

MERRY CHRISTMAS

The Chelsea Standard

WEATHER

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Wednesday, Dec. 16	36	40	0.00
Thursday, Dec. 17	33	39	0.00
Friday, Dec. 18	32	34	0.00
Saturday, Dec. 19	24	42	0.00
Sunday, Dec. 20	32	32	0.00
Monday, Dec. 21	21	30	Trace
Tuesday, Dec. 22	24	29	0.11

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QUOTE
 "We must all hang together, else we shall hang separately."
 —Benjamin Franklin.

Council Urges Time for Study Of Park Plans

Among the activities of the Chelsea Village Council meeting of this past week were several significant actions.

First item of interest to appear on the agenda was a motion by Gordon to adopt a resolution authorizing the Village Administrator to make application to the Michigan State Highway Department for an agreement relating to the construction of an additional travel lane on the east side of M-52 northerly from its intersection with Sibley Rd. to the south line of the Lanewood Subdivision.

When quizzed on the implications of such a resolution, Clerk Harvey indicated that the third lane for that section of highway must be constructed before the curb can be put in, and that a curb must be erected before a sidewalk to that area can be built.

Residents of the Lanewood Subdivision have been concerned about that stretch of highway without sidewalk facilities for quite some time. Children attending schools in the village must walk along that highway to get into town.

A second issue which the Council considered was the proposed Huron Clinton Metropolitan Authority's park at Mill Creek. Acting on concern expressed by

William Chandler, member of the Mill Creek Research Council, Councilman Dmoch proposed that two resolutions be adopted by the Council, which the Council did adopt. The first resolution requested the County Board of Commissioners to withhold approval and encouragement of the HCMA plans until further study of the effects of the proposed park to that area involved and the county in general can be determined by the Washtenaw County Metropolitan Planning Commission and the Mill Creek Research Council.

The second resolution requested HCMA to delay further action, specifically any attempt at acquisition of land until after the Mill Creek Research Council has an opportunity to submit to HCMA and receive replies concerning a list of pertinent questions. These will be submitted at the HCMA Executive Board meeting in January.

In reply to questions concerning these resolutions, Clerk Harvey indicated that the resolutions concerning the Mill Creek park is the village's affirmation of concern to those residents living in that area. He did say that the village will be unaffected by any loss to the tax base in that area.

In further action, the council

Progress Seen In Suit Against Plating Firm

A second hearing in the suit which was brought against Longworth Plating Co., by the State of Michigan Water Resources Commission was held Friday, Dec. 18, according to Longworth's attorney, William Rademacher.

Rademacher indicated that since the first hearing, which was held Monday, Nov. 30, at which time the state had requested, and was denied, an injunction, the State Water Resources Commission had done extensive further testing of the pollutants which Longworth had allegedly been emptying into the Chelsea sewage system. According to the new tests, the water which returns to the Chelsea sewage system represents "substantial compliance" with state guidelines.

Longworth's firm asserted, at their first hearing, that the tests which were taken this summer, which caused the state to press charges, were taken during a period of malfunction of his anti-pollution devices, and do not represent the operation of his company at it exists at the present time. As a result of further testing, the state has come to a tentative agreement with these assertions.

Prior to the state's bringing suit against Longworth Plating, the owner had purchased new and improved pollution control devices, which he is presently in the process of installing. More equipment is scheduled to arrive shortly.

A third, and hopefully final hearing is scheduled for Jan. 22, at which time Longworth, and his attorney, hope the suit will be cleared up.

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SANTA'S FANS at the Christmas party held for the children of Dana employees, included David Stevens (front), and, from left, Jerry, Greg, and Pam Stevens, children of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Salyer; Tonya and Kevin Puckett, children of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Puckett; and Tony Push, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Push. Santa gave out stockings filled with candy, and a toy to every child under 12 years of age. Those who were seven years old or younger received coloring books, and crayons, while the older children received jigsaw puzzles.

Churches Plan Special Events For Christmas

Christmas Eve services at local churches promise to be varied this year, reflecting the spirit of Christmas in many different ways.

At the First United Methodist church, for example, there will be a social hour, from 6:30 until 7:30 p.m., prior to their Christmas Eve services. Christmas desserts from around the world will be featured at the event. At 7:30 p.m., the festivities will move into the chapel, where a "Carols by Candlelight" worship service will be held. A film-strip, entitled "The Other Wise Man," will be shown.

First Congregational church will also feature a candle and carol service. It will be held at 8 p.m. on Christmas Eve.

Two Christmas Eve services will be held at St. Paul United Church of Christ. There will be Holy Communion at both services, which will be held at 7:30 and 11 p.m. At the earlier service, the Youth Choir will sing the anthem "Listen Shepherd, Listen." The Festival Choir, the High School and Chancel choirs combined, will perform the anthem "Glory to God in the Highest," by Whitford, and the "Hallelujah Chorus," by Handel, at the second service.

St. Mary Catholic church will hold traditional Midnight Mass at midnight on Christmas Eve. The mass will be celebrated with three priests. Christmas Day masses will be held at 6:30, 8, 10, and 11:30 a.m.

The Rev. Fr. Walton Fitch will be busily commuting between Chelsea and Dexter this Christmas. St. Barnabas Episcopal church will feature a Christmas carol sing from 9:30 until 10 p.m., with the celebration of the First Eucharist of Christmas at 10 p.m. He will then return to Dexter where he will celebrate Midnight Eucharist at St. James Episcopal church at 11:45 p.m. Christmas Day the Rev. Fr. Fitch will hold Christmas Eucharist at St. Barnabas church, at 9:15 a.m., returning to Dexter by 11 a.m. for Christmas Day services there.

Zion Lutheran church, Rogers Corners, will present their Sunday school program entitled "Every Star Will Shine," at their Christmas Eve services which will be held at 7:30 p.m. This is an annual tradition at the Family Service on Christmas Eve.

At 11 p.m. St. Thomas Evangelical Lutheran church and Zion Lutheran will hold a joint candlelight service at St. Thomas. Both choirs will sing a joint anthem. The Rev. Morris, pastor of Zion Lutheran, will give the sermon.

Festival worship will be Christmas Day for Zion Lutherans at 9:30 a.m. The Junior and Senior Choirs will both sing.

Christmas Eve Family Candlelight Carol Service will be held at Our Saviour Lutheran church at 7:30 p.m. The Sunday school and the High School Bible class will take charge of most of the service.

From all indications the people of Chelsea will keep the spirit of Christmas alive in their hearts this year, no matter what one's denomination.

PITY THE POOR COOKS:

1,600 Festive Dinners Ready ... But Nobody Came To Eat

What does one do with a turkey dinner planned for 1,600 people in the school system—and they close the schools? That was the problem that faced the cooks of the Chelsea schools, and Business Manager Fred Mills, Tuesday morning, Dec. 22, when the last day of school before Christmas vacation was called off due to hazardous roads.

Chelsea's cooks had been pre-

paring the festive pre-Christmas turkey dinner since Thursday of the week before. By Tuesday morning, all that was left to do was to heat and serve the turkey and dressing. Twenty-four 16-pound turkeys, and dressing and goodies to feed 1,600 hungry students and faculty sat waiting—but no one was coming to dinner.

Business Manager Mills was called in to help the cooks

solve their problems. The turkeys could all be frozen, and be served another day. Perishables such as the 22 sheet pies, and 1,600 servings of fruit salad Jell-O, however, had to be distributed, somehow. Mills put on his Santa suit, and went to work. By the end of the morning, he was able to dispose of all the pies and Jell-O, and had contacted the milk and candy company to pick up their shipment. The school had purchased more than 1,600 Santa suckers for the mammoth meal.

Chelsea Methodist Home and the Chelsea Medicenter were the happy recipients of the delicious pies and Jell-O salads the Chelsea school cooks had lovingly made.

It wasn't necessarily the story of the loaves and fishes, but rumor has it that any staving soul who showed up at the high school Tuesday morning was treated to a free turkey dinner with all the trimmings.

Varsity Cagers Lose Two in Final Seconds

Chelsea varsity cagers traveled to Milan Friday evening, Dec. 18, to face the always tough Milan Big Reds. After a bitter fight, the Bulldogs succumbed to the powerful Big Red team, 58-52.

The first half was nip and tuck with Chelsea leading all the way, until Milan scored just before half time to lead, 23-21.

The Bulldogs showed much poise and team work as they worked the ball to get the open shot. The result showed balanced scoring as Wojcicki had 7, Sweeney, 5, Welton, 4, and Treado, 3 points.

Doug Wollard led Milan with 18 of their 36 points.

The second half found the Bulldogs very cold from the floor, hitting on only 28 percent of their shots. Milan, however, was blistering the nets at a 40 percent rate, hitting 14 of 35 shots. The Bulldogs fought hard and kept pace with their accuracy from the free throw line. After falling behind by 10 points midway in the fourth quarter, the Bulldogs fought back to within three points at 53-50, with a minute to play. A basket by Milan led the victory for the Big Reds.

During the spurt by Chelsea, the Bulldogs hit for 11 straight free throws, sandwiched around baskets by Wojcicki, Hughes, and Treado.

Chelsea was led in scoring by Jim Wojcicki, with 21 points. Doug Wollard, Milan's "one-man gang," led the Big Reds with 36 points.

Howie Treado and Ron Sweeney again did most of the rebounding with Howie getting 10, and Ron 7. The story of the game best showed in the statistics as Milan led in rebounding, 44-32, and in shooting 43 percent to 28 percent.

After the heart-breaking loss to Milan on Friday, Chelsea faced the ever-tough Ypsilanti Lincoln Railsplitters team on Saturday evening, Dec. 19. After leading for more than three quarters, the Bulldogs ran out of gas, and again lost the action packed game by a close score of 59-57. The game was not decided until Al Napier converted two free throws with nine seconds remaining in the game.

The early part of the game was dominated by the determined Bulldogs. Ron Sweeney led the opening period by converting five of six free throws. Jim Wojcicki added two long baskets along with a jumper by Wayne Welton. Howie Treado and Jeff Schmidt contributed two baskets inside.

Chelsea extended her 16-10 first quarter lead to 35-28 at half-time. Howie Treado led the second quarter scoring by getting 11 of his team high 18 points in the stanza. The Lincoln team began to play together and made two concerted tries to catch the hustling Bulldogs, but each time Chelsea pulled away.

The third quarter found the Railsplitters taking charge of the game and outscoring Chelsea, 19-13, to cut the Bulldog lead to 48-47 at the end of the quarter. Vern Porter scored 7 of his 19 points in the period.

Shortly after the fourth period began, Lincoln took the lead for the first time. From there on it was a frantic battle for supremacy. Lincoln led by as much as five points with three minutes left to play. But the defense minded Bulldogs took the momentum away from Lincoln and tied the game with less than 20 seconds to go.

Al Napier was inadvertently fouled as he tried to drive between three Bulldogs to set the stage for his game-winning free throws. (Continued on page six)

Debaters 3rd In G.P. Heckle Tournament

Varsity debaters attended the Grosse Pointe North Varsity Heckle tournament Saturday, Dec. 19, at Grosse Pointe High School. The Chelsea team placed third, taking home yet another trophy to add to their already voluminous collection.

Coach William Coelius explained that a heckle tournament is one where participating members may heckle the speaker in an attempt to throw him off the track. Chelsea debaters did well with this new format, as Dan Gaunt and Chick Lane both took home trophies for being the best negative debaters in the tournament.

The tournament, which was an open invitation, attracted some tough competition. Twelve teams attended the meet, among which

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Thief Drives Away in New Chev. Truck

An unusual theft occurred Friday afternoon, Dec. 18, at Spaulding Chevrolet, 405 N. Main. An unidentified man got into a 1971 Chevrolet truck, and drove off with it. The truck had been parked in the front of the lot, and the individual simply drove the truck across the sidewalk, onto the street and away.

The incident occurred at approximately 4 p.m. that afternoon. The vehicle was found later that evening on Merritt Rd., Ypsilanti, by a trooper of the Michigan State Police Post 26. The truck was (Continued on page three)



MRS. LOUIS RAMP, left, director of Chelsea Social Service, assisted by Mrs. Dave Colquhoun, displays the lovely dolls which were dressed by the residents of the Chelsea Methodist Home for use in this year's Christmas boxes. Among the costumes made by the residents at the Home were hand-made lace caps and booties on a baby doll, a hand-quilted robe, and patchwork quilt, hand-quilted, made from one inch squares of fabric. The dolls show the loving care bestowed upon them by the ladies at the Home.

Social Service Agency Aids 42 Families at Christmas

Christmas basket time for the Chelsea Social Service has come around again. Filling the 42 boxes on this year's list on Friday afternoon were Mrs. Louis Ramp and a helping crew of three "elves."

Mrs. Ramp was very pleased to note that the Social Service did not have to buy anything for this year's baskets. Canned goods, clothing, and toys, given by various members, and groups within the community, and some outside help, provided the basis for Christmas for 42 families this season.

According to Mrs. Ramp, there will be enough food to fill a large carton, with canned goods, and some "specialty

items" for every family on her list. Each child will have a new toy, and a choice of the used toys. More than 100 toys have been received from the Ann Arbor chapter of the Salvation Army to fill out this year's baskets.

Chelsea Milling Co., always generous with the Social Service, gave all the boxes, unused new cartons, each one filled with a generous supply of Jiffy mixes.

St. Paul's United Church of Christ donated canned goods, as did students from Chelsea High school, and Beach Middle school. Mrs. Fred Meyer's nursery school classes at the Chelsea Co-op Nursery, and Mrs. Jack Mer-

kel's sixth grade class at St. Mary's school donated goods, also.

Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational church donated canned goods, candy, socks, and mittens. The "white gifts" from White Gift Sunday at St. Barnabas Episcopal church, gifts of food or clothing, were also received. St. Paul United church of Christ also donated "white gifts" of food and a quantity of clothing.

More than 180 popcorn balls, made by the women of the Esther Circle of the Congregational church were given to round out the baskets. The gifts which spoke most

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GIRL SCOUT CADET TROOP 98 of Chelsea caroled at the Chelsea Methodist Home during the dinner hour on Sunday evening, Dec. 20, to help round out Christmas activities at the Home. Among the singing girls are, from left, Mrs. Robert Poquette, assistant troop leader; Jo Popovich, Jo LaFontaine, Michele Osborne, Jane Knott, Carol Schroen, and Debbie Conklin. Seated around the table, from center, left, are Mrs. Hildred Sims, Mrs. Anna Lentz, and Mrs. Cornelia Weeks. Miss Gertrude Richardson is seated with her back to the camera.

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Washington Report
 by Congressman
MARVIN L. ESCH

For almost four decades, the United States has moved in the direction of trade liberalization, a policy which has resulted in our emergence as the world's leading trading nation. The House recently approved major, and in my view unwise, legislation to reverse this policy. I voted against the bill.

This legislation is exceedingly far-reaching, containing among other provisions mandatory import quotas for shoes and synthetic and wool textiles. The imposition of mandatory import quotas on these items would certainly lead to heavy pressure to provide the same sort of protection for other industries.

There is little doubt that certain industries have legitimate grievances; our domestic inflation, with its rising costs and prices, makes our exports harder to sell and our imports more competitive. Moreover, a number of our trading partners have imposed restrictive controls of their own on our exports. Although some counter-vailing action is certainly justified, I believe that quotas constitute the wrong action at the wrong time.

Quotas are more inflationary than other remedies available to us since they restrict supply and lessen competition. In effect, they represent a tax on the consumer.

By approving this bill, the House has invited retaliatory action which may well kick off an

international trade war. Such a development could seriously threaten the approximately four million American jobs directly attributable to total U.S. exports—far more than are threatened by imports.

The global implications of our establishing mandatory import quotas are particularly ominous in light of our position as the world's leading trader. This legislation would jeopardize that position and will hurt worst the small nations which are our closest allies and friends.

Because of this country's consistent efforts to lower trade barriers on a multi-lateral basis, we have emerged as the world's leading trading nation. We have wisely rejected the protectionist philosophy of an earlier era, and have followed an enlightened policy with respect to international trade. As the apostle of the free enterprise system, we cannot and should not abdicate our leadership in international commerce. We should not, in my judgment, erect a "Berlin wall" around the United States because while it may serve a short term goal of keeping others out, it will have the ultimate effect of keeping us in.

The Senate will consider this legislation sometime in the week ahead. I am hopeful that they will reverse the unwise action taken by the House and refuse to encumber American trade.

Uncle Lew from Lima Says:

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:
 You would think the fellows were in church at the country store Saturday night, Mister Editor, for all the sweetness and light they were spreading over one another. If any of them could carry a tune in a bucket, chances are good the hole bunch would be busting out with all the words they know of "God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen."

The Christmas season was on their minds, that's for shore. If

were Clem Webster that kind of took the lead in the discussion that even had Ed Doolittle crossing party lines to vote for such things as the basic love fer his feller man that Clem allowed ever man has got somewhere inside him. Clem said Christmas is such a joyous time he even forgits that the decorations in the stores has been up since afore Thanksgiving.

This is the time of year, declared Clem, when we had ought to try and renew our faith in our friends and neighbors, try to tighten the bonds of understanding that holds this world together and remind ourselves that this basic love fer one another is the only real hope fer peace in this world. Fer shore, Mister Editor, it was one of the few times that Clem wasn't interrupted by somebody that thought he had some pun more important to say.

Clem said fer once he had done just about everything his old lady had told him to do. And fer once, he said, his old lady hadn't told him to do nothing but stay out of the gifts and out of the kitchen til she give him the go ahead. Clem said he had even remembered to mail all but one batch of Christmas cards, so he had ever reason to believe th world was in fair shape all around.

The fellers was full agreed with Clem that Christmas is a time to think about the good side of things, and to wipe the slate clean of bitter feelings about politics, religion and commerce. Bug Hookum said he even caught himself feeling sorry fer the fellers at the post office this past week, and the mail service being what it is usual, that was about as far as he expects to go in the good will department.

Actual, Mister Editor, the session was unusual quiet, and all the fellers seem to welcome the change. Ed Doolittle had a few clippings and he started two or three times to read from em, but he caught himself and once he said that the Christmas spirit and a discussion of the do nothing

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 Ut.-Std., \$22 to \$25
 Fed Holsteins, \$24 to \$28
- Cows:**
 Heifers, \$21 to \$23
 Ut.-Comm., \$19 to \$21.50
 Canner-Cutters, \$18 to \$19
 Fat Yellow Cows, \$16 to \$18
- Bulls:**
 Heavy, \$25 to \$27.50
 Light and Common, \$20-\$25
- Calves:**
 Prime, \$44 to \$48
 Good-Choice, \$40 to \$44
 Cull-Med., \$25 to \$30
 Heavy Deacons, \$35 to \$40
 Light Deacons, \$30 to \$35
- HOGS**
 Butchers:
 180-lb. to 240-lb., No. 1, \$17 to \$18.50
 180-lb. to 240-lb., No. 2, \$16 to \$17
 240-lb. and up, \$14 to \$16
- Pigs:**
 Fancy Light, \$12 to \$12.50
 800-lb. to 500-lb., \$11 to \$12
 500-lb. and up, \$10 to \$11
- Sheep and Goats:**
 All Weights, \$12 to \$14
 Fed Head, \$7 to \$12.50
- Wool:**
 Wooled Slaughter Lambs:
 Choice-Prime, \$24 to \$25.50
 Good-Utl., \$20 to \$24
- Feeder Lambs:**
 Slaughter, \$4.50 to \$5.50
 All Weights, \$22 to \$24

Watch Stored Corn Closely

Moisture and insect activity threaten all stored corn, but they are especially threatening to blight-damaged corn, warns a Michigan State University plant pathologist.

