

# Merry Christmas

## Maybe Jesus Was Born Only Today

### THE MAIL ATTITUDE

BY PAUL CHANDLER



Mary and Joseph had a son 1959 years ago (if for these purposes we interpret the Julian calendar literally) but what if we decide that Christ was born just this morning, possibly an hour or two ago?

It is likely, some know, that in deep eyes far in space, the gap between Jesus' birth and our current weary holiday in the Suburbs may be no less than two hours ... and, possibly, three minutes or one split second.

Sometime next year the United States intends to send a scientific clock aloft. Only the mystics and the scientists know what facts are hoped for in the cold portions of space, but they are trying to check out something that troubled the mind of Alfred Einstein when he died.

Einstein believed a clock would race madly if taken into outer space because, for one thing, gravity is a feeble force there. Somehow, in some ratio of "reality" to the real truth, there is great suspicion today among deep thinkers that Time is a relative thing. On the surface of the earth it stays steady and measurable, but out a billion miles where the stars are only gassy fire, and the quadrillion miles beyond that landmark ... well?

Most understand the enigma in terms of other sense-detected "facts." An object sits on a table. It has a certain dimension. But to a near-sighted man, it has a different size ("really") than to a far-sighted one. And from one end of the telescope it is tiny; from the other, massive. The size shifts. Yet, whatever, it is the same object without argument.

A sound from close-by clangs. Far away, it tinkles. Nonetheless, this must be one, identical sound unchanged in itself, different not in its origin but in its reception.

But when it comes to Time ... we let the sands drop into the bottom of the glass and assume that throughout the eternal everywhere, however giant and impossible to understand, that the pace is measured by a constant Divine metronome beating, beating, beating ... to a single universal tempo, identical on the surface of the earth and the skin of the moon.

It isn't likely, though science yet can't prove it.

So, to many, the birth of Christ isn't a misty fable of centuries past when men didn't shave and all manner of people were hypnotized by possible fantasies of angels and heavenly trumpets while silly camels and donkeys were the only transportation.

In Deep Eyes beyond, it MIGHT have happened only a second ago, with the history gap between the night in Bethlehem and the present shopping rush in the Wayne County suburbs being no time at all.

It is quite likely that we humans are being judged not as successors, but as contemporaries of Christ, if we are being judged at all. That is not theology, or faith, or superstition ... it's Science.

And if we are being judged — and most of mortal mankind has come to this conclusion — then the decision for Christians always, and particularly at this time of year, is to determine what the birth of Christ means, and, as part of that, when it really happened.

We offer not an abstract, dreamy, fanciful topic. It is as electrifyingly current as this morning, if not five minutes ago.

If Christ was born even as long ago as two hours, the event has no dust nor fog upon it.

The acceptance has to be decided upon just about right now — as soon as when we're going to mail our late, late packages.

Do we believe in Christmas, or is that ancient story-telling, an optional subject in the human curriculum?

Christ resisted violence in personal lives.

He didn't go any too much for lives bent upon putting two camels in every garage, a college education, a recreation room, and a tent with a free and clear mortgage. Self-preservation, in fact, seems to have been a minor consideration.

He thought it absolutely compulsory to help anybody who needed a hand.

Death — which occurs usually within the 72 years which now are a human being's fraction of the vastness time known to exist — never was discussed by Jesus as being of much consequence.

It's Christmas.

What time is it? Is Christmas timely? Or a tradition?

Was it nineteen hundred and fifty nine years ago that the boy was born in Bethlehem?

Or a couple of hours ago?

What time is it, anyhow?

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## City Offers Water to Neighbors

### Services Observe Christmas

With shoppers scurrying about to finish up their last-minute Christmas buying, Plymouth churches have begun their observance of the festive holiday with special services and programs.

Plymouth stores are still offering a wide selection of merchandise and will be open until 9 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday night this week. On Christmas Eve, most stores will close at 6 p.m.

Many churches have already started their Christmas week observance. Some services were held last Sunday, while other special programs will take place through Christmas Day.

(For a list of local churches and their holiday services, see special page in Section 2.)

A few business establishments and most industry will be closed the day after Christmas to allow their employees a long weekend. Most downtown stores, however, will re-open for the day.

The Secretary of State's office on Liberty St. will be closed Saturday. Manager Doris Root announced.

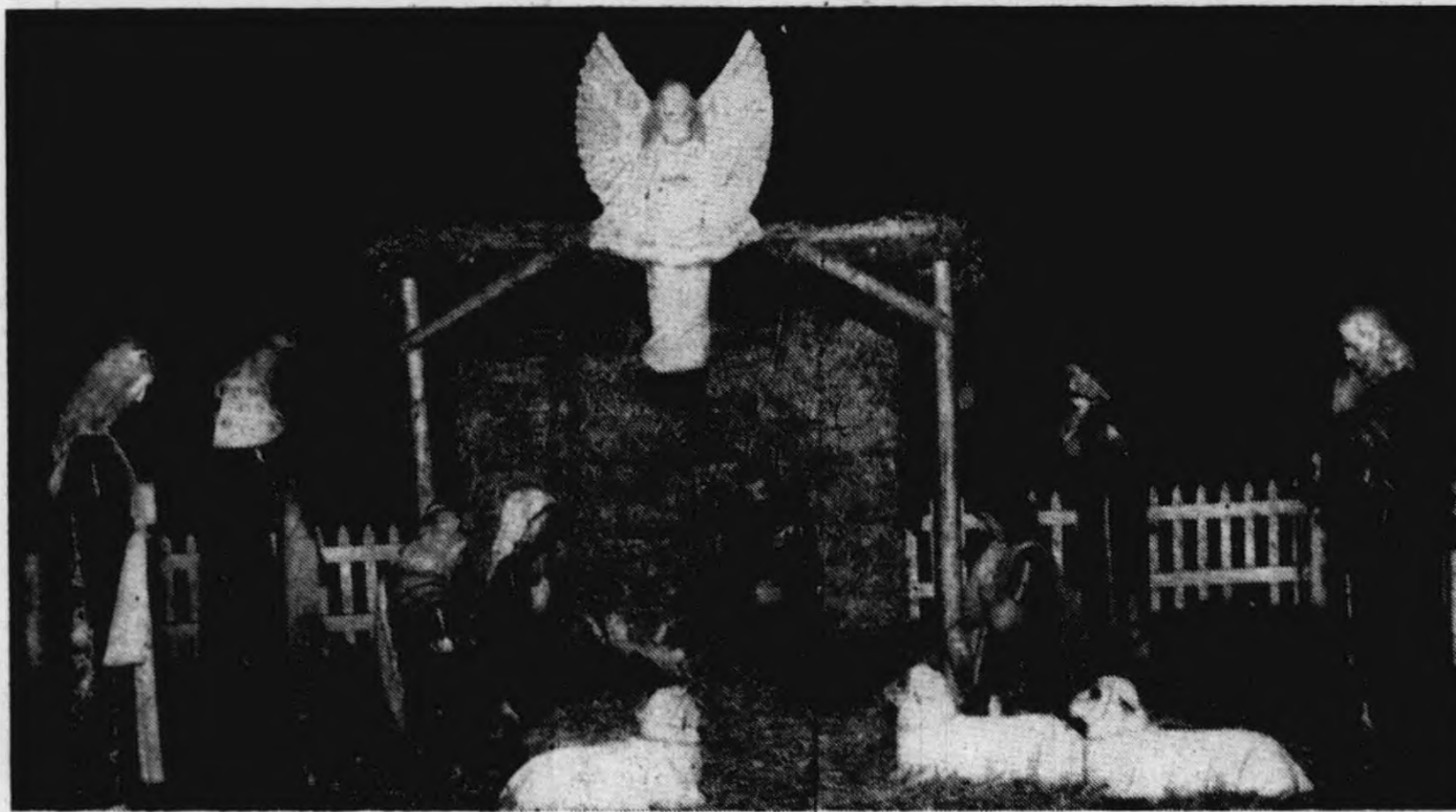
### Goodfellows

### Ready Mission Of Good Cheer

Plymouth Goodfellows will begin their tour of good duty this Christmas Eve after having experienced one of their most successful newspaper sales in their history.

Clear, crisp weather last Saturday helped make the task of the

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OF ALL the Christmas decorations devised by man, the manger scene is still the most beloved. Hundreds of children and adults pause every day in front of Plymouth's manger scene in Kellogg Park. It was reproduced this year by

use of life-like figures. Hanging behind the manger—and in the East—is the star. The story of Christmas and its meanings will be told many times this week in churches and homes.

## New Tax Measure Starts Bringing Empty Plymouth State Home to Life

With the Michigan Legislature finally reaching agreement on a tax measure, the gleaming new Plymouth State Home and Training School building that has stood completed but empty since November 2 because of the lack of money will apparently come to life next spring.

The four-story structure, located next to the Wayne County Training School on Sheldon Rd., was scheduled to admit its first patients in early January. But instead, it has stood almost barren of furniture and equipment ever since its final completion. There also was no staff hired.

And the situation was due to the state's financial troubles.

It had taken a year and a half to complete the \$2,750,000 institution for mentally retarded young people. There is a waiting list of around 750 in Michigan waiting to be admitted to such an institution. This first unit of the Plymouth State Home will be able to handle 150 of them.

"The picture has changed completely since last week," Walter Kenzie, business manager of the Plymouth Home declared this week. He also is business manager of the Farmington Branch of the Plymouth State Home.

Kenzie must now go to work and order all the furnishings and equipment for

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people needed on the staff at the start. Kenzie said that he is now seeking the professional personnel, especially registered nurses. Any competent registered nurse seeking work can call Kenzie at GRenleaf 4-7700. Around 75 nurses are required.

While the new building is yet to be opened, the State Mental Health Department is hoping to get a 220 bed custodial unit started in 1960 on the grounds. Eventually it is hoped; the Plymouth State

Home and Training School will have 1,700 beds. This would not include the Wayne County Training School with which the state wants to merge. The Health Department pointed out.

Supervisor Louis Stein of Canton Township said that he was glad to hear it and that he would want to explore the offer to the fullest.

Both Lindsay and Stein noted that the trouble would lie in financing water mains from the city limits to points in their township. Both townships have water projects underway, but bonds are sold backed by the "faith and credit" of Wayne County. Most townships do not have tract bond buyers themselves.

Because Wayne County is pledging its faith and credit, the township is bound by agreement to purchase its water from the county, whose water department is now merged with the Detroit system.

But if the townships do not themselves decide to buy water from the city and resell it, there is another area where the offer may aid economic development. Township commitments would not forbid private capital from being used to lay pipelines from city limits to new industries or business buildings.

Supervisor Stein said that two industries have recently purchased property along the

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### Near Journey's End

## Three Kings Stop Here



FACES of Christmas. Checking their make-up in the mirror prior to going on stage last Sunday are the five male members of the cast of "Amahl and the Night Visitors." At the extreme left, behind a long beard, is David Aiken, who plays King Mel-

choir. The others from the left are: Kirk Jordan (Amahl), Leon Lishner (King Balthazar), Nat Sibbold (Page to the kings), and Andrew McKinley (King Kasper). The opera was presented at the Plymouth High auditorium.

Three Kings named Melchior, Kaspar and Balthazar, stopped in Plymouth last Sunday as they neared the end of a one-month journey across the stages of 11 American cities.

The Kings, dressed in the same splendor in which they will be seen on television Christmas Eve, were members of the five-member traveling cast of "Amahl and the Night Visitors." It was an ambitious undertaking of the Plymouth Symphony Society.

"Amahl" is the story of a crippled shepherd boy who lives with his poor widowed mother. Thein comes the miraculous night when the Three Kings, enroute to see the Christ child, stop at their humble house.

The Three Kings, David McKinley, David Aiken and Leon Lishner, and the mother, Rosemary Kuhlmann, have been playing the same role ever since Gian-Carlo Menotti wrote the opera in 1951 for NBC-TV.

"They refer to us as the indestructible TV cast," Aiken remarked as he was making up Sunday afternoon for the local performance in the high school gym. Aiken, who serves as manager of the

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## Ten-Year Plan Calls For Paving Most City Streets

A "Ten Year Street Program" that calls for paving practically every unpaved street in the city has been submitted to the city commission by a Ten Year Planning Committee.

The plan calls for improvement of 14.31 miles of streets at an estimated cost of over \$2 million.

In the report, submitted by Planning and Engineering Supervisor S.L. Besse, construction is set up so that the city's contribution from general fund for any one year would be around \$100,000.

The total estimated cost of all the projects through 1969 is \$2,019,450. Of this, \$965,760 would be assessed to property owners and \$1,053,690 would be a general fund capital outlay.

There are 81 separate projects listed in the program. Nearly all of the projects call for an eight-inch concrete pavement, curb and gutter. The cost is based on \$10 per front foot for properties in R-1, R-1-A, R-2 and PR-1 districts. Others would pay \$13.69.

Carrying out the program would depend upon several "ifs." The general fund contribution of \$100,000 a year

would be realized by use of \$40,000 from weight and gas tax revenues returned from the state, and from collection of \$60,000 annually by use of a proposed two-mill appropriation to be included in the tax rate for 10 years.

Whether citizens living along the streets proposed for paving want to have their streets paved will also have a bearing. It is procedure to hold public hearings to determine what percentage of property owners within each project are in favor. Property owners would have the usual option of paying for the project all at once or in 10 payments with interest.

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### Fire Damages Harvey St. Home

A fire that climbed through an interior wall of a Harvey St. home brought out city firemen last Thursday afternoon. The blaze was at the home of Clarence Stevens, 240 N. Harvey St. Firemen said that the fire apparently started when an ash tray was emptied into a plastic wastebasket near the wall in the kitchen.

## Ten-Year Plan Calls for Paving Most City Streets

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"The proposed 10 year program is entirely flexible," Besse's report indicated, "in that the position of streets in the outline may be shifted and transferred as long as the General Fund contribution does not exceed approximately \$100,000 in any one year."

Plymouth has had several "Ten Year Plans" in years past. Many of the proposed projects were carried out; others were dropped because of the lack of city revenue or because affected property owners did not desire the projects.

These are the proposed projects and their estimated cost:

**1960**  
Sheldon Rd., Ann Arbor Trail to C & O, (this project is completed but final payment of \$35,000 to county is due July 1).  
S. Harvey St., Ann Arbor Rd. to Wing, \$102,000.  
S. Harvey St., Wing to Ann Arbor Tr., re-cap, \$8,350.  
Ann Arbor Tr., Sheldon to Harvey, re-cap, \$6,000.  
Total cost, \$151,350.

**1961**  
Farmer St., Sheldon to Blunk, \$73,000.

**1962**  
N. Holbrook, Plymouth Rd. to Wilcox, \$82,000.  
Dewey, Hartsough to Ross, \$9,000.  
Roosevelt, Hartsough to Birch Estates Sub., \$4,200.  
Harding, Hartsough to Birch Estates, \$4,200.  
Amelia, Farmer to Liberty, \$21,000.  
Sheridan, McKinley to Joel P., \$8,700.  
Hamilton, Ann Arbor Tr. to Union, \$41,000.  
Forest, Wing to Sutherland, \$40,000.  
Union, Mill to Holbrook, \$8,200.  
Total cost, \$218,300.

**1963**  
Farmer, Blunk to 200 feet east of Karmada, widening 9 1/2 feet on each side with re-cap, \$6 per front foot, total \$45,250.  
Blanche, Starkweather to Amelia, \$19,000.  
Holbrook, Union to Park Ave., \$14,000.  
Joel P., Sheridan to Ann Arbor Tr., \$5,200.  
Maple, Hamilton to Virginia, \$30,000.  
Herald, Beech to Maple, \$30,000.  
Simpson, Main to McKinley, \$33,000.  
Virginia, Maple to Fair, \$13,500.  
Wing, S. Main to Deer, \$8,500.  
Total cost, \$198,450.

**1964**  
Blanche, Sheldon to Adams, \$68,000.  
Fair, Mill to Fairground, \$29,000.  
Wing, McKinley to Harvey, \$27,350.  
Hartsough, Harvey to McKinley, \$10,000.

**1965**  
Ann Arbor Tr., Hamilton to east city limits, \$78,000.  
Joy, Virginia to alley east city limits, \$78,000.  
Joy, Virginia to alley east of Harding, \$31,000.  
Hamilton, Ann Arbor Tr. to south terminus, \$15,000.  
Fairground, Ann Arbor Tr. to south terminus, \$28,000.  
Evergreen, Ann Arbor Tr. to Penniman, \$35,000.  
Total cost, \$187,000.

**1966**  
Maple, Harvey to McKinley, \$27,000.  
Jener, Beech to Linden, \$6,000.

**1967**  
Harding, Maple to Burroughs, \$54,000.  
Dodge, Main to Union, \$18,000.  
Roe, Union to C & O Railway, \$38,000.  
Elizabeth, Roe to Ann Arbor Tr., \$10,000.  
Ross, S. Main to Evergreen, \$45,000.  
Beech, Harvey to McKinley, \$20,000.  
William, Arthur to Evergreen, \$14,000.  
Burroughs, Harding to Coolidge, \$12,000.

**1968**  
Goldsmith, Arthur to Sheldon, \$25,000.  
Liberty, Mill to York, \$21,000.  
McKinley, Byron to Palmer, \$30,000.  
Davis, Farmer to C & O Railway, \$34,000.  
Byron, S. Main to McKinley, \$35,000.  
Deer, Ann Arbor Tr., to south terminus, \$36,000.  
Coolidge, Joy to Burroughs, \$35,000.  
Blunk, Junction to C & O Railway, \$11,000.  
Irvin, Junction to C & O Railway, \$10,000.  
Lena, Junction to Goldsmith, \$7,000.  
Total cost, \$244,000.

**1969**  
York, Liberty to Hardenberg, \$41,000.  
Cherry, Dunn to C & O Railway, \$21,000.  
Theodore, N. Main to Farmer, \$33,000.  
Junction, Sheldon Rd. to alley east of Karmada, \$147,000.  
Total cost, \$242,000.

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### Obituaries

#### E. Gaige Kuhn

Funeral services were held December 14 at the Casterline Funeral Home, North-Interment was Rural Hill Cemetery in Northville with Rev. Peter Nieuwkoop of Northville Baptist Church officiating.

Mrs. Kuhn passed away December 10 at the University Hospital after suffering a heart attack. She was born February 25, 1899 in Bay City, Michigan and moved to Salem Township in 1934. She served as Medical Secretary at Atchison Hospital in Northville and was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star of Plymouth.

