



# MERRY CHRISTMAS



## The Livingston County ARGUS-DISPATCH

Covering Brighton, Hamburg, Pinckney, Whitmore Lake, Howell, Hartland, and surrounding areas.

PRAYER: O Lord, wash me from my sin and make me fit to be used of Thee. Give me patience while in the process of being polished to reflect Thy greatness. May others see only the glory of Christ in me.

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# HYNE ELECTED BRIGHTON BANK PRESIDENT

## True Takes Over Finlan's Job



THOMAS FINLAN

HOWELL—Following the unexpected death, Dec. 14, of Thomas Finlan, circuit court officer for the last 15 years, Harold True, veteran radio announcer, will take the oath of office Jan. 1 as Mr. Finlan's successor.

True, who was with WWJ for

many years, until his retirement in 1954, is 74 years old and resides with his family on the farm he purchased in 1954 on the outskirts of Howell. He brings to the job of circuit court officer a resonant and clear voice as result of his many years on radio.

Mr. Finlan died at his home, 122 South Collins in Fowlerville only a week after he announced he would retire Jan. 1 as court officer. He was 82 years old.

Mr. Finlan was an honor guest last week at the meeting of the Livingston County Bar Association in the Canopy at Brighton, at which time several gifts were presented to him in appreciation of his many years of serving the court.

He had been a resident of Conway and Handy Townships his entire life. He was a former Fowlerville business man, served several terms on the Village Council, a deputy in the Livingston County Sheriff's Department for over 30 years.

Surviving are his wife, Lynn; four daughters, Mrs. Mary Peterson of Hastings, Mrs. Lu-



HAROLD TRUE

cille Miner, Miss Jo Finlan and Mrs. Frances Curtis, of Fowlerville; 12 grandchildren, and 1 great-grandson.

Funeral services were held December 17 at the St. Agnes Catholic Church, Fowlerville, with the Rev. Father Gerald Boyer officiating.

## Howell Woman In Santa's Role

HOWELL — A little five-year-old girl's note to "Santa" has been answered by a Howell woman, Mrs. Don Van Winkle. Mrs. Van Winkle bought a Christmas tree in Detroit and hidden among the branches was a note wrapped in cellophane which read, "Anyone finding this note please send a doll to a five-year-old girl in Branchville, New Brunswick, Canada" and was signed by Merilla Malley. The tree was a basket and came from New Brunswick. Mrs. Van Winkle mailed the doll before she even put up the tree, to make a little girl's wish to Santa come true.

## Two Accidents

BRIGHTON — Residents of Brighton fared poorly in Monday afternoon's traffic. A car driven by Mrs. Mary Theodore, 38, of Brighton crashed into the rear of a car driven by Gerald Goulin, 31, also of Brighton, in front of Pui's restaurant on old Grand River according to troopers of the Brighton State Police.

A half hour earlier a car driven by Mrs. Caren Pelcher of Brighton was struck by an auto driven by David Puck, 25, of Howell. Rosemary Pelcher, riding with Mrs. Pelcher suffered bruised knees but Puck who was seriously injured and was taken to McPherson Health Center.

According to police, Puck who was parked on the shoulder of the expressway, near the Dorr road overpass, pulled into the highway ahead of Mrs. Pelcher's car.

## Burglar Proof Safe Stolen

BRIGHTON — When Arthur Hamilton, who resides near Fenton, decided against putting all his eggs in one basket — in other words keeping most of his cash in his home instead of in a bank, he purchased a burglar proof safe.

Unable to open the safe, which contained more than \$4,000, thieves who broke into Hamilton's over the weekend, solved their problem by loading the unopenable safe into a truck.

Hamilton returned home early Sunday morning to find safe and money gone. State police from the Brighton post reported the thieves broke into the home through a rear window.

## Santa Claus Fills Stockings And City Tills

BRIGHTON — Not only has Santa Claus prepared the way to fill every child's stocking but this year, according to preliminary reports, Santa has brought the greatest volume of sales in the city's history to the merchants of this community. Even where the various charities are concerned, the community's prosperity has spilled over into the Salvation Army kettles and in the mail pouches of the Christmas seal campaign.

The Michigan tuberculosis association reports that to date Livingston county has contributed \$4,868 with much more to come in, as compared to only \$3,800 last year.

The tinkle of the Salvation Army lassies' bells brings home the need to feed the poor.

Prospects are dim for a snowy Christmas, but a slight white down will probably cover the earth to enhance the Christmas spirit.

How the kettle and the tinkling bell became the Salvation Army symbol dates back nearly 70 years.

On Christmas eve, 1894, survivors of a shipwreck off the rocky coast of San Francisco were brought to the Salvation Army for shelter. California, along with the rest of the nation, was gripped by a depression. The Salvation Army was already caring for thousands of impoverished seamen and longshoremen. When the food ran out, an ingenious lassie picked up a soup kettle and stepped out into the bitter cold. At a busy street corner she set up a sign, "Keep the Pot Boiling." Through the generosity of passersby, that night there was soup for all. Word of the unique appeal spread to other Salvation Army posts, and it soon was adopted by them all — and it has ever been thus.

## Passes Bar Exam



BRIAN LAVAN

BRIGHTON — On Monday, Dec. 20, Brian Lavan, Brighton Justice of the Peace, received the news that he had passed the Michigan State Bar Examination.

Judge Michael Carland is coming to admit Mr. Lavan on Friday, Dec. 24, at 10 a.m., in the Circuit Court room in Howell, Mich. The motion for admission to the bar will be made by Brian's father, Martin J. Lavan of Brighton, and this is but the third time in the history of Livingston County that a father has made a motion for his son's admission.

Any of Mr. Lavan's friends who would be interested in attending are welcome.

## 3d In Family Chosen Head Of Institution

BRIGHTON — The third generation in the Hyne family is, today, president of the Brighton State Bank. When the bank was first organized the president was Frederick T. Hyne, his son became president and since the recent death of Erwin Hyne, the board of directors of the bank at its regular December meeting, elected Fred J. Hyne, Erwin Hyne's son, as president. The announcement was made by Whitney Kimble, executive vice president.

At the meeting the board also elected A. Colton Park as senior vice president and added to the board of directors John P. Parke, president of Precision Stamping Co. of Brighton.

Fred J. Hyne, newly elected president of the Brighton State Bank was graduated from Brighton High School in 1931. He attended Ferris Institute majoring in business administration and accounting. In 1934 he became associated with his father in the F. T. Hyne & Son lumber and building supply business and is currently the

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## Flood of Mail

One of the greatest floods of mail, incoming and outgoing, ever to swamp the Brighton postoffice is reported by Postmaster Al Bosworth. However, the postmaster says all the mail will be cleared on time and nothing will be delayed because of the wonderful cooperation of the Brighton people who not only mailed early but used the zip code that speeded up deliveries. Postmaster Bosworth sends a personal greeting to the residents of Brighton and thanks all of them.

## US Funds To McPherson Nurse Class

WASHINGTON — United States Congressman Weston E. Nixon, of Ann Arbor, has announced a Federal grant of \$97,626 to be used for training 25 unemployed Livingston County residents to be licensed practical nurses. The duration of the training program will be 50 weeks. It will be conducted at the McPherson Community Health Center in Howell.

"There is a great need for practical nurses in Livingston County, and throughout Michigan. We are very fortunate to receive this Manpower Development and Training Act grant. The funds will be used to provide allowances to the trainees and cover the cost of the training program," Nixon said.

The McPherson Community Health Center was recently funded in a national medical publication for providing outstanding medical care to the people in Livingston County.

"When these 25 practical nurses complete their training at McPherson and begin their important work in our Livingston County communities, they will add to the already outstanding health services available to county citizens."



Fred J. Hyne

## Hartland Due To Test Adult Education

HARTLAND — The Hartland Consolidated Schools are considering a program of adult education for the second semester of the current school year. If there is enough interest shown by the adults of the area, the courses can be adequately staffed, adult education during the second semester can become a reality. A possible outgrowth of such a program could be an adult education program during the summer.

Listed below are a number of courses in adult education that are presented for your reaction. This list in no way will restrict what could be included in the program if there is sufficient interest. For a class to be offered we will need at least 18 persons registered in that class.

If you are interested in adult education please write or call the high school office (632-7481 or 632-7482). Indicate your name in the program if there is sufficient interest. For a class to be offered we will need at least 18 persons registered in that class.

Class fees will be determined later but it is estimated that \$10 to \$15 will be sufficient in any course except those where expensive materials are involved. Please note that "Public School Finance" to be taught by the superintendent of schools, and "Landscaping" to be taught by the agriculture teacher, do not have any fees. Possible adult education classes are: beginning typing, advanced typing, elementary bookkeeping, public school finance (no fee), U.S. income tax computation, cake decorating, woodworking, arts and crafts for beginners, dressmaking and sewing, women's P.E. and reducing class, mens exercise and athletic class, square dancing, landscaping (no fee), furniture refinishing and repair, public speaking, and elements of parliamentary procedure.

## Howell Man Shares In Estate Of Baroness

HOWELL — A Howell man has been named as one of the heirs to the estate of the Baroness Ramsden of Bradford, Yorkshire, England. He is her nephew Jack Withey who will share the estimated \$360,000 estate, along with another nephew, George F. Manning of San Antonio, Texas.

The baroness also left to friends several bequests including her silver Persian rugs, fur coats and gifts she had received from the late princess royal.

Baroness Ramsden was a native of Howell, the daughter of Frank E. Withey. Her late husband, Baron Ramsden served 20 years in Parliament as a member of the Conservative party.

Because of England's restrictions on letting money leave that country Jack Withey is reported to have acquired extensive holdings in Nassau which is a British possession but from which Americans can take profits or other monies that have been reaped from Nassau holdings.

## Pinckney Robbery Mystifies Police

PINCKNEY — No suspects thus far have been found by State Police of the Brighton Post following the breaking and entering at Jerry's Restaurant in Pinckney between 6 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 12 and 7 a.m. Monday.

Troopers reported that entry was gained from the back porch of the restaurant. The back door was kicked in, an inner casing broken, and the night latch snapped. The culprit left by the same door.

Rain during that night, however, covered the tracks, and not much information could be gained from them.

There were thefts from both cash registers, \$30 from one by the soda fountain and \$30 from one by the cigarette counter, and in addition \$300 from a drawer in the office.

## Brighton Fund Goes Over Top

BRIGHTON — Following a two months solicitation for the Brighton Community Fund, with a goal in excess of last year, the 1966 budget of \$13,720 has been oversubscribed, according to the treasurer, Peter Marshall.

To date, cash and pledges total \$13,113 but the payroll deduc-

tions from Brighton residents who work at the Ford Wixom plant have, as yet not been received and this sum is estimated to be in the neighborhood of \$2,000.

Contributions from local industries, retail businesses and from homes are far above last

year. Also a much larger sum came from Brighton residents who work at the General Motors Proving Grounds.

Unlike the Proving Grounds, which sends contributions direct to Brighton, the Wixom plant first sends its contributions and pledges to the Detroit Community Fund, which in turn later sends Brighton's share here.

The Brighton Community Fund board will meet early in January to review the campaign and to make plans for next year.

John Ewing is this year's chairman, assisted by Gene Michaels, Link Schmitt and the Rev. Eidson. Peter Marshall is treasurer.

At the kick-off breakfast Oct. 25, the 50 house-to-house canvassers who worked so faithfully to put the goal across, were given their instructions and immediately began contacting every household.

## BASKETBALL

BRIGHTON — The Brighton Area Schools wish to extend an invitation to all boys under 18 years of age who want to play basketball to report to the high school gym on Jan. 8, 1966, at 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The gym will be open every Saturday through March 12.

All boys must furnish their own shorts, T-shirts and gym shoes. Participants may come and go as they please. This program is free to all boys in the Brighton School District.

## Why Dems Convene Jan. 5

HOWELL — Calling of the Democratic convention in Howell for Jan. 5, by order of the Michigan Court of Appeals has left some confusion in the minds of many Democrats and has brought cheer in the Republican camp, hence it needs an explanation of the reasons behind the gathering of delegates.

Although late, this convention can rightfully be named the Fall Convention of 1964 because at that meeting of delegates Edward Röttinger, hold over chairman of the Livingston County Democrats, disenfranchised approximately 80 of the 110 delegates and failed to call the roll which by law is the first order of business. Therefore that meeting of delegates was terminated by the high court as illegal thus disregarding the meeting

as a convention.

The 80 disenfranchised delegates were all members of the so-called Lavan faction, which in reality was the anti-Röttinger faction including such old time Democrats as William Backlund of Hamburg, Murray Kennedy of Putnam, Tom Howlett of Gregory, Frank Ruttman of Iosco, Cecil Lepard and Tom Kane of Handy, Clarence Skym of Conway, Floyd Loft of Cohocah, William Hogan of Deerfield, Russell Callahan of Tyrone and Dr. Thomas A. Barton of Howell.

At the 1964 meeting, which broke up in a near fist fight, Röttinger disenfranchised the group on the charge they were illegally chosen by the voters of Livingston county. However

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Larsen

HOWELL — At the McPherson State Bank annual Christmas dinner party on Dec. 15, special tribute was paid to Ralph H. Larsen, Vice President and Cashier, who has completed forty years of service with the bank.

Mr. Larsen began his career with McPherson State Bank on Sept. 25, 1925. He became an officer of the bank in 1930 when he was elected assistant cashier. In 1951 he became cashier and in 1963 was elected vice president and cashier, the position he holds today. He has served the bank faithfully in several capacities. His many responsibilities include management of the Mortgage Department, and serving as a member of the Executive Committee, Loan Committee and Appraisal Committee.

Mr. Larsen was presented with a watch in appreciation of his forty years of service with the bank. As he could not attend the party at Chemung Hills

Country Club because of a recent injury, Edward G. McPherson and John T. Jeffreys took the watch to the Larsen home. Robert H. McPherson made a brief presentation talk which Mr. Larsen heard by telephone. The watch was then given to him. He responded by telephone and the group at the Country Club heard his voice over an amplifier.

William McPherson IV, who served as host at the Christmas party, welcomed everyone and introduced the guests. He honored several officers and employees who have continued their training by completing special courses in subjects relating to banking. These people were Verl Varnar, Edward McPherson, Ralph H. Larsen, John T. Jeffreys, George Dunn, Jr., George Wright, Hollis Arnold, Elaine Fortney, Helen Arnold and Vickey Gilow.

During the rest of the evening the group enjoyed singing Christmas Carols and dancing.



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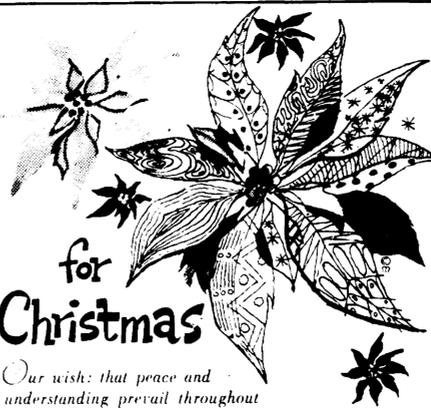
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*How time does fly ... here it is time again for a joyful Yuletide From all of us. Greetings*

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for **Christmas**

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We're wrapping up a package of holiday wishes for you, with our warmest thanks for your loyalty and good will.



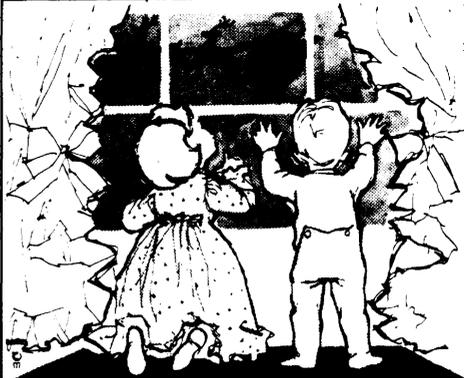
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*Christmas Greetings*



Christmas roses are red; Christmas trees are evergreen. Have the happiest Yuletide

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*As children watch and children wait, we wish all of you the true joys of Christmas time.*

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*at Christmastime*

*It's the season for merry making and peace on earth with lots of good cheer. And we're ringing out with a sincere "thank you" to all our wonderful customers for their loyal patronage to us. A very special Merry Christmas to all of you!*

**QUALITY CHEVROLET**  
HOWELL

*Greetings*

We wish all our friends a very joyous and cheerful Christmas Season.



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*With thoughts of the many beautiful things connected with this season, we send wishes to everyone for a peaceful, blessed Christmas.*

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*The blessed wish of the Christmas season is expressed anew, as we join our heartfelt prayers with yours, that peace and good will may soon endure for all.*

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Spread the news! It's **Christmastime . . . and time for us to deliver greetings and hearty thanks to you.**



**The Livingston County Argus - Dispatch**

### Married Half Century



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shaw

WHITMORE LAKE—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shaw celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at an open house Sunday at their home, 8778 Whitmore Lake Road.

### Early Roman Had 'Practical' View On Gift Giving

"Christmas is getting too commercial!" This modern complaint, while it may have force, is somewhat lacking in originality.

1915. They moved from Ann Arbor to Whitmore Lake in 1934. Mr. Shaw is a retired carpenter. Both enjoy fishing and bowling.

The Shaws have two children, Mrs. Donald Fowler of Whitmore Lake and Mrs. George Navarre of Gaston, S.C.; six grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

a wealthy patron, at the time of the Saturnalia, the pagan festival from which came many Christmas customs.

The equivalent of Christmas in India is the birthday of Krishna. At midnight his statue is carried through the streets in a torchlight procession.

### Around The Town

By DORCAS — AC 9-4483

Congratulations. Brian Lavan, to you and your family. Brighton is very happy for you and very proud of you. Brian passed the bar examination, which is a wonderful thing for a man to accomplish.

His father, Martin J. Lavan, Lavan Bldg., moved for his admission to the bar, and Judge Michael Carland, Circuit Judge, will swear Brian in at the Court House, Howell, at 10 a.m. Friday morning, Dec. 24. This is unique in that it will be the third time in the history of Livingston County a father has moved for his son's admission to the bar. What a most wonderful Christmas this will be for the Lavans.

Dr. and Mrs. John R. Tully (Ann), 440 W. Main St., will be gone from Brighton Dec. 22 through Jan. 5 on a trip to Englewood, Calif., to visit their daughter, Janice Kristoffy, and grandson, Jimmie. They are taking their two oldest grandchildren with them, John and Cathy Morrison. They are going by United Air Lines jet.