"Close watch of stored corn may help prevent significant deterioration of grain quality," says Dr. N. A. Smith.

"Get the moisture level down to 13 percent or less and keep it there to prevent growth of field organisms," he recommends.

"Watch for development of hot spots and wet spots to prevent grain damage from growth of the field organisms."

The problem of uneven moisture levels may be worse for storage of blends, says Smith. Iowa extension pathologists report moisture differences of up to 10 percent among blended varieties.

"Maintaining uniform moisture levels in stored corn may be a greater problem next year," predicts Smith, "because of the probable increase in planting of blends."

To help maintain proper moisture levels, be especially careful to see that drying and aerating equipment is operating properly. Even with precautions, long-term storage of blight-damaged corn may cause problems, Smith adds.

Congress just didn't go together. Ed kept agreeing with Clem on his thoughts fer Christmas, but the rest of the fellers got the idea that agreeing under any conditions don't come easy fer Ed.

Personal, Mister Editor, I hope you git yore paper out on time this week, so you can have a few hours to enjoy the season, Merry Christmas.

Yours truly,
 Uncle Lew.

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MICHIGAN MIRROR
 By Elmer E. White, Secretary, Michigan Press Association

Whose Ox Is It?

Members of the Michigan State Senate are offering graphic proof of the old adage about things all depending on whose ox is being gored.

The upper chamber of the legislature will be split on a 19-19 basis between Republicans and Democrats for the next four years. The GOP plans to take control of the Senate, however, because the Lieutenant Governor, who presides over the Senate, will be Republican, James Brickley.

They will use his vote to break the tie and give them all of the committee chairmanships and a majority of the membership of all the committees.

Not unexpectedly, Democrats cry "unfair" about the Republican plans.

They say since the Senate is split 19-19, all power in the upper chamber should also be split evenly.

"We are not going to submit to anything less than co-equal representation," said Senate Democratic Leader George Fitzgerald. "There are 19 of you and 19 of us. That means we're equal."

Fitzgerald, though, will probably be frustrated in his efforts as long as the current situation exists.

The whole matter is put in perspective when it is compared to the situation in the Illinois State Senate.

In that body, the Democrats also gained a split—on a 29-29 basis—for the coming session. But in Illinois the lieutenant governor, Paul Simon, is a Democrat. And as a result, the Democrats plan to organize and control the Illinois State Senate.

Arguments being used by Republicans in Michigan about why they should control everything are being used by the Democrats in Illinois. The arguments used by Illinois Republicans about why things should be equally divided sound strangely like those being used by Michigan Democrats.

Senate Republican Leader Robert Vander Laan of Grand Rapids took note of the parallel nature of the two situations during a recent Senate debate.

"Just a sidelight," he grinned. "Senator Fitzgerald's talents, and they are great, will probably be sought by the Republican caucus in the Illinois Senate to defend their position because I understand they are going to take the position that Senator Fitzgerald has taken here which is understandable."

references to the constitution, Justice, the American Way and so forth from both sides of the aisle.

But perhaps the most down to earth analysis came from Republican Caucus Chairman Charles O. Zollar of Benton Harbor.

Zollar told the Senate he had "been able to learn a great deal" from watching his Democratic colleagues operate in past years.

"I learned from them that when you have the votes you use them," he said. "At the present time the Republican Party has the votes, and we will use the Democratic prerogative of using them."

More Milk Per Cow

Average milk production for cows on Dairy Herd Improvement Association (DHIA) tests jumped nearly 200 pounds per cow last year—one of the biggest increases in recent years.

Average cow production was 12,752 pounds in 1969 and 12,948 in 1970, reports Peter Spike, Michigan State University extension dairyman.

Spike credits more careful cow selection and feeding for the big increase.

Three Kings

Three Kings Islands, the bird sanctuary off the northern tip of New Zealand, were named after the Three Wise Men by Dutch explorer Abel Tasman, who discovered the rocky islets on January 6, 1643, the twelfth day after Christmas.

Snow Makes Work

Michigan residents will pay \$12.5 million this winter to keep the 9,221 miles of state highways open.

That's how much money it takes to keep the 1,200 big snow trucks and 61 big snow blowers which work on state highways during the winter in operation.

"Good winter maintenance is an expensive bit necessary operation," explains Highway Director Henrik E. Stafseth. "Michigan motorists are accustomed to a state highway system that is open every place and on every day of the year."

The department put the final touches on its winter preparations back in November, when several hundred department workers converged on 28 maintenance garages for their annual "dress rehearsal."

When a storm sweeps across the entire state, all of the trucks and blowers move onto state highways to clear away the snow. Actually, only 300 of the 1,200 snowplow trucks are state-owned. The remainder is owned by counties which contract with the state to keep the state highways open at that particular county.

When ice becomes the problem, salt is the main ammunition. The department stockpiled 370,000 tons of salt and about 10,000 tons of calcium chloride for use in combating ice.

The calcium chloride is added to the hundreds of piles of sand ready for icy roads, preventing the sand from freezing and making it easier to spread, as well as being used on roads when temperatures don't exactly look forward to winter," Stafseth explains. "But when it comes, we're ready as we can be."

JUST REMINISCING
 Items Taken from the Files of The Chelsea Standard

4 Years Ago . . .
 Thursday, Dec. 29, 1966—
 Chelsea's 1966 Christmas baby was born at 6:01 Christmas morning. Samantha Gail, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Collinsworth, 406 North St., was the package Santa delivered for the stork, before taking his holiday.

Electronics Technician Second Class Paul J. Schramm, Jr., USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Schramm, Sr., of 5800 Stofor Rd., Chelsea, is a crew member aboard the nuclear power guided missile cruiser Long Beach, which recently joined the Seventh Fleet on station off the coast of Vietnam.

Bob Kushmaul, president of the Class of '66 at Chelsea High school said Friday that the class has received a letter acknowledging the gift of \$1,000 given by the class to the YMCA library at Athens, Greece. He explained the money for the gift was the amount left over from the class and Trip Club treasuries, money earned by the class for the two treasuries. The money from the Chelsea class is being used to buy reference books for the library operated in connection with the "Y" school in Athens. A book plate, designed by Sandy Severn and Mrs. Donna Taylor, (formerly Donna Cotterman) of the 1966 class will be placed in the front of each book acknowledging the gift. The book plate includes a handclasp with the words, "Friendship and Knowledge" in the design.

Christmas program at Peace Auditorium last Thursday. The choir musical, under the direction of Haydn Morgan, consisted entirely of Christmas carols, sung by the choir of 186 voices. The Chelsea representatives of last year's class were Joanne Moore, and Jean Eisenbeiser. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Moore and family, accompanied by Ellen Jane Geddes, attended the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Barth entertained relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Barth in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary, on Thursday, Dec. 19, in Phyllis Wedemeyer's apartment at the Sylvan Hotel. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Barth, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Lesser, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lesser, and son, Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Eppler, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sager, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Park, Kathryn

Chairman, Rudolph Eschelbach, Mrs. Ella Gross, and daughter Rita, and Phyllis Wedemeyer, all of Chelsea. Also present was Mrs. Etta Covert of Lansing. The evening's entertainment consisted of bingo, followed by moving pictures shown by Mr. Park of Florida, his deer hunting trips into northern Michigan, and pheasant hunting trip in South Dakota.

34 Years Ago . . .
 Thursday, Dec. 24, 1936—
 Christmas candlelight service will be held at St. Paul's Evangelical church at 6:30 on Christmas morning, when the Biblical drama, "The Birth of Christ," by J. H. Kuhlman, will be presented under the direction of Mrs. Wilbur Hinderer. Mrs. Katherine Kusterer will play Mary, while Paul Pielemeier will be Zacharias. Donald Adam is Joseph, and Mrs. Olga Strieter is Gabriel, while the shepherds will be played by Eldine Hawley, Carl Schneider, William Bahnmiller, and Frederick Strieter. (Continued on page six)

14 Years Ago . . .

Thursday, Dec. 27, 1956—
 Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bycraft have the distinction of being the parents of the first baby born on Christmas day, 1956, in Washenaw county. Their baby, a daughter, was born at 12:38 a.m. at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, in Ann Arbor. They have named the new baby Diane Barbara.

Richard Schneider of McMinnville, Ore., flew here to spend the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Schneider, and other members of the family. His twin brother, Douglas, who is a student at Michigan State University majoring in subjects pertaining to his planned career as a missionary, was also home for Christmas, as well as another brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Schneider. Richard Schneider is a senior college student, and is active in missionary work at Eola Migrant Mission at McMinnville, and is also manager of the Federal Housing Authority for Yamhill county.

The Washenaw County Sheriff's Department mounted posse swung into action here Friday night, and Saturday, in an attempt to apprehend a man who fled from the scene of an attempted burglary at the Chelsea Implement Co., on Chelsea-Manchester Rd. Deputy Sheriff Ford O. Martz and two National Guard troops assigned to his car, drove into the company's driveway to check a car parked at the rear of the building. As they approached, the car suddenly sped away. Nothing was reported missing at the company.

Chelsea firemen were called to the Edwin Ledridge place at 7075 Hanked Rd., at 4:45 p.m. last Thursday when a small barn was destroyed by fire. The property is owned by the Rev. Harvey Pearce, according to Fire Department records.

IT'S CHRISTMAS

It's the happy time!
 We send our wishes for a merry season of gatherings with families and friends. And it's the time to say thanks for letting us serve you.

The pleasure has been ours. We look forward to more Christmases with you.

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Watch Stored Corn Closely

Moisture and insect activity threaten all stored corn, but they are especially threatening to blight-damaged corn, warns a Michigan State University plant pathologist.

"Close watch of stored corn may help prevent significant deterioration of grain quality," says Dr. N. A. Smith.

"Get the moisture level down to 13 percent or less and keep it there to prevent growth of field organisms," he recommends.

"Watch for development of hot spots and wet spots to prevent grain damage from growth of the field organisms."

The problem of uneven moisture levels may be worse for storage of blends, says Smith. Iowa extension pathologists report moisture differences of up to 10 percent among blended varieties.

"Maintaining uniform moisture levels in stored corn may be a greater problem next year," predicts Smith, "because of the probable increase in planting of blends."

To help maintain proper moisture levels, be especially careful to see that drying and aerating equipment is operating properly. Even with precautions, long-term storage of blight-damaged corn may cause problems, Smith adds.

Congress just didn't go together. Ed kept agreeing with Clem on his thoughts fer Christmas, but the rest of the fellers got the idea that agreeing under any conditions don't come easy fer Ed.

Personal, Mister Editor, I hope you git yore paper out on time this week, so you can have a few hours to enjoy the season, Merry Christmas.

Yours truly,
 Uncle Lew.

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More Milk Per Cow

Average milk production for cows on Dairy Herd Improvement Association (DHIA) tests jumped nearly 200 pounds per cow last year—one of the biggest increases in recent years.

Average cow production was 12,752 pounds in 1969 and 12,948 in 1970, reports Peter Spike, Michigan State University extension dairyman.

Spike credits more careful cow selection and feeding for the big increase.

Three Kings

Three Kings Islands, the bird sanctuary off the northern tip of New Zealand, were named after the Three Wise Men by Dutch explorer Abel Tasman, who discovered the rocky islets on January 6, 1643, the twelfth day after Christmas.

Snow Makes Work

Michigan residents will pay \$12.5 million this winter to keep the 9,221 miles of state highways open.

That's how much money it takes to keep the 1,200 big snow trucks and 61 big snow blowers which work on state highways during the winter in operation.

"Good winter maintenance is an expensive bit necessary operation," explains Highway Director Henrik E. Stafseth. "Michigan motorists are accustomed to a state highway system that is open every place and on every day of the year."

The department put the final touches on its winter preparations back in November, when several hundred department workers converged on 28 maintenance garages for their annual "dress rehearsal."

When a storm sweeps across the entire state, all of the trucks and blowers move onto state highways to clear away the snow. Actually, only 300 of the 1,200 snowplow trucks are state-owned. The remainder is owned by counties which contract with the state to keep the state highways open at that particular county.

When ice becomes the problem, salt is the main ammunition. The department stockpiled 370,000 tons of salt and about 10,000 tons of calcium chloride for use in combating ice.

The calcium chloride is added to the hundreds of piles of sand ready for icy roads, preventing the sand from freezing and making it easier to spread, as well as being used on roads when temperatures don't exactly look forward to winter," Stafseth explains. "But when it comes, we're ready as we can be."

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Christmas Tree

A Christmas Tree game that everyone can play is a guessing game. In "Christmas Tree" the person who is "it" leaves the room while the other players decide on a secret word. It must be a verb, or a word showing action such as run, eat or swim.

Pin the Star

Children never tire of exciting party games, while the adults may need a rest. One game that is loads of fun for kids to play and adults to watch is a seasonal version of "Pin the Tail on the Donkey." This one is "Pin the Star on the Christmas Tree."

Social Service

(Continued from page one) of love were the dolls which were dressed by the ladies of the Chelsea Methodist Home. The women are given the dolls in early fall by the Social Service. The residents of the Home then dress the dolls in hand-made costumes. The dolls are beautifully dressed when they return, with hand-made lace caps, and booties, hand quilted robes, and here and there a bit of patchwork—made of one inch patches.

Mrs. Ramp explained that this tradition, which has continued for a number of years, is one of the nicest aspects of the Christmas boxes. The ladies who have made the costumes for the dolls are honored at a special tea each February, hosted by the Social Service.

Christmas boxes were given out Saturday, Dec. 19, from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. at the Sylvan Town Hall. There were 59 adults, 68 boys, and 58 girls in the Chelsea area, who were a little happier this Christmas thanks to the generosity of other Chelsea residents.

Stolen Truck Stripped

(Continued from page one) completely stripped of the engine, front tires, and all interior items. Chelsea Police, in conjunction with the Michigan State Police Post 26, are still investigating the incident.

Cager of the Week



JIM HERCULES, senior, plays both guard and forward, for this year's Bulldog cage team. This is Jim's second year on the varsity team, although he has played on Chelsea roundball teams for four years. He is also on the Bulldog baseball team. Outside of school sports activities, Jim enjoys swimming, skiing, and golf. He is a member of National Honor Society. Following high school, he would like to attend Albion college, or Miami of Ohio, where he will specialize in architecture. Jim has lived in Chelsea since the seventh grade, when he moved here from Gaylor. He lives at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Doyle, 14 Chestnut Dr. He has a sister, Cindy, who is 21, now attending Albion College, and a brother, Bob, who is 13. A set of five-year-old twins, Joe and Susie, round out his family.

Bright Star in East Is Not the Star of Bethlehem

Ann Arbor—That shiny object in the eastern sky at sunrise isn't the Star of Bethlehem or even a flying saucer. It's only Venus. Sometimes called our sister planet, Venus will shine very brightly throughout the month. It reached peak brightness on Wednesday, Dec. 16.

James A. Loudon, chief demonstrator at the University of Michigan's Exhibit Museum planetarium and lecturer in astronomy at the U-M Residential College, said the planet "looks just like a star, except that it's much, much brighter. If you know ex-

actly where to look, you can even see it in broad daylight." He said Venus can best be seen between 5:30 a.m. and 6:30 a.m. high in the eastern sky. Later, dawn brightens the sky and makes viewing more difficult. The planet's brightness is caused by sunlight reflecting off its dense clouds, Loudon explained. He said light reaching earth from Venus is strong enough to cast shadows under proper conditions. Loudon noted that Tuesday's (Dec. 15) arrival of the Russian Venus probe, Venera 7, was only coincidental with the planet's peak brightness on Wednesday.

REUNION Tiger Coach Joe Schultz, on a USO tour of Vietnam, was able to see his son Tommy there.



Christmas Wishes

Jolly old St. Nick is coming to help us thank all our patrons, friends, ... you!

INVERNESS INN

BOB AND AUDREY EISELE BOB AND PEARL FITZSIMMONS



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 good fortune. Warm thanks for your loyalty.

From All of Us at DANCER'S

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CUB SCOUT NEWS

DEN 13, PACK 435—Den 13, Pack 435 started the meeting by saying the Cub Scout promise. Den mothers Mrs. Myers and Mrs. Steinaway brought donuts for treats. The Cubs wrapped presents for their parents for the Cub Scout Christmas party. Andy Weir, scribe.

DEN 2, PACK 455—Cub Scouts of Den 2, Pack 455, exchanged Christmas gifts at their Dec. 16 meeting at the home of their den mother, Mrs. Sumner Oesterle. They also took turns at trying to break the pinata, Jeff Boyer being the successful boy. There will be no meetings of Den 2 until school opens after Christmas vacation, it was announced.

Bill Maynard carried the American flag, Pat Murphy the den flag, and Doug Nutt and Dean Schneider assisted during the flag ceremony which opened and closed the meeting together with a thought for the day. Refreshments were brought by Mike Waldyke. Billy Maynard, scribe.

ENCORE For the third year in a row, the Tigers will open their home schedule against the Cleveland Indians. Opening day will be April 6.

Oakland county's representative on the Board of Commissioners of the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority is James Clarkson, president of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Oakland county. Clarkson resides in Drayton Plains.

Greetings

Christmas has arrived! A time for gaily-wrapped goodies, yes, but also a time to count our each and every blessing... and to say thanks to all those whom we are privileged to serve.



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FOR SALE — Used school buses. Contact Fred Mills, Business Manager, Chelsea School District. Bids to be taken Jan. 4, 1971. Phone 475-3461. 28

DOG LOST — Mixed breed, predominantly boxer. Lost from Waterloo Rd., Chelsea. Brown with black stripes. White feet, chest, blaze face; tip on tail. Name "Brownie." Owner, James Fletcher. Phone 475-2433. 27

BEST WISHES for a MERRY CHRISTMAS Clarence Wood 27

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

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WANTED TO RENT — Apartment or house, consisting of two or three bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished, by executive in Manchester school area. Housing needed until house under construction is completed. Responsible family, two high school boys. Contact William K. Cray, 428-8384, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. 27

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CHRISTMAS TREES for sale in Waterloo, next to the town hall, sold by the Waterloo Village MYF. Choice. \$3.50. 27

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THANK YOU We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and expression of sympathy to our family in the long illness and recent death of our father and husband, Donald Leggett. A special thank-you to the Rev. Clive Dickins and the Ruth Circle. Mrs. Donald Leggett and family.

THANK YOU We wish to thank our friends, relatives, and neighbors, and the Staffan Funeral Home, for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in the death of our sister, Mrs. Marie Myers of Battle Creek. Mrs. Joseph C. Dreyer and family George Hafner and family

THANK YOU I would like to thank all our many friends for the flowers and get-well cards they sent to Mrs. William L. Schaules while she was in the hospital, and the nurses, and nurses aid for their kindness. Mrs. Loretta Schaules.

THANK YOU We wish to thank all our relatives, friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement. A special word of thanks to Dr. J. V. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burghardt and the Rev. Clive Dickins. Mrs. Dorothy Cross and sons.



GREETINGS

As Christmas comes to you this year, we warmly wish that it may bring a holy meaning ever deeper, hopes ever brighter, and joyous blessings ever richer.

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Greetings

As the Yule log glows, so glow our feelings as we extend warm greetings to our customers and friends. Thank you and Happy Holiday to all.

