



Merry Christmas



WEATHER

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Tuesday, Dec. 15	28	37	0.00
Wednesday, Dec. 16	30	45	0.00
Thursday, Dec. 17	48	52	Trace
Friday, Dec. 18	23	35	0.04
Saturday, Dec. 19	24	35	0.04
Sunday, Dec. 20	33	35	0.06
Monday, Dec. 21	33	35	0.06

By H. K. L.

The Chelsea Standard

QUOTE

"Every man is worth just as much as the things he busies himself with."
—Marcus Aurelius.

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Varsity Cagers Win Over Novi, Lose to Lincoln

Chelsea's Bulldogs went on the road to play two close ball games last week-end, losing to Ypsilanti Lincoln Friday night by two points, 66-64, and defeating the Novi Wildcats by two on Saturday, 65-63.

After the heart-breaking loss to Lincoln on Friday night, the Bulldogs had to fight to the last second of the ball game before turning back the fired-up Novi Wildcats, 65-63.

The hard-fought game on Friday left the Bulldogs tired and it showed in their shooting.

The Bulldogs hit only 26 of 89 shots from the floor for 29 percent, while the Wildcats were hitting 40 percent.

The two teams struggled for the lead throughout the first half, but with good rebounding by Jeff Daniels and fine floor work from guards Wayne Welton and Todd Sprague, Chelsea took a two point, 33-31, half-time lead.

The second half was a mirror image of the first half. With both teams struggling, neither team could pull away to a comfortable lead. The game was very much in doubt until the final seconds of the game.

After a crucial tip-in by Chick Lane that tied the score, Chelsea forced Novi to turn the ball over on a violation with a minute left to play.

The Bulldogs patiently worked the ball, and with only seconds to go, Jeff Schmidt scored to give the Bulldogs the 65-63 victory.

The story of the game is told by the statistics. Novi shot 40 percent from the floor, hitting 26 of 64 shots, while Chelsea hit only 26 of 89 for 29 percent. But the taller Bulldogs dominated on rebounds, getting 23 to Novi's 37, giving the Bulldogs 55 more shots at the basket.

Ron Sweeney led Chelsea rebounding with 19, followed by

Jeff Daniels with 13 and Chick Lane with 10.

On Friday night, Chelsea traveled to Ypsilanti to meet the Lincoln Railsplitters.

Chelsea jumped out to a 16-11 lead in the first quarter on the fine shooting of Ron Sweeney. In the quarter, Sweeney hit for 12 of his game high of 24 points.

The second quarter was similar to the first, as Sweeney and Todd Sprague continued to lead the way to a 40-29 halftime lead for Chelsea.

After the half, Lincoln came on strong, and the tired Chelsea team hit only two of 15 shots from the floor and 6 of 18 free throws in the third period.

Chelsea still held a two point, 50-48 lead going into the last quarter. But the Railsplitters maintained their momentum, hitting seven of 14 shots from the floor, while Chelsea could manage only three of 13.

The game tipped back and forth in the last eight minutes, with Lincoln holding a four-point lead with 1:30 left to go in the game.

Todd Sprague cut the lead to 66-64 with 49 seconds left, but Chelsea did not regain the ball until only 15 seconds remained.

The Bulldogs tried for one more, but the ball was stolen as time ran out.

Lincoln dominated the rebounding with 48 against Chelsea's 29. The Bulldogs hit on 22 of 42 free throws, while Lincoln converted 16 of 24.

Chelsea is now 4-1 for the season, and is tied for first place in the Southeastern Conference with a league record of 3-1.

The Bulldogs will take a well deserved rest during the holidays before facing Dundee at home on Jan. 7. Junior Varsity games begin at 6:30 p.m. Varsity games begin at approximately 8 p.m.



SEASON'S GREETINGS: Santa was present at the annual Christmas party for children of Kiwanis Club members Monday night at the Fair Services Center, passing out stockings filled with candy to the approximately 60 children who attended. Some of the children, candy safely in hand, found the photographer as interesting as Santa.

Busy Schedule For Christmas At St. Paul's

Editor's note: The special holiday services at St. Paul's United Church of Christ were inadvertently omitted from the list published in the last issue of The Standard.

St. Paul UCC planned a variety of holiday observances which have made the celebration of one of the great Christian Holy Days, Christmas, more meaningful.

Advent began with a church school "white gift" offering of clothing, food and money which was turned over to Chelsea Social Services to share with de-

'Old' CHS Grads Will Compete in Basketball Game

Male grads of Chelsea High school from 1962-1971 classes will don their old school togs to compete in the first annual alumni benefit basketball game Dec. 30 at 7 p.m. in the high school gym.

Proceeds from the game, which will pit the classes of 1962-66 against those of 1967-71, will be used to buy movie film and video tape to record the current varsity games.

Howard Treado is organizing the '67-'71 team, and Jim Cameron has taken charge of the '62-'66 team organization.

Wrestlers Win Third Place in Tournament

Chelsea's wrestlers topped those from four other schools to finish third in the Mason Holiday Tournament held Saturday.

Chelsea, with a final score of 69, finished only seven points behind first-place Dexter and one point behind second-place Michigan Center.

First-place finishes were gained by Mark Montagne at 105, Keith Kargel at 119 and Rod Branham, a heavyweight.

Larry Jones, at 132, took a second place. Steve Straub at 142, Tim Lancaster at 158 and Doug McDonald at 167 finished third for Chelsea.

Jon Schenk and Randy Seitz both earned points for Chelsea. Seitz won one and lost one before being forced out of action by an injury.

Coach Richard Bareis, while expressing dismay over a couple of bad breaks, was encouraged by the fact that Chelsea is now earning points in weight classes they hadn't been winning earlier this season.

Bareis also pointed out that Steve Straub, who was wrestling in his first tournament with only one previous varsity match behind him, wrestled extremely well in gaining his third-place finish.

While Bareis feels that Chelsea was a strong contender for Saturday's championship, he said "the team will have to continue improving if it wants to challenge Dexter and Michigan Center at the Western tournament next month."

The wrestlers took on Manchester Wednesday night, and will next see action Jan. 6 when they take on Dundee, here. Wrestling matches begin at 6:30 p.m.

Dr. Brownson Elected to Family Physicians Group

Paul J. Brownson, M.D., Chelsea Community Hospital staff member, has been elected to active membership in the American Academy of Family Physicians, a national association of more than 31,000 family doctors. The Academy formerly was called the American Academy of General Practice.

As a member of AAFP, Dr. Brownson will be required to complete 150 hours of postgraduate medical study every three years. The program, unique among national medical associations, is designed to help member physicians keep abreast of the latest scientific developments in medicine.

Founded in 1947, the AAFP is the country's second largest national medical association. It was instrumental in the establishment of a new primary specialty in family practice in 1969.

Parents of Suspended Students Lash Out at Board, Administration

Dr. Palmer Scholarship Fund Set Up

A scholarship fund in memory of Dr. A. A. Palmer has been established by the Chelsea Community Hospital, Dr. Joseph V. Fisher, hospital chief of staff, announced late last week.

Dr. Palmer, a life-long Chelsea resident and prominent family physician, died Wednesday, Dec. 15 at the age of 79. He was a member of the Chelsea Community Hospital staff, the staff of St. Joseph Mercy Hospital and a member emeritus of the Washtenaw County Medical Society at the time of his death.

According to Dr. Fisher, the scholarship will be used to support students graduating from Chelsea area high schools who are interested in entering the field of family medicine.

"We hope by establishing this scholarship," Dr. Fisher said, "to continue the type of dedication to family medicine shown by Dr. Palmer throughout his medical career."

Contributions to the fund may be made through the Chelsea Community Hospital.

Special Meeting Scheduled Monday To Answer Critics

Although more than 200 of the 221 students suspended from Chelsea High school last Wednesday as a result of a student sit-in have now returned to class, the difficulties at Chelsea High school have not yet come to an end.

The series of events immediately preceding the strike began Dec. 6 when High School Principal Charles Lane withdrew verbal permission given earlier to members of a student council committee arranging a Christmas dance to engage the U.P. a hard-rock band affiliated with the Rainbow People's Party.

The students who had mailed a signed contract to the group on Dec. 3, appealed to the decision, which Lane said came at the direction of "his superiors," to Superintendent of Schools Charles Cameron, and then, on Dec. 9, to the Board of Education.

During the Dec. 9 meeting, the board passed a resolution stating that it found the students had received two impartial hearings on the matter.

The students, however, were dissatisfied with both the administrative handling of the matter, and the school board's judgment that the hearings had been fair.

In a letter sent to parents following the strike the students said: "Mr. Lane told us he had changed his mind. His reason is that his superiors had advised him to call off the dance."

The other reason was that there was supposedly trouble with a private light show that accompanied the band when they played at Chelsea before. In response to this, the group was contacted and a guarantee was given to Mr. Lane that the group would simply play music and nothing else."

(The letter is printed in its entirety in the Letters to the Editor column.)

On Dec. 15, the day of a regular meeting of the 30-member student council, three council members met with Lane, and proposed that Lane either allow the U.P. to play or find a band of "comparable quality" to perform for the dance.

The Student Council, said one of the three spokesmen, called the strike only when Lane refused both alternatives.

In an interview early this week, Lane said that the alternatives had been presented as demands, and that he could not accede to them.

In response to the strike call,

more than 200 students met in the high school auditorium, and did not return to class even after being warned that they would be suspended if they did not do so.

At approximately 1:20 p.m., Lane announced over the public address system that the students had been suspended and would be considered trespassers if they did not leave school property. Approximately 223 students were suspended.

Apparently at the beginning of the strike, Lane was asked to address the students gathered in the auditorium and explain his position, which he did not do.

The students, Lane said Monday, had not contacted him between the meeting of Dec. 6 and the time of the strike. When asked if he would have addressed the student body if requested to do so in the days preceding the demonstration he said that if "ground rules" had been established he thought he would have done so, although he would have done so reluctantly because of the hostility he would have had to face.

Students involved in the strike have repeatedly charged that the school administration is unwilling to communicate with the students, and the issues centering on communication and responsiveness have played a critical part in the events of the week following the strike.

Apparently both students and parents of suspended students asked that the school permit a meeting of students and parents to be held at the high school.

Mrs. Betty O'Neill, mother of one of the suspended students, said that she had made such a request on Thursday, Dec. 16 and on the following day.

The meetings were denied by school administrators. Charles Cameron, who denied American Civil Liberties Union member Walter Brauninger's request for a meeting, said that in his opinion the meetings did not fall into one of the categories—educational, recreational, cultural, or entertainment—listed in school board policy as acceptable for use of school facilities.

Cameron said that his denial of the meeting was "a matter of judgment" but that if he were wrong, he would be so informed by the school board.

More than 200 people, many of

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FINAL PREPARATIONS: Mrs. Floyd Riethmiller, Mrs. David Colquhoun, and Mrs. Louis Ramp finish arranging some of the dolls given to needy children during Saturday's Christmas distribution of gifts to the needy, an annual community project supervised by the Chelsea Social Service. Among the many gifts contributed by community members, organizations, and churches, were two dozen doll-size afghans knitted and given by an interested area resident. This year, gifts were distributed to 117 children from 44 families.

Happy Christmas Assured 117 Children By Social Service

Christmas really will be Christmas for the 117 needy children from 44 families who received presents during the annual gift distribution held Saturday, Dec. 18 at Sylvan Town Hall.

This year, thanks to a contribution by the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department from their share of the Pig Bowl proceeds, there were three new toys for each child.

The toys were attractively displayed, and each child allowed to choose the toys he or she most wanted to have.

In addition to the toys, each family received a box of canned foods and a purchase order for fresh meat for the holidays.

Many community contributions were also received. St. Paul's United Church of Christ sent canned goods, new clothing and a money gift; St. Barnabas Episcopal church sent canned goods and new clothing; Beach Junior High school students sent canned goods; children from the Chelsea Co-Operative Nursery school sent wrapped gifts; Esther Chapter of the Congregational church sent

200 popcorn balls, and Chelsea Milling provided cartons used for the food boxes and a generous supply of Jiffy products. Two dozen doll-size afghans were knitted and donated by an interested area resident.

The community project is supervised by the Chelsea Social Service. Those who prepared the display and assisted the "toy shoppers" were Mrs. Louis Ramp, director of the Social Service, Mrs. David Colquhoun, assistant, Mrs. Floyd Riethmiller, and Hatie Brown, a student.

Hay Rustlers Make Getaway With 1,000 Bales

With hay selling for \$1 a bale, more or less, the loss of 1,000 bales of hay aint, shall we say, hay.

Richard Hadley, 9850, Beeman Rd., however, had approximately 1,000 bales stolen from one of his barns at 15500 Cassidy Rd., sometime this week-end.

Given the local scarcity of hay, Hadley told sheriff's deputies that the loss was not wholly unexpected.

Hadley valued the hay at \$1,500. Sheriff's deputies are investigating.



SANTA AND HIS HELPERS: Santa, one of the busiest men we know, attended several Christmas parties this week-end, including the party for children of Dana employees held Saturday afternoon in the UAW union hall. The kids were treated to snacks and cartoons, and then had a chance to visit with Santa himself. Here, Santa converses with some young fans, while his helpers stand ready with some of the presents presented to each child.



Washington Report by Congressman MARVIN L. ESCH

Three years ago Congress provided funds for several demonstration nutrition projects for the elderly, under Title IV of the Older Americans Act. These nutrition projects proved to be highly successful, not only in providing hot meals to senior citizens who might otherwise go hungry, but also in facilitating the delivery of other social services, in fostering social interaction, and in meeting the emotional needs of the aged. Funding for this program, however, was on a temporary basis only. However, because of their demonstrated effectiveness very early in the year, I introduced a bill to put these programs on a permanent basis and pending action on my bill, I urged that the House pass a continuing resolution to keep these projects in operation until we were able to enact more permanent legislation.

Under this bill, S. 1163, states would set up their own programs in accordance with certain guidelines. Among these, each nutrition program would provide at least one hot meal per day for five or more days per week, sites for such nutrition programs would be in close proximity to the majority of eligible individuals' residences as feasible, and methods of administration that assure the maximum number of eligible individuals an opportunity to participate would be utilized. Beyond providing for a nutrition program, each center would be required to provide a setting conducive to expanding that program to include recreational activities, information, health and welfare counseling and referral services.

Within these guidelines, each state would structure its program so as to fit local circumstances. Because of their success I would hope that the state agencies responsible would study the projects already in operation before implementing their own. There have been a number of successful nutrition programs operating independently of these demonstration projects. Monroe has had one such program, and I believe it

success also merits study by those who will be responsible for the structuring of new initiatives.

With this legislation we are taking a significant step in meeting the needs of the elderly. Not only are we providing our senior citizens with nourishing meals, but we are going to the very heart of the social problems underlying inadequate diets among older people. Testimony before my own committee has underscored that simply raising the income level of older Americans does not motivate the aged person who lives alone to cook for himself; does not help the invalid to shop; fails to alleviate feelings of loneliness, rejection, or apathy; does not help the aged person to understand the need for a nutritionally adequate diet, or how to achieve it. S. 1163 is designed to meet these basic needs.

As John B. Martin, the Commissioner on Aging, has noted, "... a sense of belonging and other psychological and social values accrue from eating with others." The opportunities for increased socialization which occur as a result of this legislation will be as important to the older participants as the nutrients they would receive.

S. 1163 then, is important legislation which will meet the real needs of the elderly. It reaches out into the community to locate those most in need of the program; it will build nutritional education into the project; and it provides for a variety of ancillary social services. Certainly a program which accomplishes all this, and does so in a manner already proven effective, deserves to be put on a permanent basis.

S. 1163 has been reported out of my committee, and I have urged the House take quick action on the measure.

Uncle Lew from Lima Says:

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:

I ain't had time this week to do my usual reading. I give the papers a lick and a promise and I ain't got to the farm journals at all. I know you are as busy as everybody else, cause this is the time of year nobody gets caught up and nobody wants to. I was thinking the other day how much backfire we would hear from all the Christmas rushing about if we were told we had to do it.

Personal, Mister Editor, my old lady tells me jobs to do in such a way that I want to do em. She reminds me of the story of the farmer that said he was getting more milk from his cows than ever before. He said he went out to the barn and had a heart to heart talk with em. Told em about the high prices farmers and ranchers was getting for beef. My old lady just makes doing the job look so much better than not doing it till I enjoy it.

Saturday night at the country store, the fellers was agreed that the politicians must of gone home to help their old ladies. The noise level in Washington is down considerably, allowed Ed Doolittle, and the column writers is having to scratch way down in their bags of informed sources. When they get to talking to one another he might even have to watch the television, Ed allowed. He had saw where this famous doctor said folks ought to get up and move about at least once every hour when watching television, but Ed said a feller moves more in front of the TV than anywhere, cause he's got to keep tuning someone out.

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By Elmer E. White, Secretary, Michigan Press Association

Tax Bite Average

If the bite the taxman took out of you last year seemed pretty big, there may be some consolation in the knowledge it was just an "average bite."

Statistics compiled by the state Commerce Department show the state ranked 23rd out of 50 states for the fiscal year ended in mid 1970 in terms of taxes collected per capita. Michigan's state and local governmental units collected \$116.47 of every \$1,000 of personal income earned in the state. The

average for all states was \$116.58 per \$1,000.

An almost identical picture is seen in the area of property taxes. There, the state ranked 22nd in the country, with \$46.56 collected in property taxes for every \$1,000 of personal income. The national average was \$45.74 per \$1,000.

In general, expenditures of all funds—federal, state and local—Michigan was down in 34th position among the 50 states. The fiscal 1970 expenditures per \$1,000 of personal income totaled \$171.67, while the national average was \$176.40.

Mother's Omission

Michigan's independent colleges and universities launched an all-out campaign to regain their traditional share of higher education enrollments.

Although enrollments at private colleges and universities increased from 36,000 to 51,000 between 1960 and 1970, their percentage of all students attending higher education institutions in Michigan decreased from 21.2 percent to 13.1 percent.

A brochure with a catchy title—"Things Mother Never Told You About Independent Colleges and Universities"—was just published by the Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Michigan (AICUM).

It is distributed to high school seniors throughout the state as well as students at Michigan's 29 community colleges which are responsible for the percentage drop in both public and private college enrollments.

"You can afford to attend an independent college or university," the brochure states, "for little more than it would cost to go to a public school."

Scholarships, grants, jobs and loans are enabling thousands of students to attend private Michigan schools which might otherwise be too expensive, the brochure continues.

The brochure lists several reasons why "you can't afford not to make a private school your first choice." They include:

"Since classes are smaller than those at giant public institutions, you'll have more access to the instructors."

"You'll be able to actively participate in academic programs and extracurricular activities."

"In short, you'll be a name, not a number" at an AICUM college or university, the brochure concludes. The average enrollment at the 28 AICUM member schools is approximately 1,000 students though they range in size from 60 students in one institution to nearly 10,000 in another.

AICUM President John L. Gaffney of Lansing says the new recruiting brochure, which has a capsule summary of the programs

offered by each AICUM school, has been well received by high school and community college students and counselors.

"We believe the brochure will encourage more students and their parents to look into the unique advantages offered by independent colleges and universities," Gaffney said. "All we want is the opportunity to prove that it is economically feasible for most students to attend one of our schools."

Religious Cards Have Taken Lead In Popularity

"Sorry, we don't have any more Christmas cards, only some religious ones."