What a very wonderful Christmas that will be. And guess what? They will attend the Rose Bowl game, too. What more could they ask!

We extend our sincerest sympathy to Julia Van Sickle of 3270 So. Milford Rd., Milford, Mich., and Sam Seger of Brighton on the loss of their mother, Mrs. Mima Seger. Mrs. Seger has long been a resident of Brighton and is dearly beloved by all.

Mr. Leo Kujawa of Oak St. certainly was a busy gal Saturday. She chauffeured for five Brighton boys from Western College at Kalamazoo home to Brighton. The boys were Frank DeLuca, Peter and Steve Kujawa, Dennis Scott and Richard Burris. Bringing five boys home is a job, but they all got home safely and happy to be home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Haller entertained their employees at a Christmas dinner, Thursday, Dec. 6, in the Gas Light Room of the Canopy Hotel. They had wonderful food and lots of fun. After dinner they all went to the Haller home on Main St., which was beautifully Christmas decorated and the big fire was burning cheerily, making the atmosphere completely

Christmasy. They opened their Christmas gifts, which made the evening a complete success.

Another party was a family dinner at the Leo Vash home, 286 Beaver. It was a party for James Longthorne, son of Marge Longthorne, who works at the Canopy. This was on Dec. 12. John is leaving for Viet Nam from the Oakland, Calif. base. Dorothy Hennes and her family of Dexter were present, as was John's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Koch.

Carol and John Hill, Spencer Rd. (Carol is our librarian), have plenty of reason for their happiness and smiles, as their lovely daughters, from Huntsville, Ala., are with them for Christmas. Mrs. Hill is the former Angela Hill, whose mother is Mrs. Louis Cook of Leland Blvd.

Dale Arnott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Arnott, is in St. Joseph's Hospital. He will greatly appreciate cards from his friends.

How nice to see Audrey Mathews over the weekend. She was smiling from ear to ear, and when I asked "why" — silly question — she said, "Home — Christmas — wonderful!"

Then who should I run into but Dale Marshall. Not only brimming with happiness over being home for the holidays, but he is going to the Rose Bowl game. Isn't that something!

### Yule Party

The annual Christmas party, installation of new officers, and circle drawing of the Woman's Association of the 1st United Presbyterian Church, was held Monday evening, December 13, at the church.

After a brief business meeting conducted by president, Mrs. Charles Johnson, the new officers for 1966 were installed by past president, Mrs. Oscar Beeman. They are as follows:

- President — Mrs. James Smith
- Recording Secretary — Mrs. Dean Jamison
- Corresponding Secretary — Mrs. Harold Lewis
- Treasurer — Mrs. Roy Cox
- Program Chairman — Mrs. Joe Gaskill
- Fellowship Chairman — Mrs. Charles Padley
- World Service — Mrs. Albert Engram
- Morning Circle Leader — Mrs. Carmen Wilson
- Afternoon Circle Leaders — Mrs. Roy Mester and Mrs. Gerald Swann.
- Evening Circle Leaders — Mrs. Jack Clausmizer and Mrs. Robert Herbst.
- Nominating Committee — Mrs. Charles Johnson.

Following this a short program conducted by Miss Hazel Phillips was enjoyed by the fifty members present. It consisted of a reading "The Girl in the Yellow Dress" by Mrs. Maurice Thompson and group singing of Christmas carols and hymns.

Refreshments were served from a beautifully appointed table.

### Engaged



JUDY GILLESPIE

During a pre-Christmas family gathering Dec. 12 at the home of the Donald Armstrongs Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gillespie announced the engagement of their daughter Judy to Roger Orndorf. Roger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Orndorf of Brighton and he is presently employed at the Brighton State Bank and also attending Cleary College in Ypsilanti.

No definite date has been set for the wedding. The occasion was also in honor of Judy's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Burt, who will be spending the Christmas holidays in Arizona.

### Ginger Spices Old-Fashioned Sugared Cookie

Molasses, ginger and everything nice makes Ginger Crisps a cookie that will win over any member of the family.

Homemakers who have trouble keeping the cookie supply high will like a recipe that yields 4 1/2 dozen. Texture on these spiced cookies is short because lard is used, says home economist Reba Staggs.

It's wise to observe the direction of placing the balls two inches apart on the baking sheet as the cookie does spread during baking.

**Ginger Crisps**  
2 cups sifted enriched flour  
1 teaspoon baking soda  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/2 teaspoon ground cloves

### Homemakers Host Greek Epicures

BRIGHTON — The Brighton Homemakers Study Group, of the Livingston County Cooperative Extension Service, had its Christmas party and a program on Culinary Tradition of Ancient and Modern Greece, at the home of Mrs. Doris Cramer of Academy Road, Brighton, on Wednesday, Dec. 15.

Honored guest was Mrs. Esther McCree, who headed the program of Greek tradition. Mrs. Margaret Foster of Livingston County Home Economics and others attending were Mrs. Betty Maltby, Mrs. Jan. Chenoweth, Mrs. Beta Altenburg, Mrs. Grace Harvey, Mrs. Eileen Schoen, Mrs. Myrtle Stromberg, and Mrs. Eileen Schreer.

The Greek foods prepared by each member, were: Kota Soupa Avgolemono, Olives and Feta Cheese; psito buti (Roast Lamb); Mistisimes Dolmathes (grape vine leaves, stuffed with rice); Siroitigona (Cheese filled triangles); Keftethakia (Greek meat balls); Salad (oranges on lettuce and olive oil) Shpeles (Honey Curis) Vouloupita (New Year's Bread) Koulouria (Greek Easter Cookies) and Kafe. (Turkish Coffee.)

After lunch, exchange of Christmas gifts and Greek music and folk dancing was enjoyed.

1 1/2 teaspoons ginger  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 cup lard  
1 cup sugar  
1 egg  
1/2 cup molasses  
1/2 cup finely chopped walnuts  
1/2 cup sugar

Sift together flour, soda, cinnamon, cloves, ginger and salt. Cream lard and 1 cup sugar. Add egg and molasses. Beat well. Add sifted dry ingredients to creamed mixture. Add nuts. Mix well. Shape dough into balls about the size of a walnut and roll in the 1/2 cup sugar. Place about 2 inches apart on cookie sheet. Do not flatten balls. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) 15 minutes. Yield: 4 1/2 dozen.

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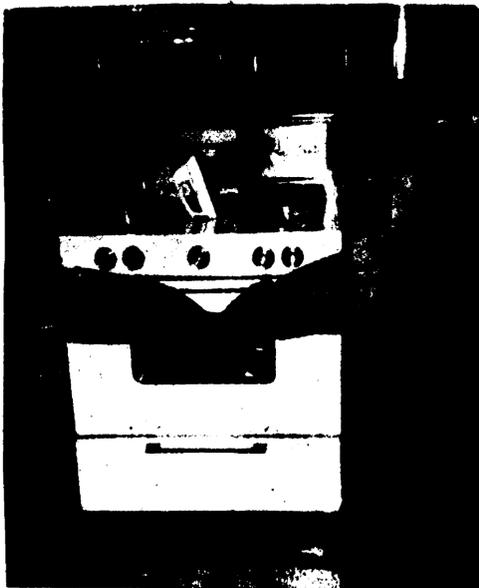
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### FREE - Copper Plate Miniature Kerosene Lamp!

This 7 1/4-inch decorator's kerosene lamp is yours free when you open your 1966 Christmas Club at any office of McPherson State Bank in the amount of \$1.00 or more. Finished in gleaming copper plate, the miniature lamp works exactly like its full-size counterpart — and is a perfect decorator's touch for the holiday season. Open a \$1.00 Christmas Club and get yours today. It's a beautiful addition to any home. Christmas Clubs are available in amounts from \$.50 to \$10.00.

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1965 Ford XL Convertible...\$2395  
V-8, Automatic

1963 Ford 1/2 Ton Pickup...\$1095

1965 Dodge 3/4 Ton Pickup...\$1495

1964 Ford Country Sedan...\$1895  
9-Passenger Wagon, 8, Automatic, P.S., P.B.

Good Selection

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Easy Financing

1963 Monza Spyder Coupe...\$1195  
4-Speed Transmission

1965 Ford Convertible...\$2395  
Automatic, V 8, Power Steering, Power Brakes

1965 Ford 2-Dr. Hardtop...\$2295  
390 Engine, 4 Speed

1964 Chev 4-Dr. Hardtop...\$1795  
8 Cyl., Automatic, P.S., P.B.

1963 Corvette...\$2195  
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Freedom? Bah!!

More than three centuries ago various religious groups in Europe were being persecuted. The Puritans, the Quakers, the Huguenots and others came to the newly discovered America to escape their tormentors and practice their religions unafraid and undisturbed.

So when the United States was born in 1776 the great constitution upon which this republic was founded specified that everyone choose and also was guaranteed free could practice the religion of his choice.

In more recent years there came to this country a group of people known as Amish. They made ideal citizens, never accepting public charity, but prospered and worshiped God in their own way, until recently undisturbed and let alone to go their own way.

When the recent Palm Sunday tornado swept the southwestern part of this Michigan, just skipping Livingston county, the members of the Amish community were in the stricken area as fast as their horse-drawn vehicles could get them there to help the stricken people rebuild their homes.

When a tornado, several years ago, destroyed a large part of Flint, the Amish again were there to rebuild the homes, never accepting a cent in pay.

Many faiths have restrictions on food, the Hebrew being the taboo on pork, the Catholics, the prohibition of meat on Fridays. The Moslems at noon kneel in the street to bow toward Mecca.

And the Amish religion prohibits studies in the higher educational levels. That is their faith and under our constitution they are entitled to practice their beliefs so long as it does not interfere with the orderly conduct of government — and surely they have proved their worth as citizens. They want their own schools although they pay school taxes from which they gain no benefit.

An editorial is supposed to be based on happenings in Livingston county, on politics, economics, governmental policies or public officials but the treatment of the Amish wherein many states are seizing their property to pay the heavy fines imposed on them for not abiding by rules laid down by tyrannical school administrations, stirs the anger of every red-blooded American.

To strip these prosperous people of their holidays would force them on public welfare rolls, which in all likelihood they would reject and rather starve to death, is a crime against our nation. We, in Michigan, are on the verge of joining those who are persecuting these great people.

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Christmas In Jungles

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The sour-sweat smell of barracks and the dank green odor of jungle camps will be replaced by the smell of white sheets on the old bed at home on Christmas Eve, the pungence of Christmas trees and the aroma of food from mother's kitchen. The illusion will be gone even before the letter is finished and that soldier will long for peace, more than you or I who have never lived on a battlefield can ever long for peace, and he may weep for a meaning that has gone out of his life.

As long as that soldier feels joy from no more than the reading of a letter on a battlefield, or has hope expressed as a longing for

peace, or repents through tears for lost meaning, we know that God is alive.

Day of Reckoning

Probably comparatively few of us realize the extent to which federal spending and debt have risen in a very few years.

The publication Washington Report tells the story briefly. In 1963, appropriations were \$12 billion greater than in 1962. In 1964, they were \$3.4 billion greater. And in 1965, they were up \$16.7 billion over the 1962 figure.

The national debt followed this trend. In 1963, it rose \$7.9 billion over the 1962 level. In 1964, it was \$13.9 billion above that level. And in 1965, it was higher by a staggering \$19 billion. Just the cost of interest in 1964 on the existing debt was \$11.6 billion.

Moreover, new programs enacted this year will generate calls for even larger appropriations in 1966. And it is the general rule that estimates of the ultimate cost of such programs are commonly too low.

A family or a business that continually spends more than it earns winds up in the bankruptcy court. Government, with its power to tax and appropriate and defer, can last a long time before the day of reckoning must be faced. But can it last indefinitely?

Augury For The Future

As a recent census conducted by the New York Stock Exchange shows, some 20 million people now own shares in American business. That exceeds the combined population of 17 of our states and is a remarkable figure by any standard.

Obviously enough, relatively few of those 20 million people are rich. The fact is that the bulk of them are in the middle income brackets. According to the survey, the average new stockholder has a household income of \$8,800 a year. He is 41 years of age. He may hold just about any kind of a job. It's interesting to note in this connection that the biggest percentage gain in the last three years, 47 per cent, was among skilled and unskilled workers.

Wide spread shareownership, which now extends to one adult out of every six, has been given a fortuitous name — "people's capitalism." And the evidence indicates that the majority of shareowners, new and old, are pretty canny people. They have a definite goal in mind — retirement, education for their children, dividend income to supplement pay and salaries, and so on. They investigate before they buy and get the relevant facts concerning a company in which they are interested. They realize that stock prices go down as well as up. And they turn deaf ears to tipsters and high-powered salesmen who promise big profits overnight.

Finally, those 20 million people and their families have a direct, personal interest in the future of American business. That augurs well for the future of this nation and the free enterprise system on which our strength and freedoms rest.

Alligators and Pollution

A newspaper issued by a major oil company tells of a Texas chemical company which built an expensive evaporation pond to keep wastes out of a nearby river. When rodents sabotaged the installation, alligators were imported to do patrol duty.

It used this unusual event as an example of the problems in air and water pollution control. The newspaper goes on to say, "We believe the best solution to any pollution problem lies at the lowest possible level of local authority, the place nearest the source: alligators for rodents, industrial plants working with city planners, state agencies overseeing public utilities, and so forth."

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Noel 1965

THE SILENCE of the night air is interrupted—a squeaking door—a patter of little feet on the stairs—muffled giggles—excited whispers—the clicking of a light switch.

Yes, the pre-dawn of another Christmas day has come to the home. The neat piles of gifts, so meticulously wrapped, under the star-spangled tree are torn asunder—the room becomes a maelstrom of colorful ribbon—a sea of wrapping paper of kaleidoscopic hues—and a cyclonic display of Santa's best wares are scattered hither and yon—youngsters darting from one gift to another like busy bees in a flower garden in full bloom.

And as the sun gently rises over the horizon, the kitchen becomes the clattering cacophony of dishes and bowls, pots and pans, that finally merge into a Christmas dinner—fit for a King.

Then when the final hour has arrived—guests departed, tired but happy youngsters are tucked into bed for the night—quiet has been restored—the exhausted parents in the stillness of the night pause to reflect—how much of this day has been devoted to the true spirit of Christmas.

The joy engendered by the family gathering pays tribute to family life, which after all, epitomizes Christmas—and helps to provide a fitting recognition to the Prince of Peace.

TODAY'S INVESTOR BY THOMAS E. O'HARA Chairman, Board of Trustees National Association of Investment Clubs

Q. Every time I think I'm ready to start playing the market, I get cold feet and back away, because it seems too chancy. Isn't there some way I can cut down on the gamble?

A. There certainly is, and one of the first and most important ways is to adopt the attitude that you are buying stocks as a long-term investment, rather than merely "playing the market."

At the same time, I should remind you that there is always a certain amount of risk involved in buying stocks, no matter how logically and sensibly you go about it. Careful study and wise selection, however, will help to reduce your risk and increase your chances for profit.

Here are some things you might look for to help you "cut down on the gamble" in investing:

Is the company growing? Are its sales and earnings per share substantially higher than they were five years ago?

Can you buy the company's shares at a reasonable price? Is its price earnings ratio reasonable?

Is the company you're considering extremely dependent on government contracts? If it is, this could mean it is extremely vulnerable to any shift in political thinking, or in military demands.

How profitable is it? In some industries the average firm nets only 1 to 2 percent after taxes; on the other hand, many companies net better than 10 percent on the sales dollar before taxes.

What's the business's return per dollar of stockholders' money used? This is called earnings on invested capital and the higher this percentage figure the more profitable the company is likely to be.

How diversified is the company? Does it manufacture enough different products so that if demand falls off for one, it can keep going with another?

How depression-resistant is the company? Food, variety stores, grocery chains have high resistance to depression; autos and electric appliances, low.

Does the company deal in natural raw materials, such as

ores, raw lumber, minerals? This is a good inflation hedge, since acquisition costs are paid first and used spreads over many years. But these industries are subject to wide cyclical demands.

Are the raw materials domestic, or must they be imported? In these days of constantly shifting political allegiances, this can have a life-or-death bearing on your investment.

Answering to these questions to your satisfaction won't guarantee that the stock you choose will bring in only profit to you, but it should help cut down your margin of "gambling."

Q. How can the price of a stock selling at 70 to 80 times its earnings, such as Xerox has sold at, be justified?

A. Basically, it can't. Some buyers — and some brokers — will tell you that they are buying a stock at 70 times present earnings because they are "discounting" future earnings. In other words, they expect the company to earn so much more in the future that earnings will justify the high price — thereby bringing the P. E. ratio into line.

They will cite company growth of 30 to 40 percent per year and "prove" that this kind of growth will make the company worth several times its present value in just a few years.

There is some validity to this point. Such rates of growth continue in a very few companies. But for most of them they don't. There are an awful lot of investors in the United States who will confirm that this is a dangerous system. They are the ones who bought stocks of fast-growing small companies using this principle, before the market break of 1962. These were the ones hardest hit by that setback. They still haven't recovered from that bout of misplaced and over-enthusiastic expectation of unending high rates of growth.

Though that 10-15 to 1 price-earnings ratio philosophy may be slightly conservative today in some people's eyes, it's still something to bear in mind as sensible investing when you start flitting with the idea of buying a stock with an 80 to 1 P. E. ratio.



REPORT from LANSING

State Representative

Thomas G. Sharpe

1965 LEGISLATIVE REVIEW EDUCATION (PART IV)

Michigan lawmakers rallied 'round the cause of education this year, allocating to it nearly one-half of the state's total operating budget and making it the beneficiary of some 50 new laws — laws which add up to an impressive outpouring of funds and measures calling for increased educational facilities, new and expanded educational services, and liberalization of teacher and student benefits all along the line.

Previous columns have highlighted state school aid, higher education appropriations, and some of the education legislation adopted. Other measures—briefly summarized—include the following:

Colleges & Universities: Authorize the creation of a Saginaw Bay State College.

Authorize the University of Michigan to begin operation of a full 4-year branch college at Flint this fall.

Community Colleges: Permit intermediate school districts in 2 or more counties to join in forming a community college district. Extend the terms of existing community college board members to July 1, 1968. Provide for an uneven number of community college board members in districts covering 2 or more counties, with allowance for additional representation for the largest county.

Increase bonding limits for community college districts without voter approval to 1 1/2% of the first \$250 million of the district's state equalized valuation, plus 1% of valuation in excess of \$250 million.

