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The Christmas Candle



TWENTY-FOUR YEARS AGO

Thursday, December 13, 1906

Geo. McNany, of Sharon was thrown from his conveyance in front of the Cummings farm last Friday evening, when his team became frightened and ran away. The young man was taken into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wellhoff, who reside on the farm. He was badly bruised and was in an unconscious condition for over two hours.

Adam Eppler expects to be located in his new market building before Christmas. The new location is on the corner of Main and Park streets.

Rha Alexander accompanied his mother, Mrs. R. H. Alexander, to Hamilton, Ont., Monday, where they attended the funeral of the latter's brother.

At the recent examination of the State Board of Pharmacy, Lee Foster and Lee Chandler, both of Chelsea, were given registered druggists' certificates.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Sweetland are in Grand Rapids this week where they are attending the sessions of the State Grange.

Born, Friday, December 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eisele, a son.

Lorenz Bagge has purchased the A. Spencer residence on Railroad street.

Walter Atkinson, of Lincashire, England, arrived in Chelsea Sunday morning and is a guest at the home of his brother, Wm. Atkinson. This is the first time the two brothers have met in twenty years.

The annual meeting of the Western Washtenaw Farmers Club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Spaulding, of Sylvan, December 21.

The Women's Souvenir edition of the Standard was issued on Wednesday of this week. It was a complete historical record of the churches and schools of Chelsea and many events that occurred in the pioneer days.

Try Standard Liners—only 25c.

THIRTY-FOUR YEARS AGO

Thursday, December 17, 1896

At the recent election of Olive Lodge, F. & A. M., the following officers were chosen for the coming year: W. M., Geo. Ward; S. W., J. B. Cole; J. W., J. G. Webster; Treasurer, H. S. Holmes; Secretary, J. D. Schnaitman; S. D., Edward Rooke; J. D., R. B. Waldrons; Tyler, W. B. Sumner; Stewards, Ransom Armstrong and Geo. S. Laird.

Howard Canfield has sufficiently recovered to allow of his removal to his home in Lyndon.

The new road, making the short cut to Cavanaugh Lake, was completed last Saturday.

A Lyceum has been organized in the Lehman School district, Sylvan, and will meet in the school-house every Friday evening.

The funeral of Hiram Fisk, an old resident of this vicinity, was held in the Francisco Union church Tuesday of this week. Mr. Fisk died Sunday at the age of 96 years.

The Waterloo Township Board was subpoenaed Saturday to bring the ballot box to Jackson for the purpose of recounting the votes.

John Collins, of Waterloo, while hunting rabbits last Sunday, slipped from a log and in doing so his gun was discharged and the shot entered his right arm just below the elbow.

The Sunday school of the Congregational church will hold their annual exercises in the church Christmas Eve.

Lancashire's Old Bells

There are 22 bells in Lancashire, England, says an article in the Montreal Family Herald, that can, with certainty, be assigned to a date earlier than 1550. The oldest bell is at Cloughton, and dates to 1206. Five or six bells can be assigned to the fourteenth century and a like number to the fifteenth century. Six dated bells belong to the period 1500-1600.

**Christmas Greetings
and Best Wishes
for the New Year**



May you live long and prosper, and
of all the years you have spent, and
of all the years to come, may 1931 be
better.



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Ann Arbor

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ship taxes for the year 1930 are now
due and can be paid at Kantlehner's

Jewelry Store any day during the
week.
W. F. KANTLEHNER,
Sylvan Treasurer.

1930-GREETINGS-1931

We greet you and thank you. Thanks to you for every visit and for every purchase and for every favor shown us. Some people do more business than we do but none appreciate what they get any more than we do. May the New Year be for you just what you would have it be.

MILLER SISTERS
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MAY TO YOUR LOT

Fall showers of choice blessings during the happy Yuletide and on down a smooth road that will lead you to greater success and contentment in 1931.

Accept our hearty thanks for your favors of the past year.

JACOB F. ALBER

PLUMBER

PHONE 67

CHELSEA

4-H Club Boy Wins Large Money Prize

One Michigan 4-H club boy can look forward to buying Christmas presents without breaking into his penny bank after he cashes the check for \$1785 which was the amount brought by the first prize steer exhibited by him at the Detroit Junior Livestock show last week.