These words, supposedly spoken by a saleswoman to a last-minute shopper for greeting cards a good many years ago, wouldn't be meaningful now.

During recent Yule seasons, greetings with a religious message have led the way in popularity. The wryly-humorous idea that anyone looking for cards wants some that show only the convivial side of Christmas was never very funny, and now it definitely isn't true.

Early cards pictured dancers and skaters, holly and mistletoe, robins and other birds, beautiful women and charming children and flowers by the score.

Such themes still appear, but they take second place to religious messages—especially, "Peace on earth, good will toward men."

JUST REMINISCING

Items Taken from the Files of The Chelsea Standard

4 Years Ago...

Thursday, Dec. 28, 1967—

Members of three Junior Achievement companies at Chelsea High school are busy promoting their products. Included among the members of Chrytex Co., maker of placemats, are Robert Peterson, Susan Forner, Rich Steinaway, and Karen Poertner. Chelsea Teen-Age Development Co., manufacturer of a "trunk tamer" lists Don Henry, Martha Lewis, Rose Slane, Larry Bauer, and Suzanne Kozma among its members. JADO Co., which produces a safety flare kit, includes Nancy Buckingham, Dan Schmitt, Jean Walters, Tom Wojciechowski and Barb Frisbie among its members.

Elwood McGlothlen, 51, of Munith was taken to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor after his automobile crashed into a stake truck Friday Dec. 22. The accident occurred on M-52 just 84 feet from the village limit sign. The driver of the stake truck, John Howard O'Brien of Stockbridge, was driving south on M-52 when McGlothlen came across the center line toward the truck. O'Brien swerved to the shoulder to avoid hitting the car, but McGlothlen's vehicle hit the truck in the center. Deputies reported that no skid or brake marks were visible at the scene of the accident.

14 Years Ago...

Thursday, Dec. 26, 1957—

At a regular meeting of the Community Chest board of directors Wednesday, treasurer A. D. Mayer reported that 74 percent of the 1958 pledges had been paid. \$13,976 was pledged to the Chest this year. The Michigan United Fund presented a special award to Chelsea campaign chairman Mrs. W. R. Daniels, in "appreciation of outstanding service to the people of Michigan."

August Ramp, of Clear Lake (Mink Ranch), won the Allen Hitchcock Memorial Trophy for his "best of show" grand champion mink at the Michigan-Ohio mink show held in Grand Rapids. A total of 500 mink were exhibited at the show.

The OHS Junior Varsity basketball squad has 2.3 record thus far this season. Playing on the team, coached by Alan Conklin, are Jack Patrick, Jerry Ringe, Homer Nixon, Fred Patterson, Alton Nixon, Don Sexton, Danny Mauer, Tommy Dunlap, Daryl Keizer, Herman Hoskins, Charles Koenn, Matt Murphy, George Wilson and Don Blalock. Team managers are Danny Ellenwood and Wilson Morley.

Stuart Dingle, a former Chelsea resident, has been named a trust officer of the Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit. Dingle is a 1939 graduate of Chelsea High.

One of the highlights of the area Christmas decorations is the Nativity scene at Salem Grove Methodist church on Notten Rd. Members of the church's Youth Fellowship sponsored the project of providing the life-sized figures and the shelter placed directly in front of the church. Robert Rentschler, Welton Bohne and A. L. Sexton were in charge of erecting the scene this year. They were assisted by Youth Fellowship members.

24 Years Ago...

Thursday, Dec. 25, 1947—

Bowser, Inc. Chelsea Division, which has been operating the company's plant on Old US-12 since 1944, and since the war has employed approximately 75 persons, closed Dec. 24 Carlton Jones, formerly in charge of the local plant, issued a statement which said that the move was made in the interests of economy in production.

A Methodist Youth Fellowship group consisting of Erlamae Wanous, Joan O'Dell, Mary Paul, Patricia Mohrlock, Ruth Lord, Cynthia Lord, Jackie Weir, Barbara Weir, Shirley Weir, Bob Matson, Donald Baldwin, Bob Stofer, and Youth Fellowship sponsor Mrs. Orville Morrow, walked through Chelsea singing Christmas carols on Christmas Sunday evening. After the caroling the young people gathered at the home of Erlamae Wanous for a social hour.

Friends of 10-year-old Connie Ann Steinbach will be pleased to know that she has been requested to play a piano selection, "The Hallelujah Chorus," from Handel's "Messiah" over Ann Arbor's new radio station WHRV.

Among Chelsea college students home for the holiday vacation are Virginia Spaulding, Joanne Moore and Gertrude Ann Merkel of Michigan State Normal college; Robert Strieter and Richard Bahnmiller

of Western Michigan college, George Palmer of the University of Miami, Fla.; Leota and Allyn Koseman and Ellen Loeffler, Kinsey of Michigan State College, Paul C. Schabig, Robert Daniels and Loren Munro of the University of Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eaton and Barbara Eaton of Olivet College, Charles Zeab of Sacred Heart Seminary, and Mary Katherine Weber of the University of Detroit.

34 Years Ago...

Thursday, Dec. 23, 1934—

Mrs. Edwin I. Gaunt fractured her left leg in two places between the knee and the ankle in a fall at her home Friday night. She is being cared for at the home of her sisters, Misses Jennie and Florence Ives.

Mrs. Sarah Mapes, the oldest native resident of Livingston county, celebrated her 96th birthday Wednesday, Mrs. Mapes is well known here in Chelsea, since her sons, S. A. Mapes and F. C. Mapes are former Chelsea residents.

George E. Haist of Lima township had the honor of exhibiting the fleeces of wool at the Chicago international livestock show which was awarded the grand championship of the show, the coveted goal of all exhibitors. Haist has been exhibiting fleeces at the show for 10 years, and his fleeces have never ranked lower than third, but this is the first time he has won the grand championship. Haist has been breeding sheep in this county for 34 years. In his flock are 40 sheep, including 61 ewes.



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"PEACE ON EARTH": The annual Christmas program, presented by the boys of the St. Louis school this year featured a playlet on Vietnam called "Peace on Earth," presented by the older boys of the school. Here, the boys in the cast pose prior to Sunday's presentation.

Christmas Fills Air at St. Louis School

The Christmas season at St. Louis school was, again this year, a happy one as visitors from many places participated in the holiday celebration.

Thursday marked the serving of the annual Christmas dinner. On Friday, Dec. 25, staff members of the Washtenaw Community College newspaper, The Voice, distributed toys donated by area merchants, to the boys at the school.

The Voice staffers and members of the WCC choir brought an entire Christmas party, including tree, refreshments and Santa Claus, to the school despite dismal weather.

The party, which had been financed by a benefit performance of the choir, sponsored by The Voice, held earlier in the year, ended with the serving of punch and cookies.

On Saturday, Charles Cox of the Chelsea Kiwanis Club, also sponsored a Christmas party for the boys, and Christmas stockings were distributed by a well-known Santa helper to all the boys at the school.

Sunday afternoon's Christmas program was attended by 250 to 300 people including parents and visitors from the Chelsea area. In addition to the presentation of two playlets by the boys of the school, the singing of Christmas carols, and the portrayal of the nativity scene by the boys, various presents and treats were distributed.

Stanley Pietryka, a member of the Alhambra Club in Detroit, sent nativity scene sets to all the boys. Mrs. Rose of Livonia passed out candy canes, as did Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Marvicsin of Romulus.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Queen of Dearborn Heights sponsored a benefit fund for the boys. Don Passow of Chelsea, winner of a basket of goodies, donated it to the school. The Rev. James Stacey also donated a basket of treats to the boys.

After the program a coffee hour was held, then boys and parents left for the Christmas vacation. The boys will return Jan. 2.

The Fathers and Sisters of the school will stay at home during the vacation period, and will be joined by Sisters of the Holy Family from Willis and Windsor on Christmas day.

Many teachers and staff members are traveling, however. Mrs. Fryback and her husband will go to California, Miss Carol Lennox will go home to Midland, Mrs. Ann Wilkinson and her husband will fly to Colorado, Mrs. Victor Perez will go to the Dominican Republic and Mrs. Pat Robbins and her husband will go to Cedar Rapids, Ia.

We wish you harmony and glad tidings at this jolly season. Sincere thanks for the privilege of serving you.

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power steering, automatic

transmission

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 We, the family of Joseph C. Dreyer wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, beautiful floral offerings, spiritual bouquets, contributions to the Cancer Society and the food brought into our home during our recent loss. We especially thank the Staffan Funeral Home and the Chelsea Community Hospital for their kindness and the Rev. Father Wahowiak for his comforting words.
 Mrs. Joseph C. Dreyer
 Joseph A. Dreyer
 and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Harris
 and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dreyer
 and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their sympathy, kindness and flowers at the time of our bereavement. A special thanks to Father Wahowiak, to Drs. Botsford and Brownson, to the Staffan Funeral Home, to Geary Klink and Lucy Platt for the lovely dinner they prepared for after the services and to all the folks who so generously furnished the food.
 Frances Centilli
 Mr. and Mrs. Brian Leisinger
 and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. James Centilli
 and family.

New Police Officer . . .

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 "I tried it, but I didn't like it," he quipped.
 Chelsea Police Chief George Meranuck said, "We're extremely fortunate to get a man with his experience. We've had very favorable reports, and are happy to have him on the force."
 On Christmas Eve, bees hum holiday carols and melodies, says legend.

Busy Schedule For Christmas At St. Paul's

(Continued from page one)
 serving families in the Chelsea area.
 Following this on Dec. 5, an Advent Workshop was held and families gathered in the church's fellowship area to learn, make, and share Christmas ideas.
 Plaques, 16 pointed stars, nut trees, Christmas wrappings — a variety of things — were completed. Jim Stirling told the Christmas story as the first Christmas tree in the church was lighted.
 On the 19th, about 60 young people gathered to go Christmas caroling. Singing was shared at the Methodist home, as the halls rang with cheerful voices, and about 10 homes of shut-in members were visited. The group then joined in merry-making and some special dessert making back at the church.
 Christmas Eve will see St. Paul offering two distinctly different kinds of services. An early family service at 7:30 p.m. will offer candlelight and communion, and will be developed around the theme of family contributions as they share their individual Christmas customs and skills.
 Scripture will be read by Tracy Cattell; music will be supplied with guitar by Win Kanter, an instrumental medley of Christmas carols by the Rasmussen family, a Christmas story "The Donkey That Carried A King" by Margaret Eggleston, will be told by Shirley Sohaible, and the Christmas poem, "Christmas Morning," will be read by Judi Blass.

Bread and wine used in the communion service will also be contributions of families—the H. Trinkle, H. Paul and P. Seitz families. Meditation will be "Christ of the Cow Barn."
 At 11 p.m. St. Paul will offer a special service of lessons and carols, prepared for the occasion by choir director Bruce Galbraith, and organist Ron Renz. As part of this service, the Chancel Choir will sing a number of Christmas anthems including "Christmas Candle" with Win Kanter as soloist, and "Coventry Carol" with Joanne Jarvis as soloist. This service will also include Holy Communion.
 The Community is invited to worship at any or all of these services.

BIGGY
 Anacondas, the longest snakes in the world, sometimes grow to 98 feet and weigh up to 600 pounds.

Most Students Re-admitted . . .

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 (other than Lixey, Collins and O'Neill) and, school officials said, there was cause greater than participation in the strike for his continued suspension.
 According to one administrator, the conferences being conducted as a condition of re-admittance are expected to end prior to the Christmas vacation.
 When contacted Tuesday afternoon, Straub said that board members had not received any official notification of the date Lixey, Collins and O'Neill will appear before them.
 A public meeting has been scheduled Monday, Dec. 27 at 8 p.m., in the high school auditorium. At that time board members will respond to questions concerning the events that have taken place.

(Continued from page one)
 Randy Seitz, making his first appearance this year, came on strong at the end of his match to win a 3-2 decision. Heavyweight Rod Branham caught his opponent with a fast first-period pin.
 Chelsea's JV's defeated their Lincoln opponents, 34-6, with pin victories being won by Steve Straub, Mike Merkel, Ron Adams, Paul Brown, Dennis Barker, and Howard Schenk.
 Decision victories were recorded by Mark Pennington, 5-3, Steve Siebert, 10-0, and Ken Keiser, 7-0. Other wrestlers, defeated by their opponents, are Dave Proctor, Dave Hess and Gregg McClain.

Telephone Your Club News To GR 5-3581.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

By LOUIS BURGHARDT

The circumstances of Christ's birth in a manger, the miracle of the Star of Bethlehem, the three wise men and their gifts, are only a prelude to the spiritual reality of Christmas.

It takes the complete story of His life, from birth to crucifixion, and particularly His three short years of ministry, to reveal the entire spiritual reality of Christmas. At Christmas we of course honor the Man who was born on Christmas. (It actually was not on that date, but that is unimportant . . . We still celebrate His birthday) . . . We dishonor His birthday with monstrous sham and artificiality, if we accept Him and His teachings on Christmas and reject Him a day or week later.

The spiritual reality of Christmas is really a story about a way of life. When we scuttle His way of life and refuse His presence in our hearts on other days, we dishonor Him — and ourselves . . . Our sincere Christmas wish for all of you who read this is that you have a Very Merry Christmas on December 25 — AND the spiritual reality of it every day thereafter . . . BURGHARDT FUNERAL HOME, 214 East Middle St., Chelsea, Mich. Phone GR 5-4141.

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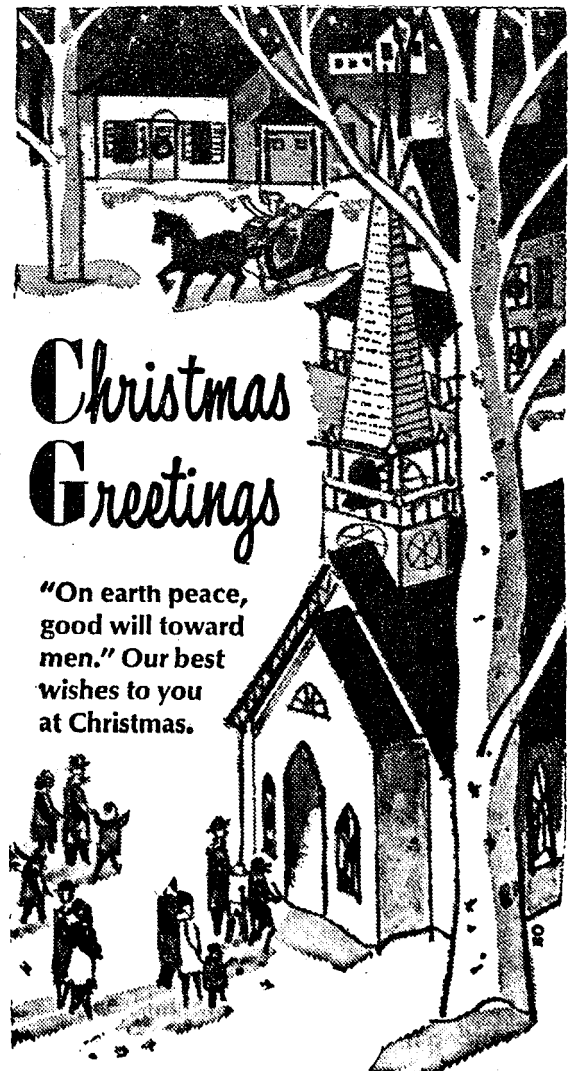
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Community Calendar

DECEMBER							1971
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Chelsea Rebekah Lodge officers installation Jan. 4, 8 p.m.

Association for Children with Social and Learning Difficulties general meeting Thursday, Jan. 6, 3 p.m., at AOSLD Cooperative Service Center, 1575 Miller Ave., Ann Arbor. Shirley Lehnis, learning Disabilities Consultant for the Washtenaw Intermediate School District, will hold a workshop on materials and activities to assist parents in entertaining and aiding their individual child in spare time at home. For more information call 781-8182.

Inquiries regarding the Chelsea blood bank may be directed to Harold Jones in the event that Mrs. Dudley Holmes is unavailable, or to Mrs. Pauline McKenna, American Red Cross in Ann Arbor, 971-5300.

Larry Blackwell Home for Christmas From Navy Training

Seaman Larry R. Blackwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy R. Blackwell, 418 Wellington, is home for 14 days after nine weeks of recruit training at Great Lakes, Ill. Before enlisting in the Navy, Seaman Blackwell graduated from Chelsea High school and attended Eastern Michigan University for two years.

Upon returning to Great Lakes after his leave, Seaman Blackwell will attend Basic Electricity school for six weeks. He will then proceed to Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla., for eight weeks of Tompdomans Mate "A" school.

While in recruit training Seaman Blackwell was the Recruit Company Commander of his company. He was directly under the Company Commander and was responsible for all orders given concerning the welfare and training of his company.

TOPS Club at library, Wednesday afternoon group, 12:30 p.m. For information call 426-4549; Tuesday evening group, 8 p.m. For information call 476-8952.

American Legion and Auxiliary hospital equipment available by contacting Don O'Dell at 475-.

Power Failure Wednesday Slows Down Busy Pace

Wednesday morning may have left an "Alice in Wonderland" feeling with some Chelsea residents for a while.

An early morning broken circuit, repaired by Light & Water Dept. workers within minutes, left clocks on the southwest side of town about 15 minutes behind time.

One village worker reported lingering over a last cup of coffee because he didn't want to arrive too early, and then found, as he reached downtown, that he was 15 minutes late.

\$100 Fine Levied For Littering

Lawrence Scruggs, Caro, was ticketed July 8 by Chelsea Police for littering. Scruggs didn't appear in court when scheduled, and was arrested by Ann Arbor Police Monday.

When Scruggs appeared in 14th District Court later that day, he was ordered to pay \$100 fine and costs or spend 10 days in jail.

CAREFUL WITH COMMA! That old carol really isn't "God Rest You, Merry Gentlemen," but "God Rest (Keep) You Merry, Gentlemen."

DEATHS

Carl H. Centilli

Retired Chrysler Employee Dies After Long Illness

Carl H. Centilli, 59, 2200 Fuller Rd., Ann Arbor, formerly of Chelsea, died Dec. 16 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor following a long illness. Born June 30, 1912 in Chicago, Ill. he was the son of Ben and Edna Morrison Centilli.

He married Frances Schnipke in 1935. She survives. He worked for Chrysler Corp. for 21 years, retiring in 1967. He was a member of St. Mary church of Chelsea.

He is survived by his widow; one son, James R. of Chelsea; one daughter, Mrs. Brian (Lana) Leisinger of Grass Lake; one sister, Mrs. Mildred Cross of Kalamazoo; three grandchildren and one nephew.

Funeral services were held Monday, Dec. 20 at 11 a.m. at St. Mary church with the Rev. Fr. Francis Wahowiak officiating. Burial followed in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

The rosary was recited Sunday, 7:30 p.m. at Staffan Funeral Home.

George R. Young

Waterloo Village Resident Dies After Long Illness

George R. Young, 64, 15736 Waterloo Rd., Waterloo, died Dec. 16 at the Chelsea Medical Center following a long illness. Born Sept. 14, 1887 in Columbia City, Ind., he was a son of David and Louise Montavin Young. He married Florence Hummel May 19, 1912.

Mr. Young operated an automobile repair business in Wayne from 1920 until moving to Waterloo at the time of his retirement in 1953. He had served in the U.S. Army in Alaska prior to World War I.