The Chapter conducted a service at 8 p.m. on Sunday evening.

Survivors are her husband, Oscar; daughter, June Schroeder of South Lyon; brothers, Don Prohaska of Jackson, Edward Brooks of Bay City; grandchildren Barbara (Mrs. Clark of Howell), Dorothy and Corliss Schroeder of South Lyon; and one great grandchild, Randy Clark.

### No Rifle Class Here Monday

The Plymouth Junior Police rifle class will not meet Monday, Dec. 28, it was announced this week by Mrs. John Olendorf.

However, open shooting will be held on Dec. 29 at 6:30 p.m. and the next regular class will be Monday, Jan. 4.

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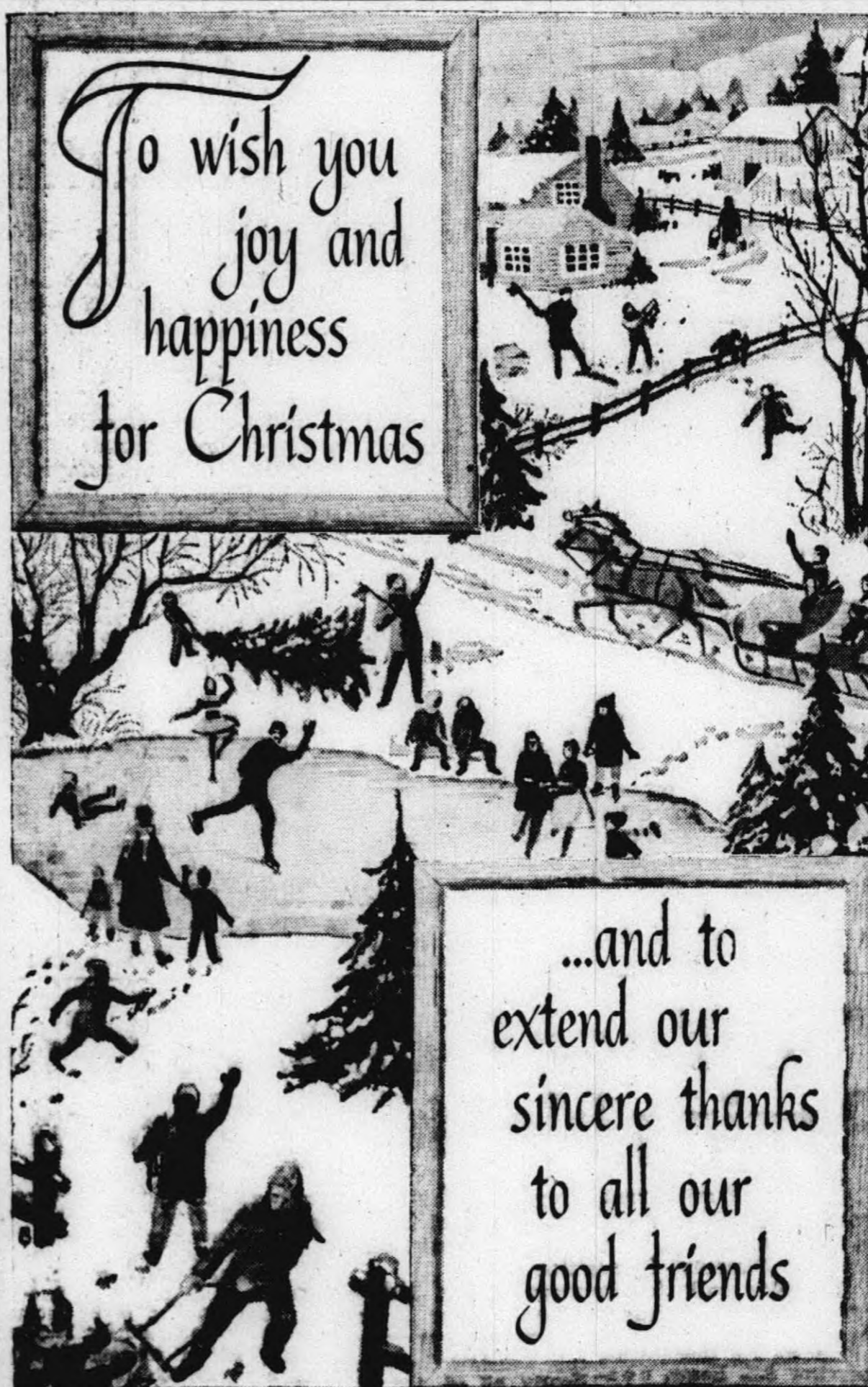
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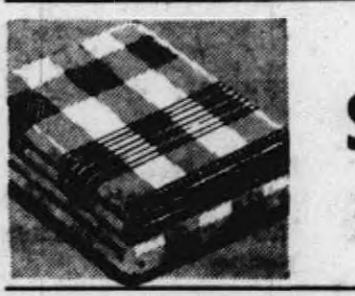
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# Chamber Asks for Legislation To Restrict Sunday Store Openings

Palladium, a metal of the platinum group, was named for the planetoid Pallas.

The controversial question of whether to restrict the opening of stores on Sundays has been placed before the Plymouth city commission through a resolution passed by the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce board of directors.

With there apparently being a greater threat than usual of Sunday competition, the Chamber board has recommended that "as a matter of policy, that all retail establishments should be closed one full day each week both for religious reasons and community reasons."

The board, in its letter to the city commission, urges that legislation be enacted as soon as possible to restrict retailers to being open only

six days of any week "with whatever exceptions are deemed necessary for public or welfare."

Commissioners expressed no opinion on the letter. Instead, they made a motion to table the matter indefinitely.

Plymouth already has an ordinance prohibiting Sunday sales of certain items. These include automobiles, furni-

ture, appliances and floor coverings. This ordinance was passed in 1955.

In other business before the commission, a motion was approved to deny the claim of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gretzinger, 679 N. Harvey, who sought \$400 damages resulting when a sewer backed up and damaged basement appliances in August 1958. The residents claimed that

their sewer outlet was tied into an abandoned sewer and that it was not properly cleaned by the city.

The city replied that the tie-in was made years ago when the state was making inspections. City Attorney Harry Deyo added that unless there is clear-cut evidence of neglect by the city, such claims should be denied because nearly every

city has basement floodings every year.

Mayor Harold Guenther made several appointments to commissions and boards that were approved by the commission. They were:

To Planning commission, Carroll Porter, Ezra Rotnour and George Bauer, all re-appointed. Terms expire Nov. 2, 1962.

To Zoning board of appeals, Frank Allison re-appointed until Dec. 1, 1962. One vacancy left by Donald Burleson still not filled.

To board of review, J. D. McLaren re-appointed, term expiring Jan. 1, 1963.

To electrical board of examiners, Robert Gilles re-appointed, James R. Green, a new appointment, terms expiring Jan. 15, 1961. James Honey, Sr., did not want re-appointment.

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## Independent Grocers Foresee Bad Times if Supermarkets Open Sunday

Local independent retailers met last week with Chamber of Commerce Manager Donald Millikin to seek a means of combatting the threat of Sunday openings by large chain supermarkets here.

It was the first move of its kind here since the threat was recently revealed by the Plymouth Mail.

All of the retailers present reaffirmed their opposition to Sunday openings of the chain markets. The aim of the meeting was to set the wheels

in motion to research the problem.

Shortly before the retailers gathered with Millikin, the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce had passed a resolution stating that "all retailers should be closed at least one full day each week, both for religious and community reasons."

The resolution purposely did not specify which day of the week the various retailers should close their doors.

The independent grocers took hope from the resolution, since the anticipated result would be for the chain supermarkets to remain closed on Sunday. The independent gro-

cers retailers could then select their own respective day of closing.

Said Henry Rengert, owner and proprietor of Rengert's Market: "If I closed on Sunday, I might just as well go out of business." The other independents shared Rengert's view.

William Orr, of Bill's Market, spoke for the group. "The supermarkets are cutting into our business quite a bit," he said. "Especially during the night-time and week-ends, where we depend on a great deal of our income."

The group discussed various approaches to the problem and asked Millikin to

check with various Chambers of Commerce throughout the nation in search of possible solutions. Millikin indicated that he would attempt to uncover a model ordinance that has been successful elsewhere in halting the Sunday openings of the chain groceries.

Also discussed was the possibility of limiting the opening hours of the chain supermarkets, too, but the group reached no conclusions.

Monday, Millikin related that no further developments had taken place regarding the matter. "We're just researching the problem," he explained.

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Anticipating the next show are boys and girls (above) who attended the puppet show at Dunning-Hough Library last Saturday. Mrs. Florence Leyanna's Third grade class from Smith school worked the puppets and spoke for them. They acted sev-

eral Christmas folk stories to the enjoyment of the children as well as adults present. Children's Librarian Miss De Agostina announced the Library will not have their story hour on Saturdays until February. The time and date will be announced later.

**New Film at Penn**  
GARY Cooper seeks the aid of Virginia McKenna in solving the dilemma of the mysterious wrecking of his ship in MGM's "The Wreck of the Mary Deare," that opens Christmas night at the Penn Theatre. This is the film version of Hammond Innes best-selling novel. Also starring is Charlton Heston.



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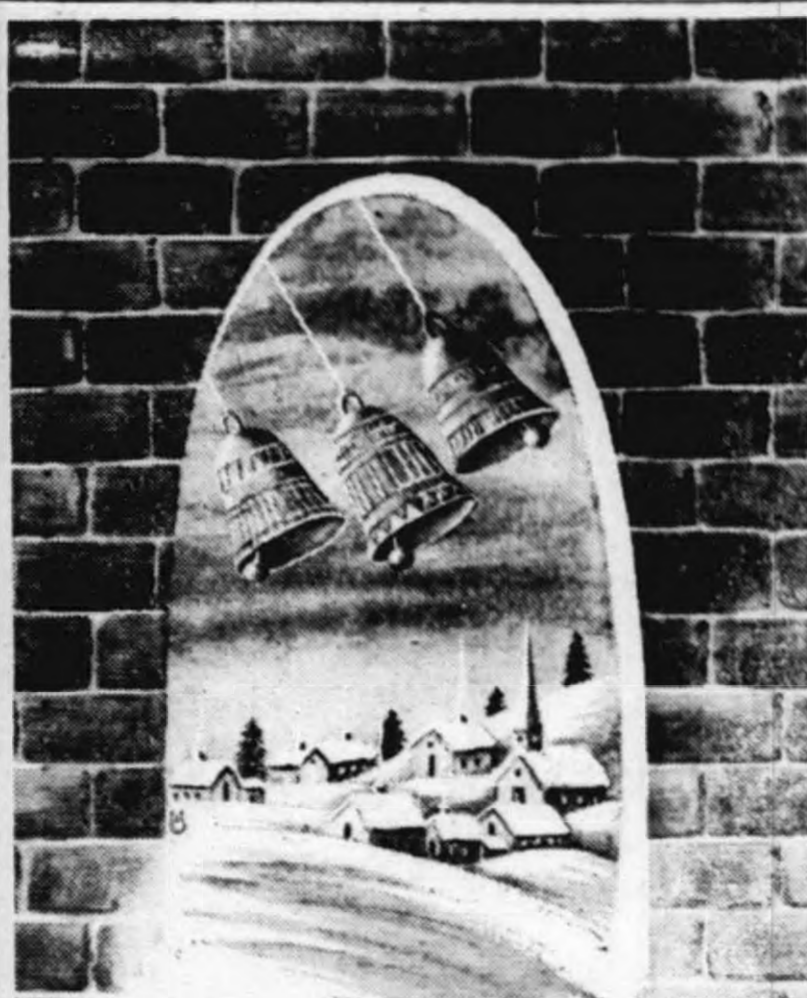
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# A Joyous Christmas

As the merry Christmas bells echo far and near, as friends and families gather to celebrate the happiest of holidays, we wish for everyone the season's best.

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JUNIOR HIGH art students are making good use of the large window area of their school by displaying large Christmas scenes. The students, taught by Mrs. Gretchen Larson and Heinz Dittmar, have filled several dozen win-

dows. Inside decorations were provided by the Student Council. A Christmas assembly will be held today (Wednesday) with the Junior High chorus and band taking part.

## Salem Township Treasurer Busy Correspondent

Mrs. Herbert Famuliner, Our Township Treasurer, Mr. Harlow Ingall, has been busy this past week sending out the 1959 tax statements. One statement went to Saudi Arabia; three to Florida; one to Texas; 130 to and through Detroit; 115 to Plymouth; 28 to Ann Arbor; 85 to South Lyon; 15 to Livonia; 65 to Salem; 178 to Northville; and 38 to different cities in addition to the above.

Miss Nancy Cort is home for the Christmas holidays. Nancy is a senior at Lansing. She will teach as a student teacher in Jackson in January.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Har-

desty and children and Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Hardesty and children, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Hardesty at the Ford Christmas Party, sponsored by the Dearborn Stamping Plant, at the U of D Memorial Building on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crane of Detroit were Sunday callers at the Famuliner home.

Seaman Navin Compton of Brookville Rd. is home from Great Lakes, Ill. on a short leave.

Norm and Betty Esch of Webberville were weekend guests at the Ferman Rohraff home. Sunday callers were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Raymond Jr. and children of Dexter.

Mrs. and Mrs. Don Raymor were Sunday callers at the Charles Raymond home.

Mrs. Norm Foerster of Voorhies Rd. entertained on Thursday night with a Christmas Toy Party.

Mrs. Al White has been spending a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Donald Tiffin of Gofredson Road.

The N.E.W. Farm Bureau will hold its Christmas Party and planned pot-luck dinner. Mrs. Hazel Van Bonn and Mrs. Clara Kidston will cook the turkeys. This party was reported to be the 10th, but the date is to be the 19th at the Salem Town Hall.

Mrs. Pauline Graham of Seven Mile Rd. entertained the 5th and 6th grade girls of her Sunday School class from the Federated Church on Saturday with a Christmas party. The party was held in

Mrs. Graham's home. The girls enjoyed an exchange of gifts.

The Salem Hobby Club met at the home of Mrs. Fred Verran on Monday evening for dinner. A delicious dinner was enjoyed by the 15 members present. Bingo and the exchange of Christmas presents followed.

The Pre-School Mothers' Club of the Geer School Dist.

## Resident Wins Honors at Arizona

Alvin E. Larson, a 1950 graduate of Plymouth High School, recently won scholastic honors for the school year 1958-59 in the College of Law at the University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona. In addition Al was awarded the Paul W. Westerlund law scholarship for scholastic achievement.

Al is in his final year of law studies and is currently ranked third scholastically in his class. For the fall semester of 1958, he was one of two students who received straight A's in the law college.

A participant in Moot Court competition at the University of Arizona for the past two years, and first place winner in 1958, Al was selected on the Moot Court Board this year. He is also chairman of the advisory committee to the University Pre-Law Club.

A member of Phi Delta Phi law fraternity, Al took his undergraduate work in Business Administration at Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona.

After graduation in May, 1960, he plans to set up his practice of law in Phoenix, Arizona.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Larson, reside at 45245 Joy Road, Plymouth.

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## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Proctor of Plymouth proudly announce the birth of their first child, a son, **Gregory L. Lynn**, born Nov. 10 at Beyer Memorial Hospital. He weighed 9 lbs., 3 oz. Mrs. Proctor is the former Daisy Hornback. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hornback of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Proctor of Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner, Five Mile, announce the birth of a daughter, **Anne Katherine**, weighing 7 lbs., 11 oz. on December 2 at Mt. Carmel Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Miller of 8473 Canton Center Road have a new daughter, **Gale Irene**, born December 11 and weighing 7 lbs., 11 ozs. Mrs. Miller is the former Norine Everett of Plymouth.



**PLYMOUTH LUMBER & COAL**  
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**WHILE MOST** Goodfellow newspapers were selling for quarters, half dollars and dollars last Saturday, one paper brought \$60. The Parkview Homeowners Association, donor of money and gifts to worthwhile projects each Christmas, gave its contribution to the Plymouth Goodfellows this year. From left, are Martin Kennedy, president of the association; Robert Fitzner, Goodfellow and city fireman; and Lester Coutts, Goodfellow President. The \$60 was the profit from a rummage sale staged by association members last fall.

**NEWS BEAT**

Plymouth Township folks who may be looking for gift suggestion for their dog might try the Township Hall. The 1960 tags, due by June 1, cost \$2 for males and \$4 for females. But instead of the usual little shiny metal tags, the new licenses are in the shape of red fireplugs!

**RAMSACKING:** Police reported two homes ransacked early last Tuesday night. The James VanLoos home, 702 Harding, had drawers and cupboards emptied, a metal pitcher melted down on the stove, egg nog poured in the toaster and bleach poured over clothes and the floor in the basement. Several dollars and some old coins were stolen... A mile away at the Harvey McKenna home, 262 N. Holbrook, there was a similar scene with nothing believed stolen.

**WATCH THEM:** Theft of outdoor Christmas tree lights is common this time of year. One homeowner reported three strings of lights missing so far.

**CRACK-UP:** Three cars collided at Dodge and Main Sts. last Saturday night. Don Maloney, 15, of Livonia, received a cut face and was the only one injured... Norman Goebel of Mill St. reported to police that someone had slit the top of his convertible while it was parked in the East Central Lot last week.

**BLACK-OUT:** Those who labor at putting on programs such as the expensive "Amahl" presentation in the high school gym last Sunday are dreaming harder than ever of the day when Plymouth can have an auditorium... A cable carrying all the lighting for the temporary stage was strung through a doorway. Just as the Symphony was about to begin its part of the program, someone closed the door and cut the cable. There were sparks and some smoke but most people were unaware of any trouble... The three lines inside the cable were spliced in time for the "Amahl" opera.

**BIG FELLOW**  
 BRISTOL, England (UPI) Four men hauled a giant tortoise named Methuselah off to a scale and the Bristol Zoo announced he weighed 266 pounds.

Virginia's Natural Bridge, a span of water-carved limestone, arches 90 feet across a gorge. Thomas Jefferson paid George III 2 shillings for the bridge and for 157 acres of land less than a year before first shots were exchanged between Americans and Britons in the Revolution.

The first commercial oil well was tapped in Romania in 1857.

Mexico's oil reserves are estimated at 1.7 billion barrels.