Forsyth McCrone, Milan, won this grand championship with an Angus steer which weighed 1,020 pounds and sold for \$1785 a pound in the public auction following the sale. Lynn Spencer, Tyre, showed the reserve champion and this animal sold for 50 cents a pound at the auction.

Aberdeen Angus, Herefords, and Shorthorns were put in the show ring by Michigan's future livestock producers. The first three prizes for Shorthorns went to Robert Robertson, Yale; Elton Frey, Ann Arbor; and Dixon Vorhees, Albion; for Herefords, Lynn Spencer, Tyre; Richard McCarty, St. Clair; and Catherine Hakes, Albion; and the Angus prizes were awarded to Forsyth McCrone, Milan; Rodney Horner, Deford; and Jim Milligan, Cass City.

Members of Michigan's 4-H beef clubs are required to purchase or raise a calf, feed and care for it, and keep a financial record of the profit or loss made. Many of the boys and girls exhibit their calves at local fairs, and the Detroit Livestock Show brought the best animals from the various districts into competition with each other.

OUR NEIGHBORS

SALINE—Housewives are now faced with a new danger. Book agents are seeking admission to the homes with the argument that they have been sent by the state board of education, an absolute false claim. With peddlers resorting to such lies it is best to stick to an ironclad rule not to do business with any house to house canvassers. —Observer.

DEXTER—The sheds at the Congregational church have been sold and are being removed. Some years ago these sheds sheltered the horses while members of the church attended services. The iron horse now used to travel do not need such care. —Leader.

GRASS LAKE—The Men's Community Club met Tuesday evening in the Municipal building with a fairly good attendance. The use of the building was granted at a recent meeting of the village council and will become the permanent home of the club. —News.

New Year Bells

By Lalia Mitchell Thornton
in Ohio Farmer

RING merrily, oh, New Year bells!
When while the snows are glistening,
Your music on the darkness wells,
And all the world is listening.
Ring merrily! Each note is filled,
With hope and promise glorious,
With double dissolved and terrors milled,
And courage over fears victorious.

RING merrily, oh, New Year bells!
Again the dawn is brightening,
Shall grief forget that time dispels,
Or sorrow South the New Year's lightening.
Ring merrily for all to hear,
Since need knows no disparity;
Bring to each soul your note of cheer,
Since cheer is Heaven's charity.

SLAT'S DIARY

By ROSS FARQUHAR

Friday—Pa was reading about the government having trouble with the Smugglers along the coast and Ant Emmy had been lissening and she said she thought it was high time the government tuk a hand in this sorta affare.

She sed she slaped the onley fella witch tried this smuggling with her when they was going to gather.

Saturday—The Prell is trying to get a divorce from his wife and he says he is willing to spend twict as much as it costed him to get married. His wife told him she had tuk a coarse in cooking from a correspondent skool but like sed a lot of the male must of ben miss sented.

Sunday—well I had to laff in Sunday skool today. They was a new kid in are class and he is pritty onery

and the teacher sed Looy did you ever get sent home from Sunday skool and he start to cry and she sed well now dont cry you are going to be sent home from Sunday skool. so he was and we didnt have no more fun.

Munday—Lillie witch does the warshing for ma got married last wk. and she sed she and her husband had there 1st quarl yesterday. He wanted to borry five \$ from her and she woodent give it to him, she sed mebb by he was all rite but she hardly new him well enuff to let him have no munney.

Tuesday—well we have quit ft. ball now and me and Jake and Blisters is a going to organise a basket Ball team. if we can find three or 4 uther fellows witch are good enuff. If they have got a basket Ball. or the needed cash.

Wednesday—I am threw with are teacher for good in all. This p. m. she ast I and Jake and Blisters to stop at her house becuz she had sum thing for us. When we was there she sed Now witch 1 of you boys be-leaves that it is better to give then to receive and I helt up my hand like we do in skool and she sed Fine I will give your Checklet Declare to Jake becuz I am shy 1. No more religion fer me.

Thursday—The new girl witch come to skool this week hassent got no sense of yumor. Sum buddy haska tickle her every time they ia sum thing funny happens in the class.

HOWELL—Livingston county now has direct connection with the state police at East Lansing and the city police departments of Detroit and Flint through radio connection. A receiving set has been installed in the Livingston County jail. The set placed in the sheriff's office was paid for from state funds. —Republican Press.