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District Court Proceedings

In the 14th District Court this past week, Margot Lucas pled guilty to a failure to stop in assured distance ahead. She paid \$15 fine and costs.

Renee sterboot, Saline, pled guilty to speeding. She paid \$20 fine and costs.

William Preece Jackson, was sentenced for driving under the influence of alcohol. He was referred to the Highway Safety Research Institute, placed on six months probation, and his license was suspended.

Tim Walker, Ypsilanti, was sentenced for driving on a suspended license. He is on 30 days probation, and must pay \$25 fine and costs.

David Thomas Cook, pled guilty to reckless driving. He paid \$75 fine and costs, or spend 10 days in jail.

Dennis Sartori, Saline, pled guilty to careless driving. He paid \$35 fine and costs.

Carl Jones, Dexter, was sentenced for careless driving. He paid \$100 fine and costs.

Ralph Schlaff, Ann Arbor, was sentenced on two counts. First count was for having no operator's

tute, and was put on six months probation.

Ronald Mann was found guilty of impaired driving. He will be sentenced Jan. 6, 1971.

Harry Smith, Ann Arbor, pled guilty to having no Michigan operator's license. He paid \$25 fine and costs.

John Beato, Detroit, pled guilty to driving without a driver's license. He was fined \$80 fine and costs, or spend three days on the Dexter work program.

Barbara Schumacker, Whitmore Lake, was sentenced for having her dog at large. She paid \$16 fine and costs.

Hugh Radlaff, Hamburg, pled guilty to having no registration on his person. Case was dismissed on proof, with \$5 fine and costs.

Chester J. Koronha, Whitmore Lake, pled guilty to not having his vehicle registration affixed, and for driving on the sidewalk. He paid \$10 fine and costs.

Barbara Brookhart, Ypsilanti, was found guilty of assault and battery.

Grace Bacon, Saline, was found guilty of speeding 42 mph in a 25 mph zone. She paid \$15 fine and costs.

Merlin Burwitz, Dundee, was sentenced for driving under the influence of alcohol. He was fined \$150 fine and costs, and was referred to the Highway Safety Institute.

Clarence Swick, Norvel, was arraigned on a charge of breaking and entering, and of possession of stolen property of more than \$100 value. Examination was waived. He was bound over to Circuit Court.

Homer R. Howell, Ann Arbor, pled guilty of driving under the influence of alcohol. He will be sentenced Jan. 6.

Michael Baker, Saginaw, pled guilty to driving under the influence of alcohol. He paid \$100 fine and cost, and his driver's license was given to the Court.

Elton Shannon, St. Louis, pled guilty to driving under the influence of alcohol. He paid \$100 fine and costs.

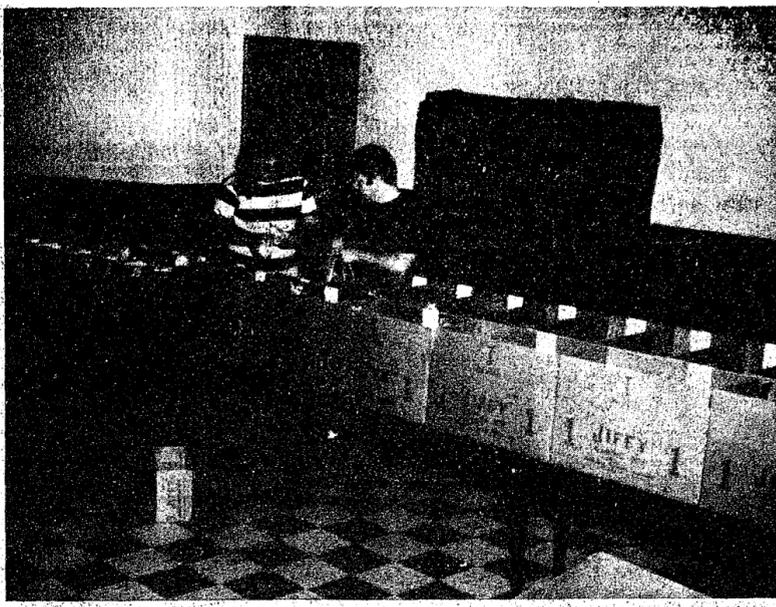
Stanley Wiczorek, Whitmore Lake, was sentenced for carrying a firearm. He paid \$100 fine and costs.

Lawrence Monaghan, 517 Arthur St., Chelsea, was found guilty of assault and battery. He paid \$25 fine and costs.

William D. Walker, Tunnelhill, Ga., pled guilty to possession of a dangerous drug. He will be sentenced Jan. 11.

William M. Shepherd, Ann Arbor, was examined on a charge of possession of marijuana. He was bound over to Circuit Court.

Margaret McGuire, Ypsilanti,



VOLUNTEERS Mrs. Floyd Riethmiller, right, and Hattie Brown, a Chelsea High school sophomore, helped fill the 42 boxes of Christmas goodies that were given out to needy families in the Chelsea area. The cartons, new, were donated by Chelsea Milling Co., and they were filled with a generous supply of Jiffy products.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Santa's making a list of all our friends so that he can be especially good to each of you. Best wishes to all.



CHELSEA JAYCEE AUXILIARY

Standard Ads Are a Good Shopping Guide!

TODAY'S THOUGHT

By LOUIS BURGHARDT

Christmas greetings by person, phone, card or letter—always brings out the best in people. . . Twisted and tangled thoughts, torn and gloomy hearts, sorrows and despair—all such tragedies of life seem minimal in the merriment, joy and happiness at Christmas.

Customs abound. Traditions flourish. True, we see things that should be taboo. But, disrespect and irreverence is vastly overshadowed by the theme and spirit of Brotherhood and Peace. Good wishes and genuine concern for others transcends all else for and with most people.

Christmas provides proof of the Everlasting Light, the shining light of God's power to cause people to give of themselves with love for their fellow men. Understanding, forgiveness and compassion with abundant good cheer is seen everywhere.

Millions of people have been born—and died—since the birth of Christ. Yet, in all history, only one Man went beyond the limitation of our human lot and brought this all about. The power of the Star of Bethlehem will never diminish. . . BURGHARDT FUNERAL HOME, 214 East Middle St., Chelsea, Mich. Phone GR 5-4141.



To wish you joy and happiness this holy Season.

WEINBERG DAIRY

Churches Grace Greeting Cards

As jubilant bells ring out the good news of Christmas, churches of this community stand as symbols of the true spirit of the season.

Landmarks in the history of Christendom, these churches are the living center of current activities, especially at Christmas, when choral programs, pageants and other special services express holiday joy.

Across the country, and in other lands, soaring steeples and ringing bells beckon worshippers to "Come to Church on Christmas."

Small wonder, then, that churches are a favorite subject for Christmas greeting cards. This

was found guilty of driving under the influence of alcohol. She will be sentenced Jan. 6.

Rudolph Williams, Detroit, was found guilty of improper registration, and of having no operator's license on his person. He paid \$35 for the first count, and \$50 fine and costs, or spend three days in jail, for the second.



CHURCHES, LONG a symbol of the Christmas season, have appeared in innumerable ways on Christmas cards. Pictured here is Westminster Abbey, subject of a card from the Norcross Historical Collection.

program of cleaning and repairs that cost \$1,120,000.

It was on Christmas day that William the Conqueror was crowned at Westminster, and buried there are Newton, Darwin, Keats, Tennyson, Browning, and royal personages such as Queen Elizabeth I and her rival for the throne, Mary Queen of Scots, Richard II, Henry VII and St. Edward, whose shrine is the most sacred spot in the Abbey.

In September 1965, a tablet was added in memory of Winston Churchill.

Wreaths Got Pagan Start

During this holiday season, a wide variety of colorful wreaths deck the doorways of homes in this community.

The use of wreaths at holiday time stems from the customs of Advent season—the four Sundays before Christmas. Traditionally, Advent wreaths are made of evergreens, trimmed with ribbons, and hold four candles to be lit during the Sundays of Advent.

The wreath, which has no beginning or end, represents eternity, and the evergreens symbolize growth and life, according to the editors of the New Book of Knowledge.

Like many other Christian holiday customs, the Advent wreath originated in pagan ceremonies.

During the dark days of the winter solstice, the sunworshippers of northern Europe sought to please their absent god, the sun, and persuade him to return, by using a wheel trimmed with greenery.

The wreath was made of an actual wheel, taken from a cart and wrapped in greens.

year, the 95th anniversary of Christmas cards in the United States, is no exception.

A look into the past shows three well-known churches which were favorite Christmas card features. The Little Church around the Corner and Trinity Church, both in New York City, and Westminster Abbey in London are pictured on cards dated around 1925 and now in the Norcross historical collection.

The oldest of these church buildings is Westminster Abbey, a national shrine and the Mother Church of the Commonwealth of Great Britain.

In 1966 the Abbey celebrated sands of people from all over the world visited the church where both commoners and royalty have worshipped for centuries.

In commemoration of the event, Westminster underwent a 10-year



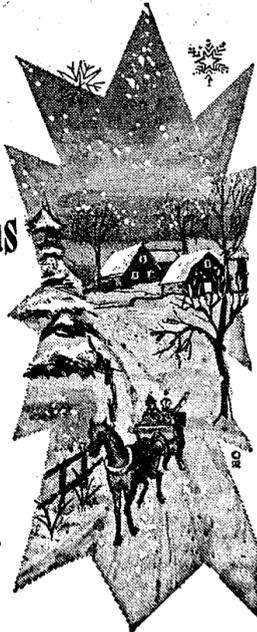
In quiet serenity, let us reflect on the true message of Christmas. May your home and family be blessed with the spiritual joy and happiness that His birth taught us to cherish. With our greetings goes our sincere appreciation.

CHELSEA STATE BANK

We Will Be Closed Saturday, Dec. 26

A Very Merry Christmas to All!

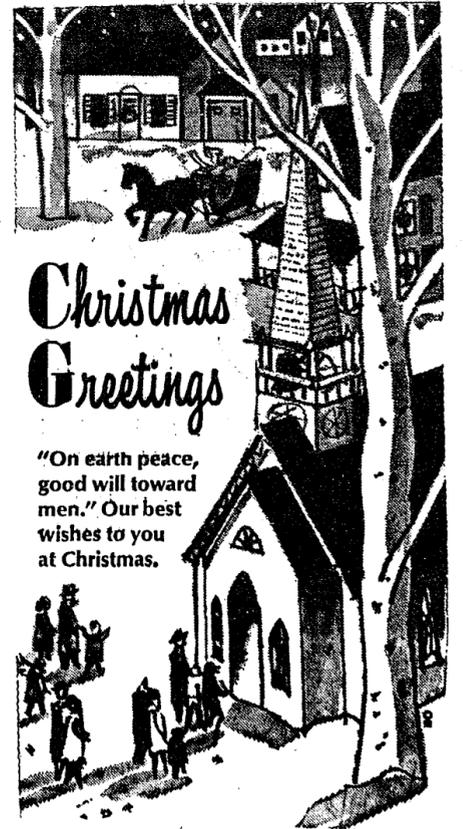
Happy holiday wishes to each and every one of you. And thanks for your very kind patronage.



We Will Close Thursday, Dec. 24 at 3 p.m. Open Monday, Dec. 28 at 6 a.m.

CHELSEA RESTAURANT

ELLA McMILLAN



Christmas Greetings

"On earth peace, good will toward men." Our best wishes to you at Christmas.

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BOB and JOHN NIEHAUS and Dairy Queen Employees

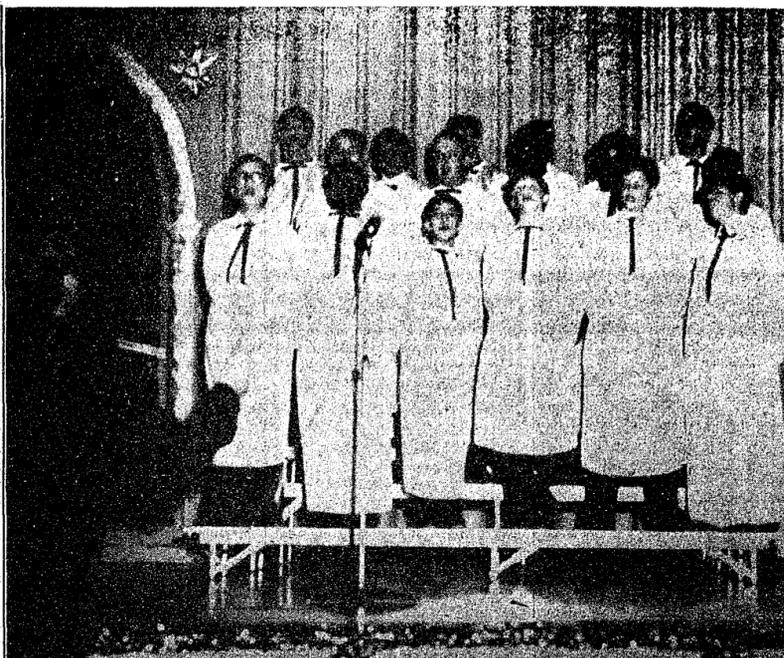
Village Council Requests Study on Proposed Park

(Continued from page one) was never constructed, the permit was revoked. To obtain the permit again, the company must go through petition proceedings.

Cagers Lose to Lincoln

(Continued from page one) The Bulldogs again showed some fine play and determination as they lost their second game in two nights. After it was all over, the Bulldogs vowed they will be a tougher team in the new year.

According to Harvey, under the issuance of the permit, the company was to erect a fence surrounding the area so that it wouldn't be unsightly for the people passing by and the residents in the area. Since this fence



ST. LOUIS SCHOOL CHOIR, under the direction of the Rev. Fr. Umberto, performed Saturday, Dec. 19, at the school's annual Christmas program. "America the Beautiful," the favorite song of the Rev. Fr. Umberto, was the opening number, after which the boys sang Christmas songs. Parents and friends, as well as the people of Chelsea, were invited to this program.

St. Louis School Students Entertained for Christmas

A Christmas party hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beissel was given Friday evening, Dec. 18, at the St. Louis School for boys. This is an annual event at the school. The boys played records and sang Christmas carols. Mrs. Beissel served decorated cakes, ice cream, and punch. She gave two toboggans to the school this year as a Christmas present, instead of giving a small gift to each boy. These will be used all winter by the boys. On Saturday, Dec. 19, the Christmas program for parents, and friends, was presented. The band played several numbers, and the choral group, under the direction of the Rev. Fr. Umberto sang several songs. The program began, as is the tradition at the school, with the singing of "America the Beautiful."

NORTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NOTES

FIRST GRADE - Mrs. Raduazo, teacher Christmas, Christmas is everywhere, and the first grade at North school is full of busy "little elves" who have been working, as well as decorating to make our room really take on the holiday spirit! Our volunteer aid, Mrs. Steinaway, thoughtfully donated two bird feeders to our room so that we can keep track of all of the birds which will stay here during the winter. This week we are making special Christmas surprises to send home to our families. And, of course, believe it or not, there is still time for our math, reading and other interesting subjects because we are all so interested in those also. We have a new girl in our room. Her name is Alcie Lawrence and we are very glad to have her. This month, we are celebrating two birthdays: Craig Wirtz and Alan Hale. Mrs. Stein, teacher Along with our regular work this month, we are learning to tell the hours on the clock. We made paper plate clocks to help us. Our room has been busy with Christmas plans and projects. We hope to finish making favors for the Methodist Home. The following mothers are helping: Mrs. Fahey and Mrs. Wuster, with our room party. Thank you Mrs. Hines, Mrs. Kamyszek and Mrs. Reithmiller, for sewing favors for the children and Mrs. Bycraft, Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Poquette for baking. We appreciate having parents helping us. Mrs. Hakala, teacher We liked the candy you gave us, Santa, when you were in downtown Chelsea. We are always thankful for the things you bring us. We are glad you could find time to come to our town. Some of us are ready for your visit to our homes on Dec. 24. We have our trees trimmed. If you have checked our lists you know we want walkie-talkie radios, just plain radios, snowmobiles, minibikes, all kinds of dolls, record players, go-carts, a live lizard, and a race track. Some of us haven't made up our minds but we know you will take care of us. We have been good some of the time. We don't talk all the time in school, we try to do our work correctly and on time, we listen to directions and on time, we try to write neatly. We don't fight and we try to be kind and helpful to each other. Merry Christmas.

THE FIRST NOEL The radiant Star of Bethlehem shines brightly as ever, symbol of the true meaning of Christmas... Our greetings and thanks to all of you. State Farm Insurance Co. Wallace Wood, Agent

Holiday Lore, Legends Take Varied Forms

The belief that Santa has a reindeer-drawn sleigh and enters homes through the chimney may have come from Scandinavia. An old Norse legend about the goddess Hertha said that she rode on a reindeer's back. Her appearance in the fireplace in mid-winter was thought to bring good luck to the home.

"Silent Night, Holy Night," was written in 1818 by a village priest in Hallein, Austria. Father Joseph Mohr wrote the words, to an accompaniment created by his organist, Franz Gruber. Legend has it that the church organ was out of order—damaged by mice—and so "Silent Night" was first sung to a guitar accompaniment.

Who invented that popular holiday beverage, eggnog? It has been part of the festivities for so many years that nobody really knows its origin. One possibility is that eggnog came from the Old English hot drink, sack-posset, which was also made of eggs, milk, nutmeg and sugar.

Among the earliest Christmas tree ornaments were some that resembled the sun, stars and moon, or animals. Using signs of nature as decorations can be traced back to the feasts of the winter equinox, when sun-worshipping pagans hung similar trinkets on trees.

"The cattle were lowing," says the carol, "Away in a Manger," and Nativity paintings often show the animals of the manger. Appropriately, tradition says that cattle and other domestic animals should have a special feast on Christmas Eve. It's legendary, too, that cattle are given the power of speech for a few moments at this time.

Mistletoe, said to hold a license for kissing, was renowned in ancient times for many mystical powers. Because of its pagan associations, it was long forbidden in churches. A German legend held that, if a sprig of mistletoe was carried into an old house, the ghosts of the house would appear and answer questions.

Over 36,800,000 persons have visited Kensington Metropolitan Park near Milford since it opened on May 30, 1948.

Debaters Score... 34 Years Ago...

(Continued from page one) were Cherry Hill and John F. Kennedy High school, both of which were previous state championship teams. Chelsea debaters met with and defeated the teams from both of these schools. Debating the affirmative issue for Chelsea at Saturday's meet were Marty Straub and, Mike Hergert.

(Continued from page two) Angels will be Eileen Adam, Estelle Seitz, Elsa Bazeis, Muriel Martin, and Mary Jane Bahmiller. Paul Niehaus, Donald Oesterle, and Junior Seitz will be the wise men. Wilbert Breitenwischer will play the inkeeper, Mrs. Oscar Schneider and Mrs. John Oesterle will sing carols. Holy communion will follow the program.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davidson will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1936.

In Quebec, customs from France lend their special touch to a Canadian Christmas.