**CONVENIENT HOURS!**  
**4%** CURRENT DIVIDEND ON ALL SAVINGS  
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**Merry Christmas**  
 All our best wishes to you and your family. Have a Christmas as merry and bright as the ornaments on your glittering tree.

**THE Photographic Center**  
 "Plymouth's exclusive Camera shop"  
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**THE MOST POPULAR MAN** in town, Joe Bida, listening to the requests of a real good boy and girl, Thomas Laffey and Susan George. Over 250 children received a Christmas gift, candy, and were entertained with movies at the Lakepointe Subdivision Christmas party at Farrand School last Saturday afternoon. It was the first time the Civic Association had invited Santa Claus to visit the Lakepointe boys and girls and the party was considered by Mrs. Edward Bales, Chairman, and her committee a huge success.

**75 Attend Zoning Hearing in Township**

Plymouth Township planning commissioners now face a decision in a controversial proposed zoning change that involved not only township people, but also has drawn comment from city of Plymouth officials, citizens and the Chamber of Commerce.

A parcel of land on the southwest corner of Sheldon and Territorial Rds., now zoned for agriculture in the township, has been proposed for a change to commercial zoning. The Ohio Oil Co. wants to buy the property for a service station.

Petitions signed by a area residents both for and against the station were presented to the township planners. Since the other three corners of the intersection are one-family lots within the city limits, a public hearing held last Wednesday attracted many of the city dwellers. Seventy-five people attended the meeting.

The Plymouth city planning commission sent representatives expressing its feeling against the change. Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce Manager Donald Millikin also said that it was not in the best interests of the community.

Ohio Oil Co. personnel outlined their plans. There is not a service station in that entire area, it was noted.

Planning commissioners now have the zoning change under consideration.

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**FAMOUS CANNON BATH TOWELS**  
 Reg. 69¢ ea. **2 for \$1.00**

Beautiful solids and stripes to mix or match. Fine quality terry is super absorbent and soft. Giant 22"x44" size in lovely decorator colors.

Reg. 20¢ ea. Matching Washcloths. 3 for 47¢  
 Reg. 39¢ Terry Kitchen Towels... ea. 27¢  
 Reg. 20¢ ea. Quality Dish Cloths. 5 for 77¢

**SHEET SALE!**  
 Famous brand, superior quality muslin sheets. 81"x99", bleached snowy white. **\$1.87**

Reg. \$2.17 double bed, 81"x108"... \$1.97  
 Reg. \$1.97 twin bed, 72"x108"... \$1.87  
 Reg. 97¢ pillow cases, 42"x36"... pr. 87¢

These Prices Effective Starting Saturday

360 S. Main Plymouth  
 Every Day — more people are awakening to KRESGE values!

**STRENGTH FOR THESE DAYS**  
 from The Bible

Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? Hope thou in God.—(Psalm 42, 11.)

It comes to all of us that, having achieved our worldly desires, we still know a vague and gnawing despair of joy unfulfilled. And it will give us no peace until, humbly seeking, we have made our peace with the Lord.

East really meets West in Trinidad and West Indies. The island's population includes Chinese, Hindus, Moslems, Parsees, French, Dutch, English, Madrassis, Bengalese, Brahmins, Spanish, Portuguese, and a variety of Africans and Near Easterners.

Canals in Britain have a total navigable length of nearly 2,000 miles.  
 The female death rate in Norway from all causes is the lowest in the world.

**GREETINGS of the Season**  
 Joyfully we sing out happy holiday wishes to you and yours!

**Allen's Carpet Cleaners**  
 855 Penniman Ave. GL 3-0021

**WOLVERINE HARNESS RACEWAY**  
 Detroit Race Course Orlow G. Owen, General Manager

A joyous time, this Season of the year—a time for us all to enjoy good fellowship, good cheer and Holiday happiness. A time, also, for us to express gratitude for pleasant associations and warm friendships such as yours.

**The Old Timer**

"Matrimony was probably the first union to challenge management."

**HURRY**  
 get these last-minute gifts here!

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**TOYS — TOYS — TOYS**

- ★ Dolls ★ Games
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**HOUSEWARES** for HER  
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GL 3-5500  
KE 5-6745  
GA 2-3160

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Our classifieds go to 19,900 homes in Plymouth, Livonia, and Redford Township.  
Phone us at GL 3-5500, GA 2-3160 or KE 5-6745.

**2-A—Cemetery Lots**

PARKVIEW Memorial Gardens. Six lots in the Garden of Ascension. KE 3-9184.

**4—Card of Thanks**

We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbors for their help and sharing during our recent bereavement. The comforting message by Rev. Arnold Kehl, and Schrader Funeral Home for their kind service. A special thanks to the companions of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, and to all who paid respects in person or with floral tributes.

Mrs. John Jordan and family

**Special Notice**

READINGS by appointment daily. Rev. A. Hawkins, 28805 Elmwood, Garden City, Garfield 1-3042.

LOSE WEIGHT safely with newly released Dex-a-Diet tablets. Only 40 cents at Beyer's Drug Store.

**Special Notice COPIES**

The Plymouth Mail has installed a new Thermofax copier machine. We will make **FAST COPIES** of correspondence, documents, etc. for 15 cents per page. For many purposes, this permits great savings in typing time and costs. Copies will be made in four seconds.

The Plymouth Mail  
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GL 3-5500

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Expert child care and guidance by a graduate teacher. Excellent preschool training for children 2½-5. Year around program.

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Glenview 5-5250

**WANTED:** Ride from Plymouth to Five Mile-Merriman area. Work 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. GL 3-2773.

**ELECTRIC and thermo-electric baths, and Swedish massages.** Corrective movements and weight control. 9438 Livorno, near W. Chicago. TE 4-2599.

**Marco's SUNDAY SPECIAL**

Italian spaghetti dinner served family style.  
\$1.00 PER PERSON  
Children under 7 Free

**Marco's**

38410 Grand River  
(west of 10 Mile) Farmington  
GR 4-9735

**5A—Christmas Gift Suggestions**

**Baby Sitter for afternoons, 5:30 p.m. on. Vicinity of Joy and Kinder Rds. GA 7-2158.**

**RELIABLE WOMAN for babysitting and/or housecleaning, one day per week. Own transportation desirable. Dixboro area. Normandy 2-9810.**

**St. Mary's Hospital Registered Nurses**

Subject to call when needed. Good working condition. New St. Mary's Hospital, 36475 Five Mile. GA 7-4800, Extension 234.

**SEE JERRY before you buy H.O. miniature trains, also gas model airplanes. Jerry's Shoe Repair and Hobby Shop, 583 South Main, Plymouth.**

**GARRAND RC-88 record changer, \$45. Call GL 3-7357 after 4:30 p.m.**

**BOY'S hockey skates, size 4. Football helmet and shoulder pads, size 9. Gray flannel suit, size 14. All like new. Also tubless tire 7.60-15. GL 3-0213.**

**AMERICAN FLYER train set, late model, \$150 value, price, \$40. 8 inch table saw, ¾ h.p. motor, excellent condition, \$50. FI 9-0248.**

**MIXED TERRIER PUPS, little beauties, just right for the kiddies' Christmas. GE 8-2484 after 6 p.m.**

**LADIES' DRESS SHOES, genuine alligator, excellent condition. Size 4½, 13. GL 3-6174.**

**GIRL'S CHICAGO roller skates and case, excellent condition. Size 6, \$18. GL 3-6474.**

**5A—Christmas Gift Suggestions**

**BOY'S ICE SKATES, size 2; boots and rubbers, 4 and 5; record player, 78 r.p.m.; football helmets, GL 3-2340.**

**HANDMADE baby articles, cut-work pillowcases, tablecloths and afghans. GL 3-2037.**

**CHIHUAHUA, one year old, GL 3-1151.**

**WHITE FIGURE SKATES, size 8; roller skates, size 8; girls' KE 7-3761.**

**ADORABLE snow white puppies for best gift. Available by Christmas, \$5. GA 1-7853.**

**FREE—good home for Cocker, well trained, spayed. GA 1-4319.**

**SPLIT-LEAF PHILLODENDRON, 5 ft. tall, in cedar bucket on rollers. Healthy and beautiful. KE 3-6383.**

**FREE—female dog. Anyone can have it for a good home. GA 4-4628.**

**BLACK ANGORA kitten, free to a good home. GR 4-7983.**

**LIONEL TRAINS like new, \$350 value for \$95. GA 2-9454.**

**BEAGLE PUPS, registered, 2 to 6 months old. \$35 and up. GL 3-5074.**

**GERMAN SHEPHERD puppies, purebred, 6 weeks, \$20. 38940 Ann Arbor Trail, GL 3-1493.**

**ELNA, fully automatic, portable sewing machine. Practically brand new. Best offer. Girl's shoe skates, roller, white, size 7½ and d case. Best offer. Huffy radio bicycle, boy's, excellent condition. Best offer. KE 1-2572.**

**EASTMAN 8 millimeter magazine, F-19 lens, General Electric light meter, Powell lights, screen, Revere projector, all for \$95. 25838 Five Mile at Beech. KE 7-6050.**

**LIONEL TRAIN with locomotive and whistle tender, 4 cars with automatic couplers, transformer and remote control switches. GL 3-1217.**

**EXCELLENT CONDITION, white skates, 6½-7, \$3.50; doll buggy, \$2; scooter, \$15. KE 3-3286.**

**FREE TO GOOD HOME, 8 week old kittens, litter trained, GL 3-7236, after 12.**

**20 INCH BOY'S BICYCLE, \$10. 26 inch girl's bicycle, \$15. Girl's shoes, size 9, \$5. Thor 49 modulations of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, and to all who paid respects in person or with floral tributes.**

**9—Help Wanted—Male and Female**

**TRAVEL AGENT, experienced, or airline personnel with ticketing experience. Good opportunity, excellent working conditions. Elliott Travel Service, Wonderland Shopping Center. For interview call UNiversity 2-7555.**

**EXPERIENCED teletypewriter operator for position with The Plymouth Mail. Phone for appointment. GL 3-5500.**

**10—Situations Wanted Male**

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**Mrs. John Jordan and family**

**11—Situation Wanted—Female**

**CARPENTER WORK wanted, a n y type, finish carpentry. Specialize in kitchen remodeling. Ken Hanchett, GA 1-1472.**

**TOYS**

10 PER CENT OFF. SELLING OUT MY TOY KIT. WILL COME TO YOU OR YOU CAN SEE THEM AT MY HOME.

GL 3-1574

**6—Lost and Found**

**FOUND: pair of glasses by Wilcox apartments, in Dr. McIntyre case. Apply Plymouth Mail.**

**7—Help Wanted—Male**

**LINOTYPE OPERATOR. Phone Mr. Chandler, GL 3-5500 for appointment.**

**8—Help Wanted—Female**

**Bird's Baby Sitters AGENCY**

Wants pleasant, dependable women, 40-60, to work through agency, for newborn, child, and invalid care—in Plymouth, Livonia, Redford, Farmington and Garden City. Must like children and have references.

Call GA 1-6900 for interview.

**14—Wanted to Rent Homes**

**LIVONIA AREA, 2 bedroom house, with basement and garage. Reasonable rent. GA 7-1826.**

**16—For Rent Business**

**SHOP FOR RENT, 3,800 sq. ft. 38630 Plymouth Rd., Livonia. Available December 15. Call Plymouth, GL 3-1442.**

**OFFICE SPACE, approximately 900 sq. ft. for doctor or lawyer, etc. GL 3-1880, 583 Forest Ave., Plymouth.**

**FOR RENT—Large house at 238 South Main. Suitable for business or professional use. Apply at 280 South Main, or phone GL 3-3301.**

**OFFICE SPACE, Livonia—centrally located. Single or multiple. \$37.50 to \$75, utilities furnished, air conditioned. Mr. Woodruff, GA 1-9050.**

**FOR LEASE**

Standard Service Station  
In Plymouth  
GA 7-0575  
AFTER 6 P.M.

**17—For Rent—Homes**

**WILL SHARE my home with working lady. All modern conveniences. Call GA 1-5078 or GA 7-1486.**

**THREE BEDROOM HOME with carpeting, two baths, tile kitchen, fireplace, large recreation room, automatic hot water gas heat, two car garage, large yard, across from lake at 15153 Northville Road. GL 3-6128.**

**THREE bedroom ranch. Attached garage, disposal, fenced, gas heat, carpeting. Near schools. GA 2-1168.**

**THREE BEDROOM, new, modern, gas heat, \$100. 42052 Firwood, Plymouth. Available approximately December 12. FI 9-1938.**

**NEAR PLYMOUTH-WAYNE RD.**

**Three bedroom brick, landscaped, gas heat, ½ block public school. \$125 a month. Children welcome. RE 2-7397**

**PLYMOUTH, 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, automatic heat, venetian blinds, near downtown Plymouth, GA 4-2898 after 4:30.**

**LARGE TWO BEDROOM duplex. Ford Road near Hick. Automatic heat and hot water, full basement, private drive. \$90 month. GL 3-4693.**

**TWO BEDROOM home, gas heat, furnished. GL 3-2520 after 5:30 p.m. Inquire at 747 S. Main St., Plymouth.**

**THREE bedroom house for rent. 11728 Arcola, Livonia. Call GL 3-1761.**

**LEASE OR SALE—3 bedroom brick in Livonia, finished basement, fenced double lot, fireplace and barbecue, large kitchen. Owner transferred. GA 4-1571.**

**FOUR ROOMS and bath, unfurnished. Stove and refrigerator furnished. \$60. GL 3-4071, 15099 Northville Rd.**

**FOUR BEDROOM, modern home. Carpeting, drapes, tile bath and kitchen, basement, gas heat. \$60 Blank. GL 3-7385.**

**CAMP COD HOUSE, two bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished. Natural fireplace, automatic washer. FI 9-2232 or FI 9-9813.**

**FURNISHED four rooms and bath, two bedrooms. Furnace heat, automatic washer and dryer, built-in stove and oven, large lot. Will sell. Maxwell, off Five Mile. Phone GL 3-2712.**

**LIVONIA—Harrison, 15825, 2 bedroom brick, gas heat, \$80 monthly. ABRO. GA 1-1210.**

**LARGE clean three bedroom brick, carpeted, close to schools, churches, parks and shopping. GA 2-9551.**

**18—For Rent—Apartments**

**FURNISHED apartments, reduced rates. Babies allowed. No pets. No drinking. 41174 E. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, GL 3-2582.**

**19—For Rent—Rooms**

**ROOM for gentleman only. Quiet neighborhood to sleep days if necessary. 348 Roe, Plymouth.**

**LIVONIA, corner Merriman and Five Mile Road. Large room for gentleman, private bath. Outside entrance.**

**SLEEPING ROOM for rent, for woman. Home privileges. 723 North Harvey, Plymouth. GL 3-2377.**

**BEDROOMS FOR RENT, Livonia. Close to Ford Transmission and Chevrolet Gear and Axel. GA 2-1488.**

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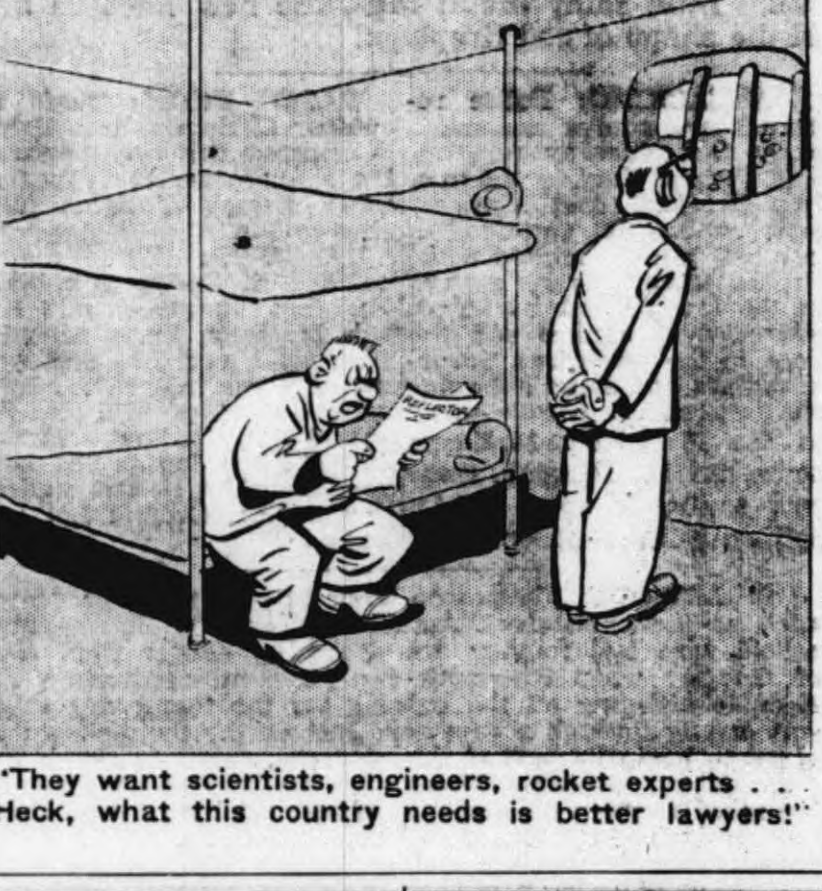
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**FOR LEASE, building for business, 30 x 80 feet, 33611 Plymouth Road, GA 2-1446.**

**33020 FIVE MILE, next to Bank of Livonia. Available May 1st. Approximately 1,000 sq. ft. Private parking ideal for professional use. WO 1-2328.**

**New Office Suite**

An all-new, comfortable, quiet, modern suite of offices is now available in the central business district of Plymouth, Mich.

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This suite is located in a fireproof building, air-conditioned with elevator service, and the view is over a central park.

Other space in the building is available and will be custom designed to the tenant's requirements.

