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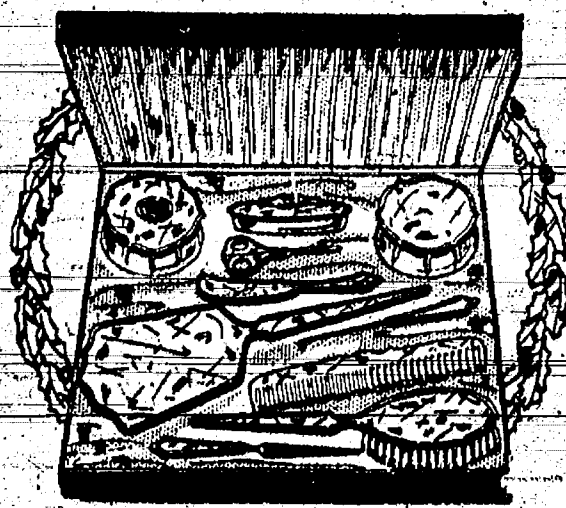
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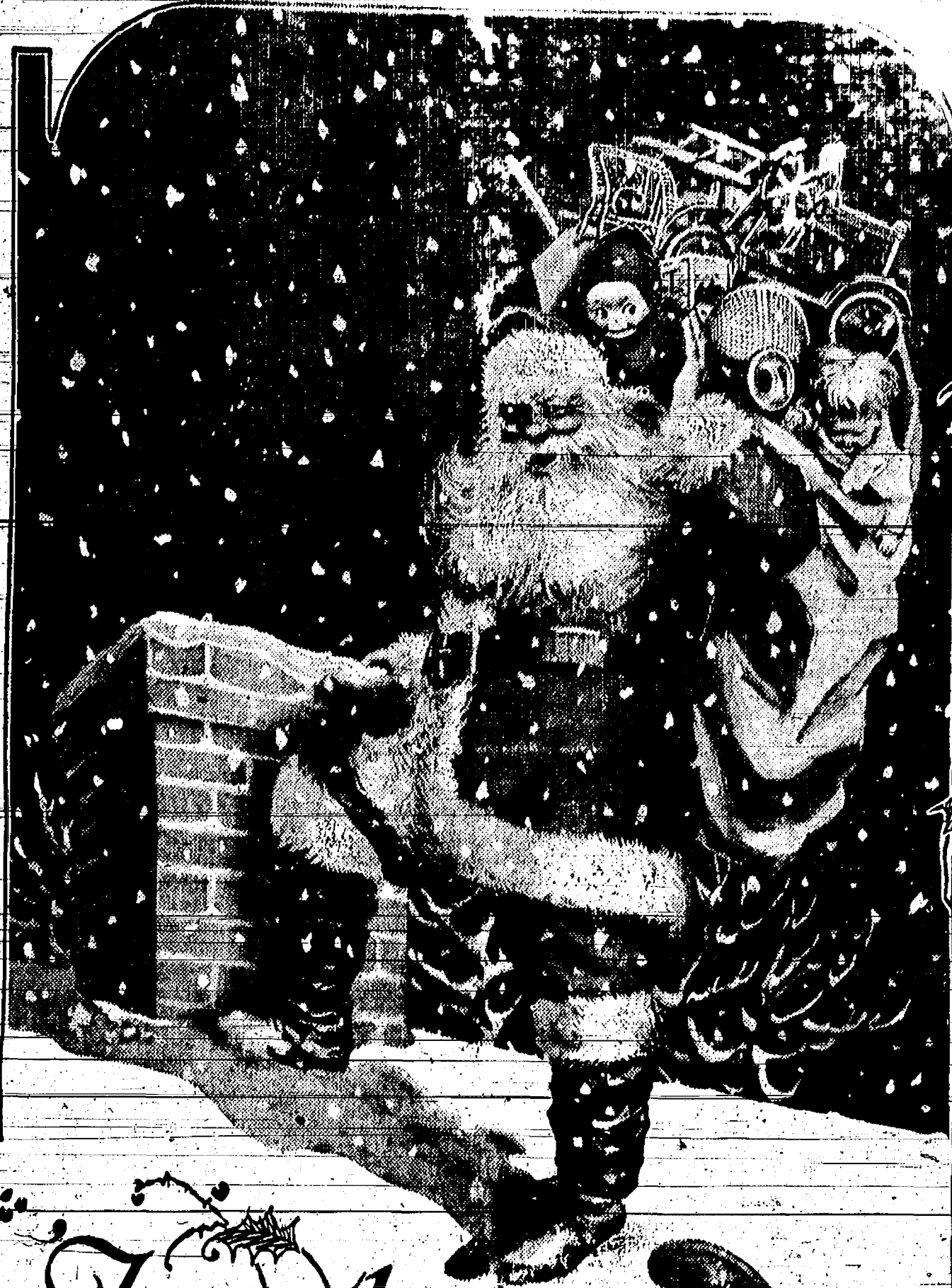
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Chelsea, Mich.

I was the
Night Before
ChristmasNorth Sylvan Grange
Installs New Officers

A meeting of North Sylvan Grange was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Lesser. A chicken supper was served at 6:00 and a feature of the evening was the installation by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heim of the following newly elected officers of the Grange:

Master—J. H. Weiss.
Overseer—Emerson Lesser.
Steward—George McClure, Jr.
Lecturer—Ruby Ives.
Secretary—Vera Heim.
Treasurer—Elmer Weinberg.
Chaplain—Fern Weiss.
Gate Keeper—Roy Kalmbach.
Assistant Steward—Henry Heim.
Pomona—Agnes Cook.
Flora—Julia Regier.
Ceres—Mary Heller.
Lady Asst. Steward—Margaret Weinberg.

Reports from the State Grange were given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heim and Fred Notten, and a vocal solo was rendered by Rev. Henry W. Lenz.

The January meeting of the Grange will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Broesma.

WILL KEEP OPEN NEXT WEEK

Practically all of Chelsea's business places will remain open each evening next week for the accommodation of people who desire to do their Christmas shopping in the evening. Merchants who are featuring gift merchandise are displaying high quality goods at prices far below any quoted in several years and many are daily taking advantage of the worth-while savings at Chelsea stores. Let Standard Ads be your shopping guide.

ENTERTAINS FOOTBALL TEAM

Miss Clara Hatzel gave a surprise party Thursday evening, in honor of her nephew, Ben Hatzel. The guests were the members of the 1931 football team of Chelsea high school. Coach Thayer and Supt. Clark. A delicious chicken dinner was served at seven o'clock. The evening was spent in playing cards.

BAKE SALE

The Ladies' Aid of the Community church, Sharon, will hold a bake sale at the Chelsea Hardware Co. store, Saturday afternoon, December 19, at 2 o'clock.

Churches To Feature
Christmas Services

The public is invited to attend a Christmas Cantata, "The Music of Bethlehem," by F. B. Holton, to be given by St. Paul's choir of 25 voices at St. Paul's church Sunday evening, December 20, at 7:30 o'clock. Program as follows:

Piano solo—Selected—Milda Lindauer.
Opening Chorus—Ring On, O Song—With soprano obligato by Katherine Kusterer.

Hans solo—A King Shall Reign—Paul Nicholas.
Quartet and Chorus—The Song of Hope—Evelyn Mayer, Anna Schneider, Verna Adam, Mary Schneider, Amanda Koch, Lisetta Widmayer, Austin Faust, Paul Nicholas.

Soprano and alto duet—The First Christmas Carol—Katherine Kusterer and Olga Strieter.
Chorus—The Song of Morning.
Women's Chorus, Men's Chorus and Choir—To Bethlehem Draw Near.

Chorus—Let Heaven and Nature Sing.

Contralto solo and quartette—Helen Lambert Zeeb and Ruth Nicholas, Mary Schneider, J. Fred Harris, Paul Nicholas.

Offertory—Selected—Milda Lindauer.
Chorus—The Music of The Bells—With soprano obligato by Ruth Nicholas.

Men's Chorus and Choir—The March of the Magi.
Chorus—Hallelujah.
Chorus—The Music of Bethlehem—Finale.

Members of Chorus—Sopranos: Katherine Kusterer, Ruth Nicholas, Anna Schneider, Verna Adam, Evelyn Mayer, Oleta Seltz, Loretta Bahrmiller, Mrs. John Osterle, Irma Dettling, Esther Lucht. Altos: Mary Schneider, Helen Zeeb, Olga Strieter, Amanda Koch, Lisetta Widmayer, Virginia Wank. Tenors: J. Fred Harris, Austin Faust, Otto Mayor, Paul Harbour, Donald Adams. Bass: Wilbur Hinderer, Paul Nicholas.

Accompanist—Milda Lindauer.

Congregational Church

A Vesper service will be given Sunday, December 20, at 4 o'clock at the Congregational church by the Junior.

St. Mary's School To
Present Operetta

"The Miser's Dream," an operetta in two acts, will be given by the pupils of St. Mary's school on Tuesday, December 22, at 8:00 o'clock.

Cast of characters:
Miser Moneybags—Richard Lyons.
Dame Marjorie—Angeline Burg.
Fairy Generosity—Cecilia Birch.
Christmas Fairy—Genevieve Dreyer.
Elf Selfishness—Eugene Roasbach.
Elf Unkindness—Thomas Lyons.

Witch—Ruth Marie Werner.
Mother Goose—Bernice Tuttle.
Butcher Boy—Leo Lingane.
Children, Elves and Cats—Inter-mediate Grades.

Skater's Dance—Virginia Burg, Gretchen Burg, Bernice Howe, Jeanette Cook, Catherine Conlan, Josephine Liebeck, Helen Liebeck, Helen Hindelang.

Chorus—High School.

VILLAGE PLACES XMAS TREES

Village authorities placed twenty-four Christmas trees in front of business places here during the past week. The trees add greatly to the holiday appearance of the town, especially those which are lighted by business men at night. These trees are to take the place of the large tree which has been erected at the flag pole each Christmas, and the cost for the quantity of small trees was about the same as the amount expended for the large tree each year.

KIWANIS SELL SEALS

The sale of Christmas Seals is being sponsored in Chelsea by the Kiwanis club. Seals have been mailed to a large number of local residents, and anyone not receiving an allotment may secure them from Paul F. Nicholas, secretary of the Kiwanis club.

TRIBUTE TO MICHIGAN

"The Parade of the States," a nationwide radio broadcast, is sponsored by General Motors each Monday evening at 9:30 over the N. B. C. network. Next Monday evening, a tribute to Michigan will be presented.

BAKE SALE

The Women's Union (formerly Auxiliary) of the St. Paul's church will hold their annual Christmas bake sale at Loeffer's Meat Market on Saturday, Dec. 19, at 2 o'clock.

CAN YOUR WIFE CHANGE A TIRE?

Honestly, aren't you asking too much of fate to trust those old tires when your wife drives? Hailing strangers for help, if she has a puncture, is often disagreeable. You'd feel a lot better if you knew she were protected also against possible accident. It will ease your mind and be easy on your purse to have us put on some new Goodyears now.

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10 lb. bag Granulated Sugar	47c
10 bars Magic Laundry Soap	28c
2 packages Argo Gloss Starch	15c
3 lbs. Navy Beans	10c
2 packages 4X Sugar	15c
2 lbs. Fresh Roasted Peanuts	25c
Use Monarch Coffee—We grind it while you wait.	

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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

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SPECIALS—Friday and Saturday Only

Pure LARD Home Rendered	2 lbs. 15
PORK SAUSAGE	3 lbs. for 20c
HAMBURG, all beef	10c lb.
BACON SQUARES	8c lb.
PORK SHOULDER, whole	8c lb.
FRESH HAMS, whole or half	11c lb.
PORK LOINS, whole or half	11c lb.
SMOKED HAMS, Honey Brand, whole or half	16c lb.
COTTAGE CHEESE, home made	10c lb.

GIVE HARDWARE
this Christmas

When you are planning your list of Christmas gifts refer first to hardware, "gifts of utility." At a "Farm Service" Hardware Store you find gifts that will please most and be a reminder of the giver for years, for the gifts purchased there last longest and are sensible and worthwhile. Do your shopping at the "Farm Service" store near you (with the "tag" in the window) for the satisfaction of knowing that your shopping has been well and thriftily done.

Suggestions

FOR MOTHER: Carpet sweepers, shears, roasters, toasters, table lamps, kitchenware, glassware, cutlery.
FOR DAD: Tools, automobile supplies, razors, fishing and hunting equipment, pocket knives, bright lanterns.

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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

CHURCH CIRCLES

Sunday School—2:30.

The world's ill are blamed upon lack of imagination, but if a man gets too much imagination somebody likely will come along and lock him up.—*Indianapolis News*

Public opinion is a weak tyrant compared with our own private opinion. What a man thinks of himself, that it is which determines, or rather indicates, his fate.—*Thoreau*

NOTTEN ROAD

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Thorne of Detroit, a son, Ronald Richard, on December 2nd. Mrs. Thorne was formerly Stella Cox of Chelsea.

Mrs. Clarence J. Chandler of Grosse Pointe Park was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wurster on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Carl Bagge spent Friday and Saturday in Detroit, as the guest of her daughter, Miss Doris Bagge.

Miss Emma Schmidt of Ann Arbor was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eppler on Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Wolfe of Jackson spent several days of the past week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Siegel.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hinderer and daughter spent Sunday in Ann Arbor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arrabuster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Harper and family of Saline were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harper on Sunday.