CHRISTMAS Cheer Songs of good cheer ring out as we fondly greet you and yours. NORMA'S BEAUTY SHOP NORMA and LUCILLE

A Prayer for Peace and Hope With you, we pray for hope and peace, everywhere. To you, our heartfelt greetings. TINA'S BEAUTY SHOP JAN - LAURA - JOYCE - TINA

Hi! MERRY CHRISTMAS May your Day be an especially joyous one... filled with holiday happiness and good cheer. A. D. MAYER AGENCY, Inc. "Your Protection Is Our Business"

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. FARMER'S SUPPLY CO. ANTON - DOROTHY - ALLEN - EDDIE - BILL

Greetings At this happy holiday season, we merrily send warmest greetings and good wishes. We thank you for your many kind favors. Gateway SPORTS CENTRE, INC. BILL BLAESS - OWEN LOASBY

EDUCATION IS OUR BUSINESS Try It! WASHTENAW COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Junior High Notes Beach school had a canned goods drive this past week, Dec. 14-18. The food went to the Chelsea Social Service for distribution to the needy families in Christmas boxes. Cans were brought to home-rooms during the week, to be collected. Home-room parties for the sixth graders were to be held Tuesday, Dec. 22. The 7th and 8th graders were to have a Christmas dance on that day, at the end of the day, in place of fifth hour. Mr. Hoelt's 7th grade fifth-hour English class planned a Christmas play for the entire school during the sixth hour on Tuesday, Dec. 22. Congratulations are extended to the Junior High faculty for their 54-50 victory over the high school faculty this past week. Steve Bennett, Junior High Reporter.

CHRISTMAS CHEER We would like to extend our warmest wishes to all our friends, patrons. HELLER ELECTRIC

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS Christmas is a special time filled with merriment for one and all. We hope your holidays are exceptionally happy, and thanks for making us happy by being a loyal friend and customer. CHELSEA DRUG

Your Christmas Tree Tells Story of Conservation Work

By Clark A. Eacker
District Conservationist
U. S. Soil Conservation Service

Please take a look at your freshly decorated Christmas tree. It displays a tale of events that speak well for man.

Many of the Christmas trees in use this season have been harvested from land converted from other types of production. Large acreages of marginal cropland have been converted to Christmas tree production.

Land not suited for cropland due to steepness of slope, soil conditions or severe erosion are ideal sites for trees.

The fact that you were able to purchase a nice Christmas tree this year was due to the foresight of a true conservationist some 10 to 15 years ago. He carefully selected the site. He planted the

tree. He nursed it through insect attacks and over violences of nature. He carefully trimmed and shaped the tree so it grew straight and dense. He has spent a great deal of time and money to insure your approval of the tree.

Chances are very good that the tree standing in your home was grown in Michigan. Michigan ranks first nationally in the production of Christmas trees. It is estimated that about 5 1/2 million plantation-grown Christmas trees are harvested annually from Michigan soil.

Each year, additional land in Washtenaw county is retired from cropland and pasture fields through the planting of Christmas trees. Christmas trees produce a merchantable crop as well as benefiting our environment through erosion control, watershed protection and providing wildlife cover.

Land treatments such as tree planting reflect the landowner's choice of land use and management. In many cases he will have received land use alternatives and planning assistance from Soil Conservation Service personnel to guide him in arriving at his decisions.

Your tree didn't just grow. It was planned that way by some far-sighted conservationist making a good productive use of his land. Indeed, your Christmas tree does tell a conservation story.

Holiday Greetings

We wish to thank you for your patronage, and extend to you wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

THE LITTLE FLOWER SHOP



"Peace on Earth, Good Will to All" is our hope at Christmas. May you have a joyous celebration.

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JUDY - PANSY - ROSEMARY
207 1/2 South Main St.

Spike - Lozier Vows Spoken at Sharon Church

A Christmas tree, white poinsettias, and evergreen arrangements decorated the altar of the Sharon United Methodist church Friday evening for the candle-light service uniting Miss Marjorie Spike and Joseph Edwin Lozier.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Spike, of Manchester, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lozier of Holly.

Dr. Peter Spike of Haslett, brother of the bride, sang "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by another brother, Douglas Spike of Hillsdale. "Trumpet Voluntary," by Purcell was the processional and "Psalm XIX" by Marcello the recessional.

The Rev. Michael Petrelin officiated at the double-ring ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Marjorie chose for the occasion a gown of white velvet, accented with white fur. She carried a cascade arrangement of yellow rose buds, and white snowbust.

Karen Spike of Southfield, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She attended her sister in a royal blue velvet gown.

Linda Hoefft of Pleasant Lake Rd., was identically dressed as a bridesmaid.

Henry C. Lozier served his brother as best man. Groomsmen were John Gulsbert of Ortonville, Dan Auten, cousin of the bridegroom, of Pontiac, and Philip Spike, brother of the bride, of East Lansing.

The couple left for a trip through the south, after which they will reside in Manchester.

ENGAGED: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Quick of St. Joseph have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lori, to Tim Meininger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Meininger, 101 Arden Lane, Chelsea. Miss Quick, a 1968 graduate of St. Joseph High school, is a junior at Michigan State, majoring in elementary education. Tim, a 1967 graduate of Chelsea High school, is a senior at Michigan State, where he is a member of Tau Delta Phi fraternity, president of the Senior Class Council, and is a business major. A date has not been set for the wedding.

Jaycee Auxiliary Christmas Party Held at Steinaways

Chelsea Jaycee Auxiliary held their December meeting and Christmas Party Tuesday evening, Dec. 15 at the home of Mrs. Art (Anne) Steinaway. Meeting was called to order at 8:15 p.m. and reports of officers were given.

Standing committees reported. The "Girl of the Month" award was given to Mrs. Steinaway.

The Auxiliary was reminded the State Board meeting would be held Feb. 19, and 20, and that the District meeting will be in Monroe on April 1.

New projects were announced. One of the new projects is a Bowling Social with Mrs. Walt (Sandy) Brown as chairman, and Mrs. Mike (Judy) Eubanks, Mrs. Dan (Darlene) Eder, and Mrs. Mitch-(Sue) Zink as her committee.

The Executive Board meeting will be hosted by Mrs. Mitch (Sue) Zink, and Mrs. Doug (Barb) Robeson.

Following the meeting, the Auxiliary exchanged gifts, which were handed out by Santa Claus.

Next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Dan (Darlene) Eder, Jan. 5. Members are to bring 10-15 cent gifts for Medcenter Bingo, and items for the school for the retarded.

Older Adult Group Holds Christmas Party

The Methodist social center was the setting for the annual Christmas pot-luck dinner and program of the church's Older Adult Group. Forty-five members and guests were seated at the tables decorated in keeping with the holiday season. The Rev. George Spitzer of the Methodist Home, gave the invocation.

Also observed were the birthdays of five members whose birthdays occur in December—Mrs. Carl Schlosser, Mrs. Nancy Taylor, Mrs. Irma Van Valkenburg and the Rev. George Stanford. A birthday cake for the occasion was provided by Mrs. Gladys Klump.

The after-dinner program included a vocal solo "Star of the East," by Mrs. George Stanford, who also led the group singing of Christmas carols. Mrs. Jennie Lamb, a Methodist Home resident, played the piano accompaniment.

The Rev. Stanford read and related the Christmas story pertaining to the birth of Christ to conclude the program.

Members participated in an exchange of Christmas gifts by means of a grab bag.

The committee in charge of the dinner and program included the Rev. and Mrs. Stanford and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gadberry.

In charge of the next regular meeting, scheduled for Jan. 16, will be Mrs. Viola Knoll, Mrs. Velma Dorr and Mrs. Lucille Altstaetter.

Wigs are still important although they are more moderate in size than heretofore. One woman whose health demands a covered head finds the wearing of a wig on evening occasions very satisfactory.

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Club, Social Activities

SENIOR CITIZENS
Chelsea Senior Citizens, with 50 present, met Thursday, Dec. 17, for a 6:30 p.m. pot-luck dinner. It was a combination birthday dinner and Christmas party and included an exchange of gifts.

Mrs. August Dorer, committee chairman for the dinner, baked the birthday cake. Five members whose birthdays occur during December were seated at the birthday table.

All tables were decorated in the Christmas holiday theme.

Group singing of Christmas carols was enjoyed and later cards were the evening's entertainment.

The next Senior Citizens gathering scheduled is the monthly business meeting at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 29 at the Korner House.

RUTH CIRCLE
Ruth Circle of the United Methodist church met in the Social Center Dec. 16, for a pot-luck dinner. Mrs. Douglas Hoppe and Mrs. Roy Kalmbach were hostesses.

Four guests were present at this meeting.

The business meeting opened with a prayer given by Mrs. Calvin Summers. Gifts were wrapped for the Methodist Children's Home. Also, a Christmas card, with a gift of money, was given.

Boxes of cookies were filled and given to shut-ins. Cookies were also given to the Methodist Home.

Mrs. Summers turned the program over to Mrs. Stanley Bond for a Christmas program. Her talk centered around the theme "The gift without the giver is not poems."

Program was closed with the a gift at all." She read several chain prayer.

PHOEBE CIRCLE
Nineteen members of the Phoebe Circle of the United Methodist church of Chelsea and one guest, Mrs. Walter Riemschneider, attended their Dec. 16 meeting.

Mrs. Lyman Adams and Mrs. Jeff Salyer entertained in their home. They served a 1 p.m. dessert luncheon to precede the meeting.

Mrs. Ben Donaldson, chairman, opened the meeting. She presented a report of the Dec. 4 meeting of the "Church Women United" which was held at St. Paul United Church of Christ. Theme of the day was "Listen to Love." Mrs. Fred Poole of Ann Arbor gave the keynote address.

It was decided to send a Christmas card and gift of money to Miss Marion Kline, a missionary in the Philippines.

Four gifts of fruit and nuts were wrapped by the Sunshine chairman. These were taken to "Circle Companions."

Nineteen little Christmas stockings were decorated and filled with Christmas candy to be given to children in the vicinity of Chelsea.

Mrs. Salyer read about the "Symbols of Christmas," the Peace symbol and others.

The Jan. 20 meeting will begin with a pot-luck dinner at 12:30 p.m. at the Methodist Home. Mrs. W. Coffron and Mrs. T. Solomonson will act as co-hostesses for the day. Mrs. Robert Harris will have the program, which is to be about the "Heart and Hand House Center" in Philippi, W. Va.

ESTHER CHAPTER
Esther Chapter of the Congregational church met Thursday, Dec. 17, at 8 p.m. at the church. Christmas meeting was devoted to the making of popcorn balls, as there was not a business meeting. The popcorn balls, with lollipops attached, will be given to the

Never hoping that beautiful things lie ahead for all our valued customers during the Christmas season.

VILLAGE BEAUTY SALON

LORETTA and JERRY PANNONE

Christmas in Peru

Miss Laurel Jane Dent, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Dent of Bethesda, Md., and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kalmbach, of Hadley Rd., Gregory, is spending Christmas in Lima, Peru, as the guest of the Dr. Lari family of Lima. Miss Dent is a student of Oberlin College, Oberlin, O., where she is majoring in languages.

Mrs. Dent is the former Vivian Kalmbach.

Miss Dent, with her parents, and brother Paul, visited Iceland, Luxembourg, Germany, France, England, and Scotland in August of this year.

Dr. Dent is employed by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare in Washington, D. C.

One prominent hairdresser feels that the new style in skirts will have its effect on hair-dos. He thinks that the day of the long lanky hair is coming to a close and that waves and curls will be the new style of the in crowd.

Chelsea Social Service as an added touch to their Christmas boxes. Mrs. Clarence Vogel and Mrs. Paul Maroney were co-hostesses. They served sandwiches, cookies, and coffee to the group.

Mrs. Cora Lee Miller gave devotions and read a Christmas prayer.

Mrs. Richard Smith will be hostess to the Jan. 21 meeting.

Tiny Treasure Hunt

The simplest searching game is one in which one person leaves the room while another hides a small object that has been agreed upon beforehand—a small package, some wrapped Christmas candy.

When "it" comes back, he hunts for the object and the other person indicates that he is near it by clapping loudly or saying, "You're warm."

When "it" moves away from the object, the other person claps softly or says, "You're getting cold."

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Green or blue tinted mother-of-pearl dial, 23 jewels, 2 diamonds, \$70.

23 jewels, 14K solid gold case, iridescent mother-of-pearl dial, \$88.

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Community Calendar



Past Presidents Club pot-luck dessert, Tuesday, Dec. 29, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. George West, Chestnut Dr.

McKune Memorial Library will not have a story hour for the 3- and 4-year-olds on Dec. 22, and Dec. 29. There will be a story hour on Jan. 5.

Inquiries regarding the Chelsea blood bank may be directed to Harold Jones in the event that Mrs. Dudley Holmes is unavailable.

Cavanaugh Lake North Sylvan Grange Jan. 5, at 12:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Adams, 114 N. East St. Pot-luck dinner. Bring own table service and dish to pass.

TOPS Club at library, Wednesday afternoon group, 12:30 p.m. For information call 428-4549. Thursday evening group, 7 p.m. For information call 475-8720.

American Legion and Auxiliary hospital equipment available by contacting Loren Keezer at 476-2766 or 475-3431.

Fairbrothers Hit By Three Deaths in Family

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fairbrother 8345 Clear Lake Rd., were called away Dec. 9-10, to be with family and friends out of town, due to the deaths of Mrs. Fairbrother's father, and brother, and the brother-in-law of Fred Fairbrother.

All three men died in separate towns. Mrs. Fairbrother's father, Albert Zinke, died in Rogers City, of a heart attack, while her brother, Melvin Zinke, died of the same ailment in Battle Creek. William Wildfong, brother-in-law of her husband, died in Muskegon.

The couple traveled to all three cities to be with family, and friends during the two-day period. Mrs. Fairbrother is the former Evelyn Zinke, of Rogers City. The Fairbrothers operate a grocery store in Waterloo.

Mrs. Edward H. Easterle, 628 S. Main St., is in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Room 319, following a fall in her home Dec. 15.

DEATHS

Lewis H. Alber
Retired Sharon Farmer
Dies Saturday at Medicenter

Lewis H. Alber, 83, of 505 Wilkinson St., died at the Chelsea Medicenter Saturday, Dec. 19 after a long illness. He had been a farmer in Sharon township until moving to Chelsea in August, 1970.

Mr. Alber was born May 4, 1887 in Sharon township, a son of John and Mary Roedel Alber. He married Lena Barnas on Jan. 5, 1920. She died Oct. 23, 1949. He married Louise Ray Bendell Dec. 29, 1950. She survives.

Other survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Russell (Marie) Abdon of Chelsea, Mrs. Ruth Wilkerson of Saline and Mrs. Joseph (Norma) Beckerman of Livonia; two sons, Robert Alber of Brooklyn and Raymond Alber of Jackson; a step-son, Earl Bendell of Cincinnati, 18 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. A sister, Mrs. Albert (Mina) Trolz of Manchester also survives.

Mr. Alber was a member of the Sharon United Methodist church. Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 22, at the Burghardt Funeral Home with the Rev. Michael Peterlin officiating. Burial followed in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Adelbert Reiniche
Dies Friday Evening
After 18-Month Illness

Adelbert (Delbert) C. Reiniche, 53, of 90 Glazier Lake, died Friday evening, Dec. 18, at the home of his brother, south of Hillsdale. He had been ill for about 18 months. Born July 8, 1917, in Woodbridge township, the son of Leo and Hattie Prouty Reiniche, he married Myrtle Derr on April 12, 1947. She survives.

Survivors include his widow, two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Carl (Helen) Pickell, of Horton; Mrs. Raymond (Madonna) Pask of Onsted; Joseph of Osseo; and Harvey of Coldwater; and several nieces and nephews.

He was a member of St. Mary church in Chelsea. Services were held Monday, Dec. 21, at 10 a.m. at St. Anthony's Catholic church in Hillsdale. Burial was in St. Anthony's Cemetery, Hillsdale.

Mr. Reiniche was employed at Dana Corp., Chelsea Products Division, for 17 1/2 years, until the time of his death.

Mrs. Emmett Carpenter
Pinckney Area Resident
Dies at Ann Arbor Hospital

Mrs. Julia Beatrice Carpenter, 11486 Patterson Dr., Pinckney, died Friday, Dec. 18, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor. She had been in the hospital since Oct. 12. Born Jan. 15, 1902 in New Jersey, the daughter of Edward and Myrtle Chamberlain Sorter, she married Emmett F. Carpenter on Dec. 26, 1935. He died April 20, 1970.

She is survived by one step-son, Donald Carpenter, of Detroit. Funeral services were Tuesday, Dec. 22, at 11 a.m. at the Staffan Funeral Home with the Rev. George T. Nevin officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Charles Claude Waller
Was Father of Chelsea
Man Who Died Nov. 24

Charles Claude Waller, 320 Glenwood Dr., New Castle, Ind., died Sunday, Dec. 20, at the Chelsea Community Hospital. He had been in the hospital since Dec. 5. He was born Oct. 29, 1886, in New Lisbon, Ind., the son of John and Sarah Hindle Waller. He had been a grocer in New Castle for many years, retiring in 1945. He married Hazel Dean on June 26, 1909. She survives.

He is survived by his widow, and one grandson, Charles L. Waller, of Chelsea, one granddaughter, Mrs. Nancy Zeman, of Reseda, Calif., and four great-grandchildren. One son, Harold, preceded him in death, Nov. 24.

Don't expect everyone to agree with you; variety of opinion makes the world interesting.

Holiday Has Many Customs

Anybody found feasting or observing Christmas day in any way shall pay a fine of five shillings. And so, throughout New England Pilgrim settlers had to treat Christmas as just another working day. Governor Bradford noted that "no man rested all day" on December 25, 1620, say the editors of "Encyclopedia Americana."

Today, in the United States and Canada, Christmas celebrations are a colorful blend of customs from many lands. The main features of the holiday festivities are much the same everywhere—Santa Claus, Christmas trees, gifts, greetings, feasting, family visits, carol singing.

Each of these customs has its own history, and for the student of holiday lore and legend, the fascination lies in the variety of traditions brought by settlers from other lands and assimilated into what is now a truly American, or truly Canadian Christmas.

Displaying Tree

The custom of the Community Christmas Tree began in the early 1900's with the people of Passaic, N.J., who decorated a tall tree in the town square.

Madison Square in New York and the Common in Boston were the scene of trees set up in 1912. In 1914 Independence Square in Erie.

Philadelphia had its first holiday tree in 1846 when the city's choirs gathered and sang carols.

The custom of lighting the National Community Christmas Tree in Washington, D.C. began in 1923 when the University of Vermont sent a large tree to President Calvin Coolidge.

Add Special Touch

France gave Canada the "Creche," gatherings after midnight Mass with family and friends, savory pork pies called "tourtières," collecting gifts from door to door for the less privileged persons of the community.

After mass on Christmas Eve, the people of Quebec gather at homes of loved ones to participate in a night-long feast called "revelion."

Wednesday, Dec. 23, at 10:30 a.m. at the Stanley Mortuary at New Castle Ind., with burial in South Mound Cemetery. Local arrangements were by Staffan Funeral Home.



LONG SERVICE HONORED: The Rev. Samuel Stout congratulates Mrs. Winnie Weesner for her 17 years of service to the Chelsea Methodist Home, as other long-term employees look on. Mrs. Weesner was one of approximately 90 employees of the Home, and their spouses, to attend the Home's annual Christmas dinner which was held Thursday evening, Dec. 10, at Win Schuler's Restaurant in Jackson.

Methodist Home Board Honors Long-Time Employees at Party

Annual Christmas party for the employees of the Chelsea United Methodist Home was held in Jackson at Win Schuler's Restaurant, Thursday evening, Dec. 10.

Ninety persons, including a number of spouses of the employees, enjoyed the dinner, Christmas singing and the recognition of employees serving five years or longer.