**Colonial Professional Building**

729 W. Ann Arbor Trail Plymouth GL 3-5353

**17—For Rent—Homes**

**WILL SHARE my home with working lady. All modern conveniences. Call GA 1-5078 or GA 7-1486.**

**THREE BEDROOM HOME with carpeting, two baths, tile kitchen, fireplace, large recreation room, automatic hot water gas heat, two car garage, large yard, across from lake at 15153 Northville Road. GL 3-6128.**

**THREE bedroom ranch. Attached garage, disposal, fenced, gas heat, carpeting. Near schools. GA 2-1168.**

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**NEAR PLYMOUTH-WAYNE RD.**

**Three bedroom brick, landscaped, gas heat, ½ block public school. \$125 a month. Children welcome. RE 2-7397**

**PLYMOUTH, 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, automatic heat, venetian blinds, near downtown Plymouth, GA 4-2898 after 4:30.**

**LARGE TWO BEDROOM duplex. Ford Road near Hick. Automatic heat and hot water, full basement, private drive. \$90 month. GL 3-4693.**

**TWO BEDROOM home, gas heat, furnished. GL 3-2520 after 5:30 p.m. Inquire at 747 S. Main St., Plymouth.**

**THREE bedroom house for rent. 11728 Arcola, Livonia. Call GL 3-1761.**

**LEASE OR SALE—3 bedroom brick in Livonia, finished basement, fenced double lot, fireplace and barbecue, large kitchen. Owner transferred. GA 4-1571.**

**FOUR ROOMS and bath, unfurnished. Stove and refrigerator furnished. \$60. GL 3-4071, 15099 Northville Rd.**

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**CAMP COD HOUSE, two bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished. Natural fireplace, automatic washer. FI 9-2232 or FI 9-9813.**

**FURNISHED four rooms and bath, two bedrooms. Furnace heat, automatic washer and dryer, built-in stove and oven, large lot. Will sell. Maxwell, off Five Mile. Phone GL 3-2712.**

**LIVONIA—Harrison, 15825, 2 bedroom brick, gas heat, \$80 monthly. ABRO. GA 1-1210.**

**LARGE clean three bedroom brick, carpeted, close to schools, churches, parks and shopping. GA 2-9551.**

**18—For Rent—Apartments**

**FURNISHED apartments, reduced rates. Babies allowed. No pets. No drinking. 41174 E. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, GL 3-2582.**

**19—For Rent—Rooms**

**ROOM for gentleman only. Quiet neighborhood to sleep days if necessary. 348 Roe, Plymouth.**

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**New Building**

Three-room apartment. Stove and refrigerator are furnished. Walking distance to town.

**160 Amelia OR CALL GL 3-6072**

**LOVELY apartment. Four rooms and bath. All utilities, plus stove, refrigerator and living room rug furnished. Located on Main Street, close to shopping. Ideal for working couple or two girls. GL 3-3098 daytime, or GL 3-5339 after 6 p.m.**

**MODERN large two bedroom, unfurnished, first floor apartment. Recently redecorated. Maytag gas range and refrigerator furnished. Automatic gas heat. Utilities furnished, including electricity. Garage. Reasonable rent. Two blocks from Shopping District. This desirable apartment available at 212 High Street, Northville, Lincoln 4-1503.**

**FIVE ROOMS completely furnished. The finest in Plymouth for a fine couple with references. No children. One block from High School and one block from theater. GL 3-4030.**

**TWO BEDROOMS, partly furnished. \$19 per week, or \$75 per month. Children O.K. 1909 Starbuck, near Pearl, in City of Plymouth. KE 7-4277 or GL 3-9829, or inquire at Sinclair station across the street.**

**LOWER FLAT, furnished, 2 blocks from heart of Plymouth business section. Available January 1. Adults only, references required. GL 3-4579.**

**THREE ROOMS and bath, furnished, private entrance, 715 Virginia, Plymouth.**

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**FIVE ROOMS unfurnished, 1083 North Holbrook, Plymouth. \$45. GL 3-4119.**

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**WILDWOOD HALL-37609 Ford Rd. Expanded. Weddings, dances and all occasions. The price is small. GA 4-3284.**

**NEW MODERN K. of C. Hall available for parties, weddings, dances, meetings. 39050 Schoolcraft, GL 3-2745, call evenings.**

**AMERICAN LEGION HALL for rent 9318 Newburgh Rd., Livonia for all occasions. Complete kitchen. Call Garfield 1-7094 or Garfield 2-0825 Betty Wilcox.**

**Weddings Parties Meetings**

American Legion Post 271  
15585 Beech Rd.  
KE 7-1405 KE 5-0437

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**ONE ACRE, by owner. Two bedrooms, 1½ bath, garage. Lots of fruit and berries. Wonderful garden soil - Seven Mile and Newburgh area. FI 9-0087.**

**FOR SALE BY OWNER - Attractive country ranch home. One acre beautifully landscaped. Two car garage with heated breezeway. Extra large family size living room. Oil heat, deep well, grapes, raspberries, large garden area, gravel turn-around. See it at 14805 Haggerly Road, between Schoolcraft and Grandview. For quick sale \$17,900, \$100 month, approx. \$4,000 down.**

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One mile west of Plymouth on N. Territorial Rd. Beautiful new subdivision, highly restricted, over ½ acre lots, underground wiring. Custom building only. Windy blacktop streets. Inquire across road. 46850 N. Territorial Rd.

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BALED TIMOTHY, clover and alfalfa hay. 41494 Joy, east of Lily, Plymouth, GL 3-0655.

INDIVIDUAL AND COMPANY GIFTS
Pure maple syrup, jams, jellies, and honey - gift wrapped.

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Turn left on Territorial

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INDIVIDUALLY designed Spencer corsets, surgical supports for men and women. Ten years experience.

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Bags, Sweaters, Golf Balls, Carls, Shoes, Rain Jackets, etc.

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5 Back of neck
6 Paradise
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9 "Smallest State" (ab.)
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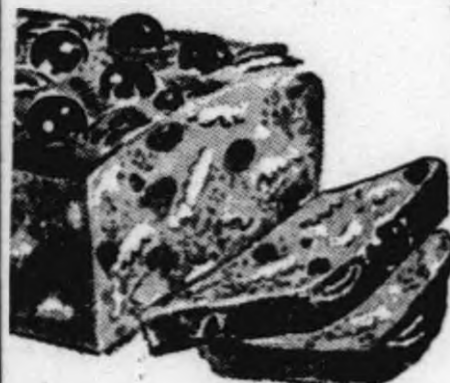
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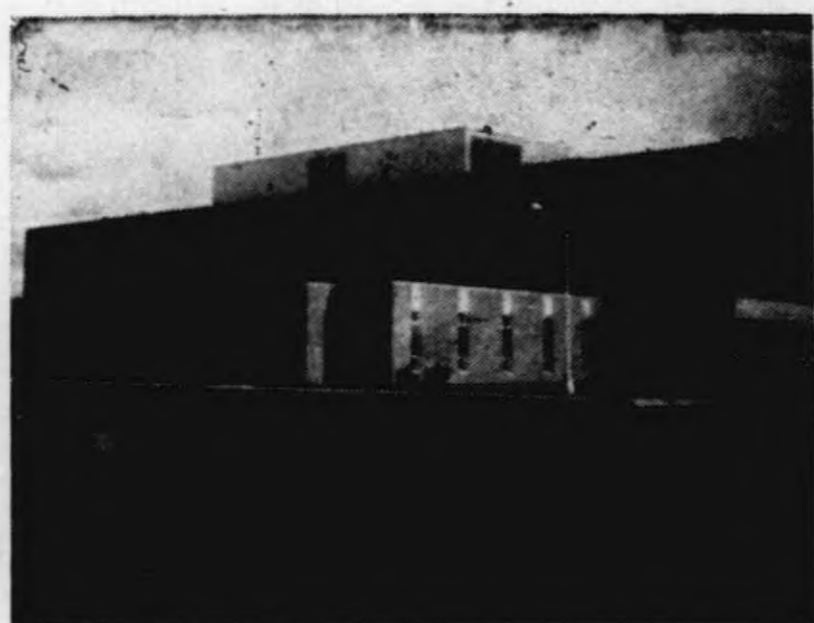
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**New Tax Measure**

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ment has set a target date of July 1, 1961 for the merger, but some personnel problems must be worked out first. . . . Should the State Home be expanded to 1,700 beds, the facility would cost a total of \$20,000,000 and would employ around 90 people — thus becoming a major employer in this area. These 1,700 beds, along with Wayne County Training School buildings, would provide a 2,500 bed facility. . . . Further expansion, of course, still depends upon the state's future financial condition.

**Goodfellows**

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Goodfellows more pleasant. Lester Couts, president of the organization, announced that the entire drive netted \$2,025.90. Besides the newspaper sale, the Goodfellows were given the day's coffee receipts from the Ellis Restaurant Saturday. And a Plymouth organization, the Parkview Homeowners Association, turned over \$60 for a paper. . . . The Goodfellows will make their deliveries Christmas Eve. They began their buying Monday and are busy wrapping gifts today. The toys, food and clothing will be placed in large boxes and delivered starting Thursday afternoon. . . . As of Monday, there were 28 families in line for Goodfellow help. Many more are expected this week. . . . It is not unusual for the Goodfellows to work late into Christmas Eve and even have store owners re-open in order to buy some toys or clothing for a newly-found family in need. . . . Goodfellows had 5,000 newspapers to sell. Some were sold Friday at the gates of local industry. The remainder were sold Saturday on downtown streets. By 2 p.m., nearly all had been sold. . . . The Goodfellows work closely with the Salvation Army in providing for those in need.

**City Offers**

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Chesapeake & Ohio Railway in Canton Township which may be interested. . . . Canton Township has water coming out Michigan Ave. to Beck Rd. and a 12 inch line will be laid northward on Canton Center Rd., perhaps as far as Palmer Rd., Stein asserted. But the township's fastest growth, he feels, will come in the northern portion. This growth could perhaps be aided by city water, if a method of financing could be arranged. . . . The offer was aimed mainly at fostering economic development. . . . Monday night's resolution came about after a Water Policy Study Committee made its report. This committee was composed of Commissioners J. Rusling Cutler, chairman; Robert Sincock; and Marvin Terry and City Manager Albert Glassford. . . . The resolution declared that "it appears to be of great significance for the sound economic development of the City of Plymouth and the surrounding area that the whole area be made attractive to new business and industry and availability of water is of first importance on the part of business and industry. . . . The new policy will continue to allow up to one inch water taps outside the city limits along existing water mains. It also opens the door for those wanting taps larger than one inch to present their case before the city commission. . . . Water rates for outside users will continue to be the same (double the city rate in most cases). . . . According to the resolution, no planning should be undertaken to serve a load of more than 4 million gallons of water a day average to the entire system and there should be no more than 6 million gallons a day maximum daily load unless a new source be found.

**BRITISH-STYLE LUNCHEONS**

LONDON (UPI) — "Cheap luncheons," British style, are due to appear on New York restaurant menus next year, according to the London Daily Mirror. . . . Its food writer, without naming them, said two New York restaurateurs had been in London studying inexpensive menu items, with a view to making British tourists feel at home when eating out in New York. Dishes that reportedly made their list: sausage and mash; shepherd's pie, and chips and dumplings.

**Three Kings**

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group, estimates that the four have sung their roles at least 50 times in four years of Christmas season touring. . . . Before that, it was seen only on television. It appears on WWJ-TV this Thursday at 8 p.m. . . . "Amahl" starts its road tour each year after Thanksgiving. They travel mostly by private car and haul costumes, stage props and equipment in a trailer. Occasionally, some cast members will travel by plane. . . . Of the five major roles, only the part of Amahl himself has changed over the seasons. Kirk Jordan, now 12, is the third Amahl. It is suspected that Kirk's soprano voice will have changed by next winter and a fourth Amahl will be obtained. He has played the role for three seasons now. . . . The cast arrived in Plymouth Sunday morning and a rehearsal was called after lunch. The role of the page, played by Nat Sibbold, and the shepherds were all local people. . . . Usually there are only 15 shepherds, but the entire Plymouth Civic Chorus under Fred Nelson provided their own costumes and appeared on stage. . . . A make-shift stage erected by the Theatre Guild brought praise from the "Amahl" cast. They play under all sorts of conditions, but found Plymouthites had gone to a lot of work to transform its gymnasium into an auditorium. . . . At a reception at the Hotel Mayflower following the performance, the cast also praised Plymouth Symphony Conductor Wayne Dunlap and the orchestra, calling it one of the best orchestras with which they have ever sung. . . . Tonight (Wednesday), the

Amahl cast ends its 11-city tour of the year with an appearance in the Ford Auditorium with the Detroit Symphony. . . . It is doubtful that the Symphony Society met expenses on the project. Conductor Dunlap said, "but we feel we wanted to go out of our way to present something really worthwhile for the community." . . . From the reaction of the large number of children who saw Sunday's performance, the Symphony Society has fulfilled its goal.

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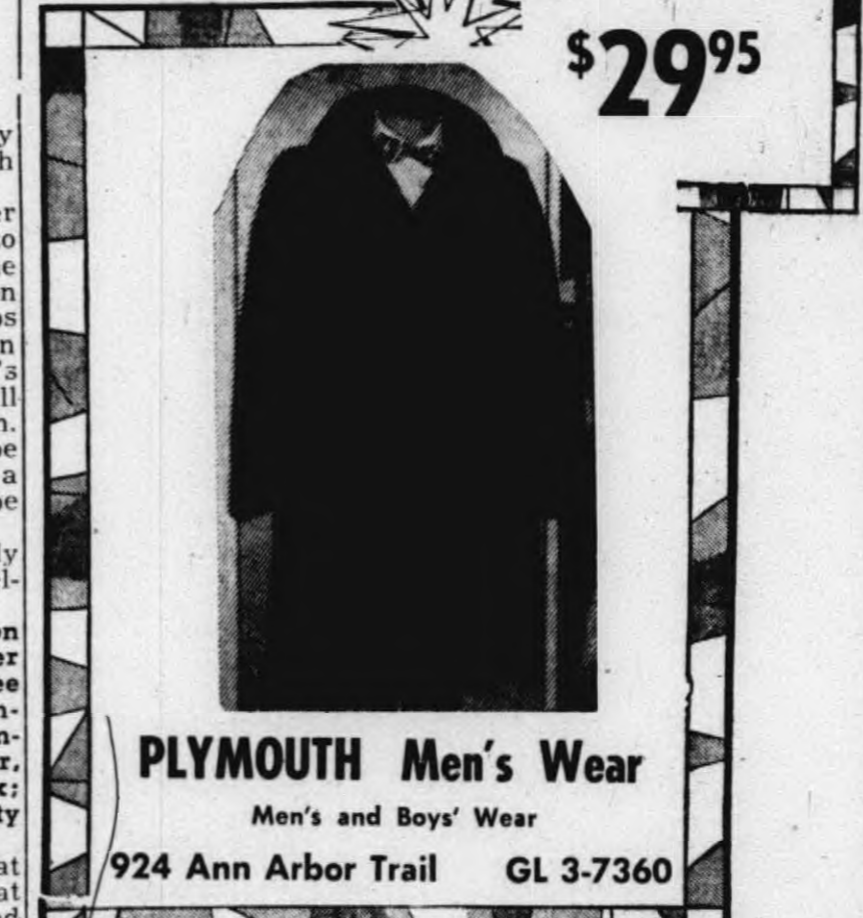
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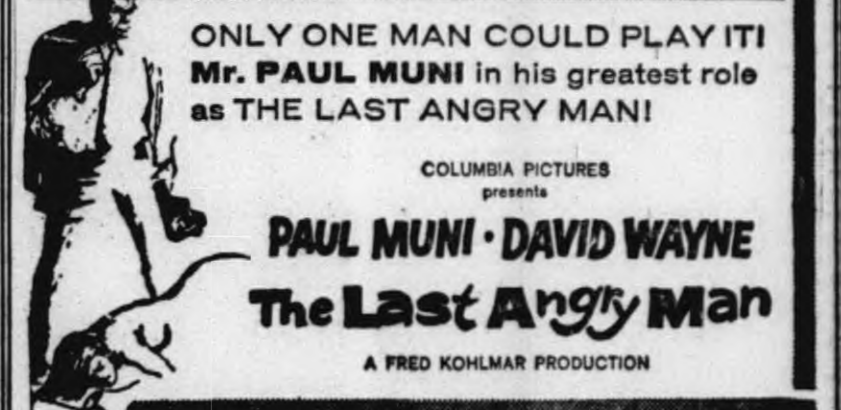