Gilbert Clark, who was a patient in St. Joseph's hospital in Ann Arbor for about two weeks, returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kuebler and daughters of Manchester were guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Koch, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Claire spent the weekend in Ann Arbor as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Loeffler.

The Bridge Dinner club was entertained at the home of Miss Margaret Miller on Thursday evening. Mrs. Henry Wolfe of Jackson was an out-of-town guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Niehaus and son Robert of Ann Arbor were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bahnmiller on Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Heselshwerdt, son Ted and daughter Margaret, spent Sunday afternoon in Jackson, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Heselshwerdt.

The Cytherean annual Christmas party was held at the home of Mrs. E. B. Hammond on Friday afternoon. Mrs. C. J. Chandler of Grosse Pointe Park was an out-of-town guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cramer of Archbold, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hosman of Wauseon, Ohio were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Claire on Sunday.

Miss Myrta Fenn of Northville was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fenn. Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fenn were Mr. and Mrs. Clare Fenn and son of Ann Arbor.

LYNDON TAX NOTICE

I will be at the Farmers & Merchants Bank, Chelsea, each Saturday during December, for the purpose of collecting Lyndon township taxes.

Ross McIntee,
Lyndon Twp. Treas.

LINER COLUMN

NORTHVILLE—Barton A. Wheeler resigns the position of treasurer of Union Chapter, No. 55, B. A. M., after 45 years of service. This is a remarkable record.—*Record*

DEXTER—The Christmas program of the Federated church will be Tuesday, December 22. Dinner will be served to the congregation and Sunday school at 8:30. The program will start at 8:00 o'clock.—*Leader*

MANCHESTER—The County Road Commission, under direction of the Engineer-Manager Townsend, is doing good work this fall east of town. They have cut back the corner on Orland Gray's farm where you turn south towards Clinton and on the opposite corner next to the school house. Last week they cut the corner at Sherry's farm which has been a bad one. It has been gravelled and when well packed will be a big improvement.—*Enterprise*

DUNDEE—Unemployment relief through jobs on roads includes grading of M-50 in Lenawee county. Just east of Tecumseh on the descending curves leading to the bridge over the River Raisin, the shoulders of the road are being widened, leveled and cleared of shrubs, making for greater safety. Between Britton and the Monroe county line the shoulders have been widened and leveled, the necessary earth coming chiefly from ditching work which was a part of the improvement.—*Reporter*

SOUTH LYON—One hundred years ago a group of people founded the Baptist church at Salem. Years went by and then the Lapham's Methodists joined the Baptists, and the name of the church was changed to the Federated church. The church is preparing to celebrate the centennial anniversary of the Baptist society. Sunday, December 20 has been chosen as the day, and there is to be an all-day meeting, with dinner at noon.— *Herald*

Record University Library

The Sterling Library at Yale is said to be the largest university library in the world. It has a seating capacity to accommodate 3,000 readers at one time.

Move for Public Safety

The basis of the modern police organization was an act of the New York legislature in 1835 providing for a consolidated "day and night police." During the next few years similar measures were taken in Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, New Orleans, Baltimore, Newark and Providence.

soon. James Struthers, phone 204.

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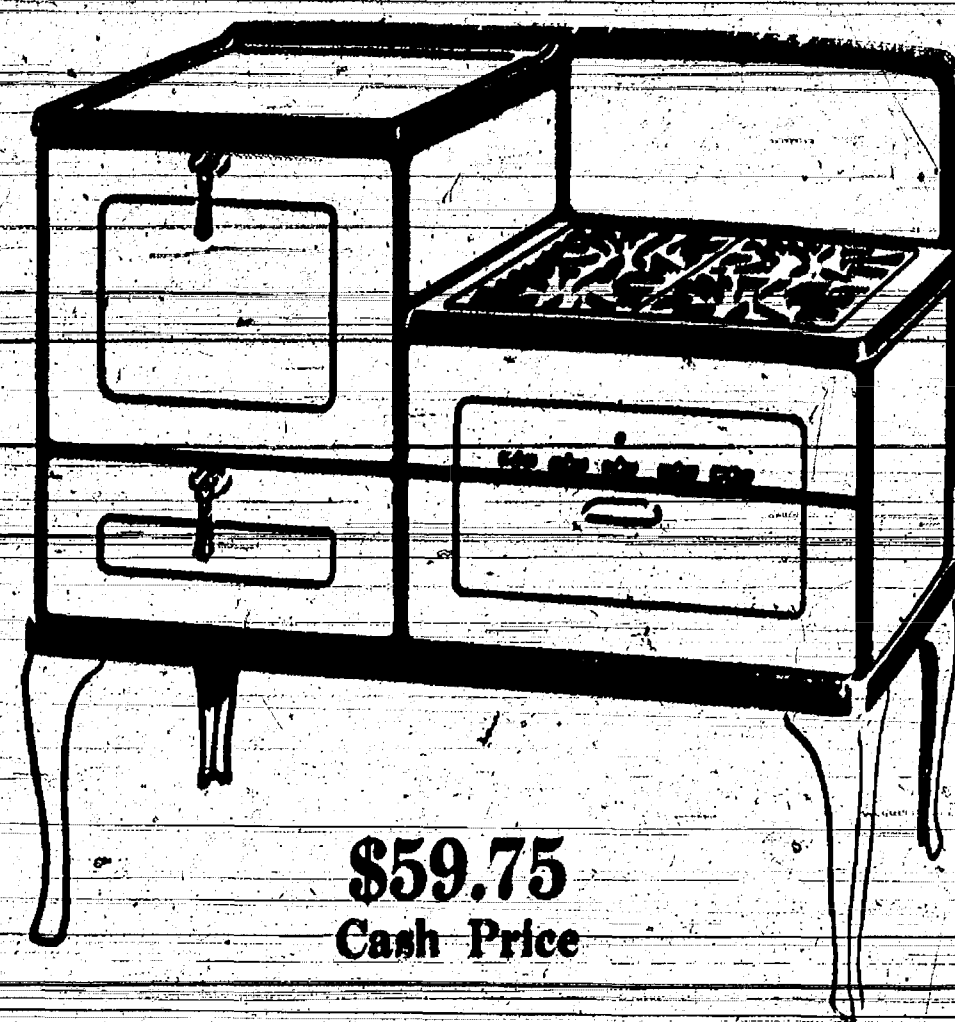
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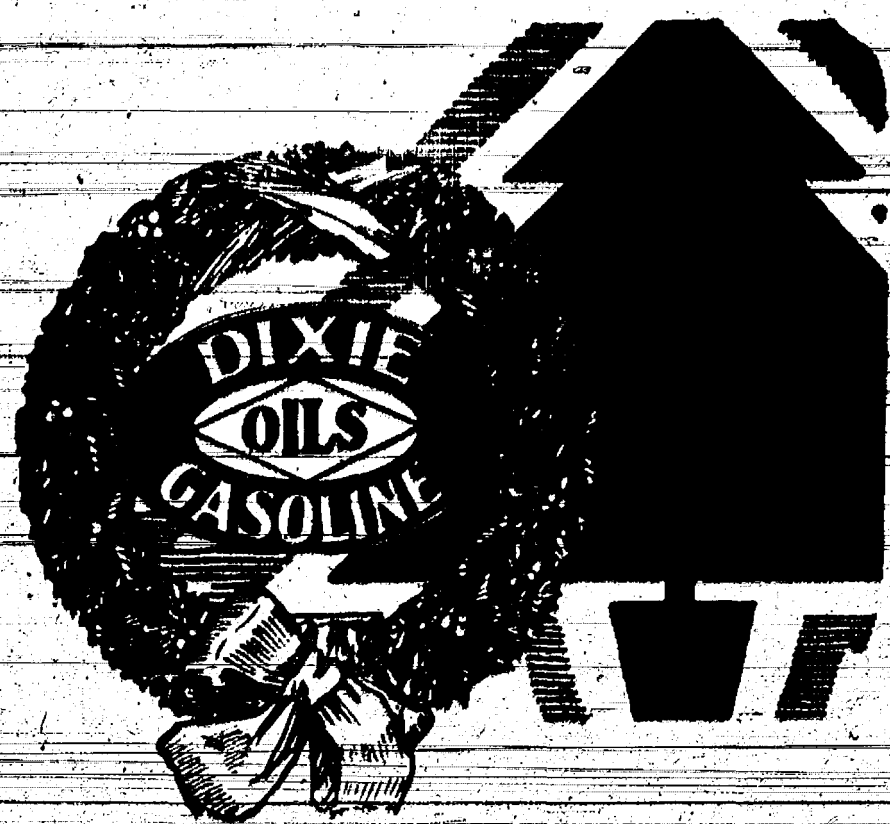
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Happy New Year Be Yours This Season!

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We are anxious too that all our patrons know how VERY MUCH we appreciate their past patronage. We hope we have pleased you and that you will continue to patronize us during 1932.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

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All Wool Steamer Ruga 3.90
Goodrich Silvertown Tires—at the now low prices!
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and

Happy New Year

to

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Christmas Programs In Chelsea Churches

A Christmas entertainment will be given Wednesday evening at 7:30, at Paul's church, by the Primary and Beginners' classes of the Sunday school. The program follows:

Piano solo—Mrs. Oscar Lindauer.
Song—"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"—Congregation.

Scripture-reading and prayer—Rev. P. H. Grabowski.
Song—"O, Little Town of Bethlehem"—Congregation.

An original play—"Getting Ready for Christmas"—Written by Miss Lillie Wackenhut.

Characters—Grandmother, Caroline Breltenwieser; Mother, Helen Grabowski; Father, Earl Grieb; Children, Neil Beach, Lloyd Schaller, Phyllis Hopper, Katherine Lindauer, Eva Geddes, Jane Marie Vail, Arthur Paul, Mild, Margaret Knapp; Big Sister, Virginia Lucht; Twins, Bobby Stricker and Luther Kusterer; Sunday School Children, Elaine Schmid, Marjorie Schaller, Marilyn Schooley, Janice Hashley, Ruth Paul, Joan Plegge; Poor Children, Sumner Osterle, Richard Schmidt, Joyce Hashley, Marilyn and Ronald Schaller, Marion Dietel, Veryl Steinway.

Offering.
Song—"Shepherds Are We"—Mrs. P. Seitz' class.

Pantomime—"Shepherds and the Angels"—Paul Schneider, David Stricker, Frank Novack, Betty Seitz, Ruth Lulck, Mary Jane Bahnmiller, Estel Seitz.

Song and Recitation—"Put a Candle in Your Window"—Gerald Bahnmiller, Norman Niehaus, Paul Schneider, Frank Novack.

Exercise—"His Name"—Raymond Schaller, Arthur Lindauer, David Stricker, Maynard Osterle, Lawrence Dietel.

Song—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name".
"The Christmas Crown"—Joanne Meserova, Ruth Lewick, Betty Seitz, Lucile Martin, Mary J. Bahnmiller, Marian Elisele.

"My Christmas Friend"—Helen Lehman, Grace Polenz, Arlene Martin, M. Elisele.

"The Herald Star"—Mary J. Bahnmiller, Betty Seitz.

"Angels Songs are Swelling"—Miss A. Koch's class.
Prayer and Benediction.

The following Christmas program will be given by the Methodist Sunday school at the church on Tuesday evening, December 22, at 7:30:

"Joy to the World"—Congregation.
Invocation—Rev. Fred Matthews.

"We Welcome You"—Junior Miller, Ethel Hale, Betty Fletcher, Margaret Harper, Lois Palmer, Donald Parsons, Daniel Scripser.

"Silent Night"—Jim Daniels, Duane Walz.

"Merry Christmas"—Ruth Anne Schenk.

"Dolly's Presents"—Harriet Heininger.

Christmas Carol—Junior Department.

"A Worthwhile Suggestion"—Dorothy Knickerbocker.

"Santa Claus' Secret"—Richard Olds.

"A Splendid Ward"—Duane Rowe, Ruth Walz, John Fletcher, Gertrude Hult, Jim Daniels, Doris Ashhouse, Archie Wilkinson, Winifred Palmer, Harvey Knickerbocker.

"A Birthday Wish for Jesus"—Dick Schenk.

"Christmas Weather"—Edward White.

"Santa Claus is Coming Soon"—Phyllis and Junior Dept.

"Our Greatest Gift"—Meryl Getty, Esther Riemen-schneider.

"Just Try It"—Betty Lou Wahl, Esther Getty, Betty Winchester.

"Hanging Up the Stockings"—Irene Wahl.

"The Christmas Spirit"—Marie Heeselschwerdt.

"Mrs. Santa Claus"—Grace Riemen-schneider, Helen Miller, Doris Ashfal.

"Chimes of Christmas"—Mrs. Broe-samle's Orchestra.

"The Months of the Year"—Richard Umstead, Betty Winchester, Meryl Getty, Marjorie Umstead, Madeline Brown, Joyce Foster, Jo Hale, Katherine Fisher, Virginia Miller, Eleanor Harper, Mo Anne Longworth, Richard Kern.

White Gifts for the King.
"A Christmas Story"—Henrietta Roach.

"Pleasing Mother"—Jean Koble.
"The Girl's Part"—Lillian Koble.

Primary Song—"Luther's Cradle Song."
The Nativity and Birthday of a King.

The Congregational Sunday school will present the following program at 7:30 on Tuesday evening:

Organ Prelude.