Five Meaningful Words

If our vocabulary was ever so extensive we do not believe we could find five more meaningful words for this message than

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In appreciation for your favors of the past we wish you a most joyous, prosperous New Year and pledge you the best we have in 1931.

A. L. BROCK, D. D. S.

CHELSEA

PHONE 345

Cordial Christmas Greetings

*He who
is happy
is rich*

The final test for measuring either success or wealth in this life is happiness. He who achieves happiness has gained the best that the world has to offer, and it is the glory of the Christmas season that teaches so many of us how easy it is to be happy. Kindness and thoughtfulness for others are watchwords of Christmas. May you find in the hearts of those you love the best reason for being happy during Christmas and throughout the New Year.

WE THANK YOU FOR FAVORS OF THE PAST
AND EXPRESS THE HOPE THAT WE MAY BE
PRIVILEGED TO SERVE YOU THROUGHOUT
THE NEW YEAR.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Helen Baxter was a Detroit visitor Friday.

Mr. John Frymuth spent Thursday in Ann Arbor as the guest of Mrs. Howard Boyd.

Miss Katharine Fletcher spent the week-end in East Lansing as the guest of Miss Rowena Brooks.

Mrs. W. C. Smith was a Detroit visitor Friday.

Prof. Broesamle, of Detroit, called on friends here Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Johnson spent the week-end in Sylvan at the home of Mrs. Anna Whitaker.

Ransom Armstrong and Fred Burles left Tuesday for Houghton, La., where they will spend the winter.

May the Glow of an Old-Fashioned Christmas Make Brighter the Days to Come

We wish to express, in a measure, the many favors bestowed upon us during the past year.

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We Wish You Success And Happiness

May the Christmas season bring enjoyment that will fill every minute and hour with experiences that will delight your fancy and then as you pass out of the Yuletide season and face the New Year may you see the accomplishments of our fondest ambitions and hopes.

Let us thank you for your loyalty, friendship, patronage and good will during 1930 and ask that you give us the opportunity to continue to serve you throughout 1931.

Oliver Leech Barber Shop

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A Wish For Every Happiness During Christmas and the New Year

We certainly appreciate the fact that we have had the pleasure of serving our old patrons during the past year and of adding many new satisfied patrons to our list. 1931 will find us putting forth our best efforts in your behalf.

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With Every Good Wish for Christmas and the New Year

But to extend greetings and good wishes is not enough. We want also to thank you for your patronage during 1930 and to assure you that we are anxious to continue to have you as one of our many satisfied patrons during 1931.

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Michigan Happenings

Cecil Fogg, end, and Don Hilder, tackle, of Michigan State, at East Lansing, have accepted the invitation of Coach Bob Zuppke of Illinois to play on an all-star midwestern football team, which will meet a southwestern conference eleven in Dallas New Year's Day. It is the first time in many years that Michigan State has offered material for an all-star game. Fogg was described by his coach, James H. Crowley, this year as one of the best defensive ends in the country. Hilder's work was outstanding in the line.

With a 32 per cent increase in population during the last decade Michigan showed a greater gain between 1920 and 1930 than any other northern state. It was exceeded only by the ratios for California and Florida. The final figures show Michigan had a population of 4,842,325 on April 1 which was an increase of 1,173,913 over the 1920 census, the largest gain in the history of the state. Of the 83 counties in Michigan, 37 increased in population between 1920 and 1930, while 46 showed decreases.

A 14-year-old boy, Forsyth McCrone, of Milan, is the proud possessor of a silver cup two feet high and the title of Grand Champion Four-H club calf raiser as the result of his victory over 24 other Michigan boys and girls in the first annual junior live stock show given at the Detroit stock yards. Forsyth's prize steer is an Angus yearling. He won in a final judging over Robert Robertson, of Yale, who took first in the Shorthorn contest, and Lynn Spencer, of Tyre, who captured top honors with his Hereford entry.

Believed to have been actuated by a story in a magazine, which lay upon a nearby table, Edward Schroeder, 41-year-old farmer living near Wellston, in Manistee County, killed his 15-year-old mother with a revolver and then turned the weapon on himself. The bodies were found by neighbors, who forced an entrance when they had not seen the pair about the farm. They told sheriff's officers that Schroeder had been acting peculiarly recently.