V. O. Johnson presented certificates, assisted by the Rev. Samuel Stout, chairman of the board of trustees and pastor of the United Methodist Church in Utica. Also assisting was Edward Terry, executive director of the Retirement Home Corporation of which Chelsea Home is a part.

Mrs. Winnie Weesner received grand honors for being the employee with the longest tenure of service. She is an employee holding 17 years of service with the home.

Others receiving recognition were Martin Hechler, Henry Johnson, Mrs. Mary Helen Baldwin, Mrs. Dorothy Lentz, Mrs. Shirley

Dehn, Mrs. Luella Riggs, Mrs. Arvilla Fisher, Mrs. Leila Weir, Mrs. Dorothy Martin, Mrs. Agnette Johnson, Mrs. Leila Knickerbocker, Mrs. Rose McGibney, William Carlsen, Eiba Gage, Mrs. Jane Bradley, Mrs. Rudella Hepburn, Miss Marian Johnson, Mrs. Sylvia Prentice, Mrs. Betty Howard, Mrs. Bernice Bishop, Mrs. Caroline Dorr, Mrs. Claribel Kniss, Mrs. Gladys Parks, Mrs. Cressie Barnhill, Mrs. Linda Barnhill, Mrs. Mary Detling, Mrs. Martha Flack, Mrs. Maxine Fletcher, Mrs. Louise Wright, Mrs. Louise Bacon, Mrs. Dalphine Bolanowski, Mrs. Irene Harrison, Mrs. Ruth Dunlap, and Mrs. Bernice Arnett.

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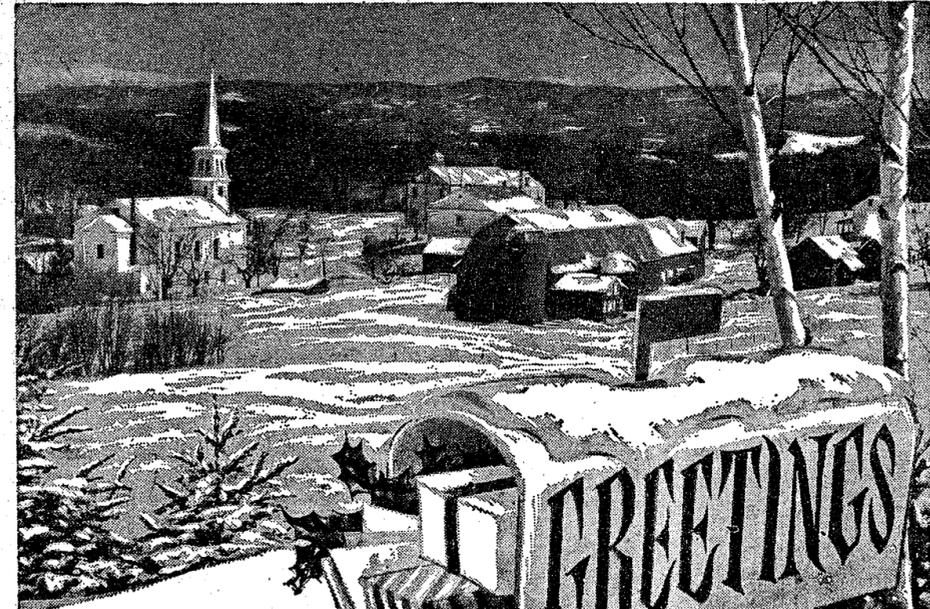
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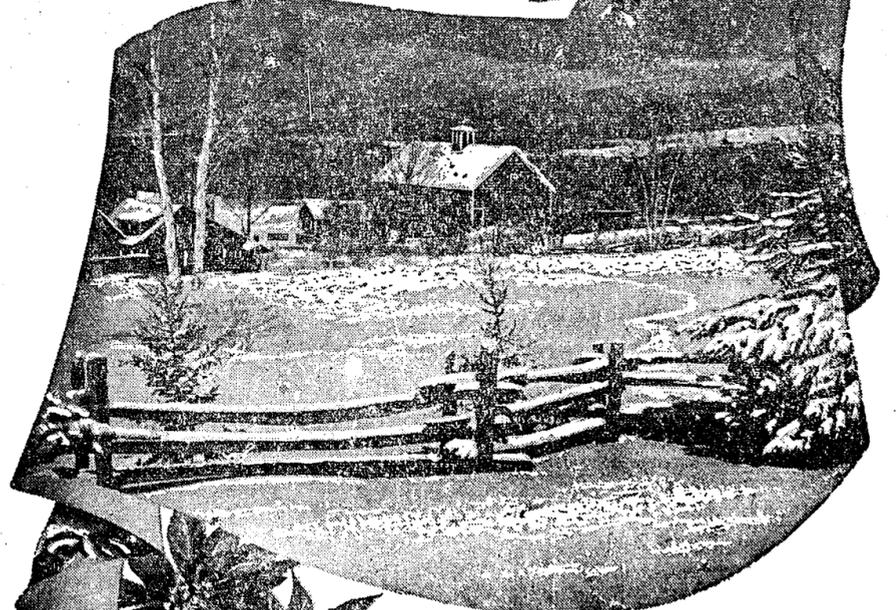
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Doug Hamilton
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Christmas

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Michigan Farm Bureau

★ Shuman Steps Down

Houston is where Texans get things done in a big way—the Astrodome, NASA Space Center and the site for the 1970, two-million-family-member American Farm Bureau Federation annual meeting. Farm folks booked up the nation's 6th largest city as more than 6,000 of them from 49 states and Puerto Rico moved in to adopt national farm policy in December.

National figures dotted the program and on succeeding days two of the nation's recent top news makers—newly appointed secretary of the Interior Rogers C. B. Morton and John B. Connally, our most recently nominated Secretary of the Treasury, addressed the nation's food producers.

Michiganders enjoyed the serene weather, 70 to 80 degree temperatures, amid the surprises that marked this meeting as one of the most eventful when President Charles B. Shuman announced his retirement and William J. Kuhfuss, 58, Illinois Farm Bureau head, was elected by the convention delegation to the vacancy.

Shuman stepping down in mid-term after 16 years of leadership, without doubt, was the biggest shocker. He made the announcement following his annual address and later in a press conference said that he had only made his final decision the night before. He wrote his resignation and his wife Mabel typed it up for release.

The busy activity of the Rice Hotel press room was silenced by the aura of the proceedings; secretaries, general press people and representatives of the nation's leading media were part of the passing scene. The press addressed him affectionately as "Charlie" and it was clear that deep respect and admiration had been built by this national leader throughout the years.

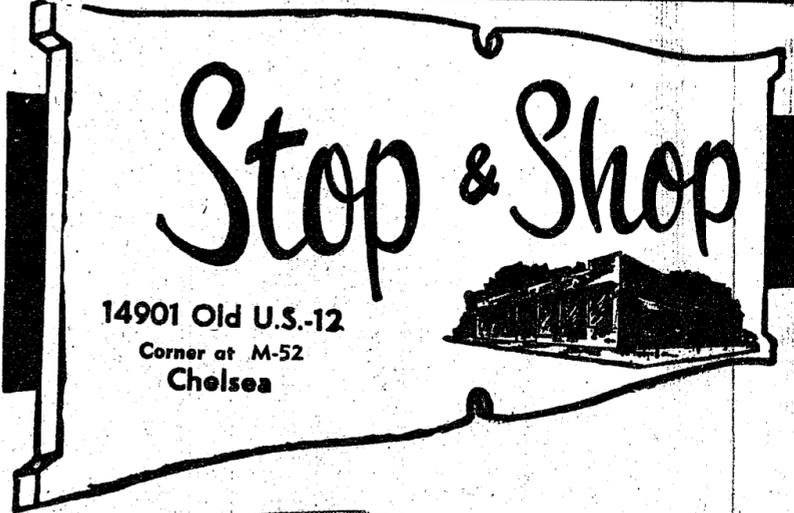
He said, "The major battles are over and it is time for old generals to 'just fade away.'" But Mr. Shuman was more than a general, because in his leadership role he conveyed above all else that first he was a human being imbedded with the belief of the worthiness of mankind. And with that belief he declared that he was returning to the land where he began, and to his family—taking up the "invitation" of his teen-age son to work together. And in working together, Mr. Shuman will continue the work he does so well, as he has led the American farmer, as few men have, in the business that feeds the world.

The purchase of 400 acres of farm land in western Wayne county—in 1946 by the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority, has now become Lower Huron Metropolitan Park near Belleville, covering 1,000 acres. This popular recreational playground has attracted more than 19,000,000 visitors since park operations began in the mid-1950's.

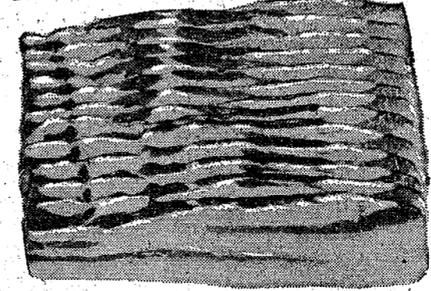


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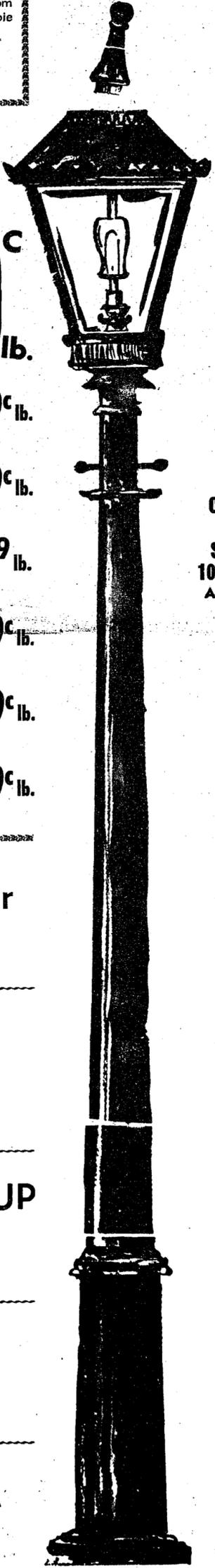
- McDonald's 2% Low Fat or Homogenized **MILK**
Gallon Carton **88^c**
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10 3/4-Oz. Can **10^c**
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BOWLING NEWS

Junior House League

Standings as of Dec. 12

W	L
Chelsea, Drug	71 34
The Pub	66 39
Inverness Inn	65 40
J & S Tool	63 42
Smith's AAA Service	57 48
Boyer Automotive	50 55
Gambles	49 56
Palmer T-Birds	48 57
3-D Sales & Service	45 60
Wolverine No. 2	42 63
Jiffy Mix	44 61
Wolverine No. 1	30 75

Over 200 games: G. Burnett, 240; A. Clemes, 244; H. Burnett, 206; J. Toma, 214; R. Fike, 208; R. Worden, 201; L. Fahrner, 200; T. Dittmar, 207, 201; N. Packard, 235; R. Schenk, 211; C. Koenigter, 246; M. Sweet, 203; B. Yocum, 213; R. Erskine, 204, 201; S. Policht, 211; O. Johnson, 203, 234; B. Johnson, 224, 201; J. Myrning, 223; J. Hughes, 213; L. Hughes, 208; J. Fortner, 200.

Over 600 series: A. Clemes, 626; O. Johnson, 621; B. Johnson, 610.

Over 500 series: G. Burnett, 532; H. Burnett, 522; J. Toma, 549; R. Semark, 512; R. Kye, 541; R. Fike, 562; A. Sannes, 520; D. Eder, 510; R. Worden, 563; J. Harook, 539; L. Fahrner, 593; N. Packard, 519; T. Dittmar, 593; N. Packard, 542; A. Fletcher, 570; R. Schenk, 579; C. Koenigter, 554; M. Sweet, 568; B. Yocum, 584; A. Schiller, 511; R. Erskine, 569; S. Policht, 504; J. Myrning, 597; K. Larson, 523; P. Dickson, 504; S. Dyer, 513; P. Boham, 544; J. Hughes, 556; L. Hughes, 593; E. Marshall, 500; J. Fortner, 524.

Chelsea Women's Bowling Club

Standings as of Dec. 16

W	L
Chelsea Milling	46 13 1/2
Jiffy Mixes	40 20
Foster's	35 25
Parish's Cleaners	33 1/2 26 1/2
Chelsea Lanes	33 27
The Pub	32 28
Wolverine Bar	29 31
Chelsea Grinding	26 34
The Ugly Ducklings	25 35
N. American Rockwell	24 36
Norris Electric	18 42
Schneider's Grocery	18 42

450 series and over: P. Poertner, 530; R. Hummel, 518; N. Kern, 504; B. Fritz, 503; J. Hafner, 493; D. Frisbie, 493; H. Rothfuss, 475; D. Fouty, 472; M. Kozminski, 459; P. Shoemaker, 458; G. Kuhl, 454; C. Stoffer, 453.

150 games and over: P. Poertner, 196, 187; R. Hummel, 164, 198, 156; N. Kern, 178, 194; B. Fritz, 155, 158, 190; J. Hafner, 195, 159; D. Frisbie, 172, 176; H. Rothfuss, 182, 160; D. Fouty, 177, 162; M. Kozminski, 165, 159; P. Shoemaker, 158, 164; G. Kuhl, 169; C. Stoffer, 151, 157; R. Devine, 155; D. Fletcher, 152; S. Greenleaf, 152; S. Klink, 156, 160; L. Orlovski, 164, 162; C. Newman, 180; J. Harvey, 162; C. Bradbury, 161; R. Lutovsky, 165; J. Rowe, 161; S. Ringe, 161; M. Sutter, 158; A. Turner, 159; H. Morgan, 150; D. Alber, 173.

Chelsea Suburban

Standings as of Dec. 16

W	L
Foot Mobil	40 24
Dancer's	40 24
Dairy Queen Braziers	35 1/2 28 1/2
Dana Corp.	34 30
State Farm	34 30
Chelsea Lanes	33 1/2 30 1/2
Artex Roll-Ons	32 35
Waterloo Garage	29 32
G. A. Sales	28 36
Chelsea State Bank	28 36
Patty Ann	27 37
Pittsfield Plastics	23 41

150 games and over: M. Abdon, 159; J. Buku, 156; A. Coppennoll, 168; D. Keezer, 150; N. Packard, 150, 157; M. Olson, 154; V. Stewart, 183, 165; C. Peterson, 152; B. Smith, 169, 170, 198; N. Prater, 158; G. Baczynski, 161; E. Yocum, 152, 151; V. Harvey, 157; K. Snyder, 157; R. Musbach, 153; B. Eder, 161, 153; S. Bowen, 153; M. Picklesimer, 150; B. Hatley, 158; M. Neal, 165; R. West, 159; R. McGibney, 151; P. Harook, 159; 151; D. Kinsey, 169; E. Miller, 184; G. DeSmith, 176.

425 series and over: B. Hatley, 429; M. Neal, 431; R. West, 438; D. Kinsey, 462; E. Miller, 438; G. DeSmith, 452; B. Eder, 443; V. Stewart, 491; B. Smith, 537; L. Beeman, 427; N. Packard, 445.

Rolling Pin League

Standings as of Dec. 22

W	L
Kookie Kutters	40 1/2 19 1/2
Grinders	40 20
Spooners	36 1/2 23 1/2
Coffee Cups	35 25
Egg Beaters	33 27
Kitchen Kapers	33 27
Mopper Uppers	32 28
Pots	23 37
Jolly Mops	23 37
Brooms	23 37
Mixers	23 37

400 and over series: W. Landwehr, 421; J. Rabbitt, 462; D. Anderson, 407; T. Steinaway, 444; C. Shepherd, 448; R. Foster, 503; J. Shepherd, 478; P. Borders, 445; S. Parker, 445; K. Del Prete, 405; A. Steinaway, 427; D. Butler, 403; J. Lewis, 438; G. Blass, 466; J. Priest, 444; J. Freeman, 429; D. Kinsey, 474; L. Orlovski, 419; J. Edick, 478.

140 and over games: E. Giffin, 141, 143; A. Steinaway, 146, 142; J. Johnson, 143, 140; D. Butler, 143, 151; A. McGinn, 141; J. Lewis, 145, 179; G. Klink, 148; G. Blass, 194; J. Priest, 177; J. Freeman, 177; P. Patterson, 143; D. Kinsey, 179; 159; P. Harook, 168; L. Orlovski, 146, 152; J. Edick, 171, 147, 160; C. Shepherd, 146, 164; J. Pax, 168; R. Foster, 162, 197, 144; J. Shepherd, 182, 169; P. Borders, 150, 162; S. Parker, 145, 166; K. Del Prete, 146; W. Landwehr, 169; G. Brier, 143; E. Reynolds, 151; J. Rabbitt, 160, 167; D. Anderson, 150, 141; T. Steinaway, 169, 152; L. Keezer, 145, 144.

Splits converted: J. Johnson, 5-7; A. Steinaway, 5-6; K. Del Prete, 2-7, 3-10; C. Shepherd, 3-10; P. Borders, 3-10; T. Steinaway, 3-7-10; 5-7; L. Keezer, 5-10; T. Jarvis, 7-10-5.

The Do Something About League

Standings as of Dec. 22

W	L
The Abortions	72 33
The Pushers	58 47
The Revolutionist	57 1/2 47 1/2
The Vndals	51 54
The Environment	43 1/2 61 1/2
The Crime	33 72

Games of 190 and over: D. White, 200, 191; N. Packard, 191, 204; T. Steele, 198; B. Altenberndt, 190; E. Boone, 197; Dave Clark, 203; T. Tuttle, 191.

Series of 525 and over: D. White, 573; N. Packard, 545; T. Steele, 541.

Senior House League

Standings as of Dec. 21

W	L
Chelsea Cleaners	46 14
Sam's Barbers	38 22
Wolverine Tavern	35 25
Spaulding Chevrolet	34 26
Sylvan Center	33 27
Seitz's Tavern	31 29
Schneider's Grocery	30 30
Dana No. 1	29 31
Dana No. 2	27 33
The Pub Bar	26 34
Chelsea Grinding	18 42
Murphy's Barber Shop	13 47

600 series and over: A. Sannes, 630; A. Clemes, 610; N. Packard, 603.

500 series and over: L. Hess, 586; G. Lawrence, 583; J. Toma, 572; R. Fike, 571; L. Hatley, 568; M. Poertner, 560; A. Fletcher, 560; J. Collins, 558; C. Grounds, 555; D. Weatherwax, 548; T. Wisniewski, 546; G. Burnett, 544; T. McClear, 544; D. Hatley, 543; L. Keezer, 533; D. White, 533; H. Burnett, 530; R. Kiel, 530; C. Baize, 529; S. Hopkins, 528; S. Haydock, 527; G. McAtee, 525; R. Spaulding, 517; M. Packard, 514; W. Moats, 512; G. Padgham, 510; R. Bauer, 509; G. Knickerbocker, 507; D. Coppennoll, 506; W. Moss, 505; J. West, 504; C. Parish, 503; D. Mshar, 500.

Leisure Time League

Standings as of Dec. 22

W	L
Three Misses	24 12
Dead Balls	22 14
Gutter Cats	18 18
Throw Outs	16 20
Rug Rats	16 20
Bowling Bags	12 24

400 series and over: D. Thompson, 459; S. Moore, 406; P. Huston, 422; P. Elliott, 509.

