of Center St. and Baseline Rd.—virtually inside the Village limits.

March 19—The Village Commission adopted a resolution placing itself on record as opposing the proposed gravel pit and asked the Novi Township Board of Appeals not to approve the petition.

### APRIL

April 2—Legal moves aimed at stopping a vote on making Northville a city failed when the State Supreme Court denied a petition to file a writ of mandamus. The legal move had been made by John C. Burkman, A. E. Northup and the Northville Township Improvement Association.

### APRIL

April 6—The proposal to make Northville a city lost 527 to 452 Philip Ogilvie was appointed Village Attorney.

April 16—Assessed valuation of all land parcels in Northville Township in excess of four acres was increased 50% by the Wayne County Tax Commission.

### MAY

May 7—Manning & Locklin Gravel Co. received formal permission from the Novi Twp. Zoning Appeals Board to open a gravel pit at the northwest corner of Center St. and Baseline Rd. Simultaneously, the Northville School Board reaffirmed its desire to purchase the area as a future school site.

### JUNE

June 11—Al Jones replaced Harry Smith as high school athletic director.

Secretary of State Owen Cleary was the main speaker at Northville High School graduation ceremonies.

### AUGUST

Aug. 6—The Village Commission accepted plans for a Community Building and immediately advertised for bids.

Aug. 13—Northville Downs handled a record \$11,512,019 during its 48-day meeting.

### SEPTEMBER

Sept. 17—The Wallace Construction Co. was low bidder on the Community Building. It offered to do the job for a little over \$206,000. Construction began immediately.

### OCTOBER

Oct. 1—Northville Retail Merchants Association voted to raise \$18,000 to buy land downtown for off-street parking lots.

Oct. 22—Sen. Homer Ferguson, in a speech before the Northville Rotary Club, warned that a "real peace" in Korea was unlikely.

### NOVEMBER

Nov. 5—The Northville Board of Education voted to proceed with plans for a \$300,000 bond issue to finance a new elementary school building.

Nov. 12—The Northville High School football team met Keego Harbor for the Wayne-Oakland County League football championship. (The Mustangs lost 6-0.)

### DECEMBER

Dec. 10—An election on the school bond issue was scheduled for Jan. 19.

Dec. 25—Merry Christmas.

## Northville News Highlights of 1953

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We, all, will be standing at the crossroads on Thursday night. Where will you be? We can attempt to go life's way alone. If we do, we shall end in failure.

Where are we going? We must determine, each his own destination. No one else can choose it for us.

We can take the hands of Him who has gone the way before and He will safely lead us to our destination. He will bring us victory. His promise is this: "Behold, I have set before you an open door." This door leads to the real security.

A Blessed New Year of '54.  
MILTON BLOOMQUIST

## THE VILLAGE --- AT WORK

A Visit With Your Neighbors On the Job



The name and good works of Mollie Lawrence are familiar to hundreds of Northville Township voters.

First as treasurer and now as supervisor, Mrs. Lawrence can look back on a career in township politics that spans 18 years.

This week's Villager at Work took her first fling at politics in 1935.

"Times were hard in those days and I felt I should take a job to help out," Mrs. Lawrence said.

She filed for Township Treasurer—was elected by the voters—and hasn't been beaten since.

## Being A Good Neighbor

We all pride ourselves on being neighborly. Within the circle of our community, the helping hand is extended to those in distress. But being a good neighbor in just our own community is not enough. There are many mutual problems facing all of us that can be solved only on a national level. Some of these are health and welfare problems that are much better solved voluntarily—through all our own efforts—than by a paternalistic all-embracing government.

The scourge of polio is one problem that cannot be solved locally. Victory can be won only if every community voluntarily supports a coordinated national attack against the disease. This requires a national organization to lead the fight. Fortunately we have a battle-tested leader in the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

For 16 years the National Foundation and its county chapters have spear-headed the attack against polio. It is a purely voluntary organization financed solely by the March of Dimes. It grew out of the recognition of millions of people that polio could be conquered only through an expensive and expansive effort.

This is the American way of doing things, as opposed to the totalitarian way in which government does it all and people must simply accept what is done.

Some people believe that neighborliness should stop at the borders of their own community. They would have the government take over all large health and welfare programs. We don't believe these people realize what this kind of government program would involve.

As President Eisenhower recently said when talking about voluntary agencies: "The slogan of a true democracy is not—Let the Government do it. The true slogan is—Let's do it Ourselves."

Robert T. Lansdale, New York State Welfare Commissioner, recently said this: "Without the facilities and services of voluntary agencies, vast sums would have to be spent by the State to build plants and institute programs" and "while public and private agencies complement each other, it is the voluntary groups which have explored, pioneered, and developed techniques of assistance and set the pace for all programs. Government and voluntary agencies do not conflict; both have found a sound basis for their existence in the American social structure."

We think this is sound reasoning. We hope that such voluntary organizations will continue to be an integral part of the American way of life. They provide a bulwark against regimentation and totalitarian tendencies.

The 16th March of Dimes is just starting. It may well be the most significant one ever held. The announcement of a new program—POLIO PREVENTION—with a trial vaccine to be tested this year—may mean a grin and expensive battle soon won. Victory seems close, but it can only be reached if we all dig down and give more than ever before.

Here is our chance to be good neighbors on a national scale and prove that the spirit of voluntary cooperation is a mighty weapon against disease and disaster.

### Letters to Editor

The Record welcomes letters to the editor about matters of community interest. Anonymous communications will not be published, but in instances where the writer does not wish his or her name to appear, it will be held confidential.

To the Editor:  
The Christmas spirit which fills the hearts of all of us during this season, is a spirit of peace and joy. It is a sense of peace and joy resulting from unselfishness, and the desire to express in a real, concrete way, our innate love for fellow human beings. That is why we dig down into our pockets every year at this time to buy gifts for our friends and loved ones. We attempt to express outwardly the way we feel inside, and it makes us glad, doesn't it? The old saying is true indeed: "It is far better to give than to receive."

The one unfortunate note which accompanies this thought is the fact that the spirit of Christmas dies, or at least lies dormant, until the following year. Love of God and neighbor, which is natural to us and which is the cause of this feeling of joy, is replaced by a love and concern for self. Joy disappears.

Another interesting aspect of

Christmas giving (and giving in general) is the observation that the more a person sacrifices in order to give, the more he enjoys giving. Likewise, the more good accomplished by the gift—for example, a loaf of bread given to the poor, hungry widow and her children—the more satisfaction and real joy is experienced by the giver.

Unfortunately, as we have observed, folks generally lose the spirit of sacrifice which fills their hearts at this time of year. However, the good work we can do, while we have this enthusiasm for generosity, adds up to a considerable amount.

We should all, each and every one of us, give financial support to the St. Mary Hospital campaign. We should all help to bring this hospital to the community. The hospital will very definitely benefit us all. Therefore, even if our gift requires sacrifice, we should open our hearts, as well as our pocketbooks and give generously.

Let's make a generous Christmas gift to the community and to those in the community who will someday be truly grateful for St. Mary Hospital. Let's forget our petty differences this time, and really pull together, so that we can help others in the community as well as ourselves.