He is survived by his widow; one son, Richard Young of San Jose, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Willard (Louise) Kuhl of LaPorte, Ind., and Mrs. Frank (Janice) Kelley of Wayne; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

One son, Robert, preceded him in death, as did one sister and two brothers.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Monday, Dec. 20 at the Burghard Funeral Home with the Rev. Wilbur Silvestri of Naves Junction officiating. Burial followed in Glenwood Cemetery, Wayne.

Ivadel A. Moore

Dearborn Resident Had Long Vacation in Area

Ivadel A. Moore, 74, of Dearborn, died Monday, Dec. 20 in Ford Hospital, Detroit, following a long illness.

Among the survivors are one nephew, John B. Moore, Jr., of Chelsea, and two nieces, Mrs. Edward (Katherine), Cushman and Barbara Johnson, both of Dearborn.

The retired school teacher vacationed for many years at North Lake.

Funeral services will be held today, Thursday, Dec. 23 at 1 p.m. at Christ Episcopal church in Dearborn. Burial will follow at Northview Cemetery, Dearborn.

Mrs. R. M. Gebhardt

Lima Township Resident Dies at Ann Arbor Hospital

Mrs. Reinhold M. Gebhardt, 64, 10110 Waters Rd., Ann Arbor, died Dec. 16 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor.

Born Jan. 5, 1907 in Lima township, she was the daughter of John and Clara Haarer Mayer. She married Reinhold Gebhardt Aug. 15, 1936. He survives. They moved to the Waters Rd. address in 1941.

She is survived by her husband; two sons, Albert, of Manchester, and Karl at home; one daughter, Mrs. Jack (Elaine) Creech of Manchester, and four grandchildren.

Also surviving are five sisters: Mrs. Elsie Caplain, Ann Arbor; Mrs. Herman (Alma) Renau, Ann Arbor; Mrs. Elmer (Lela) Alber of Clinton; Mrs. Max (Marie) Klempert, and Mrs. Irene Nelson, of Chelsea.

Funeral services were held Sunday, Dec. 19 at 2 p.m. at the Bethel church with the Rev. Roman Reineck officiating. Burial followed in Bethel Church Cemetery.

Telephone Your Club News To GR 5-3581.

Miss Ida May Harland

Former Detroit Nurse Dies at Methodist Home

Miss Ida May Harland, 95, Chelsea United Methodist Home, died Dec. 16 at the Chelsea Community Hospital.

Born July 13, 1886 in Seaford, Ont., Canada, she was the daughter of George and Sarah Tune Harland.

She was a graduate nurse and worked at Grace Hospital in Detroit before her retirement. She came to the United Methodist Home in September, 1958.

She is survived by three nephews, Harland Burr of Livonia, John Kenyon of Detroit and Clarence Page of Southfield.

Funeral services were held Monday, Dec. 20 at 10 a.m. at the Chelsea Methodist Home Chapel with the Rev. Richard Clemens officiating. Burial followed in Woodlawn Cemetery, Detroit.

BIRTHS

A son, Aaron Scott, to Mr. and Mrs. John L. Schorsch, 1304 Ridge Rd.

A daughter, Kimberly Ann, Dec. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Callison of Saline. Mrs. Callison is the former Jane Scott of Chelsea. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott of Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Callison of Livonia.

A son, Kyle Brandon, Dec. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Max Plank.

WOMEN ON FACULTY

Women will occupy 14.6 percent of Michigan State University's faculty positions by the end of the 1973-74 school year if hiring goals now set are met. Currently there are 250 women (11.4 percent) in the MSU tenure system.



OH SANTA: Was it awe, fear, wonder, just plain impishness, or a tough time remembering just what it was that he wanted to say to Santa that provoked the finger-in-mouth response from this unidentified boy, one of 269 kids at the Dana Christmas party Saturday. In addition to talking with Santa, the kids saw cartoons, had refreshments, and received presents from Santa's helpers.



Christmastime, and once again we pause to wish good friends all the special joys and blessings of the season. May your Day bring an abundance of happiness and peace.

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Intangible Gifts Are Bringing Givers Most Real, Lasting Pleasure

Among the treasurers and pleasers of Christmas, gifts loom large—as all who greet the Yuletide as a season of laughter and a time to be glad of heart well know.

Tangible gifts, large and small, have their place in the holiday scheme of things. They're the outgoing expression of the generous Christmas spirit.

It's the intangible gifts, though, that seem to shine most radiantly, Christmas after Christmas.

The delighted smiles of children and the wonder in their eyes, the privilege of aiding the less fortunate, the opportunity to cherish and strengthen friendships and

family ties, the renewed spirituality, the solid foundations of health, happiness and love, faith and hope—these are the intangible gifts.

Blessed indeed is the Christmas that brings an abundance of such gifts!

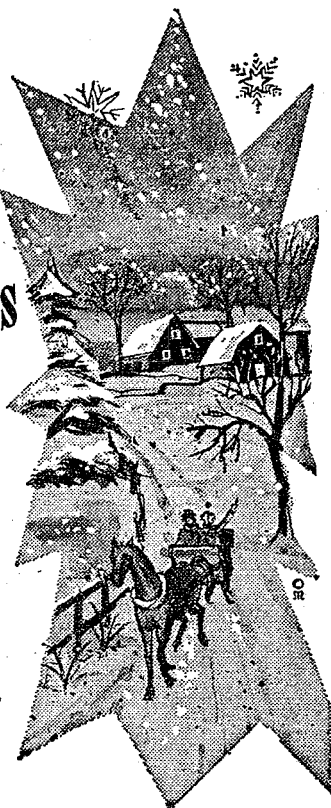
Inspires Music

In serious music as well as popular carols, the Nativity scene lives on.

Handel's "Messiah," Bach's "Christmas Oratorio," Berlioz' "L'Enfance du Christ" are noteworthy examples of music performed year after year at Christmas.

A Very Merry Christmas to All!

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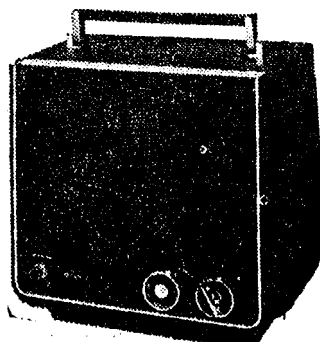
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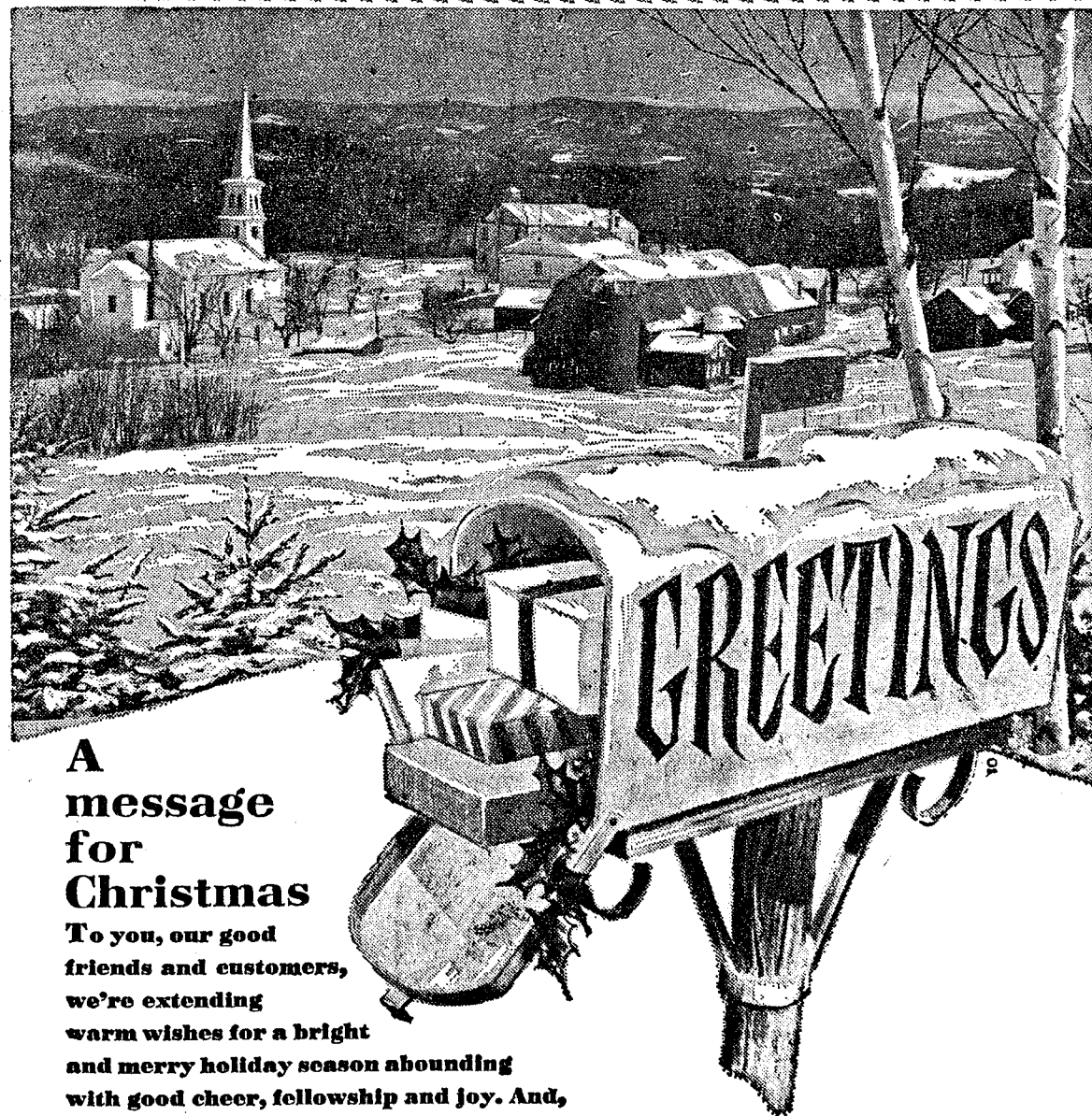
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French Classes Sponsor Carnival

On Friday, Dec. 17, the 8th grade French classes, under the supervision of Mrs. Ron Cummings, sponsored their second annual Beach School carnival. The students set up booths and sold such items as balloons, string snow flakes, lollipops, paper and plastic flowers and baked goods. Among the most popular booths were the fortune telling booth, the jail, the money toss booth, and the fish pond. A special feature of the carnival was an auction, with Craig Sprague as auctioneer, where stuffed animals were sold, and volunteering students were sold as "slaves." Highlight of the carnival was the drawing for two large stuffed animals donated by Frigid Products, Chelsea Hardware, Strieter's Men's Wear, Murphy's Barber Shop, D. Bolanowski and Schneider's Grocery. Winners of the animals were Laura Rademacher and Cindy Miller.

School Board Briefs

Present at the special Board of Education meeting Dec. 27 were Trustees Irwin, Straub, Schafer, Haselschwardt, Koenn, Smith, Superintendent Cameron, Business Manager Mills, Principals Lane, Conklin, Wojcicki, Benedict, Assistant Principal Lapinowski and many guests. Gerald Straub was elected temporary chairman in the absence of President William Storey. The meeting was then recessed and ordered to reconvene in the auditorium to accommodate the many people who were in attendance. The people were present to discuss the student sit-in which occurred Dec. 15 and resulted in the suspension of 223 students. Since some of the students have not met with the administrators for their conferences it was felt that to open the meeting to questions and answers would be unfair to the students who may choose to make an appeal to the board. Many people took advantage of the opportunity though to air their feelings regarding the incident. It is anticipated that the student-parent-administrator conferences will soon be completed, so a meeting is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 27 at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium to answer questions from the community. Motion by Koenn, supported by James Wencel on Olivet Wrestling Team.

James Wencel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore J. Wencel, 115 Island Lake Rd., a freshman at Olivet College, is on the Comet wrestling team this year. Wencel, a 126-lb. wrestler, is a graduate of Chelsea high school, where he participated in football, baseball and wrestling.

READY FOR YULE "Christmas tree" is the actual name of a plant that grows in New Zealand.

Kirk and Todd Eubanks, Troy Otto, Kenneth Richard Cobb, Alisa Sherman, Linda Wilson, Dele Petsch, Judy, Dan, Tom and Evelyn Wesley, Carolyn Chandler, Glenn Prinzing, Annette, Perry, Japhne and Melinda Fletcher, Nancy and Jose Pax, Ricky and Jimmy Cook, Candy Farmer, Joey and Mike Merkel, Debbie Garman, Michelle and Jimmy, Sheri and Todd Rowe, Tina Straub, Steve Kropf, Jane Wood, Kenny and Ricky Smith, Joanne Maynard, Brian and Anita Farley, Todd Guenther, and Lisa D., thank you all for your letters. Think of me throughout the year. The spirit of Christmas can be yours at any time. May peace, love and understanding be yours, Santa.

BEFORE TURKEY Roast peacock was a Yule delicacy of early England.

TO ALL... MERRY CHRISTMAS Christmas is here! Hope it brings you and your loved ones a bounty of good cheer.

FOSTER'S MEN'S WEAR BOB - DAVE - TOM

SEASON'S GREETINGS

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BEACH CARNIVAL: Beach school's 8th grade French classes held the second annual Beach School Carnival Friday afternoon, a colorful affair with fortune tellers, a money toss, a "slave" auction, and, best of all, a drawing for two large stuffed animals. Shown here with the animals are (left to right) front: Sue Morrison, Beth Hoover, Pam Siebert, and Sherry Moore. Second row: Cindy Giffen, Michele Blanchard and Laura Rademacher, winner of one dog. Last row: Lisa Schrader, Kathy Fairbanks, Karen Tobin, Jennie Rady and Liz Haselschwardt. Cindy Miller, winner of the other dog, is missing from the picture.

Holiday Has Long Been Favorite Theme for Writers

Whenever the talk turns to Christmas books and stories, somebody's sure to mention Charles Dickens.

His "Christmas Carol," published in 1843, is synonymous with holiday conviviality, and its underlying theme stresses the spiritual truths and blessings of the Nativity.

"God bless us, every one," cried Tiny Tim Cratchit, and the cry still echoes.

While Dickens may be a word for Christmas, many another author has written of this religious festival and merry feast.

Among the best known examples may be scenes from children's literature.

Louisa May Alcott's "Little Women," published 1868, may seem old-fashioned in some ways, but girls today still rejoice in the story of Meg, Jo, Beth, and Amy.

These fictional heroines come to life for their readers, and never more so than in the Christmas-

season story that opens the book, when the March family gave up a festive breakfast for a poor family.

While they breakfasted on bread and milk, the girls felt they truly feasted, for they knew the joy of sharing.

Another old favorite is Kate Douglas Wiggin's "The Birds' Christmas Carol," of 1897.

Though better known as the author of "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," she wrote this brief but touching story of the Birds' invalid child, whose short life exemplified the principles of Christmas.

In the present day, the American author Truman Capote, who claims the invention of a new literary form, the non-fiction novel, has written of Christmas, too.

His "A Christmas Memory," a short story, appeared as a television drama in 1966.

Dennis Brown Scores High in Collegiate Wrestling Tournament

Dennis Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown, 16455 Winters Rd., now a sophomore at Grand Rapids Junior College, placed third in the heavyweight class at the Michigan Collegiate Wrestling tournament held at Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti, Saturday, Dec. 18.

Brown, a 1969 graduate of Chelsea High school, was a high school wrestler and football player.

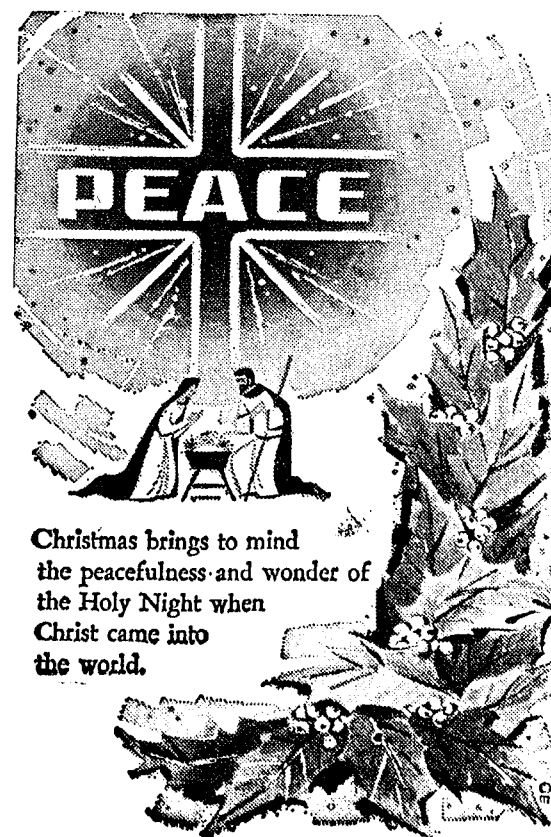
Santa Sends Thank You To Children

Kids always visit and write Santa at Christmas time. This year, Santa sent a letter to the children of Chelsea. It was brought to The Standard by one of Santa's local helpers, a Chelsea Jaycee.

Dear Children, I want to thank you for your visits and letters. It is the love of all children everywhere that keeps the spirit of Christmas alive, and if I am anything at all I am that spirit.

Kirk and Todd Eubanks, Troy Otto, Kenneth Richard Cobb, Alisa Sherman, Linda Wilson, Dele Petsch, Judy, Dan, Tom and Evelyn Wesley, Carolyn Chandler, Glenn Prinzing, Annette, Perry, Japhne and Melinda Fletcher, Nancy and Jose Pax, Ricky and Jimmy Cook, Candy Farmer, Joey and Mike Merkel, Debbie Garman, Michelle and Jimmy, Sheri and Todd Rowe, Tina Straub, Steve Kropf, Jane Wood, Kenny and Ricky Smith, Joanne Maynard, Brian and Anita Farley, Todd Guenther, and Lisa D., thank you all for your letters. Think of me throughout the year. The spirit of Christmas can be yours at any time. May peace, love and understanding be yours, Santa.