140 games and over: M. Heim, 140; S. Weston, 140; V. Wheaton, 141; S. Ringe, 140; H. Ringe, 141; D. Thompson, 173, 159; B. Bush, 170; S. Moore, 156; P. Huston, 157; P. Elliott, 142, 182, 185.

Hi Point Mixed

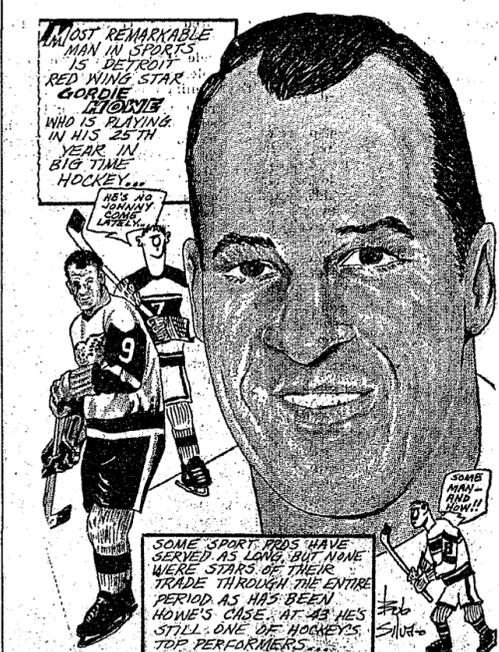
Standings as of Dec. 22

W	L
Holy Terrors	333 243
Hi Steppers	298 278
Johnston & Johnston	294 282
MJH	273 303
Dreadnaughts	268 308
Turn Abouts	262 314

Men, 450 series and over: H. Morton, 576; F. Steers, 560.

Men, 160 games and over: H. Morton, 216, 165, 195; F. Steers, 157.

SPORTS CORNER





ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SIGHT at the Chelsea Methodist Home is this village scene which appears in the living room of the Home every year at this time. Constructed by Charles W. Maass, a former licensed architectural engineer, who was a resident of the Home for eight years, the little village is a replica of Herman, a little town in the Upper Peninsula, which was Maass' home town. The little village is composed of six houses, a church, a school house, a barn, and a well with an old oaken bucket, and a windmill. It is enclosed by a rail fence, and the lights in the houses turn on. The scene was constructed between the years of 1951 and 1959, while Maass was at the Home. The Rev. Edwin Weiss, administrator of the Home during the time that Maass was a resident, remembers that Maass

designed many of the buildings in and around Chelsea, including several homes, and a church. He was located in Detroit until coming to the Home. According to Weiss, Maass would draw a sketch of the building in his home town from memory, and then construct the wooden building from his sketch. He was assisted by another former resident of the Home, Charles Thomas, who was a mining engineer, also from the Upper Peninsula. Maass' daughter lived in Herman at the time the little village scene was constructed, and residents at the Home say that one of the little houses in the scene is a replica of that daughter's home. The story behind the now traditional scene is as charming as the little scene itself — and a true remembrance of the spirit of Christmas.

Methodist Home Filled with Traditional Christmas Spirit

Residents and employees of the Chelsea Methodist Home are presently in first place for the Chelsea Standard's "Christmas 1970: Anti-Scrooge Movement: Award for a Better Christmas Season."

To qualify for first-place honors, members of the Anti-Scrooge movement must display the Christmas Spirit in their lives throughout the entire Christmas season—from the first day of advent, until Epiphany. From all appearances, the lively people at the Chelsea Home have taken the cake, with a little bit of help from their friends.

Throughout the season, pre-Christmas activities have been planned to give the season meaning. An Advent wreath, with the traditional four candles, and a Christmas candle, has been made. At every Sunday dinner in Advent, the family of the Rev. Clemans has conducted the candle-lighting service.

Employees and residents have been taking turns doing good deeds to one another, as the season progresses. The food service held a coffee hour for all residents on Tuesday, Dec. 15, and all other employees of the Home.

On Dec. 17, at 10 a.m., Deborah Circle of the First United Methodist church in Ann Arbor hosted a similar event.

A door decorating contest was held at the Home. Residents in every hall turned their door into their personal expression of Christmas. Winners in each corridor, and a grand prize winner were announced at the "Christmas Fun Night" hosted by the Home, which was held Wednesday evening, Dec. 16. Judges of the event were Charles Lancaster, Mrs. Kenneth Clark, Manchester, and Mrs. Clarence Marvin of Dexter.

A Christmas party held Dec. 10 for all the employees, and an open house at the home of the Administrator, on Dec. 18, completed the Home's tribute to those who work for them. Christmas activities among the residents continue to abound.

Caroling groups of Girl Scouts, and the Beach Middle school French Club, were scheduled for the week-end just prior to Christmas. Also on the docket was a presentation of the favorite Christmas story, "A Christmas Carol," which was produced by a Bay City church group. That was

presented Sunday afternoon, Dec. 20, at 3 p.m. at the Home.

A ride through the town to see the colored lights took place on the evenings of Dec. 22 and 23.

Christmas eve, tonight, the residents will gather to hear the service of the United Methodist church in town, and it is queried whether or not Santa won't try

to come down the Home's chimneys. Christmas morning, there will be a Christmas devotional following breakfast. Gifts will be distributed among the residents of the Home.

Chelsea Methodist Home has once more shown how wrong is the familiar adage that "Christmas is only for the very young."

CHELSEA VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

December 15, 1970

Regular Session— This meeting was called to order by President Fulks at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Room.

Present: President Fulks, Clerk Harvey, Administrator Weber, Trustees Miller, Gorton, Musbach, Dmoch, and Boylan. Absent: Trustee Chandler.

Others present were Police Chief Meranuck, Tom Eisele, Bob Daniels, Bob Shears and Huey Hardy.

A letter was received from the Village Planning Commission recommending approval of a variance to Hilltop Plumbing for a proposed retail building to be located at 1415 South Main St.

Motion by Miller, supported by Gorton to grant a variance to Section 3.15.50 of Ordinance No. 55 (Zoning Ord.) as it pertains to area regulations in a Restricted Business District, by reason of a land use hardship. The request being made by Hilltop Plumbing for the location of a building at 1415 South Main St. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

An appeal was received from Merkel Bros., Inc. regarding the use of building as a warehouse located between 412 and 416 Wilkinson St.

Motion by Musbach, supported by Miller to set January 5, 1971 as the date for a Public Hearing to consider the appeal of Merkel Bros., Inc., of the use of a building located between 412 and 416 Wilkinson St. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

Bob Daniels discussed with the Council the need for improved and additional recreational facilities. No action taken at this time.

Motion by Gorton, supported by Boylan, to adopt a resolution authorizing the Village Administrator to make application to the Michigan State Highway Dept. for an agreement relating to the construction of an additional travel lane on the east side of M-52 northerly from its intersection with Sibley Rd. to the south side of Lanewood Subdivision. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

Motion by Miller, supported by Musbach, to adopt a resolution revoking the Special Use Permit issued by the Chelsea Village Council on July 15, 1969 to Mobil Oil Corporation to allow the storage of wrecked, abandoned and disabled motor vehicles behind its service station located at the interchange of I-94 and M-52 Chelsea, Michigan, because of non-compliance with the conditions of the Use Permit. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

Motion by Gorton, supported by Dmoch, to transfer \$1,743.55 from the Major Street and Truckline Fund, and \$1,496.01 from the Local Street Fund to the General Fund for work performed on Major and Local Streets and on M-52 during the month of November. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

Motion by Dmoch, supported by Boylan to adopt a resolution requesting the County Board of Commissioners to withhold approval and encouragement to the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority until further study of the effects of the proposed park to the area involved and the county in general can be determined by the Washtenaw County Metropolitan Planning Commission and the Mill Creek Research Council. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

Motion by Dmoch, supported by Boylan, to adopt a resolution requesting the Huron-Clinton Met-

ropolitan Authority delay further action. Specifically any attempt at acquisition of land before the Mill Creek Research Council has an opportunity to submit to the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority and receive replies from the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority a list of pertinent questions due for submission and discussion at Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority January meeting. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

Motion by Gorton, supported by Musbach, to authorize the administrator and Clerk to make necessary inter-fund transfers and to establish necessary funds as specified by Act 2 of P.A. of 1968 establishing the Uniform Accounting Procedures. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

Trustee Musbach read a summary of the Fire Department activity for the months of October and November as submitted by Chief Gaken.

Trustee Musbach read a summary of the Police Department activity for the month of November as submitted by Chief Meranuck.

Motion by Dmoch, supported by Boylan to authorize and direct the Clerk to issue General Fund checks in the amount of \$6,638.86 and Special Fund checks in the amount of \$522.74 in payment of bills as submitted. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried.

Motion by Miller, supported by Gorton to adjourn. Roll call: Yeas all. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

Richard Harvey, Village Clerk.

Serving as "representatives-at-large" on the Board of Commissioners of the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority are two Detroit. Ellison resides in St. Clair Shores and Keydel lives in Detroit. Eugene J. Ellison, vice-pres-



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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor: Two recent events have pointed to the imperative need for regional planning for our area. The Michigan Livestock Exchange undoubtedly withdrew their request for a hearing appeal before the Sylvan Township Zoning Board because of the protest of the people of the involved area. The proposed Mill Creek Park is receiving opposition from the Mill Creek Research Council, by Village Council resolution, and from people who would be directly concerned if the park should become a reality. The Mill Creek Research Council, by persistent and intelligent opposition, effectively stopped the Army Corps of Engineers proposal for the Mill Creek Impoundment.

The time has come, if it has not already escaped us, to join voices, minds, and action to engage in regional planning. Planners and promoters have designs on our area. SEMCOG, the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Park Authority, the Army Corps of Engineers, and those searching for desirable industrial sites are among those looking at this area for their particular interests and developmental programs. It is possible to use the strength that comes from uniting efforts to direct and exercise some degree of control over the inevitable growth that will occur here.

As a beginning, perhaps representatives from the townships of Sylvan, Lima, and Lyndon; the Chelsea Village Council and Planning Commission; Mr. Jay Bradbury, our commissioner; Mr. Tom Pagan from the Washtenaw County Planning Commission; and all interested citizens could meet to explore the possibilities of, and to organize for, regional planning. Let us act now while this option still exists and before someone else precludes our initiative to do it.

Joseph V. Fisher.

Dear Editor, I will wager 25-50 to one that the dirty -- who drove probably 100 feet from Old US-12 to uproot six of my Sumacs will not answer this. The tracks are still here. Will welcome any communications.

W. D. "Bud" Pearson, 50 Freer Rd.

Top Cow Herd

The first dairy herd in Michigan to average more than 800 pounds of butterfat per cow was recorded this year by Jack Kaufman, Sandusky. Kaufman's herd averaged 20,191 pounds of milk per cow, and 805 pounds of butterfat.

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Bulletin Answers Questions on Home Sewage Disposal

Practical information on setting up private systems is available in a Michigan State University bulletin, "Questions and Answers About Home Sewage Disposal." Extension Bulletin 577 looks at requirements and limitations of home sewage disposal systems, how they are affected by local ordinances and where they should be located to best prevent environmental pollution.

The publication also considers such items as size, operation and cleaning of septic tanks, and offers detailed diagrams of septic tank and drain field systems.

Produced jointly by the Michigan State University Co-operative Extension Service and the Michigan Department of Health, the bulletin may be obtained free of charge at local county extension offices or by writing to the Bulletin Office, Agriculture Hall, Michigan State University, East Lansing 48823.

About Wise Men

Except for the words of St. Matthew, legend accounts for the little that is known about the wise men. One of the legends says that the star appeared to them once more, near the end of their lives.



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Christmas Customs Spread Around Globe

Mistletoe, Santa Claus, letters to Santa, Christmas customs galore—where did they all begin? The customs of Christmas come from many lands and many eras. They evolve from pagan ceremonies into Christian rituals. And they stretch from West to East, from North to South, as each country contributes something special and traditional to the celebrations of the holiday.

When seasonal gaiety rings out in Canada, the merriment is echoed in Mexico. When North or South Americans gather for Christmas festivities, the people of Sweden are doing the same—

and so are the peoples of Holland and France and Italy and Spain and countless other European countries.

In the far East, Christian communities spread the customs of Christmas, which mingle with the year-end ceremonies observed by those of other faiths.

That the legend and lore of Christmas knows no boundaries is illustrated in the following roundup of Yuletide customs, based on information provided by the editors of the Encyclopedia International.

In England

From the north of England comes the happy custom of the kissing bough. A large hoop, twined with greens, is decorated with apples and candles. And in the center there's mistletoe—signal for exchanging kisses.

In Austria

Custom of writing letters to Santa Claus may have begun in Austria, where, long ago, it was an Advent tradition for children to write letters containing lists of what they'd like to receive on St. Nicholas' Day.

In Italy

From Italy comes a most poetic addition to Christmas lore. For three weeks during the Christmas season, children traditionally go from place to place reciting Christmas poems. They expect coins in return, to buy holiday goodies.

In Sweden

An ancient custom that is still observed in some Swedish households today is that of "dipping bread into the pot." Each person

dips a piece of bread into pork and sausage drippings and eats it for good luck.

In Holland

For St. Nicholas season, it's traditional in Holland to make flat cakes called *Klassjes*. Once exclusively made in the form of the bishop, St. Nicholas, *Klassjes* now take any form of bird, beast or fish.

In France

At Salers in central France, old-time tradition calls for a king and queen to rule over Christmas festivities. Rulers pay for the privilege, since they are "elected" by bidding at an auction held on the church steps.

In Germany

A procession which blends pagan and Christmas customs is part of the legend and lore of the holiday in Ruppin, Germany. A rider on a white horse, symbolizing the horse of the pagan god Wotan, leads the parade. He is followed by Father Christmas, who is decked with ribbons and carries candy and fruit.

In Switzerland

A Swiss custom that dates back to the Middle Ages is to start the New Year free of debts. December 6th, the feast of St. Nicholas of Myra, the first Santa Claus, is the day set to meet all monetary obligations such as rents and mortgages.

GOLDEN GLOVE

Tiger Outfielder Mickey Stanley, who did not make an error as an outfielder all season, won a 1970 Gold Glove award for fielding excellence.



IN FRANCE, TRADITION HAS IT THAT shepherds should take their lambs to church on Christmas day. French shepherd pictured here is taking part in a special holiday celebration which has been a tradition in the town of Baux for more than 10 centuries. Photograph is from the Encyclopedia International.



CHINESE CHRISTIANS CELEBRATE "SHEN Dan Jieh," the Holy Birth Festival, at Christmas. But Santa Claus is on hand, too, as he is in this scene, typical of a Taiwan Christmas, where he greets youngsters enjoying a ride on a merry-go-round. Photograph is from the New Book of Knowledge.

There's Inspiration

As in all forms of art, the story of the Nativity has been a source of inspiration to iconographers through the ages. The Madonna and Child have long been favorite subjects for icons, while Byzantine triptychs often showed Christ, Mary His Mother and John the Baptist. Other early iconographers turned to St. Nicholas, Bishop of Myra, as a subject worthy of attention. The good bishop is known in legend as the forefather of Santa Claus.

RUSSIA'S MOON ROCKS

Constance, West Germany—According to a Soviet account of how the material brought back from the moon by Luna 16 is being tested for toxicity and microorganisms to make certain that some sinister material is not introduced to earth.

TWIN KILLINGS

The Tigers made five double plays against the Twins on May 6 and five against the Yankees June 30. Les Cain was the winning pitcher in each game.



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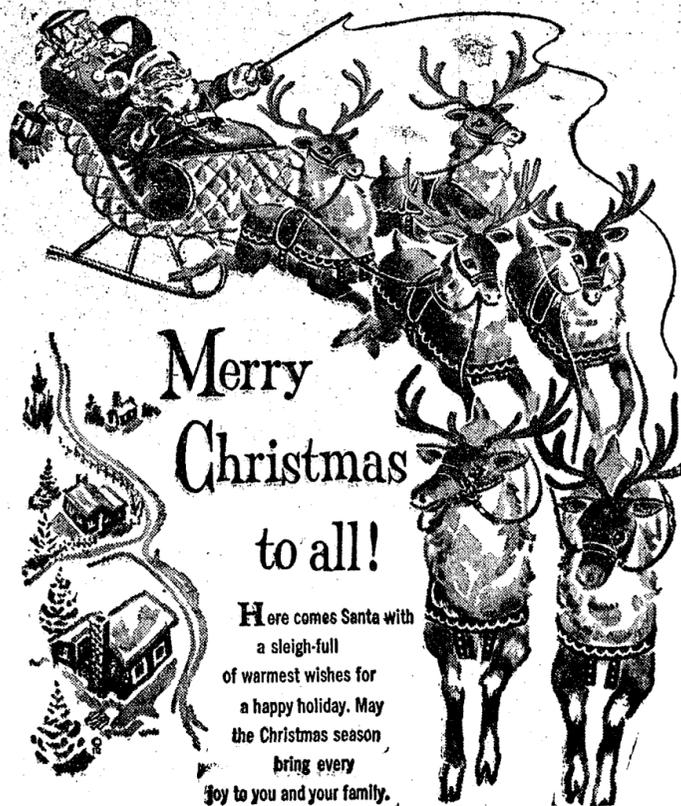
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Brothers Home for Christmas

Pfc. Ray Trevino, and his brother Spec. 4 Gilbert Trevino, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Edmundo Trevino, 18669 Old US-12 will be home for Christmas this year. Ray, who arrived home Wednesday evening, Dec. 16, for 20 days, has been stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., where he was sent after joining the Army in July, 1970. He is a 1970 graduate of Chelsea High school. He will be home until Jan. 5, when he will leave for Oakland, Calif., prior to departing for Vietnam.

His brother, Gilbert, who arrived home Monday evening, Dec. 21, is home for 10 days from Ft. Bragg, N.C., where he has been stationed for the past year, since his return from Vietnam in Jan-

uary 1970. Gilbert is a paratrooper with the 82 Airborne Division at Fort Bragg. His four-year tour of duty with the service is up in 10 months.

According to the Trevinos, it will be a Merry Christmas at their home this year.

HUNTS MOON PIECES

Postal authorities and the space agency are looking for two pieces of the moon believed lost which were destined for research in New York and Saudi Arabia, respectively. When they did not arrive in three weeks, the search was begun.

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Beach School Faculty Still Undefeated

Saturday night, Beach Middle school faculty played the high school faculty in a benefit basketball game. The proceeds, some \$376, went to help pay for the new wrestling mat purchased this year.

Although greatly outnumbered, the Beach faculty built up an early first quarter lead which put them momentarily 15 points out in front of the high school team. The Beach team, during the first quarter, scored on better than 95 percent of the shots attempted. By half-time, the Beach faculty was still out in front by a healthy margin.

The third and fourth quarters saw a see-saw battle for the lead, which finally ended in the 54-50 rout of the high school by the Middle school.