Authorize school districts to issue self-liquidating bonds to finance community college buildings. (Community college districts organized under their own administrative boards already have this authority.)

Scholarships and Tuition: Allocate \$2 million for scholarships — \$500,000 for renewals and \$1,500,000 for new scholarships.

Allow winners of state scholarships to attend any college approved by the State Department of Education, including newly-formed community colleges, rather than restricting them to accredited institutions.

Eliminate restrictions on Michigan Higher Education Assistance Authority which pro-

hibited it from pledging funds, other than those received from private sources, for debt payments.

Permit, under jurisdiction of the Michigan Corporations and Securities Commission, the formation of non-profit corporations organized to grant scholarships.

Waive tuition at state-supported colleges and universities for children of veterans killed in action or disabled in service.

School Employee Retirement Funds: Extend the Public School Employees' Retirement System to include employees of tax-supported community colleges and staff members of intermediate school districts.

Raise the minimum guaranteed allowance for retired public school employees with 30 or more years of full-time service from \$1200 to \$1800 per year if the retiree left Michigan public school work without qualifying for social security allowance from school work. A retiree with less than 30 but at least 10 years would be entitled to an allowance bearing the same ratio to \$1800 as his total years of service bear to 30 years. (According to the Teachers' Retirement Board, this act will affect some 3200 retirees receiving less than the \$1800 minimum.)

Eliminate the provision calling for a reduction in pension benefits under the Detroit Teachers' Retirement System for persons receiving a military service pension, annuity, or similar benefit.

Require that Board of Education members on the Detroit Teachers' Retirement Commission be elected by the Board. Previously the president, vice-president and chairman of the Board's Finance Committee served as ex officio members on the Commission. This act also broadened the Commission's authority with regard to investments in line with other employee retirement systems.

State Teacher Tenure Commission Increase the per diem pay of State Teacher Tenure Commission members, while hearing cases, from \$5 to \$25.

Certainly this has been a year of new dimensions in educational expenditures and programs for our state.

in several corners of the State Capitol about the latest Democratic Party stand on fiscal reform.

This one says 1966 is the deadline for action on tax revision, or words to that effect. It has been presumed for several years that any such revision would likely include a state income tax.

The amusement is that this party statement is getting to be old hat. Under the last two Democratic governors, fiscal reform was written into the party's platform.

Minority ranking in the legislature was then given as the reason for failure to accomplish it.

In the first term of Republican Gov. George Romney, the Democrats agreed with him (and their party's long-standing position) but said they could not find enough opposition-party lawmakers to get it passed.

This year's fiasco speaks for itself since it is still so fresh in mind. The Democrats strung Romney along before they finally admitted they couldn't bring in the votes themselves.

What will happen next year while the Democratic majority is still firm is not too difficult to forecast. After all, a short session is planned to allow the lawmakers maximum campaign time. The Dems hope to keep the upper hand.

Strong party stand or no, it must be remembered that while the Democratic legislators are members of the party they rarely have great numerical strength on the State Central Committee, which sets down such statements as the 1966 deadline for action.

Of course, failure to fulfill the party's platform plank or subsequent policy statements can always (at least until 1967) be blamed on lack of agreement with Romney on details of fiscal revision.

NOT SO SIMPLE Irrate citizens sometimes come up with a solution to any community problem. In more cases than not, it usually starts with, "Why don't THEY just . . ."

Take for example, the problem of a town intersection which happens to be part of the state trunkline system. The problem is too many accidents. The citizen's immediate idea is, "Why don't they just put up a traffic signal?" Highway Department offi-

A POOR JOKE Amusement has been voiced

Letters To The Editor

Letter to the Editor: Once again after 10 years a great injustice has been inflicted upon the public, small business, and the farmers which are really the backbone of our great nation (yes, it was).

Who was it that signed this injustice and made it a law beginning January 1, 1966? It was our Legislators that we voted for and put in office, believing they were the proper ones to serve our best interests.

Have we made a mistake? Or were they misinformed and high pressured by other groups that saw a chance to profit with this legislation on their side?

What was made in law? It is the State Meat Inspection Bill. Sounds great, doesn't it, and it is in some instances. The ones I refer to are the packing houses that make a business of buying animals and selling at wholesale or retail. Now don't get me wrong. Not all packing houses buy sick or diseased animals, but a few do and profit by it.

Who is this law going to hurt the most? First, it will hurt many small locker plants and small custom slaughterhouses out of business, due to the terrific specifications in the law that a person would be foolish to try and meet. It would put you out sooner or later, but it might be sooner.

Next, to the farmer. Let's say he had an emergency. The local veterinarian tells him it is all right to eat. But it happens say on a holiday, Saturday or Sunday, or a day when an Inspector cannot be obtained to give the two inspections required. This animal cannot be killed without violating the law, and will become a total loss. Does it make any sense? The law reads: The Director can set the hours and day that butchering can be done. This same animal, had it not been good to eat, the veterinarian would tell the farmer to ship it. Eventually it ends up in some packing house that is county, city or federally inspected. No further comment at this time as to what it is used for. Did you know a state veterinarian was asked, "How many diseases can you think of that cooking won't kill?" His answer was, "I can't think of any." From reports from the average packer, a very close estimate on condemnation, approximately 98 per cent, are for sterilization only, about 2 per cent condemned not fit for human consumption.

What does sterilization only mean? It means it has to be cooked. Again no comment. Since time began man has been eating uninspected meat and I challenge anyone to prove anyone has died or got sick from eating it. Just a few years ago a M.S.U. professor told a group of us that he got some meat sent in for inspection. He said that each take some home and eat it and if it doesn't make us sick it is all right.

Now if our senators are sincere in their efforts to make right a wrong judgment, they will be glad to listen to an amendment that will save many locker plants, custom slaughterhouses, and the god-given rights of the farmer. If they are not sincere then we know they are not the men we want to represent us any longer.

James H. Prescott 114 N. Center Street P.O. Box 96 Stockbridge, Mich.

Several intersections in the state can be cited by department officials as examples of what happens when a traffic signal is installed after study of local complaints.

It frequently runs in statistics like this: one-year before and after studies showed accidents went up from 4 to 15 at an intersection where a yellow flasher was replaced by a stop light. Ten persons were injured before the new signal. After the installation, 15 were injured and one killed.

"Traffic engineers have known for some time that stop-and-go signals often cause more accidents than they prevent," says department spokesman Harold Cooper. "Stop-and-go signals have only one purpose and that is to assign the right-of-way at heavily traveled intersections."

"Our experience shows a general increase in accidents can be expected after installation of a new signal," said Cooper. "Only about half the increase can usually be attributed to rear-end collisions involving motorists who forgot the new signal was there."

Horace Greeley started the New York Tribune in 1841 as a paper for the working class of people.

### Bell Changes Managers



G. F. SCHAEFER

HOWELL — Russell H. Engelhardt, Michigan Bell Telephone Co. manager in Howell since 1951 has been appointed the new manager of the Benton Harbor-St. Joseph district.

The appointment, effective Jan. 1, was announced by R. A. Cosier, district commercial manager.

Engelhardt joined Michigan Bell in 1942 and served as manager in Hillsdale. He served as mayor pro tem in Howell and on the Livingston County board of Supervisors. Engelhardt is past President of the Howell Rotary Club and is former chairman of the Howell Library Board.

Engelhardt will be succeeded by C. F. Schafer, Lansing suburban manager.

Schafer has been active in numerous outside civic affairs since joining Michigan Bell in 1929. He has served as president of Charlotte Rotary Club and Chairman of Commerce and Community Chest and City Board of Appeals.

He and his wife, Linda, will continue to maintain their residence in Charlotte.

As secretary of Brighton Industrial Development Company and for over 9 years has been chairman of the City Planning Commission. He is a Past President of the Brighton Rotary Club. His hobby interests center primarily in the history of the American Civil War and the postage stamps and postal history of the Confederate States of America. He is a member of Abraham Lincoln Civil War Round Table and of several Local and National Philatelic Societies.

### 3rd in Family

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secretary-treasurer of the firm. During World War II he served 3½ years in the United States Coast Guard. Mr. Hyne has been active in civic affairs, having served on the City Council for 6 years and as Chief of the Brighton Fire Department for 3 years. He has been a member of the Brighton Rotary Club for many years and is active in the Wesleyan Methodist Church. He is married and has one daughter, Betty Jo.

John P. Parke, newly elected director of the Bank, is the president and owner of Precision Stamping Company of Brighton. Mr. Parke was one of two original founders of Precision Stamping Co. in 1946. In 1953 he bought out his partner, William Dee, and became the sole owner.

Since that time the firm has expanded from 11 to 55 employees. Mr. Parke has been a resident of this area since 1941 and is currently living at 308 Caledonia, in Howell. He is married and has six children. He attended Lawrence Institute of Technology and is a member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Howell. He is a member and program chairman of American Metal Stamping Association, and is also a member of Chemung Hills County Club.

A. Colton Park, newly elected Senior Vice-President of the bank, has served on the bank's board of directors since 1954. Best known by his nickname, Col, he has been in the Insurance Field over 30 years, the past 14 years in Brighton.

Mr. Park was married to the former Dorothy Baetcke in 1937 and they are the parents of 4 sons. Colt Jr., an engineer with North American Aviation at Los Angeles, Dick, a United States Navy Ensign assigned to the Carrier Essex, John, an undergraduate at Marion College and Greg, a Brighton High School Senior.

Mr. Park was graduated from the University of Michigan in 1935 with a Degree Bachelor of Arts (Economics) and has continued to maintain a close relationship with the University of Michigan and with his fraternity, Phi Sigma Kappa.

Mr. Park is a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church and currently serves as senior warden of its vestry. In addition,



R. E. ENGELHARDT

### Car Demolished, Two Escape Death

HOWELL — Silas Porter, 44, of Stockbridge and Rickie Montgomery, 8, who was riding with Porter, are in McPherson health center as result of an accident on Grand River near Fowlerville. Livingston county sheriff's deputies report that Porter swerved to avoid hitting a car that was making a left turn and lost control. His car hit two brick pillars, a telephone pole, a mail box and a tree, being completely demolished. Two occupants are lucky to be alive, say the deputies.

### Obituaries

#### JOSEPH HUNT DARBY

Infant son, age 3½ months, of Dr. and Mrs. David A. Darby died Saturday, December 18 at St. Joseph Mercy hospital. He was born September 4, 1965.

Survivors include a brother James, 2½; his parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Darby of Ypsilanti and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hunt of Ann Arbor.

Monday morning the Mass of the Holy Angels was said at St. Francis church. Burial followed in St. Thomas Catholic cemetery.

#### MRS. JOHN LUNDIN

PINCKNEY — Mrs. Alfreda S. Lundin, 66, of 11404 College Dr., Highland Lake, died Saturday at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital after a long illness.

Born April 28, 1900, in Dalsland, Sweden, she was the daughter of Adolph and Anna Anderson Ericson. On April 11, 1924, she was married to John Lundin in West Orange, N.J. They lived in Detroit and Oscoda before moving permanently to Pinckney in 1961. Prior to 1961 they maintained a summer residence in Pinckney for about 30 years. Mr. Lundin died last December.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Robert (Elizabeth) Gannon of Grosse Ile, Mrs. Francis (Janet) Shehan of Pinckney, Mrs. Marvin (Nancy) Hoard of Gregory, and Miss Haron London of Lapeer, five sisters, Mrs. Victoria Hammarberg of Miami Fla., Mrs. Svea Weaver of Jupiter, Fla., Mrs. Hilma Nixon of West Orange, N.J., Mrs. Isabelle Janson of Little Neck, N.Y., and Mrs. Eba Gustafson of Georgetown, Conn.; and several grandchildren.

#### MRS. CARRIE GITRE

Mrs. Carrie Gitre of 118 Third St., Brighton, passed away Monday morning Dec. 20, at the Bonnie View Nursing Home Howell, where she had been a patient since January 1963. She was born Feb. 20, 1889 in Spink County, South Dakota, the daughter of James and Mary Avis. The family came to Howell, Mich. in 1891.

Mrs. Gitre was graduated from the Brighton High School in 1907, taught in the rural schools for 4 years then became a clerk in the Brighton Post Office under Dr. Blackford from 1911 to 1918, at that time becoming associated with the Bell Telephone Co. In 1918 she was employed in the office of the Cadillac Motor Car Co. of Detroit.

While in Detroit she was married to Edgar Gitre by Rev. Rice of the M.E. Church March 27, 1920. They returned to Brighton 1921. During World War No. 2 she worked at the Bomber Plant at Willow Run until after the war. She retired from the Brighton branch of the Detroit Gasket Co., in 1955.

Surviving in addition to her husband is a daughter Mrs. Donald (Carol) King, a grand daughter Holly D. King both of Palos Verdes Peninsula, Cal. a sister Lydia Boyland of Ann Arbor, a half-sister, Mrs. Mae Jackson of Solvang, Cal., several cousins and nephews.

Funeral services will be held 1:30 p.m. Thursday from the KEHN FUNERAL HOME with Rev. T. D. BOWDITCH officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

### Bird Watchers In Woods Dec. 29

HARTLAND — This is a clarion call to all bird watchers before the thermometer drops too far for members of the Audubon club to venture into the woods. The Hartland Nature Club is going on its annual winter bird count, Dec. 29 to Waldenwoods near here. The count is taken annually to assist the Michigan Audubon Club with which the Nature Club is affiliated. The watchers will be in the forest from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. and those who wish to join in the venture are urged to phone Mrs. Eva Euler, 632-7113.

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### Dems Conven

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they all were duly certified by the county clerk, Joseph Ellis and throughout the long legal battle no court could find any evidence of fraud in their election, therefore the convention was ordered for Jan. 5 in the Howell courthouse with all the previously elected delegates called to attend.

There are five delegates from each of the 22 precincts and should there be a vacancy when the convention is called to order those attending will seat alternate delegates to be chosen by vote of the entire group of dele-

gates present. However no person who resides in another precinct may be qualified to fill a vacancy in a precinct in which he does not reside.

County Clerk Ellis, as the presiding election official for the county has outlined the procedure. The meeting, of course is open to the public.

According to Mr. Ellis the hold-over chairman of the party shall preside until a permanent chairman is elected. The temporary chairman's first duty is to call the roll and each delegate in answering, shall name the person of his choice as permanent chairman of the convention.

The person elected permanent chairman by majority votes of the delegates present then takes office immediately and

proceeds to conduct further business of the convention. The second order of business is the election of a secretary after which the convention is deemed to be permanently organized and continue the rest of its business.

The law provides that the convention may make such other rules and regulations as it considers proper to conduct its business such as the appointment of various committees in order to expedite the business of the convention.

As to the selection of a county chairman, this may be done immediately of within 30 days by the Executive Committee, none of which shall be selected by the January 5, convention.

Ironically Rettinger is not a delegate to this convention.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

LIVINGSTON COUNTY PROBATE COURT Howell, Michigan Estate of Erwin R. Hyne, deceased. THE COURT ORDERS: Creditors must file written sworn claims with this Court, send copy to VanWinkle and VanWinkle of Howell, Michigan. Court will hear claims and determine heirs of deceased on March 1, 1966 at 10 a.m. at the Probate Court. Publication in Livingston County Argus-Dispatch Court Rule Notice. Dated: December 15, 1965 FRANCIS E. BARRON Judge of Probate Attorney: VanWinkle and VanWinkle Howell, Michigan Dec. 22, 29, Jan. 5.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY PROBATE COURT Howell, Michigan Estate of Irene J. Jack, deceased. THE COURT ORDERS: Petition of Mildred A. Ackley praying administration of Estate of Irene J. Jack, deceased, be granted unto John Ackley and C. K. VanWinkle and that heirs be determined will be heard January 4, 1966 at 10 a.m. at the Probate Court. Publication in Livingston County Argus-Dispatch Court Rule Notice. Dated November 30, 1965 FRANCIS E. BARRON Judge of Probate Attorney: VanWinkle and VanWinkle Howell, Mich. Dec. 8, 15, 22.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY PROBATE COURT Howell, Michigan Estate of STEPHEN HADLEY, deceased. THE COURT ORDERS: Interested persons may appear January 11, 1966 at 10 a.m. at Probate Court to show cause why Marlon Teachout should not be appointed executor of said estate in lieu of (self) interest of estate in lands. Publication in Livingston County Argus-Dispatch Court Rule Notice. Dated: December 16, 1965 FRANCIS E. BARRON Judge of Probate Attorney: John P. Keusch Chelsea, Michigan Dec. 22, 29, Jan. 5.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY PROBATE COURT Howell, Michigan Estate of HELEN C. ATKINSON, deceased. THE COURT ORDERS: Petition of Martin J. Lavan praying his Final Account be allowed and residue of said Estate assigned to persons entitled therein will be heard January 4, 1966 at 10 a.m. at Probate Court. Publication in Livingston County Argus-Dispatch Court Rule Notice. Dated: December 7, 1965 FRANCIS E. BARRON Judge of Probate Attorney: Martin J. Lavan Brighton, Michigan Dec. 15, 22, 29.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE December 27, 1965 at 10 a.m. 1965 Chevrolet Pickup Vehicle No. 3B9V15841 Ten 117 W. Grand River Brighton, Mich. 12-22

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# Methodist Church

The Woman's Society of Christian Service held their general meeting on Monday, December 13th, at church. Bernice Hyne told Christmas stories during the program and her message was much appreciated.

The Official Board Christmas dinner was held on Wednesday, December 15th, at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall. The Leslie Oliver's furnished and prepared a delicious turkey, and the board members shared in their monthly meeting after the dinner. Milton Ames, church treasurer, announced that the Woman's Society had given the church a \$500 Christmas present, the MYF had given \$25 and the Get-Together Club, \$25 for which the board was most appreciative. A new Hymn of the Month program will be initiated during the services of worship. It was decided that no inserts will be placed in the bulletin as this can interfere with the spirit of worship on Sunday mornings. Mrs. Milton Ames and Mrs. Sylvester Shoner volunteered to help Mrs. Clarence Burton in registering new members on December 19th and 27th respectively. The board decided to stress the formation of small groups meeting during Lent for study and discussion of the Christian life. The Rev. Robert

Brubaker mentioned people in the hospital for whom board members will be praying.

A Christmas party sponsored by the Couples' Club was held at the parsonage on Saturday, December 18th. Special guests were Dr. and Mrs. Verne Hoshal of Fort Devens, Mass.