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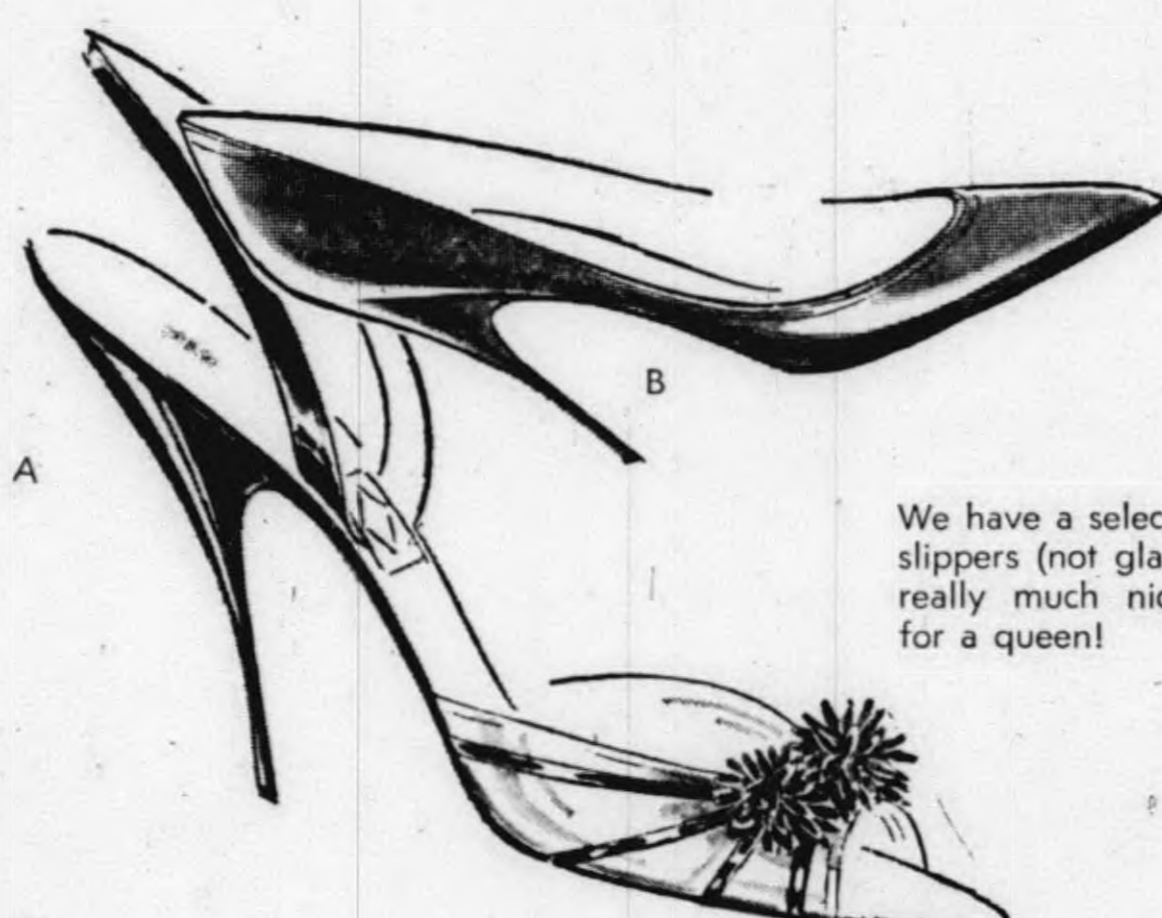
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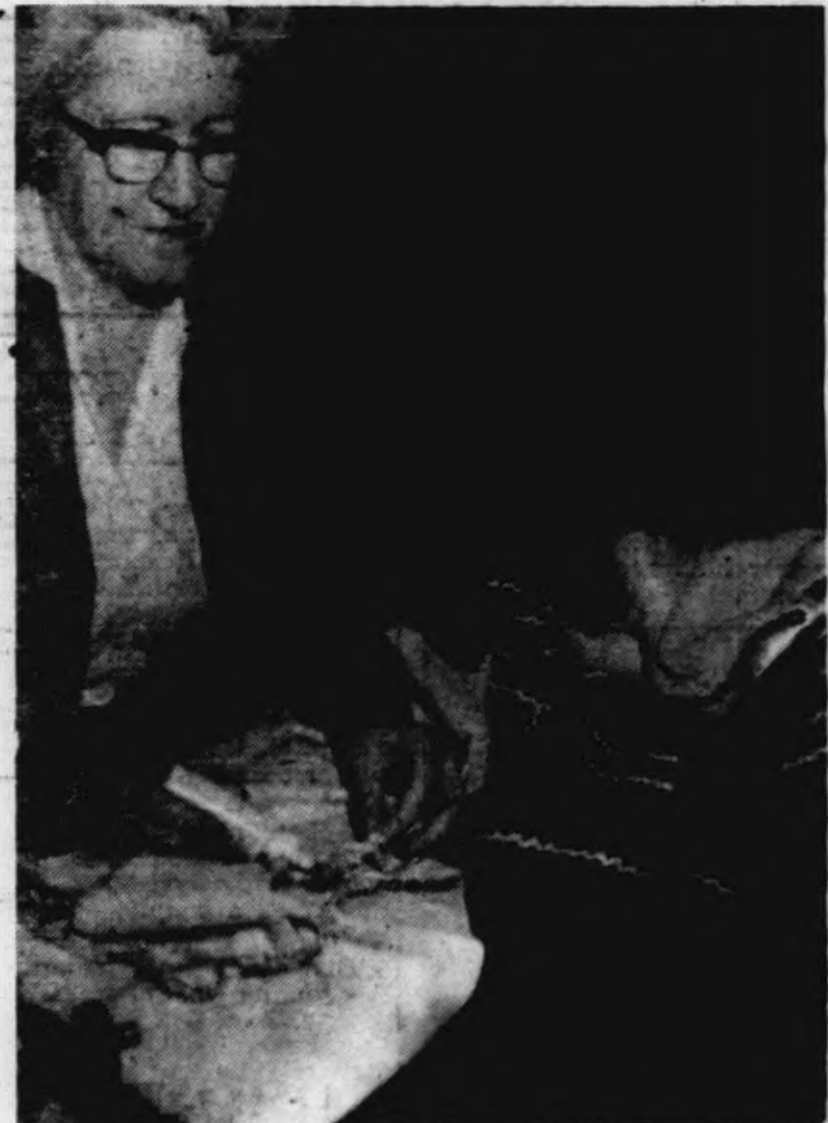
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**Wins Lead in Play**

Larry Sexton, of Plymouth sophomore at Central Michigan, has been named one of the leads in the University's next play, "Detective Story." It will be presented Jan. 14 through 16 by the Play Production Class.



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**To Women It May Concern**

By MYRA COX

Couldn't resist picking this from the Want Ad column this week and hope it will bring some results.

Wanted: Wrought iron furniture, not to buy but to borrow. Promise to return in perfect condition; to be used the night of Dec. 26 only. (signed) The Women's League of the Plymouth Symphony Desperate-Decrating-Committee.

With Shirley Snowden and her committee artistically transforming the Plymouth High gym into Christmas time in New Orleans (no easy task) surely someone can come up with a few pieces of furniture—if you haven't any yourself, don't you know a fella who knows a fella, who has some? The Committee will pick it up, insure it, and return it after the December 26 dance, which promises to be a very elegant affair.

Talking about music, artistic and charming people as we were above, brings to mind a most captivating lady we noticed hurrying in and out of our back shop about 10 times last week. Being a j.n.c. reporter, (just naturally curious) I discovered she was the inventor and now the manufacturer, on a very small scale, of a wonderful new game called "Tempo." Her name is Mrs. Harry Ericson and she just moved here from Chicago, but is really an Alabama native (part of the charm). She has always loved to teach music, play music, and even compose songs, several of which have been recorded. She is interested in having other people, particularly children, enjoy music. The card game she invented is fun, and as you enjoy the game you just can't help but learn more about music—although you do not have to have any musical background to play. Adults too can enjoy the game. Mrs. Ericson's "brainchild" is available at Breneman Toys in Plymouth, attractively boxed.

We thought Mrs. Richardson's "Nu-Sew" was a marvelous idea, too, but after I discovered it didn't sew on buttons, I sort of lost interest. She demonstrated it to the amazement of our office staff, sewing a rip in one of the girl's sleeves, putting the hem up in another where it had torn. But the amazing thing when I got home and discovered it did "sew" on buttons, I went around all week-end with the bottle in one hand and a gleam in the other—the whole mending pile "got glued"—and in 25 minutes—how about that?

One of the nicest Christmas parties I've heard about this year was hosted by Dorothy Finney on Arthur Street. Her study group, which is working toward their 30th birthday, had a Christmas Cookie Exchange. The members brought their cookies and recipes and had a tasting bee. The members enjoyed the cookies, a monologue by one of their members, Mrs. Effie Kuisel, the good fellowship of old friends, in the beautiful atmosphere of Mrs. Finney's home.

Members of the study group are Dorothy Straub, Minnie Hill, Helynn Caplin, Elsie Reddeman, Elinor Graham, Effie Kuisel, Bernice Reddeman, Betty Mende, Olga Hubert, Irma Gothard, Virginia Van-Hoff and Dorothy Finney.

A few of the recipes we share with you—maybe you will have a chance between Christmas and New Year's to make them—after Dec. 25 we shall have nothing to do but go to the Christmas Symphony Ball, have a good time, and do things that amuse us. "Leckerli" brought by Helynn Caplin

- 1 c. granulated sugar
- 1/2 c. honey
- 1/2 c. chopped candied orange and lemon peel
- 1 1/2 t. cloves
- 1 1/2 t. nutmeg
- 1 t. cinnamon
- 1 t. soda
- Grated rind of 1/2 lemon
- 1 c. unblanched almonds, sliced thin
- 2 3/4 c. sifted flour

Heat 1/2 c. sugar and honey to boiling. Remove from heat. Add peel, spices and soda dissolved in two tablespoons cold water. Add remaining ingredients. Knead until well blended. Roll dough to 1/2 inch thickness. Put on greased waxed paper on cookie sheet. Bake in 325 degree oven for about 25 minutes. Turn out on wire rack and remove paper at once. Cook remaining 1/2 c. sugar and 1/4 c. water until mixture spins thread, spread on top of Leckerli dough. Store one week before using, although it is good immediately, because I tasted them.)

**Chocolate Drop Cakes by Dorothy Straub**  
Cream 1 c. brown sugar with 1/2 c. shortening. Add 1 egg and add alternately 1/2 cup sour milk with 3 t. cocoa, 1/2 t. soda, 1 1/2 c. sifted flour. Add 1/2 c. raisins and 1/2 c. nutmeats. Bake in moderate oven about 20 minutes.

**Chocolate Fudge Cookies by Dorothy Finney**  
Melt 2 squares chocolate and 1-3 c. butter over hot water. Beat 2 eggs and add one cup sugar. Combine with chocolate mixture. Add 1/2 cup flour, 1 cup nutmeats, 1 t. vanilla. Mix well and pour into greased pan. Bake in moderate oven. Cut in squares. Sprinkle with powdered sugar. (Part coconut may be used in place of some of the nuts.)

**Aunt Vera's Peanut Butter Balls by Elinor Graham**  
2-3 c. peanut butter  
2 t. soft butter (or margarine)  
2 c. confectioner's sugar  
10-12 cherries, chopped  
8 squares semi-sweet chocolate  
3 t. melted paraffin  
Finely chopped nuts or fine cocoanut

Mix together peanut butter, butter, confectioner's sugar and cherries. This may be crumbly, but when rolled in small balls will mold easily. Dip balls in melted chocolate and wax and roll in nuts or cocoanut. Refrigerate to set.

This tag came off one of the plates of beautifully decorated cookies—poetry and good food go hand in hand, and maybe some day you can use this from Betty Mende:

- From a box
- I can bake a cake,
- From a recipe
- I'm a cookie rookie,
- For fear of your dropping dead
- I got the cookies at the Bakery instead.

**Metamorphosis Of A Gym**



**HAVE YOU EVER** made Spanish Moss? Under the direction of their chairman Shirley Snowden, the Decorating Committee for the Symphony Ball know how. In fact they could make it with their eyes closed. The "Christmas in New Orleans" Ball on December 26 promises to be so

By JOANNE COOKSEY  
Imagine, if you will, a large, empty room. Every sound rockets around it thunderously. It's utterly bare and the lighting is such that every corner is clearly visible and just about as unattractive as a bare corner can be. It's filled with glare when lit and about as cheerful as an empty stadium when in darkness. There is absolutely nothing glamorous about it: no interesting nooks to investigate or to stir the mind, no color to relieve the monotony of four dun-colored bare walls, and no play of light on the floor or walls unless the moon is shining through the high pictureless windows. Now let's fill that room, first with things, then with music, then with people.

Bring the outside into the room in the form of six seven-foot tall poinsettia trees (not hot-house plants). At great effort import into this tropical setting real palm trees. (You may have to get a heated truck to accomplish this feat, but do it anyway.) Since your room is beginning to look so tropical, put out some white wrought iron furniture and it won't be long before you'll begin thinking about New Orleans, because that's how Christmas looks to the natives there. What? You need a patio if you want to copy New Orleans? Go ahead! Build one. Cardboard will do if stones are too heavy. You say a New Orleans patio looks goofy without a running-water fountain. For heaven's sake, get a fountain then, and be quick about it. Your room looks better all the time; you can't stop now! Being a stickler for accuracy you decide

even at that things still don't look right. You need a moss-covered cypress tree? I agree: the tree did it, your room couldn't be mistaken for an outdoor patio in the middle of a soft summer night, or in the middle of a star-lit December night in New Orleans.

What would a New Orleans do with such a patio? He'd use it, that's what. He'd have to have music, people don't even write newspaper stories in New Orleans without music, and unless the music is danceable nobody down there would tolerate the sound. (Didn't modern American jazz and dance-music originate in New Orleans?) Well then, get an orchestra and put it on a bandstand and build a wrought-iron-like archway around and above the orchestra and your patio will have a second dimension: sound as well as sight.

The room isn't bare any more. It's downright crowded, and crowded with so much beauty that you almost pop. Pop to waste such a sight on yourself. Better at Christmas-time, if at no other, to share this much loveliness with friends. Several hundred party-dressed and wined people will do wonders for your tropical wonderland. If you have that many people in you'll need chairs and tables and tablecloths of red and white checked gingham will look terrific with the red poinsettias.

splendid, it will be worth their efforts. Poinsettia and Spanish-moss makers are l-r Mrs. Abe Kooiman, Mrs. R a y Snowden, Mrs. Jerry Thaden and Mrs. Jerry Coslow. Tickets are available by phoning Katherine Huber, GL 3-6499.

The dreaming was done by Shirley Snowden who visited New Orleans last Christmas and was so thrilled by the sight of their holiday she determined to bring every bit of the scenery to wintry Plymouth at the next Ball. She had a lot of help, too. Apparently everybody that helped did everything: paint, borrow things, arrange for transportation, cart stuff around, and work like slaves the day of the Ball itself to accomplish this visual miracle. The help came from Pat Campbell, Joan Coslow, Betsy Delaney, Mary Jane Herbold, Katherine Huber, Rosemary Kooiman, Doris Sponseller, and Shirley Thaden. Blunk's Furniture Co. is providing the heated, covered van and Neilsen's in Ann Arbor is loaning the palm trees. Both Bartel's and Heide's in Plymouth have been generous with the loan of their plants and other tropical-type growing things. Hordes of anonymous homeowners have dragged the summer furniture out of mothballs. Phil Cole and his orchestra will provide the music.

The Christmas Ball is the final Christmas present from the Symphony Society to the entire community: it's open to everybody and anybody. You will pardon the commercial, but it will cost you. Four dollars a couple. Unless you've received tickets through the mail, they can be purchased at the door the night of the Ball. I wouldn't miss this inexpensively glamorous vacation in New Orleans, would you?



**COLOR GUARD** for Brownie Troop 245, sponsored by Starkweather PTA, accepted a new American Flag from Mrs. Donald Kinghorn, of the VFW Passage Gayde Post. The flag was presented at their meeting last week

with l-r Jane James, Miriam Olson, Debby Waldecker, and Christine Grimmer serving as color guards. Mrs. L.L. Robinson and Mrs. H. Gottschalk are co-leaders of the troop, and they are assisted by Senior Scout, Barbara Kelley.

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**Santa's Helpers:**

WASHINGTON (UPI)—How do you make a Christmas tree fire proof? Buy a fresh tree and keep it in water, says the Department of Agriculture.

Many chemicals have been tried for fire-proofing trees, and even sugar, aspirin or fruit acids have been put in the water. But none has proved as effective as plain water, which keeps the tree naturally moist and flame resistant, the department said. Some solutions tested actually cause trees to become dry and flammable.

Shop early for a fresh tree before it dries out from exposure on a sales lot. If the tree is fresh, the needles will feel moist to your hand. If the needles fall when you move or shake the tree, it is too dry to absorb water.

As soon as you get the tree home, throw cold water all over it. Then cut off the butt end about an inch slantwise to open pores for drawing up water. Set the tree in water and keep it cool and shaded until you bring it indoors for trimming.

The first day a five to six-foot tree is placed in water, it may take as much as a quart. After that, it may take a cup daily. Put the tree in a cool part of the room; away from radiators, fireplaces, television sets or other sources of heat.

**Christmas at Grandma's House**

Last Saturday the U.R. Sutfin residence on Maple Street was the scene of a festive Christmas party given by Mrs. Sutfin honoring her grandchildren. Lunch and presents were enjoyed by Sharon, Carol, Jackie, Suzanne and James Kahal of Romulus and their mother, who was the former Dorothy Ebersole of Plymouth; and Tom and Douglas Ebersole of Livonia, with their mother, Madelyn; and Linda and Bradley Ebersole of Dearborn and their mother, who was the former Dneyse McKinley of Plymouth. Also present for the occasion were the children's maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Herrick of Bradner Road. The only ones absent from their grandmother's Christmas party were Royal and Kurt Ebersole of Alamogordo, New Mexico, sons of Major and Mrs. Howard Ebersole, formerly of this city.

**MYSTERY TO HER**

GREENWICH, Conn. (UPI)—Unlike most centenarians, Mrs. Catherine Westley doesn't have any advice about how to reach the 100 mark. She said, "I just don't know how I got to be this old."

Rome celebrated its 2,711th birthday last year. According to tradition, Romulus and Remus, sons of the god Mars, founded Rome in 753 B.C.

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# Froehliche Weihnachte (Merry Christmas) From Ursula Kell

Ed. Note: When we asked our German Christmas. Our Christmas lasts three days. "Heiligabend," that is Christmas Eve, is our "main day," and the following two days are very great days, too. On Christmas Eve everybody is working until about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The businessmen sell their last remainders; children are making their last gifts, and mother is preparing Christmas dinner. Then everybody gets dressed up and the family is together in the living-room. We make music, sing or read, and the little children make usually much noise, because they can't wait until we really start. Another reason is: Santa Claus is in the other room decorating the

Christmas tree. They even can hear his deep voice singing and giving commands to his servant. The children don't see the Christmas tree, which is always decorated by Santa Claus until the celebration in the family starts. Often mother has trouble to calm them down and sometimes it is necessary that Santa Claus in his very own person comes to see them. Father is never home. When he comes, usually he has to see some friends in the neighborhood or some other excuse. When Santa Claus appears (my little sister said last time: "Oh, he looks so much like father this year") the children get immediately quiet and are to say their prayers and Christmas poems. Santa Claus has a real big sack over his shoulder and a rod in his hand. This sack is for the bad

and naughty children. He puts them into it and takes them to his house in the woods, where Santa Claus' wife makes better children out of them. But this is only the legend and usually the children are not so bad and a threatening from Santa is enough. Sometimes an older brother plays the part of the naughty child and he gets really into the sack. The little ones, start begging and praying for him, so Santa Claus has pity with them. The boy promises to become better and Santa Claus delivers him out of the sack. At the end of this play Santa gives everybody a small gift and then disappears into the woods. After this exciting interruption, the children are content. We make ready for church about 4 o'clock. In the church we have two very large Christmas trees and only the real candles are burning. The electric light is off. After the sermon we go home, have a small dinner (some families have a large one, it depends on the individual family) and get ready for the celebration. We wait—father and mother put the gifts on the table—until finally the bell is ringing. This is the most wonderful moment. It is the sign for the start of the celebration. The children come into the room and are dazzled because of all the candles on the Christmas tree. It is tradition too in the family that no electric light is burning. The presents on the table are covered with a large white cloth. Everybody takes his place and it is real quiet. Father reads the story from the Bible how Christ was born. Then we sing, the children say poems in front of

### Christmas Pot-luck Enjoyed by Allen Extension Group

By Mrs. Alton Frederick  
The Christmas party and potluck dinner of the Allen Extension Club was held on Dec. 9 at the home of Mrs. John Amrhein on Ann Arbor Trail. Favors for the table were beautifully made of decorated felt by Mrs. Harold Barnes and can be worn throughout the Christmas season. After the dinner hour gifts were exchanged with the secret pals, and games were played during the remainder of the evening. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Alton Frederick on January 27. One pair of Norway rats can produce 1,500 young in a single year. The Hudson River starts as a trout stream in the Adirondack Mountains.