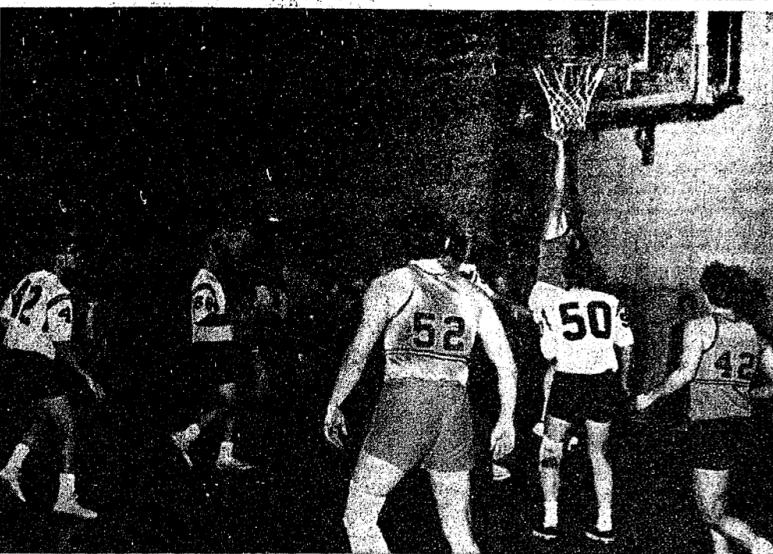
Outstanding players abounded on both sides. The Middle school team, coached by Richard Bareis, was sparked by Randy Johnson, playing center, Bert Kruse, Ed Lauson, Charlie Waller, and Jim Thompson, with brilliant substitutions from the bench.

The High school team was led by Paul Terpstra, Carl Genske, John Schaffner, Phil Bareis and the new agriculture teacher, Douglas Davidson, backed up by a star-studded bench.

During the games, both teams were cheered on by female faculty cheerleaders. Middle school cheerleaders, as one of their stunts, built a three-layered human pyramid and helped add tremendously to the morale of their team. The high school cheerleaders also turned in a good performance in attempting to elevate their team's spirits.

The half-time show was put on by the Senior High Pom-Pom Girls who did their impressions of selected Senior High teachers. The audience found the sketches quite humorous, and the teams enjoyed the prolonged period for purposes of recovery.

Rumor has it that the high school goal-tenders, smarting under this defeat, are seeking a rematch. At this time, no official action has been taken.



MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHER Bert Kruse lays one in. Other teachers are: (69) Phil Bareis, (42) Douglas Davidson, (50) Paul Terpstra, (42) Jim Thompson, and (52) Randy Johnson. In the background is Carl Genske.

Junior Varsity Loses to Milan, Downs Lincoln

Chelsea junior varsity roundballers suffered their third consecutive loss of the season when they played Milan Friday evening, Dec. 18, by a score of 67-54.

A much taller Milan team outbounded the Bulldog cagers, 67-52, but still trailed Chelsea by three points at the end of the third quarter. In the fourth period, however, the Big Reds outscored the Chelsea cagers by 16 points (27-11) to claim the victory.

A big factor in the game was the foul trouble that Chelsea found herself in. Four players fouled out of the game, while yet another team member was playing with four personals.

From the floor, Chelsea hit 18 out of 56 shots, for a 32 percent record, while Milan connected for 31 percent, hitting 23 out of 74 shots.

High scorers for Chelsea were Jeff Daniels, Bruce Guster, and John Mann, who hit for 18, 13, and 12 points, respectively. Daniels was the top Bulldog rebounder, grabbing 11, while Mann was credited with 9, and Bertke 8.

Line score:
Milan 3-19-18-27-67
Chelsea 11-14-18-11-54

The Bulldog JV's got back onto the winning track Saturday evening, Dec. 19, by edging past Lincoln, 46-45.

Once again a taller Lincoln team out rebounded Chelsea, 52-30, but the Bulldogs used hustle and desire to defeat the Rail-splitters.

Chelsea was outscored, 6-10, in the first period, but maintained their own the rest of the way to pick up their second victory of the season.

The Bulldog junior varsity now has a conference record of two wins, and three losses, while holding a two win and four loss record in over-all play.

Chelsea received a fine effort from Jeff Daniels, who tallied 18 points, while grabbing 12 rebounds. John Mann grabbed 10 rebounds and scored 9 points, while Bruce Guster added 11 counters. Mark Policht rounded out the Chelsea offense with 8 points.

Tiger Coach Frank Skaff served as a coach and acting manager of the Tigers in 1965-66.



MIDDLE SCHOOL CHEERLEADERS try a pyramid with 47 seconds left in the game. The final score 54-50 shows in the background, the Middle school defeating the Senior High. Cheerleaders are left to right, bottom row: Kathy Jacobson, Sue Harding, Kay Phenneger; second row: Barbara Brown, Carol Steiner; top: Cheryl Turner.

County Bar Association Sponsoring New Legal Explorer Scout Post

The Washtenaw County Bar Association announced today its sponsorship of the New Legal Explorer Post No. 166. The Bar Association is working in connection with the Boy Scouts of America, Portage Trails Council. Membership in the new Post will be drawn from young men and women who are possibly interested in law as a career.

This Post will be unique for this area as it will be co-educational. Senior Advisor is John M. Barr of Ypsilanti. Associate advisors include Circuit Court Judges William F. Ager, Jr. and Ross W. Campbell, Probate Judge Rodney E. Hutchinson, and District Judge S. J. Elden. The balance of the Advisory Committee is composed of other Washtenaw county lawyers, including Richard S. Benedek, of the Friend of the Court, attorneys from the Prosecutor's Office and the U. of M. Law School and attorneys in private practice both of Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor.

The Post's program will include social activities and outings, demonstrations and involvement in various areas of law practice and law enforcement.

The first meeting of the Post will be held Dec. 23, at 7:30 p.m., in the District Courtroom of Judge S. J. Elden, 15th District Court, corner of Huron and Fifth, Ann Arbor.

All young adults between 15 and 21 years who are possibly interested in law as a career are urged to attend. Parents are encouraged to attend the first program.

The program for the organizational meeting will be provided by the Detroit Office of the FBI.

There are about 20 million senior citizens in our country. They represent about 10 percent of the populations.

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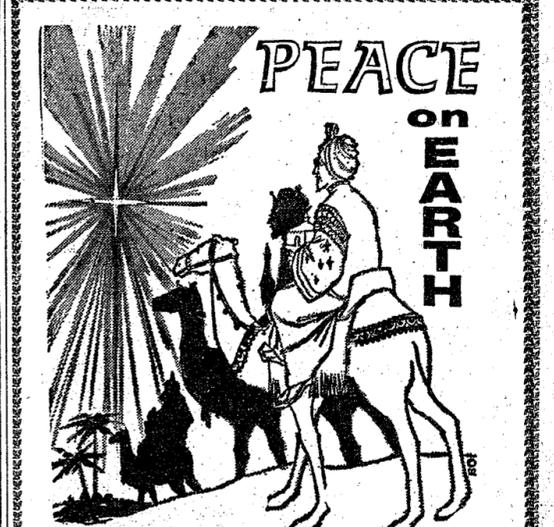
QUITE AN ASSIST Tiger Infielder Dick McAniff (an American League record for 9-inning game—in a Detroit victory over Chicago on May 8, 1970) was credited 11 assists—tying



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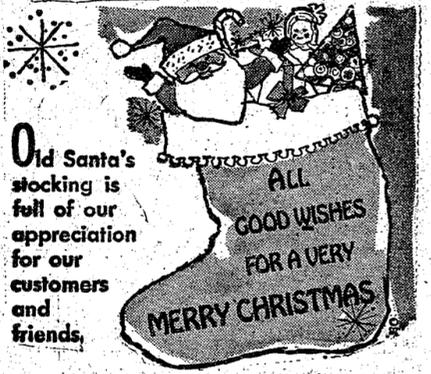


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Sons were born both on Tuesday, Dec. 15, to the son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Devine who live in Massachusetts and Nevada, respectively.

Chad Michael was the name of the boy born to Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Skidgel in Las Vegas, Nevada. Mrs. Skidgel is the former Roberta Devine. James Allen is the son born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Devine of Mansfield, Mass.

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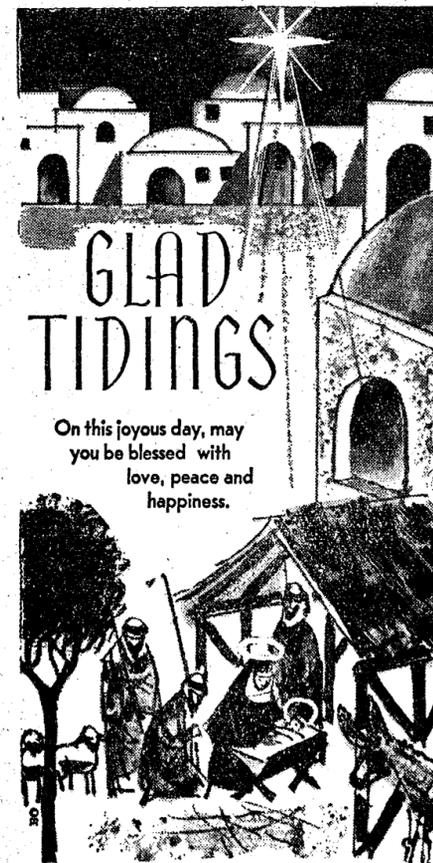
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The Rev. Warner Siebert, Pastor
Thursday, Dec. 24—
7:30 p.m.—Family worship (communion).
11:00 p.m.—Worship (communion).
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:15 a.m.—Church school.
10:30 a.m.—Worship.
10:30 a.m.—Worship. Sermon title: "Unfinished Business." Courier articles due.
Wednesday, Dec. 30—
Mailing committee.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
Corner of Fletcher, Waters Rds. (Rogers Corners)
The Rev. John R. Morris, Pastor
Thursday, Dec. 24—
7:30 p.m.—Sunday school family Christmas party.
7:30 p.m.—Sunday school family Christmas service.
11:00 p.m.—Joint candlelight service with St. Thomas, there.
Friday, Dec. 25—
9:30 a.m.—Festival worship.
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:15 a.m.—Worship service. Student recognition and participation.
Luther League.
Thursday, Dec. 31—
7:30 p.m.—New Year's Eve joint service with St. Thomas, here.

SALEM GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
The Rev. Frederick Atkinson, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
The Rev. Thode B. Thodeson, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
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.

CHELSEA BAPTIST CHURCH
337 Wilkinson
Sunday, Dec. 27—
10:00 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 worship.
Every Wednesday—
7:30 p.m.—Bible study and prayer meeting.

NORTH SHARON COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
Sylvan and Washburn Rds.
The Rev. William Enslen, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
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.

VILLAGE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF WATERLOO
8117 Washington St.
Mrs. Altha Barnes, pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:15 a.m.—Morning worship.

ST. JACOB EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
12501 Reithmiller Rd., Grass Lake
The Rev. Andrew Bloom, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:15 a.m.—Divine services.

GREGORY BAPTIST CHURCH
The Rev. Grant Lapham, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
10:00 a.m.—Worship service.
11:15 a.m.—Church school.
6:30 p.m.—Baptist Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship service.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
The Rev. Clive Dickins, Pastor
Thursday, Dec. 24—
6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m.—Christmas Dessert Buffet in Educational Unit.
7:30-8:15 p.m.—Christmas eve candlelight service.
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:00 a.m.—Church school (nursery-adult).
10:00 a.m.—Church school (Nursery-2nd grade).
10:00 a.m.—Worship service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (United Church of Christ)
The Rev. Daniel Kelin, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
10:00 a.m.—Church school.
10:00 a.m.—Morning worship.
ST. BARNABAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
20500 Old US-12
The Rev. C. Walton Fitch, Vicar
Telephone 426-8815
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:15 a.m.—Holy Communion, first, third and fifth Sundays.
9:15 a.m.—Morning Prayer second and fourth Sundays.

ST. THOMAS EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
The Rev. Daniel L. Mattson, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
10:00 a.m.—Worship service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday school and bible study.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
1883 Washtenaw Ave., Ann Arbor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a.m.—Morning service.
Lesson-sermon: "Glory to God in the Highest, and on Earth Peace, Good Will Toward Men."

CHURCH OF CHRIST
18661 Old US-12, East
R. D. Parnell, Minister
Sunday, Dec. 27—
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.

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED CHURCH (United Church of Christ)
Rogers Corners
The Rev. David J. Kleis
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a.m.—Morning worship.

NORTH LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
The Rev. Frederick Atkinson, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:30 a.m.—Worship service.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.

CHELSEA MEDICENTER
Sunday, Dec. 27—
12:30 p.m.—Sunday worship service.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Unadilla
The Rev. T. H. Liang
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Worship service.
Every Tuesday—
8:00 p.m.—Choir practice.

METHODIST HOME CHAPEL
The Rev. R. L. Clemons, Chaplain
V. O. Johnson, Administrator
Sunday, Dec. 27—
8:45 a.m.—Worship service.

BETHEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED CHURCH (United Church of Christ)
Freedom Township
The Rev. Roman A. Reineck
Sunday, Dec. 27—
10:00 a.m.—Worship.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.



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The Rev. F. Francis Wahowiak
Saturday, Dec. 26—
7:30 p.m.—Mass.
Sunday, Dec. 27—
Masses at 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 11:30 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF WATERLOO
Parks and Territorial Rds.
Mrs. Altha Barnes, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:15 a.m.—Morning worship.
10:15 a.m.—Sunday school.

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rebekah Hall, 1194 M-52
The Rev. William H. Keller, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 27—
9:15 a.m.—Sunday school and Youth Bible Class.
10:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Every Thursday—
6:30 p.m.—Youth Confirmation Class.

IMMANUEL BIBLE CHURCH
145 E. Summit St.
The Rev. Frank C. Frinkle
Sunday, Dec. 27—
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.

Christmas, 1970, does not come to a world that is perfect. Many nations are at odds. There are wars and rumors of war. And cold wars. There is poverty, even in the richest land on this earth. But, this is the day we have set aside to recognize that momentous event that took place in Bethlehem centuries ago. This is the hour when men pause, when combatants often call for a momentary pause... when, in essence, many of the affairs of the world are set aside for a few precious hours. Christmas, indeed, is such an universal holiday that it somehow touches the lives of everyone, even unbelievers. Christmas day is not a perfect day. Do not expect it to be. But, give it a chance to touch you. Take a closer look at your world on this Christmas Day. Take a look into your own heart. You may find some singular experience that will lead toward a better tomorrow.

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Greetings

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Better Highways, More Flights Make It Easier To Visit Florida

If Florida tourism promotion figures are correct, approximately 525,000 Michiganders will seek sun, sand and the sea in the Sunshine State this winter, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

Florida officials say that winter tourism in that state has been growing at an average rate of five percent a year over the past decade.

"This means that 25,000 more Michigan vacationers should seek

Florida sunshine between now and mid-March than last winter," states Jerry E. Fisher, Auto Club touring manager.

While 90 percent of Michigan's sun-bound vacationers will drive south, air travel, which is more frequent and more luxurious than ever, will attract the bulk of those persons not going by car.

On Dec. 15, Delta Airlines' Boeing 747 Super Jet service started between Detroit's Metro

Airport and Miami. In addition, there are 26 daily through jet flights to Florida points, several more than last winter.

Michiganians choosing to drive will find the four principal routes to Florida shown as A, B, C, and D on the accompanying map. Major differences this year in the drive are 91 miles of new freeway on Route A and 52 added miles of freeway on Route B. Although added sections of freeway cut only about an hour from total driving time on either route, they make driving safer and more convenient.

Which way to go will depend upon whether the motorist wishes a direct or scenic route. Auto Club points out that Michigan motorists wanting to add interest go one route and return another, just for the variety.

Route A (destination, Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater) is the most popular with Michigan motorists. It has been shortened 30 miles by a new, 50-mile stretch of freeway between Cincinnati and Louisville. North of Nashville, another 11 miles of new freeway have been added and a third new section, 30 miles in length, is scheduled to open before Jan. 1 near Murfreesboro, Tenn. These freeway additions reduce driving time by about an hour and a half.

From Detroit, Route A is via Toledo, Cincinnati and Louisville to Nashville. From Nashville, there are two choices: either continue on Route A through Chattanooga and Atlanta, or follow Route A-1 through Birmingham and Montgomery, Ala. and Panama City and Tallahassee, Fla.

In winter, roads in the northern portion of Route A, which has almost no mountain driving, usually are in better condition than those on the other three routes. Distance from Detroit to Miami is 1,470 miles; 53 miles longer than Route B, but driving time is the same. Route A has 1,415 miles of four-lane highway, more than any of the others. Tolls on Route A total \$5.45.

Route B, referred to by many motorists as the "I-75" route, is most direct for Michigan motorists headed for Miami. This route, gaining in popularity each year, is via Cincinnati, Lexington

ton, Knoxville, Chattanooga and the Atlanta Bypass. Two newly-opened freeway sections will save 52 miles of driving for motorists who travel Route B this year. One, from London to Corbin, Ky., is 12 miles long. The other, from Jellico to Lake City, Tenn., is 40 miles in length. Drive time is reduced about an hour by these new freeway sections.

Route B is 1,417 miles long, with only 50 miles of semi-mountainous country in Kentucky and Tennessee. It is the shortest of the four routes, with 1,342 miles of four-lane highway. Tolls to Miami on Route B total \$4.85.

Motorists using either Route A or Route B will find that the Florida Turnpike intersects with I-75 south of Ocala and heads across to and down Florida's east coast. Just below the Florida state line, I-10 crosses I-75, heading for Jacksonville and the upper and middle Atlantic coasts via either US-1 or I-95.

Longest of the routes is Route C, which takes advantage of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Turnpikes. Total mileage is 1,588; with 1,135 miles of that total freeway driving. Tolls via Route C are \$9.50. During the winter, snow and ice may affect some portions of Route C through Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Route D is recommended for spring, summer and fall travel. Although the route is scenic, snow and ice conditions in West Virginia and North Carolina may make roads hazardous in winter. Total mileage is 1,461, with more than two-thirds of it freeway. Tolls total \$4.95.

Approximately 60,000 persons will fly to Florida from Michigan between now and March 30," says Auto Club's World-Wide travel manager, Clarence Stanbury. Not all will be vacation-bound travelers, however. Some will be persons traveling to Florida on business.

Those who prefer to fly will find deluxe comfort in store with the introduction of Boeing 747 Super Jet service from Detroit. Delta will offer a 9:30 a.m. nonstop 747 brunch flight, arriving in Miami at 12:03 p.m. A second nonstop 747 flight will leave Metro at 5:40 p.m. for Atlanta, arriving at 7:18 p.m., in time for connecting flights to Florida's major cities.

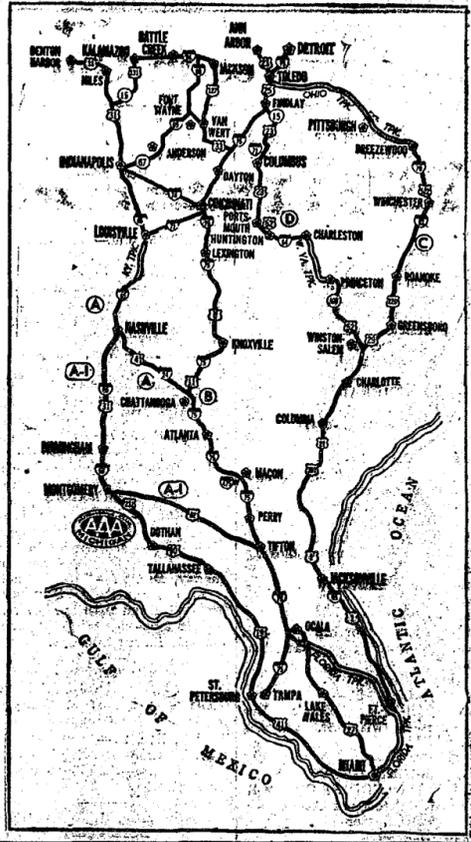
Northbound, Delta will offer two flights each day. One, an early-morning night coach, with one intermediate stop in Atlanta, leaves Miami at 8:30 a.m. and arrives at Detroit Metro at 8:00 a.m. The second is a nonstop lunch flight, leaving Miami at 1:33 p.m. and arriving at Detroit at 4:09 p.m.