On Sunday morning, December 19th, new members were received into the fellowship of the First Methodist Church of Brighton. The new members included: Betty Schuman, Bruce Schuman, Guy Schuman, Larry Rockwell, Denise Hutchins, Sheri Fisher, Paul Richards, Karen Buford, Keith Buford, Karen Palmer, Donald Carney, Brooke Mossgrove, Alma Bybee, Jesse Bybee, Anthony Bybee, Patricia Bazley, Ida Skog, Paul Anderson, Alice Anderson, William McCulloch, Lois McCulloch, Dotty Marks, Robert Marks, Alice Cooley and Dorothy Drouillard.

The Church School Christmas Program was conducted in the sanctuary on Sunday, December 19th, at 7 p.m. After the program, the parents and friends and children visited teachers in the fellowship hall and enjoyed refreshments.

The MYF went carolling on Sunday afternoon, December

19th, and the singing was much appreciated.

The Carol Choir will rehearse on Wednesday, December 22nd, at 6:30 p.m. and the Adult Choir at 7:30 p.m. On the same evening, the scripture readers for the Christmas Eve Service will rehearse at 7 p.m.

The Christmas Eve Service will be held on Friday, December 24th, from 9 to 10 p.m. in the sanctuary, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Student Recognition Sunday will be observed on Sunday, December 26th. Sunday night, December 26th, at 6:30 p.m., the MYF will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Leach. Those who need a ride may meet at church at 6:25 p.m. The Methodist Men will meet for breakfast and program on Sunday morning, January 2nd, at 7 a.m. in the fellowship hall. A special service of baptism will be conducted in the second service of worship on January 9th. Parents who wish their children baptized are expected to attend the training session on Thursday, January 6th, at 8 p.m. at the parsonage.

This coming Sunday, December 26th, Kathleen French and George Buford will be preaching on "What My Faith Means To Me."

To make a mint julep, mint leaves are crushed and mixed with whisky, ice and sugar.

## Heads County Boy Scouts



RALPH RAIFORD

Ralph Raiford, Jr. of Dexter, has been appointed by the Portage Trails Council, Boy Scouts of America, on the Council Executive Staff. It was reported by the council scout executive, Clarence Doud of Ann Arbor.

Raiford will report for duty to the Scout Executive by mid-January. He will then be assigned for service to scouting in the Livingston County District.

After two months of Scout work in Livingston County, Raiford will go to the National Training School for scout executives at the Schiff Scout Reser-

vation, Mendham, N. J. after which he will resume his duties in Livingston County. Forty-five days of intensive training at Mendham is required of all men entering into full time executive work for the Boy Scouts.

Raiford brings a wealth of Scouting background to his new profession. As a Boy Scout for 5 years, he served his troop as patrol leader and later as senior patrol leader while attaining life scout rank. He became Scoutmaster in 1957 of a troop at St. Joseph, Michigan. He has been serving as Neighborhood Commissioner and then District Commissioner of the Portage Trails Council for the past year and a half.

Raiford served 4 years in the military from January 1951 to January 1955. He attended the Air Force Intelligence School; also, language and interrogation schools to prepare for his work as USAF security service Linguist.

Raiford has had two years of higher education at Kalamazoo College and Syracuse University.

Portage Trails' new district scout executive is 33 years old and married. He and his wife, Patricia and their 6 children live at 5039 Portage Lake Road.

## What's the Latest in Pinckney?

BY KRISTEN HUHMAN 878-3668

**Christmas Concert**

The annual Christmas concert was again a great treat for us all this year. Under the direction of Mr. Dennis Napier, the concert included an hour of delightful music by the school band and by the High School choir. The band played such pieces as "The Festive Holiday Overture," "The Christmas Suite" and "Winter Wonderland."

The choir, accompanied by Mrs. Eloyse Campbell, entertained with old favorites, including "O Christmas Tree," "I Wonder As I Wander," "Silver Bells" and "White Christmas."

Christmas celebration guests at the Jack Bilkovsky home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Knight of Hamburg, Mrs. Pat DeWolf and boys of Hamburg, and Mr. and Mrs. James Knight and family of Pinckney.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bock and girls Sunday enjoyed a Christmas dinner and party at the Grotto in Ann Arbor. A special treat for the little ones was a visit from Old St. Nick.

Congregational Sunday School Classes went Christmas caroling locally Tuesday evening. Among the appreciative listeners were quite a few elderly folks and shut-ins.

Louis Marshall of Cedar Lake Road is in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. He suffered a heart

attack last Thursday. If all goes well and he keeps progressing, Mr. Marshall may be home for Christmas.

Sunday dinner guests at the Leonard Lee home were the Lee's three year old grandson, Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. George Holt.

Visitors later Sunday afternoon at the Holt home were Mrs. Hoyer and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mulligan of Royal Oak.

Thursday the Holts called on friends, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Weavie, near Saline.

**Kiwanis Party**

Tuesday evening the Kiwanis held their 4th annual Senior Citizens Christmas dinner. The evening began with the invocation by the Rev. Murphy, and the program featured such entertainment as a bagpipe solo by Norman Cameron, a piano solo by Mrs. Sharon Stillwell and a recitation by the well-known Dr. Charles Wolf. Following Dr. Wolf was the presentation of gifts. They are as follows: oldest lady present was Mrs. Dora Swarthout; oldest gentleman present, Bert Smith, oldest resident of Pinckney; Nellie Gardner (84 yrs.); and longest married couple, Mr. and Mrs. George Holt (62 yrs. next April). The benediction was given by the Rev. Father Horken. There were 116 people to enjoy the lovely, lovely evening.

Winners of turkeys in the Turkeybowl Saturday evening were Betty MacAnish, Robert Rawson, Ray Wegener, Naomi Stevens and Jim Lavey.

Barbara Charboneau, daughter of the Don Charboneaus, underwent surgery for a brain tumor last week.

## SECRETS



**PINCKNEY — Santa Claus**

bends an interested ear to one of some 400 Pinckney children who visited him at the high school to put in their requests. Jaycees had planned that Santa would arrive by airplane but due to fog and rain he went direct to the high school by one-horse open sleigh. Jaycees served coffee to the mothers who stood in line, some for an hour or two; so the youngsters could have their private audience with St. Nick. The boxes of candy that were left over went back in the pack for a trip to the children's wards at University Hospital, Ann Arbor.



"Oh no — not your new Christmas tie!"

## Pinckney Library News

New books this week include Dillon, "Merriweather Lewis," a biography of our country's greatest pathfinder and a partner of William Clark in the first U.S. expedition to the Pacific.

Seton, "Avalon," is another fine historical novel of the strange romance of a French prince and a girl from Cornwall in 10th century England. The story is spread against a broad background of history; England and the invading Norsemen; St. Dunstan's efforts to reform the English church; Eric the Red's ill-conceived colonization of Greenland.

Traver, "Laughing Whittish," is the story of a Chippewa girl who claimed to be one of the owners of a rich iron mine, and Willy Poe, a young untried lawyer in Marquette, Mich., who welcomed a chance to handle her claim.

Teale, "Wandering Thru Winter" is the last of Teale's four surveys of the American seasons. Zigzagging across the continent from southern California to northern Maine, he proves that even this barren time of the year is, to the knowing observer and the alert eye, exciting and entrancing.

For children we have Vachel Lindsay, "Johnny Applesed and Other Poems," which all who love poetry will enjoy.

Smith, "Laughing Matter," a collection of stories and poems long and short, old and new, all held together by the theme of laughter. There is laughter, too, in the many illustrations of Kurt Wiese.

The Pinckney Community Library Board and staff wish all of our many patrons the peace, joy and happiness of Christmas.

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### Bowling League Scores

THURSDAY MORNING LADIES LEAGUE		SPLITS:		Checkmates	
W	L			32½	27½
Blue Bells	28	14		30	30
Gabbers	33½	18½		30	30
Woodlanders	33	19		28½	31½
Sandbaggers	29½	22½		28	32
Sitters	27	25		24½	31½
Dreamers	27	25		21	35
Two for One	23	29		17	43
Late Starters	23	29		Women's High Ind., Game:	
B.V.D.'s	22	30			
Crazy 3	21	31			
Hopefuls	18	34			
Scatter Pins	17	35			

BOWLING HIS & HERS LEAGUE		FRIDAY NIGHT MEN'S LEAGUE	
W	L	W	L
Alley Cats	49	11	
Top Team	35½	24½	
		Bill Harvey's	45½ 14½

Drewery's	41	19
Wm. Reick's Ins.	39	21
Pabst	37½	22½
American Agg. No. 1	35	25
Stroh's	30	30
Cozy Inn	29	31
Bowl-N-Bar	25	31
Pope's Party Store	25	35
American Agg. No. 2	20	40
Pat White's Amusements	17½	42½
M.S.H.D.	11½	44½
High Game: J. Collett	228	
High Series: J. Collett	617	

#### BRIGHTON INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

W	L
Lavans Haberdashery	38 22
A & W Root Beer	34 26
Q.Q.'s	34 26
Bogon Insurance	33 27
Van Camp Chev.	33 27
Bri. Advance No. 1	33 27
Glen Oaks - Blatz	30 30
Fisher Abrasive	29½ 30½
Gaffney Electric	28 32
Greg's Mobil	28 32
Bri. Advance No. 2	24 36
V/R Wesson	19½ 40½

#### BRIGHTON BOWLERETTES

December 20, 1965		W	L
Les's Service	39	21	
Precision Stamping	38	22	
Wesson Multicut	37	23	
Thurston Screw Products	35	25	
Showcase	34½	25½	
Drewery's	32	28	
Fisher Abrasive	30	30	
Patricia's Beauty Salon	28	32	
Brighton Bowl	25½	34½	
Morgan's Comets	23	37	
Shekell's Hardwood Floors	20	40	
Mid-Way Glass	18	42	

**Staying Warm**  
A mosquito that lives near the North Pole keeps itself warm by roosting in the warmest part of an Arctic flower that follows the Sun, two Canadian scientists report.

### Brighton High Evens Record

BRIGHTON — The Brighton basketball team, which lost its first two contests of the season, has now reversed itself with a two-game winning streak. The Bulldogs added Clarenceville to their list of defeated rivals as Brighton won the game by an 86-71 margin. Dick Musch had 30 points for the Bulldogs while Damon Ewbank turned in 17 and Bruce Evenson 16. Don Herbst tallied 13 for Brighton. Brighton was also victorious in the junior varsity by a 75-50 margin.

The bulldogs and the B.H.S. fans were still all fired up from last week's victory over Holy. The bulldogs were in control of the game all the way. The Bulldogs hustled all through the four quarters, scoring 24 points in the 1st quarter to the Trojans 16. The second period the Bulldogs relaxed a little—very little—scoring 22 points. In the second half, the scoring of both teams was about even, the Brighton Bulldogs knocked the Trojans for a pretty good loop in the first half as far as scoring goes.

The most outstanding player Friday night was Rich Musch who made 30 points of the game. He was given a hand by Damon Ewbank with 17, Bruce Evenson 16, and Don Herbst with 13 points. Adding the finishing touches to put a top on the well played game was Mike Lueker with 7 points, Larry Lamoria with 1.

Over the Christmas vacation the Bulldogs will be in Chelsea for the holiday tournament. There will be 3 days of basketball Dec. 27, 28, and 29. There will be 4 games a night, one at 4:30, 6:15, 8:00 and 9:45. Brighton will open up the tournament on the 27th playing Stockbridge. The game starts at 4:30. Tickets will be sold at the gate only, students 75c and adults \$1.00. At the close of the tournament trophies will be awarded to the 1st and 2nd place teams and a consolation trophy for the 3rd place team. Let's get out and support the team.

### Pinckney Loses To Fowlerville

FOWLERVILLE — Pinckney was the victim of a big 30-point first quarter and the Pirates never recovered as Fowlerville steamrolled to a 89-48 victory.

The big first quarter was just an indication of the evening as Fowlerville dominated the boards against the smaller Pirates. Gary Benjamin led Fowlerville with 22 points.

Pinckney hit on a fantastic number of free throws, 30 of 50, in a game that saw 51 personal fouls called. Pinckney's success at the free-throw line was not matched by that in the field as they hit on only nine baskets all night. Jim Douglas led the Pirate cause with 14 points.

The Pinckney season record stands at 0-5.

### Gets His Deer; In Hospital

HOWELL — Marvin Grover, a Livingston County deputy sheriff, was seriously injured Monday when his car hit a deer. The accident occurred on Bull Run road just south of Mason road. Grover was taken to McPherson Health Center.

### Poem By High Student

#### FOR CHRIST IS BORN

BY LINDA FRITSCCH

Behold, a star burning bright, a stable glowing in its light. Cattle mowing in the night, Christ is born. A stable manager for his bed. A lowly shepherd clothed in red, kneels in silence and lowers his head. Christ is born. A dove coos, a gentle sound.

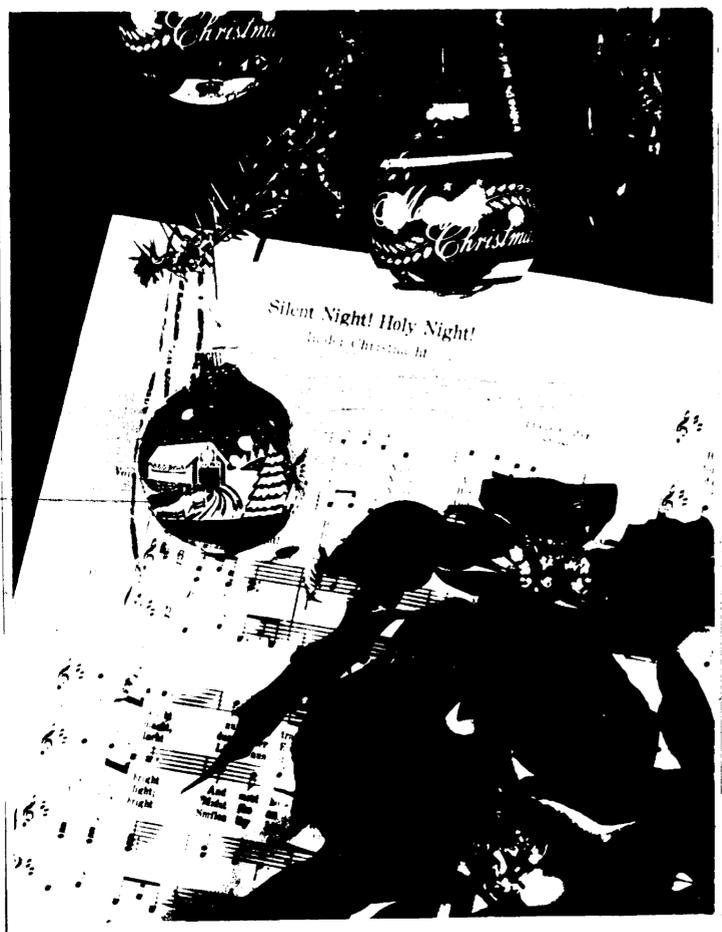
For on this day, our Savior's found. People kneel and pray all round. Christ is born. People came from far and wide. Drawn to light, they cannot hide. Three wise men standing by His side. Christ is born.



*Joy and Peace*

May the true meaning of Christmas be with you always, bringing joy, light and love into your heart and home. And may all your hopes be brighter because of the Christ Child's coming.

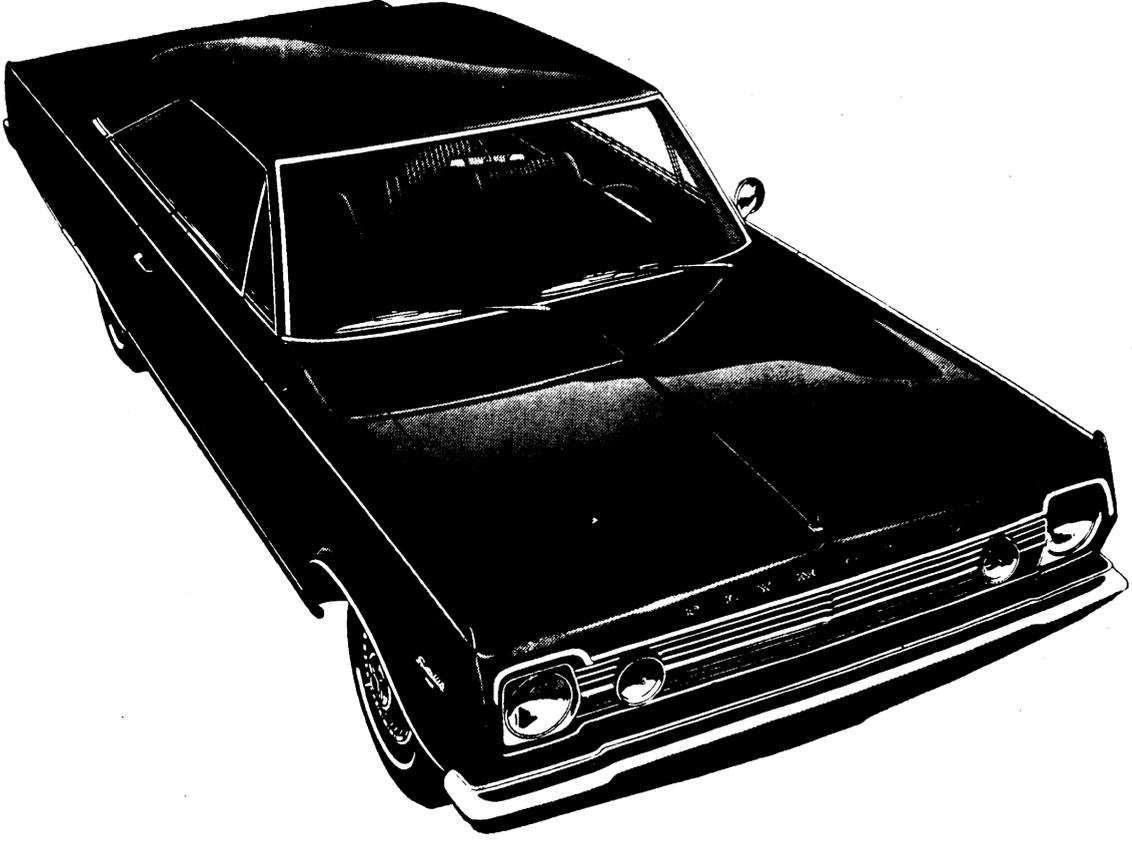
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## PLEASANT VALLEY NEWS

Vergilene Housner  
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Special birthday wishes this week are extended to the following in our neighborhood: Clarence Knight observed his on Monday, Dec. 20, while his wife, Beulah, was a gift from Santa Claus instead of the stork. John David Ewing III was born on Dec. 24 and his mom and dad, Joyce and John, are observing their wedding anniversary today. Stan Tarrant is another of our neighbors born on Christmas Day as well as Thomas Munce, Jr., son of our editor for the Argus, observing his wedding anniversary on Christmas Day. Speaking of anniversaries falling near Christmas, we got the cutest card from friends this year — won't mention your name, Norm. It had a picture of a Scotchman on the front dressed in his green and red plaid kilts and beret, opening his purse and a moth flying out. Says on the front "Can Na' Be a Spendthrift. Inside was the message — Merry Christmas. Happy New Year and bang-up 4th of July, Sunny Labor Day, Happy Easter, Sweet Valentine Day, Birthday, Bewitchin' Halloween, Thanksgiving Joy and heartiest good wishes." This is what I call Real Planning.