When the hospital stands and serves us all, we shall be glad indeed that we had a share in building it.

CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

Thanks to the good will of the Northville people, many elderly patients at the Maybury Sanatorium had a Christmas gift, a remembrance that possibly was the only one of the day.

Thanks to the many people in Northville who responded to the "Letters to Santa", % Postmaster Mrs. Chabut, the 100 children at the Maybury Sanatorium each had a Christmas gift for Santa to distribute.

Since Santa is all of the Northville citizens, and since Santa is each one of you, the older patients and the children all want to express appreciation to Santa for the best gift of all, an unforgotten merry Christmas Day. There is no way for us, their representative, to adequately express their appreciation, and ours, to the many participating organizations—the Exchange Club, the Rotary Club, the Optimist Club, Kings Daughters, Woman's Club, Teachers Club, the Mothers Club of the Northville School, the Mothers Club of Our Lady of Victory School, the Garden Club, the Methodist Service Leagues, Business and Professional Women's Club, all veterans organizations, and the many, many individuals who sent a gift or came to the sanatorium with wrapped packages, called on their patient, and plan to carry a friendship thus started for the year ahead. Our further thanks go to the members of the Northville Coordinating Council whose Christmas Committee composed of Mr. Miller, Mrs. Coolman, Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Geraci, produced such warm hearted results.

With best wishes to all for the New Year.

Sincerely,  
W. L. HOWARD, M.D.

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### Novi Lodge News

Novi Rebekah Lodge No. 482 has closed its books for the year 1953 with 180 members, and in good financial condition.

The next regular meeting will take place on Thursday night, Jan. 14, 1954, and the officers will be installed at a special meeting on Saturday night, Jan. 16.

The Novi Independent Rebekah Club will meet at the home of Sister Eva Behrendt at 28120 Meadowbrook Rd. Wednesday, Jan 6 for a noon dinner and afternoon meeting.

### American Legion Presents Gifts to San. Patients

Members of the Lloyd H. Green American Legion Post of Northville and ladies of the Auxiliary helped brighten the Christmas season for 158 war veterans confined to Maybury and Eastlawn sanatoriums.

Assisted by posts and auxiliaries from Redford Township, Plymouth, Livonia and Farmington, the local groups have helped continue the "Gift for Yanks" program which was originated by Eddie Cantor during World War II.

Mrs. C. Oscar Hammond, Mrs. Charles Schoultz and Mrs. Robin Cory, president of the local auxiliary, visited veterans at Maybury the Monday before Christmas to deliver gifts.

In addition veterans who had a birthday during December were presented with a dollar bill, a practice which is continued throughout the year.

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## Rolling Down The River

by the PETZ BROS.

We know of a certain lady that has written to innumerable relatives offering a two dollar reward for a certain Christmas package. Seems she has actively wrapping present, half a dozen here, a dozen there, and on the Saturday before Christmas wheeled them all to the post office and let Uncle Sam take over. Wasn't until she checked up the next day that she discovered she had wrapped and someone got a package of untouched Christmas wrappings.

Of course having that many relatives she couldn't give them all the finest gift available this year. The 1954 Studebaker of course, with all its power, beauty and economy. She bought one herself though, which just shows she's an intelligent sort of a creature, or maybe it was the new color themes that got her. At any rate, for power, stamina and out and out beauty, you should see the '54 Studebaker, now and at once.

Fellow drove in for a bit of service on his '49er the other day. Told us his wife was feeling rather low lately. Seems that she spent years trying to teach their eldest son to write legibly, only to discover when he learned, the kid couldn't spell!

Of course here and there in these columns we feel obligated to mention the fact that we're in business to service your car and why don't you hurry it right over. We know and the car knows that perfect lubrication is as essential as vitamins and let's get around to convincing you. Be sure of your car this holiday season by having us check it over first.

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## NEWS NOTES FROM THE WEST POINT PARK AREA

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While at his job last week, Ernest Tallman, of Mayfield Ave., was seized with a heart attack and removed to Florence Crittenden Hospital where he is in serious condition.

Little Miss Beverly Skow, of Mayfield Ave., has been ill with pneumonia.

Little Miss Donna Wallman who is a polio patient at the Children's Hospital, Farmington, was permitted to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallman, on Mayfield Ave. She is doing nicely and is expected to recover completely from her paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher and their son, Gordon, were Christmas Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Houtz and their young son, near Ypsilanti. Mrs. Houtz is Rita, only daughter of the Fishers.

Mrs. Gordon Vance and her daughter, Alice, were Christmas Eve guests of Mrs. Vance's eldest daughter, Mrs. William Spencer and her family, in Norwayne.

Mrs. Nelson Cameron and her sons, Carl and Jimmy, were Sunday evening callers at the home of the Misses Lora and Freda Ault, on Norfolk Ave.

Herman Schult, employed near Ellwood, Ind., spent the Christmas week end with his family, on Shadyside Ave.

Marion and Irene Sheets, from East Detroit, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ault, on Shadyside Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Laughman and their son, Billy, from Mishawaka, Ind., were Christmas week end guests of relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. George Throne, from near Ypsilanti, and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Read, from South Lyon, were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ault, on Brentwood Ave.

### VISIT STANGE FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Judd and their five younger children, and Mrs. Richard De Steger, with her little daughter, Vicky Lynn, from East Detroit, were all Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stange, on Mayfield Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens and their three sons, from Hubbard Ave., were Christmas Eve guests of Mrs. Stevens' parents, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Nordyke, Jr., from Grand Rapids, were Sunday guests of their uncle, Edwin L. Johnson and his family, on Clarita Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Ault, of Mayfield Ave., were Christmas Day guests of their daughter, Mrs. Thomas W. Roberts and her family, in Monroe.

At their home on Shadyside Ave., Christmas evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Voorheis entertained relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Read, from South Lyon, were calling on their aunts, the Misses Lora and Freda Ault, Norfolk Ave., Christmas Day afternoon.

### SERVICEMAN HOME

Dale Graham, of the U. S. Air Force, and located in Delaware, arrived Thursday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graham, on Mayfield Ave.

Mrs. Walter Rehahn, of Mayfield Ave., was a Christmas Day dinner guest of her son, Al Hardy and his family, in Wayne.

Mrs. Louvernia Magner and her grandson, David McMillin, from

Detroit, were Sunday afternoon guests of the Reddys, on Shadyside Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ault, of Mayfield Ave., were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunter, in Detroit.

Mrs. Grace Simpson, of Mayfield Ave., was a Christmas Day dinner guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Brugman and her family, in Novi.

The Howard Palmers, of Shadyside Ave., were Christmas Day guests of relatives in Detroit.

Trucks from the Goodwill Industries, Detroit, are scheduled to pick-up discards in this area Monday, Jan. 4. To arrange for collection call Farm. 1461-M.

Richard, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cooke, Albion Ave., is ill with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hardy, from near Plymouth, were calling at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Walter Rehahn, on Mayfield Ave., last Friday evening.