In addition to those 747 Super Jet flights, Delta also will offer a nonstop Convair 880 night coach flight to Miami and two one-stop DC-8 fan jet flights as well as several connecting jet services.

Eastern Airlines' winter service to Miami will begin Dec. 1, with a choice of three nonstop 727 whisper jets daily to Miami. A 10 a.m. breakfast flight will arrive in Miami at 12:43 p.m. The second nonstop will be a lunch flight leaving Metro at 12:25 p.m., arriving in Miami at 3:02 p.m. The third, a night coach, will leave Detroit at 10 p.m. and arrive in Miami at 12:38 p.m.

Returning from Miami, Eastern will offer three nonstops daily plus one daily two-stop jet flight.

In addition to the Miami-Atlanta flights from Detroit, Delta will offer three daily nonstops to Tampa, one in the morning and two in the afternoon. Eastern will operate a morning and early evening nonstop to Tampa. Both Delta and Eastern offer nonstop morning return flights, while Eastern has a nonstop lunch flight and Delta a nonstop dinner flight to Detroit. To Fort Lauderdale, Delta will



offer a 9:30 a.m. one-stop, through flight, while Eastern will operate the only nonstop leaving Metro at 8:15 p.m. Eastern's daily nonstop flight to Detroit from Fort Lauderdale will leave at 2:55 p.m. Delta will offer a 9:35 p.m. nonstop dinner flight each day.

Delta will operate an early morning through jet to West Palm Beach, while Eastern will offer an early evening through jet. Northbound, Eastern will offer a one-stop breakfast through flight, Delta's northbound service from West Palm Beach is through connections.

From Detroit to Jacksonville and Orlando, Delta will operate one through flight daily to each city.

Delta and Eastern air fares to those points are the same. Some round trip examples: first class to Miami, \$206; day coach, \$162; night coach, \$126. First class to Tampa: \$180; day coach, \$144; night coach, \$112. Both carriers offer family plan, youth and military discounts.

If you wish to travel to Florida by train, you must go by way of Chicago. The Grand Trunk Western's streamliner, the Mohawk, leaves Detroit's Brush Street Station at 4:30 p.m. seven days a week and arrives in Chicago at 9:45 p.m. (Central Standard Time). A cafe coach offers snacks, light lunches and beverages. An earlier Detroit-to-Chicago Grand Trunk Western train leaves Detroit at 12:15 p.m. each day.

Under Grand Trunk's Red-White-Blue travel plan, one-way fare between Detroit and Chicago is \$11.55 Red days, \$13.20 White days and \$14.85 Blue days. The

Penn-Central operates three all-coach trains daily between Detroit and Chicago. All offer snack bars. One-way fare is \$16.25.

From Chicago to Florida, the Illinois Central's Luxurious City of Miami leaves Chicago at 8:40 a.m. every other day and arrives in Miami at 7:30 p.m. the second day.

Greyhound Lines offers nine bus departures daily from Detroit to Miami, nine to Jacksonville and eight to Tampa. Round-trip fare, Detroit to Miami, is \$98.05. Greyhound also offers several package tours in Florida, including the popular Florida Carousel Tours. Also available are four-day to seven-day Greyhound Funarama vacation packages, with accommodations at the Atlantic Towers Hotel in Miami Beach.

Whatever your destination and however you choose to get there, you will be part of a rapidly-growing group heading for Florida's sunny beaches and sparkling waters each year, and you will have more time to relax and enjoy yourself when you get there.



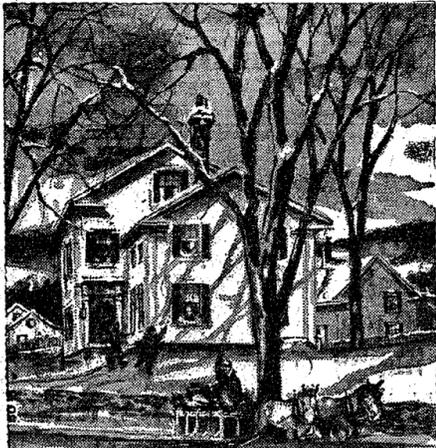
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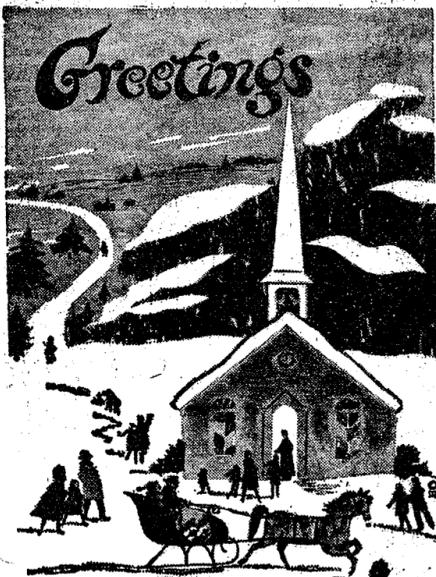


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FOOD BUY-WAYS

The cyclamate scare on the threshold of the holiday baking season has roused a flurry of sweet questions, among the most frequent are these:

"How do you use the new blended sugar?" No proportion change need be made in recipes, though the mixture of dextrose and sucrose tastes slightly less sweet on the tongue. You're probably most familiar with dextrose as an ingredient in infant formulas. It might be called predigest- ed, since it is the form to which our bodies convert carbohydrates. Dextrose has been used for years (as a 75 percent sucrose, 25 percent dextrose mixture) in commercially prepared jams, jellies, and canned fruits. It costs less than sucrose, decreases the sweetness, and provides the same body in the canned product. Sucrose is the chemical name for sugar. Processors are presently testing sugars to which vitamins, minerals, and flavorings have been added. So we can expect further changes in our sugar choices.

"Can I use beet sugar for cane sugar?" They are exactly the same product, chemically. There is absolutely no difference between the sweetening power of cane and beet sugar. Each contains 99.8 percent sucrose.

The price advantage of beet sugar is due in part to the fact that our supply is made from Michigan sugar beets.

"Is it true brown sugar is unrefined white sugar?" No, brown sugar is as highly refined as white sugar and is refined in exactly the same way, but refining is done at a lower temperature. This produces a sugar of minute crystals mixed with natural refiner's syrup. As a result, proportionally, the actual granulated sugar content of brown sugars is less; but they taste sweeter on the tongue because of the syrup present.

"What's the difference between dark and light brown sugar?" The amount of refiner's syrup (molasses-like) in proportion to the granulated sugar present. The darker the brown, the more refiner's syrup, the richer the flavor. In whole, cost is higher by 7 to 11 cents a pound. In the recently developed easy-pour, non-caking products syrup, and so flavor, has been reduced. The newest product, distinct granules of brown sugar, are the result of a pressure-temperature process which compacts it into uniform morsels for easy pouring and handling. No change in recipe proportions are needed since product "bulks" about the same as packed brown sugar.

"Why do confectioners powdered sugars contain starch?" The 3 percent starch added helps keep the sugar from caking and also makes it work up into a smoother icing than would be possible with powdered sugar that did not contain starch. The label declares the presence of starch.

"What are BHA and BHT in my Brazil nuts?" Label information on shelled Brazil nuts now

adays is apt to report presence of "BHA, BHT, and vegetable oil." Brazil nuts being relatively high in fat content, are inclined to early rancidity. This marketing problem has been pretty well removed by a relatively new technique. BHA and BHT are anti-rancidity agents approved by the Food and Drug Administration for use with foods. They work more efficiently in combination than do either of them alone in extending shelf life. Since neither agent is soluble in water, they must be added to an oil (in this case coconut oil, an inexpensive vegetable oil) which is sprayed over shelled nuts or in which nuts may be dipped then drained. Calorie content is almost unchanged since so little remains on the nuts.

"I'm watching calories so I use a cream substitute." Coffee drinkers using those cream substitutes may be surprised to learn that they are not reducing calorie intake from saturated fats." Dr. Ancel Keys, University of Minnesota School of Public Health reports. A current study of cream substitutes showed these new products to be worse than cream in total saturated fat content. These statements were reported in a recent Medical Tribune article covering study of 14 cream substitutes by Dr. Elaine H. Monsen of Harvard. The study indicated that most of the substitutes were made with coconut oil, a highly saturated fat, as the fatty ingredient.

Paul Lancaster Listed In Who's Who in U. S. College Campuses

Paul Lancaster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lancaster, 607 Washington St., has been elected to membership in Who's Who among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

An English major, Paul is a senior at Elmhurst College, Elmhurst, Ill.

Senior college students annually selected for membership are those who, throughout their academic careers, have achieved a consistently high level of scholarship and distinguished themselves in campus and community leadership.

ABOUT FOODSTUFF

Of the most popular vegetables we eat, only corn and some kinds of beans are native Americans; garden peas are from Asia, cabbage was first used as food in China, the eggplant and cucumber are from India; spinach and muskmelons were first known in Persia, watermelon is an African plant, and asparagus from the Mediterranean.

BIG TIDE

The tidal current in San Francisco Bay reaches a peak of 10 million cubic feet a second, half again the flow of the Amazon River.

Sixth Grade Hot Line

Mrs. Koch's classes Christmas is almost here! We're looking forward to the Christmas parties we're going to have next Tuesday in our homerooms. We're going to have refreshments and games.

We have a Christmas tree on our bulletin board. One day we all made paper ornaments for the tree with our name on them. Then every week we have a contest between the morning and afternoon classes. If we get A-plus on our spelling test, we can put our ornament on the tree. The class that has the most ornaments wins for that week. The afternoon class has won two weeks in a row now, but the morning class is really trying hard to win this week. Good luck!

It seems funny to look out the window of our room and see the snow blowing and then open our Geography books to read about the Tropical Dry Lands of the world. We've learned how people live in the desert. They have a constant struggle for survival. Water is very precious to them. Besides reading in our textbooks, we've seen many movies about the dry lands. One of the most interesting was called "Blue Men of Morocco." It shows a tribe of people who live in northwest Africa and whose skin is dyed a blue color because their clothing is made of material dyed with indigo, a blue dye. We also learned that dates are grown in the oases of the Sahara Desert. Many of us had never tasted a date, so Mrs. Koch brought a box of dates to school and we all had one. Some of us liked them, but some of us thought they were worse than spinach!

We've been working on Research Reports, too. We divided up into committees of four or five and spent three days in the library looking up material and taking notes for our reports. Mrs. Paulin, the librarian, showed us how to use the indexes and key words to find information. Then we wrote our reports and made a bibliography to go with them. Mrs. Koch typed our reports on ditto sheets and we shared the information with each other. The

reports were on desert plants and animals, the Moslem religion, the Aswan Dam, the Suez Canal, the Blue Men of Morocco, mummies, pyramids, and the Sphinx.

We also have a new Independent Reading program. We choose our own book to read and when we've finished it, we write a short summary of it. We also keep a journal where we record what book we're reading and how many pages we read. Mrs. Koch reads to us, too. She's just finished an exciting science fiction story, "A Wrinkle in Time," about a girl and her brother who "tesseract" to another planet to find their lost scientist father. Now we're listening to "Me and Calah." We really laughed when the two boys went eel-fishing and caught everything but an eel!

In English we've been reviewing common and proper nouns. We're also learning the nine rules for changing singular nouns to plural. We wrote Christmas stories, too. We put them up on the wall of our room and we're enjoying reading the stories our friends wrote.

We want to thank Mr. Paul Simon, an industrial arts and science teacher at Beach school, for making us a wooden file drawer box for our room. We each have our own file drawer to keep our papers in and it is very handy.

A very Merry Christmas to you all!

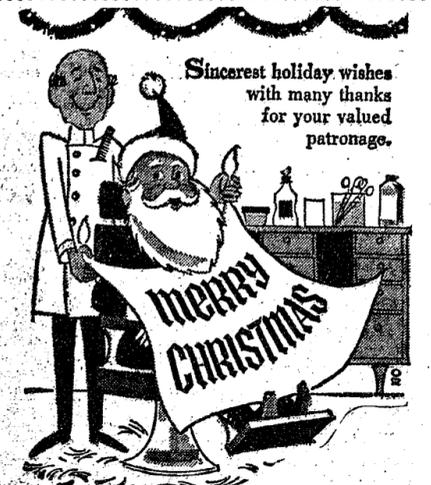
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AT CHRISTMAS...

As the Wise Men came from the East bearing gold, myrrh and frankincense to the Holy Child, so let us bear in our hearts that greatest gift of all - Love toward each other, so Peace on Earth may prevail.



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YES, VIRGINIA:

There Will Always Be Christmas Trees

Yes, Virginia, there is a Christmas tree, and always will be so long as there is a Santa Claus and good fellowship to complement the spiritual enjoyment of the season.

Christmas trees sold in the United States today come mainly from two sources—natural forest lands and managed Christmas tree plantations.

In natural forest lands, they are raised and harvested as a farmer would raise and harvest any other crop. A tree farmer with 10 acres would selectively harvest one-tenth of his crop each year, replant, and plan on another selective harvest of another acre's worth the following year.

On natural forest lands, the cutting of Christmas trees is a part of the thinning process. It provides trees for the holiday market, and added growth opportunities for trees left to grow; it also helps in the control of drainage and watershed management, and makes way for the growth of plants on which wildlife can feed.

If the trees cut out were not

used as Christmas trees, they would be wasted, since thinning is required to allow remaining trees to grow to size for timber and pulpwood use later on.

This year, according to the National Christmas Tree Growers' Association, Americans are expected to buy 45 million trees to decorate home, office, school and church. An estimated 15,000 individual growers, one quarter of whom belong to the national association, are marketing their trees through 50,000 wholesalers and retailers in every state of the Union, according to Edgar J. Lott, Purdue University forester and treasurer of the association.

Tourist Council Asks One-Way Bottle Ban

Reaffirming a position established nearly a decade ago against the use of throw-away bottles, the Michigan Tourist Council in a statement issued this week has again called for the elimination of non-returnable beverage containers. The Council first established such a position in mid-1961, but was unsuccessful in seeking control legislation.

The Council said it was assured at that time by industry spokesmen that the litter problem could better be attacked through educational campaigns rather than legislation. The Council noted that such educational campaigns have not developed successfully.

Aurey Strohpaul, Grand Rapids Council chairman, pointed out that the continued accumulation of non-degradable containers presents a growing hazard to health, safety and the environment.

"If steps are not taken immediately, Michigan's beaches, forestlands and other recreational areas will become a wasteland of debris," Strohpaul stated. "Elimination of throw-away containers would be a significant step towards solving the solid waste disposal problem."

"One-way bottles may be convenient, but public trust has been violated when family vacations are ruined through a combination of glass buried beneath the sand and barefoot children," he said. Strohpaul pointed out that the cost of cleaning up state and county highway rights of way now amounts to \$1,000 daily and is expected to increase as the use of throw-away containers continues. "Legislation designed to ban the use of non-returnable beverage containers in Michigan is expected to be introduced in the 1971 session of the legislature," Strohpaul stated. "The Michigan Tourist Council will support such bills whole-heartedly, and enthusiastically urge their passage."

Despite your belief that you are absolutely essential in your job, the world would get along nicely without you.

Greater Michigan Boat Show Opens Jan. 23 in Detroit

The 18th annual Greater Michigan Boat Show will set sail for a nine-day cruise at the West Eight Mile Road Armory on Jan. 23. Again this year there will be more than 650 boats on display—thus assuring the show its position as the nation's largest dealer owned boat show. The show is owned and produced by the Michigan Marine and Snowmobile Dealers Association.

"We anticipate a record turnout of boating enthusiasts this year," said MMSDA president Tony Byrd. "Despite the recent economic slowdown interest in boating has never been higher."

In addition to the wide variety of boats, an extensive collection of related equipment will be on display. Motors, trailers, fishing gear, water skiing equipment, navigational aids, etc. Also, marine services such as banks and marinas.

Cub Scout Pack Meets at Medcenter for Christmas

The December meeting of Cub Scout Pack 455 was held Thursday evening, Dec. 17, in the dining room of the Chelsea Medcenter. Patients who were able to come to the dining room were invited to attend to see the program and take part in the group singing of carols which was part of the program. Mrs. Vernon Otto, den mother of Den 3, played the organ accompaniment for the group singing as well as for the individual songs rendered by each of the dens.

Den 1, Mrs. Charles Burgess, den mother, sang 'Frosty, the Snowman'; Den 2, Mrs. Sumner Gesterle, den mother, sang 'Silent Night'; Den 3 sang 'Wind in the Willows'; and Otis Titus' Den 2 Webelos sang 'Silver Bells'.

Cub Scouts of Den 1 had made flower pictures of vinyl pieces as

gifts for their mothers and involving nail holders for their fathers and presented them at the meeting.

Dens 2 and 3 and Webelos Den 2 also presented the gifts they had made for their parents: Den 2, bulletin boards made from large ceiling tiles for the mothers and emergency traffic safety signals for their fathers; Den 3—map holders made of naugahyde for their fathers and "handbooks" for their mothers; Webelos Den 2—Cat-shaped book-ends for their mothers and deer-shaped decorated paperweights for their fathers.

Den 2 Webelos, in charge of Mr. Titus, presented the flag ceremonies and Cubmaster Duane Hall was given the new year's Cub Scout charter by Charles Burgess, institutional representative for the Boy Scout Council. Awards earned by Cub Scouts were given as follows: Den 3—

Steve Kvarnberg, Todd Otto, Tom Owens, Wolf Badges. Den 2—Pat Murphy, one-year pin. All Webelos—Steve Dresch, Jon Oesterle, Jim Alexander, Lance Fletcher, Don Aldrich, Steve Blaess, Jim Owens, Brian Lewis, engineering activity pins. Arrangements to hold the pack meeting at the Medcenter were made by Mrs. Vernon Otto and Dr. Jerry Waldyke.

It was announced that the next pack committee meeting is to be held Jan. 4 at the Vernon Otto home, 507 Wellington St. The Webelos leader and den mothers are to be there at 7 p.m. and the committeemen at 7:30 p.m.

Final activity at the pack meeting was the trimming of a Christmas tree with decorations made by the Cub Scouts during their meetings the past month.

NEW FOOD PRODUCTS

Manufacturers develop more than 5,000 new food products each year, of which only 1,500 ever reach the store shelves. Only 500 of these last more than a year in the market place.

Future Soybean Plant May Be Shaped Like Christmas Tree

Future soybean plants will be shaped like small Christmas trees or pyramids.

These varieties will make better use of sunlight and give farmers greater yields per acre, contends S. C. Holdbrand, Michigan State University crop scientist.

"The spreading, horizontal plant type, characteristic of a variety like Chippewa, is giving way to the vertical upright varieties, typified by Hark. Modifications in plant shape can be created genetically or induced chemically with chemical growth regulators.

The pyramidal plant type varieties, with their better light receiving systems, should be planted only in narrow rows—18 inches or closer.

"In agronomic practice we should, whenever possible, have a layer of leaves between the sun and the soil. This way, we have much greater efficiency in capturing the energy of the sun."

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

For you, we wish a Christmas warmed with the spirit of a glowing hearth, bright with the joys of gleaming trees and glad surprises ... and most of all, rich in the blessings of home and family. It is our privilege to send you this fond greeting and with it our deep gratitude for your patronage.



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