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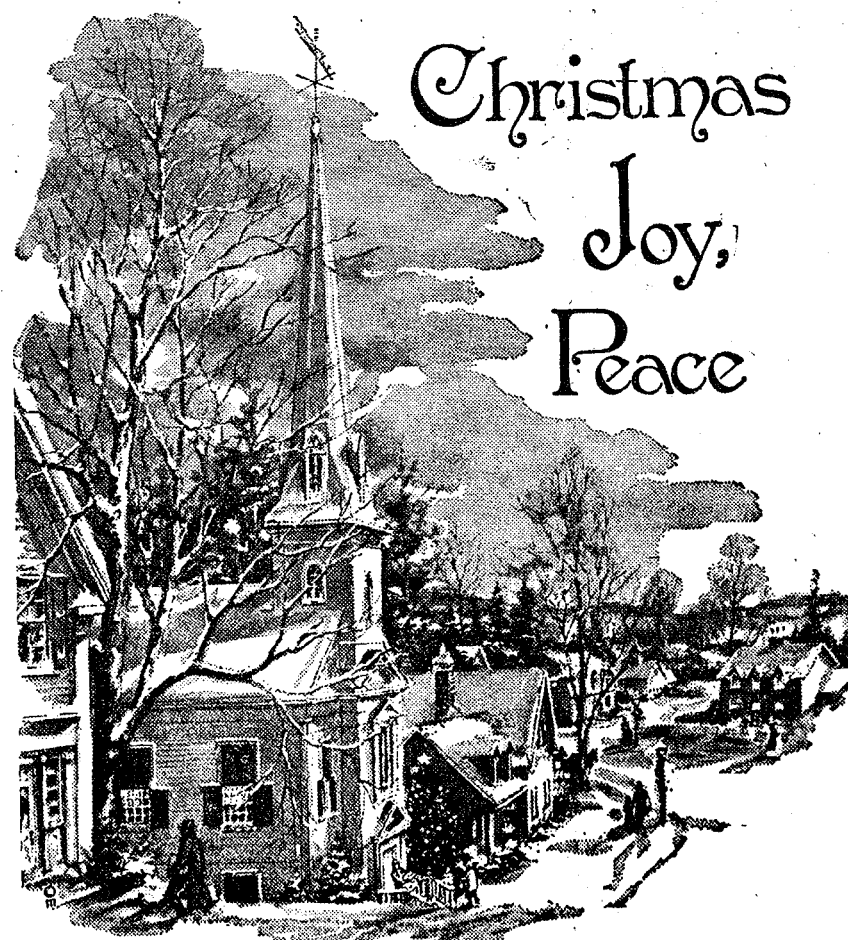
Christmas brings to mind the peacefulness and wonder of the Holy Night when Christ came into the world.

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My Grateful Thanks . . .

. . . To all who have sent me Christmas cards and various holiday remembrances

. . . To Koinonia and other circles of St. Paul church for gifts and cards during the year

. . . To all my friends and neighbors, especially "Skip," Eve and Leon Wheeler and Dick and Virginia Harvey for many helpful kindnesses.

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Letters to the Editor

To Whom It May Concern:
I'm very sorry that the beautiful Christmas music that was being played in my front yard "disturbed" you!

I am very ashamed also to think that I have a neighbor such as you!

It is no wonder that today's teenagers are turning to other sources for sympathy and understanding when some adults have to resort to phoning the police every time they do try to do something nice for someone else! Maybe you would have been happier to see them running around tipping garbage cans, racing in cars or taking dope.

Today's teenager has a rough road ahead of them. You must be the person who always believes that they "could be up to no good" and so you have refused to believe your eyes and ears and refuse to open your hearts!

I'm sorry their donation to this Christmas season had to be marred by you! I'm especially sorry that my children had to be witness to the police telling the boys that someone had complained about them playing Christmas carols! I'm sure the officers on duty were just as ashamed to have to answer your call. I'm also sorry that my children, husband and myself were interrupted from listening to this generous teacher and his wonderful group of boys playing Christmas carols by your very uncalled for and very "sick" phone call—yes, I said teacher and boys. Maybe you should have taken time out from your dialing to notice an adult teacher (new to this community) had organized this outing! What a beautiful impression you made. These boys played carols all over town and you called the police to come because they were bothering you! I hope I never find out your name because I have a very long memory!

Are you sick, jealous, or just the original "Scrooge"? Any way I have apologized for your very rude behavior to the boys and I'm sure that they will be much more understanding and generous than you will ever be.

May I salute you Scrooge,
Barbara Clark.

Dear Editor:

On Monday evening after the portion of the School Board Meeting that was held in the school auditorium was over, the Board reconvened in the Administration Building to continue their meeting. During this part of the meeting it was decided by the Board



JUNE WEDDING PLANS: Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Curtis announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol, to Marvin E. Teed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Teed. Miss Curtis is a senior at Chelsea High school. Her fiancé graduated from Chelsea High in 1971 and is employed by Teed Well Drilling. A June wedding is being planned.

Engagement Told for Lisa Rae Peffers

Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Peffers of Ann Arbor, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa Rae, to Edward T. Blacklaw. Mr. Blacklaw is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blacklaw, McKinley St., Chelsea.

Nice Rice

Try cooking rice with equal amounts of water and apple juice for a nice winter change, suggests a Michigan State University marketing specialist.

Apple juice adds a special tang to rice, Mrs. Maryann Beckman reports. And both rice and apple juice are reasonably priced right now.

Serve the dish with pork roast for a special treat.

Because candy canes have the legendary ability to ward off evil, they became part of Christmas, bringing good.

to have a public meeting on Monday, Dec. 27, at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium. The board stated that at this time they would answer the questions that were asked of it at last Monday's meeting.

I urge all members of the community to attend.
Betty L. O'Neill
130 Clardale Court

Granddaughter of E. W. Eatons Married Saturday in Jackson

Elizabeth Ann Eaton, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Eaton, 160 E. Middle St., became the bride of Gary Peter Holbein, Saturday in St. John United Church of Christ, Jackson.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Eaton of Jackson and the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Peter Holbein of South Haven, were united by the Rev. James Freeman of Toledo, O., a friend of the Eaton family.

The bride chose a Victorian-style gown of ivory satin with lace and velvet trim; a floral headpiece held her illusion veil.

James R. Holbein and Janet E. Eaton were honor attendants for their brother and sister. Other attendants were Paul T. and Mark J. Holbein and Bruce E. Eaton, brothers of the couple; Robert R. Green, Monica A. Green and Leslie L. Clune.

Guests were greeted by the newlyweds at a reception in Bill Cone's restaurant, Jackson.

Among the guests were an aunt of the bride, Mrs. Charles V. Stamper of Lombard, Calif., formerly of Chelsea, Mrs. Max Hepburn and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Eaton of Chelsea. Miss Cindy Hepburn of Ann Arbor, and the David Eaton family of Kalamazoo.

The couple will reside at 124 S. Main, Olivet, while they complete their senior year at Olivet College.

Senior Citizens Have Combined Christmas, Birthday Party

Senior Citizens held their combined Christmas and December birthday party Thursday, Dec. 16. A pot-luck dinner for 30 members was served.

Celebrating December birthdays were Charles Bycraft, John Holzoffer, Florence Merkel, Bernice Schneider, Margaret Dietle, Nina Lehmann and Emma Seitz.

The birthday table was decorated with a birthday cake and Christmas decorations.

Following the dinner, members heard Christmas readings, sang Christmas carols, accompanied by Mrs. Holzoffer on the accordion, and exchanged gifts.

Serving on the party committee were Mrs. Erma Hart, Katharine Kusterer and Annette Vail.

There will be no fun night Friday, Dec. 24 or Friday, Dec. 31.

LYNDON STUDY GROUP

The Lyndon Study group held its last meeting of the year—a Christmas pot-luck—Dec. 16. Sixteen members were present.

Mrs. Robert Bassett, chairman, opened the meeting with the extension creed. Cards were sent to three members, Mrs. Winnie Ulrich, Mrs. Lawrence Shanahan, and Mrs. Cal Summers, who are ill.

The table was decorated with a Christmas theme. Gifts were exchanged, and Christmas music played.

Lyndon Study group will not meet again until the third Thursday in March.



Mrs. Gary Peter Holbein

Christmas Playlet Presented for Phoebe Circle Members

Mrs. James Hoffmeyer was hostess for the Christmas meeting of the Phoebe Circle of the United Methodist Church on Dec. 15. At 1 p.m. salad luncheon was served to 16 members by Mrs. Hoffmeyer and co-hostess Mrs. George Stanford.

Mrs. Ben Donaldson presided at the business meeting.

Cards of thanks from Mrs. Lloyd Merrell and the "Heart and Hand House," in Philippi, W. Va., were read.

Mrs. Raymond Schairer presented the program. She read the call to worship from St. Luke 2:6. A Christmas playlet, taken from the November issue of Response Magazine entitled "I Give You Something To Make You Wise," was presented.

Mrs. Schairer was assisted in the presentation by seven circle members. Each gave a reading and presented a symbol, and when all were given, they completed a creche on the table.

It was said that Christmas may be beautiful if symbols are used thoughtfully and with meaning. Christmas carols were sung intermittently by all present.

Mrs. Schairer closed with a prayer.

The Jan. 19 meeting will be held in the Church Educational Unit. Mrs. Lyman Adams and Mrs. Clarence Lillie will hostess.

Piano Pupils Appear In Recital Friday Nite

Miss Violet Bahnmler presented her piano pupils in a Christmas recital Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hemingway in Dexter.

Taking part in the program were Kip Hemingway, Kathie Quigley, Shelly Anger, Tracy Anger, Christine Ehmanns, Danny Chuba and Karen, Tad and Mike Steinbach of Dexter, along with Michelle Hellner, Nancy Hepburn, Robin and Grieg Gillespie of Chelsea.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of the program.



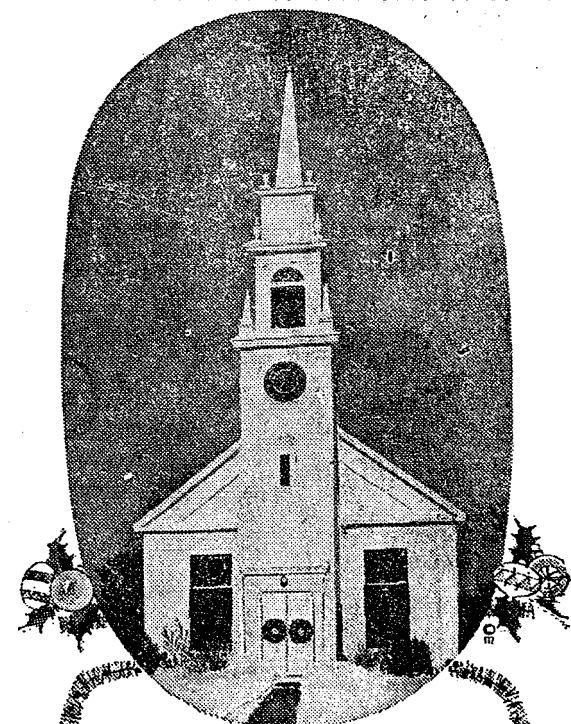
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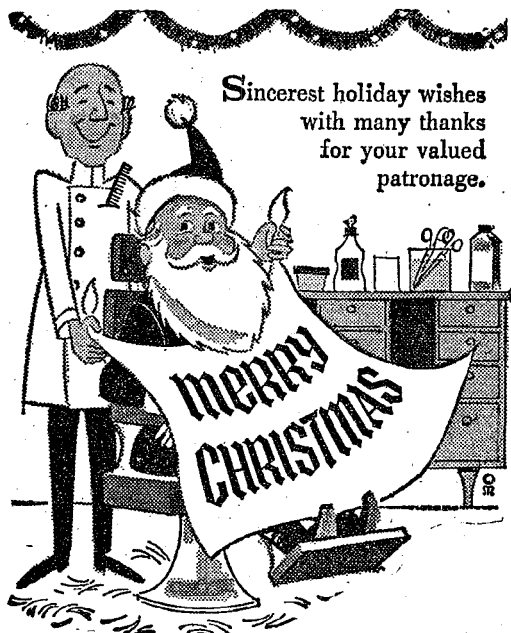


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Letters to the Editor

Dear Sir,

I would like to stand up and
 be counted as being for three
 brave boys who are being per-
 secuted by our school adminis-
 tration as being to blame for all the
 trouble at the Chelsea High
 school.

1. I would like the public to
 read the letter the boys wrote and
 were not ashamed to sign their
 name to it. If you read the let-
 ter you will see that they took
 every step they could to avoid
 a sit-in.

2. To people who know these
 boys they are so soft spoken, it
 is difficult to hear them speak in
 a crowd, let alone imagine them
 inciting anyone to make trouble.
 Also, at no time have they ever
 wanted anything but a peaceful
 protest that they were not able to
 communicate with the school of-
 ficials.

3. They wrote this letter and
 took their own money for postage,
 all the free time, between work-
 ing to try to reach as many par-
 ents of children involved as was
 possible in such a short time.

4. Our school is being run under
 threat of either expulsion or all
 school privileges denied if the
 students who were suspended do
 not do everything according to the
 rules of the administration.

5. These rules are ironclad and
 not to be questioned by either
 parent or child.

6. Punishment is decided by two
 people, Mr. Cameron and Mr. Lane.
 What right do these two men
 have to decide on punishment that
 has concerned so many for so
 many years?

7. Talk to any former gradu-
 ating class of Chelsea High school
 and hear the bitterness of these
 young people towards Chelsea High
 school.

8. Many students are too in-
 timidated to stand up and be
 counted, but we still have a lot
 who are not.

9. Do we want to turn our
 children over to a leftist party
 because we do not want to listen
 to them?

10. These kids will be heard,
 wait for the next election. Like
 Hitler, we will lose them all to
 a party that will listen.

11. Let's come forward and lis-
 ten and then decide who is wrong.

Mrs. Virginia Catterman,
 a very concerned taxpayer and
 mother.
 Mrs. Harry Catterman.
 Harry D. Catterman.

**Statement by the Student Council
 of Chelsea High School
 Concerning the Strike**

In order to let our side be heard,
 we have written this letter to all
 concerned parents. Your child has
 been suspended from school for
 not returning to classes on the
 afternoon of Dec. 15.

When Mr. Lane was asked by
 the student representatives to call
 a meeting with all involved par-
 ents, the students and himself, he
 refused. We feel he refused be-
 cause he is afraid to talk to the
 parents and students as a whole.
 As the situation stands now, each
 set of parents will be called in-
 dividually and will be given an
 appointment as to when they can
 come in with their child and talk
 to Mr. Lane. There are 223 stu-
 dents suspended. This is going to
 take a long time.

On Nov. 24 the students passed
 the proposal to have a group
 called the UP to play for the
 Christmas dance. On Dec. 1 we
 received permission from Mr. Lane
 for the group to play at the
 school. On Dec. 3 the band was
 contracted to play for the school,
 for \$200. On the following Mon-
 day Mr. Lane told us he had
 changed his mind and told the
 student council to break the con-
 tract. His reason was that his
 "superiors" had advised him to
 call off the dance. When the
 School Board and Mr. Cameron
 were asked about it, they said
 they knew nothing about it. The
 other reason given was that there
 was supposedly trouble with a
 private light show that accompa-
 nied the band when they played at
 Chelsea before. The light show
 passed out so-called leftist pam-
 phlets. In response to this, the
 group was contacted and a guar-
 antee was given to Mr. Lane that
 the group would simply play mu-
 sic and nothing else. He was
 guaranteed there would be no
 pamphlets, no light show, nothing
 but music. Mr. Lane still refused.

On Dec. 9 a special meeting
 with the School Board was held.
 Mr. Cameron recommended to the
 board that they uphold the de-
 cision of the administration on the
 grounds that the group was affil-
 iated with the Rainbow People's
 Party in Ann Arbor. In other
 words he recommended that the
 group be discriminated against
 because of their political beliefs.

At the Student Council meeting
 yesterday it was brought out that
 this is not the first time Mr.
 Lane has blocked Student Council
 efforts. This was simply the cli-
 max of a series of events through-
 out the year. For instance, the
 Drug Committee received very
 little co-operation. The student
 committee was formed by the
 faculty, but was constantly har-
 assed by Mr. Lane. The committee
 was not even allowed to circulate
 a drug survey in the school.

The Student Council wanted to
 call a meeting to ask the students
 to quit messing up the cafeteria
 at lunch time. Mr. Lane wouldn't
 even allow that. This was after
 the Student Council had been as-
 ked by Mr. Cameron to help keep
 the lunch room clean.

The Student Council voted to
 have a strike as a last resort. Mr.
 Lane had been asked to either
 honor the contract or find a group
 of equal playing ability. He re-
 fused. Mr. Lane was told that
 Student Council members would
 accompany teacher chaperones in
 order to back them up in case
 of any trouble at all. He still
 refused. There was no alternative
 left but to walk out. The purpose
 of this was to bring the issue to
 the attention of all parents in
 Chelsea. We do not want to run
 the school. We just ask that it
 be run fairly.

We urge all of you parents with
 your son or daughter to attend
 the School Board meeting Mon-
 day night. This is the only way
 the lines of communication will
 ever be opened.

Mark Collins
 Tom Lixey
 Joe O'Neill

It's Entertainment

That carols have always been
 popular music, in the modern
 sense, is illustrated by the mys-
 tery plays of medieval England,
 say the editors of the New Book
 of Knowledge.

At first, carols were sung be-
 tween the acts, just as music
 might be provided during inter-
 mission, at a play or movie.

Soon, people demanded more. In
 response to their enthusiasm, car-
 ols were sung on stage, as part of
 the entertainment.

The leader had a portable organ
 and led the singers in a procession
 across the stage. Swept away by
 the spirit of the carols, the audi-
 ence sometimes joined in, and the
 procession moved into the streets,
 singing.

And today, that same enthusi-
 asm leads people everywhere to
 join in the singing of beloved
 carols.



Mrs. Gary Wesley Ellenwood

**Older Adults Enjoy
 Christmas Party**

Older Adult Group of the Meth-
 odist church held its annual
 Christmas party in the church
 social center Saturday, Dec. 18,
 beginning with a pot-luck dinner
 at 12:30 p.m. A grab bag provided
 Christmas gifts for each of the
 25 persons who attended.

The afternoon program was
 provided by the Rev. and Mrs.
 George Stanford and Mrs. Ray-
 mond Schairer with several mem-
 bers of the group participating.
 The Rev. Stanford told the story
 "The Fourth Wise Man"; Mrs.
 Stanford led group singing of
 Christmas carols with Mrs. Her-
 bert Paul providing piano accom-
 paniment; and Mrs. Schairer's
 presentation was entitled "Let Us
 Give Something To Remember."

Mrs. Paul presided during a
 devotional service.

At the dinner, served at tables
 attractively decorated in keeping
 with the holiday season, birthdays
 of four members were observed.
 They are the Rev. Stanford, Elea-
 nor Schlosser, Irma Van Valken-
 berg and Nancy Taylor. A birth-
 day cake served in their honor
 was provided by Mrs. Lyman
 Adams. Candy canes were favors
 at each place at the table.

The committee in charge of the
 dinner included Mrs. Paul, Mrs.
 Hilda Pierce, Mrs. Viola Knoll
 and Mrs. Coffron.

The next meeting is scheduled
 for Jan. 15 in the church social
 center.

**Ruth Circle Installs
 New Slate of Officers**

Ruth Circle of the United Meth-
 odist church held its regular
 monthly meeting, a noon pot-luck,
 Dec. 15. Mrs. Douglas Hoppe and
 Mrs. Roy Kalmbach were hostess-
 es.

Mrs. Calvin Summers opened
 the meeting with a prayer. A col-
 lection for the Methodist Chil-
 dren's village was taken and regu-
 lar business attended to.

Mrs. Calvin Summers, outgo-
 ing chairman, conducted the in-
 stallation of new officers: Mrs.
 Douglas Hoppe, chairman; Mrs.
 Edwin Gaunt, co-chairman; Mrs.
 Ralph McCalla, treasurer; Mrs.
 Guy Barton, secretary; and Mrs.
 Roy Kalmbach, sunshine chair-
 man.

Mrs. Stanley Bond presented a
 program entitled "Reminiscence
 of Christmas," from the book
 Starlight and Candle Glow.

During the afternoon members
 of the circle shared memories of
 other places where they have liv-
 ed and spent other Christmases.

The next meeting will be held
 Jan. 19 with Mrs. Roy Bohenna
 and Mrs. Erwin Klumpp as host-
 esses and Mrs. Dan Ewald as
 leader.