Eleven baseball games grace the University of Michigan's Big Ten card for the coming spring. The schedule embraces home and home series with Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and Ohio State, and an appearance against Chicago at the Midway. The Iowa games are the first scheduled meetings with the Hawkeyes for the year. Michigan and Wisconsin, the latter the Big Ten champion last year, have the largest number of conference games with 11 each.

A cow-moose, almost dead from a rifle bullet through its neck, was found by deer hunters near Strong's, west of Sault Ste. Marie. The moose notified conservation officers who sent the meat to the Newberry State Hospital. It is believed that the moose was killed by a deer hunter who feared bringing the carcass out of the woods. A Chippewa County man was recently convicted for illegal possession of moose meat.

Governor-elect Wilbur M. Brucker will be inaugurated New Year's day with a brilliant ceremony, it was announced at Lansing. There will be a parade, an outdoor ceremony at which the governor-elect will take the oath of office, a cannon salute of 17 guns, a public reception, a banquet and an inaugural ball. The ceremony will be broadcast over WKAR, the Michigan state college radio station.

Michigan's 5,000 miles of trout streams were stocked with 12,093,064 brook, brown and rainbow trout this year, the product of State fish hatcheries and rearing ponds. By far the great majority of these fish represented fingerlings running from one inch up to five inches which sets an all-time record for fingerling planting.

Elmer G. Hoag, Albion chicken farmer, caught a great snowy owl in the same trap in which he captured a great horned owl a month ago. The snowy owl, on exhibition in Albion, is believed to have been driven into Michigan from Canada by severe weather.

Twenty miles north of L'Anse au Lake Superior is the home of some of Michigan's largest swamp deer. Those heavy bodied, short legged animals are eagerly sought after by hunters looking for fine heads.

A large white wolf, the first seen near Escanaba in many years, was shot near Oler by Ben Noel. Noel brought the pelt to the county clerk's office in Escanaba and received the \$10 bounty.

William Young, of Ypsilanti, narrowly escaped death when his sedan plunged over an embankment into the Huron river, near the old water works plant in that city. Although the car was submerged, Young succeeded in opening a door and reached shore. He suffered from exposure.

Twenty-six cows and two horses were burned to death in a fire that destroyed a barn on the farm of Frank Donjaak, of Hazelton Township, near Owosso. The loss is \$8,500.

Enactment of a law in the next Legislature to establish a chain of airports connecting Northern and Southern Michigan was urged by Maj. Floyd Evans, director of the State Board of Aeronautics, speaking before the Lansing Aviation Club. Maj. Evans said the need of intermediate connecting fields in this state is imperative. He pointed out that with the exception of Texas, Michigan is the longest state in the Union. It was his first important public appearance since he succeeded Capt. Ray Collins as director of the board.

The charity football game played at Ann Arbor Nov. 22 between the University of Michigan and Chicago yielded \$48,350 for the benefit of the unemployed, according to a report to Gov. Green at Lansing. Of this \$48,000 will be returned to Detroit and Wayne County. The \$3,350 balance will be distributed outside. It was agreed that the fund be distributed under Gov. Green's direction in direct proportion to the number of tickets sold in each community. Most of the sales were in Detroit.

Final figures on Internal revenue collections for the year ending June 30, just issued by the treasury department at Washington, show that Michigan contributed \$137,076,199 of \$3,040,145,733 collected throughout the nation in the form of federal taxes. Of the amount thus collected in Michigan \$127,074,886 came in the form of income taxes from corporations and individuals while \$9,401,313 was derived from miscellaneous taxes of various kinds.

Within 12 hours after his home virtually was destroyed in the second fire in two days, Elummul Huslip, of Lansing, alias Lewis Huslip, was on his way to the Michigan State Prison at Jackson to serve two and a half to ten years for arson. Huslip confessed before Charles C. Allen, deputy State fire marshal, and Chief Hugo Belts, of the Lansing fire department, that he set fire to the house in an effort to collect insurance.

University of Detroit High School and Mt. Clemens High met in an unusual basketball game in Mt. Clemens, the game ending in a 7-4 victory for the Detroit quintet. So close was the defensive play of both teams that neither team was able to score a point during the first half. Mt. Clemens sank only one basket during the entire game, the goal coming in the last 15 seconds of play. The winners made three goals and a free throw.