Relatives were guests at a Breakfast Party given by Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ault at their home on Hubbard Ave., Christmas morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jennings and their three children, of Norfolk Ave., were in attendance, Christmas Eve, at a dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jennings, parents of the former, on Randall Ave., Farmington, and honoring the 59th wedding anniversary of the elder couple. A very nice party is reported. There were 19 participants. Children and grandchildren of the honored couple pre-

sented them with a lovely gift. The Arthur Muirs, of Shadyside Ave., attended a Christmas Party given at the home of Mrs. Muir's sister, in Detroit, last Saturday evening.

### DISTRIBUTE YULE BASKETS

Police and firemen were busy distributing Christmas baskets to needy and underprivileged families in Livonia, Thursday. This year it seems that the aged, underprivileged and handicapped, social aid cases, particularly, were remembered, and such persons have expressed themselves as being grateful. First thought has always, properly perhaps, been for families with children and on relief, or suffering misfortune. Contents of a Goodfellow basket are reported to have contained a pair of dressed chickens, potatoes, onions, celery, cabbage, oleo, lard, flour, sugar, jello, oranges, dry beans, split peas, rice, coffee, canned milk, two loaves of bread and a dozen or so cans of fruit and vegetables. Such an assortment should prove a wonderful help to any household.

About 25 young folks from the Livonia Methodist Church made up a caroling band which visited shut-ins and convalescent homes in this vicinity last Sunday evening. Their efforts were met with well-merited appreciation.

A trio of young girls representing the Neighborhood Bible School sang carols sweetly at the homes near the Neighborhood Church last Sunday evening. They were well-received.

Miss Brenda Laurie, from Detroit, was a last week end guest of the Kenneth Skows, on Mayfield Ave.

Robert Young, from near Farmington, left by plane last Thursday to spend the Christmas week end with his wife and children, who, for reasons of health, are in Florida for the winter.

## Frank W. Bryan Buried Saturday

Frank W. Bryan, who had lived in the Northville area for 40 years, died Wednesday, Dec. 23, at his home at 21120 Haggerty Rd.

Mr. Bryan, a retired farmer, was 81 years old.

Funeral services for the deceased were conducted last Saturday by Rev. Ivan Hodgson at the Casterline Funeral Home Burial was at Glen Eden Memorial Park on East Eight Mile Rd.

Mr. Bryan was born in Charlotte, Mich., in 1872, the son of James and Sarah Bryan. He had lived in this area since 1913.

Surviving are Mr. Bryan's wife, Lillian; a son, James, of Northville; two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Edwards and Mrs. William G. Coleman, both of Detroit; a brother, Oscar D. Bryan, also of Northville, and seven grandchildren.

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# NEWS NOTES FROM NOVI

YOUR CORRESPONDENT — MRS. LUTHER RIX  
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**SOCIAL NEWS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gow entertained on Christmas Day the following members of their family:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marr and son, Dennis, of Farmington Rd.; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gow, Jr. and son, Michael, of Redford; Mr. and

Mrs. Arthur Walker of East Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. John Gow of Novi. The latter are the parents of Mr. Gow, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walker spent the week end with their parents.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Greer were hosts at a Christmas party to their pinochle club at their home on West Grand River. Those who won high scores were Mrs. Ed Rix and Luther Rix. Everyone received a gaily decorated gift after which the hostess, Mrs. Greer, served a most delicious supper. All 12 members of the club were present.

There were 16 present for dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Klaserner, Sr. last Sunday. Among the guests were Miss Barbara Fair and Mr. and Mrs. John Klaserner, Jr. All the other guests were friends from Rosedale Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mandilk had all the members of their family at home on Christmas Day. They were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mandilk, Jr. and son of Farmington; a daughter and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bartholomew and daughter, also of Farmington; and an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Drago of Highland Park.

Mrs. Ethel Smith of Taft Rd. spent the Christmas holiday with her daughter, Mrs. George Fletcher, at Tecumseh.

Mrs. Emma Rackov, who was taken suddenly ill on Friday, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital in Pontiac. She is reported to be recovering nicely.

John and Mitchell Rackov, both students at the University of Michigan, are spending their holiday vacation at their parents home on First St.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Taylor had Christmas dinner for a group of relatives, including Mr. and Mrs. Erwin F. Geppert and daughters, Noel and Sue; Mrs. Taylor's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hicks and their mother, Mrs. Henrietta Hicks, of Detroit; and Mr. Taylor's mother, Mrs. Park White of Northville. Mrs. Henrietta Hicks expects to spend a few more days with her daughters, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. F. Geppert.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Taylor and children visited the former's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, in Lapeer on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin F. Geppert entertained at a buffet supper Sunday evening, friends from Northville.

Mrs. David O'Leary of New Hudson and Mrs. L. C. Rix of First St. were luncheon guests of Mrs. Fran Jennings at Clarkston on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Roberson and son, Elton, of Lincoln Park, were the Wednesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rix.

### BLUE STAR MOTHERS

The Novi Chapter of the Blue Star Mothers held their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Lee at Walled Lake. There were 18 present and they spent the evening playing buncos. Lovely ceramic prizes, which were made by the hostess were won by Mrs. Dorothy Ludwig, Mrs. Walt Tuck and Mrs. Fred Mandilk. The president, Mrs. R. E. Ward, was presented with a set of ceramic choir boys by the chapter. Mrs. Lee, assisted by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bud Lee, served a very festive lunch at which time Mrs. Sonia Neff of Detroit entertained the mothers by playing the accordion. Mrs. Neff, a former concert accordionist, and Mrs. Lee have been friends for many years. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ralph Walden on Twelve Mile Rd. Monday, Jan. 14.

### CUB SCOUT NEWS

The next Cub Scout pack meeting will be held Jan. 8 at the Community Building at 8 p.m. There are around 28 scouts at present with one of the five dens without a den mother. Mrs. Carl Leavenworth and Mrs. Russell Taylor are den mothers for No.

# News About Salem

YOUR CORRESPONDENT — MRS. CARLETON HARDESTY  
PHONE NORTHVILLE 1410-M11

### CHURCH NEWS

**Salem Federated**  
This New Year's Eve there will be a Watch Night service in the church. Rev. Eddy, the chalk artist who was with us before and drew "Christ Knocking At The Door", will be here again to draw for us. He will also bring special music from his church. The service will begin at 9 p.m. and last until 12 o'clock.

### SERVICE NEWS

Pvt. Richard Honke, son of Mrs. Bessie Honke of 9296 Six Mile Rd., Salem, has been assigned to Company A of the 645th Engineer Battalion at Fort Campbell, Ky. Pvt. Honke was inducted into the army on May 7, 1953 and completed basic training at Fort Belvoir, Va. Prior to his induction into service, he was employed by Evans Products. He graduated from Northville High School in 1951.

Frank Skiver, who has been home on furlough at the Bert Rider home, will return Saturday morning to Camp Dover, Delaware.

### BABY TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wheeler of Ypsilanti are the proud parents of a girl born Dec. 23 at Beyer Hospital, weighing eight pounds and one-half ounce.

### SCHOOL NEWS

**Lower Room**  
Mrs. Paidherbe asks that primary children phone Mrs. Carleton Hardesty with their news items to help them to learn to use the telephone.

Wesley has been ill during his vacation.

Kenneth Hardesty has five new puppies.

Nancy Alter received a doll house for Christmas.

Diane Alexander had her grandmother and grandfather to spend Christmas Day with her.