**BRIGITTE GOES TO WAR**—At war with the French Army over her "right" to see her husband, recently inducted, Brigitte Bardot is standing firm. She is shown with her husband, Jacques Charrier, in their recent film, "Babette Goes to War." Recruit Charrier was placed in the hospital with a nervous disorder shortly after his arrival at training camp.

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**GRADUATING FROM** school at the Plymouth Sewing Center. Liberty and Starkweather, is a little different than from other schools. A Christmas party with games and refreshments ended ten weeks of two-hour lessons for this group of Plymouth women who learned to sew and tailor. In the back, right, is owner Jim Schnarrs presenting a "diploma" to Mrs. Dorothy Erdelyi. Others shown in the photo are Mildred Wall and daughters Linda and Marilyn, Louise Granger, Mary Furr, Joan Kandt, Rita Maifer, Gertrude Grimmer, Evelyn Daniel, Lou Anne Leveille, Hilda West, Shirley Stettler, Esther Gammon, Gertrude Minthorne, Ione Micol, Mrs. Schnarrs, Ruth Schnarrs and Theodor Boomer, the instructor. The school graduates 150 a year and classes are held Tuesday through Friday.

## Vacation-Travel Talks

By LYNN STEWART

What would be the perfect vacation — completely relaxing and economical? In answer to this frequent question, a cruise is the perfect vacation, especially in the Caribbean. On a cruise, your ship is your hotel; there are no worries about hotel accommodations, as you travel from island to island.

Therefore, baggage handling is eliminated. You can simply relax in your modern hotel, enjoy the planned ship-board recreation, meet new friends, and bask in a smooth blend of balmy breezes and tropical sunshine. Twelve days in the Caribbean is a world cruise in miniature, as you sail into ports such as St. Thomas of the Virgin Islands. Although predominately Danish, the island displays such products as English woolsens, Italian linens, Danish American, English and Scandinavian silverware, Peruvian, Mexican and Guatemalan silver jewelry, French perfumes and Florentine leather goods. All of the items purchased are free port, there is no excise or sales tax. Cigarettes are 15 cents per package; Scotch is \$2.25 a fifth, cognac \$3.00 a bottle and rum is 70 cents a bottle.

All of the islands are an international market place where world products are at a tremendous savings. San Juan, Puerto Rico, is popular for native made sports clothes and furniture. Cuidad Trujillo imported cameras, jewelry and Chinese glass and chinaware. The money saved on purchases could almost pay for the trip. Rates out of Miami start as low as \$225 per person and out of New York as low as \$295 per person. This fare includes your accommodations and entertainment aboard ship plus three meals a day. Delightful and economical. One of the most popular American activities is financing — and this covers most everything — lately even education. (Learn now, earn later) or travel.

The Travel Now—Pay Later Plan enables more people to travel than ever before. It is now quite usual to see young people traveling because they can pay for their trip over a period of time instead of saving for ages to have the ready cash. Travel is important enough to warrant financing because the experience broadens the personality of an individual even as books or classroom studies, but in a different way. What is your favorite vacation trip? Write your comments to Box 55, Plymouth, Michigan. Happy Holidays!

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## It Takes Some Doing, But Hawaii Celebrates Yule, Too

HONOLULU (UPI)—Santa Claus arrives by tug-boat instead of in a sleigh, and the season never gets whiter than the sands of Pacific beaches. This is Christmas in Hawaii, the newest state in the union and one just as enthusiastic about Christmas as the other 48.

Island dwellers will soak evergreen trees in 14 different solutions to keep needles from drying out and falling off in weather. Artificial snow is heaped on the branches to help protect them.

The Christmas season comes earlier in Hawaii than in most of the rest of the United States. Packages to the mainland have to be on their way by the end of November. The shopping season spreads over a two-month period, much to the delight of Hawaiian merchants.

Gift packages are complicated by shipping problems. Items light enough for sending by airmail are popular. Larger gifts must be sturdily wrapped to bear the extra handling of shipping by sea. Island homes are decorated for Christmas in the traditional green and red motif. Bright island berries are used in holiday arrangements, and poinsettias, which grow wild in Hawaii, take the place of holly and mistletoe. When Santa Claus is called on to appear, he generally arrives by water. His "helpers", who throw candy to the kids are dressed in hula skirts.

Christmas church services are similar to those in Vermont or Wyoming, with the exception of costume. Bright-colored aloha shirts will appear in the congregation. It is after Christmas that the holidays take on a distinctive island stamp. The oriental love of fireworks and the American tradition of wild celebration make New Year's the brightest occasion of the Hawaiian year.

On New Year's Eve, Honolulu's hilltops light up as though each were a small volcano. The spectacle lasts for almost two hours before celebrants succeed in shooting off their collection of fire-crackers and roman candles.

**HANG ON, GUYS**—Eluded by the ball, two cagers in Cincinnati, Ohio, demonstrate the classic double fake-out. They are Arlen Bockhorn, of the Cincinnati Royals, left, and Richie Guerin, of the New York Knickerbockers.

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# Amahl Walks Into Hearts of Plymouth Audience of 1,000

Little Amahl walked into the hearts of the audience at the Plymouth Symphony presentation even when he walked with a crutch.

Kirk Jordan, as "Amahl," of the NBC-TV cast sang his luring songs angelically, sang the recitatives with more acting ability than most actors, and altogether made the vision and hope of Christmas a reality to the children and adults that made up an audience of about 1,000 people at the program.

During the majority of the program, the work of the Plymouth Symphony orchestra was that of background; when it accompanied a chorus or soloist or the musical drama, its work was utterly stunning though despite its role in the presentation, Wayne Dunlap is indeed to be congratulated for conducting the difficult but moving music so brilliantly. The music of the orchestra alone was a sparkling Christmas present to the people of the community.

The cast of five members that makes up the permanent cast of "Amahl and the Night Visitors" has maintained unusual spontaneity and freshness during their eight years together. Each one seems to have grown musically and emotionally in his role over the years, the mark of a true actor.

Kirk Jordan as "Amahl," seems the same imaginative, hopeful child that began the role; Rosemary Kuhlman as "The Mother" has moments of pure joy with her son, others of justifiable anger and displeasure; the three

best they can, and Plymouth would be a poor community indeed without them.

My life is a richer one for knowing and hearing and seeing "Amahl" walk without his life-long crutches because he believes in the miracle of a Child's birth; and the life of the Plymouth community is richer for having the Plymouth Symphony bring this story to it.

Mrs. A. A. Cooksey



AN EVENING of Christmas music was presented by the Junior High School band and chorus last week. Playing to a large audience, in the Junior High gym, the program was planned by William Grimmer, director of the chorus, and Laurence Livingston, band director.

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No. 480,673

In the Matter of the Estate of HARRY H. KIRBY, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon Beatrice C. Armstrong, Executrix of said estate, at 795 Burroughs Street, Plymouth, Michigan, on or before the 29th day of February, A.D. 1960, and that such claims will be heard by said court, before Judge Joseph A. Murphy in Court Room No. 1309, City County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 29th day of February, A.D. 1960, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated December 21, 1959

JOSEPH A. MURPHY,  
Judge of Probate

I do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy with the original record thereof and have found the same to be a correct transcript of such original record.

Dated December 21, 1959

ALLEN R. EDISON,  
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**A GROUP OF eighth graders from the Plymouth Junior High toured the Western Electric Company's Michigan Distributing House in Plymouth last week. The group, taught by Mrs. L.M. Lickfeldt, is shown assembled on one of the power units that haul the tons of equipment throughout the plant each day.**

### Veterans of Foreign Wars

The December 16 meeting of the Mayflower Post, was held under the gavel of Senior Vice Commander Hal Young. Commander Krumm has returned to school, telephone company school, that is. Several visitors were present at the meeting. Past District Commander, Charles Marion spoke briefly. He and Al St. Jacques were visitors from Wayne Post No. 3323. Deputy Inspector Walter O. Harris, Fourth District, brought greetings from the district. He inspected the books and complimented Q. M. Dely for his fine service to the post.

**Auxiliary News**  
In a very Christmasy atmosphere an enjoyable evening was spent by all who attended the annual Christmas party Tuesday, December 16. Kay Coolman and her committee, Alba Van Meter, Betty Elliott, Marion Warner, and Virginia Bartel are to be complimented for the success including serving of a delicious lunch. After a brief meeting, cards were played, and then Mrs. Santa herself (Marion Krumm to us) appeared to distribute the gifts exchanged by the members present.

Membership Chairman Luter Moser gave the current results of the membership drive. A total of 122 members have paid 1960 dues; this is 83 per cent of our 1959 total. He urged all members to complete the final month of the contest by boosting this over the 100 per cent goal. Team No. 1 under Duane Johnson is leading Team No. 2, 28 to 22 points at present. High scores are Duane Johnson and Bud Krumm, with Dick Neale and Jack Olsaver leading on team No. 2. Our post continues to enjoy number one place in its company, in the state-wide contest.

Americanism and Essay Chairman, Geraldine Olson has begun a new project. It is called Nu-Sew and sounds extremely interesting. Dues have been coming in rapidly and from the last report only 17 more are needed to make it 100 per cent paid-up membership. If you are among the unpaid, let's see if you can't help reach our goal.

**Merry Christmas to all!**

Service Officer Gerry Olson has been busy during the past several weeks investigating the situation surrounding needy families. In one instance, the father of four children is hospitalized, food supplies were arranged for by Gerry. The family was also assisted in obtaining welfare aid.

James McAllister, a Korean war veteran, has joined our post. He and several other new members will be initiated at the next meeting, which will be January 6, 1960. Post 6695 wishes all its members and friends a Merry Christmas and hopes for success in comradeship and service during the New Year. One worthy resolution would be to plan to participate in the many fine activities of our post, beginning with attendance at the January 6 meeting.

**COMMUNITY PHARMACY**  
Plymouth

*Cherry greetings to all our friends. May the season be full of joy for you and yours.*

**OVERRULED**  
BUFFALO, N.Y. (UPI) — Melvin Schaffer, 64, pleaded guilty to public intoxication and Judge Joseph P. Kiszynski said, "10 dollars or 10 days." Schaffer said he'd take the 10 days.  
"No you don't," said Mrs. Schaffer as she paid the fine, "I need you at home."  
Nickel-containing stainless steels are used in modern highspeed aircraft jet engines because they withstand the hot corrosive gases.

**CHICAGO (UPI) —** Lighting engineers (General Electric) have come up with suggestions for safer outdoor Christmas lighting.  
Use a weatherproof plug-in outlet placed OUTSIDE the house to supply current to outdoor lighting displays. Existing outdoor outlets, such as porch fixtures, yard lights, entrance lights and post lanterns also are suitable. It is dangerous to connect outdoor lights to indoor outlets by running wires through doors and windows.  
Flexible extension cords used outdoors should be suitable for use in wet locations and should be large enough to carry the load without overheating. Plugs, current-taps, and other attachments should be weather resistant. Non-weatherproofed plugs & connectors should be protected by wrapping rubber sheeting around them.  
Inspect all equipment before use, and repair or replace if damaged.  
Before putting up lights, stretch them on the ground and connect to an outlet to spot burned-out lamps before they are installed. Use only new lamps in sockets that are to be mounted in hard-to-reach places.  
Cords and wires likely to be rained on should be arranged so that water running down their drip lip will be diverted away from sockets and other attachments.  
After the lights are operating smoothly, make a drawing of how the wires run, the connections, the number of lamps, etc. The drawing, plus color photos, will be handy next year.

## Here Are Some Tips About Safe Outdoor Christmas Lighting

# Come all ye faithful to CHRISTMAS CHURCH SERVICES

## Come let us Adore Him

"And when they were come into the house, they saw the young Child with Mary His mother, and fell down, and worshipped Him; and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts, gold, and frankincense, and myrrh." As on the night when the Wise Men found the place where He was, may the story of the first Christmas bring to us wonder and joy ever new. And may His message, heard again in song and story, give to all of us the great gifts of spiritual joy, eternal hope and promise.

**Bring your family . . . attend Christmas service in the church of your choice.**

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**THE SALVATION ARMY**  
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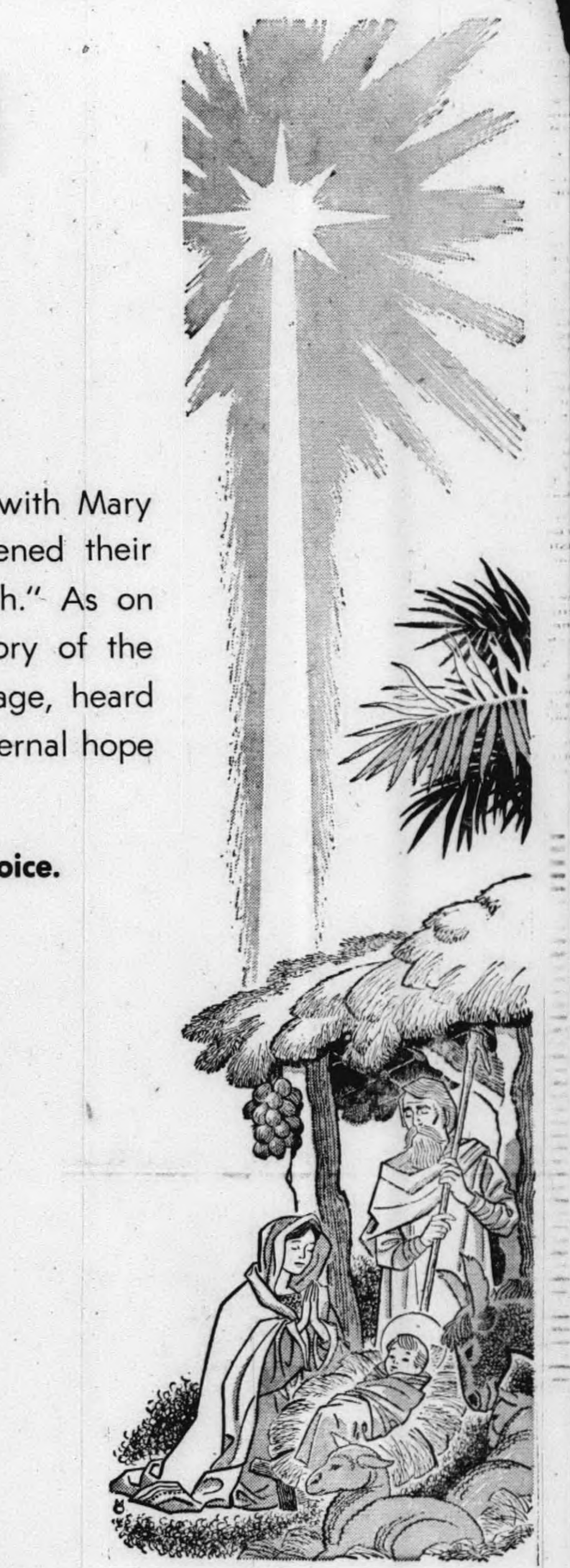
★  
**RIVERSIDE PARK CHURCH OF GOD**  
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Rev. Rolla O. Swisher  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday—7:30, 8:00 and 8:30 Outdoor Living Nativity Scene  
Christmas Eve—Family Christmas Worship Service in each individual home  
New Year's Eve—8:30 p.m. Worship; 9:30 Film; 10:00 Fellowship Hour; 11:00 Communion Service

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**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Reverend Henry J. Walch, D.D.  
Wednesday, December 23, 7:30 p.m. Church School Christmas Program  
Thursday, Christmas Eve, 11:00 p.m. Communion Service  
Sunday, December 27, 6:30 p.m. Homecoming-Open House for young people of the Church home for the Holidays

★  
**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. Francis C. Byrne, Pastor  
Father W. T. Child, Asst. Pastor  
11:30 p.m.—The Choir will sing Christmas Hymns  
12:00—Midnight Solemn Mass  
Christmas Day—6 a.m., 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. Masses Confessions  
Tuesday evening 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 4:00 to 5:30 and 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.  
Thursday 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.  
No Confessions Christmas Eve after 6:00 p.m.  
Masses on New Year's Day the same as on Sundays

★  
**PLYMOUTH ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
John Walaskay, Pastor  
Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Christmas Service  
December 31—New Year's Eve—Family Night—Pot Luck Supper—6:30 p.m. at the Oddfellows Hall in Plymouth. Colored Sound Film will be shown

★  
**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Melbourne I. Johnson, D.D.  
Christmas Eve—A candlelight Christmas Eve Service with Holy Communion 8 p.m.  
December 27, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Student Recognition Sunday, Student participation with Dr. Eugene Ransom, Director of Wesley Foundation of First Methodist Church of Ann Arbor, preaching



★  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
David L. Rieder, Pastor  
Wednesday 7:30 Candlelight Christmas Service "The Story of Christmas" by Lillian Rieder  
Sunday, December 28, 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship "The Other Way"  
6:30 p.m. "All Youth Service, Jerry Manchester, Youth Director  
7:30 p.m. "The Happy Evening Hour"  
December 31, 11:00 to midnight, New Year's Eve Communion Services

★  
**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
Schoolcraft and Bradner  
Robert Burger, Pastor  
December 23, 7:30 Christmas Carol Service  
Christmas Eve Worship in individual homes  
Sunday, December 27, 11:00 a.m., Elder Russell Knight, 7:30 p.m. Priest Warren Perkins, Church School Classes, 9:45  
Wednesday, December 30, 7:30 p.m. Fellowship Service



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**ST. PETER'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Edgar Hoenecke, Pastor  
Christmas Eve—7:00 p.m. Program by the children of the Sunday School, Day School and Choir  
Christmas Morning—10:00 a.m. Song Service  
New Year's Morning 10:00 a.m. Service  
New Year's Eve, 7:30 p.m.  
January 3, 10:00 a.m. Farewell sermon by Reverend Hoenecke

★  
**NEWBURG METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Roger W. Merrell  
December 24—Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship Service 11:00 p.m., held at Old Church Sanctuary  
Sunday, December 27 Student Recognition at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services  
December 31, 9:00 p.m. Recreation; 10:00 Refreshments; 10:30 Informal Singing; 11:00 Holy Communion, Watch Night Services

★  
**ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Reverend David T. Davies, Rector  
Christmas Eve  
7:15 Carol Singing  
7:30 p.m. Christmas Eve—Family Eucharist and Blessing of Children  
11:00 p.m. Carol Singing  
11:30 p.m. Festal Holy Eucharist and Greetings by the Rector  
Christmas Day  
10:00 a.m. Holy Communion

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**Vitamins What They Are and What They Are Not**

Some people think vitamins are a good; others call them a fad. Both ideas are incorrect. Over 25 per cent of Americans get too few vitamins, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture. An even larger number might improve their health if they knew more about what vitamins are, what they are not, and how they work.