Despite the drought which extended late into the fall season, and which shortened the planting period, the forestry division of the Michigan Department of Conservation succeeded in planting approximately 11,000 acres of trees in the various state forests. With approximately 16,000 acres planted last spring, the year's record of acres planted in trees in the state forests for 1930 will total about 27,000.

Voters of the Second senatorial district will decide Jan. 26 who shall succeed State Senator Cass J. Jankowski, fatally injured recently in an automobile accident. A primary election will be held Jan. 5 to nominate the Republican and Democratic nominees who will oppose each other at the Jan. 26 election. The statute makes Dec. 22 the last day for the filing of nominating petitions.

John Bourne, of Grand Rapids, who fired a shotgun in the direction of his 14-year-old daughter, Helen, was sentenced by Superior Judge Leonard D. Verder to one to three years in the Michigan State Prison at Jackson. Bourne said he became enraged when his wife and daughter hid a bottle of whiskey given him by a friend, to be taken on a hunting trip. The girl was not wounded.

Hundreds of thousands of two-inch perch were taken from the mouth of the Boardman river at Traverse City and planted in inland lakes, this year. While millions of perch fry are hatched by the state each year, and are distributed about the lakes, the cost of raising perch to the fingerling state has been considered too high to be practicable.

Mrs. Lydia John Winn, a resident of the Dulcania Home at Marshall, was 103 years old on December 8. Mrs. Winn was born in Fort Ann, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1827, but moved to Michigan when a child. She made her home at Kalamazoo until 1910 when she came to Marshall.

President Hoover has designated Samuel Wald, 51 Kendrick street, Mt. Clemens, among the list of candidates for admission to West Point military academy next July, subject to entrance examination to be held in March.

Simon Akkerman, 7-year-old son of August Akkerman, of Grand Rapids, drowned in a quarry when a thin sheet of ice on which he was sliding broke beneath him. The body was recovered in 12 feet of water.

Completion of the widening of U. S. 10 between Pontiac and Flint was assured when the highway committee of the State Administrative Board awarded a contract at Lansing for enlarging the route to 40 feet from Flint to the south county line. The cost of the widening on the 7.5 mile stretch will be \$252,000.

A robber cut a hole in the display window of the Joseph Otten jewelry store at Kalamazoo and escaped with articles valued at \$700.

Favorite Bible Passages

Clyde M. Reed

Governor of Kansas



Therefore, all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets. Matthew 7:12

Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam out of thine eye; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's eye. Matthew 7:5

The Lord is my shepherd: I shall not want. Psalm 23:1

Comment: You may search the pages of the Old and New Testaments and you will find nothing comparable in hope, comfort and wisdom, with the Twenty-third Psalm and Christ's Sermon on the Mount. These have inspired mankind in life and have comforted and consoled in the hour of death. No other chapter in the Bible has been committed to memory by so many people as the Twenty-third Psalm. The Lord's Prayer, a part of Christ's sermon on the mount, has been lisped by countless millions. It was taught to us by our mothers in childhood. We have repeated it times innumerable. It is on supplication that all humanity invokes. It is the world's expression of gratitude and divine blessing. It is the anchor of our hope in the Kingdom God has promised his children. (Compiled by the Bible Guild.)

A Balanced World

Every excess causes a defect; every defect an excess. Every sweet hath its sour; every evil its good. Every faculty which is a receiver of pleasure has an equal penalty put on its misuse. For every grain of wit there is a grain of folly. For everything you have missed, you have gained something else; and for everything you gain you lose something. Ralph Waldo Emerson

Each Day of the New Year

We are going to earnestly endeavor to spread some good cheer among those with whom we come in contact. Each day we will so serve as to show our appreciation. Each day we will work hard to be worthy of your patronage, your confidence and your good-will. May it be a happy, prosperous year for you.