Processional—"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"—By the Sunday school.

Prayer—Rev. A. E. Potts.

Scripture-Reading—Doris Rogers.

"A Convincing Welcome"—Clifford Myers.

"Christmas Greetings"—Barbara Eaton.

"A Little Vagan"—Doris Ann Richards.

"The Only Way"—Linda John.

"The Greater"—Richard Kinsey, Charles Downer, Kenneth John.

"A Little Wish"—Melva Myers.

"Can Santa Spell"—Phillip Vogel.

"Luther's Cradle Hymn"—Primary children.

"A Timely Pointer"—Joanne Lulck.

"A Little Speech"—Jack Welsh.
"A Present for Santa"—Virginia Spaulding.
"The Vision"—Janet Heeselschwerdt.
"The Christmas Guest"—Marian Cleveland, Lorraine Weatherwax, Dorothy Oesterle, Dillias John.
"Packages"—Robert Eaton.
"Little Miss Santa Claus"—Mary Christwell.

"A Good Deed a Day"—James Barclay.

"Christmas is a Spelling Time"—Dolores McBride.

"On the Plain"—Amos Binder, David Potts, Wendell Richards.

"I'll Take What Santa Brings"—Maynard Outwater.

"Santa Claus Land"—Virginia Barr.

"One Night in June"—Jessie Myers, Margaret Osterle, Eva Abdon.

"Don't Open Until Christmas"—Richard Kinsey.

Recitation—Junior Barr.

"Santa and Fractions"—Rose Mary Bollinger.

"What It Takes"—Ethel Yager, Julia Spaulding.

Offering.
"Hard Times for Boys"—Bernath McBride.

"Christmas Spelling"—Robert Welsh.

"The Points of the Star"—Miss Huston's class.

"A Christmas Carol"—Dorothy Outwater.

"Dad's Christmas"—Royal McBride.

"The Christ Child"—Bernice Leach.

"The Story of the Nativity"—Marian Cleveland, Betty Ahnemeier, Jessie Myers, Janet Heeselschwerdt, Vivian McBride, Pearl Tompkins, and Junior Choir.

"Joy to the World"—Mr. McBride's class.

Presidential Oath.

This is the oath administered to the President of the United States when he is inaugurated: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States and will, to the best of my ability, preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States."

Forms of Carbon

The element carbon is found in three distinct forms—in a soft, amorphous condition, resulting from the burning of wood, coal or other vegetable substances, as in charcoal or lampblack; in the form of graphite or black lead, and in a crystallized form, as the diamond, which is the hardest substance known.

Credited to St. Luke

The book in the New Testament known as the Acts of the Apostles is regarded as the work of St. Luke, companion of St. Paul. It is supposed that the book was written in Greek about 63 A. D.

We Wish Everybody A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

H. E. Snyder

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Valuable Tropical Food

Plantain (Musa paradisiaca) is a species of banana, the fruit of which is a staple article of food in the tropics. It is larger than the ordinary banana, greenish yellow in color, less sweet and more starchy. It is cooked in various ways.

Many Races in France

France is made up of a unified number of different races. Besides the main stems of Gauls and Germanic Franks there are Normans, Flemings, Bretons, Germans, Ligurians, Catalans, even Basques and Arabs, within the French frontier.

Friday and Saturday
LAST 2 DAYS!

of the

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Buy goods at prices never heard of!
Quantities are limited!

Dry Goods, Ladies', Men's and Children's
Furnishings and Shoes.

A few of the many items:

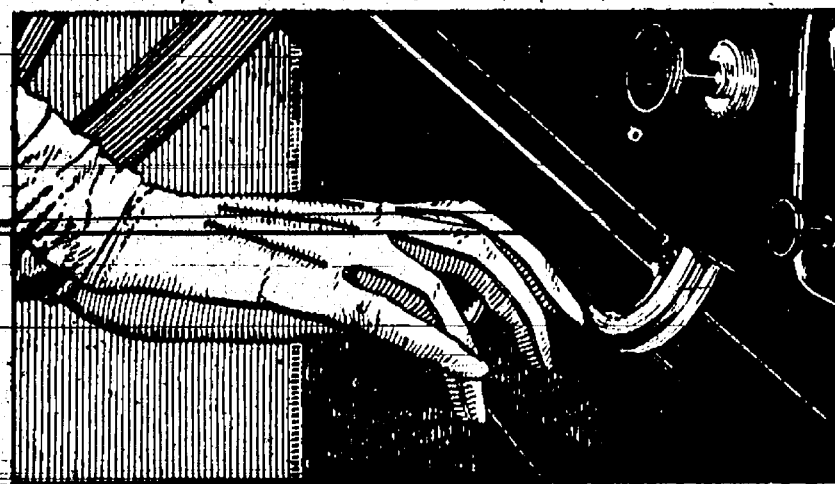
Wool Sox . . . 10c pair	Men's Shirts . . . 25c
Silk Sox . . . 10c pair	Girls' \$1 Dresses, 39c
	Boys' Pants . . . 39c

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Several of the relatives and friends
of Mrs. Lydia Riemenschneider gath-
ered at her home Thursday to help
celebrate her birthday.Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Heydlauf spent
Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Notten.Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schweinfurth
were in Jackson on Tuesday.Rev. and Mrs. Lenz attended a Par-
ent-Teacher meeting at Lima, Friday
evening.Willis Heydlauf, Fred Heydlauf
and Miss Rioka Kalmbach attended
the musical given by the Fowlerville
orchestra at the M. E. church at Chel-
sea, Sunday evening.Fred Heydlauf and Miss Rioka
Kalmbach were in Ann Arbor, Satur-
day.

SOUTH WATERLOO

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rothman spent
Tuesday in Jackson with her son, Har-
old Katz, and wife.Guy Baldwin spent several days last
week in Jackson, where he visited his
sisters, Mrs. W. R. Reynolds and Mrs.
Chris. Frey and their families.Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Katz of Munith,
Donald Katz and friend of Ann Ar-
bor, were Sunday dinner guests of
Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rothman.Evelyn Lutz is spending some time
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin
Lutz.Ben Lantz was a Chelsea visitor
on Tuesday.Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moeckel and
son, accompanied by Ezra Moeckel of
Waterloo were in Jackson last Wed-
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eral of Mrs. Wm. Breitmeyer.Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schmidt and
family of Jackson spent Sunday with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin
Lutz.Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Rothman and
daughters spent Sunday evening with
Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rothman.Lloyd Riemenschneider of Jackson
visited his father, John Riemenschnei-
der, on Monday.THAT HOLIDAY
FEELINGJUST before Christmas they
all felt so tired. They had
been busy doing so much—shop-
ping, keeping up with work that
had to be done, making pud-
dings and pies, cranberry jelly.
Oh, there was so much to do
every one to do around Christ-
mas time.Every one was busy with
something or other—rushing to
get everything finished in time.
And every one felt tired.But just as Christmas ap-
proached it seemed that new
strength entered into each one.It was the beautiful holiday
feeling—the feeling of joy and
safety, of thankfulness for
friends, of thankfulness for
home, of rejoicing for families.The tired feeling drew away
into the background. In its place
came the holiday feeling—the
feeling of good will to all, of
peace and of contentment over
the fastly possessions belong-
ing to mankind—the possessions
on which one could never put a
price.That holiday feeling brought
all that was good into the fore-
ground.No one would have missed it
for anything in the world.
Mary Graham Bonner.

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The Meaning of Christmas

SUPPOSE for instance that you
were walking along a coun-
try lane at night. That it
was very cold and frosty,
that the snow crinkled un-
der your feet, and the twigs
on the bare trees snapped
when the wind touched them.You are thinking of nothing but
getting home to a warm fire and
a good supper, when suddenly a new
light pours down from the sky. You
stop and look up. This light is soft
and golden, many colors grow and
dissolve in it. You stand transfixed.You hear voices, a whole choir of
them. Angelic and sweet, the music
fills the night. Gradually you dis-
cern floating figures lifted on great
and shining wings. The voices swell
to a rich crescendo and go ringing on
through the world—"For Christ the
Lord is born!"The light fades. The music dies
away. You are left alone in a coun-
try lane. It is dark and cold. You
shiver a little and tumble on in a
new, disturbing wonder.But the familiar lane takes on a
different aspect. It is leading you not
home but to a low stone building.
There are voices within. You hear
many people moving about. Without
realizing the direction your feet are
taking you find yourself stepping over
the low threshold of a stable. There
is the sweet scent of hay, the soft
breathing of cattle. Somewhere, half
hidden by a wall there is a misty light.You go on, stepping quietly and your
heart begins to beat with a smothered
rhythm. You advance, finding your-
self confronted by a scene of great
simplicity. A mother and her child
manger, the big eyes of cattle glow-
ing in the shadows. The glory that
was in the skies a little while ago
seems centered above the baby's head.How would you feel? What would
you do? When the vision faded, would
you ever again forget the beauty and
meaning of Christmas?

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MODERN ETIQUETTE

By Robert Lee

1. How late should the hostess wait
if a dinner guest is late?2. Is an unmarried woman present-
ed to a married one?3. When an after-theater supper is
in the home, should the same menu be
served as in a restaurant?4. How should a person make the
correction if his name has been pro-
nounced incorrectly?5. Are all wedding gifts sent to the
bride?6. What kind of napkins should be
used at formal dinners?7. How are godparents for a new-
born baby chosen?8. What is the correct apparel for
a woman at an informal dinner?9. How are invitations to breakfast
given?10. Is coffee already poured when
served in the drawing room after din-
ner?11. Who contributes the names for
the wedding invitation list?12. Should the dessert be served to
the children first merely to allow them
to run out and play?13. Is it permissible for the address
of the writer to be printed or en-
graved on the flap of the envelope?14. Are there any rules of behavior
for servants?15. What kind of entertainment
usually follows a dinner party?16. Must one reply when receiving
an invitation to a ball or dance?17. May a woman's second marriage
be as elaborate as her first?18. May a guest take a second help-
ing at dinner if it is offered?

ANSWERS

1. From five to fifteen minutes. 2.
Yes, unless the single woman is older
than the married one. 3. Yes, if the
cook knows how to prepare it, but if
she excels in any one supper-dish, by
all means serve this. The restaurant
menu lacks the individuality which
makes supper in one's home different.4. Casually and smilingly, without
displaying embarrassment. 5. Yes, never
to the groom. 6. Use napkins of the
same material as the cloth, and they
should be large dinner-size.7. They are chosen from intimate
friends of the parents rarely from
relatives. 8. Semi-evening or after-
noon dress. 9. By telephone or by an
informal personal note, handwritten,
not typed. 10. Yes, it is poured into
tiny cups and served on a large tray.11. The bride and her mother, the
groom and his mother. 12. No, the
adult members of the family are
served first. 13. It is all right for
business correspondence, but not for
social stationery. 14. A well-trained
servant speaks in a low tone, walks
as silently as possible, and makes lit-
tle noise when at work. 15. Music,
dancing or cards. 16. Yes, at the
earliest possible date. 17. No, the
plans vary according to the age of the
bride. 18. Yes.

DEXTER TWP. TAX NOTICE

I will be at the Dexter Savings
Bank, Dec. 17 and 26, and Jan. 2; at
the Kempl. Commercial & Savings
Bank, Jan. 8 and 22, 1932—10 a.m. to
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say it's marvelous the way I reduced."To lose fat with speed take a half
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morning—don't miss a morning—an
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Drug Store or any drug store in
America. If not joyfully satisfied af-
ter the first bottle—money back. Adv.

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Growing Boy's Appetite

"A normal active adolescent boy
should eat more than his father," says
a Cornell university food expert.

Thursday Unique

Thursday appears to be the only
day in the week which is not recog-
nized as the Sabbath by one nation or
another. Sunday is set apart for wor-
ship by the Christians, Monday by the
Greeks, Tuesday by the Persians,
Wednesday by the Egyptians, Friday
by the Turks and Saturday by the
Jews.

Money Orders

The maximum amount for which a
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\$100. When a larger sum is to be
sent, additional orders must be ob-
tained. Any number of orders may
be drawn on any money order office
on any one day.—Exchange.

South's Holy Spot

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landsThe Christmas fir of the woodfolk
stands,Bright with the glitter the Frost
King loansTo their rich green tassels and its dark
brown cones.And the woodfolk come through the
drifted snowFor their Yuletide gifts that are
heaped belowBark for the beaver, sprouts for the
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At this happy Yuletide season we take occasion to send all our friends this little greeting to wish all of you the very best for yourself and your family and to thank you for the splendid patronage and many favors you have conferred upon us.

MAY THIS BE THE BEST CHRISTMAS
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WILKINSONIA BLDG.

Question And Answer Dept.

Ques.—Why are so many men "hard boiled" around this town?
Ans.—Probably because their wives keep them in hot water so much.

Ques.—Will you please say in your questions and answers where ex-President Woodrow Wilson is buried?
Ans.—Woodrow Wilson is buried in Washington, D. C.

Ques.—Which continent of the world has the largest area, and which has the smallest?
Ans.—Asia is the largest, with an area of 17,260,000 square miles, while Australia is the smallest with 2,974, 681 square miles.

Ques.—What was the date of Russia's surrender to Germany in the World War? Also did any other countries of the Allies surrender at that time?
Ans.—Russia surrendered to Germany on Dec. 16, 1917. There was no other country surrendered to Germany except Rumania, which was on May 6, 1918.