**Linda Everett
 Is Bride of
 Gary Ellenwood**

Linda Lou Everett and Gary
 Wesley Ellenwood were married
 Saturday in DeWitt Community
 church.

The bride is the daughter of
 Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Cary Ev-
 erett of DeWitt. The bridegroom
 is the son of Mrs. Wesley Ellen-
 wood of Chelsea and the late Mr.
 Ellenwood.

Miss Kathleen Keppler of Al-
 lendale, N. J. was maid of honor.
 Bridesmaids were Miss Rita Sher-
 rod of Chicago, Ill.; Miss Beth
 Everett, the bride's sister; Miss
 Ruth Smith; and Miss Collyn
 Munroe.

Keith Kuester of Chelsea was
 best man. Groomsman were Ralph
 Geil of Inlay City, Warren Ha-
 genbuch of Blissfield, Tom Barto-
 zek of Manistee and Bob Smith
 of Scottville.

Ushers were the bride's broth-
 ers, Harmon, Warren and Robert
 Everett; and Terry Ellenwood of
 Chelsea, brother of the bride-
 groom.

Patty Lusty of DeWitt was
 flower girl.

Special guests were Mrs. Gracie
 Case of Chelsea, grandmother of
 the bridegroom, and Claude Lew-
 sader of Okemos, grandfather of
 the bride.

After honeymooning in the Vir-
 gin Islands, the newlyweds will
 make their home in East Lan-
 sing.

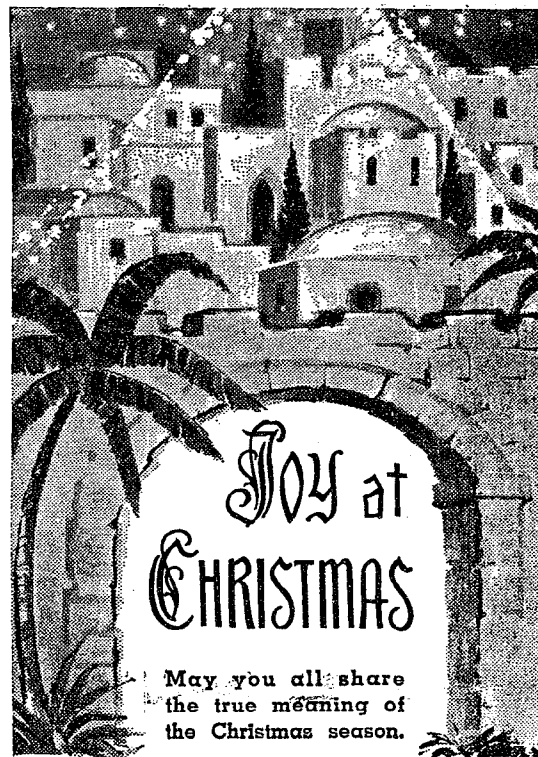


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**Joy at
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Christmas Greetings

To the happy tempo of jingling bells,
 we sing out a cheery "Merry Christmas" to all.
 Best wishes for a season filled with good health and
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 throughout the house.

Add two dozen stars and one graceful
 Christmas tree.

Take a generous spray of mistletoe, an
 armload of holly, and a full measure
 of snow laid in curved hills along
 the window sills.

Toss in a Christmas carol, and season
 well with good will and friendly
 laughter.

Light the candles, "one for adoration,
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Let the first burn brightly, and may
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The yield: one happy Christmas.

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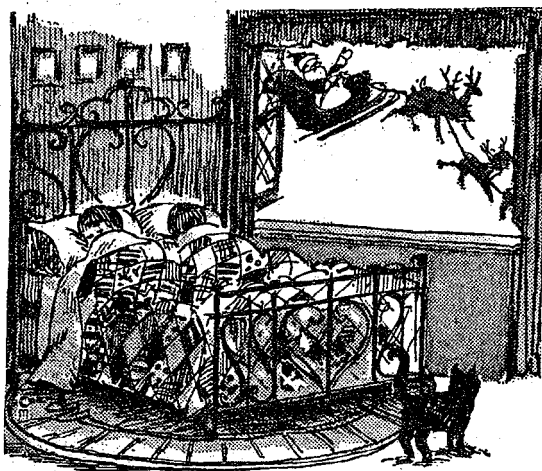
Origin of the word "carol" itself seems to trace back to the French word, "caroler" meaning to dance, and carols of yesteryear may have been sung by carolers dancing in a circle.

Full of rejoicing, the carols we sing today literally dance with holiday merriment.

Singing 'Wassail'

Traditionally, carols go with the feasting and toasting that are part of holiday cheer, for a "wassail bowl" is any festive beverage, and a "wassail" is also a carol.

The "wassail" was one of the earlier forms of English carol—named, probably, for the Anglo-Saxon "weshal," translated as "to be hale or hearty."

**'Twas the Night Before Christmas**

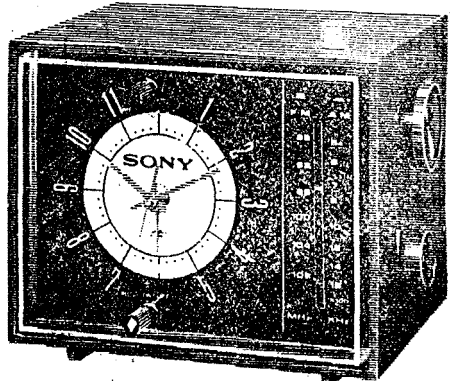
At this happy moment of the year, we pause to greet you and do wish you a Christmas filled with delight.

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Letters to the Editor**To The Editor:**

We all know that learning the three R's is only one part of our formal schooling. Another part is learning to live and function within the framework of an organized society. Anarchy, the only alternative, is unacceptable.

These young people who are directly involved with the discord at the high school are bright students, many are among the brightest. Certainly, they are aware that the rock group in question was previously found to be unacceptable to the administration. This is hardly an issue important enough to jeopardize anything

as important as an educational career. It is one of the major functions of being a parent to guide our young people into the knowledge of what is important enough to fight for. Like peace on earth. Like love for mankind and an all-out effort for the improvement of our environment. When we, as parents, can distinguish the important things in life, we will be more effective in helping to guide the generation which has the best chance of accomplishing society's major goals of any generation in the history of the world.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gaunt.

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Merkel's**Dear Editor:**

It is with much concern that I read of the suspension of nearly 200 high school students. As school administrators, you must surely have your sagacious heads in the sand! There seems to be at least two issues which triggered this action—first, you decided not to allow the students to hire the band of their choice, second, the manner in which you enforced the first decision was very poorly handled.

Have you so little faith in these students not to allow them free choice? The foundations of their morals and life styles were formed years ago by their parents. Are you so presumptuous to think a rock band with or without provocative political leaning can seriously harm these students? What better time is there than now for student exposure to those who would propose various politics and mores?

Our students are certainly aware that this particular band would cause anxiety among those who are afraid of anything not related to mom, apple pie and the flag. Nevertheless, those of a more mature stature will gladly discuss these politics and life styles with their children and students and perhaps point out the fallacies of their content.

Within two weeks, youngsters who are 18 will become full fledged registered voters and legally responsible for their acts. Your example of dictatorial proclamation is hardly a good learning example. We are not educating students to respond like sheep or cattle without question or logic, but hopefully like responsible citizens. Going back on your word is hardly a sign of good leadership. Wild threats such as, "Some students may not be back in school until June," are equally poor. Where is the mutual respect and trust? What about punishment fitting the crime? What would you have done if violence had occurred?

If we look for some good in all things, we find the following: although the administration bungled an opportunity to work closely with their charges and exposed their own shallow concepts of democracy, they made one good point—at sometime in everyone's life, you are faced with the concepts of "city hall" or "company policy" which, like Topsy, is just there. How one might react to these bastions of idiocy depends on how much you want to get involved. Each parent is primarily interested in their own child—and rightly so. But, couldn't parents take this opportunity to work with the students to face these issues together?

The administration answers to the school board who answers to the voting citizens. Perhaps a citizens' committee should look closely at this board.

William Hawks, Jr.

Dear Citizens of Chelsea,

As a concerned parent and taxpayer of the community I wonder about the situation that has arisen in our school.

Have we all lost respect for our school, the school administration, teachers and the school board. We have elected the school board to help the administration carry out how our schools should be run and how our tax money should be spent. Would we want our money spent to help keep a group going which is very undesirable to most of the people in our community? Would we want the board and administration to allow our children to do everything they wanted to just because this is what their leaders tell them to do? The student council could be wrong. Each child and citizen should start thinking for themselves and doing what they know is right in their own mind. Would you as a parent allow your child to smoke pot just because your child thinks it is right? How many of our parents would be willing to be a chaperone to these parties and be responsible for everything that goes wrong?

So many of our parents now days believe their children can do

no wrong, but children are children. I think most parents can remember some of the wrongs that they did when they were younger and would not want their child to do the same thing.

Within the past week I have heard the school board, the administration and even part of the teachers being condemned for what they thought was right. How many parents have given an answer to their child and have regretted it afterward. We cannot all be perfect or it would sure be a dull world. After reading the papers and hearing of the problems other schools have I think we should be thankful that the administration and the board have kept our school as peaceful as it is.

I know Mr. Lane and Mr. Cameron personally and think they are both very responsible and likeable men. These two men will both take the time to talk over any problems that you may have with your children and help you in any way they can. How many parents are there that these two men never see to talk to unless they are having some problem with their child at school. Even then we have parents who are not interested enough to go and see them.

I know that whenever Johnny gets in trouble it is not his fault but the school's. I do know that Mr. Lane has been blamed for years for such problems just because the parents will not see that he is working for the good of the student and not just picking on their child.

Again, I would like to publicly thank the school board, the administration and the teachers for having a school that we can be proud of. I have always been glad to be able to say I live in Chelsea, Michigan.

Let's all get behind the board

**GLAD TIDINGS**

To our neighbors we send best wishes for a joy-filled holiday.

CHELSEA FINANCE CORP.

and administration and still be in the future generations. able to be proud of our schools A concerned citizen.

**O, come all ye faithful**

Let every heart rejoice in the spiritual blessings and inspiration of the season. And may great joy be yours at this most happy, holy time.

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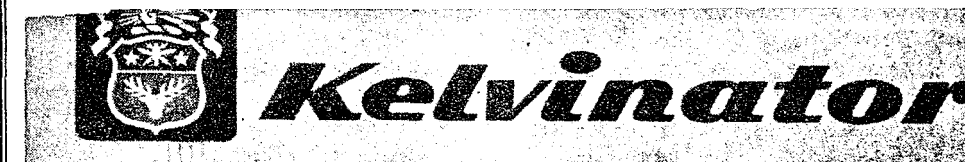


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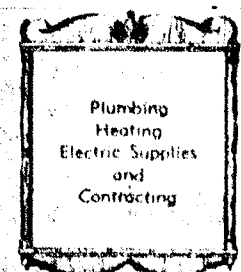
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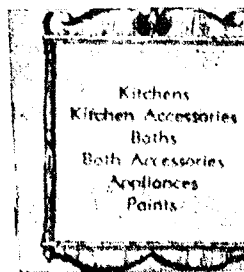
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LAPPING IT UP: Serene faces testify to the fact that Santa's lap is a comfortable place to be around Christmas time. But Santa provoked a tongue-in-cheek response from the young man at the right. The kids, Santa and adults all had a good time, though, at Monday night's annual Kiwanis kiddies Christmas party.

By Any Name, Santa Pleases Children, Also Guards Fortune of Many Adults

When that's his name arrives in town, everyone is glad to see him. Washington Irving called him Father Knickerbocker. To Russians, he's Grandfather Frost. This magical man of many names not only brings gifts, he also has a lot of special gifts and powers, according to the lore of Christmas. St. Nicholas, Kris Kringle.

Santa inherits his powers from St. Nicholas, a fourth century bishop.

Consequently, he's said to be gifted at guarding the fortunes of children, merchants, and sailors. He takes a special interest in helping single girls find husbands, and the earliest pawnbrokers called him their patron.

Greetings



More than a wealth of good wishes do we send you at this, the most joyous season of the year. We're proud to claim you as friends.

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:
This letter is of concern to every parent at the board meeting on Dec. 20.

I personally would like to thank all of you wonderful people for showing support. But it doesn't stop yet. We only have a toe-hold, we will have to continue the fight if we are to get anything accomplished. If we let the issue grow cold we will have lost everything.

Walter Brauminger hit right on the nose when he said that you, the taxpayers, can't even hold a meeting in the school you built and paid for with your money. Imagine one person telling this whole community when they can use their school. Do you call that democracy? I was always taught in school that people elected to any office were there to represent the people not their own views. Also, some people have slightly twisted views on democracy.

You parents took the first step toward a more democratic board of education, why not walk the rest of the way. Parent's unite!

Jeff Reed.

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Thought For Food

Good flavor never shouts, just sings. A classic seasoner for beef and lamb stew, for sauces and soups is Bouquet Garni. To make, place in a small cheesecloth bag 3 to 4 sprigs parsley, 1 medium bay leaf, 1/4 teaspoon dried thyme leaves and 2 to 3 sprigs celery leaves. Tie together and add to your favorite meat dish as it cooks.

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Christmas Blessings

Away in a manger... let's remember Christ on His day.



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SCHOOL FEAST: The annual special school Christmas dinner, this year featuring creamed turkey over mashed potatoes, cranberry salad, stuffing, peas and pumpkin pie with whipped cream, takes half a week to prepare. After 16 of the 26 turkeys were cooked Tuesday, the cooks gathered 'round to take the meat

from the bones. Shown here are Mrs. Duane Weiss, cafeteria manager (left foreground), Mrs. Shirley Bennett, Mrs. Betty Young, Mrs. Gene Ashley and Mrs. Doris Moore. The dinner is served Thursday noon.

Christmas Dinner Prepared for 1,800

Imagine roasting 26 turkeys, weighing 21 to 26 pounds each, or baking 23½ pumpkin pies, or serving 1,800 people at your Christmas dinner!

The Chelsea School District cooks have done just that for the holiday dinner served this noon in the public schools.

All six cooks had a hand in the preparations, but primarily responsible for the cranberry salad,

creamed turkey over mashed potatoes, peas, dressing, and pie with whipped cream were Mrs. Duane Weiss, cafeteria manager; Mrs. Shirley Bennett, baker; Mrs. Gene Ashley, head cook; Mrs. Doris Moore, vegetables, and Mrs. Betty Young who is in charge of loading and transporting the steam carts from the high school's central kitchen to the various schools.

Preparations began early this week as Mrs. Bennett began making and freezing pie shells. On Tuesday, 16 of the turkeys were cooked, and the cooks began stripping the meat from the bones.

On Wednesday, the remaining 10 turkeys were cooked, pies were baked, and the dinner began to take its final shape.

Preparations end Thursday morning when the carts are loaded and transported to the schools. This year, the dinner will be served as scheduled, but last year it was a different story.

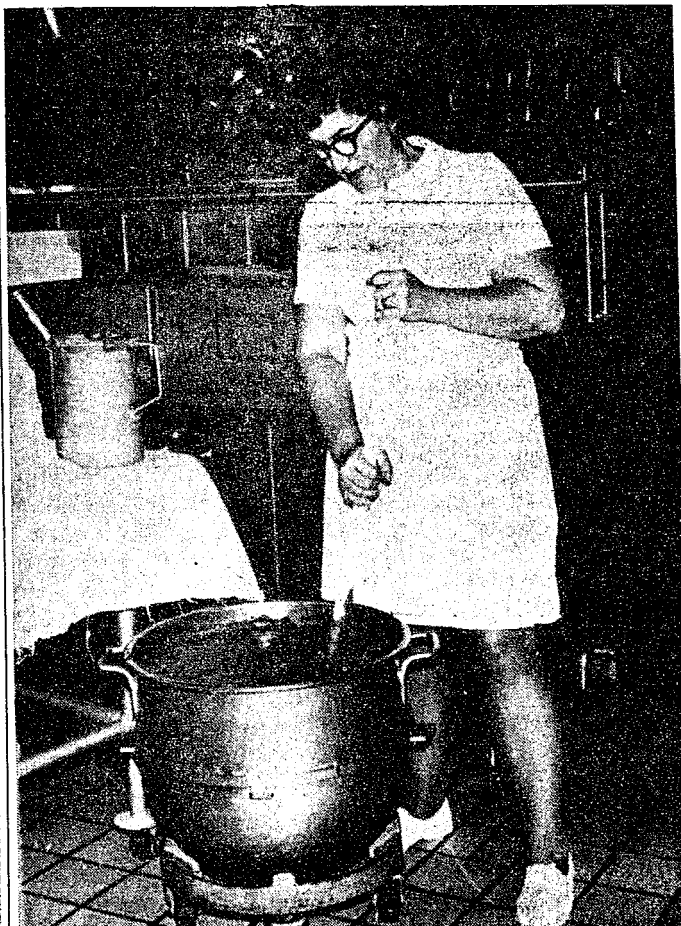
The cooks had prepared an equally desirable feast, but a snow storm struck, and school was cancelled. And there it was, dinner for 1,600 and no one to enjoy it.

The food was, however, donated to other institutions in the area, and the cooks' special way of saying "Merry Christmas" still appreciated.

Hole-in-One Recorded

Mrs. Max (Elizabeth) Frisinger, vacationing in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., hit a hole-in-one while playing a 120-yard water hole at the Sabal Palm County club.

Mrs. Frisinger's "ace" was witnessed by her husband, George and Eloise Frisinger, and Mrs. Tom (Lucille) Masterson, but she was walking away from the tee following her five-iron shot, and did not see the ball roll into the cup.



CAN YOU BAKE A PUMPKIN PIE . . . Mrs. Shirley Bennett, school district baker, prepared 23½ pumpkin pies for the holiday dinner served by the cooks to 1,800 school district children, teachers, and staff this noon. Mrs. Bennett started making pie shells early in the week. Work on the filling, which called for 18 No. 10 cans of pumpkin, began Tuesday afternoon.



Best Wishes for Christmas

We're delighted to have this opportunity to send the season's best wishes to you. Have a Merry Christmas.