Yours truly had a pleasant surprise one afternoon last week when Mrs. Robert Anderson of Beaver Street in town (I called her Mrs. William Anderson in last week's item) stopped by the store and introduced me to her niece and grand-nephew, Mrs. Hoath and son Richard of Sault Ste. Marie. Richard is the boy I have mentioned so many times that was in service with our son in Viet Nam and I was especially happy to meet him and his mom. Needless to say that the two boys have gotten together a couple of times this past week enjoying their

remiscing of their times in Saigon. Also talked with Mrs. Fred Strubberg the other day and she and her husband are anxiously counting the days before their son Jim will be back in the United States and then home from his horrible experiences in Viet Nam. Our prayers go out to Jim and we hope his 40 some more days stay in Viet Nam are safe and speedy. Anyone wishing to drop Jim a card or letter, here is his address: PFC James G. Strubberg, US 5571831 HQ 2nd Bn., 16th Inf. APO 96345 San Francisco Calif.

Mac Pearsall's family is real happy this holiday season as he will be home some time this week to spend the holidays with his family and friends. Mac just received another promotion to A-2 and is attending navigators school at Whidbey Island, Oak Harbor, Washington.

Pleasant Valley residents are displaying their many decorative Christmas Spirits again this year. The Paul Pipodis of Van Amberg road is really something to brag about and rather than tell of each home in detail, why not just drive out this way and view the various homes and doornails.

A speedy recovery is wished for Mrs. Cecil (Betty) Hendriksen who is confined to her home with a broken foot. The Hendrisons are owners of the New House of Dougherty.

The Brighton Fire Department held their annual Christmas party at the Fire Hall Sunday afternoon. A hucious dinner was enjoyed by the members and their families with Santa Claus present to welcome all the children with gifts.

Our annual pre-Christmas dinner for the family was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Probst and family at their home Sunday, December 19th. Our parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Faussett, the Eddie Faussetts of Ypsilanti, Dick Housner, and Robert Kilgours as well as Russ and I were in attendance. A beautiful Christmas dinner enjoyed with gifts exchanged following dinner.

Candlelight Holy Communion will be observed at 8 p.m. Dec. 24 at the First Presbyterian

Church. The First Methodist Church will observe their Christmas Eve service at 9 p.m. Dec. 24th and a special Christmas Program by the church choir is being held at the Wesleyan Methodist Church on December 23 at 7:30 p.m. Well it's Christmas time again, and may each and everyone have a joyful one.

## Pinckney School News

The Pinckney Elementary School Student Council, with the help of the whole school, filled about 250 Xmas stockings for the Howell State Hospital. They used 75 pounds of candy and 275 tangerines.

Supt. Reader made the annual visit to the Elementary School Monday, Dec. 20. He came upon invitation by Debbie Rowell, council secretary. Everyone enjoyed seeing him.

Tuesday, Dec. 21, the council sponsored a program over the public address system. All those participating gave original Christmas presentations.

The rooms and halls held colorful Christmas displays. Outstanding were mosaic cathedral windows made by Mrs. Wheeler's fourth grade. Stained crushed eggshells gave a fascinating effect.

The Pinckney Elementary School students and faculty wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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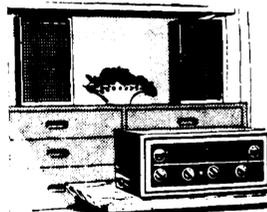
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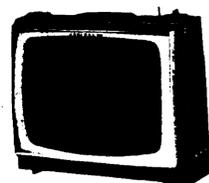
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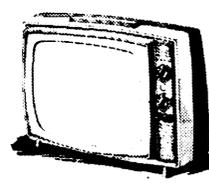
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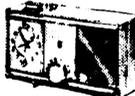
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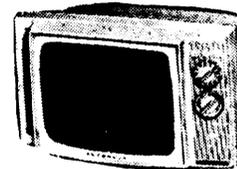
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Witnesses told troopers they saw the car swerve three times

and strike the pumps. A passenger in the car, Richard Sockow, also of Darwin Rd., Pinckney, was slightly injured, according to the police.



"Middle age is when a broad mind and a narrow waist change places."

## Holiday Celebrations Reflect Customs from Far and Near

Celebrating the happy holiday of Christmas is an almost universal custom, and many of the traditions belonging to the day are universal, too. Gift giving, merrymaking, gaily decorated trees and brightly glowing lights are holiday habits that have found their way to almost every corner of the globe.

Along with the similarities

in the way people observe Christmas go just as many differences. From country to country, from city to city, from family to family, holiday customs vary, sometimes just enough to show the touch of individual imagination, and sometimes so greatly that it seems hard to believe the same day is being commemorated.

### Gift Giving . . .

It's traditional to receive gifts during the Yuletide season, but the time is not always December 25, and the gift-giver is not always Santa.

One of the earliest Christmas giving times takes place in the Netherlands, according to the Book of Knowledge. Here, the children receive their gifts from St. Nicholas on December 5. The date, appropriately enough, is called St. Nicholas Eve, in honor of the real St. Nicholas, a fourth century bishop.

Christmas gift giving in Italy comes on January 5, which is known as Epiphany Eve. The traditional gift giver is Befana. Legend says that Befana misdirected the wise men, and now she seeks to atone by going about the world doing good to children.

In Scandinavian countries, gifts are given on St. Lucy's Day, December 13.

The time for gift giving in Puerto Rico and Spain is January 6, the day when, traditionally, the wise men came to Bethlehem.

### In Germany

From Christmas trees to Christmas toys, many Christmas customs now universally observed came first from Germany.

In the medieval town of Nuremberg, the highlight of the Christmas season is the "Christkindmarkt," or literally, Christ Child's Fair.

The "Christ Kind," or Christ Child, is the gift giver, and the culmination of the fair, on Christmas Eve, is a visit by the Christ Kind to the balcony of the historic church, the Frauenkirche. Days of group caroling by the children precede this event.

### Fun and Feasting . . .

A merry, hearty feast is traditional at Christmas, but the ingredients are not always the same. Norwegians might serve, instead of turkey and trimmings, codfish and pickled pork, while baked carp is a favored Christmas delicacy in Austria.

Christmas dining customs change with time, too. History describes a "traditional" Christmas feast of seventeenth century Quebec, a feast that would be considered somewhat unusual today.

Before each diner at the feast was placed a bowl of birchbark or polished basswood and a spoon of bark. The diners supplied their own knives, and there were no forks.

Into the bowl went first the appetizers — cornbread and a boiled mixture of eels, salmon and beans. The soup course was a rich meat broth, thickened with nuts. Vegetables included corn, peas and baked squash.

The main course featured roast venison and squirrel pies, with baked wild pigeons, partridges, blackbirds, owls — all served together.

Dessert consisted of cakes of maple sugar or sunflower seeds

and nuts, topped with a sauce of boiled dried berries.

### Lighting Up . . .

Since the Star shone on Bethlehem, lights have been a part of Christmas celebrations. Today, candlelight services are traditionally held by many churches at Christmas. Something unique in the way of Christmas lights are the "luminarias" used to decorate the city of Albuquerque, N.M., at Christmastime.

Outlining the borders of streets, sidewalks, yards and even the roofs of homes, the luminarias shine everywhere. Made of paper bags, weighted down with sand and lighted from within by a candle, thousands of luminarias all over the city offer a soft light.

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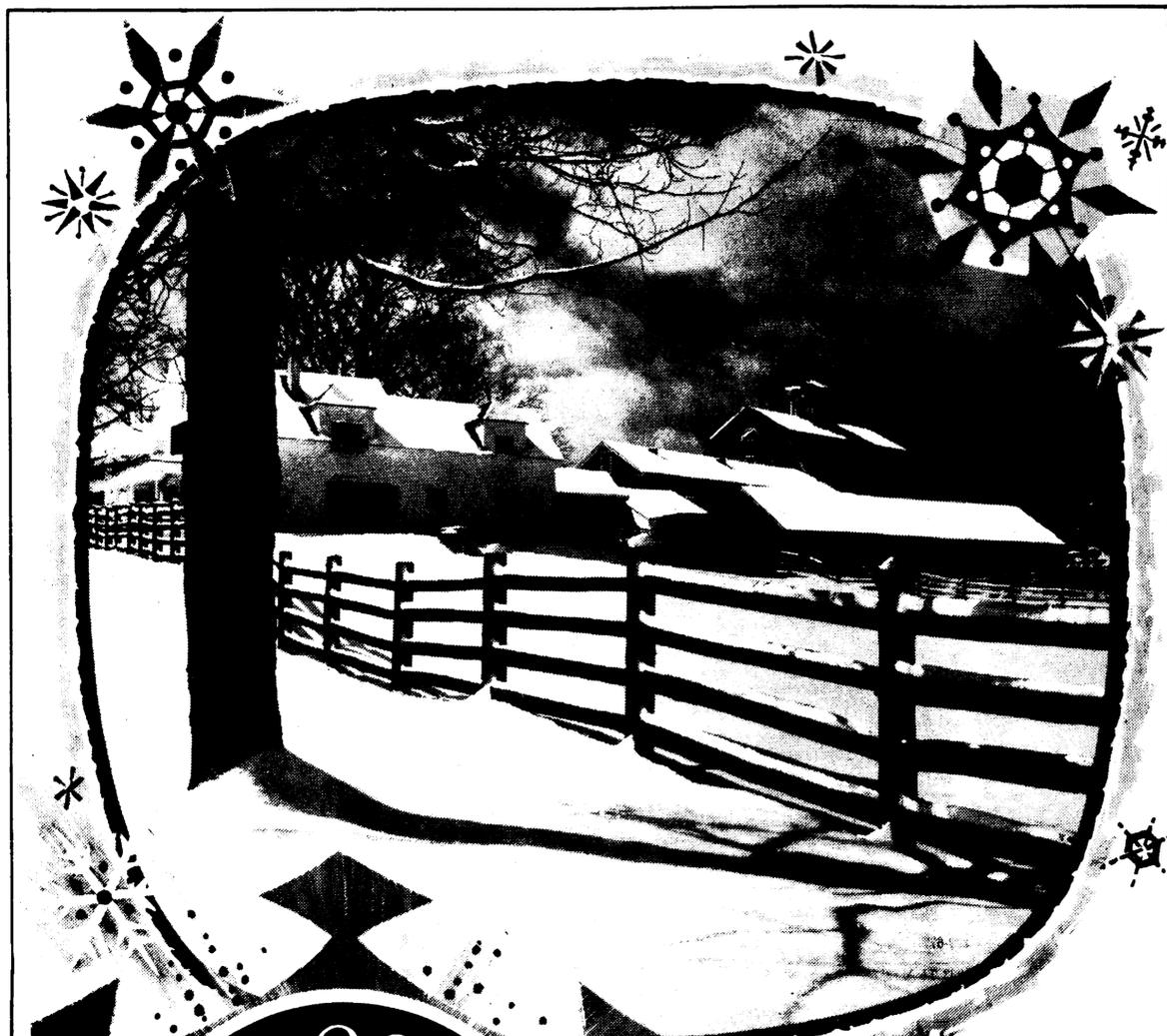
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During the Christmas or New Year's holidays, you will want an impressive roast to grace the table. For this festive season, choose a beef standing rib roast.

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Modern beef rib roasts usually wear the compact look. This means the rib bones have been shortened and the rib portions are marketed as short ribs. In addition, the retailer either loosens or removes the chine bone. This makes the roast easier to carve.

Beef standing rib roast is a regal roast that deserves cooking with the aid of a roast meat thermometer, says Reba Staggs, an accurate degree of doneness, 160° F. for medium-done; 170° F. for well-done. Allow 23 to 25 minutes per pound for medium; 27 to 30 minutes per pound for well-done.

To remove the roast from the oven and let it stand in a warm place, 15 to 20 minutes before serving. If the roast is permitted to stand an allowance should be made for a rise in internal temperature



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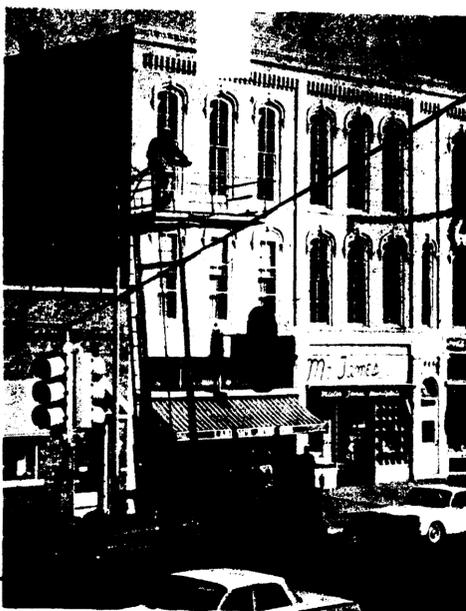
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# The Livingston County ARGUS-DISPATCH

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1965

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DOWN TOWN HOWELL has a special glow for Christmas, with brand new mercury vapor street lights. The improved lights for downtown Howell were purchased on a recommendation by the Heart of Howell Association by the downtown merchants.

## Yulefide Beauty Is Reflected In Flowers and Greens

Flowers burst into bloom and trees and shrubs were green with new leaves on the night of the Saviour's birth, so legend says. Down through the ages, certain flowers and greens have held an honored place in the lore of Christmas—the holly and the ivy, mistletoe, rosemary, the Christmas rose, the thorn tree. Ancient peoples believed that mistletoe had powers to ward off evil or cure a variety of illnesses. Druid priests of Britain, long ago, believed that mistletoe should be cut with a golden knife, then hung over doorways as a protection from evil. The Greeks, too, used it to ward off evil. One of many legends surrounding the poinsettia tells of a poor Mexican girl who, having no gift of value, humbly placed some roadside

weeds at the foot of a statue representing the Virgin and Child. Instantly, the weeds became scarlet blossoms and thus, so the legend says, the poinsettia was created. Rosemary, the symbol of constancy, was at one time widely used in England as a Christmas decoration. During the Victorian era, it lost popularity and is now seldom, if ever, seen as part of the Yulefide greenery. An old story says that the fragrance of rosemary was given to it when Mary placed the Christ Child's garments on this shrub. Like mistletoe, the brightly-berried holly was early credited with magical and medical powers. It could even, legend said, tell girls the name of their future husbands.

## Tri-Lake News

PHYLIS SHELTERS 2-75241

HO! HO! HO! Its your old news reporter again! Congratulations are extended to Jerry Beech this week, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Beech of Kinyon Drive. Jerry graduated from Michigan State University in East Lansing on Saturday, Dec. 11th. Mom and dad are quite proud of their number one son, as well they should be. Recently, Janey Morgan was home from Western visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Morgan. While Jane Ann was home she threw a party with "57" of her friends attending! WOW!! Just think 57 kids under one roof for a party. I had a very nice visit with Mrs. Ruth Markwood the other day. She was telling me she was in the hospital from the 16th of Nov. until Thanksgiving day with a stroke. She is still going into the Doctors twice a week for shots. I'm very sorry I didn't know she was ill sooner, but your news reporter is always the last to know.

Welcome home to Dick Lutz from California. Dick is the son of Mr. Nicholas Lutz on Kinyon Drive. He will be home for the holidays with his family. I thought I'd stick this little ditty in I thought it was quite cute. Santa called at the Shelters home last week and our little girl Marianne was very impressed with Santa, then Judy our 8 year old got on the phone, stood there for a minute, then she said, "HO! HO! HO! yourself grandpa, you already know what I want for Xmas."

Pfc John Pryde Jr. arrived home Sat. Dec. 18th from Fort Devens, Mass. where he just finished his basic training. John will be spending the next fourteen days home with his father, Mr. John Pryde Sr.

Welcome to our new neighbor, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Deatty and family. The Deattys are renting the newly finished duplex apt. of Albert Raquepaw of Kinyon. Mrs. Dorothy Stuhburg is once again doing the cooking for the Junior Choir at the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Stuhburg said it was a very worth while undertaking for her. She also stated there is a great need for help with these kids. They need someone to come in from 4:30 until 6:15 each Thursday. So if you have some free time on your hands why not help out?

the Don Jenks home Saturday evening, Dec. 18.

Mrs. Sharon Michaelen certainly put on a very nice Xmas concert at Hawkins school, Dec. 21st. All the kids did such a nice job. They really worked long and hard getting ready for the concert, but it was well worth it. Mrs. Michaelen should be congratulated on a job well done.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shosey took four of their little grandchildren to the childrens Xmas party at the McPherson Hospital Monday, Dec. 20th. Attending with grandpa and grandma were: Rick and Sheryl Shosey, Tim Shosey and Marianne Shelters. Mr. and Mrs. Shosey also attended the employees Xmas party Saturday Dec. 18th held at the Howell Armory. Dinner was served from 6:30 until 9:00, then they went out to the Chemung Hills Country club for cocktails and dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald White also attended the G.M. Xmas dance at the Proving Grounds Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Amenson attended the Leith pre-Xmas gift exchange held at the Ray Lansing home Sunday, Dec. 19th.

Just about here I would like to stick in the column what I would like for Xmas, maybe Santa will read the column this week! All that I want is the bathroom wallpapered. The paper is in the hall closet, BUD!

Don't all the homes look nice this year? People really out did themselves this year on decorating the outside of their homes for Xmas.

We are all sorry to see Mr. and Mrs. "Mel" Decker and Uncle Mark leave the Fondra Lake area. The Deckers recently purchased a new home over to the Lake of the Pines, and moved last Thursday. We all wish you luck in your new home, just don't forget us. I really don't know what we are going to do without Uncle Mark around.