Ques.—What aviator has the most victories to his credit during the war, and how many?
Ans.—Eddie Rickenbacker, of Co-

lumbus, Ohio, has been credited with twenty-six air victories. This is 12 more than the second best.

Ques.—Is there any place in the United States where one does not have to get a license to get married?
Ans.—No. Every state in the union requires a license to get married. No license, however, is required in Alaska.

Ques.—Did Congress honor any United States officers for their part in the World War?
Ans.—Yes. John J. Pershing was so honored by Congress on September 18, 1919.

Ques.—Was there ever any hurricane occurred in the United States?
Ans.—Yes, there has been two hurricanes occurred within the borders of the United States. In August, 1926, and in September, 1928, hurricanes visited Florida. They are the only two on record occurring within the borders of the United States.

Ques.—May I ask in your question department who is the present governor of Illinois, and what is his politics?
Ans.—Louis I. Emmerson is governor of Illinois, and he is a republican.

Ques.—What was the appraised valuation of the estate of the late Payne Whitney?
Ans.—The appraised valuation of the estate of the late Payne Whitney was the largest ever recorded. It totaled the staggering figures of \$194,328 61.

Ques.—Who was Helen Terry, or if she is still living, where does she reside?
Ans.—Helen Terry was a worldwide famed actress who was born in England in 1849, and died July 21, 1928. She had lived in retirement from 1923 until her death.

Ques.—I wish to ask in your good paper if "molasses" is singular or plural?
Ans.—"Molasses," when used in reference to a barrel or jug of molasses, is singular in form. If it is in reference to several different varieties of molasses, then the plural number for "molasses" is correct.

SLAT'S DIARY

Friday—Are cuzzen Clarence witch bring his wife here on a visit to are house was a telling pa that she likes juley very much and he would like to smother her in Dimond and pa sed to him. Yes that would be very nice. But it would be pritty Xpansive dont you think?

Saturday—Ant Emmy went in to the drug Store tonight and they was very busy and she ast a clerk for a Corn plaster and he sed okay maddam what do you want on it mustard or ketchup.

Sunday—Pa told ma today when she was asting him about Christmas that she better not get him any thing this year on acct. of he still has got 2 payments to make on the bath Robe and pajamas she bawl him last Christmas.

Monday—Abe Kurtz says the black ship was crooked becaz he payed three men across the creek to vote for him for town ship Trusty and once got 1 vote in that prestink. he is out of polatix for good an all.

Tuesday—Mrs. Gillem says the depression is not as bad as she thot it was becaz her and Mr Gillem both needed a hat and she got them both for ten \$. hers costed 7 \$ and a 1-2 and she got 1 for her husband for 2 \$ and a 1-2.

Wednesday—Hen Bunch is in a serio condishun becaz last nite he made a mistake and went into the house nex door and the woman hit him with a stove poker and layed him out. she explained it by saying she made a

very very bad mistake becaz she thot it was her husband. so she apolagized.

Thursday—Ant Emmy is beginning to get intrusted in polatix now and today she ast pa if he would get her a few Congressional records so she cud play them and get well posted on polatix and set.

STOCKBRIDGE—Dr. E. V. Howlett of Pontiac sustained a broken rib in an auto accident, Monday evening. His son, Robert has been in the hospital several weeks recovering from a broken leg, ankle and shoulder, also from an auto accident. Dr. Howlett is a brother of Fred and Henry Howlett of Gregory and Mrs. G. A. Reid of this place.—Brief Sun.

TECUMSEH—Charles Hooten, of Tecumseh, was arrested last Saturday by Harold Barrows, deputy state conservation officer, charged with illegally trapping muskrats. He was arraigned before Justice Richard Roe and entered a plea of guilty but no sentence was passed. According to information to the court, Hooten's traps were set on the Wm. Haysen Milling Company's property and the trapper contends that he had permission to trap there. The new law states that traps may not be set closer than six feet to muskrat houses, except on permit for trapping for scientific purposes or to halt damage.—Herald.

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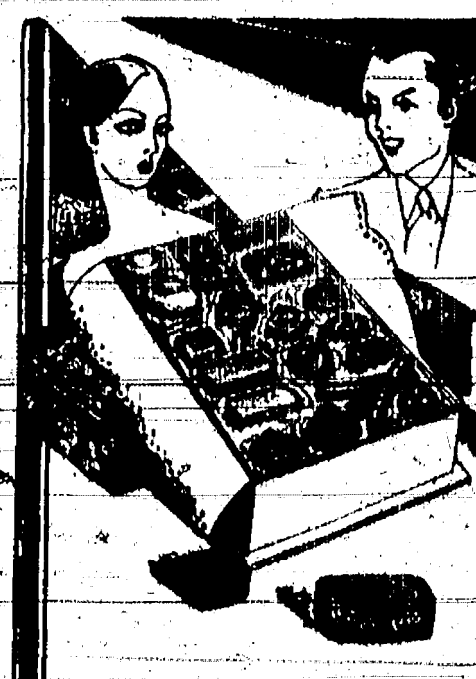


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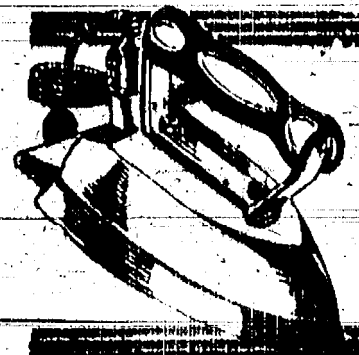
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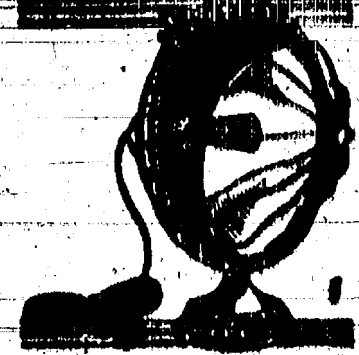
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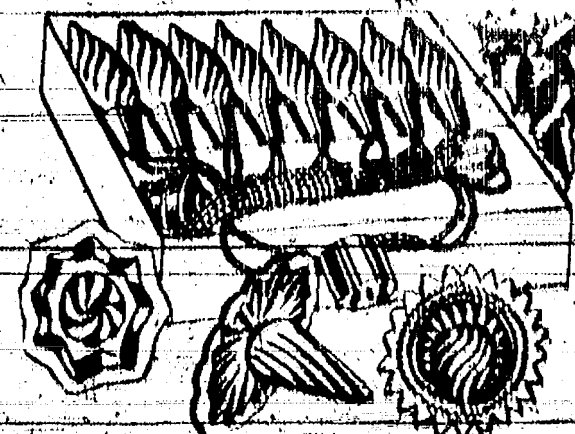
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FRANCISCO

Mildred Mackman of the Francisco school, won a fine box of assorted cakes and cookies for a drawing in a contest put on by the Perfection Baking company. Her drawing has been forwarded to Ft. Wayne, Ind. for entry in the state contest.

Mrs. Mary Willy and son Edward were in Chelsea on business recently. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Lehman and Truman Lehman and family were Jackson visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wolfe spent

Sunday in Jackson with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kalmbach.

Several from here spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Moore of Chelsea. Cards were the diversion.

Henry Bohne and daughter, Mrs. Clifford Wolfe, visited Mrs. Charles Moore of Chelsea, Saturday.

Miss Margaret Benter of Chelsea visited the home folks over the weekend.

Junior Kalmbach has been spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr.

and Mrs. Geo. Heydlauff.

Mrs. Leon Blackmer visited her mother in Ypsilanti a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bohne and children were Jackson visitors Tuesday.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schairer and children of Selo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Lewick, assisting them in the celebration of their 44th wedding anniversary. A delicious dinner was served.

HONORED AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Rha Alexander attended a birthday dinner Thursday, given in honor of Mrs. Alexander at the home of her niece, Mrs. Edwin Wier, Ann Arbor. The decorative table was green and pink, and the table was centered with a lighted birthday cake. Several gifts were presented Mrs. Alexander. Progressive euchre furnished diversion for the evening.

HAVE NEW SCORE BOARD

Fans attending the Chelsea High basketball games this year will no longer have any doubt about the score. A new scoreboard has been presented to the school through the courtesy of the Farmers & Merchants Bank. This beautifully designed scoreboard is five feet long, three feet high and gives all details of the game, such as the time, the score, the quarter and the names and positions of all the players.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Laura Hieber was an Ann Arbor visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren and Mrs. Mattie McLaren spent Tuesday afternoon in Plymouth.

Mrs. William Klingler of Grass Lake spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Van Riper.

Paul Graber of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. L. P. Vogel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson called on C. D. Johnson, who is ill, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Taylor of Stockbridge were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson.

Mrs. Howard Brooks returned Sunday from a week's visit in Detroit. Her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Kinner, accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blanchard were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lyons, Dexter.

Mrs. A. E. Chadsey of Ann Arbor was a Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Craft.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lewick spent Saturday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Arlo Dyringer, near Dundee.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Musbach spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Holden, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Page of Ann Arbor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Combs on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Sabiston of Detroit were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Shell.

Miss Tressa Conlan of Grosse Pointe is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. H. McKernan and family.

Miss Dora Chandler, accompanied by Miss Dale Clark of Ann Arbor, will leave Friday on a holiday vacation trip to Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gay and son of Detroit spent the week-end at the home of their aunt, Miss Jessie Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. Elba Schatz and daughter of Jackson were Sunday visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schatz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Kern and son Richard were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Anderson, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Orwick of Michigan Center were callers Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Witherell.

Mrs. Harriet Wedemeyer, who has been spending some time in Fort Wayne, Ind., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Schlatter, has returned to Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, spent Saturday afternoon and evening in Ann Arbor, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Burkhardt and daughter Olive, Emanuel J. Feldkamp and daughter Cora were guests at a venison dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Feldkamp of Clinton.

"The Ladies' U. K. met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Satterthwaite Wednesday afternoon. Euchre furnished the afternoon pastime, with Mrs. Elmer Weinberg receiving high honor, and Mrs. John Forner consolation. Lunch was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Elmer Weinberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Servis of Grass Lake entertained at dinner on Sunday in honor of Mr. Servis' birthday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Lesser and son, and Mr. and Mrs. George Wolfe and daughter of Grass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Chase of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

A. B. Sutton. Callers Sunday afternoon at the Sutton home were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Biery and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Marvin, all of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Paul and family, and Mrs. Anna Paul spent Tuesday in Lansing, as guests of Mrs. Rachel Boughner. Mrs. Nettie McKee accompanied them to Lansing, after several days' visit here.

SHARON

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Studley of Grass Lake are the parents of a little son, born December 9. Mrs. Studley was formerly Miss Eva Haselichward of Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Fletcher of Ann Arbor visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. Fletcher's sister, Mrs. Floyd Miles.

Mrs. Roy Raymond, Mrs. Roy Davidson and Elmer Cagle, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dorr of Grass Lake, attended the funeral of Mrs. Albert Green, a relative, at the Iron Creek church, near Manchester, Tuesday afternoon of last week.

The P. T. A. of the Everett school, on the Manchester and Chelsea road, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bahnmiller last Friday evening. A grab bag, in keeping with the Christmas season, was a feature of the evening's entertainment.

The Ladies' Aid of the Community church will hold a bake sale at the Chelsea Hardware Co. store on Saturday afternoon of this week, at 2:00 o'clock.

A Christmas program will be given by the Dorr, Crafts and Lwin schools at the Community church on Wednesday evening, December 23. All are invited to attend.

Elmer Ahrens and family were visitors at the John Breustle home last Sunday.

Ray Wolff and Harriet Ensign, two of Sharon's young people, were recently married. Best wishes are extended to them.

RALPH W. BOYDEN

Ralph W. Boyden died November 28 in Berkeley, Calif., where he had resided the past ten years. Mr. Boyden's boyhood days were spent near Saline and he attended the State Normal college, Ypsilanti. February 2, 1898 he was united in marriage to Clara, daughter of Frank and Mary Everett, following which they made their home for six years on the Everett homestead farm on the Manchester road.

For several years afterwards he was manager of the Chicago branch of the A. I. Root Co., the largest bee business in the world; later going to Medina, Ohio, where he was assistant secretary and purchasing agent for the company at its home office.

Mr. Boyden was a kind, thoughtful husband and father, a good Christian, and a faithful member of the Baptist church.

He is survived by the widow, a daughter, Ruth, of Lexington, Ky., two sons, Everett, of Berkeley, Calif., and Arthur, who resides on the Henry Everett farm in Sharon township, his father and three brothers in Los Angeles. Funeral services were held November 30, in Berkeley.

Mrs. Boyden and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Everett Boyden, will accompany the body to Chelsea, arriving here Saturday evening. A very brief service will be held Sunday afternoon at the home of Miss Jessie Everett, and burial will be at Vermont cemetery at 2:30.

LIMA TAX NOTICE

I will be at the Farmers & Merchants Bank on Saturday, December 19, from 1 to 4 p. m., and all day each Saturday thereafter during December, January and February, to collect Lima township taxes.

Walter Trinkle,
Township Trustee

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BEST WISHES

To Our Friends and Patrons for the Holidays!

May new joy and happiness be yours all during the holidays and the good year 1932. May you have health, wealth and happiness in increased proportions, and remember this Christmas for years to come as the real "Old-Fashioned" holiday you cannot forget.

To Thank Our Customers for Their Hearty Support During the Old Year!