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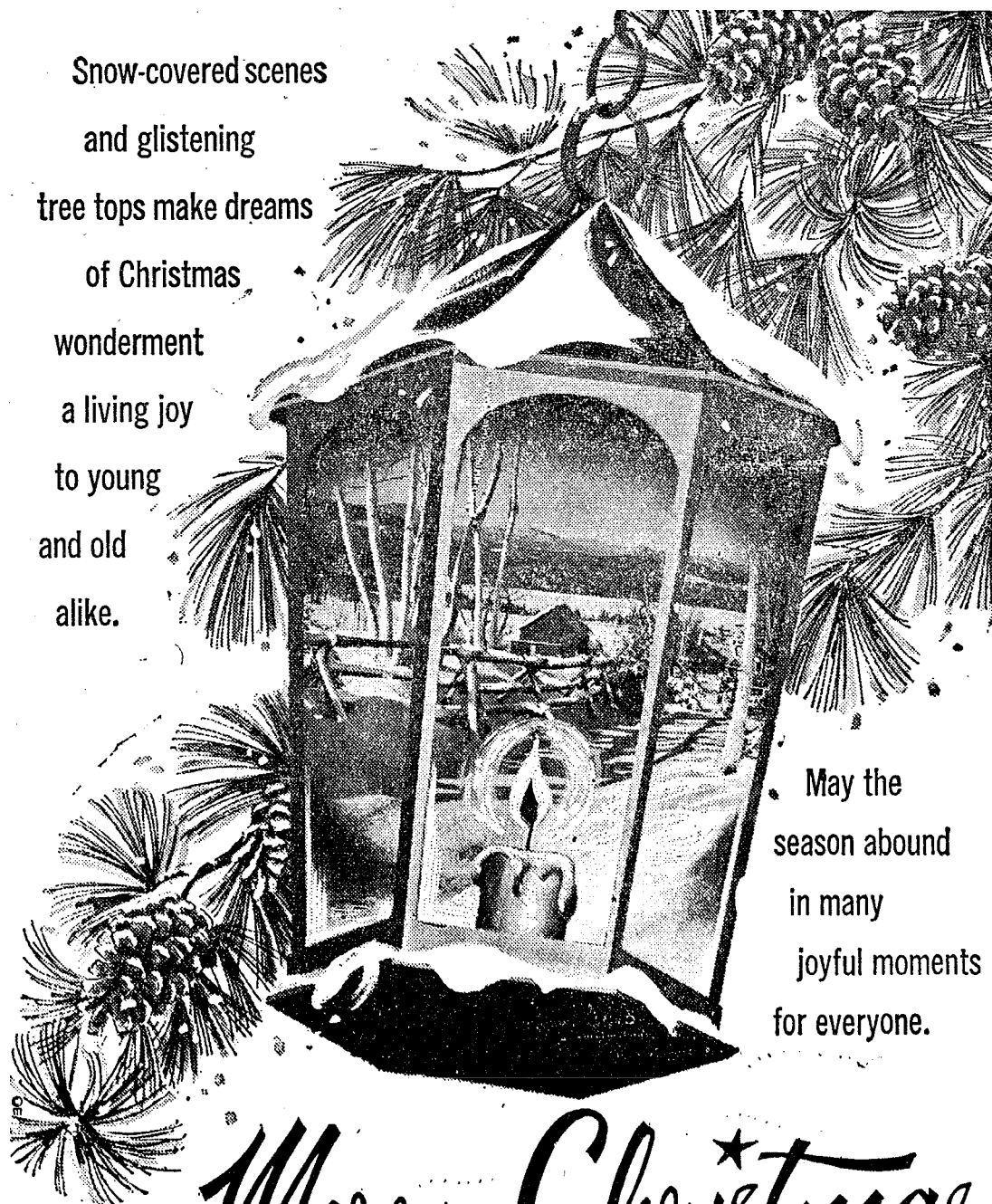
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MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by James D. Wilmet, a single man, and Ann Arbor, Michigan, Mortgages, to the National Bank of Detroit, Michigan, dated the 1st day of May, A.D. 1968, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on the 7th day of May, A.D. 1968, in Liber 1243 of Washtenaw County Records, on page 417, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of SIXTY-THOUSAND SIXTY-SIX & 95/100 DOLLARS (\$60,666.95). No suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 17th day of February, A.D. 1972, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., in the public auction room of the County of Washtenaw, Michigan, at the west entrance of the County Building, in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at 7 1/2 per cent (7 1/2%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece of land situated in the City of Ypsilanti, in the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, and described as follows: to-wit:

Apartment Number 1744 College Heights Condominium, located at 1744 College Heights, Dood recorded in Liber 1228, Page 640, Dood recorded in Washtenaw County Records, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number Two, together with an undivided 2.51 percent interest in the condominium elements described in said Condominium Subdivision Plan as described in Art. 22 of the Public Act of 1968, as amended.

The length of the period of redemption from such sale will be six (6) months. Dated at Detroit, Michigan, November 18, 1971.

MICHIGAN BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, A National Banking Corporation, Mortgagee
Travis Warren, President
Attorney for Mortgagee
2966 Penobscot Building
Detroit, Michigan 48225
955-3277
Nov. 18-Feb. 10

MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Sylvester Coleman, Jr., and Nettie M. Coleman, his wife, of the Township of Superior, Washtenaw County, Michigan, Mortgages, to the National Bank of Detroit, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 8th day of January, A.D. 1971, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on the 13th day of January, A.D. 1971, in Liber 1243 of Washtenaw County Records, on page 303, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of TWENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE AND 9/10 DOLLARS (\$28,981.90). No suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 4th day of February, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., said mortgage will be foreclosed by auction to the highest bidder, at the West entrance of the Washtenaw County Building in the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at eight and one-half per cent (8 1/2%) per annum and all legal costs and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece of land situated in the Township of Superior, in the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit:

No. 3, Superior Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, Mortgages, in Liber 117, Page 69 and 60, Washtenaw County Records.

The length of the period of redemption from such sale will be six (6) months. Dated: October 19, 1971.

CITIZENS MORTGAGE CORPORATION, A Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee
SMITH, MICK, HIRSH and BRODY
Attorneys for Mortgagee
1100 Fisher Building
Detroit, Michigan 48202, Oct. 28-Jan. 10

MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by ARTHUR D. STRATTON, a single man, of 511 Greenleaf Street, Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, Mortgagee, to WAYNE FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION of Detroit, Michigan, dated the 20th day of March, A.D. 1971, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on the 8th day of April, A.D. 1971, in Liber 1243 of Washtenaw County Records, on page 784, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of EIGHTEEN THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE AND 8/10 DOLLARS (\$18,881.09). No suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 17th day of February, A.D. 1972, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., Eastern Standard Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a public auction to the highest bidder, at the west entrance of the Washtenaw County Building in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at 7 1/2 per cent (7 1/2%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece of land situated in the Township of Superior, in the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit:

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thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each day of delay, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land
State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, Lot 56, Bennett's Addition, City of Saline, according to plat thereof, Amended, 188.17, Tax for year 1965, Amount necessary to redeem, \$77.25 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Address: 411 North Adams
Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197
To Oscar Collins & Catherine Collins last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.
Dec. 2-9-16-28

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Deep Orange Coloring

Choose carrots that are firm, small and uniformly orange, recommends a Michigan State University consumer marketing specialist.

Carrots with deep green shoulders have a bitter flavor, explains Mrs. Maryann Beckman. Avoid oversized carrots, too, she suggests. They tend to have hard, pithy cores.

You can refrigerate fresh carrots in their own poly bag for two or three weeks with little loss of quality, but it's best to use them sooner. The nutrients in carrots hold up well in a crispier covered container.

Use carrot cooking water for soups, gravies or sauces to save valuable nutrients, Mrs. Beckman suggests.

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SOUTH ELEMENTARY

SCHOOL NOTES

THIRD GRADE—

Room 16
Teacher: Mrs. Schmidt
Reporters: Sandra Allen and Susan Prinzing
Christmas Greetings from Mrs. Schmidt's room. Birthdays this month are for: Michelle Alexander and Nancy Heller.

We are learning about the nine planets and the sun. In arithmetic we are learning Roman numerals. We are writing Christmas stories. In our reading class we are collecting newspaper articles.

We made a Christmas tree on our bulletin board, and we are bringing little pieces of wrapping paper to decorate it. We are going to have a party and each student has to bring a gift which we will exchange.

Steve Adkins brought deer antlers for Show and Tell. Nancy Heller brought in some rabbits. We had a show with a talking puppet.

Have a very merry Christmas!

Room 13
Teacher: Mrs. Yager
Reporters: Beth Bush and Melanie Schneider

We are busy getting ready for Christmas, by decorating our room. One day we imagined we were Christmas gifts and wrote down what we would be. Lots of the girls wanted to be dolls. Karl Schenk wanted to be a television set; Phil Hoffman wanted to be a dinosaur, and someone wanted to be a grapefruit! Our Christmas party will be on Dec. 23 when we are going to have a gift exchange.

On Dec. 2 our class went to see "The Clown" play at the high school. It was a funny show. Three people got balloons—Susan Siebert, Michele Umstead and Billy Freeman. They were so lucky!

In science we just finished learning about the planets. Did you know Pluto is the farthestest one from the sun? Now we are starting to learn about matter and what it is.

In math we have been learning how to make change. We are using a store, and we also made play money. We made dollars, nickels, dimes, pennies, half dollars and quarters.

Our old December birthday was Bob Beeman who was 9 years old on the 5th.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

FOURTH GRADE—

Room 22
Teacher: Mrs. Meadows
Reporters: all the class

We are getting ready for the Christmas season. Our room looks Christmas, and finally we have finished our gifts for our parents. It has taken us three weeks to finish them.

Friday, Dec. 17, we had a Christmas program. The fourth and fifth grade chorus sang for the rest of the children. We sang Silver Bells, Dona Nobis, I'm Dream



BOWLING NEWS



SPORTS CORNER

GIRL SCOUT NEWS



Rolling Pin League

Standings as of Dec. 21

Spooners	42	22
Egg Beaters	42	22
Moppy Uppers	37 1/2	26 1/2
Kookie Cutters	35 1/2	28 1/2
Grinders	34	30
Kitchen Kapers	33	31
Coffee Cups	31	33
Mixers	29 1/2	34 1/2
Jolly Mops	27 1/2	36 1/2
Dish Rags	25 1/2	38 1/2
Brooms	24	40
Pots	22 1/2	41 1/2

400 and over series: K. Brettschneider, 408; D. Kinsey, 442; J. Lewis, 464; G. Blaess, 400; J. Rabbitt, 441; G. Brier, 405; E. Reynolds, 424; A. Steinaway, 431; J. Shepherd, 469; J. Edick, 465; H. Ringe, 420; P. Harok, 464; I. Nixon, 418; P. Borders, 401; S. Parker, 428; D. Dirlam, 444; K. Del Prete, 464.

140 and over games: E. Edwards, 158; K. Brettschneider, 150; D. Kinsey, 158, 142, 142; J. Lewis, 170, 164; G. Blaess, 141, 146; J. Rabbitt, 149, 157; G. Brier, 156; E. Reynolds, 162; A. Schneider, 162; A. Steinaway, 152, 144; J. Shepherd, 183, 157; J. Edick, 174, 161; E. Williams, 140; R. Babie, 157; H. Ringe, 167, 141; P. Harok, 154, 165, 145; I. Nixon, 177; L. Keezer, 167; P. Borders, 149; S. Parker, 153; D. Dirlam, 158, 159; K. DelPrete, 147, 152, 165.

Splits converted: K. Del Prete, 4, 10 and 4, 7; D. Dirlam, 5, 7; W. Merancuk, 5, 10; R. Foster, 5, 10 and 2, 7; E. Williams, 4, 10 and 4, 7; N. Kilpatrick, 1, 7; J. Lewis, 4, 10; D. Ringe, 2, 7, 9.

Senior House League

Standings as of Dec. 20

Chelsea Cleaners	40	20
Sam's Barber Shop	38 1/2	21 1/2
Bogar Builders	36	24
Sylvan Center	35	25
Chelsea Grinding	34	26
Spaulding Chevrolet	31 1/2	28 1/2
Pub Bar	31	29
Schneider's Grocery	29	31
Dana No. 2	26	34
Dana No. 1	24	36
Murphy's Barber Shop	20	40
Seitz Tavern	18	42

600 series: M. Poertner, 620; J. Myning, 627.

500 series: F. Gee, 501; J. Harok, 540; D. McKinley, 550; S. Haydock, 543; T. McClear, 569; R. Spaulding, 507; A. Fletcher, 565; T. Steele, 532; N. Packard, 516; L. Keezer, 550; W. Moss, 509; S. Dyer, 574; H. Burnett, 512; J. Toma, 561; E. Harok, 531; J. Harmon, 543; D. Hafley, 519; J. West, 504; V. Hafley, 535; S. Policht, 559; R. Pike, 506; W. Moats, 124; A. Sannes, 163; J. Wilson, 584.

200 games: F. Gee, 211; M. Poertner, 208, 222; J. Harok, 212; A. Fletcher, 204; T. Steele, 211; J. Myning, 214, 231; S. Dyer, 225; J. Toma, 218; E. Harok, 203; J. Harmon, 206; V. Hafley, 221; S. Policht, 228; W. Moats, 211; A. Sannes, 201; J. Wilson, 234.

Hi Point Mixed League

Standings as of Dec. 14

Station WVPV	332	244
Alley Katz	320	256
Ding A Lings	310	267
Dreadnaughts	309	267
Four Squares	308	268
Knock Outs	297	279
Question Marks	289	287
Flat Tires	278	298
Easy Riders	256	320
River Rats	252	324
Holy Terrors	252	324
Hi Steppers	243	333

Women, over 425 series: W. Landwehr, 436; M. Paul, 435; P. 470; S. Walton, 497.

Women, over 150 games: S. Walton, 195, 190; G. DeSmith, 157, 158, 153; M. Morton, 156; P. Harok, 177, 166; K. Schultz, 158; W. Landwehr, 162, 164; M. Paul, 156.

Men, over 450 series: H. Morton, 484; D. Carpenter, 488; H. Schultz, 486; M. Purdy, 548; O. Inbody, 533; F. Steers, 493; D. Crum, 497; P. Fletcher, 463.

Men, over 160 games: P. Fletcher, 171; D. Crum, 166, 210; F. Steers, 173; M. Purdy, 169, 175, 204; O. Inbody, 177, 178, 178; K. Lofquist, 165; D. Carpenter, 193; H. Schultz, 175, 176; H. Morton, 174, 170; L. Kessler, 167.

Chelsea Women's Bowling Club

Standings as of Dec. 15

Parish's Cleaners	46	14
Chelsea Milling	43 1/2	16 1/2
Chelsea Lanes	36 1/2	23 1/2
Washenau Engr. Co.	36	24
Jiffy Market	34	26
Jiffy Mixes	32	28
Wolverine Bar	31	29
Schumm's	27	33
Norris Electric	24	36
Community Serv. Press	18	42
Schneider's Grocery	17	43
N. American Rockwell	16	44

450 series and over: L. Orlovski, 527; M. E. Sutter, 518; R. Hummel, 509; A. Boham, 506; D. Eisenbeiser, 494; P. Wurster, 485; H. Morgan, 481; P. Poertner, 479; P. Fitzsimmons, 473; J. Rowe, 470; A. Sindlinger, 460; P. Shoemaker, 460; B. Larson, 459; D. Verwey, 455; M. Kozminski, 453; B. Fritz, 452.

150 games and over: L. Orlovski, 161, 169, 167; M. E. Sutter, 158, 221; R. Hummel, 166, 172, 171; A. Boham, 191, 150, 165; D. Eisenbeiser, 209; P. Wurster, 181, 168; H. Morgan, 156, 163, 163; P. Poertner, 182, 182; P. Fitzsimmons, 156, 166, 151; J. Rowe, 156, 180; A. Sindlinger, 164, 150; P. Shoemaker, 163, 151; B. Larson, 159, 151; D. Verwey, 196; M. Kozminski, 177; B. Fritz, 181; C. Stoffer, 165; R. Latovsky, 175; B. Parish, 169; N. Popovich, 166; G. Penhallegon, 182; N. Kern, 151; M. A. Eder, 150; S. Ringe, 158; A. Alexander, 157; L. Bradbury, 190; D. Fletcher, 159; J. Norris, 172.

Sunday Swingers

Standings as of Dec. 19

Drinkers	20	12
Red Barons	19	13
Limelights	19	13
Alley Cats	18	14
Right Ons	17	15
Strangers	17	15
Team No. 10	16	16
K & B	16	16
Half Mooners	14	18
Butternuts	14	18
MP's	14	18
Harvards	9	23

Men, 500 series: W. Brown, 662; G. White, 560; G. Dresch, 501; A. Steinaway, 510.

Women, 400 series: A. Steinaway, 438; J. Clark, 427; E. Seegert, 426; A. Schaffner, 406; E. Haydock, 421; S. Brown, 438; C. Short, 420; R. McGibney, 459.

Men, 200 games: G. White, 307; W. Brown, 238.

Women, 150 games: E. Seegert, 166; S. Nix, 157; A. Schaffner, 158; S. Brown, 150, 152; E. Haydock, 152; M. Westcott, 152; J. Stoll, 157; C. Short, 156; R. McGibney, 156, 165.

Charlie Brown and Snoopy's Friends Peanut League

Standings as of Dec. 18

Snoopy Stars	33	9
Pin Crackers	32	10
Harlem Globetrotters	25	17
Super Stars	21	21
Meat Balls	19	23
French Fries	17	25
Strikers	12	30
Flintstones	10	32

Series over 100: E. Ostrander, 171; J. Boyer, 193; M. Sweet, 128; M. Alexander, 142; T. Schultz, 106; D. Seyfried, 188; D. Eisele, 141; M. Steinaway, 110; D. Walduke, 150; D. Alber, 292; D. Bowen, 216; G. Egeler, 113; T. Miller, 159; R. Klink, 139; J. Stock, 152; W. Rosenreiter, 116; S. Wilson, 188; D. Thompson, 107; D. Marsh, 131; J. Atkinson, 153; T. Greenleaf, 110; B. Freeman, 132; D. Wright, 113; D. McGill, 205.

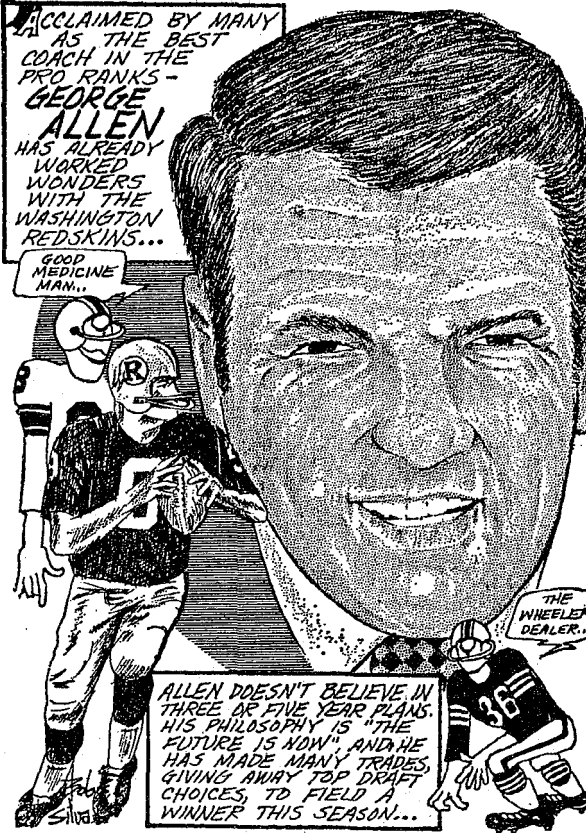
Games over 70: D. Marsh, 80; J. Atkinson, 79, 79; B. Freeman, 78; D. McGill, 124, 81; T. Miller, 78, 81; R. Klink, 76; J. Stock, 83; S. Wilson, 95, 95; B. Ostrander, 78, 93; J. Boyer, 95, 98; M. Alexander, 76; T. Schultz, 75; D. Seyfried, 106, 77; D. Eisele, 76; D. Walduke, 81; D. Alber, 103, 189; D. Bowen, 94, 122; G. Egeler, 71.

Charlie Brown & Snoopy's Friends Prep Division

Standings as of Dec. 18

Good Guys	36 1/2	8 1/2
Pinfighters	33	12
Beacrats	29	16
Strikers	24	18
Fantastic Five	21	24
Pro's	20 1/2	27 1/2
Eagles	16	29
Flip Flop Mop Tops	15	30
Mustangs	14	31
Bullpups	13	32

Games over 100: M. Bowen, 180, 115; B. Lewis, 115; D. Craft, 167.