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---Good Health
---Good Friends

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2-lb. Cake

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Chesterfield, Old Gold, Lucky Strike, Camels, Carton **\$1.15**

Mince Meat
Country Club, Pkg. **10c**

Cherries
Country Club, Royal Ann, Can. **38c**

Aunt Jemima
Pan Cake Flour, 2 Pkgs. **25c**

Figs
Smyrna, Bulk, lb. **29c**

Currents
Country Club, 1/2 lb. **13c**

Peel
Orange and Lemon, Pkg. **14c**

Buckwheat
Flour, Aunt Jemima, Pkg. **15c**

Raisins
Seedless, 1/2 lb. **25c**

Pastry Flour
Country Club, 5 lbs. **24c**

Liptons Tea
Small Package **9c**

Citron
Preserved, Pkg. **19c**

Wheatena
Flour **23c**

Ginger Ale
Kroger's, Large Bottle **15c**

Mince Meat
None Such, Pkg. **15c**

Del Monte
P & G Soap 6 Bars **29c**

6 Cans 53c

YOUR DOLLAR BUYS MORE AT A KROGER STORE

WAYNE—Since the inauguration of the state inheritance tax law in 1903, Wayne County has contributed \$18,778,054.10 to the state primary school fund into which all inheritance tax moneys go. This was revealed in the report issued from the state auditor general's office in Lansing—Re-view.

SOUTH LYON—The Red Cross membership drive in Lyon township has been completed and the director, Mrs. F. M. Glenan, states that she is sending the sum of \$146 to Red Cross headquarters in Pontiac. This amount included the \$50 sent in by an unknown person, and \$18 from New Hudson—Herald.

OF all the gifts you make this Yuletide to your loved ones is there any as likely to be of more permanent value—more enduring benefit—most acceptable to the recipient than an account here?

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May these and every other sign of Christmas bring joy to you and yours during this glad season. Our greatest happiness comes from making others happy and we are therefore wishing for you that you may have a part in making many hearts glad during the Yuletide.

We are grateful for all the patronage we have received during the past year and hope that we will be favored with frequent visits from both old and new patrons during 1931.

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SOUTH WATERLOO

(Last week's items)

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Chase, Mrs. Arthur Chase and Mrs. Louise Chase all of Jackson were Sunday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wahl.

Donald Katz of Ann Arbor spent the week end at the home of his brother, Mr. Eldon Katz and wife.

Mrs. G. Moeckel and Miss Justina Lutz spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Penrose Weinhold and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Katz spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wahl.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rathman and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Seigrist spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wehl spent Sunday afternoon with their niece near Stockbridge.

Mrs. Florenz Moeckel still continues in a very serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harr, daughter Electa and son Dwight spent Sunday in Leslie with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rathman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and family of Vandercook Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Rathman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Harr spent Sunday with Victor and Gertrude Harr.

MILAN—The work of the American Legion and other organizations in Milan in their effort to bring relief and happiness to the needy of the community during the holiday season is getting well under way and already the committees are at work. The calls for help are coming earlier this year than ever before. In the night years that the local Post of the Legion has taken care of this work the call has never been so great nor the need for help so acute. —Leader.

Call for Enlightenment

The old adage that says two can live as cheaply as one neglected to say one what. —Dallas News.

Good Methods Make Good Alfalfa Crop

The use of the latest methods in seeding and growing alfalfa proved profitable for Dorr Perry, a Tuscola county farmer, who harvested 262 bushels of Hardigan alfalfa seed from 34 acres this year and then won first place in the Eastern States class for alfalfa seed at the Chicago Hay and Grain Show.

The seed was harvested from three fields, in one of which the stand is five years old. Mr. Perry uses Hardigan, a winter-hardy variety at Michigan State College, and he applies lime and fertilizer in preparation for seeding the alfalfa with oats.

Michigan harvested an exceptionally good crop of alfalfa seed this year and samples submitted for certification show that the quality is excellent. The use of home grown seed is recommended by the farm corps department at Michigan State College and Michigan farmers will be able to follow these recommendations this year.

The sample of seed which won the Chicago prize for Mr. Perry will be given a place of honor at the grain show to be held at Michigan State College during Farmers Week, Feb. 2 to 6.

YPSILANTI—Ypsilanti has festoons of colored electric lights strung across the principal street intersections in the business district, with a large white star blazing at the center of the street and a number of tall Christmas trees set at the principal entrances to the city were lighted for the first time Friday evening in celebration of the coming holiday season.

JACKSON—W. S. McLaren, manager of the Michigan theatre, was host to the Starr Commonwealth boys Friday afternoon, together with Floyd Starr, superintendent, and several of the school's staff of women. The party numbered 87 and all were most appreciative of the kindness of the Jackson group which had made this possible. —Tribune.