1931 has been kind to us! Kind in the increased number of customers—old and new—which we count as our loyal friends—kind in their generous patronage which made it possible for us to have an altogether successful business year.

L. W. KERN

VOGEL & WURSTER

PRESENT MUSICAL PROGRAM
A large crowd filled the auditorium of the M. E. church Sunday evening, and the choice words of Dr. Balmer enjoyed the concert given by the Glee Club of the Chelsea High School. The individual numbers, including selections on the xylophone, were also very much appreciated. The enthusiastic response of the audience showed appreciation of the wonderful talent displayed. After the program a lunch was served in the church basement to those who took part, including friends from Fowlerville. The entire group numbered about seventy.

WILL PRESENT PROGRAM
The pupils of Freer school, Lima 4 ft. will give their Christmas program at the P. T. A. Friday evening, December 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith. The program is as follows:
Welcome—Donald Alber.
Santa Claus is Coming—Jackie Welch.
Santa Claus—Vincent Merkel.
Christmas Carol—Dorothy Outwater.
Christmas Spelling—Robert Welch.
Christmas Bells—H. G. Gage.
I'll Take What Santa Brings—Maynard Outwater.
The Finest Tree—Walter Thelen.
Song—Jingle Bells—School.
A Christmas Mystery—Alwina Thelen.
The First Christmas Day—Harley Prudden.
A Christmas Eve Thought—Howard Thelen.
Christmas Bells—Charles Gendron.
With Santa—Arthur Lindauer.
The King—Wm. Thelen.
Quite Like a Stocking—John Jacob Alber.
Play—"The Coming of Santa Claus"—School.

A. G. Hindelang New Kiwanis President
At the Monday evening meeting of the Chelsea Kiwanis club officers for the coming year were elected, as follows:
President—A. G. Hindelang.
Vice President—W. R. Daniels.
Trustee—A. A. Palmer.
Treasurer—M. W. McClure.
Directors—F. E. Storms, Geo. P. Staffan, H. H. Fenn, H. S. Holmes. Directors whose terms have not expired are J. S. Cummings, R. B. Waltrous and E. L. Clark.
The directors will meet at the next meeting and elect a secretary.
A Christmas party will be held by the club next Monday evening, at which time each member will donate a quantity of groceries which will be given to the Red Cross for Christmas distribution.

Longest American Tunnel
The Cascade railroad tunnel, long east of the American continent, is 7.79 miles in length. It was built through solid granite and is lined throughout with concrete. The tunnel is straight as a wire, but the eastern portal is 334 feet higher than the western. This gives a continual flow of fresh air through the tube. Work was commenced December 28, 1925, and the tunnel was completed ready for track laying December 25, 1928.

Officers Elected By Knights Of Pythias
The annual meeting of the Knights of Pythias was held Monday evening, and the following officers elected for the ensuing year:
C. C.—H. B. Murphy.
V. C.—L. T. Freeman.
Prelate—D. A. Riker.
K. R. S.—E. L. Hoppe.
M. F.—John Frymuth.
M. W.—Wesley C. Smith.
M. E.—Otto D. Luick.
M. A.—John Kilmer.
I. G.—Ralph Wood.
O. G.—Joseph Mayer.
The above officers will be installed at the first January meeting.

Artemus and Artemas
Artemus Ward was the pen name of Charles Farrar Browne, American humorist, who lived 1834-87. Artemus Ward (1872-1949), a resident of Massachusetts, was made commander of the troops of this state at the beginning of the Revolutionary war. Later he was appointed first major general of the Continental army, a rank that placed him next to Washington. He resigned in 1776, because of ill health.

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The Kind of Gifts Men Really Appreciate Are Ready Here for Your Selection—at Unusually Low Prices!

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In Gift Box
- Men's Luxurious Silk Ties 50c, \$1, \$1.50
In Gift Box. Many are hand made.
- Men's Hosiery 15c to 75c
In Silks, Rayon Mixtures, Wool Mixed and Cotton.
- Men's Gloves \$2.25 to \$3.00
Mocha, Pigskin and Deerskin.
- Men's Gloves \$1.50 to \$2.50
Flared Lined Cape Style.
- Men's Handkerchiefs 10c to 50c
Plain White, Colored Borders. Many are Rolled Edges. Linens and Fine Lawns.
- Mufflers \$1.00 to \$3.00
White and Colors. Excellent materials, edged with knotted fringe.
- Boys' 4-piece Suits \$10.00 to \$13.50
"Woolwear" Make. Age 8 to 15.
- Boys' High School Suits \$13.50 to \$15.00
All Wool. 4-piece.
- Men's Overcoat, Special \$14.95
Plain Blue. All Wool.
- Men's Suspenders 50c and \$1.00
In Xmas Box.
- Men's Leather Bill Folds 50c to \$1.50
- Men's Leather Key Holders 25c to 75c
- Cigarette Cases 50c to \$1.00
Leather or Metal.
- Men's House Slippers \$1.50 to \$3.00
Leather and Felt.
- Men's Union Suits, all weights \$1.00 up
- Men's Shorts and Shirts 50c to \$1.00
- Men's Outing Night Shirts \$1.00 to \$1.50
- Men's Pajamas \$1.50 to \$2.50
Broadcloth and Print.

—and many other items that any man would be pleased with on Xmas morning.
Any article laid away until Christmas Eve on payment of small deposit.

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MEN'S DEPARTMENT—CHELSEA, MICH.

CLAUDE P. CONGDON
Claude P. Congdon, 46, formerly of Chelsea, died Friday, December 11, at his home, 1109 Pearl St., Ypsilanti, following a brief illness of pneumonia. He was the son of Alfred and Susie (Pierce) Congdon and was born in Chelsea, February 10, 1885. He was united in marriage to Miss Sara Schmid of Clinton, and they resided here until their removal to Ypsilanti about 22 years ago. For the past twelve years, Mr. Congdon had been a partner in the A. R. Congdon and Sons hardware store in that city. He is survived by the widow, two sons, Reynolds and Gerald, his parents, one brother, Howard A. Congdon of Ypsilanti, a sister, Mrs. Katherine Vaughn of Elkhart, Ky., and one grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 Monday afternoon at the residence, Rev. Marshall Reed officiating, after which the body was brought to Chelsea for burial in Oak Grove cemetery. Those from this vicinity who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pierce and daughter, Alta, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Prudden and daughter Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pierce and Miss Alma Pierce.

HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY
The annual Christmas party of the Chat 'N' Sea was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. E. Smith. Twenty-five members were present. The evening was spent in playing games. A feature of the party was a beautifully decorated Christmas tree. Gifts were exchanged, and a dainty two-course lunch was served at the close of the evening. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Anna Hoag, Mrs. A. E. Johnson and Mrs. Clarence McBride.

CHRISTMAS PARTY
Miss Lillie Wackenhut will entertain the Beginners' class of St. Paul's Sunday school at a Christmas party at the schoolhouse, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, while the mothers are attending church. Rehearsals of the Christmas program will be held and several surprises are in store for the children. Light refreshments will be served.

H. E. CLUB MEETS
The H. E. club was entertained at the home of Mrs. John Fletcher on Thursday afternoon. A pot-luck luncheon was served at one o'clock. Two tables of bridge were in play during the afternoon. Mrs. Frank Storms is entertaining the club at a Christmas party this afternoon.

Remarkable Sense of Smell
The sense of smell is very highly developed in the apteryx of New Zealand. In proportion to its size this bird has the largest olfactory nerve of any bird, probably even finding the worms beneath the ground by means of smell.—Kansas City Times.

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We are looking to the pleasure of serving you during 1932.

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DISPLAYS OLD RAZOR
A. E. Johnson is displaying a straight-edge razor which he says is about two hundred years old. The razor was the property of his great grandfather and has been handed down to him. The "weapon", which is of French make, is hand-made, with wooden handle and removable blade. It still is in good shape, according to "Ackie", and he uses it for his daily (?) shave.

NUTRITION CLUB MEETS
The East Lima Nutrition club held their December meeting Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Wm. Beach, Jr., with an attendance of 49. Leaflets on Christmas recipes, presented by Mrs. Leigh Beach, were discussed by the members. Guessing games were played, followed by exchange of gifts. The next meeting will be held in February at the home of Mrs. Clifford Bradbury.

NOBLE GRANDS ORGANIZE
The Past Noble Grands club of the Belding held an organization meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gladys Breitenwischer. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. Breitenwischer; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Lena Jones. Meetings will be held semi-monthly. The afternoon was spent with games. Mrs. Mary Schneider winning high honors and Mrs. Jones, low.

TACHEZ CLUB MEETS
The Tachez club was entertained at the home of Miss Bertha Merkel on Monday evening. The rooms were prettily decorated in keeping with the Christmas season. Five tables of five hundred were in play and honors were awarded Mrs. Mary Burg, Mrs. Anna Werner and Mrs. Florence O'Hara. A delicious two course supper was served at the close of the evening.

ENTERTAINS SEWING CLUB
The Linenier Sewing club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Smith. A postal shower was given Mrs. Lula Beuter in celebration of her birthday anniversary. The members exchanged gifts and spent the afternoon sewing. Lunch was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Chapman.

WATERLOO
The annual installation of officers of the Gleaners was held at the hall last Friday evening, with 61 present. Alva Beeman and Anna Lehman did the installing.
Leader last Sunday evening in C. E. Ruth Green. Next Sunday, Lyle Wark.
Gorton Riethmiller brought his debating team from the Highland Park high school for a week-end at the farm home here. The boys were Robert Lusk, Courtney Evans and Eswen Elmen.

A Christmas pageant, "At the Mangery," will be given by the young people at the U. B. church Christmas Eve. The Ever Ready Circle held their Christmas party and Grab Bag last week Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Helen Beeman. After devotionals, election of officers took place with the following results: Chairman, Helen Beeman; assistant, Bada Artz; secretary, Iva Straub; assistant, Eva Barber; treasurer, penny march; Nellie Artz. Games were played, Bada Artz and Nellie Artz winning prizes. Lunch was served by the hostess.
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gorton spent Sunday with the former's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gorton, in Ypsilanti.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vicary of Jackson spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of their son, Clayton Vicary and family.
Miss Laura C. Moeckel is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durkee near Jackson.
George Stanley of Ann Arbor spent the week-end with Mrs. Theresa Koelz.
Miss Evelyn Riethmiller of Carlton spent the week-end with her father, Milton A. Riethmiller.
Chas. Marriott and son Clayton spent Sunday with relatives in Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mallenkov and family of Jackson spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. George Rentschler.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schulz and son and Howard Wahl spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stofer of Stockbridge.
Dr. and Mrs. Van Osten and daughter of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schaffer and daughters of Jackson were Sunday callers of Mrs. Theresa Koelz.

Pendulum's History
Huygens, a Dutchman, born in 1629, was the first practical exponent of the pendulum, employing it in the mechanism of the clock. However, he was not the original discoverer of its properties. Leonardo da Vinci (1452-1519) left notes as to his study of the pendulum, and Galileo (1564-1642) continued these studies.

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The gem is supposed to give and preserve health, drive away vain thoughts, and reconcile differences between friends, strengthen the heart and increase riches and honor. An amethyst is supposed to dispel sleep, sharpen the intellect, prevent intoxication, give victory to soldiers, and protect from sorcery.

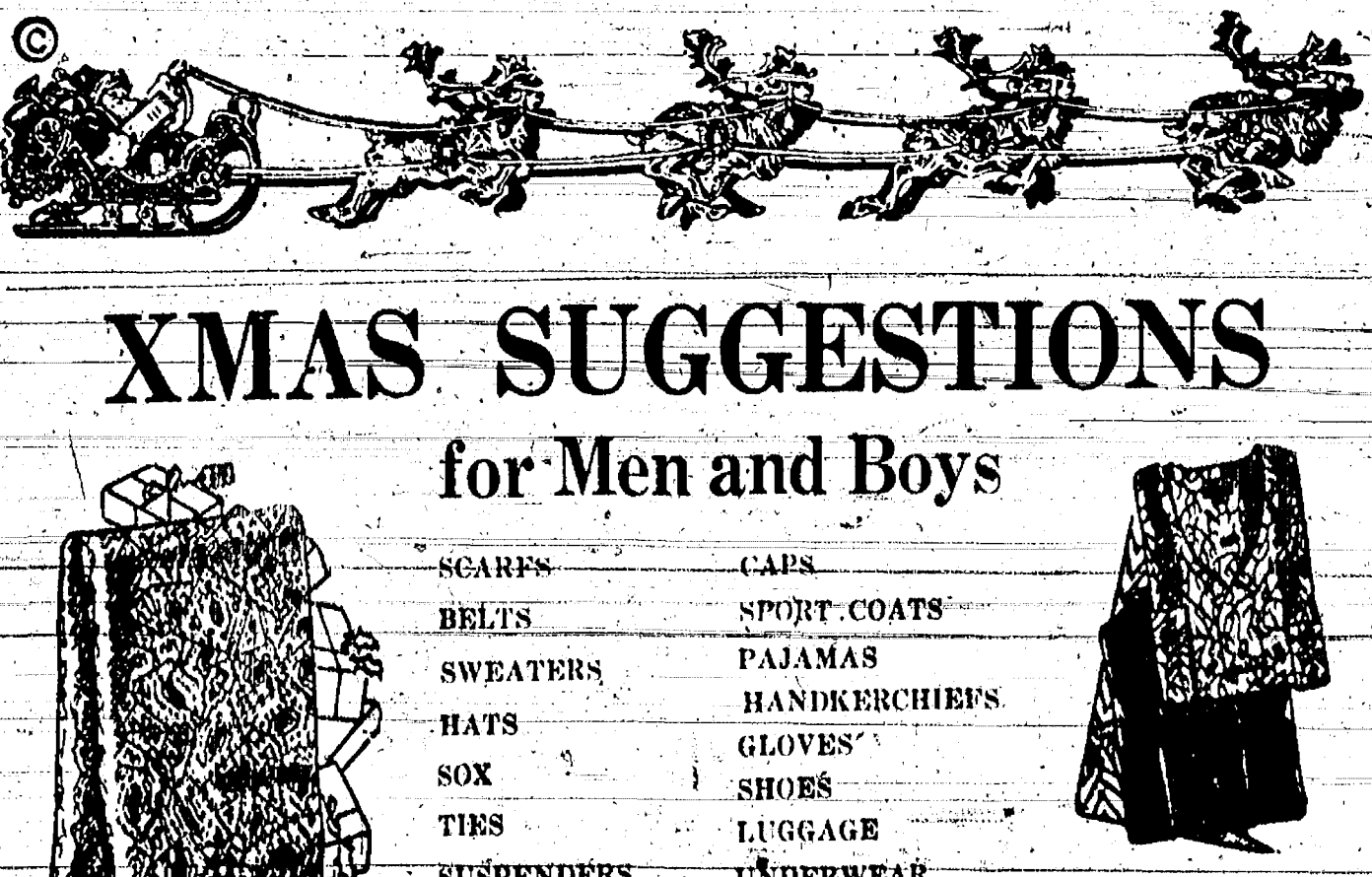
Fly's Wonderful Eyes
The greater part of the head of a fly is occupied by the eyes, some several thousand in number, described as compound. Between the compound eyes and near the top of the head is a triangular arrangement of three simple eyes.