145; C. Sannes, 106, 176; R. Stoddard, 129; B. Kalishek, 113; B. Lovely, 101; A. Kalishek, 105; D. Thompson, 117, 105; K. Steinaway, 117; T. Bernath, 106; D. Eisele, 111, 102; J. Push, 117, 117; J. Sweet, 170, 148; D. Alexander, 100, 130; S. Stoddard, 105; J. Alexander, 102; J. Boyer, 221, 119; B. McGibney, 131, 141; M. Foster, 113, 142; A. Houle, 137, 121; C. Miller, 116.

Series over 200: M. Bowen, 245; C. Sannes, 282; D. Craft, 217; D. Thompson, 222; J. French, 202; B. Kalishek, 208; C. Miller, 203; D. Eisele, 213; J. Sweet, 318; D. Alexander, 230; J. Boyer, 340; B. McGibney, 272; M. Foster, 255; A. Houle, 258.

Old Timers Bowling League

Standings as of Dec. 17

Sportsman's Tavern	36 1/2	23 1/2
Milan Screw Products	36 1/2	23 1/2
Hotzeleaf Lanes	35 1/2	24 1/2
Bob & Otto Standard	35	25
Team No. 16	34	26
Colonial Lanes	34	26
Team No. 14	32 1/2	27 1/2
Hotzel Service	32	28
Has Beens	31 1/2	28 1/2
Sanford Sec. Serv.	30	30
Nelson Realtors	29	31
Hartman Ins.	24 1/2	35 1/2
Lucky 13	23 1/2	36 1/2
Markel Furniture	23	37
Dexter Bowl 'n' Bar	23	37
Stein & Goetz	19 1/2	40 1/2

High team game and series: Bob & Otto Standard, 838, 2,417.

High ind. game: L. Dell, 525.

High ind. series: D. Morton, 566.

Other 200 games, 500 series and over: W. Butzin, 211; D. Morton, 210; J. Otto, 202; L. Dell, 547; C. Bissell, 538; W. Butzin, 538.

CADETT TROOP 98— We had a gift exchange party. We played games and had refreshments. We are going caroling Thursday, Dec. 23. There will be no meeting next week. Juliene Tucker, scribe.

TROOP 169— Brownie Troop 169 held its Christmas party Dec. 20. The cadett scouts were our hostesses for the party. They made us a centerpiece and cookies. We also had ice cream, punch, and a pinata filled with candy. We exchanged gifts and played games. Lisa Luckhardt, scribe.

TROOP 98— Our troop went caroling Dec. 13 at the Methodist Home. There was no meeting Tuesday, Dec. 14. Our troop would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Juliene Tucker, scribe.

TROOP 58— This week scouts of Troop 58 had our Christmas party and our badge ceremony. We had lots of pretty cupcakes and cookies. We had presents and played games. Jill Janes, scribe.

Canned luncheon meat makes a fast meal. Place cooked rice in a casserole dish and top with slices of canned meat. Spread applesauce over the meat and sprinkle with brown sugar. Put in a moderate oven until heated through.

153; N. Keezer, 171, 151; B. Smith, 162, 158; D. Cozzens, 158, 182; K. Gephart, 159; N. Collins, 155, 154, 154.

Team that won three: Cloverleaf and Milan Screw Products.

Leisure Time League

Standings as of Dec. 21

Misfits	32 1/2	23 1/2
Plus Three	30	26
The Mums	30	26
Alley Cats	26	30
Rug Rats	26	30
The Nags	23 1/2	32 1/2

Over 140 games: J. Norris, 166, 147; S. Centilli, 173, 159; C. Short, 156, 152; E. Williams, 154, 147, 168; D. Thompson, 161, 153; V. Wheaton, 141, L. Kropf, 171.

400 series: J. Norris, 452; S. Centilli, 466; C. Short, 440; E. Williams, 469; D. Thompson, 455; V. Wheaton, 402.

Chelsea Lanes Mixed

Standings as of Dec. 17

Meabons	65	39
A. A. Centerless	62	43
Marsh & Eder	60	45
Morgan & Turner	56	49
Bollinger Sanitation	53	52
Chelsea Lanes	52	53
The Pub	51	54
Barkley & Gephart	51	54
Heim & Arrington	48	57
Fitzsimmons Exc.	48	57
Sable's Collision	42	63
Jarvis & Goltra	41	64

Women, 150 games: J. Longworth, 190; K. Arrington, 189; M. Sutter, 178, 155; F. Gephart, 171.



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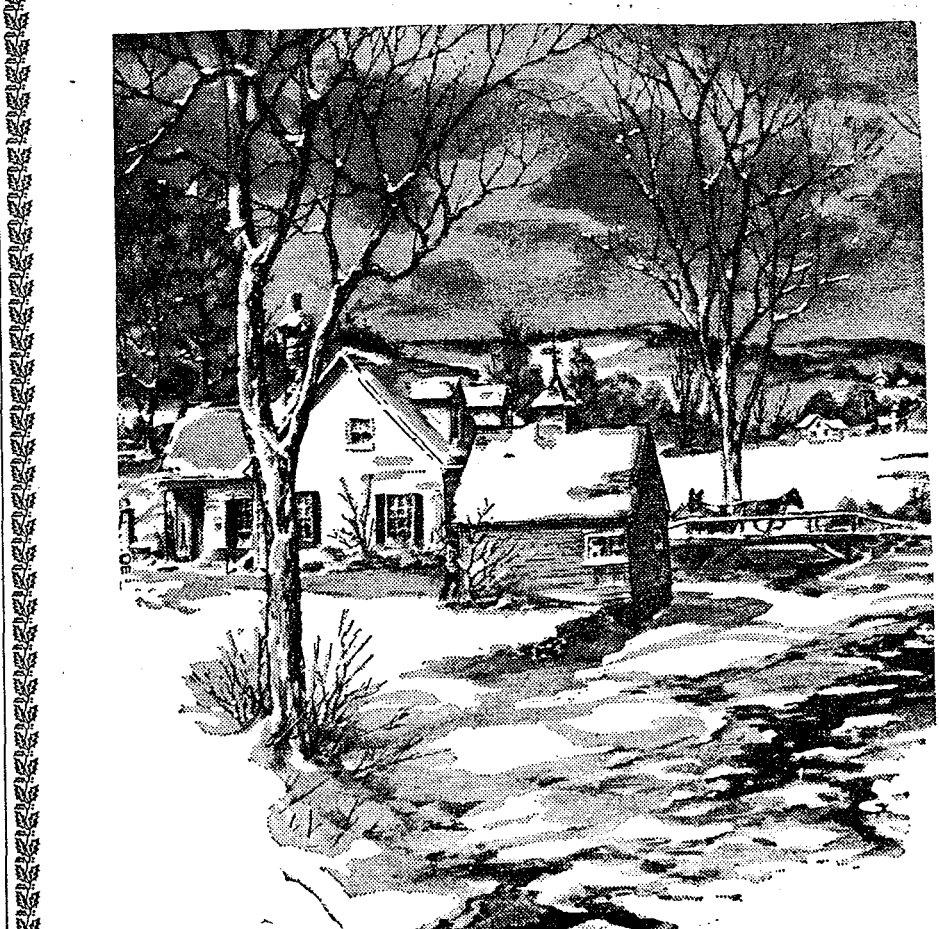
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We're joining Santa and his reindeer in sending warmest wishes for a joyous holiday, rich in many blessings. Do have a wonderful Christmas!

THE PUB

DON McKINLEY and FAMILY and EMPLOYEES



Christmas greetings

In the spirit of an old-fashioned Christmas we extend best wishes to all. We hope you and your loved ones share in the many old-time joys and blessings of the season.

Village Motor Sales, Inc.

TOM and JEANNE STOCK



FRIENDLY Christmas Greetings

We take pause from everyday routine to celebrate the Christmas holiday. And we welcome this opportunity to extend our warmest wishes and thanks to all. Hope your Day is a happy one.

CHELSEA LANES

"The Modern Family Lanes"



Ho Ho look who's here! It's Santa and he's got lots of good wishes for you all.

Recreation Tavern

Robert Howe



We hope your Christmas glows with many happy hours spent with family and friends. Sincere thanks for your kind patronage.

SLOCUM CONTRACTORS

Michigan Offers Winter Fun

Lansing — The snow white months of December through March have everything going for you in Michigan, according to the new Michigan Calendar of Travel Events, just released by the Michigan Tourist Council.

One of the highlights of Christmas month is Fantasyland at the John F. Kennedy Memorial Center in Lincoln Park. Call it "just an old-fashioned Christmas display." Then add animated scenes, a circus, a street of toy and candy shops with elves and pixies everywhere. The doll house features 500 dolls dressed by youth groups and service organizations, that will be distributed to charitable groups. And, reigning over-all, the spirit of Christmas.

December will also be kick-off month for the Mardi Gras De Snow snowmobile winter carnivals scheduled throughout the state through February.

In January, ski enthusiasts can watch a great show of exciting thrills and spills at the United States Olympic Team Tryouts on the world's highest man-made ski jump at Pine Mountain, Iron Mountain. The North American Speedskating Championships are scheduled for February at Alpena with the best skaters from 27 states and Canada competing. There will be fun for the entire family in March at the Snowmobile Races in East Jordan. Ladies are invited to display their prowess in maneuvering the motorized ski machines in the Powder Puff Races, and men can vie for championship honors in their own competition.

Skiing competitions, snowmobile races, dog sled races, winter carnivals, antique, camper and trailer, coin, home and boat, sports and hobby shows are among other attractions, north, south, east and west during the first three

months of 1972. Plus, some 84 collegiate and professional sports events for enthusiastic fans.

Winter in Michigan is no time to hibernate. It's a great time for a great winter vacation. Ski, skate, go snowmobiling, tobogganing, fish through the ice, sail on the ice or try some of the indoor attractions. In other words, if you're looking for fun, follow the great white way to Michigan this winter.

For your free copy of the Michigan Calendar of Travel Events, write the Michigan Tourist Council, Suite 102, 300 South Capitol Avenue, Lansing 48926.

Thought For Food

You can produce a delicious sandwich snack in minutes for a hungry family or drop-in guests during this holiday season. Simply cook pork sausage links and arrange on slices of toasted white bread that have been spread with jelly and cranberry sauce. Sprinkle grated cheese over the top and slide under the broiler about 3 inches from the heat, until the cheese melts.

Want a breakfast dish that is different enough to demand attention and satisfy appetites, yet easy to prepare in the early hours of the morning? Scrambled eggs with diced ham and Chinese noodles is the answer. Serve the ham and eggs with fresh fruit, hot toast triangles and milk for a well-balanced, well-liked breakfast to start the family out happy and vigorous.

IT'S RICH
Mince pie symbolizes the riches of the East, brought by the Wise Men.

+ Services in Our Churches +

ST. PAUL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
The Rev. Warner Siebert, Pastor
Friday, Dec. 24—
7:30 p.m.—Family Christmas Eve service.
11:00 p.m.—Festival of Lessons and Carols.
Holy Communion at both services.
Sunday, Dec. 26—
9:15 a.m.—Church school.
10:30 a.m.—Worship. Sermon title: "Get Smart!"
Courier articles due.
Wednesday, Dec. 29
7:15 p.m.—High School Choir.
8:15 p.m.—Chancel Choir.
Courier mailings committee.

BAHA'I FAITH
Every Thursday—
8:00 p.m.—[At the home of] Toby Peterson, 705 S. Main St. Anyone wishing to learn about the Baha'i faith is welcome.

ST. THOMAS EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
Ellsworth and Haab Rds.
The Rev. Daniel L. Mattson, Pastor
Friday, Dec. 24—
7:30 p.m.—Children's Christmas program.
11:30 p.m.—Midnight Christmas service.
Saturday, Dec. 25—
10:00 a.m.—Walther League "Christmas Mass."
Sunday, Dec. 26—
11:00 a.m.—Sunday school and Bible Class.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
1883 Washtenaw Ave., Ann Arbor
Sunday, Dec. 26—
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a.m.—Morning service.
Lesson-sermon: "The Birth of Christ Jesus."

WATERLOO FIRST UNITED METHODIST
Parks and Territorial Rds.
Mrs. Altha Barnes, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:15 a.m.—Morning worship.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
First and Third Saturdays—
7:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship at Village church Sunday school house.

VILLAGE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF WATERLOO
8118 Washington St.
Mrs. Altha Barnes, pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:15 a.m.—Morning worship.
First and Third Saturdays—
7:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship at Village Church Sunday school house.

NORTH LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
The Rev. Harry Weeks, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:30 a.m.—Worship service.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED CHURCH
(United Church of Christ)
Francisco
The Rev. Robert Townley
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Worship service.
10:20 a.m.—Sunday school.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
Corner of Fletcher, Waters Rds. (Rogers Corners)
The Rev. John R. Morris, Pastor
Friday, Dec. 24—
7:30 p.m.—Family service.
11:00 p.m.—Candlelight service.
Saturday, Dec. 25—
9:30 a.m.—Festival worship.
Sunday, Dec. 26—
Student Recognition Sunday.
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:15 a.m.—Worship.

CHELSEA BAPTIST CHURCH
337 Wilkinson
The Rev. James Stacey, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.
Nursery care available during all services.
6:00 p.m.—Junior and Senior Baptist Youth Fellowship.
7:00 p.m.—Evening service.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Bible study and prayer meeting.

PEACE



With deep sincerity, we send Christmas greetings and best wishes to all.

Chelsea Jaycettes

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED CHURCH
(United Church of Christ)
Rogers Corners
The Rev. David J. Kleis
Every Sunday—
9:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a.m.—Morning worship.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
(United Church of Christ)
The Rev. Paul Gerhart, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:00 a.m.—Senior High Sunday school.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a.m.—Morning worship.

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH
The Rev. Fr. Francis Wahowiak, Pastor

Every Saturday—
7:30 p.m.—Mass.
Every Sunday—
Masses at 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 11:30 a.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
The Rev. Thode B. Thodeson, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic service.
Every Wednesday—
7:00 p.m.—Midweek services.

ST. JACOB EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
12501 Richmill Rd., Grass Lake
The Rev. Andrew Bloom, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:15 a.m.—Divine services.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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The Rev. T. H. Liang
Every Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.
Every Tuesday—
8:00 p.m.—Choir practice.

BETHEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED CHURCH
(United Church of Christ)
Freedom Township
The Rev. Roman A. Reineck
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Worship.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.

IMMANUEL BIBLE CHURCH
145 E. Summit St.
The Rev. LeRoy Johnson, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school, nursery provided.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship, nursery provided.
7:00 p.m.—Evening service.
Every Wednesday—
Family hour, prayer meeting and Bible study.

GREGORY BAPTIST CHURCH
The Rev. Grant Lapham, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Worship service.
11:15 a.m.—Church school.
8:30 p.m.—Baptist Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship service.

SALEM GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
The Rev. Harry Weeks, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH
6525 S. Main St.
The Rev. William H. Keller, Pastor
Every Sunday—
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a.m.—Worship service.

Every Tuesday—
8:30-5:00 p.m.—Confirmation I.
Every Thursday—
4:00 to 5:30 p.m.—Confirmation II.
Every Saturday—
9:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.—Confirmation III.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
The Rev. Olive Dickens, Pastor
Thursday, Dec. 23—
6:00-8:00 p.m.—Junior Choir Christmas Caroling, and party.
Friday, Dec. 24—
8:30 p.m.—Christmas Dessert.
9:30 p.m.—Candlelight service.
Sunday, Dec. 26—
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school (4 years to adult).
10:00 a.m.—Worship service.
11:15 a.m.—Intermediate choir.
Wednesday, Dec. 29—
No primary or Junior choir.
8:00 p.m.—Youth and Senior choir.

ST. BARNABAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
20550 Old US-12
The Rev. C. Walton Fitch, Vicar
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Every Sunday—
9:15 a.m.—Holy Communion, first, third, and fifth Sundays.
9:15 a.m.—Morning Prayer, second and fourth Sundays.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Lionel S. Burger, Minister
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Church school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.
6:00 p.m.—Worship service.
Every Wednesday—
7:30 p.m.—Bible Study.

NORTH SHARON COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
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The Rev. William Enslen, Pastor
Every Sunday—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.
6:30 p.m.—Young People's service.
Every Wednesday—
7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting.

CHELSEA MEDICAL CENTER
Every Wednesday—
1:30 p.m.—Worship service.

Huge Tree Is Symbol of Man

A French story of the 13th century relates how a huge tree was discovered in a forest, its branches lit with candles. Some branches rose straight up, while others were turned down. Atop the tree was a child, with a halo around his head. The story explains that the tree is mankind. Its candles represent people good or bad, and the child is the Christ Child.

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Ask the Governor

Question: I think it's a real shame that snowmobiles are practically taking over our outdoors. Talk about noise pollution! They're an intrusion on the environment. What's the state going to do about them, especially the ones operated by reckless kids?

ANSWER: The state has done something. Snowmobile regulation was one of the priority items in my environmental package for 1971. In December, I signed into law a bill that places controls on both the operators and manufacturers of snowmobiles. It also allows the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and cities, villages and townships to establish snowmobile ordinances.

This is a highly important environmental measure providing Michigan with the most comprehensive snowmobile legislation in the nation. We now will be able to set noise standards and better protect our natural resources, as well as snowmobile operators.

For many thousands of people, snowmobiling is a wholesome and enjoyable outlet. Our objective is to continue to make this possible, while at the same time protecting the interests of other citizens.

Question: Some young people say that the only way we can change society is to work outside the system. Do you believe that?

ANSWER: Definitely not. While our system of government has remained basically the same since our founding, society has changed enormously—proving that society can change while the so-called system remains the same. We can, and should, improve our system of government to make it more effective and more democratic, but the idea that it should be thrown out altogether is absurd.

Question: Why don't we put people who are on welfare to work in public service jobs to earn their welfare checks?

ANSWER: For one thing, the federal government prohibits "requiring work as a condition of receiving assistance." The federal government provides half of the money in a welfare check and puts many restrictions on the way in which the state may administer the program. One of these restrictions prohibits using the grant money to pay for work. Michigan is seeking federal approval to establish a pilot project to provide jobs for recipients as

well as perform many of the public services needed in hospitals, schools and other areas. California, Illinois and New York have been granted allowance for some projects. Other state efforts include the Work Incentive Program (WIN), job development programs, vocational rehabilitation and regular employment services to find work and training for welfare recipients.

We are attempting to concentrate on those people most employable and least likely to return to public assistance. Of the 504,270 people on state administered welfare programs in a recent month, there were approximately 9,300, or less than 2 percent, who were employable men; nearly 41,000 were over 65; 315,000 were children; about 94,000 were mothers with children in the home, and 33,600 were blind. Over 14,000 persons receiving ADC were employed but not earning enough to be able to leave the program.

Question: What's your favorite recipe?

ANSWER: It's hard to single out a single dish. But my wife makes a delicious chocolate pie. It's a bit rich, but absolutely delicious. Here's the recipe:

CHOCOLATE ANGEL PIE
MERINGUE SHELL
2 egg whites
1 tsp. vanilla
½ cup chopped nuts
½ cup sugar
Beat egg whites until stiff. Add sugar, vanilla and nuts. Bake 1 hour at 275 degrees.