Elizabeth Buers spent Christmas with her grandmother and

3 and 5. Mrs. Glen Scheniamann has charge of Den 1, and Mrs. Claude Eash has Den 2.

### NOVI SCHOOL NEWS

The Teachers Club met last Tuesday evening at which time they held their annual Christmas party. A luncheon was served and everyone received a Christmas gift.

The fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades spent Wednesday evening of last week caroling at the Novi Convalescent Home and for Mrs. Halahan on First St. and Mr. Moeran on Grand River, who are ill.

On Wednesday afternoon, the second grade and the seventh grade had their Christmas party. The second grade gave a short Christmas program Wednesday to which the second and fifth grades were invited.

Allen Fisher, first grade pupil, is ill at Atchison Memorial Hospital in Northville, recovering from a broken leg. All his classmates are wishing him a speedy recovery.

### SOCIAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Whittaker and Mrs. Ida Young of Detroit were Friday callers at the home of Mrs. Holly Opdycke.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Mantyk of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Evans of Plymouth spent Christmas Eve at the Charles Stacey home.

Mrs. Cloyd Hardesty of Whitmore Lake entertained her family on Christmas Day. Those present from Salem were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. Charnell Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hardesty and Mrs. Holly Opdycke.

Sunday dinner guests at the Gertrude Heintz home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stacey and Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Hardesty.

Mr. and Mrs. Knowles Buers spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Northrup at Johannesburg, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson entertained Mrs. Robert Wilson's family with a pot-luck dinner on Christmas Day. Christmas Eve, Wesley Wilson and Laura Butler were guests at the Robert Wilson home.

Christmas dinner guests at the George Bennett home were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Proctor and sons, Don and Kenneth, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bower and their daughter, Marilyn, and son, Tommy, of Chelsea; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark and sons, Greg and Ross, of Monroe; Mrs. Eleanor Tanner and Sharon and Jimmy, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennett.

Lloyd Birckelbaw and his daughters, Mary and Ruth, spent Christmas at the Lloyd Birckelbaw home in South Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Alter spent Christmas evening at the Raymond Gilbert home in Lincoln Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burnham and Bonnie took Mary and Ruth Birckelbaw to Hudsons on Thursday to see Santa and to land. On the way home they stopped at Sanders in Redford to enjoy refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown entertained guests in the afternoon on Christmas Day. They were Mrs. W. E. Fletcher, Mrs. Ralph Dunn and boys, Glenn and Robert, of Dearborn; Mr. and Mrs. Charnell Hardesty and sons, Ronnie and David, and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Mankin and sons, Chip, Donny and Brad.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tiffan of Gottfredson Rd. were Christmas dinner guests at the Al White home.

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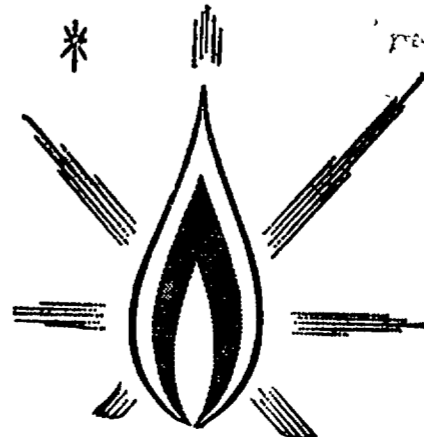
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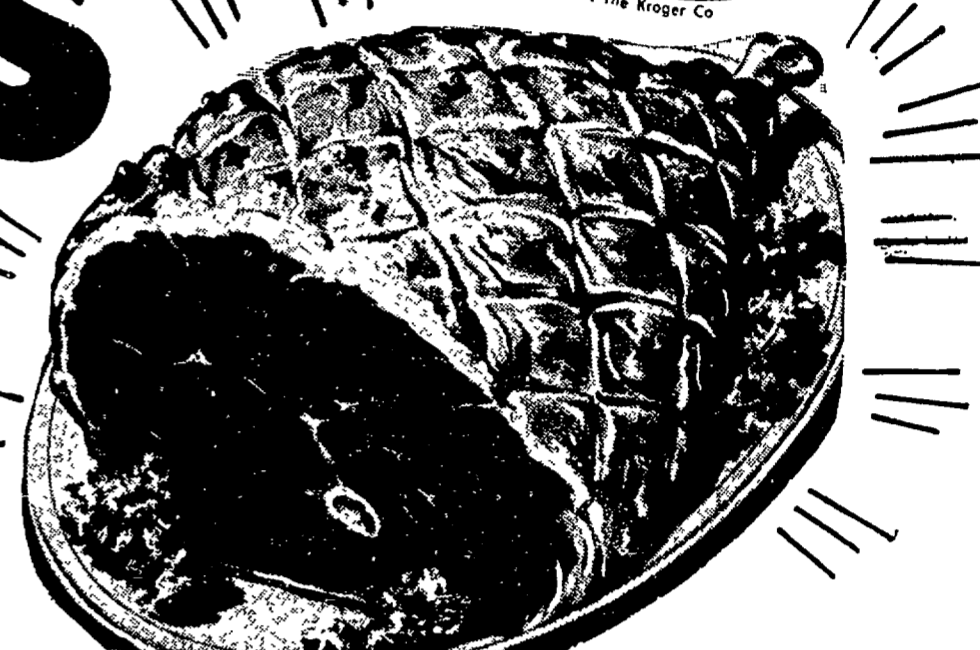


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Richard Coolman of Michigan State College read the New Testament lesson while another Michigan State student, Miss Peggy Price, was in charge of the Junior Church program.



Mr. and Mrs. James Frederick Clark

### Smith-Clark Rites Read at Presbyterian Church

The red and green colors of Christmas were worn by attendants taking part in the wedding which united Shirley Margaret Smith and James Frederick Clark in marriage Sunday evening. Rev. Harold F. Fredsell officiated at the double ring ceremony, which took place at eight o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church.

Large bouquets of white flowers, palms and poinsettia decorated the altar for the candlelight service. Mrs. Barton Connors accompanied Mrs. Dewey Ketner, who sang "Because".

Shirley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith of Beal St., and her husband's parents are the W. F. Clarks of West St.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a gown of Chantilly lace and satin. The satin bodice was covered with lace, which formed a mandarin collar and long sleeves. Panels of lace were inserted in the skirt of net over satin. The bride's fingertip veil was held in place by a sweetheart bonnet covered with flowers and she carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid.

Eve Clark, the honor maid, and Mrs. Stanley Smith, a bridesmaid, wore matching dresses in red velvet and net. Little velvet capes were worn over their strapless bodices. The other bridesmaids, Mrs. Frank Defina and Mrs. Harry German wore dresses of green velvet and net with matching bolero jackets. All four attendants carried white carnations and holly leaves, and wore headpieces decorated with flowers.

Five-year-old Cynthia Ann Smith, wearing a dress of red velvet and net, was the flower girl. David German, three-years-old carried the ring.

Alfred Smith, Jr. attended as best man and seating the guests were Stanley Smith, Frank Defina and Harry German.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Smith chose a dusty rose lace dress with black and winter white accessories. Mrs. Clark wore a deep purple lace dress with

bronze accessories. Each mother was presented with a white orchid.