Dr. Molner had a very interesting article in his column the other day and I would like to pass it on to you. With the flu season here it may come in handy. And I quote, "For the uncomplicated cases of vomiting, one of the simplest remedies, yet often highly effective, is salt dissolved in three ounces of water, or a bit less than half a cup. The dose is one tablespoonful of this solution taken by mouth every 20 to 30 minutes. It can be surprisingly helpful. Along with it, sipping carbonated drinks (ginger ale is excellent) not only helps to settle the stomach but replaces fluids that has been lost."

Ronald Peterson will celebrate his birthday Dec. 25th. He has already received his Xmas present and birthday gift from Uncle Sam. Ron has to report to his induction center Dec. 27th.

Ray Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Potter left last Monday from Fort Knox, Ky. to go to paratroopers school in Fort Benning Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gyr entertained some of their friends Sunday evening to a song fest held at their home on Kinyon. Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Mike Coble and family, Mr. and Mrs. Franz Geers and family and Mr. and Mrs. John VanHaaften and family.

There were three little boys from our neighborhood who attended the birthday party of Gary VanHaaften Tuesday afternoon. Attending were: Mark Decker, Drew Gyr and Bobbie Coble.

Happy Birthday to Donna Jo Hubble who will be 8 years old TODAY I bet you thought I forgot your birthday, didn't you D.J.?

Mr. and Mrs. John Gyr and family attended the Jr. Band Xmas Concert Thursday, Dec. 16th. Two of their boys participated in the program, Kim who is in the eighth grade and Jack who is in the seventh grade.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Madigan entertained Mr. Madigan's three brothers and their wives Saturday, Dec. 18th, for a pre-Xmas get together. Coming out from the Detroit area were: Mr. and Mrs. Kyrone Madigan, Mr. and Mrs. Les Madigan and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Madigan.

Mr. Carl Schneider stood Guard of Honor with the K. of C. Knights, Dec. 5th for the Bishop of the Lansing Diocese. They all took turns so long on and so long off.

While the Schneiders were in Lansing they finished their Xmas shopping, and went to visit relatives.

I guess that this winds it up for this week. From our house to yours, we would like to wish you all a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS.

## County Banks Close Early

The three principal banks in Livingston county, the Brighton State Bank of Brighton and Hamburg, the McPherson State Bank of Howell, Hartland and Pinckney, and the First National Bank in Howell will have no evening hours on either Christmas Eve or New Years Eve. All three will close at 3 p.m. Friday, Dec. 24, and Friday, Dec. 31.

As a rule all three banks are open at night on Fridays. The 3 o'clock closing hour applies to all offices and drive-in facilities.

Pampa plains of South America, long devoted to grazing cattle, are now being converted to commercial crops.

## Neighbors Visit School Inmates

WHITMORE LAKE — Because of the fear put into the residents of Green Oak township, by the boys who have escaped from the Boys Training School near here, those living in this area have launched a campaign better to acquaint the boys with their neighbors. The escapes in the past have stolen cars, broken into homes and in other ways frightened home owners who now will endeavor to show the boys that the world is not "against them," as many of the inmates believe.

A great factor in creating better relationships has been the volunteers who help to train the boys in useful pursuits and in various hobbies to make the school more home-like instead of having them look upon it as a penal institution.

Herbert Munzel, supervisor of the township, said he began organizing ways by which boys at the school could meet area residents after recent publicity about the "walkway" problem at the school.

"We wanted to make the kids know we are aware of their problems," Munzel said.

Four BTS students, accompanied by the school chaplain, attended the regular meeting of the Green Oak Township Board and spoke to the audience.

"I was very pleased with the way things turned out," Munzel said.

This week a group of Green Oak Township residents went to the school for informal discussions with small groups of the boys.

They took with them holiday gifts which the boys can then send to their families or friends at home, Munzel said.

"Most of the kids in the schools don't have any money for gifts," Munzel said, "and if they did they can't get to stores to buy anything."

"We just want to show the boys that the people outside care about them."

## WHAT "NOEL" MEANS

"Noel," the French word for Christmas, means "birthday," "news," or "a shout of joy."

## DRIVE CAREFULLY

## CHRISTMAS JOY

Here's hoping Santa leaves all the dreams of our loyal patrons in bright array beneath their Christmas trees. A hearty "thank you" to you all!



HAMBURG DAIRY "DAIRYLAND PRODUCTS"

**Goodwill Pickup**  
The next visit of Goodwill Industries pickup trucks to Brighton is scheduled for Tuesday, Dec. 28th. Goodwill trucks collect household appliances of clothing, shoes, hats, toys, most types of furniture and other household discards. To arrange for a Goodwill Industries truck pickup, call the local Goodwill representative, Mrs. Don Larry, telephone number 229-9781.

**HELLER'S FLOWERS**  
Howell Phone 546-0770  
HOWELL, MICHIGAN  
"Say It with Flowers"

## Silent Night

May the "heavenly peace" of that first Christmas night descend upon the world, bringing to everyone the joy and happiness that comes with a contented heart.

**KLUCK'S MOBIL SERVICE**  
10035 E. Grand River Brighton

## OLD-FASHIONED Christmas Wishes

Times change, but the good old-fashioned spirit of Christmas goes on forever, and so do our hearty wishes for your happiness, and our earnest thanks for your friendly good will.

**BRIGHTON DAIRY QUEEN**  
N. J. AND MARIE McPHERSON

## Limited Time Only!

2 Bay Berry Candles; for every new savings account opened during the month of December.

Our ancestors had a poem about these sweet-smelling holiday candles -

"Bay Berry candles  
Burned to the socket,  
Brings luck to your house,  
And gold to your pocket."

We have a limited supply of these lucky candles and they will be given out while they last. Stop and get yours today.

## BRIGHTON STATE BANK

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BRIGHTON 300 W. NORTH 229-9531



### Cutting Down A Tree Is Easy

If you are a farmer or suburbanite that has a tree or two that should come down this winter, you can do the job quickly and easily by following a few simple suggestions. The modern chain saw makes easy what was a long, difficult process.

Don't try to fall a tree where a mistake might drop it on buildings or utility lines. Let the pros handle these trees.

When you have the tree picked out be sure the ground is clear

where you expect the tree to fall, as well as where you will stand. In almost every case the tree will fall in the direction of the lean of the tree.

To fall a tree follow these rules (see drawing):

1. Make your first cut parallel to the ground and exactly at right angles to where you want the tree to fall. Cut into the tree to about one-third of the diameter.
2. Make your second cut at a 45-degree angle and parallel to the first. This will result in a rounded, triangular shaped chunk of wood that should be removed.
3. Make your third and final cut on the opposite side of the tree, several inches above the first cut. For

safety's sake, when you hear the tree start to move, stop your saw, step back, and watch carefully as the tree falls. Be ready to move aside if the tree should swing around.

### Tree Plantations Helped By State

HOWELL — Many cooperators of the Fenton and Livingston Soil Conservation Districts prune and thin their pine and spruce plantations to assure themselves of quality timber at maturity of the stand. There are more than 3,671 acres of trees that have been planted in the three Livingston County districts. Proper pruning and thinning is a good timber stand improvement practice.

The live and dead branches are removed from the tree up to approximately one-half the height of the tree. By cutting the branches close to the trunk of the evergreen the log, when harvested for timber, will be knot-free and will have a high value for lumber. Pruning of the evergreen trees generally starts when the tree is about 15 feet high.

Vic Horvath, district forester of the Conservation Department, will mark many of the evergreen plantations for the thinning and pruning practice. This soil erosion, protect water supplies, provides wildlife cover, offers recreation for campers, hunters, fishermen and nature lovers, while the timber is an asset to the landowner.

### OBITUARIES

**MRS. MIMA SEGER**  
Mrs. Mima Seger, 83 of 375 N. Second St., passed away Dec. 15, at McPherson Community Health Center, following a long illness. She was born May 15, 1882 in Scotland, a daughter of Peter and Janet Mitchell Wilson.

Mrs. Seger as a child came, with her mother to Canada and shortly, there after moved to the Brighton area where she attended and was graduated from the Brighton High School on June 22, 1898. On November 7, 1899 she was married to James Seger at St. John's Church, Sandwich, Ontario.

Mrs. Seger is a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church of Brighton, a life member of Michigan Chapter No. 314 O.E.S. a charter member of the Rebekah Lodge No. 272 of Brighton and a charter member of the Troy Small Navy Mother's Club No. 538.

Surviving are three sons; Harry W. of Phoenix, Ariz., Fred H. of Lakeland, Fla. and James V. of Brighton, three daughters; Mrs. Julia Van Sicke of Milford, Mrs. Bernice Herr of Brighton, and Mrs. May E. Forrest of Brighton, 23 grandchildren and 38 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 P.M., Saturday from St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Brighton with the Rev. Robert Elderson officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Brighton.

**N. J. STEPHANON**  
**WHITMORE LAKE** — Neo-Nazis J. Stephanon, 77 of 11754 Merrill, Whitmore Lake, died unexpectedly Sunday.

He was born Sept. 20, 1888, in Cyprus, the son of John and Maria Kyriacou Stephanon. He came to Michigan in 1912. He retired from the Brown-McLaren Co. in Hamburg 12 years ago.

He was a veteran of World War I, seeing service in France. Mr. Stephanon was a member of the Irwin Prieskorn Post No. 46 of the American Legion, Washenaw Lodge No. 65, F & AM, of Dexter, Hamburg Lodge No. 438, IOOF, the National League of Cyprus and St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church. His wife, the former Mary Elizabeth Doherty, died in 1961.

Surviving are a daughter, Miss Androulla Stephanon of Ann Arbor, and a sister, Christina Georgious of Cyprus.



### Plant Wins Yule Favor

One plant particularly favored at Christmas in the United States and Canada is the poinsettia. The holiday colors of this green shrub with its star-shaped red clusters make it an appropriate symbol of the season.

It had not been for the interest of an American diplomat, Dr. Joel Poinsett of Charleston, S.C., the poinsettia might never have attained popularity. Serving as the first U.S. minister to Mexico in 1828, Dr. Poinsett discovered this tropical plant.

Imported with its beauty, he brought it back to the United States and introduced it into cultivation. Later, the plant was named the "poinsettia" in his honor.

Albert Ecke, a California farmer, developed and improved the plant, and first marketed it in 1906. Since then it has become a favorite Yuletide decoration.



"Even the woodpecker has found that the way to make progress is to use your head."



### HAPPY HOLIDAYS

We want to say a sincere "thank you" to all our great friends and wish them all the laughter, fun and good cheer of this happy holiday season.

**SPEARS RADIO & TV**  
9945 Grand River AC 9-7088 Brighton

### Routes To Florida

### 4 Main Roads Florida Bound

Nearly two-thirds of the total mileage on the four main routes available to hundreds of Florida-bound Livingston county residents this winter are four-lane superhighways, Automobile Club of Michigan touring manager Jerry E. Fisher reports.

This means easier, safer driving than ever before for motorists who plan a vacation in the Sunshine State. For those with less than two weeks of time, Fisher advises going by air.

An anticipated contingent of 500,000 Michiganders represents a 12 per cent increase over the number who went there last year.

Economy and convenience, plus highway conditions that are getting better all the time, were cited as main reasons most vacationers will drive.

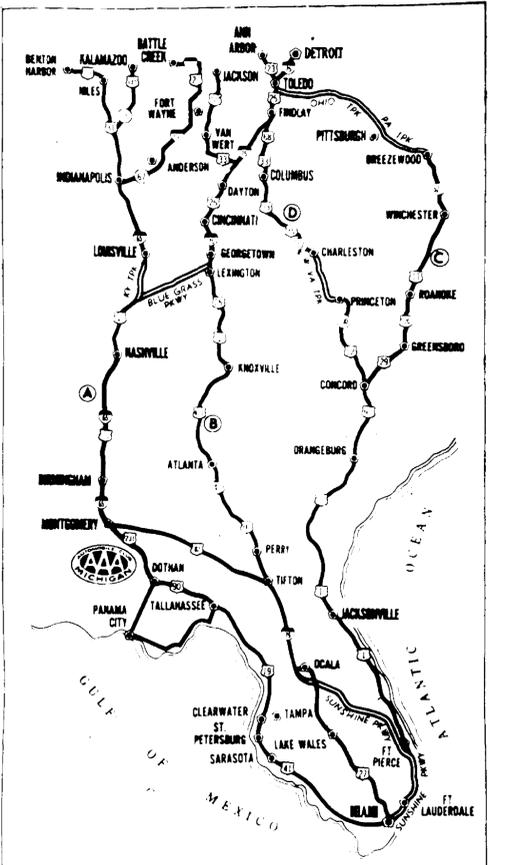
It will cost each auto passenger an average of \$15.50 daily for travel, food and lodging. There will be an average of 2.5 passengers a car. Motel costs en route will average \$10 to \$14 a couple a day.

Most motorists will utilize the two western-most routes between Michigan and Florida, because they offer almost complete freedom from mountains.

The other two routes, mountainous in sections, are quite popular during spring and fall, when they are snow-free and blossom-lined.

The motorist bound for the south must remember to be alert in areas that insist upon strict enforcement of traffic laws. While these are few this year, motorists should still use caution.

Bonneville, Ky., is listed on the latest AAA report, as is Livingston, Ky. Ludowici, Ga., a spot often in the news in the past, is back again and the motorist must watch his speed carefully near it. In Virginia, the area from Staunton to Lexington on US-11 is listed.



MICHIGAN MOTORISTS who plan to Florida in the next few months have a choice of four major routes, according to the Automobile Club of Michigan. The driving will be easier than ever before because more miles of four-lane freeway have been added, with all routes except one sharing in the increase.

### North Brighton News

Della Vartooogian — 229-9000

Our sincere sympathies are extended to Mrs. Robert Houston in the loss of her father, Mr. Irving Hayes, who passed away suddenly Thursday in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes were frequent visitors at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Houston, Oak Knoll, Woodland Lake, and was well liked by all who knew him. Funeral services were held Monday from the McCabe funeral home, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hatmaker and two children, Kevin and Holly, of Pontiac, were last Sunday callers at the home of his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hatmaker, School Lake.

A pre-Christmas party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Taylor, US-23, Sunday. Between 35 and 45 relatives and friends enjoyed an evening of fun.

The Birkenstock school had its annual Christmas party Monday evening and it was well attended. Among those enjoying the program were Mrs. Leo Adams and mother, Mrs. John D'Long.

Congratulations to Mrs. Ruth Dishong whose birthday was the

23rd. A combined birthday and Christmas gathering was held with the families of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Adams and children; also Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lucas and children were present.

Mrs. Ralph Cameron and Mrs. Aram Vartooogian attended the funeral of Mrs. Mima Seger Saturday. Mrs. Seger, who was one of our older citizens, will be missed by all who knew her. She was a friend to all.

Get well wishes to Charles Farmer who returned home Sunday from McPherson Health Center where he has been since Thursday. We all hope that he will now feel better.

Terry Grostok and Ernie Bell were among the guests at a Christmas party in Howell Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Minock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bell and Ernie attended the Christmas concert at Camp Brighton Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fraunfelder of Albuquerque, N.M., are spending the Christmas holiday with his aunt, Miss Lucy Mary Kellogg, Hilton road.

May all have a very happy Christmas.



### Merry Christmas

The star shone and the angels sang to tell of the great joy of the first Christmas. We wish that joy and a Merry Christmas to all of you.

**PAT'S RESTAURANT**  
BRIGHTON HOWELL

### Holy night

May all the spiritual blessings of the Christmas season be with you and your loved ones, and your hearts be filled with peace and true contentment.

**PARKER ELECTRIC**

### Blessings

May you and yours enjoy a Christmas rich in blessings.

**ENGLISH NURSERY SALES**

### The Spirit of Christmas

As the church bells chime on Christmas Morn, stop to think of their message ... "Peace on Earth Good Will Towards Men." We stop now to thank you for your patronage during the year.

**ADVANCE STAMPING CO.**  
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### Merry Christmas

May all the traditional joys of Christmas be yours ... good friends and good times, gifts and greetings. And know that our greetings are warmly sincere, with grateful thanks for your loyal patronage.

**MARY JO SHOPPE**

# BRIGHTON SCHOOL NEWS

## SENIOR PROFILES

**DON BEACH**  
Donald James Beach, age eighteen, was born December 5, 1947. He lives at 6057 Kinyon Dr., Fonda Lake. Don has hair of light brown and eyes of hazel. Senior Math, Govt., English, Physics, and World History are part of his busy schedule this year. Mrs. Addington is his favorite teacher. Don has two favorite songs; they are, "Wait A Minute" by Tim Tam and the Turn Ons, and "The Man in the Glass" by the Underdogs. He has an unusual favorite color called metal flake pearlcent tangerine, along with pizza and hamburgers as his favorite foods. The Beach Boys and Underdogs are two favorite groups of Don's. Don has hobbies of slot racing and models along with his interest in drag racing. He is usually caught using his favorite saying "Fords don't go!" In his Junior year, he was in the Junior Play, Don wants to be a mechanic in California, and wishes to attend the University of California after high school. He is looking forward to the Senior trip and graduation. His opinion of B.H.S. students is that, "there should be more frats." He also commented that the teachers "could be more understanding of student troubles and complaints." He wishes to make no comment on B.H.S. itself.

**PAM BENSER**  
Our senior profile of this week is brown haired, blue eyed Pam Benser.  
Pam, age 18, was born June 18, 1947, in Melvindale, Michigan. Pam now resides at 6331 Stephen.  
Pam enjoys pizza, being on the telephone all day and a certain guy (?) Her favorite saying is "O eat a bug!", favorite color is pink favorite song is Bobby Vinton's "Satin Pillows," and her favorite teacher is Mr. Prieskorn.  
Pam has participated in numerous school activities such as a member in F.H.A. and F.N.C., in which she is the secretary. This year her schedule is Sr. math, gov't. home ec. band and typing and office practice, but the highlight of her Sr. year will be the trip Pam stated that she will miss B. H. S. because she has had so much fun.

**JERRY BOULIER**  
One of our Senior Profiles of the week is brown haired, brown eyed Jerry Boulrier. He was born on Dec. 9, 1946 in Detroit. He now resides at 3116 Causeway Drive in Brighton.  
Bookkeeping, English, Study Hall, General Math, and Government are his Senior classes. His favorite teacher is Mrs. Ikens, song is "Red Roses for a Blue Lady," color-light blue, food is shrimp, and saying is "What's new!"  
His hobby is archery. His ambition is going to trade school. The Highlight of his Sr. year is to graduate.