FILLING
1 German chocolate bar
1 cup whipping cream
3 tablespoons water
Melt chocolate bar in water over low heat. Cool. Fold in whipped cream. Pipe into baked meringue shell. Refrigerate.

Telephone Your Club News
To GR 5-3581.

Less Than 10% Of Gas Used For Boats

Lansing—The total amount of gasoline used annually by motor vehicles in Michigan is more than 135 times the amount used by motorboats, according to a year-long analysis of marine fuel use in the state.

The survey and analysis showed that motorboats used approximately 27,656,000 gallons of gasoline in 1970.

This is 0.73 (seventy-three hundredths) of one percent of the nearly 3,784,000,000 taxed gallons sold in Michigan last year.

The Department of State Highways and the Department of Natural Resources made the study to establish the percentage of gasoline sold for recreational boating. It was supported financially by the Federal Highway Administration.

The State Waterways Commission receives 1.5 percent of state gasoline taxes for development of recreational boating facilities. In the fiscal year that ended last June 30, its share of tax revenues amounted to \$3,996,000.

The 1.5 percent was established by state law in 1968 as the percentage of gasoline sold in Michigan that is consumed by recreational watercraft.

The survey, conducted by the Highway Department's Transportation Planning Division and the DNR's Waterways Division, showed that actual use is about half that much.

Michigan registers more recreation watercraft than any other state. Crop production per man hour has increased 143 percent. Livestock production per man hour is up 149 percent. Crop production per acre has increased 124 percent, and livestock production per breeding unit is up 111 percent. This great productivity helps to keep food prices within reason.

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Christmas Greetings

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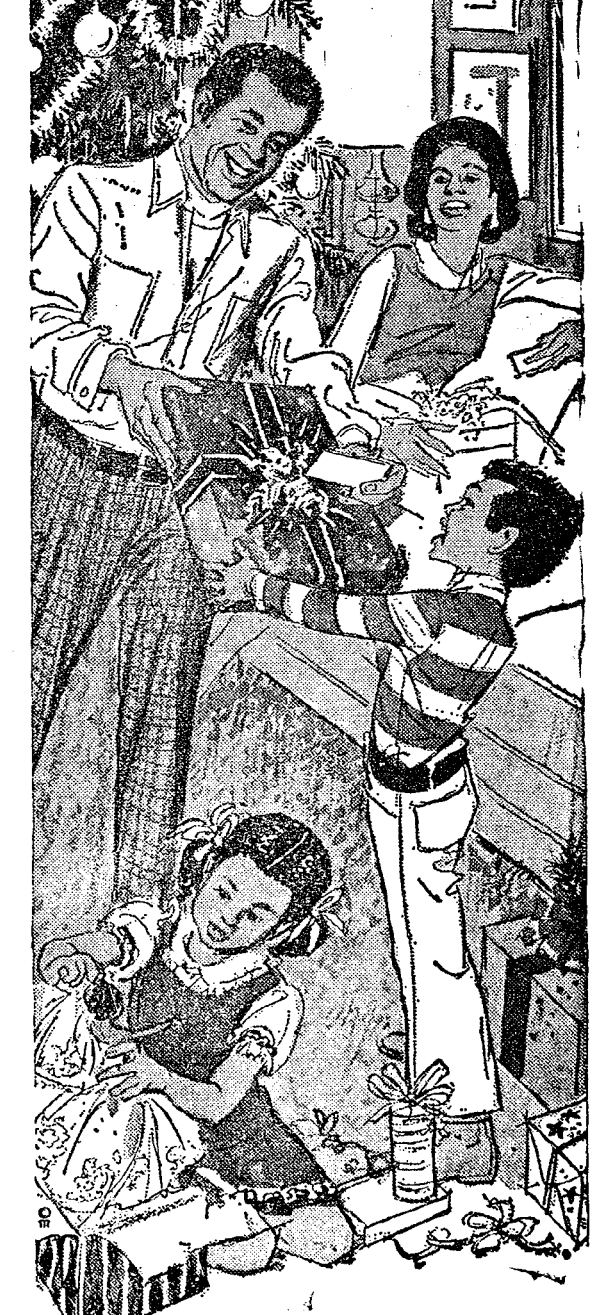
With deep sincerity, we send Christmas greetings and best wishes to all.

Chelsea Jaycettes



It's another Christmas season, ringing out with old fashioned joy. Hope you and yours have the merriest Yuletide of all. To our warm wishes, add our sincere "Thank You."

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GREETINGS

To you and your family, we wish a season filled with merriment and joy and laughter. We thank you for your trust and support.

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A VERY MERRY AND JOYOUS
HOLIDAY SEASON.

Strieter's Men's Wear



HOLY NIGHT

Rejoice. Rejoice. The Prince of Peace has come. He brings great joy. Many thanks to all our loyal friends for the joy of serving you.

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SERVICE AWARDS: Service awards were presented to six employees of the Chelsea United Methodist Home who completed five, 10 and 15 years of service this year during the Home's Employees Christmas party held Dec. 14. Here (left to right) Mrs. Meredith Wade receives her award for five years of service from Charles Alimand,

chairman of the Board of Trustees, while Edward Terry, executive director of Retirement Homes presents an award to Caroline Dorr for her 10 years of service. Not shown are five-year award recipients Kellie Allen, Mrs. Arizona Patrick and Mrs. Myrtle Prater, and 15-year award recipient Mrs. Leila Weir.



FRANCIS O. MAY

Gregory Youth Begins State Police Duty

Francis O. May, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd May, 11781 Joslin Lake Rd., Gregory, reported to the Brighton State Police Post Monday, Dec. 20, after completing two weeks of training at East Lansing.

May was one of 10 cadets participating in a brief graduation ceremony held Friday, Dec. 17, which included a meeting with Col. John R. Plants, department director.

More formal certification with presentation of certificates will be given the cadets as part of the graduation program for the 80th trooper recruit class next February.

Campers Association Meets at Steele Home

The 89'ers, area members of the National Campers and Hikers Association, held their second family pot-luck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Steele on Saturday, Dec. 18. There were 47 members and six guests present.

Games were played, and prizes awarded. Loren Wackenhut provided accordion music for singing and dancing. Santa made an appearance, with gifts for everyone.

New officers for the following year are Ed Leemon, of Pinckney, president; Willard Guest, vice-president; Margaret Olson, secretary; and Marge Steele, treasurer.

Numerous camp-outs are held throughout the state each year. The 1972 National convention will be held at Camp Atterberry, Ind., in July.

UNDER THE PALM

Some say the traditional Christmas tree was once a palm with 12 parts, each part representing one of the 12 apostles.

Conditions which may lead to a paralytic or fatal stroke often warn the victim of danger through small, temporary strokes. Medical care today can often avoid the nearest Michigan Heart Association catastrophic stroke. Ask your town office for a copy of its free booklet, "Body Language," the Warning Signs of Stroke.

Decking the Halls Has Long History

"Christ was born on Christmas day, Wreath the holly, twine the bay."

From England of long ago come the words of this carol, showing the early role of the bay tree and its greens in decorating for Christmas.

Its use harks back to ancient Greece, when both the bay and the laurel bedecked homes and public places in symbol of triumph. As traditional Christmas greens, they reflect the same joyful spirit, say the editors of the Grolier Universal Encyclopedia.

Holly, of course, is still popular as Yuletide greenery. But nowadays, when it's time to deck the halls, bay leaves are more likely to spice holiday cookery, rather than holiday decorating.

Soon to make its debut in America is a new type food store, developed in Europe, that allows the shopper to select items by push button. It's similar to an automatic cafeteria. Items are automatically retrieved and delivered at receiving doors, and an automatic retailing machine collects the money.



Reflections of Christmas fill the air with Santa, children, gifts and smiles. Hope they're all part of your holiday.

Jerry Satterthwaite
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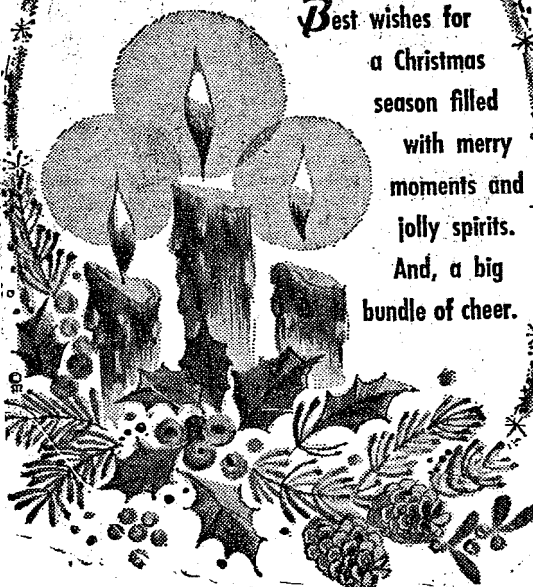
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Christmas Season and Joy in every moment.

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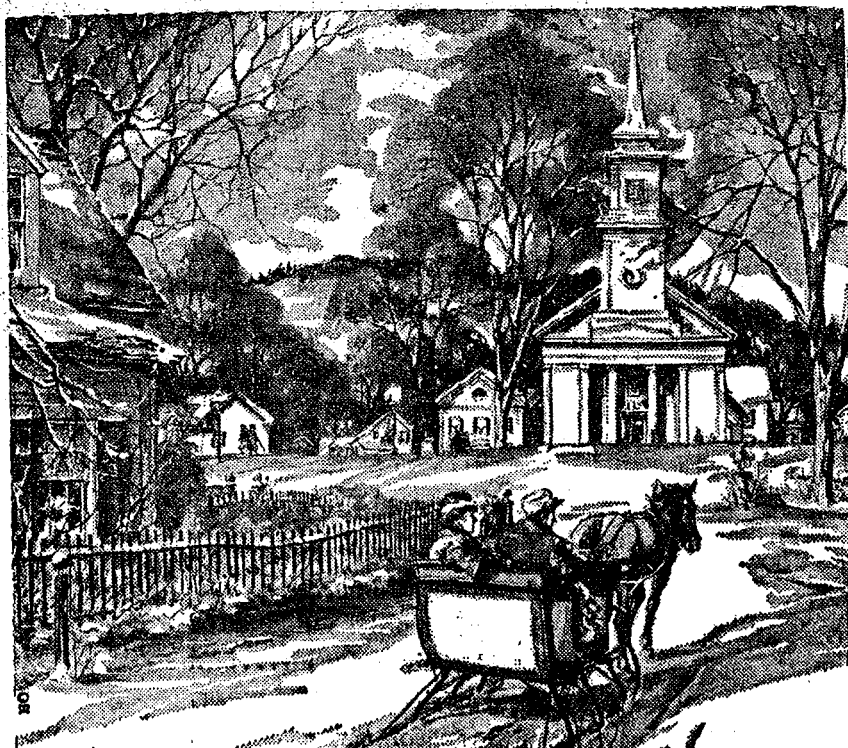
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Greetings

Best wishes for a Christmas season filled with merry moments and jolly spirits. And, a big bundle of cheer.



VOGEL'S STORE



Christmas Greetings

The beauty of the Christmas countryside fills hearts with warmth and good cheer. We take this time to share with you the traditional greetings of the season, and to thank you for your loyal support.

CHELSEA DRUG

Greetings

It came upon a midnight clear . . . as angels' voices heralded the birth of our dear Saviour. Let us rejoice.



Thompson's Pizzeria



Like jolly old Santa himself, we've a pack of good wishes for a holiday season that will long be remembered for its good cheer, and its enduring happiness.

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JUNIOR ACHIEVERS of JADCO were Santa's helpers at the Christmas party for children of Dana employees Saturday afternoon. The helpers passed out Christmas presents, and served refreshments to the 269 kids and 121 adults present. Shown here (left to right) are Richard Clark, Mary Linebaugh, Doug Sindlinger, Doug Slovickie, Charles Clemons, Trudi Sanderson, John Phinney, Linda Hafner, Mark Staphis, Richard Egeler, Cheryl Spears, and Doug Egeler.

Classics Provide Yuletide Melodies

In this century, hymns and carols of the Nativity have been composed by Peter Warlock ("Bethlehem Down") and Gustav Holst ("Mid-Winter")—among others. Often, hymns and carols have been set to the music of classic composers.

One example is, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night," by Nahum Tate. Music for this came from Handel's opera, "Siroe," as adapted by Richard Storrs Willis.

Greens Have Meaning

Greens that adorn home, streets and stores at holiday time entered the lore of Christmas from pagan rites of old.

The ancients believed that each green had its own significance, and an ability to do certain good—or evil—things.

Ivy, they thought, was festive. Its convivial nature came from Bacchus.

Yew and cypress had the highest virtues. Theirs was the quality, and the symbol, of eternal life.

GOAT GIVES

One of Santa's most unusual stand-ins is the "Jule-Bock," a goat, once the Danish gift-giver.

Silent night...

Voices join to herald the birth of our Saviour. May you enjoy peace and contentment with your loved ones.



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GREETINGS



A purr-fect fun-filled holiday is what we are wishing all of you. Do accept our sincere gratitude for your favors.

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Manger Scenes Inspire Rejoicing

All the merriment, all the magic, all the glory of Christmas comes now to the people of this enjoy. The wrappings on the package of gifts they can share and enjoy. The wrappings on the package glow with brightest promise—joyful music in the air, gleaming lights and gala decorations, fun and festivity, trees and greens and all the trimmings for a Christmas just brimming over with the good things and glad times that the season inspires.

Now that the long-awaited moment has arrived, what does this hold? The tag gives a clue. It reads, "Greetings, good will and good wishes—Merry Christmas!"

In the community, in the home, in business and social relations, the true spirit of Christmas begins and grows from greetings.

The greetings may be—as evidenced by this special Christmas Greetings Edition—an expression of good will and gratitude from business people of

the community, who are sincere in their desire to impart special appreciation of their patrons' confidence and trust.

But whether it's a cheery "Merry Christmas" to a new acquaintance, a warm exchange of season's best wishes with an old friend or still deeper exchange of felicitations with a loved one, the holiday greeting embodies the guiding spirit of "Peace on earth, good will toward men."

Enchanting as they are, gifts, parties, and other such gaieties are but the outer wrappings of the holiday package that means Christmas, with its message of fellowship, friendship and love.

NOSING AHEAD

Dasher? Dancer? Santa's most famous reindeer today is Rudolph of the red nose, from the 1939 song by Johnny Marks.



DEN 5, PACK 445—

Cubs of Den 5 made wax candles and Christmas ornaments out of yarn. We received a letter from Keith Guster, Corporal USMC, thanking us for the Christmas cards we sent him.

Scott Dalton, scribe.

DEN 1, PACK 415—

Cubs of Den 1, Pack 415 had their Christmas party Tuesday, Dec. 14 at the home of their den mother, Mrs. George Atkinson of Cavanaugh Lake. She furnished refreshments. Our pack party was Sunday, Dec. 12. It was fun. Santa was there and talked to all the children. Billy Freeman and Todd Sprague were sick and couldn't come to the party. We sang songs and exchanged gifts and then chose den officers. Denner is Andy Ahrens, assistant denner is Gerald Ratzloff, Kenneth Cobb is scribe. Our meeting closed with the Cub Scout promise.

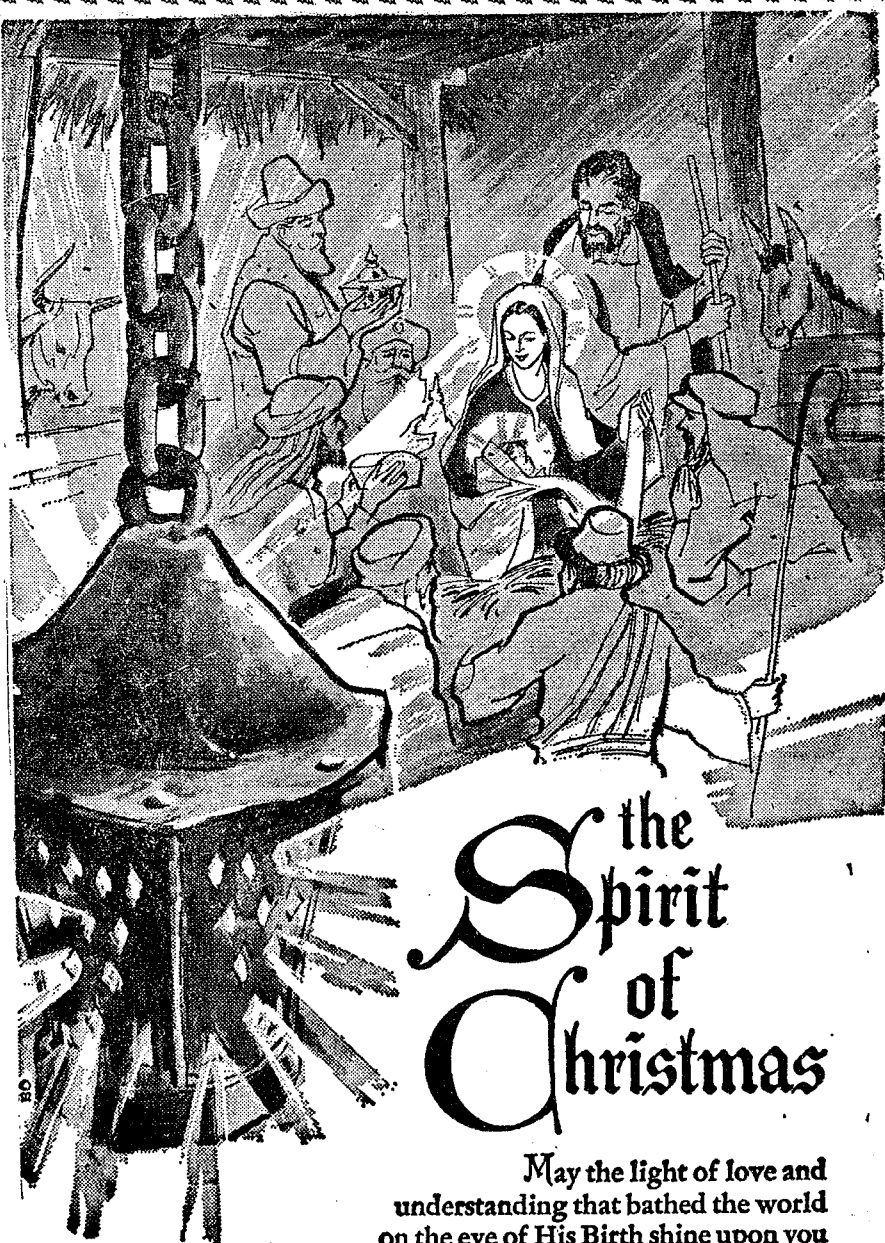
Kenneth Cobb, scribe.

Christmas Greetings



Christmas, each year, is a wondrous occasion bringing into every home an abundance of joy and happiness for all... and the eternal spirit of love and peace, which is the essence of the season, never changes.

It's the same feeling which makes us want to share the very best with our good friends and thank you for your loyalty.



The Spirit of Christmas

May the light of love and understanding that bathed the world on the eve of His Birth shine upon you and kindle your heart with everlasting joy. Let us rejoice as we cherish the blessings of this holy season.

A Merry Christmas from:

Rolly Spaulding
Carl Benjamin
Charlie McDaniels
Stan Schiller
Ed Bennett
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Don Knoll
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