A reception for 200 followed in the church house. Assisting at the reception were Mrs. Cleon Newton, Helen Stanford, Peggy Price, Mrs. Fred Campbell and Joyce Howarth, all former classmates of the bride.

After the reception the newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip to Vermont. For traveling, the bride chose a blue printed taffeta dress with black accessories.

Upon their return, the couple will make their home in Big Rapids, where the bridegroom is studying pharmacy at Ferris Institute. Both Jim and Shirley are graduates of Northville High School, and Shirley is a graduate of the Ford Hospital School of Nursing.

### Leslie Lee Goes to Rose Bowl Game With MSC Band

Leslie D. Lee, 607 Fairbrook St., and Robert K. Erwin, 40085 West Ten Mile Rd., Farmington, were among the members of the Michigan State College marching band who headed for sunny California and the Rose Bowl the day after Christmas.

The 120 marchers left East Lansing at midnight Dec. 26 on a special 12-car train. The Oldsmobile Division of General Motors sponsored the bandmen on their 6,000 mile trip to Pasadena and back.

The marching unit will give a concert in Kansas City, Mo. and will parade in Oklahoma City, El Paso and Tucson on the way to the Rose Bowl classic. After making an appearance in the Tournament of Roses parade and on the gridiron that afternoon, the band will depart for San Francisco and the East-West Shrine football game on Jan. 2.

Parades in Salt Lake City and Denver on Jan. 4 and 5 will follow, with the members arriving back at the East Lansing campus on Wednesday evening, Jan. 6, 1954.

### News of An Old Record Reader

One of the Record's regular readers is Mrs. George P. Allan of Cranford, N.J., who grew up at the corner of Seven Mile and Plymouth roads and taught school in Livonia prior to her marriage to Mr. Allan. Mrs. Allan, now 86 years old, is moving from Cranford to Cleveland shortly, to make her home with Mrs. George Ami Wilsey, the wife of a half-brother.

Mrs. Allan's maiden name was Alvina Chambers. While attending the Baptist Church here, she met George Allan, a native of Scotland, who was a cabinet maker at the old Globe Mfg. Co. They were married soon afterward and moved to Detroit, where he worked for the Farrand & Voty Organ Co. They had one child, Vina Mary, who passed away recently at the age of 81 years. Mr. Allan was general manager of an organ company at Westfield, N.J. for many years, prior to his death in 1937.

### MOTHER DIES

Walter Fox, Sr. of Eight Mile Rd., received a phone call Monday, Dec. 28, informing him of the death of his mother, Mrs. Anne Boyer of Harrisburg, Pa. He had just returned home Sunday from a visit with her.

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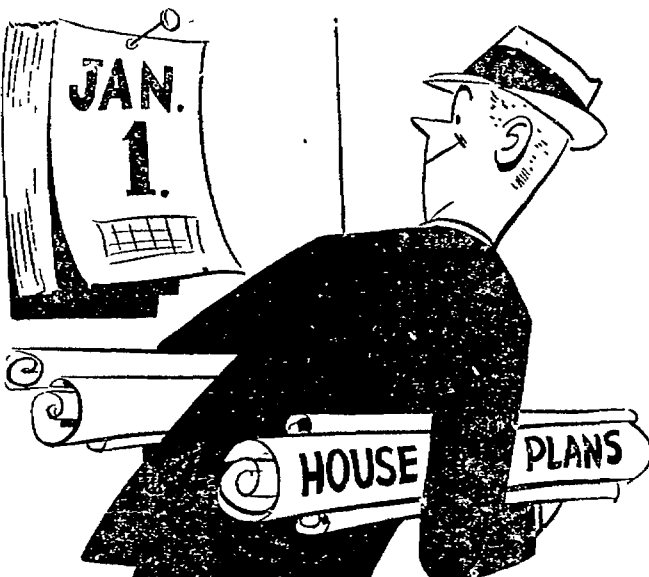
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### Births . . .

T. R. Carrington announces the birth of a girl to his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carrington, Jr. The baby was born Dec. 17 in Bristol, Conn. and has been named Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert St. Louis of Plymouth announce the birth of a daughter, Cheryl Lynn, born Christmas Day in Sessions Hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds, 13 ounces.

A daughter, Margaret Jean, was born Christmas Day to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Willis of Plymouth. The nine pound, 13 ounce baby was born in Sessions Hospital.

A seven-pound, 15-ounce bundle of Christmas cheer was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ramin of Livonia. The baby has been named Cynthia Jo.

### Mrs. David Hazlett Honored With Baby Shower

Mrs. David Hazlett, the former Ellen Stark, was honored Wednesday evening at a baby shower. Barbara Bayless of Eight Mile Rd. was the hostess, with Roberta Mallott assisting.

The Hazletts are former Northville residents, but are now making their home in Alexandria, Va., where he is stationed with the army.

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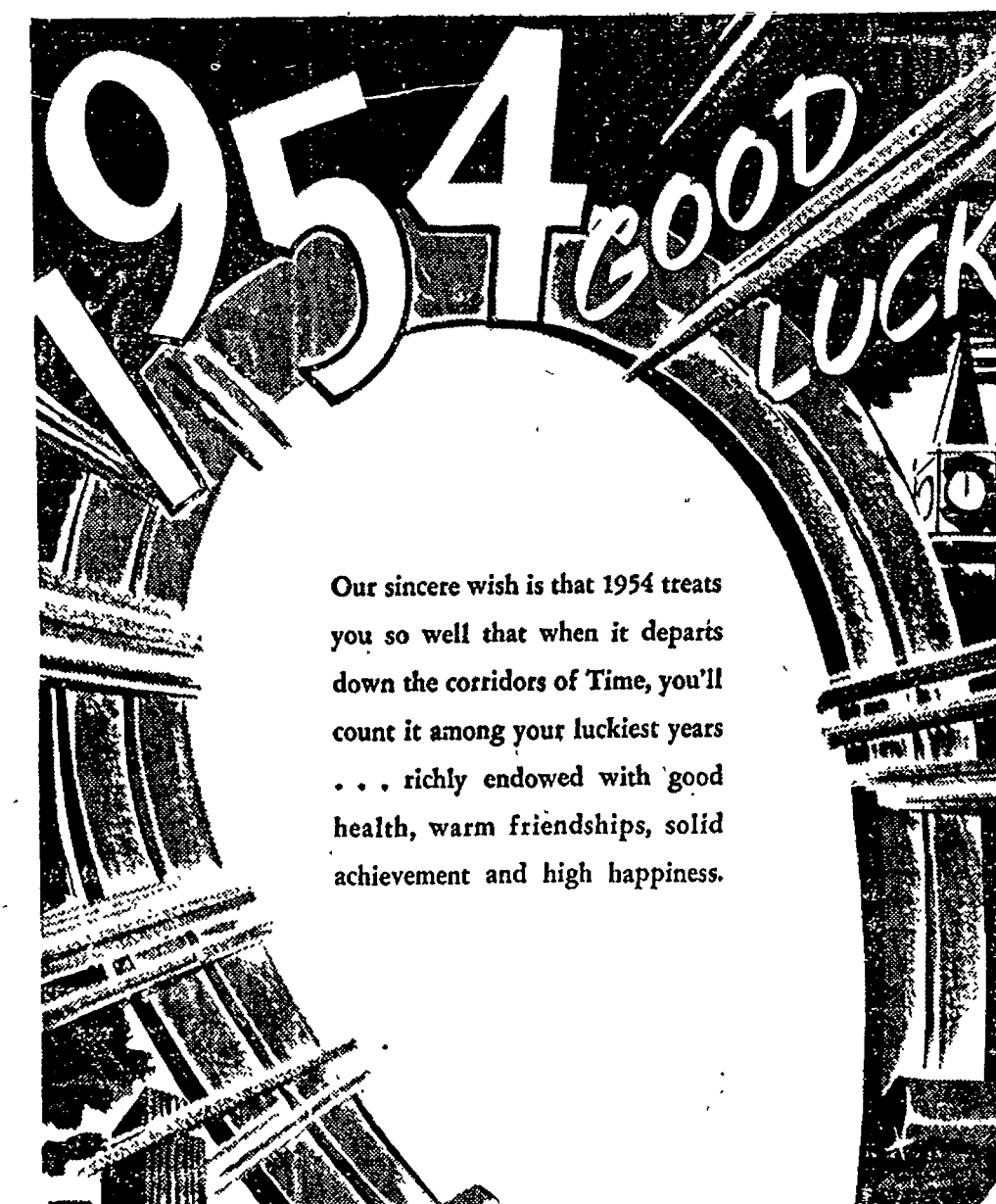
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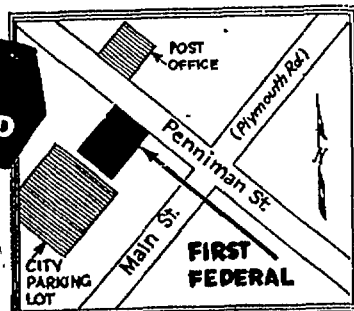
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## News Around Northville