Eating a la Carte
A New England restaurant advertisement: "Dinner, 50 cents; Square Meal, 75 cents; Perfect Gorge, one dollar." Woman's Home Companion.

Princess
showing at 7:15 and 9 p. m. Admission 25c - 1.00.

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**TWENTY-FOUR
YEARS AGO**

Thursday, December 16, 1907.
John M. Kalmbach died at his home in Francisco, Thursday afternoon, December 12, 1907, aged 69 years, 10 months and 28 days. He was born in Germany, January 16, 1838 and came to this country in 1854 and settled near Francisco. The funeral was held Sunday. He is survived by several children.

All of the churches in Chelsea will hold their usual Christmas programs next Sunday for which excellent exercises have been arranged.

James Reilly died at his home in Dexter township Sunday evening, December 15, 1907, aged 64 years. He is survived by eight children. The funeral was held from St. Mary's church Wednesday forenoon, Rev. Fr. Considine officiating. Burial in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

John Howlett of Lyndon is serving on the jury at the December term of the Washtenaw county circuit court.

The market: Wheat, 95c; rye, 75c; oats, 50c; barley, per hundred, \$1.35; beans, \$1.50; beef cattle, \$3.00 to \$4.50; veal, \$4.00; hogs, \$4.35; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.50; chickens, 7c; potatoes, 45c; onions, 50c; apples, 75c to \$1.00; cabbage, dozen, 45c; butter, 25c; eggs, 22c.

Born, on Saturday, December 14, 1907 to Mr. and Mrs. S. Curtis, of Chelsea, a son.

Howard S. Holmes has accepted a position in the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank.

Born, on Friday, December 13, 1907 to Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Buss of Freedom, a son.

Wm. W. Dorman and family are making arrangements to move to Seattle, Washington. For several years Mr. Dorman has been in the employ of the Glazier Stove Co.

Arthur Easterle of Sylvan left Monday for Ypsilanti, where he will take a course in telegraphing in the business college.

There has been fine sleighing since the snowfall of Sunday.

**THIRTY-FOUR
YEARS AGO**

Thursday, December 16, 1897.
Mrs. Olive Parker, wife of Austin Parker, of Sylvan Center, and mother of Mrs. Geo. W. Beckwith and B. Parker, both of Chelsea, died at the home of her daughter last Friday. She was born in Lockport, N. Y. July 1, 1830 and was united in marriage with Austin Parker in 1850. She had been

a resident of Sylvan for many years. She is survived by her husband, a son and daughter, one brother and two sisters. The funeral was held in the Christian Union church on Sunday.

Rev. C. G. Zeidler officiating. Interment in Maple Grove cemetery.
Doris B. Spencer, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Spencer, was born in Sylvan township, November 20, 1877, and died at the home of his parents in Chelsea, December 11, 1897. The funeral was held in the Chelsea Congregational church Tuesday forenoon, Rev. Thos. Holmes, D. D., conducting the services.

Born, on December 14, 1897 to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Moeckel of Waterloo, a daughter.

The new schoolhouse in Waterloo village has been completed and the school opened on Monday of this week.

Married, on Tuesday, December 14, 1897, Miss Fannie Hammond and Mr. Anthony Naekel.

Died, on Saturday, December 11, 1897 at his home in Lima, Orrin Parker. The funeral was held Tuesday.

Born, on Friday, December 10, 1897 to Mr. and Mrs. Owen Murphy, a son.

**Michigan
Department of State****WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN**

Frank D. Fitzgerald
Secretary of State

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 16—Mail carriers and other postal employees who use their own or rented automobiles in their employment, must obtain Michigan license plates in the regular manner, the Department of State has been notified by the First Assistant Postmaster General.

Only automobiles owned by the federal postoffice department are entitled to use plates designed "U. S. Mail," it was stated. The federal ruling furnished the department asserts:

"The State cannot require the Federal government to procure plates for use on vehicles owned by the Government, but this does not apply to vehicles rented by the Government, either from a postal employee or an individual in connection with the postal service for use in mail transportation, as the owner of a motor vehicle for hire is required to furnish plates as a means of identification."

Law enforcing officers in Michigan are yearly recovering more stolen automobiles than the number stolen, records show.

This apparent contradiction comes from the fact that the number of stolen automobiles is decreasing rapidly, and from the recovery of a number stolen during previous years.

In 1930, the number of automobiles stolen was 5,265 while 5,364 were returned to their owners. For the first 11 months of this year, 2,877 vehicles were stolen and 3,078 recovered.

The reason given for the decrease is that only in the past two years police and deputy sheriffs have come to know that from Department of State records can be quickly obtained full details of all vehicles; and have taken full advantage of the department data.

HOWELL.—Livingston sheep breeders ranked with the best in the United States at the International Livestock Exposition held at Chicago, Ill., last week. W. C. Handes of Pinckney, and Armstrong Bros. of Fowlerville captured premiums in competition with the stock exhibited at the International Show. —Republican Press.

MILAN.—The first drafts of the plans for the new Federal prison which will be erected here have been approved and the final plans will be submitted to government officials within a few days. The general plans for the building have been released by the architects and from the preliminary drawings, the entire project will cover an area of a little more than four hundred feet square. —Leader.

**Christmas Noise
is Joyful Noise**

And we can stand a whole lot of noise made by laughing children and young folks who shout because they are happy. For one reason so many people are happy at Christmas time is because they have been out trying to make others happy, and this affords the highest and most lasting form of pleasure.

We hope your house is merry with the fine spirit of the season and that Christmas joys will ring among its rafters throughout the New Year.

Agency for PHILCO—The world's largest selling Radios!

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W. MIDDLE STREET

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**DURING THE
HOLIDAY SEASON**

As you study the beautiful origin of Christmas you are delving into one of the glorious areas of the past when laughter, gaiety and song were every-day echoes of life.

IN THIS RESPECT, MAY CHRISTMAS 1931 AND THE GOOD YEAR 1932 BE A VERY OLD FASHIONED ONE FOR YOU AND YOURS.

J. W. VAN RIPER

The very best Coal and Coke

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Wishing You

AN OLD FASHIONED

**MERRIE
CHRISTMAS**

AND

**A HAPPY
NEW YEAR**

Without any fancy frills and without any effort to go into the realms of superlative language or oratory, we want to send the simple, yet entirely sincere wish for you and yours for a very Merrie Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We have tried to conduct our business so that its benefits may be liberally distributed over the public it serves. And every day we strive earnestly to make our customers happy. We want you to be satisfied, even over the smallest transactions.

Accept our thanks for favors during 1931 and give us, please, the opportunity of seeing and serving you during the New Year.

Farmers & Merchants Bank

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Here's Wishing For You That
Santa Claus Will Leave
You A Great Big
Bundle Of

HAPPINESS

For This Glad Christmas Season and
That Father Time Will Deal
Generously With You
As the Days Go By

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CHRISTMAS CHEER

AND BEST WISHES
FOR THE NEW YEAR!

May this be the best Christmas you ever spent. Our wish for you and yours is one of everything good, that you would wish for yourself.

We thank you for the many
courtesies of 1931.

W. F. WHEELER

CHELSEA

PHONE 362

Uncle Eben
"His always disappointed about,"
and Uncle Eben, "oh do boy who
through college with de expecta-
tion of teachin' enough to land him
a loan' job foh de rest of his life."
Washington Star.

Tissue Paper Newspapers
In the days of the penny express to
California the New York city papers
printed special penny express editions
on tissue paper.

Grammatical Term
A spinning wheel is a modifier
correctly placed between two mem-
bers of a sentence in such a way as
to render it applicable to either mem-
ber, and thereby ambiguous.

Future Exploration
The only land left to be explored is
the land that lies under the sea, and
as the estimated area of this unknown
territory is exactly three times that of
the known land, the superficial explo-
ration of our globe is not yet even half
complete.

**A Mother's
Letter To
Santa**
By Mary Graham Bonner



**Christmas
Shopping**



METHODIST HOME
Mrs. Ione Gorton is spending a few
days with friends in Belleville. Dr.
and Mrs. Bahner accompanied her
there Saturday.

Joseph Gibson is brought again af-
ter confinement to his room, resulting
from his fall.

Several members from the Narden
Park Methodist church of Detroit
were here Friday. They brought a
remembrance for each member of the
family, consisting of a box of Christ-
mas cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simmons, their
daughter and Mrs. John Minner of
Ypsilanti were callers of Mrs. Fran-
ces Robtoy and other members of the
family from that city, Sunday.

Miss Almada Beach celebrated her
ninety-second birthday Saturday and
was remembered by many friends by
gifts. Among the visitors we noticed
the Misses Alice, Winifred and Mar-
guerite Wallin and Clem H. Thomp-
son of Detroit. These visitors were
acquainted with Mrs. Robtoy, Miss
Alice Brown and Mrs. Neff, and called
on them also.

Mrs. Phoebe French entertained her
son, George Tuck and his mother-in-
law, Mrs. Pauline Stull of Pontiac, on
Sunday.

Old friends from Morenci were
callers of Mrs. Susan Baldwin on
Wednesday. L. H. Palmer and Mrs.
Dora Palmer. They were accompanied
by Mrs. Paul Underwood and son Ar-
thur of Montclair, Ohio.

Mrs. Carrie Bowen of Ypsilanti
spent some time Saturday with Mrs.
Emma Neff.

Mrs. Ella Snowden entertained Mrs.
Switzer of Detroit, Saturday.

Mrs. Cook's Sunday school class of
young ladies, of the St. Paul's Metho-
dist church of Highland Park, with
their friends, about a half hundred
strong, descended on the Home Sun-
day afternoon. Their custom has
been for the past several years to
visit here just before Christmas. The
visit this year was excellent in features
and pleasant associations of any pre-
vious year. They expressed a desire
to come again Mothers' Day and they
will be welcomed. A very enjoyable
program was given in the auditorium
in the afternoon. Their singing and
music will long be remembered.

John Lowe is greatly showing the
improvement to his shoulder, which
has suffered so badly for the past few
months. Here is hoping that a per-
manent cure will be reached.

Mrs. Emma Neff has been under
the doctor's care for the past few
days.

Mrs. Josephine Brower and Mrs.
Ella Snowden made a flying trip to
Wayne on Friday.

Mrs. Susan Lanson received a let-
ter Monday from her nephew, Floyd
Marshall, written while at sea. He
will be remembered by many here as
he made quite an extended visit a
couple of years ago. He is the radio
operator of one of the Standard Oil
tank boats and is on the sea most of
the time. He writes of the gales and
storms they are encountering this fall
of which he cannot get used to al-
though he has been on them for years.

Miss Edith Warner has surrendered
to the radio craze and has added the
seventeenth one in the home.

Miss Kitty Dell received a visit on
Monday evening from her brother,
Ester Dell of Milwaukee, Wis. She
has not seen him for many years and
enjoyed the visit.

Mrs. Ida Pennerman of Ypsilanti
visited her aunt, Mrs. Frances Robtoy,
on Sunday. She was accompanied by
Mrs. Geo. Lockwood and Mrs. Eliza-
beth Tohey of the same city.

Dr. Marshall Reed of Ypsilanti was
a caller Monday on the circle of mem-
bers from that city.

Mrs. Bonj. Rowe and daughter of
Jackson visited with the former's sis-
ter, Mrs. Addie Cook, Sunday.

The auditorium was well packed on
Sunday afternoon, there being sixty-
five seated therein. The overflow
filled the halls as far away as one
could listen to what was said. Oh,
for a larger room!