Vitamins play an important role in converting the food you eat into energy to keep your body warm and make your muscles work. This energy is also used in the complex chemistry of the body to replace worn parts and for repairs following disease.

Vitamins in themselves do

not provide energy; nor are they actual building materials. Vitamins are catalysts—chemicals that control the processes during which food is converted into energy and complex body tissues. Although vitamins are essential to the chemical process of manufacturing energy and body cells, they cannot, in themselves, be called a food.

**Effects on You**

If food is not properly converted and utilized due to a vitamin shortage, symptoms such as tiredness, lack of energy, poor appetite, sleeplessness, nervousness and sometimes even open sores can be seen.

Gulping down a lot of vita-

min tablets without eating enough food is wasteful and defeating. Vitamins won't nourish you; they only help in processing the foods you eat.

**The Most For Your Money**

Contrary to widespread belief, all vitamin preparations are not alike even though the labels say they contain the same ingredients in the same amounts. As always, you get what you pay for. Some vitamin factors deteriorate rapidly, and unless carefully compounded, quickly lose potency.

Some lose strength on exposure to light and require special protection. The label doesn't necessarily tell the

whole story because some brands carry an impressively long list of ingredients which are mere "window dressing" with no proven nutritional value.

Your physician or your pharmacist is best qualified to help you make a wise choice of brands.

**What You Need**

In reality, the amounts of vitamins the system needs are incredibly small. The layman cannot appreciate how small until he learns to interpret the mg. (milligrams) and mcg. (micrograms) on a label in terms of a single ounce. One ounce is equal to 28,352 milligrams and it takes 1,000 micrograms to make one milligram. So, there are 28,352,000 micrograms in an ounce.

Minimum daily needs for vitamins as determined by the National Research Council, usually can be expressed in terms of a few milligrams. In line with the NRC recommendations, one tablet of Unicap M, a popular multiple of vitamin-mineral formulation frequently recommended by physicians, contains 2.5 mg. of vitamin B-1 or thiamine, it is more popularly known. Literally, you could spread such a small amount on the head of a pin, yet deficiencies of this and other vitamins may occur in the diets of many persons.

Infinitely smaller than the requirement for thiamine is the daily need for vitamin B-12. No official recommendation has been made on the use of B-12, but 2 to 4 micrograms per day are believed to be enough to prevent deficiency. Two micrograms, the amount contained in each Unicap M tablet, is equivalent to about one-fourteenth-millionth of an ounce.

**Changing Needs**

Few people realize that their requirements for vitamins vary from time to time. The American Medical Association's Council on Foods and Nutrition says that vitamins are useful in pregnancy, during periods of illness or deranged mode of life, and in persons who through poor eating habits, ignorance, or other emotional or physical causes do not eat an adequate diet.

Extremes of weather are another important influence. Frequently, supplementary vitamins are prescribed for dieters because they may be shorted on these essential elements as a result of eating less.

As a matter of general health insurance, Dr. Robert S. Gordhart of the National Vitamin Foundation recommends that everybody take vitamins. He and other ex-

perts agree that none can be certain of getting all the vitamins he needs from his diet and that it's better to have a good margin of safety.

**How to Protect Yourself**

To avoid the most common mistakes about vitamins and get as much out of them as you can, nutrition scientists of The Upjohn Company, one of the nation's top pharmaceutical production and research houses, suggest these "rules of reason":

If you're serious about a major reducing diet, have a physician set it up for you. Anyone can figure out how to cut down on calories, but only an expert can tell you how to do this without sacrificing essential vitamins. Very likely, the doctor may suggest supplementation with Unicap M or a similar reputable vitamin-mineral combination.

When buying vitamins, get a well known brand from a pharmacist you trust. In other words, be sure you're getting what you pay for. Again using Unicap M as an example, some 340 different checks are made during the manufacturing process to make sure that the finished preparation meets all requirements for purity and potency.

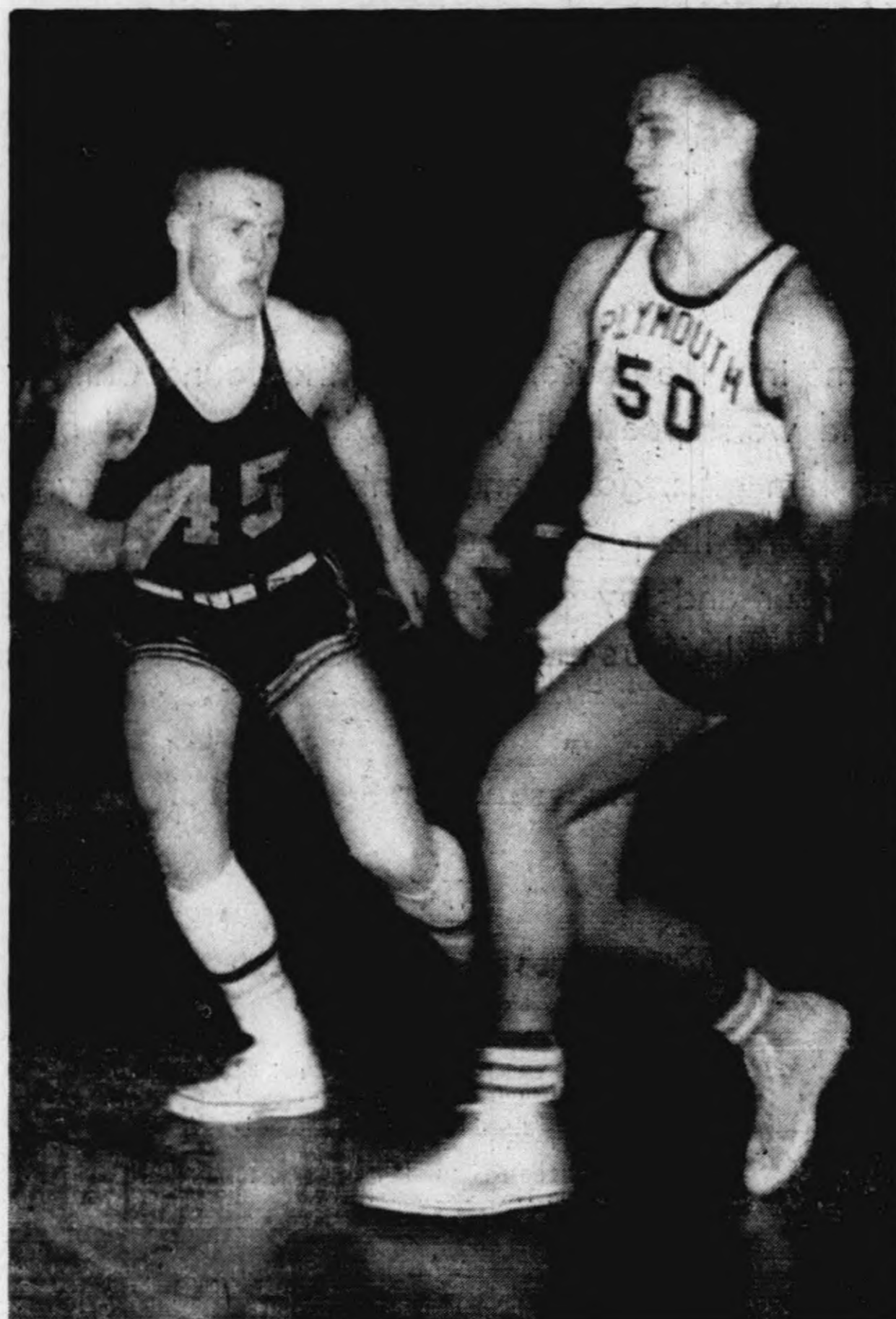
Don't believe the widely held notion that vitamins are fattening in themselves. You'd have to take over 450 Unicap M's to get enough calories to gain six ounces of fat in this respect.

If you check the vitamin content of your foods against a standard list of food values, allow a margin of safety. Take more than the average daily requirement. Taking the smallest amount possible is like sitting on the sill of an open window; you're safe if you don't make any mistakes.

Don't kid yourself about vitamins. They're essential to health, but they won't make old people young. Quack salesmen frequently boast that vitamins cure anything from heart disease to migraine headache. It just isn't so.

You're on safe ground if you'll remember that vitamin supplements are not to be regarded as a cure-all. As a protective measure in maintaining sound health, however, they have value. Accept them for what they are, and you'll be far better off than the uninformed and misinformed who think of vitamins as either a food or a fad.

Northern Ireland's Territorial Army is observing its golden jubilee year in Belfast.



EGLOFF scrambles around Trenton's Jeff Pearl (45) in the third period of Plymouth's 54-47 victory Friday. Randy (50) led the

Plymouth team with 22 points. Here the Rock Captain displays a fast left handed dribble.



PARENTS who brought several children downtown to see Santa Claus last Thursday had their hands full trying to keep track of them. But Mrs. Cletus

Meek, 343 S. Harvey, had nearly a child for each finger to keep tab of. She brought nine grandchildren along. They are the children of her son and daughter.

**Michigan Bell Almanac Available**

Development of household conveniences from the early Colonial days to the present is artfully depicted in the 1960 Telephone Almanac now available in all Michigan Bell Telephone Company business offices.

Each day of the month is acknowledged by an important historical or scientific event.

In addition there is a rebus puzzle for your readers and a page that predicts the location of Mercury, Venus, Mars, and other planets in 1960.

This is the 38th consecutive annual printing of the Almanac. The theme of this year's book is "Boon to Better Living."

In Virginia there are rivers named Cowpasture, Bullpasture and Calpasture.



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**Merry Christmas**  
**PETERSON DRUG**  
by Carl Peterson

Once upon a time there was a little girl who had waited a long time for Christmas Eve. When it finally came she went several times to the door to peer anxiously out into the night. Noticing her dejection when she turned back into the room, her mother asked the reason. Sadly the little girl said, "You said it was Christmas Eve... but the sky didn't open and the angels sing." Guess maybe that happens to a lot of us. Like the little girl, we build ourselves up for something great and when the time comes we're disappointed. Maybe it's because we try to get too much out of the time. Maybe our thoughts are dwelling on what will come to us, rather than what we can give to someone else. Christmas is a feeling, a very personal, peaceful feeling. The sky won't open and the angels sing. But when the time comes something will sing inside of us. And, as always, there'll be love in the air and a feeling of fellowship. And just this once a year there'll be peace and happiness a-plenty and we'll all think that we have more of love and substance to share. And we'll share it. There's nothing like it. So... merry, merry Christmas to you, and happiness for the coming year.

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# SPORTSEEN

By BILL NELSON

It would probably have sent Santa Claus to hustling outside help if anyone were to ask him for a "zone press" for Christmas, yet that's what happy Plymouth High School sports fans received from basketball coach Jim Doyle.

Doyle delivered his present at a sports gathering Friday night in Plymouth High's Gym. It surprised everyone, particularly Trenton, which found itself looking up at a scoreboard that at one point read Plymouth 21, Trenton 5. In talking of his gift, Doyle said, "The zone press is good against a team that doesn't break out." He explained that essentially the zone press is where the defending team keeps three men up the floor to harass the two guards who normally bring the ball out.

Each man is responsible for a zone of the floor and also to apply pressure on the guards—hence the name zone press.

The hazardous part of this operation is that it leaves an offensive man free down court. Plymouth practiced it all the preceding week and caught Trenton by surprise.

"It's getting more popular," Doyle observed, "because Lansing Sexton used it last season to win the state championship." "It's not a dependable defense," he added, "because you leave a man open. But if the opposition doesn't find the open man, it could work all night."

Doyle praised his team, particularly the guards Dave Palmer and Ralston, who did a "good job." He also praised the rebounding efforts of Egloff and Jim Thompson. "An excellent defensive game," Doyle said of the Rocks performance.

When Trenton called time out to cope with Doyle's defense, he sensed that Trenton would play for the open man down court. He simply pulled his defense back. Another time out by Trenton to straighten this out and he put the zone press back on.

In the third quarter Trenton tried the zone itself, but failed. "We had the advantage of having practiced with it all week," Doyle said.

John McFall's swimming team is well on its way to another league championship, apparently. The Rocks have swept all three dual meets to date.

McFall is actually more concerned with non-league opponents, such as Dearborn and Fordson. He points out that Dearborn beat Edsel Ford and Edsel Ford in turn trounced Trenton.

With a three and nothing record, however, we suspect his Christmas will be pretty good, too.

A sportswriter probably has no business invading the Christmas subject which is not connected with sports, but the following short anecdote are a couple of our favorite Christmas stories.

In Seoul, Korea, a couple of years ago, an Army sergeant and Lieutenant decided on Christmas Eve to do something special. They looked in their wallets and found they had about \$150 between them.

They went up and down the narrow streets of that battered capitol and took needy youngsters to shops and spent money until it ran out. At first they had difficulty, the tendency of the Korean merchants was to charge high prices—they have bare subsistence margins.

Soon the neighbors saw what was happening and they helped the two soldiers drive the price down to near gift levels and the money went farther and more children were helped. The spirit was contagious.

In the lobby of the only hotel in Seoul, the Bando, a tired Les Brown stopped for 45 minutes to listen to a frankly lousy Korean Salvation Army Band sing and play Christmas Carols for the "famous American" on Christmas Eve. In their broken English and off note music, it was the best rendition ever heard by Brown.

And up at the front lines near the Seventh Infantry Division, Bob Hope landed at a small airstrip just as Cardinal Spellman was leaving Christmas morning.

"How are you doing, Bob?" the cardinal asked. "Not bad," the comedian answered, "only I wish I had your sponsor."

# Cagers Celebrate Early With Third Win, 54-47

## Defense Sparkles Against Trenton

Rock cagers dropped a big gift under Plymouth's sports Christmas tree by neatly packaging a 54-47 win over Trenton last Friday.

It was the last game of the year for Plymouth and their third win in four starts. In Suburban Six competition, they moved into a four way tie for second place with a one-one record.

Plymouth unwrapped an effective zone press defense that completely surprised the visiting Trojans. The Rocks piled up an early 5-0 lead and rolled to an 11-4 first quarter margin.

In the second quarter they sped to a 21-5 lead before the half. They went to the dressing room with a 27-13 lead. At the third quarter they led 42-23.

Plymouth coach Jim Doyle described the defense which sent three players down the floor when Trenton had the ball, as "good against a team that doesn't break out."

By the time Trenton found out what was happening at the end of the first quarter, they were in real trouble on the scoreboard.

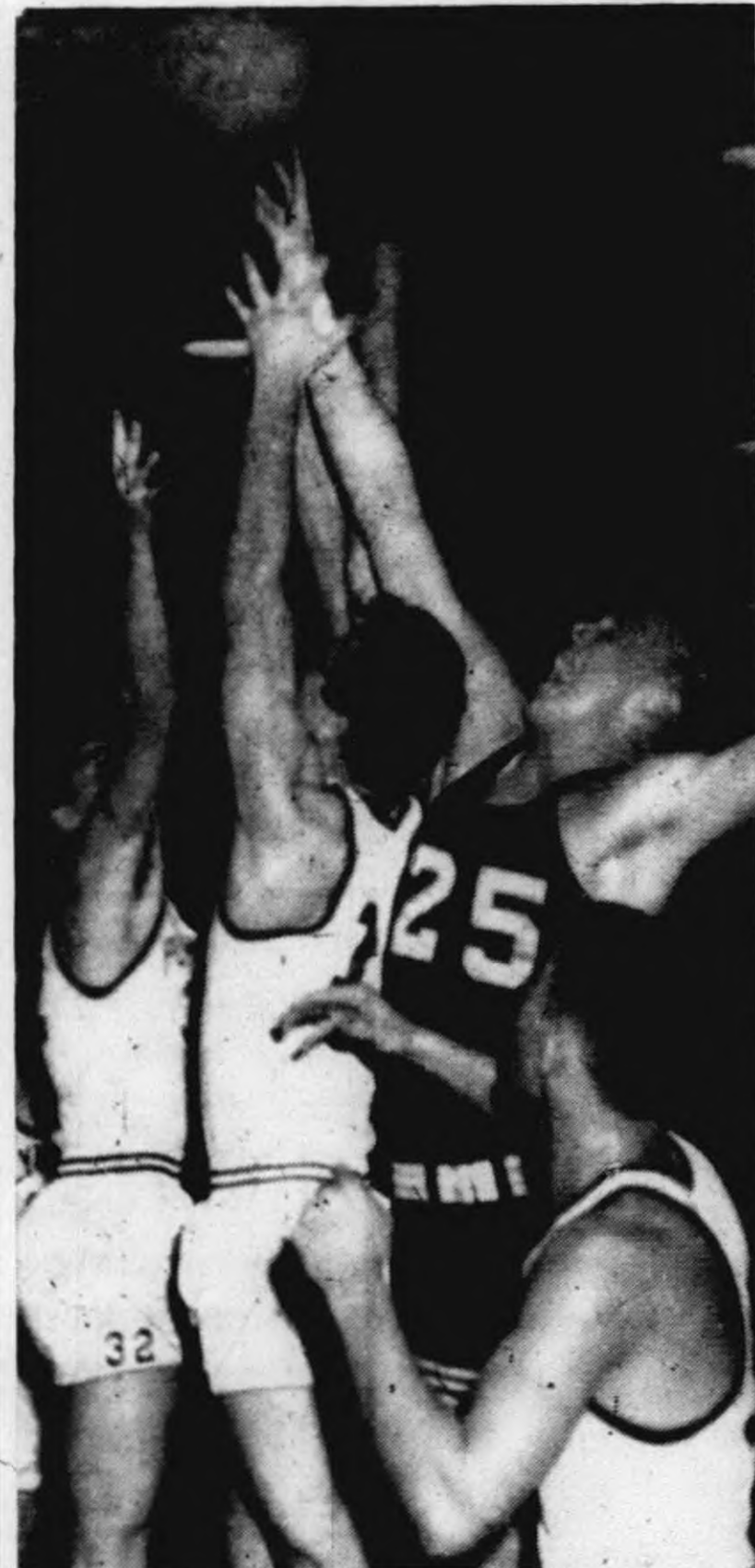
When Trenton called time out to meet the Rock defense, which allowed one opponent loose down the floor, and put three on the two men bringing the ball down court, Doyle simply drew his players back.