Mrs. Mary Alexander and her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Angove, and their family, all of Linden St., traveled to Boyne City over the Christmas holiday to visit Mrs. Alexander's other daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bray. The Brays are former Northville residents.

Dr. and Mrs. James Kaler, Jr. will spend New Year's Day in Detroit with Mrs. Kaler's mother, Mrs. Ella Var Vell.

Mrs. T. H. Merriam of Adrian and son, Ted, who is a junior at Michigan State College, with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grew of Cambridge, Mass., were guests at an "at-home" given Monday by Mrs. R. D. Merriam of Beck Rd.

Members of the Edith Yerkes Circle met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Carl Bryan for the last meeting of the year.

Dr. and Mrs. James Kaler, Jr. of Beck Rd. had as their guests Christmas Mrs. Kaler's mother, Mrs. Ella Var Vell, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle Var Vell and

daughters, Sandra, Donna and Roberta, and James Kaler, Sr., of South Whitney, Ind. Mr. Kaler will remain over the holidays.

Students and graduates of Northville High School met Monday evening at Arlene Nelson's home on Napier Rd. Nearly 75 guests dropped in during the evening and enjoyed games and refreshments.

Dr. and Mrs. James Kaler, Jr. will have as their guest over the New Year week end Mr. Kaler's sister, Marguerite Kaler. Miss Kaler is an anesthetist at Sherman Hospital in Elgin, Ill.

Holiday guests at the Leonard Wurster home on Currie Rd. were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pierce and son, Lee, of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clingsmith of Lasara, Tex., and Mrs. Wurster's mother, Mrs. Nancy Alberts, of Grand Rapids.

Seventeen guests, including eight grandchildren, were present for Christmas dinner at the C. H. Baker home on Meadowbrook Rd. The guests were from Wayne, Detroit and Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Myers of First St. attended a family dinner Christmas Day at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers, of Carpenter St. Relatives were present from Detroit, Dearborn and Northville.

Mrs. Samuel Geraci of Clement Rd. entered Beyer Hospital in Ypsilanti on Tuesday for an operation, which was performed Wednesday morning. She would welcome cards from her friends in Northville.

Milton Bloomquist of South Center St. spent the Christmas holiday with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Brien, in Dearborn. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Steers (O'Brien's daughter and son-in-law), together with their children, Susan and Thomas Benson, of Miller, S. Dak. Mr. Steers is the son of Mrs. Irene Steers of Kalamazoo, former Northville resident. Other guests were John Nevel of Detroit and Dr. and Mrs. Charles O'Brien, Jr. and children of Dayton, O.

Sunday guests at the John A. Klesner home on Novi Rd. were

Irene Hunt, Cok Kelly, Barbara Thayer, William Klesner, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Klesner, III, and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Deaton and their children, Mary, Mike, Ronny, John and Julia.

Twenty-seven sons, daughters and grandchildren enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Chisholm of Cady St.

Money from the Novi Township Community Fund was used to provide 16 Novi families with baskets of groceries, toys and clothing this Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. William Crump were hosts Saturday evening to several of their friends at a housewarming in their new home on Timberlane Rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Steeper of Marilyn Rd. are hosts to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steeper of Dresden, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wynings and son of West Main St. had as Christmas dinner guests, Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Champe of Plymouth and Mrs. Mildred Bone of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry German of Orchard Drive had as Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Woodworth of Thayer Blvd.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry German, Jr. of Belding, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Curtiss of Princeton, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lough and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hiller, both of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. William Thurman of Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. David Cook of Franklin were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Crump on Timberlane Rd.

Sgt. Richard Lyon, just returned from duty in Germany, is visiting his aunt, Rhea Lyon, of Cady St. He has just received his discharge following two years of service abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Witt of Center St. spent Christmas Day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burr Lyke of Eight Mile Rd.

A/IC Huston Butler has been transferred to inactive reserve, and arrived home from Walker Air Base in Roswell, N. M., in time for Christmas. Huston's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Obie Butler of Neeson St.

Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Witt of Center St. were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sulkowski of Ann Arbor.

Obie Butler of Neeson St. is still a patient in University Hospital in Ann Arbor, receiving treatment for injuries suffered in an automobile accident last October.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cowie of Horton St. spent Christmas Day as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunter in Grosse Pointe.

Visitors at the James Cowie home on Horton St. are Mrs. Cowie's nieces, Suzanne Hunter, of Grosse Pointe and Barbara Ann Marendt of Ferndale. They arrived in time for Christmas vacation and will remain until New Year's Day.

Christmas Day dinner guests at the Roy Van Atta home on Randolph St. were Mr. and Mrs. Mel Kuken and sons, Dick and Sheldon, of Allen Park; Mr. and Mrs. Loyle German, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ely and daughter, Patti; Mrs. Mabel Kuken and Lawrence Fest, all of Northville.

### Where and When

**GET-TOGETHER CLUB**  
The Get-Together Club will meet Saturday, Jan. 2 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Vickerson on Napier Rd.

**O.E.S.**  
All O.E.S. members please note change: The special meeting scheduled for Jan. 1 has been postponed until Tuesday, Jan. 5 at 7:45 in the Masonic Temple. The degrees will be exemplified by the regular officers, and a social hour will follow.