BROOKLYN—The county road program as outlined by the county commissioners is curtailed by the reduction in funds. The county road fund is the only county fund where any important reduction was made by the county supervisors. No cement roads are on the county program for next year, the less permanent types being all that can be built. In this part of the county it is planned to extend the black top surfacing of the Eldred to Clark Lake road another three miles to a point near the old Stephenson school house. —Exponent.

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VERNE FORDYCE

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May the Glow of CHRISTMAS Light Your Path to Better Days

It is not enough to wish you happiness for a season. Our wish is that you will be happy, prosperous and in good health throughout the entire New Year as well as during these glad holidays.

WM. F. WHEELER

CHELSEA, MICH.

To Our Friends

To our many friends and casual patrons whose business has meant so much to us during the past year, we desire now to express our heartfelt appreciation of your favors and to wish for you the finest blessings of the Christmas season. May your New Year be both happy and prosperous.

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Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, scalloped edge, plain, each	9c
Ladies' Silk Bloomers, non-run	39c
Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, each	12c
Men's Genuine Broadcloth Shirts, plain or fancy, fast colors	89c
Men's Madras Pajamas, slip-over or button front, packed in holiday box	98c
Men's Ties, each in Holiday Box, 98c and \$1.50 values	69c
Ladies' Pure Linen Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 3 in box	50c
Men's Horsehide Coats and Lumberjacks, all front quarter, \$12.95 and \$14.95 values	\$8.95
Blankets, double bed size, satin bound edge, part wool, fast color, reg. \$4.95 val., per pair	\$2.95
Men's Silk Stripe, regular \$1.69 values, Dress Shirts, collar attached, fast colors, each in fancy Holiday Box, each	\$1.15
Boys' Part Wool Slipover Sweaters, plain colors, regular \$1.98 values	\$1.15
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Question And Answer Dept.

Ques. I want to ask you in your question department why a certain kind of smooth, round stones are called "nigger heads"?

Ans. Such rounded boulders were originally called "nigger heads" because of their fancied resemblance in color and hardness to a negro's head. The term was first used humorously, but it has become a regular name in many sections for such rocks.

Ques. Can you tell me what salary President Hoover's cabinet officers get?

Ans. Since March 4, 1925, all the cabinet officers of a president's cabinet get \$15,000 a year.

Ques. Can you tell in the question column why college girls are called "co-eds"?

Ans. "Co-ed" is an abbreviation form of "co-education." It is a slang term used by collegians that is applied to women who are being educated in the same institution with young men. Originally men and women were educated in separate colleges. When co-educational schools were established the word "co-ed" was applied to the girls only.

Ques. I am curious to know why a certain kind of cotton cloth is called "calico". Can you answer this question?

Ans. The word "calico" was first used by Europeans and applied to a certain cotton fabric that was manufactured in Calicut, India, in the 17th century. The word is merely a corruption of "Calicut".

Ques. When was coffee first used as a beverage?

Ans. It is not known. However, it is thought the Arabs were the first to use coffee more than a thousand years ago.

Ques. Will you please answer if the 20th century began in 1900 or in 1901?

Ans. The 19th century ended with the ending of December, 1900. Therefore Jan. 1, 1901, was the first day of the 20th century.

Ques. When the British burned Washington in the War of 1812 how was the Declaration of Independence document saved?

Ans. When Washington was in danger of being raided by the British the famous old document was hidden at Leesburg, Va., where it was kept until peace was restored. The historical document is now in the capitol at Washington.

Ques. To settle a dispute will you please state when and where was Clarence Darrow, the criminal law-

yer-born? And also what his politics are?

Ans. Clarence Darrow was born at Kinsman, Ohio, in 1857. He is a socialist.

Ques. I want to ask in your interesting question and answer column what became of the stone that was given by the Pope to the United States about the year A. D. 1850? What kind of a stone was it, and did it bear an inscription?

Ans. The stone you are asking about was a block of African marble from the Temple of Concord at Rome and was the gift of the Pope to the United States. On it was inscribed "Rome to America." In 1854, during the Know-Nothing excitement the place where the blocks were kept was forcibly entered, and the papal stone carried away. A big reward was offered for its recovery, but its whereabouts has remained a secret. It is supposed the stone was thrown into the Potomac river by the Know-Nothings or some of their sympathizers.