When Trenton called another time out to cope with that new situation, he put the zone press back on. It worked wonderfully for three quarters, and then Plymouth coasted home.

Captain Randy Egloff shared scoring honors with Trenton's Max Stokes. Each had 22 points. Egloff fired ten field goals and two free throws, while Stokes dropped eight goals and six free throws.

Plymouth's Don Argo was next highest scorer with 10 points and Jim Thompson added nine for the Rocks. Rick Drabant also had nine for Trenton.

"Everybody did a good job," Doyle said. "Egloff and Thompson did the best jobs on the boards," he added.



THREE TO ONE as Plymouth's Rocks scramble for a rebound with Trenton's Rick Drabant (25). Board work like this coupled with a zone press defense provided victory for Plymouth. Jim Ralston is on far left (32).

## Rock Swim Team Steams Toward Title, Wins 3rd

Tossing in six records for good measure, Plymouth's undefeated swimming team moved past Trenton 65-31 last Thursday to earn the favorite label to repeat as Suburban Six League champions.

"Probably the toughest competition in the league," Coach John McFall labeled Trenton earlier. He now says "We have a good chance to win the title."

Trenton won only two firsts in the meet and had to break two pool records to do it. Plymouth tucked away eight firsts and six seconds in their third win in three starts this season.

The Rocks piled up four pool records and two team records. Allen Davies set one in the 100 yard backstroke with a 1:02.9, while the 200 yard medley relay team composed of Allen Davies, Don Williams, Beau Toll and Nick Herrick scored the other team record in 1:52.2. The Relay record was also a Trenton pool record.

Dick Greizinger set two pool records, swimming the 100 yard butterfly in 1:01.2, and the 200 yard individual medley in 2:25.3. The other pool record by Plymouth was set by the 200 yard freestyle relay unit of Warren Smith, Art Helm, Doug Balfour and Ron Daley. They churned home in 1:40.3.

Jim Carney picked up two firsts for the Rocks, taking the 50 yard freestyle in 25.4 and the 100 yard freestyle in 56.0, the latter his best time.

The other first was won by Diver Nick Herrick with 66.6 points. McFall described his effort as a "good job."

Seconds were gained by Beau Toll, 100 yard butterfly, Robert Daley, 200 yard freestyle (he's Ron's twin brother), Allen Davies, 100 yard backstroke, Don Williams, 100 yard breaststroke, Art Helm, 100 yard freestyle, and Robert Daley, 200 yard individual medley.

Davies' second set a record for Plymouth, but he was edged by Trenton's Bruce Broughner in 1:02.2. He set a pool record for Trenton.

McFall was pleased with Davies' record breaking second place, saying "It was a real good job." He also was particularly happy with Jim Carney's two firsts and Nick Herrick's diving.

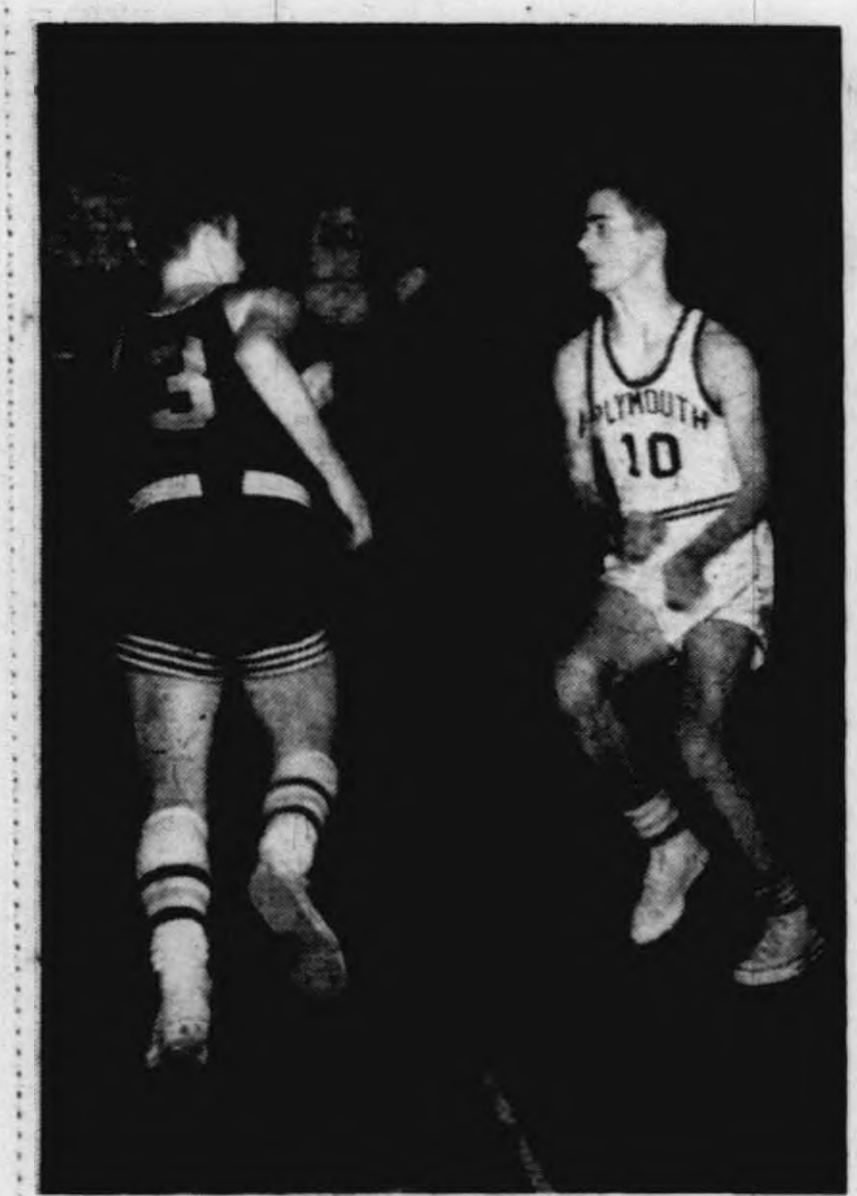
### SUBURBAN SIX STANDINGS

Bentley	2 0
Plymouth	1 1
Belleville	1 1
Allen Park	1 1
Redford Union	1 1
Trenton	0 2
Overall 3-1	

## Sports

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## JV's Lose To Trojans In Last Qtr.

Trenton JVs handed Plymouth's junior varsity a 33-31 jump of defeat for Christmas last Friday. Plymouth led from the beginning until only four minutes remained in the game, and Trenton's Don Heneger scored to put Trenton ahead 29-28.

He added another goal about 15 seconds later and Plymouth trailed 31-28. Plymouth closed the gap with 32 seconds left when McMullen sank a free throw making it 31-29. With ten seconds left, John Collins added two free throws to make it 33-29.

Plymouth's Dan Stremick tossed in a field goal with four seconds left to make it 33-31, but it was too late for another try.

No one could take sole blame for Plymouth's fourth quarter disintegration, but three missed foul shots with two minutes left proved damaging.

Trenton's Heneger was top scorer with 13 points on six field goals and a free throw while Jim Dart led Plymouth with eleven points on five field goals and a free throw. It was the third loss in four starts for Plymouth.

## Scoring Summary

Plymouth (54)			
Egloff	10	2	22
Argo	4	2	10
Thompson	3	3	9
Salan	3	5	6
Mynatt	2	2	6
Palmer	0	2	2
Total	20	14	54
Trenton (47)			
Stokes	8	6	22
Drabant	3	3	9
Pearl	3	0	6
Wukovitz	1	2	4
Fenner	0	4	4
Daniels	0	2	2
Total	15	17	47
Plymouth JVs (31)			
Dart	5	1	11
Nelson	2	3	7
Stremick	2	1	5
Lemonaco	2	0	4
Kisabeth	1	1	3
McMullen	0	1	1
Total	12	7	31
Trenton JVs (33)			
Heneger	6	1	13
Collins	1	5	7
Hart	3	1	7
Carey	3	2	4
Shamanski	1	0	2
Total	12	9	33

## BOWLING SCORES

Arbor Lill Thursday House League			
W	L	W	L
Carling's	40	20	
Cloverdale	38	22	
O'Keefe's	35	25	
Davis & Lent	29	31	
Walt Ash Service	26	34	
McAllister's	26	34	
Miller's	24	36	
Bidwell Const.	22	38	
High Team, 3 Games — Davis & Lent, 2768.			
High, Ind., 3 Games — G. Howes, 628.			
High Team Game — Cloverdale, 1022.			
High Ind, Game — G. Howes, 245.			
Our Lady of Good Counsel Bowling League			
W	L	W	L
Cinci	35	21	
Larry's	32	24	
Curly's	30	26	
Carling's	29	27	
Finlan's Ins.	25½	30½	
Arrowsmith-Fran.	25½	30½	
Fiesta Rambler	24	32	
Box Bar	23	33	
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# Greetings

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## Front Row Center

Deck the halls with holly and open those Christmas gables gently—old St. Nick is peering around that holiday corner. That time of year again when we celebrate the Christ Child's birthday and many churches in the area have Christmas pageants or short plays about the birth of Christ. Few years back old George had charge of church dramatics in a Lansing church. Well do I remember those hectic holiday moments when we prepared our yearly epics for the congregation.

It is my fond hope that churches expand their activities in the drama department. The Bible is a fertile field for dramatization.

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Hollywood is finding this out with its revival-type rash of movies based on Biblical characters or events. And the play, "J.B." mentioned last week, is another fine example of the power of dramatic incidents found in our Bible. Church dramatics at one time was the starting point for many of our fine actors, authors, and directors of today.

The Plymouth Theater Guild's next play, "The Diary of Anne Frank" has a religious quality to it. The oppression of the Jewish race is a familiar theme found in the Old Testament and in "The Diary of Anne Frank" this topic is updated for greater dramatic effect. The time is World War II. The oppressors are the Germans and the place is Belgium. The rights of this religious group were curtailed and the Jews were sent to concentration camps and eventually death became their destiny. How a family lives under the fear of this eventual destiny forms much of the suspense of "Anne Frank."

Tryouts are being held at the Plymouth High School tonight for this play if you feel you'd like to tackle a part in this worthwhile drama—come on and read for Director Dorothy Smith. You'll enjoy yourself and hear a little about the play. All tryouts are non-partisan in the Plymouth Theater Guild—everyone has a fair chance. Give it a whirl—who knows, we may be seeing you on the stage in "The Diary of Anne Frank."

While we're chatting about the Theater Guild, let's toss an accolade in the direction of the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra and their brilliant production of "Coppelia." The Ann Arbor Civic Ballet performed with the grace and precision of the Ballet Russe. My complaint was that sitting in the seats on the gym floor, ballet takes on a new dimension—sort of a bobbing head effect. It didn't take me long to figure out that the best seats were high in the bleachers. The artistry of John Glanz's 45-foot backdrop gave the setting a professional glow. And the proscenium developed with stage flats shows once again that the imagination of the cooperating Theater Guild members pays off. Oh... for an auditorium to give these magnificent productions the setting they deserve. Well, 1965 is just over the horizon.

At the Theater Guild's December meeting the Workshop group presented an original one act play, "Escape From The Carousel" by Mr. James McGraw of the Flint Community Players. Jim Blackman directed. Kathy Moore produced. Marilyn Heft, Shirley Thaden, Peg Dingley, and Kick Knopf acted up a storm for the eager audience of Guild members and visitors. This is the fourth original play presented by the Guild. They welcome scripts. Last year Bob Wall's "Champ or Chump" was given three performances by the Guild.

Workshop players. Mr. Blackman indicated to old George that "Escape From The Carousel" will be given a second performance in January. Just as soon as I get more specific info on the date and place I'll give it a mention in the column.

What about downtown Detroit? What's going on of interest? Nancy Kelly is still holding forth at the Cass Theater. Her play opened on Monday night and the critics had high praise for this comedy. Audiences wore themselves out laughing. Broadway audiences will see this show the first week in January. I'll let you know how it fares on the great White Way. Detroit has enjoyed it and you still have time to get a ticket during the holidays for this funny, funny show.

At the Shubert Theater down the street Ann Sheridan will be delighting the customers in the French farce, "Odd Man In." Show opens on December 26. Ann has been on tour with this show for the past two or three months and this hilarious comedy has had audiences laughing in every state on its national tour. "Odd Man In" had a long run in London and hopes to spend many months on Broadway after its opening here in the near future.

While downtown doing some last minute shopping, take time out for a movie that's a little different—"One Thousand and One Arabian Nights." It's a clever animated telling of the story of Aladdin and his lamp. Your favorite, Mr. Magoo, stars in this picture that will interest the adults as well as the kids. It's at the Madison Theater and will be there for a couple of weeks.

## Friend of St. Nick Lived in Newport

NEWPORT, R.I. (UPI)—Jolly St. Nick should have a soft spot in his heart for the city of Newport.

For it was here that Dr. Clement C. Moore, author of the beloved "A Visit From St. Nicholas," spent the declining years of his life. And the old house at 25 Catherine St. where he lived is still standing.

No holiday poem in the English language has equalled the appeal of "Twas the Night Before Christmas" and at 4:30 p.m. on Dec. 22, a reading of that bit of verse will take place before the fireplace in the old house.

The reader and host for the annual event will be James Van Alen, president of the Newport Casino—Newport's sports club—as well as an editor, publisher, world traveler and court-tennis champion. Van Alen has composed an introduction to the poem

as well as a "Postscript," both of which have become a regular feature of the reading.

"I hope that I haven't angered Dr. Moore," Van Alen said, "but when I was a kid I always thought the poem ended too quickly." He said he dreamed up the postscript to "stretch out the fun." Van Alen has secured an option to purchase the old Clement Moore residence with the assistance of the National Trust for Historic Preservation in Washington. He says his corporation plans to renovate the old structure and install 1820-1870 period furniture. Also planned is a wax-sculptured group, composed of a figure of Dr. Moore reading his poem to his four children.

Van Alen also wants the "House of Santa Claus" to become a "Museum of Santa Clausians," with various editions of the poem on display along with period costumes, drawings, paintings, articles—and perhaps an animated cartoon showing the visit of St. Nick.

He also envisions a stable for the eight tiny reindeer, each with a nameplate over its stall, and a coach house for the sleigh. There would be a dressing room and a workshop for Santa, too.

Purpose of the museum, according to Van Alen, would be to bring at Christmas time the image of our beloved Santa Claus as envisioned by Dr. Moore and the spirit of family love, understanding and solidarity which Santa Claus symbolizes to every heart and home in America.

As Van Alen put it, "I can't think of any other American who has brought so much joy as Dr. Moore."

## Credit Union Votes Dividend

The Plymouth Community Credit Union voted a four percent dividend on savings. President Harry Roberts announced this week a decision to declare the high dividend was made at a board of director's meeting held Dec. 17.

Action was also taken that will allow savings deposits made by the fifth of each month to earn interest for the first of the month. The Credit Union office is located at S. Main and Dodge Sts., next to the city hall.

## The Old Timer

"Dancing is one of the few remaining activities in which men lead women."

## THE READER Speaks Up

Editor:

In regard to the recent school bond issues that were turned down.

You sure went off the beat when you blamed it to the mess the state is in and strikes.

So, you hit the nail on the head when you said something unique is wrong in Plymouth, and that there were too many things tied up in one package.

The taxpayers want to see what they are going to pay for. They have been tricked too often. The board tries to tell the taxpayers that it is cheaper to build a one story building than two. This is untrue. Two schools have recently been built that they are unable to heat, due to the windows.

Some on the board want too many unnecessary things like swimming pools, large gymnasiums, and a multitude of other things. Let's cut out the fancy things and get down to real education.

A great many taxpayers are still smarting over a steal by the city and school board. For a number of years the Kiwanis put on a minstrel show, to raise money for a Veterans' building, swimming pool, auditorium, etc. A great many worked hard, as actors and fund raisers, and their efforts netted a good many thousands of dollars. The all at once, no one knows by what right, the money was transferred to the new high school extension.

Another thing the public don't like especially those that have children. A group of us over a period of four years have advocated a skating rink on the football field at no expense to the city.

You published my letter on it. We took it up first with the city manager. He referred us to the H.S. principal, and he to the athletic director. He never replied to three of my letters. After I noted that there were approximately 3 children drowned a year while skating in the Rouge parks and river. There has been two already so far this winter. The ice the County makes available for skating is very rough. My plan was for the city to plow a four to six foot furrow around the football field, flood it, keep it clean of snow, and reflood it when necessary. There are lights and wires for music.

The school board could have hockey games. Some person could teach fancy skating. This all maintained by a dime turnstyle.

These things all add up to the turned down bond issues.

HARRY H. NEWELL  
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## LAME DUCKS

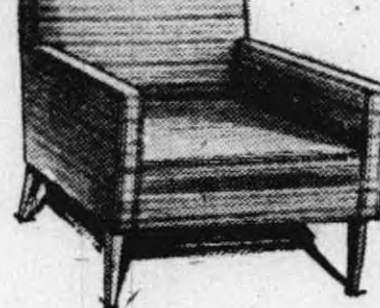
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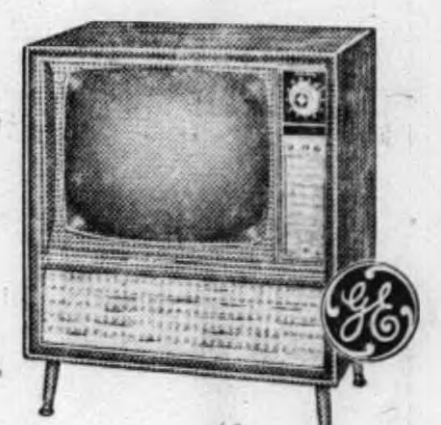
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