**PATRIOTIC CLUB**  
The Patriotic Club will meet with Miss Ethel Seeley, Dunlap St., on Thursday, Jan. 7 at 12:30.

**WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD**  
The next meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild will be held at the home of Mrs. Wilson Funk on Yerkes St. Tuesday, Jan. 5 at eight o'clock.

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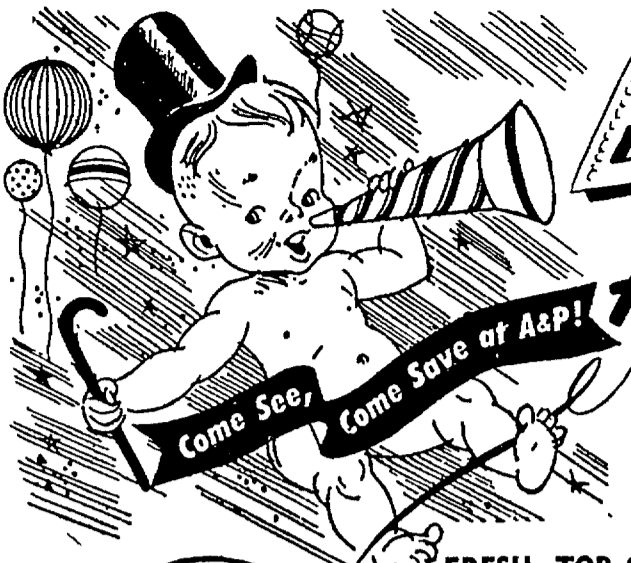
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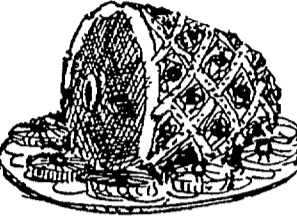
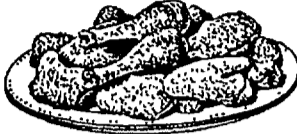


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**Cranberry Sauce** OCEAN SPRAY 16-OZ. CANS **37c**

**Grated Tuna Fish** 6-OZ. CAN **23c**

**Paper Plates** ECONOMY BRAND PKG. OF 50 **49c**

**Dixie Cold Cups** PKG. OF 25 **25c**

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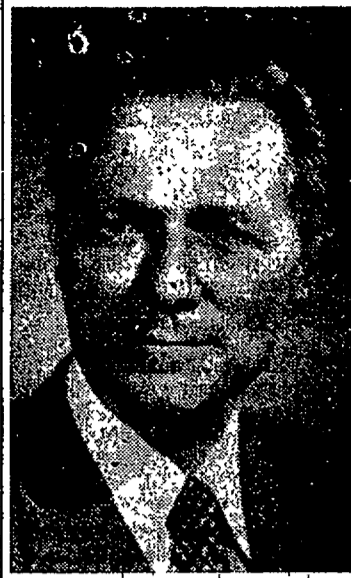
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Sunday, Jan. 3:  
10 a.m., Bible School. Classes for all ages.

11 a.m., Morning Worship and Junior Church for children age 10 and below. Nursery room for mothers with babies.

6:15 p.m., Junior Baptist Youth Fellowship. Mrs. Stiles, leader.

Senior Baptist Youth Fellowship. Mrs. Sauber, leader.

7:30 p.m., Evening Evangelistic Service.

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Wednesday:  
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8:00 p.m., Lutheran Laymen's League each third Friday of the month.

8:00 p.m., Voters Assembly each second Monday of the month.

Lutheran Ladies Auxiliary on each third Thursday of the month.

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## Church Services

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New Year's Day:  
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Sunday, Jan. 3:  
8 a.m., Holy Communion.  
9:30 a.m., Family Service and Story of the Littlest Camel presented with colored slides.

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Monthly Holy Communion—First Sunday—Grade School. Second Sunday—Holy Name Society, 7:00 Mass.

Fourth Sunday—Sodality of Our Lady, 11:00 Mass.

Altar Society meeting—every Wednesday before the third Sunday of the month.

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At 11 o'clock we will share a service of Holy Communion.

Sunday, Jan. 3:  
10 a.m., Church School. A class for everyone. The Adult Class meets with Mr. Russell Amerman in the sanctuary.

11 a.m., Divine Worship and sermon.

Nursery for babies under the care of Mrs. Fred Turney, R.N.

Nursery for children (2-6 yrs.) directed by Miss June King.

Junior Church led by Mrs. C. J. Logeman.

6 p.m., Intermediate Fellowship.

7 p.m., M.Y.F. Senior-Hi group.

### THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Dr. H. F. Fredsell, Pastor  
Sunday, Jan. 3:  
10 a.m., Sunday Church School with classes for all age groups.

Ladies Bible Class meets with Mrs. C. M. Chase in the parlors.

Men's Bible Class discussion, led by Robert L. Hart, in kitchen.

11 a.m., Worship and sermon by the pastor. New Year's Communion and reception of new members.

Nursery care conducted by the Pre-School Nursery group.

Junior Church directed by Miss Ann Katzenmeyer.

5 p.m., Junior High Westminster Fellowship, Social Room.

7 p.m., Senior High Westminster Fellowship, Mr. Richard Kay, sponsor.

Monday, Jan. 4:  
9 a.m., Pre-School Cooperative Nursery, Mon., Wed. and Friday mornings.

3:45 p.m., Cub Scouts meet in the kitchen. Mrs. Norman Pattil-

Thursday, December 31, 1953

10:30 a.m., Worship service.  
11:45 a.m., Sunday School.  
6:30 p.m., Young People's Fellowship.  
7:30 p.m., Sunday evening service.  
Wednesday:  
7:30 p.m., Prayer meeting and Bible study.  
8:30 p.m., Choir practice.

### PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Church of All Nations  
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9:45 a.m., Sunday School.  
11:30 a.m., Preaching.  
7:30 p.m., Night service.

Thursday:  
7:30 p.m., Bible class.

Friday:  
7:30 p.m., Saints meeting.

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### TAKING INVENTORY

The first of the year is a very popular time for merchants to take inventory of their stocks. Smart businessmen do not leave their business to chance, they want to know where they stand. Perhaps this would be a good time for each of us to take stock and see where we stand with God. The primary consideration should be our salvation. II Cor. 13:5 says, "Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith; prove your own selves." The Bible lays down two requirements for people to enter into the faith of Jesus Christ. One is repentance and the other is faith. (See Acts 20:21) In repentance one determines, by God's help to turn from all known sin and by faith one accepts the Lord Jesus as his personal Lord and Saviour Inventory Item No. 1.—Have I done this? Secondly the above text tells us to "Prove our ourselves", that is to run a test on ourselves. II Cor. 5:17 says that our lives will be changed. Take a blank piece of paper and draw a line through the middle. On one side write this heading "Before I became a Christian" on the other side "After I became a Christian". Inventory Item No. 2. Has there been a change in my life since Jesus came into my heart?

Peter F. Nieuwkoop, Pastor  
**First Baptist Church**  
 NORTHVILLE  
 Bible School, 10 a.m.  
 Morning Worship, 11 a.m.  
 Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.