Ques. What is a bridge party?

Ans. Usually women prize fighters.

Ques. What causes the dark places on the moon which resembles the face of a man?

Ans. According to astronomers these shadings are caused by the mountain ranges and plains.

MODERN ETIQUETTE

By Robert Lee

1. Should a man who rises to give a woman his seat on the car, lift his hat?

2. What does a clever person often do when making introductions?

3. Is a second helping of any dish ever offered at a formal dinner?

4. Is the formal or the informal entertainment a greater compliment to the guests?

5. What should follow the serving of fruits at dinner?

6. What is the basic foundation of pleasant conversation?

Holiday Suggestions

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The Spirit of the Season Prompts This Message

Prompted, not only by the spirit of the season, but out of a sense of deep gratitude, we send this message of cheer and good wishes to our friends everywhere. We hope it will find you happy in your present surroundings and with a future bright with good promises which will materialize to your complete satisfaction.

With you we welcome this happy season when hearts are gladdened and we may have some part in lightening the burdens of one another with kind words and thoughtful acts. It is good that we have this season when friendship and fellowship and good-will are manifest at every hand.

Certainly the year has not been all that you could wish for, nor all that we could wish for. But even so we can each have much to be thankful for. Among other things, we are thankful for the loyalty of the friends who have made this business what it is. We are thankful for the old friends who have been with us through the years and for the new ones whose friendship we have claimed this year and the opportunity the future holds for making new friends.

We thank each of you sincerely -- not only for your patronage, but for your good-will as well and for every consideration shown us. May Christmas be rich in happiness and the New Year bountiful in prosperity for you and yours.

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The Family Christmas Party



LOCAL ITEMS

Albert Steinbach of Dearborn visited Chelsea relatives Saturday.
Mrs. Jane Gray and son, Bert were Ann Arbor visitors, Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Laros of Detroit were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Martha Wehmann.
Mrs. J. S. Cummings entertained the Bridge Dinner Club, Tuesday evening at her home on Park Street.
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Balmiller spent Sunday in Manchester at the home of Mrs. Julia Hayes.
Miss Agnes Dancer and Miss Lorraine Bangay of Ann Arbor were weekend guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dancer.
Miss Lorraine Thurston of Jackson was a Sunday guest at the home of Miss Mabel Raftery.

Miss Abbie Chase, who has been spending the past three weeks visiting Jackson relatives in Detroit, returned home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Scripser, Sunday.
Mrs. Harold Taylor of Ann Arbor and Miss Marie Pate of Detroit were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Spiegelberg.
Miss Alberta Winans and Miss Jennie Volk of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Winans.
Harold Seyfried accompanied by Louis Hammering of Ann Arbor left Tuesday on a three week's motor trip through the South. They will spend the holidays with friends in Shreveport, La.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCarthy and family and Mr. and Mrs. John McGeehan of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests at the home of the Misses Charles Lambert, Sunday.

Miss Margaret McIntyre, of Ann Arbor, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Mohrlock.
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Birch and family were guests Sunday at the home of her brother, E. J. Noll, of Wayne.
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Krapp, of Detroit, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Rävler.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eisele, of Sylvan township are the parents of a daughter, born Sunday, December 14, 1930.
Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Taylor and sons, Joseph and Thomas, spent Sunday in Dexter, at the home of Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. Mary Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barth and family, of Stockbridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Max McMillan of Detroit, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Barth, over Sunday.

CHRISTMAS

"PUDDINGS—steaming, candles gleaming—
Branches weighted down,
Christmas on the farms and reached
Christmas in the town!
Christmas on the mountain ridge,
Christmas on the sea!
May your Christmas day be merry
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While we enjoy this season of good-will and bright cheer, it is our policy to try each day of the year to put more into our transactions than the mere exchange of merchandise and service for dollars. We like to feel that the best friends we have in the world are those with whom we do business. Aside from the business we have transacted during the year now drawing to a close we list among the achievements of this business new-made friends and the strengthening of the ties which have held our old "stand-bys." We find pleasure in going to particular pains to supply our patrons with courtesy and efficiency in order that we may give complete satisfaction.

We wish you all the joy in the Christmas season and express the hope that the New Year will add continually to your prosperity and happiness.

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