**PATRICIA ANNE BAKER**  
Our senior profile of this week is strawberry blonde, blue eyed, Patricia Anne Baker. Most of her friends at B.H.S. call her "Pinky" or "Pat."  
Pat, age 17, was born on January 24, 1948, in Detroit. She now resides at 9206 Towlen Avenue, Brighton.  
Pat enjoys dancing, sewing, and cooking. Other favorites of Pat are Mr. Prieskorn, and Mrs. Fredrick favorite teachers, her favorite color is blue, favorite song is the Dave Clark Five "Over and Over," plus the acting of Rick Nelson. She also enjoys eating pizza and steak.  
Pat has participated in many school activities such as Chairman of Costumes for the Senior Play, in the Jr. Play, and worked on the Jr. Prom. The highlight of her Senior year is the trip and the Jr. Prom of last year. Her subjects are English, Math, Gov't., and Home Ec. Her favorite class is Gov't., because Mrs. Wilson makes it so interesting.  
Pat's opinion of the students are that they have more interest in school this year. She stated that we have nice group of teachers this year.  
They are more concerned about the individual and have more time to spend with each one. She has really enjoyed the 7 years of going to B.H.S. Until the sixth grade Pat had gone to a small school where there was only ten students in each class not 30 or 40! What a difference!  
To further her education she plans to be a beautician. Pat has received a scholarship of \$250 to Virginia Farrell Beauty School, but has no further plans so far.

**Argument Mars Student Council**  
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**Trade Schools**  
BY DENNIS CUNNINGHAM  
Here's a chance for any girl looking for a career. The Joan Jewett Career School, 301 M.A.C. Avenue, East Lansing, Michigan offers the following courses for any girl interested.  
Airline, steamship, and rail are some of the topics under Travel Career. Does a secretarial work interest you or how about becoming a professional model. If you don't care for any of the above careers how about finishing for Self-Improvement Course. The price on these courses are averaged by your ability.

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## Granny Dresses Frowned Upon

BY: G. M. II  
"Go granny, go granny, go granny go," has been uttered by a few of the teachers when a student enters class in a granny dress.  
Granny dresses are the current fad in fashion. Girls all over the U.S.A. wear them, but at B. H. S. they are somewhat frowned upon.  
Some daring girls have worn them and have been subjected to ridicule, crude remarks, and expulsion from class, all through the courtesy of the teachers.  
Not all the teachers are against granny dresses. Many feel they are better than wearing short skirts. The women teachers show more approval for them than the men.  
The student body is pretty much in favor of them. Even the president of the Student Council thinks "they're kinda cute."  
There couldn't be anything morally wrong with the dresses. They cover more than a regular skirt. Maybe our more conservative teachers feel too much of the ankle is showing!

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Australia's senate has refused to raise income taxes by 2 1/2 per cent.

Merry Christmas



That big package Santa's dropping down the chimney is full of glad greetings, from us to you!

**O'DELL'S Brighton Garage**

## Senior Class Trip Itinerary

BY RAY PERRY  
The senior class has rated on their senior trip which will carry the following schedule:  
Brighton High School  
New York & Washington by Air Monday:  
8:30 AM - Leave Detroit by air. Breakfast aloft  
10:30 AM - Arrive Newark Airport - But to Hotel Edison Empire State Roof  
Lunch  
1:30 PM - Tour Lower Manhattan and Status of Liberty Dinner  
Evening - Radio City Music Hall  
Tuesday  
Breakfast  
9:30 AM - RCA Tour  
Lunch at Ted's Steak House  
1:00 PM - Guided Tour of U.N. Dinner  
Evening - Attend Broadway Stage Show  
Wednesday  
Breakfast  
8:00 AM - Leave New York via chartered Greyhound  
12:15 PM - Arrive Washington Lunch at Shells  
1:00 PM - Tour Arlington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon  
5:00 PM - Rooms assigned at the Park Arlington Motel  
Dinner  
7:30 PM - Night sightseeing tour of Washington including Wax Museum  
Thursday  
Breakfast  
8:30AM - Tour Capitol (Group photo); Supreme Court and White House.  
1:00 PM - Tour Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Washington Monument and Smithsonian.  
6:00 PM - Leave Washington via. Dimmer aloft  
8:00 PM - Arrive Detroit  
Cost per person is \$135.00  
A deposit of \$10.00 is to be paid before Dec. 23 so that reservations might be made.

This page written and edited by Brighton High students



**GREETINGS** May the bright star that showed the way for the three Wise Men lead you to a Christmas filled with joy and happiness.

**MARV'S BAKERY**  
10730 E. Grand River Brighton

## To The Students

Brighton's new police officer Wesely McLellan informed Brighton High School students today on laws most often broken in the city of Brighton. Officer McLellan talked frankly, but truly. He stated that he would take drastic measures on students disobeying city laws.

**BEST WISHES for CHRISTMAS**



After all, the idea of giving presents originated with the Wise-Men of Bethlehem. The idea is to bring joy to others. Gifts serve many purposes in today's social structure. They show how well off someone is, how well he can divide his money evenly, and how original he thinks.  
So everyone should think this over before they rush out and buy fantastic presents for everyone on their lists: Is Christmas too commercial?

We sincerely hope this Christmas overflows with all the good things, making it very special for our good friends.

**D. & J. GRAVEL**  
Howell

## Call Price Tag Symbol Of Xmas

BY: ERIC HURST  
As soon as Halloween is over, the stores begin ordering huge amounts of Christmas things. People wonder why they can't retain the inexpensive quiet time of celebration of years past. The symbol of Christmas, they say, is the price tag.  
What's wrong with commercialized Christmas? Some say it is a time when people eat and drink too much; a time when present buying is just a race to see who can get done first. It used to be "not the gift but the thought behind it." Now people decide whether a Christmas was good or not by the number of presents received. People get nervous breakdowns from worrying whether this one will like that present or whether he will "get" what he wanted.  
Every year the different manufacturers dream up all types of "wonder toys," clothes, and presents "for the man who has everything."  
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In my opinion, we students should watch out where we do our smoking, and hang on to those pop bottles and papers that seem to slip loose and fall to the ground.  
Signed,  
Ken Graham

**Season's Best**



From us to you, a "stocking-full" of thanks for being our customer, and good wishes for a Merry Christmas.

**Burl's Party Store**  
1060 E. Grand River  
229-9710

Jupiter was also called Jove.



**CHRISTMAS TIME**

As the Christmas bells gladden your heart, we wish you a Happy Holiday.

**Allen Heating & Air Conditioning**  
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**MERRY CHRISTMAS**



"Joy to the World!" May your Christmas truly be a joyful one, rich in spiritual blessings and the happiness of family and home.

**Precision Stamping Co.**  
714 W. Grand River Brighton

**We Wish You a Merry Christmas**



We lift our voices in song to wish you and yours the many joys of the Yuletide season. May your holidays be truly merry.

This We Wish to Brighton and Its People.  
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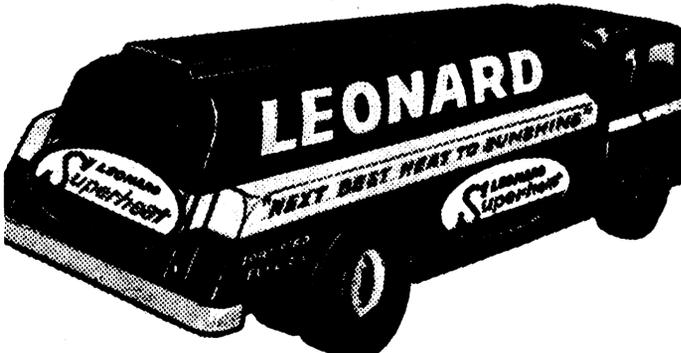
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### Surprise Party For Mrs. Moscow

**BY JOHN KAISER**  
George waited anxiously to snap a picture. The pictures were snapped, and a party hat was placed upon Mrs. Moscow's head as she entered. The art club successfully surprised their sponsor with a birthday party. There was a numerous amount of gifts ranging from Clay to supply kit. We had a brightly lit cake, and everyone seemed to enjoy it tremendously including Mr. Lawson who gratefully attended. Mrs. Moscow only inquired how and when we did it without her finding out.

In the meeting which followed, plans were made to distribute the beautiful Xmas cards the classes made for the people in Howell State Hospital. Thursday December twenty-third was decided on as an appropriate date.

Plans were also made to attend a Japanese art exhibit at the Detroit Institute of Art. This exhibit is being shown all over the world, but only four cities in the United States. January 15 and 18 were discussed as good dates for the trip.

The showcases are decorated in the Christmas Spirit at school. A colorful partridge in a pear tree and four delicately constructed wreaths made by the art club highlight the display.

Electric power generation has been doubling about every ten years, a rate of growth about 2 1/2 times that of the Gross National Product. In 1964, electric energy production in the United States totaled more than 1 trillion kilowatt-hours.

## MORE BRIGHTON SCHOOL NEWS

### Student Council Minutes

The meeting was called to order by President Greg Park at 10:50 a.m. Dec. 13. This meeting was held during third and fourth hours. All members were present.

Mr. Fuller came to our meeting and presented a project to help the Vietnamese people and the American soldiers in Vietnam. If our school participates, contributions would be small useful articles to fill hospital kits, sewing kits, and children's kits.

The demonstration Student Council meeting will be presented on December 15, Second hour. We will follow this agenda:

- Open meeting
- Read Secretary's minutes
- Give Treasurer's report
- Discussion on vandalism
- Dress Code
- Assemblies
- Student of six-weeks
- Locker Inspection
- League Student Council
- Paper in halls
- Sportsmanship
- Coming Student Council

**BY KEN GRAHAM**  
At last we've got a little of that white flaky stuff on the ground.

Oh, how we've waited for this long awaited time of year.

Mr. Brighton is awaiting us with open arms for the new ski season, and with a little luck and the help of snow guns, we'll soon be riding the green piece of rope to the top of a mammoth white crest.

Mr. Brighton has a lot of new surprises for us as you will see when you go.

Now we all want to go, so keep your fingers crossed and your skies on the back porch, and maybe, just maybe, well before you know it, we'll all be out breaking our neck or leg, or something.

Good Luck Skiers!

### Attention Skiers. Snow Is Coming

**ROGER BOYLAN**  
By Helen Maher

Mr. Roger Boylan came to B.H.S. in September of '65. Along with Mr. Demar, Mr. Boylan is also an admired specimen.

He teaches Physical Science and Biology. He was born in Detroit attended Flint Central, and went to U of M where he majored in General Science and minored in Physical and Social Science. Mr. Boylan now lives in Ann Arbor, he taught at Tappan Junior High.

Mr. Boylan feels our big problem in Brighton is that the students have poor attitudes toward laws in general. The community hasn't done much to correct it. The students should realize that school conditions at present and in the future depend on the parents and the adult members of the community and should not be blamed on school officials.

When asked what he thought of the student body in general he answered, "most of them are learning."

Unlike Mr. Demar, Mr. Boylan has a favorite cartoon character — The Road Runner. His favorite color is burgundy and favorite food is Lobster Newburg.

### School Ready By September

**BY RAY PERRY**  
The new school is to be done by Sept. of 1966, if all goes well. So far the school has the frame work, half of roof, all the floors and half of the walls completed.

Mr. Lawson said he had talked to the engineer and that he was informed that all was going as planned.

### "Northern Lights" Dance On Dec. 23

**BY G. M. II**  
"Oh Come all Ye Faithful" to the Seniors "Northern Lights" dance, December 23. The class of '66 is sponsoring the biggest dance of the year next to the prom. They are the first to have such a dance which will become an annual event from this year forward.

The main reason the dance is so important is that a King and Queen from the Senior Class were chosen to reign for the evening. Their court is composed of a boy and girl from each of the other classes.

Since this dance is such a big occasion, boys are asked to wear a tie and jacket. Girls will dress in their holiday best.

The admission is 50c a person or 75c per couple. "So come on guys, save 25c and take your favorite gal to see the Northern Lights at 8:00 in the gym."

### Xmas Frolic

It soon will be here. Christmas I mean. With snow and slush and a Happy New Year. Bring out the coats! Bring out the boots! For Gaston Blott is ready to shoot. St. Nick will come on Christmas Eve but sly Gaston Blott has tricks up his sleeve. He won't hurt him much, just steal his toys, then he'll be Santa up and jump for joy. He will then skip the country in Santa's sleigh and then return next Christmas Day.

### Fowlerville High Host To F.T.A.

**BY MARY SCHOEN**  
Fowlerville High School was host to nine Brighton High School F.T.A. members, Thursday, December 9.

Arriving about 9:00, the members met their guides from the Fowlerville F.T.A. and continued to classes.

After a full day of classes, the two clubs met, and the visitors could ask questions about Fowlerville's classes, rules, etc.

Brighton F.T.A. members participating in the exchange day were: Jane Demorest, Connie Duffy, Grace Martin, Linda L. Miller, Alyson Arnold, Mary Schoen, Tina Lorenger, Pat Seeger, and Anne Armstrong.

The club was accompanied by Mrs. Herbst and Mr. Fitzgerald.

### '66 Brightonian Photos Taken

**BY MARY SCHOEN**  
"Turn your head a little this way. Now look intelligent everybody!" This was commonly heard Monday, December 13, as a professional photographer from Powell Studios spent the day at B.H.S.

This service is free-of-charge to schools who have senior pictures taken by Powell.

The pictures of activities and organizations, planned in advance by the annual staff, will be used in the '66 Brightonian. The annual photographer, Cindy Madden, Editor Mary Schoen, and George McCree worked with the photographer in a hopeless attempt to keep on schedule.

### 4-H Girls Learn To Fit Clothing

**HOWELL** — At a meeting of leaders of 4-H Advanced Clothing clubs met in the Courthouse Annex for a discussion and demonstration of pattern fitting and alterations. Mrs. Arvela Curtis and Mrs. Margaret Foster offered suggestions to the leaders on choosing the right pattern for the figure.

Mrs. Raymond Maltby and Mrs. Curtis served as models for the pattern fitting demonstration. Mrs. Ralph Hall, of Pinckney, and Mrs. Merlin Eggleston, of Fowlerville, assisted with illustrative material and room set-up.

Good fits in a garment depends upon the selection of a reliable pattern in the type and size that come nearest to the wearer's figure. All major pattern companies today offer complete ranges of types and sizes, and show the important figure measurements for each in the pattern books available on any pattern counter.

But, it's a rare person who can use a pattern exactly as it is and come out with a garment that really fits her figure.

**A Joyous Christmas**

May your hopes be fulfilled... may your joy be deep and lasting.

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**A CHILD WAS BORN**

The glad tidings of His birth live forever in the hearts of man. May the joys of this Christmas be many for you.

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**Best Wishes for a Bright and Merry CHRISTMAS**

Christmas is made of snowflakes and church bells and laughter and dreams... may all of yours come true. Have a Merry Christmas.

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**GREETINGS**

From all of us to all of you, we send our greetings and best wishes for a merry, old-fashioned holiday season.

**JARVIS STORE**

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**HAMBURG GARAGE**  
R. WINKLEHAUS

**Greetings to All**

Santa's joining to top your Christmas with a bright "thank you" for being such loyal customers.

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**Lovelorn**

Dear Jan and Feb,

A few of us students are writing this because we feel there is a problem at Brighton High. We feel the Student Council isn't fair to us. They make up the rules with the O.K. of a teacher. Sure they ask our opinion on the rules but that's all the opinion. We are mostly concerned with the dress code. It isn't too bad a code but the Council contradicts it. They try to make us go by the code, but they don't. There are a few girls on the Council who's skirts don't come to the middle of their knees. We elected them to represent us, but it seems, though, that we represent them.

My opinion is, that if the Council pushes the code too much and in the wrong manner, they won't get any co-operation what-so-ever. The more you push something at someone, the less they want to do it.

Can you help us in any way??

Stumped Students

Dear Stumped,

If you want the code changed you should go to one of the meetings. It that doesn't do any good you should get a petition and have the students sign it. It should do some good. If it doesn't help you I would say you don't have good representation. The school as a whole should do things in agreement.

**Krazy Kuotes**

**BY: CONNIE DUFFY**

G.M. — M.S. in Chemistry — Did you quit eating carbohydrates because you don't like the taste of carbon and hydrogen?

M.S. — G.M. — Of course! Can you think of a better reason?

Mr. S. — Where's Carol Farmer today?

J.M. — Mr. S. — She's out plowing.

J. D. — Mr. S. — What if some little kid drank the sulfuric acid?

Mr. S. — J. D. — He'd probably be dead.

J. D. — Mr. S. — Oh, the poor little kid.

C. L. — G.M. — Mrs. Moscow wants you on the double!

G.M. — C.L. — Double, double, toil and trouble, fire burn and cannon bubble.

C. L. — G.M. — No, no! Not Mrs. Gray — Mrs. Moscow.

Mr. S. to I st. fr Chemistry — We'll use mossy zinc.

J. W. to Mr. S. — Is that anything like kitchen "zinc"?

Fresh water salmon abound in Britain.

**Christmas Joy**

Nearly 2,000 years ago, the Wise Men bore gifts to the Infant Saviour.

Thus, Christmas became a season of giving... a time to share blessings. May you and yours give and receive generously of meaningful Christmas joys.

**BRIGHTON IGA**

**C r i s m a s C h e r**

May the good cheer of Christmas brighten every home, lighten every heart. Especially, may you and yours have a wonderful holiday.

**MEIER FLOWERLAND**  
8087 W. Grand River Brighton



# In Our Churches



## BRIGHTON CHURCHES

**ST. PATRICK CHURCH**  
211 Richert Road  
Phone 229-9983  
Father Leo McCann, Pastor  
Father James R. Sullivan,  
Assistant Pastor  
Father Leo Puer, C.M.M.,  
Assistant Pastor  
Sunday Masses: 8:30, 9:00,  
10:00, 12:00.  
Daily Mass at 7:30.  
First Friday Masses at 7:30  
and 7:30 p.m.  
Confessions Saturdays at 4:00-  
5:30; 7:30-9:00.  
Novena of Our Mother of Perpetual  
Help Wednesdays at 8:30  
and 7:30. Holy Communion be-  
fore both services.