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### MICHIGAN OUTDOORS

**MORE ON TROUT CHANGES**  
 The changes in trout regulations recently proposed by our Conservation Commission included a recommendation that the size limit be raised to 8 or 9 inches, depending upon certain findings of research biologists. There's good reason in back of this suggestion—more reason than there may be behind many of the other proposals for change.

Hatchery raised trout numbering more than one million are planted each year as 7 1/2 inch or better, and of course none have ever spawned. With a 7 1/2 inch limit on all trout, wild and planted, it is very likely that we are taking a very large number of fish before they have reached spawning age.

**Natural Reproduction Adequate, If—**  
 We spend around a half-million dollars or more in raising and planting trout on a pretty lavish "put and take" system, and opponents of this plan say that natural reproduction alone can more than replace the annual fisherman's harvest of trout. This theory might well be more believable if we raised the size limit to the point where we allowed our native trout to spawn at least once before putting them in the creek!

Some anglers will say that the biggest percentage of their catch is the smaller fish—and that often they hook themselves so badly that it's wasteful to turn them back to die. In such a case perhaps the tackle is at fault more than the trout, and changes in that direction might be advisable on a voluntary basis.

If the size limit is raised to eight or nine inches the trout must be raised to this size in the hatch-

eries before release, which means "board and room" for another year, and a much higher cost per fish. Such an increase could spell the doom of planting any adult trout in the near future.

**Proposed Changes Reasonable?**  
 In summary you may ask if these proposed changes in trout laws are really necessary... and it's a good question. The elimination of "hardware" in trout streams has almost been accomplished without legislation simply because this heavy type of lure doesn't fit the requirements of the trout fisherman. The proposal prohibiting fishing between midnight and six o'clock in the morning affects so few fishermen that it just doesn't have much bearing on fish conservation. However, the raising of the size limit looks like good common sense and might be the BIG step in maintaining trout supply in keeping with rising demand. Think it over!

### Wild Life Notes...

**FISHING RULES—**  
 An aggressive plan to preserve Michigan's brook, brown and rainbow trout populations from large-scale reduction was outlined at the December conservation commission meeting, and a public hearing on the proposals was slated Jan. 22.

The five-point program was designed to kick off public and conservation department discussions on trout fishing regulations, with actual changes not in prospect before 1955.

Pointing to other areas where wide-open fishing tactics have caused virtual destruction of trout populations, fish committee chairman Donald B. McLouth, Detroit, said: "We shouldn't wait until our trout streams have been fished dry to change regulations. The time for change is now, while we still have adequate trout populations."

He read the proposed program to members of the press, and called for discussion and participation by the public at the January hearing.

**ROYAL RECREATION**  
**Wednesday Night House League**  
 December 16

Ramsey's Bar	38 1/2	17 1/2
Schrader's	32	24
Wolverine Potato Chips	28 1/2	27 1/2
Bathery Mfg. Co.	13	43

Team high game: Ramsey's 898, Wolverine 860.  
 Team high series: Schrader's 2525, Wolverine 2491.



Young Arnold Glenn Gornall, Jr. of Meadowbrook Rd. accepts a bowling ball from Joe Alessi as his prize for placing among the leaders in the beginner's section of the nation-wide Red Crown Pin bowling contest. Arnold's best series during the contest was 240. Alessi is proprietor of Royal Recreation.

Ind. high series: J. Alessi 593, Bell 210, Stoianoff 203, Hansen R. Porterfield 543.  
 Ind. high game: H. Thorne 235, C. Walker 212.

**NORTHVILLE CENTER BOWLING NEWS**  
**Northville House League**

Team	W	L
Depositors State Bank	39	21
Schafer's Bread	38	22
Northville Bar	37	23
Phone 424	29	31
Northville Men's Shop	27	33
V.F.W. 4012	27	33
Standard Service	27	33
Heichman & VanEvery	16	44

200 Scores: E. Robinson 236, A. Dayton 232, J. Green 225, P. Folino 224, J. Andrews 223, F. Light 222, A. Bauer 221, 213-601, L. McArthur 221, W. Staman, L. Bogart, C. Cole 214, W. Light, D. McIlmurry 213, B. Hawley 212, A. Gadioli 211, M. Sorenson 202, T. Bongli, D. Hamilton 200.

**ROYAL RECREATION**  
**Monday Night House League**  
 December 28

Bailey's Dance Studio	43 1/2	24 1/2
Alessi Gen. Ins.	41 1/2	26 1/2
Main Super Service	40	28
Don's Jr. Five	31	37
Zayti Trucking	30 1/2	37 1/2
Northville Lab.	30	38
Freydl Cleaners	28	40
Weber Machine Tool	27 1/2	40 1/2

Ind. high game: Kimball 256.  
 Ind. high three games: Alessi 595.  
 Team high single game: Alessi 911.  
 Team high three games: Alessi 2588.  
 200 Bowlers: Kimball 200.

**Northville Business Men's League**

Northville Lanes	42	18
Northville Hotel	42	18
Bloom's Insurance	39	21
Harnden's Paints	37	23
V.F.W. No. 2	34	26
Okerstrom Roofing	32	28
Northville Laundry	31	29
Mergraf Oil Products	30	30
Guernsey Dairy	24	36
V.F.W. No. 1	18	42
Miller's Service	11	45
Mich. Powd. Metals	11	45

200 Scores: P. Folino 244, R. Coe 229, 222-629, W. Bennett, R. Sporkowski 212, J. Finke 211, F. Light 210 and 205, A. Ash, R. Hay 203, T. Slater, C. Ash 200.

### Denton Warns Drunk Drivers

Chief Joseph E. Denton today called upon all motorists to make a special effort over the New Year week end to cooperate with the holiday traffic safety program aimed at reducing drunk driving accidents.

"It is only natural that our department should make a special effort to apprehend drunk drivers during a time of the year when there are a great many more celebrations than at any other time," the Chief said. "Our department has made every effort to warn persons who drive after drinking that to become drunk and then drive is considered the most heinous traffic offense because of the complete innocence of so many motorists and pedestrians who are run down by drunk drivers. We have used posters, table tents and radio messages. And, the newspapers have given us splendid cooperation—all to warn motorists that 'Drunk Drivers Go To Jail' and that drunk drivers lose their licenses," the Chief added.

"Today's traffic has become so rapid and so complex that a point has been reached where making special arrangements to get to and from a holiday celebration is an important traffic safety plan. In conclusion Denton said, "Remember, excessive drinking is the thing that gets you into a traffic jam faster than your slowed reactions and poorer driving ability can get you out. It takes less alcohol than you think to give



Private Robert Pullen of East Eight Mile Rd. arrived home on furlough from Fort Knox, Ky. last Thursday. Pvt. Pullen recently graduated from an Army communications school at Fort Knox. After his furlough, he will report back for overseas assignment.

you that feeling of exhilaration which results in your driving too fast and taking too many chances."

**Northville Recreation League**

Team	W	L
Cy Owens	37	23
R. E. Davis	37	23
State Hospital Emp.	31	29
Lyke's Gulf Service	27	33
E & B Beer	27	33
Tame Cats	21	39

200 Scores: A. Bauer 243, M. Clark 213, G. Weiss 206.



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