Sunday was not a dull day for the
members of the Home. As the fam-
ily assembled after breakfast Dr. Bal-
mer addressed them for half an hour.
At 10 o'clock many went to church
and most of those who did not listen-
ed to the radio services. At 2:30 the
young ladies' class from St. Paul's
church, Highland Park, gave a pro-
gram. At 4 o'clock Miss Vogt enter-
tained with a program on the xyllo-
phone. In the evening a musical at
the church was attended by many.
Some doings by "ye old people."

Three of the four members who are
past 90 years of age sat through the
Sunday afternoon exercises: Mrs.
Taber, 97, Mrs. Gare, 93, Mrs. Davis,
92. The other one, Miss Beach, 93,
was unable to leave her room.

A very pleasant surprise was en-
joyed by the family Sunday afternoon.
A musical company from Fowlerville
were to give an entertainment in the
church that evening. A piece of Mrs.
Elyria Gorton is a member of the com-
pany, Miss Helen Vogt, who plays the
xylophone. She and her father, John
Vogt, drove over early and arrived at
the Home just as the Highland Park
company had finished their program.
Miss Vogt brought her instrument in-
to the assembled company and enter-
tained them with a number of choice
selections on that strange musical
piece. Miss Lillian Dillingham of the
same place accompanied her as
pianist.

Potted Plants
The Gift of Charming Sentiment

Because it lasts, giving out its
cheery message of good wishes,
she will adore a plant for Christ-
mas. We are showing an unusual
collection of all kinds. Order now
for early giving.

*Beautiful Cut Flowers
of all kinds.*

Chelsea Greenhouses
Elvira Clark-Vigel Member F. T. D. Phone 180-F21

HAT SALE!
Of All Felt Hats.

A new shipment of Satin Hats just received. Call and
inspect the new arrivals!

MILLER SISTERS

THE JOY WE WISH FOR YOU

Joy comes to all of us in varying degrees. But in
wishing you the joys of the Christmas season we can
think of no better wish than to hope for you the season
will mean as much to you now as the **HAPPIEST**
CHRISTMAS you ever spent in childhood—**WE WISH**
YOU THIS AND MORE.

We trust that we have so served and pleased you that
you will favor us with your patronage during the com-
ing year. We promise to do our best to please you in
every way.

MOHRLOCK'S GARAGE
PHONE 283 PARK STREET

**Wishing You and Yours
the
Merriest Christmas
and the
Happiest New Year
of Your Life**

—And in addition a hearty "THANK YOU" for
your 1931 patronage.

KROGER STORE
N. J. GRIMWADE, Mgr.

**The Whole World Pauses
To Salute the Apostle of
GOOD CHEER**

Good cheer is one of the most valuable commodities in
the world's markets. It makes fortunes; it creates a
better understanding, develops friendship and makes
life more worth living. Santa Claus, the apostle of
good cheer, will gladden millions of hearts and among
those whose joy is made complete we hope our friends
and patrons will be numbered.

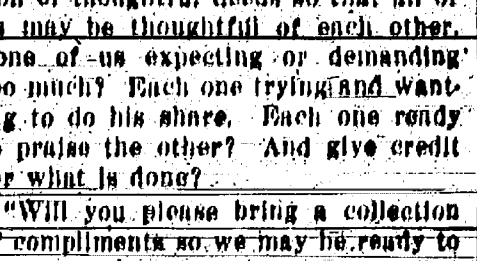
Friends, we are grateful to you for your business dur-
ing 1931. Already we are making plans for 1932 and
want you to know we are anxious to continue to serve
you.

**Chelsea Lumber, Grain
& Coal Co.**
PHONE 112 N. MAIN ST.

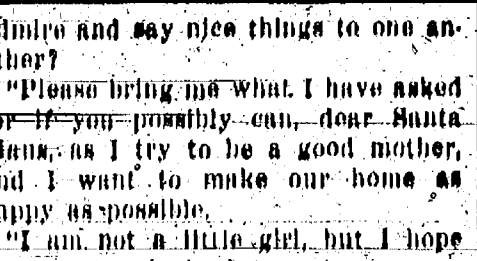
Karl Santa Claus:
"Will you please bring me
for Christmas a good supply
of appreciation for all the
cooking and mending I do
throughout the year?"
"Will you please bring
plenty of kind words for
those days when I am tired, but must
keep on just the same?"
"Will you please bring me plenty of
patience, so that on days when my
nerves seem 'on edge' I will not take
it out on my children?"
"Will you please bring me a pack
of usefulness so I will not make too
many demands on my children and an



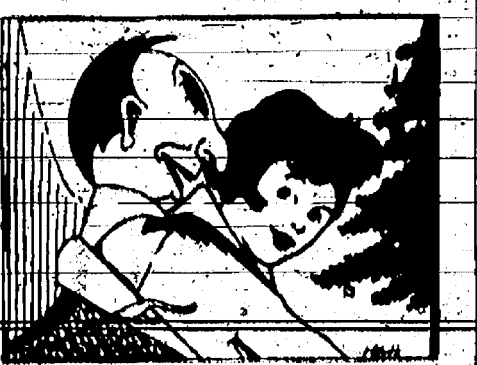
I will not act as though their time was
entirely at my disposal?
"But will you also bring me a sup-
ply of willingness on their parts to
help me?"
"Will you please bring me a collec-
tion of thoughtful deeds so that all of
us may be thoughtful of each other,
none of us expecting or demanding
too much? Each one trying and want-
ing to do his share. Each one ready
to praise the other? And give credit
for what is done?"
"Will you please bring a collection
of compliments so we may be ready to



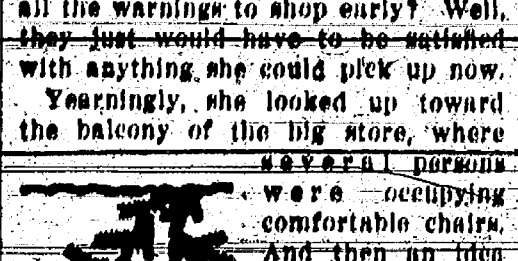
admire and say nice things to one an-
other?"
"Please bring me what I have asked
for if you possibly can, dear Santa
Claus, as I try to be a good mother,
and I want to make our home as
happy as possible."
"I am not a little girl, but I hope
you can overlook that."
Your affectionate friend,
(© 1931, Western Newspaper Union.)



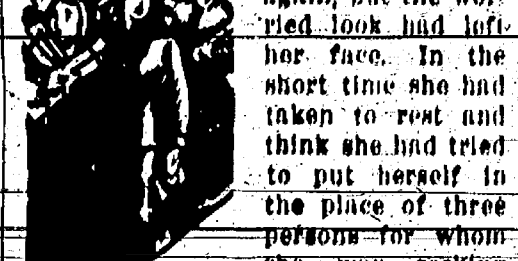
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CHIMNEY? OH, SAY!



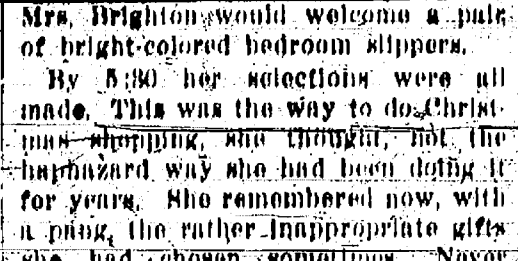
Visitor—How did Santa Claus come
down this Christmas, Willie?
Modern Kid—Came down pretty
handicapped, I'll say.



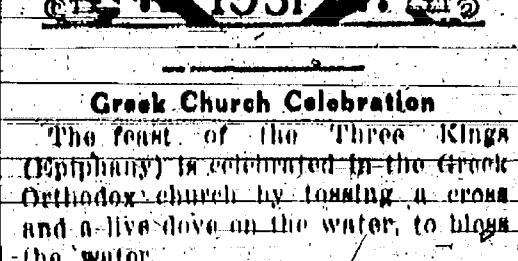
He's biting cold of a zero day,
coupled with finding mer-
chandise stocks badly de-
pleted, filled many last min-
ute shoppers with good re-
solutions to do their Christ-
mas shopping early next
year.



Marion English was one of those
caught in the jam. It was now late in
the afternoon, the next day would be
Christmas, and there still was Uncle
George, Cousin Esie and Old Mrs.
Brighton unchecked on her list. What
in the world could she get for them?
Helplessly she wandered up and down
the aisles. Why hadn't she heeded
all the warnings to shop early? Well,
they just would have to be satisfied
with anything she could pick up now.
Yearningly, she looked up toward
the balcony of the big store, where



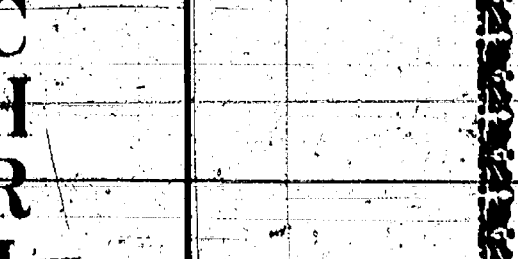
several persons were occupying
comfortable chairs.
And then an idea
flashed through her
brain.
Ten minutes
later, she was
walking through
the crowded aisles
again, but the wor-
ried look had left
her face. In the
short time she had
taken to rest and
think she had tried
to put herself in
the place of three
persons for whom
she was seeking
gifts, and now, in-
stead of just taking anything she had
a very definite idea of what to get for
the amount she had to spend. She re-
membered that Uncle George had a
pet weakness for fancy socks, that
Cousin Esie liked nothing better than
new fiction, and she felt sure that
Mrs. Brighton would welcome a pair
of bright-colored bedroom slippers.



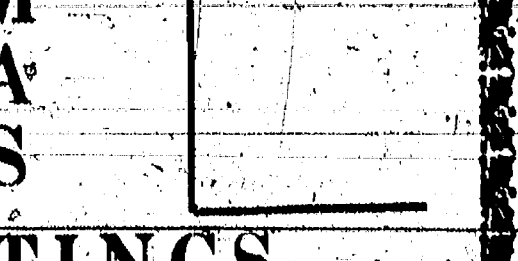
By 5:30 her selections were all
made. This was the way to do Christ-
mas shopping, she thought, not the
haphazard way she had been doing it
for years. She remembered now, with
a pang, the rather inappropriate gifts
she had chosen sometimes. Never
again, she vowed, would she wait until
the last minute to make selections.
From now on, she would heed the
many warnings to shop early, and so
bring an added share of happiness to
herself and others.



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CHIMNEY? OH, SAY!



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Greek Church Celebration
The feast of the Three Kings
(Epiphany) is celebrated in the Greek
Orthodox church by tossing a cross
and a live dove on the water, to bless
the water.

Intense Heat
The flame of an acetylene torch
burns at 4,100 degrees, whereas an
oxy-acetylene torch, using pure oxy-
gen instead of air, produces a flame
reaching 6,000 degrees.

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**Many of Our Patrons
Have Made Us Happy
By What They Have
Said About Us**

And now we want to try to make all of our patrons
happy because of what we say about you. We think
we are singularly blessed with the kind of patrons we
have to serve. We like you and enjoy doing business
with you.

But the main cause of this message is to Wish You an
unlimited portion of Happiness during this Christmas
season and to thank you most sincerely for your favors
of the past.

LEWIS FEED MILL
RANSOM LEWIS, Prop.
Phone 358 Jackson St. Opposite M. C. Depot

Man Alive!
**THIS IS A REAL
Christmas!**

Plenty of just
the right kind
of smokes

Make Your Selection From This List!

CIGARS—All kinds, all prices, in Christmas boxes.
CIGARETTES—By cartons, in Christmas wrappers.
TOBACCO—All kinds, in package or humidor.
Complete assortment of PIPES in a wide range of prices.
CIGAR HOLDERS, CASES and LIGHTERS.
CIGARETTE CASES and HOLDERS.
TOBACCO POUCHES. POCKET BOOKS.
CHRISTMAS CANDIES—In fancy 1-2 lb. and 1 lb. boxes.
Extra value in CHRISTMAS CARDS, PLAYING CARDS,
and BRIDGE CARDS—These should interest the ladies!
All kinds of SAFETY RAZORS.

WM. SCHATZ
Corner Barber Shop

Pastries For Christmas!

Schnitzbrot	20c per loaf
Lebkuchen	20c dozen
Springerle	40c pound
Pfeffernusse	40c pound
Anise Drops	40c pound
Lemon Drops	40c pound
Butter Esses	40c pound
Macroons	65c pound
Cinnamon Stars	60c pound
Animal Cookies	30c pound

Chelsea Bakery

**MAY YOUR HOLIDAYS
BRING HAPPINESS**

Sleigh bells—shining snows—gleaming candles—holly
—and through the night comes voices singing the beau-
tiful carols of Christmas, "Peace on Earth, Good Will
Toward Men!"

**HAPPY
CHRISTMAS**

GREETINGS

As another year starts we take this chance to express
to you our thanks for your hearty support, and to ex-
tend all good wishes for a new year of peace and plenty.

**MAY YOUR HOLIDAYS
BRING HAPPINESS**

Kolb's Restaurant

HAGADON'S CASH MARKET

(Formerly Leach's Market, W. Middle St.)

WHOLE PORK LOINS	13c lb.
WHOLE HAMS	12c lb.
WHOLE SHOULDERS	9c lb.
STEAKS	17c lb.
SHORT RIB	10c lb.
BEEF ROAST	12½c to 16c lb.
LIVER	9c lb.
Lamb, Fish, Oysters, Chickens, and Turkeys	

Will Open Thursday, This Week, and Will Be Open Every Day.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Kennedy of Sylvan township were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long of Detroit were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dreyer.

Mrs. Mary Castle and sons, Fred and Don, of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Sager.

Mr. and Mrs. Aloisius Merkel of Lansing spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Onsted of Jackson were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Winans.

Lawrence Wines of Olivet spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George K. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Watworth and son, and Mrs. Fred Grover spent Sunday in Pleasant Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sands and family, and Mr. and Mrs. I. Friedman and family of Ann Arbor spent Monday visiting friends in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bacon and daughter Sally were callers at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Bacon on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Snyder, Mrs. Ernest Fitzmaur, Mrs. Katherine Kolb and Miss Virginia Sullivan were Niles visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dietel entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Betty of Morenci, over the week-end.

J. E. McKune, John Haselwerdt and Ray Whipple spent several days of this week in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle A. Lehman and children, Mrs. Katherine Lucht and daughter Ella and Mrs. Ella Vogel, all of Ann Arbor were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Goetz on Sunday.

Miss Eva Goetz is spending this week in Ann Arbor, as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Louis Hackbarth and family.

Mrs. Ella Tuomey and nephew, Herschel Whitaker, of Ann Arbor were Sunday callers at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Beach and Mrs. Anna Whitaker.

Dudley and Howard Holmes, who are attending the Philip Exeter Academy at Exeter, N. H., arrived home this morning for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Witherell, Mrs. Dudley Witherell, Mrs. A. M. Yocum and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herman, of Manchester were callers Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Witherell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall and son Frederick, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hall and daughter Dorothy, of Inlay

City, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Pritchard and daughters, Barbara and Wanda May, of Dexter, and Mr. and Mrs. Donovan Sweetney, of Chelsea, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Breitenwischer on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hilsinger, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cole and children, Max and Gloria, of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Podewill of Ann Arbor, were entertained Sunday as guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Wackenhut.

Mrs. Erwin Steffe and daughter Arleen of Ann Arbor, also were callers at the Wackenhut home.

S. P. I. CHRISTMAS PARTY
The S. P. I. Christmas party was held Monday evening at the home of Miss Lillie Wackenhut. The decorations were in keeping with the holiday season, featuring a Christmas tree and a garden.

Christmas greetings were given in answer to roll call, followed by Christmas Carols and poems by the members. "The Night Before Christmas" was recited in unison. The origin of Christmas decorations was given as follows:

Holly—Blanche Palmer.
The Tree—Lettie Kaercher.
The Stockings—Mary Schneider.
Mistletoe—Louise Winans and Lillie Wackenhut.

Christmas games were furnished by Gladys Breitenwischer, Amanda Koch, Olga Strieter, Louise Winans, Lettie Kaercher and Lillie Wackenhut, after which each guest received a gift from Santa Claus' sack.

"Away in a Manger" was sung by the members as they marched to the dining room, where refreshments were served. The table represented a miniature forest, centered with a manger, with stars, and angels suspended from the ceiling.

The next meeting of the S. P. I. will be held December 28, at the home of Mrs. Blanche Palmer.

Sound Carried by Cavillons
Usually a cannon can be heard at best advantage 1,000 or 2,000 feet from the tower. The bells can be heard at considerable distance, depending upon the wind, height of tower and possible obstructions. Often times can be distinguished at a distance of three miles.

Immense Butterfly Collection
The biggest collection of butterflies in Europe has been thrown open to the public in Bal-Reichenhall, Germany. It includes 45,000 specimens, which constitute, however, only a fifth of the entire collection assembled by the Munich entomologist, Dannerl, in the course of many years.—San Francisco Chronicle.

CHRISTMAS MUSIC**At Christmas Eve**

By Rev. Abram Ryan in Philadelphia Record

Ah! there's nothing like a Christmas Eve
To change life's bitter gall to sweet,
And change the sweet to gall again;
To take the thorns from out our feet—
The thorns and all their dreary pain,
Only to put them back again.

To take old stings from out our heart—
Old stings that made them bleed and smart—
Only to sharpen them the more,
And press them back to the heart's core.

Ah! there's nothing like a Christmas Eve
To melt, with kindly glowing heat,
From off our souls the snow and sleet,
The dreary drift of winter years.

Only to make the cold winds blow,
Only to make a colder snow,
And make it drift, and drift, and drift,
In flakes so icy cold and swift.

Until the heart that lies below
Is cold and colder than the snow.

Use Standard Liners—They Pay!

Our Furniture Sale

IS GOING STRONG!

WE STILL HAVE A GOOD SELECTION IN ALL LINES.

Sales during the past week indicate that our offerings are real BARGAINS!

Only six days left to make your Christmas selections. Its a pleasure to shop and buy at this store, where you will find Style and Quality, coupled with very low prices!

BUY NOW!
BUY HERE!
BE SATISFIED!**HINDELANG HARDWARE COMPANY**

Hardware - Furniture - Chinaware - Floor Coverings

The Home of Sherwin Williams Paints

Open Evenings Christmas Week

Phone 35

Chelsea, Michigan

Standard Ads Are a Good Shopping Guide!

Many Thanks for
Your Favors of 1931May We Serve You
Throughout 1932?**Greetings for Christmas****Merry
Christmas**

When the hurry and rush and bustle of the shopping season is over and for a day we are secluded with our friends and loved ones to enjoy that high measure of blissful satisfaction which Christmas Day brings around to us only once in the year we wish for you the fruition of your best hopes, the realization of your most cherished desires, beginning now and continuing through the light and dark of the New Year.

**Happy
New Year**

Ice Cream - Milk - Cream - Butter - Cottage Cheese

Ann Arbor Dairy Co.

Phone 132

This image shows a blank, aged, cream-colored page, likely an endpaper or flyleaf of a book. The paper has a slightly textured appearance with some minor discoloration and a dark, irregular stain along the right edge. The binding edge on the left is visible, showing the stitching and the inner cover material.

A black and white photograph of a book cover. The cover features a grid pattern of horizontal and vertical lines. The vertical lines are more prominent and darker than the horizontal lines. The overall appearance is that of a textured or woven material.

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FOR SALE
1928 stake body
CHEVROLET TRUCK
FEDERAL SCREW WORKS 21

WANTED—Good farm, 120 to 150
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ST. MARY CHURCH
Henry Van Dyke, Rector.
First Mass at 8 a. m.
Second Mass at 10 a. m.
Mass on week days at 8 a. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. A. E. Potts, Pastor.
Morning worship—10 o'clock.
Sermon subject: "The Birth of
Bethlehem."
Sunday school at 11:15.
Vesper service at 4 o'clock, featur-
ing the Junior Choir under the direc-
tion of Mrs. Baxter.
C. E. at 8 o'clock.

SALEM METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Rev. H. W. Tenz, Pastor.
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Preaching service at 11 o'clock.

WATERLOO CIRCUIT
U. B. CHURCH
Rev. Ralph L. Reed, Pastor.
First Church—
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m.
Second Church—
Preaching service at 9:30 a. m.
Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.
Christian Endeavor—7:30.

ST. PAUL EVANGELICAL
F. B. Grabowski, Pastor.
Sunday, December 20th—
10:00 o'clock—English service.
11:15 o'clock—Sunday school.
7:30 p. m.—Musical service. The
Christmas Cantata, "The Music of
Bethlehem," by Holton, will be ren-
dered at this service by a St. Paul's
choir of 25 voices. It's good. Don't
miss it!

Wednesday, December 23rd
7:30 p. m.—Christmas celebration
by the beginners and primary de-
partment of our Sunday school.
Friday, December 25th—
7:00 a. m.—Christmas Candle ser-
vice. A Biblical drama, "The Birth of
Christ" by Kuhlman, will be presen-
ted at this service. Everybody wel-
come.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Rev. Fred Matthews, Pastor.
Hours of Service
Worship and sermon—10:00 a. m.
Theme: "Humanity on Trek to
Bethlehem."
Sunday school—11:15.
Young People's meeting—6:30.
Christmas Cantata, "Holy Night"
7:30 p. m.
Sharon
Preaching service—1:30.
Sunday school—2:30.

I. B. S. A.
Bible study, Thursday p. m., from
3 to 5 o'clock, 208 South St. Subject:
Zion upon the highway—Isa. 66-8.
Radio program, WQOW, Ft. Wayne,
1 o'clock p. m., WXYZ—Detroit, 10
o'clock a. m., every Sunday.

Churches To Feature Christmas Services

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Choir, with program as follows:
Prelude—"Christmas Fantasy."
Processional—"Hark the Herald
Angels Sing."
Hymn—88.
Trombone solo—Della Vachellbach.
Scripture Reading and Prayer.
Carols by Choir.
Offertory.
Solo—Stuart Vander Ven.
Song by Choir—"The Angels Sing."
Christmas Story—Rev. Potts.
Carols by Choir.
Hymn—90.
Benediction.
Postlude.

Methodist Church
Another popular program is prom-
ised Sunday evening, when the choir
of the Methodist church, including a
Children's Chorus, will present the
Christmas Cantata, "Holy Night," by
Ashford. This is in keeping with the
Christmas season and should be great-
ly enjoyed. An invitation is extended
to everyone to attend and get the
Christmas spirit.

ENTERTAINS LUCKY NINE
Miss Viola Seyfried entertained the
members of the Lucky Nine at a
Christmas party Tuesday evening.
Honors in 500 were awarded Miss
Ruth Liebeck and Miss Ella Kaercher.
A two-course lunch was served, and
gifts were distributed from the
Christmas tree.

NEW YEAR'S DANCE
The local order of Odd Fellows will
hold a dance at their hall on New
Year's Eve, to which Rebekahs and
friends are invited. Arrangements
are being made for a very enjoyable
affair. Usual noise-making devices
will be provided to assist in ushering
in the new year.

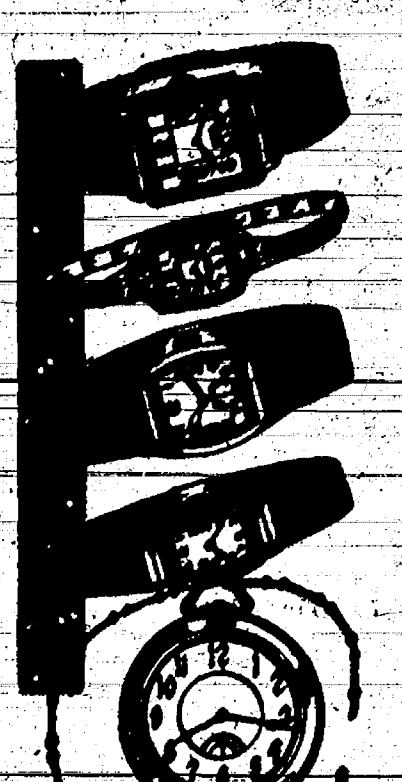
CARD PARTY
The fourth fraternal euchre party
of the season will be held at Masonic
hall tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock,
with the American Legion as hosts.

SYLVAN TAX NOTICE
I will be at H. B. Murphy's Tin
Shop, on West Middle St., on Satur-
day, December 12, and on each Wed-
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lecting Sylvan township taxes.
Fred G. Broesamble,
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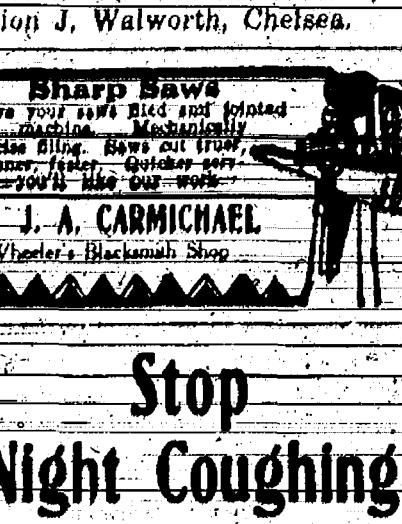
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

A special meeting of the W. R. C.
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cember 22, at two o'clock, for inspec-
tion. Mrs. Effie B. Murray, depart-
ment superintendent of Jackson, will
be present.

Regular meeting of Pythian-Sisters
will be held next Tuesday evening at
7:30. There will be roll call, nomi-
nation of officers, and light refresh-
ments. All members please respond.

BROTHERHOOD MEETING

The Washtenaw County Brother-
hood will hold their regular monthly
meeting at Willis on Sunday, Decem-
ber 20. Afternoon meeting will be
held at 4 o'clock evening meeting at
7:30. A colored male quartet will
give several selections and election of
officers will take place at this meet-
ing. Good speakers have been se-
cured for both sessions. Lunch at 6
o'clock.

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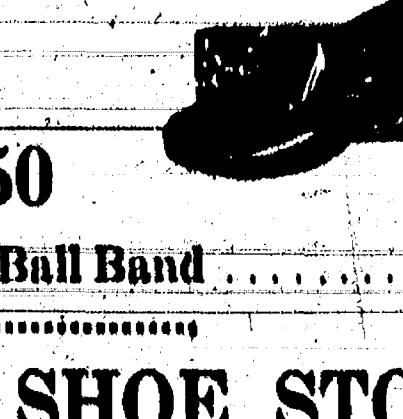
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Citron Peel	Pkg.	19c
Lemon Peel	Orange Pkg.	14c
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