**ST. JOHN**  
Ocoota Township  
Sunday Masses at 9:00. Con-  
fessions before the Mass. First  
Friday Mass at 7:30.

**FIRST UNITED  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
218 E. Grand River  
AC 7-4891

Gordon Mallott, Choir Director  
Mrs. Charles Birch, Organist  
Sunday Schedule:  
9:00 to 9:30 a.m. Short Fam-  
ily Worship Service.  
9:40 to 10:40 a.m. Church  
School, age 3 through adult.  
11:00 to 12:00 Worship Ser-  
vice.  
There is a care group for pre-  
school children during both wor-  
ship services and Church School.

**FIRST METHODIST  
CHURCH**  
400 East Grand River  
Academy 7-7783

Robert Brubaker, Pastor  
Academy 9-7831  
Mrs. Melvin Light, Organist-  
Choir Director  
Church School, 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service, 8:45 a.m.  
and 10:45 a.m.  
There is a nursery during the  
late worship service for pre-  
school children.  
Thursday 7:00 p.m. Carol  
Choir rehearsal.  
Thursday 8:00 p.m. Senior  
Choir rehearsal.  
Youth Fellowship, 6:30-8:30  
p.m. each Sunday.

**Church of Christ**  
Harold E. Hawley, Minister  
Meeting in Scout Building end  
of Hynes Street, on Mill Pond.  
Bible School, 10:00 a.m.  
Worship service, 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Bible Study, Thurs-  
day, 7:00 p.m. Classes for all  
ages in both Bible studies.

**WESLEYAN METHODIST**  
"A Friendly Church With A  
Spiritual Atmosphere"  
228 S. Fourth St., Brighton  
227-4973

Rev. T. D. Bowditch  
9:45 a.m., Bible School Hour.  
11:00 a.m., Junior Church (for  
children of school age).  
11:00 a.m., Morning Worship  
(Sermon Hour).  
6:30 p.m., Wesleyan Youth  
Service.  
7:30 p.m., Evening Evangel-  
ism Hour.  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Prayer  
Meeting.  
Thursday, 8:30 p.m., Choir  
rehearsal.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
233 Richert Road  
Dewey Boverder, Pastor  
AC 9-9988  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting.

## HAMBURG

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
M-36, Hamburg, Michigan  
Rev. Carl F. Welsler, Pastor  
Telephone 229-9744  
Church Phone 229-9744  
or leave message at 227-3430  
Sunday School and Adult  
Bible Class - 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Services - 10:45 a.m.  
Advent Services - Wednes-  
day, 7:30 p.m., Dec. 8 and 15.  
Communion on First and Third  
Sunday of each month.  
Dec. 19 - Sunday School Christ-  
mas Program.  
Dec. 22 and 23 - Live Nativity.  
Two performances, 7 and 8  
p.m.  
Youth Group will have live  
Nativity Scene on the front  
lawn the week before Christ-  
mas.  
Christmas Eve services at  
7:30.  
Christmas Day Services at 10  
a.m. and Communion Service at  
7 p.m. on New Year's Eve,  
Dec. 30.

**BETHLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
4600 Swardhout Road  
Robert M. Taylor, Pastor  
8861 Spicer Rd., Hamburg  
Phone AC 7-6676  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Young People, Sunday, 6:00  
p.m.  
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday,  
7:30 p.m.

## BRIGHTON CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Presiding Minister:  
James P. Szazama  
Phone 229-9291  
Kingdom Hall  
881 Chestnut Street  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Theo-  
cratic Ministry School.  
Thursday, 8:30 p.m., Service  
Meeting.  
Sunday, 2:30 p.m., Public  
Talk.  
Sunday, 3:45 - Watchtower  
Study.  
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Area Bi-  
ble Studies. Kingdom Hall, 801  
Chestnut St., Brighton, 1029 E.  
Grand River, Brighton, 9088 Par-  
shalville, Hartland.

**TRI-LAKES BAPTIST CHURCH**  
9100 Lee Road  
Rev. Bruce Stine, Pastor  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship, 8 p.m.  
Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer and Bible Study on  
Wednesday evening at 7:30.

**GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
2319 Hacker Road  
at the end of Hynes Road  
Rev. Wayne Graunke, Pastor  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening, 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Group, Monday evening  
at 7:00 p.m.

**CROSS ROAD ASSEMBLY**  
Rev. Lonale W. Harvey, Pastor  
8820 West Grand River  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Evangelists Service, 7:00 p.m.  
Young Peoples Thursday, 7:00  
p.m.

**BRIGHTON ASSEMBLY  
OF GOD**  
7772 West Grand River  
Rev. Stanley G. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Christ Ambassadors, 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Evangelistic, 7:30  
p.m.  
Midweek Service, Thursday at  
7:30 p.m.

**ST. GEORGE EVANGELICAL  
LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
883 West Main Street  
Robert R. Olson, Pastor  
Sunday School with classes for  
children, age 3 through high  
school, as well as a class for  
adults at 9:45 a.m.  
Worship service is held at  
11:00 a.m.  
Supervised nursery care for  
small children is provided dur-  
ing the worship service.

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL  
CHURCH**  
By the Mill Pond  
The Rev. Robert G. Eldson,  
Rector  
Sunday Services, 8:00 a.m.  
Holy Communion.  
10:30 a.m., Morning Prayer.  
Church School and Nursery.  
First and Third Sundays, Holy  
Communion at both services.  
7:00 p.m. Youth League.

## Whitmore Lake Area Churches

**ST. PATRICK'S  
CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Father Leo Melkowski  
Masses, 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

**FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST  
CHURCH**  
1974 Nine Mile Road  
Rev. Alton A. Glazier  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Fellowship, Monday at  
6:00 p.m.  
Mid-week Prayer and Bible  
Study, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.  
Ladies' Christian Service  
Guild, Second Tuesday of the  
month, 7:30 p.m.

**METHODIST  
COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
8318 Main  
Phone 449-9231  
Rev. Robert F. Davis, Pastor  
9:45 a.m., Church School.  
11:00 a.m., Worship Service.  
6:30 p.m., MYF.  
Wednesday, 4:00 p.m., Junior  
Choir.  
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., Senior  
Choir.

**BETHESDA TABERNACLE**  
401 US-23  
Pastor, Geneva Kaltenbach  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Services,  
10:45 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Services at  
7:30.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday,  
7:30 p.m.  
Young People, Friday, 7:30  
p.m.

**HAMBURG  
ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL  
CHURCH**  
Minister, Deaconess  
Olive Robinson  
Morning Prayer and Sermon  
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.  
Church School, 10:00 a.m.

## PINCKNEY CHURCHES

**ST. MARY'S  
CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Sunday Masses.  
8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 a.m.  
Novena, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.  
Weekday Mass, 8:00 a.m.

**PEOPLE'S CHURCH**  
385 Unadilla Street  
Rev. Thomas Murphy  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Young People's Meeting, 6:00  
p.m.  
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.  
Thursday Prayer Meeting,  
7:30 p.m.  
Sunday Broadcast, WHMI,  
1:30 p.m.

**CALVARY  
Mennonite Church**  
Daniel Shabagh, Pastor  
(AC 7-4656)  
10:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
11:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
2:00 p.m. (Third Sunday) Ves-  
per Service.

**COMMUNITY  
CONGREGATIONAL  
CHURCH**  
Corner of Mill & Unadilla Sts.  
Rev. Gerald E. Bender  
878-3787  
Morning Worship, 9:00 and  
10:45 a.m.  
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
Pilgrim Fellowship, Sundays,  
4:00 p.m.  
Choir practice, Thursdays.  
Senior Choir, 7:30 p.m.  
Youth Choir, 6:30 p.m.

**PORTAGE LAKE  
GALILEAN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
9700 McGregor Road  
Rev. Roland C. Crosby, Pastor  
EVERY SUNDAY—  
9:45 a.m., Bible School. Clas-  
ses for all ages.  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
Babysland is open during both  
these morning services.  
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship  
EVERY MONDAY—  
6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship.  
EVERY TUESDAY—  
9:45 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Fel-  
lowship.  
EVERY WEDNESDAY—  
4:00 p.m. JOY Club for  
grades 1-6  
7:30 p.m. Prayer, Praise, Bi-  
ble Study.

**HIAWATHA BEACH  
CHURCH**  
Buck Lake  
Rev. Charles Michael, Pastor  
UP 8-3753  
Pinckney, Michigan  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Training Hour, 6:30  
p.m.  
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p.m.,  
Wednesday.  
Stockade Boys, 4:30 p.m.,  
Monday.  
Battalion Meeting, 6:30 p.m.,  
Monday.  
Cohort Meeting, 4:15 p.m.,  
Wednesday.

**ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL  
LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
2945 E. Northfield Church Rd.  
Northfield Township  
Raymond Frey, Pastor  
Phone 833-1669  
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Services, 10:30 a.m.  
Confirmation Classes: Adults  
Thursday, 8:00 p.m.; Children,  
Saturday, 10:00 a.m.

**CALVARY BAPTIST**  
279 Dartmoor Dr.  
Church Phone: HI 9-2342  
Pastor, W. F. Nicholas  
Phone 963-0988  
Organist, Mrs. Beryl Tucker  
Pianist, Mrs. H. N. Manning  
S. S. Supt., Ronn Sutterfield  
Sunday School, Classes for  
all ages, 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Jet Cadets, 5:30 p.m.  
Evening evangelical hour,  
7:00 p.m.  
Q. A. E., 8:15 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday,  
7:30 p.m.  
Senior Choir practice, Thurs-  
day, 7:00 p.m.

**GREEN OAK  
FREE METHODIST CHURCH**  
10111 US-23  
HI 9-3357  
Rev. A. C. Poulos, Jr., Pastor  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
6:45 p.m., Free Methodist  
Youth.  
7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Ser-  
vice.  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Mid-  
Week Service.

## HOWELL

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**  
Salvation Army Hall  
221 N. Michigan  
I. J. Rasmussen, Pastor  
Sabbath School at 2:00 p.m.  
on Saturday.  
Church Service at 3:00 p.m.  
on Saturday.

## HOWELL

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC  
CHURCH**  
440 E. Washington  
Father Joseph Weiber, Pastor  
Rev. Leroy E. White  
Assistant Pastor  
Sunday Masses at 8, 8, 10 and  
12 o'clock.  
Holy Day Masses at 5:30, 7  
and 9 a.m. - 12:15 and 8 p.m.  
Week Day Masses at 6:30 and  
8:00 a.m.  
Confessions Saturday from  
3:30 to 5:00 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
503 Lake Street  
Rev. Darrel McKeel, Pastor  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

**ST. JOHN'S  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Sibley at Walnut  
Rev. John K. Hooper, Rector  
The Holy Communion every  
Sunday at 8:00 a.m.  
The Holy Communion at 10:00  
a.m. on the first and third Sun-  
days of each month.  
Morning prayer and sermon  
at 10:00 a.m. on second, fourth,  
and fifth Sundays of each  
month.  
Church School classes on Sun-  
day at 10:00 a.m.

**EVANGELICAL  
UNITED BRETHREN**  
East Crane and McCarthy Sts.  
Rev. Richard L. Myers, Pastor  
Sunday Church School 9 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 10:00 a.m.  
Mid-week Service, Wednesday  
at 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH**  
323 West Grand River  
Rev. Wm. R. Jones, Minister  
Church School at 9:15 and  
11:00 a.m.  
Worship Service at 11:00 a.m.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
3940 Pinckney Road  
Rev. Alan Hancock, Pastor  
Sunday Morning Worship at  
10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service, 6:30  
p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Service,  
7:00 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
210 Church Street  
Rev. Merle R. Meeden, Pastor  
Church School at 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service at 11:00 a.m.  
Baptist Evening Fellowship at  
6:30 p.m.  
Gospel Service at 7:30 p.m.

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
312 Prospect  
Rev. P. Fred Houston, Minister  
Family Service at 9:30 a.m.  
with Sunday School for pre-  
school, kindergarten, 1st, 2nd,  
and 3rd grades.  
Late Service at 11:00 a.m.  
Church School 9-11 a.m. Sat-  
urday for 4th through 8th  
grades.

**CHURCH OF THE  
NAZARENE**  
422 McCarthy Street  
Rev. R. N. Raycroft, Pastor  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service at 11:10 a.m.  
Evangelistic Services at 7:30  
p.m.  
Mid-week prayer service at  
7:45 p.m. on Wednesday.

**EMMANUEL BAPTIST  
CHURCH OF HOWELL**  
4961 W. Grand River  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship at  
11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service at  
7:30 p.m.  
Young People meet on Sunday  
at 6:00 p.m.  
Bible Study on Wednesday at  
7:30 p.m.

**UNITED BRETHREN  
CHURCH**  
7400 Slow Road  
Rev. W. O. Beason, Pastor  
Morning Worship 10 A.M.  
Sunday School 11 A.M.  
Christian Endeavor at 7:30  
p.m.  
Evening Service at 8:15 p.m.  
Prayer Service on Wednesday  
at 8:00 p.m.

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST  
SCIENTIST**  
646 W. Grand River  
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.  
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Evening Service,  
8 p.m.  
A reading room is maintained  
at 122 N. State Street where au-  
thorized Christian Science litera-  
ture may be borrowed, read or  
purchased. It is open to the pub-  
lic Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
and Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to  
2:00 p.m. and from 6:30 to 9:00  
Friday evenings.

**WALNUT STREET  
METHODIST CHURCH**  
265 South Walnut St.  
Rev. Allan Gray, Minister  
Worship Service at 10:00 a.m.  
Church School at 10:00 a.m.  
and 11:15 a.m.

**HOWELL  
SALVATION ARMY**  
221 N. Michigan  
Howell 548-4750  
Cadet Howard Gnetschon  
Officer in charge  
Sunday schedule:  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
6:00 p.m. Youth Meeting.  
7:30 p.m. Salvation Meeting.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
1290 Byron Road  
Harold Romine, Minister  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning School, 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship, 6:30 p.m.  
**OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN**  
3375 Fenton Road  
Rev. F. J. Pies, Pastor  
Sunday School at 11:15 a.m.  
Worship Service at 12:30 p.m.

**ANN ARBOR  
REORGANIZED CHURCH  
OF JESUS CHRIST OF  
LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
520 W. Jefferson  
Ann Arbor - 965-5166  
Albert L. Barr, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship, 11  
a.m.  
Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday evening Fellow-  
ship, 7:00 p.m.

**GREGORY  
GREGORY BAPTIST  
CHURCH**  
Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.  
Church School at 11:15 a.m.  
Evening Worship at 7:30 p.m.  
Baptist Youth Fellowship at  
6:30 p.m.  
Thursday: Bible Study and  
Prayer Service at 7:30 p.m.  
Choir Practice at 8:30 p.m.



**"Twas the Night before  
Christmas..."**

THE CHURCH FOR ALL  
ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor  
on earth for the building of char-  
acter and good citizenship. It is a store-  
house of spiritual values. Without a  
strong Church, neither democracy  
nor civilization can survive. There  
are four sound reasons why every  
person should attend services regu-  
larly and support the Church. They  
are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For  
his children's sake. (3) For the sake  
of his community and nation. (4)  
For the sake of the Church itself,  
which needs his moral and material  
support. Plan to go to church regu-  
larly and read your Bible daily.

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Sunday Luke 2:8-20	Monday Romans 6:20-23	Tuesday Romans 8:1-8	Wednesday 1 Corinthians 2:6-16	Thursday 1 Corinthians 13:8-13	Friday 1 Corinthians 14:20-25	Saturday Hebrews 1:1-4
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**BRIGHTON DIVISION  
Advance Stamping Company**  
Brighton, Michigan

**Markcum's Service**  
General Repair Service  
522 E. Grand River AC 9-6036

**G. D. Van Camp Sales & Service**  
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301 W. Grand River 229-9914

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Firestone Tires - 7991 W. Grand River - 229-7005

**Cole's Standard Service**  
676 W. Grand River Brighton, Michigan

**Bogan Insurance Agency**  
142 W. Main St. - Brighton - Phone AC 9-2551

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201 W. Main St. - Brighton, Mich. - Ph. AC 9-9772

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ELECTRONIC DINOMETER TUNE-UPS  
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**Clore's Florist**  
AC 7-6631  
BRIGHTON MICH.

**R. & R. Rubber, Inc.**  
375 North Mill Street  
Manufacturers of Close Tolerance Lathe Cut Gaskets

**Wilson Ford Sales, Inc.**  
225 E. Grand River - Brighton, Mich. - 229-9444

**Fisher Abrasive Products Corp.**  
8641 Grand River West - Brighton, Mich.

**Bitten Shell Service**  
139 S. Grand River - Brighton, Mich. - 229-9946

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**Craig Printing, Inc.**  
229-9444 - Quality Printing  
9931 E. Grand River - Brighton, Mich.

**Super Alloy Forge, Inc.**  
Hamburg AC 9-7860 Michigan

**Quick Clean Center**  
6161 East M-36 - AC 9-9957 - Hamburg, Mich.

**Sean Lavan**  
H A B E R D A S H E R Y  
120 W. Main 229-9818 Brighton

# MSU Graduates 9 From County

EAST LANSING — Michigan State University awarded degrees to 1,173 students, including nine from Livingston County, at its fall quarter commencement exercises Saturday, Dec. 11, at 3 p.m., in the MSU Auditorium.

Graduates included 84 doctoral candidates, 276 master's candidates and 802 bachelor's candidates. An additional 11 students received the new educational specialist degree.

U.S. Congressman John C. Mackie of Michigan's seventh district delivered the commencement address. Mackie and another distinguished MSU graduate, Dr. Sundaram Krishnamurthy of Madras, India, received honorary degrees at the ceremony.

Fall term at MSU closes Saturday, Dec. 18.

The Livingston County graduates were:

Richard A. Florence of Fowlerville, MS in electrical engr.; Thomas V. Havard of 215 Church St., Fowlerville, BS in Fish and Wildlife, and Larry L. Langdon of 130 Addison, Fowlerville, BS in Fish and Wildlife.

Gerald W. Beach of 6057 Kinyon Dr., Brighton, BS in Police Adm., and Raymond Malby of 7390 Rickett Rd., Brighton, BS in Electrical Engr.

Paul E. Andrews of 218 Hesse, Howell, MA in Educational Adm., and K. V. Hirschman of 304 Washington, Howell, BA in Elementary Educ.

Richard G. Pearce of 10960 Stinchfield, Pinckney, BA in Accounting.

Joan L. Bauer of 9568 Main St., Whitmore Lake, BA in Elementary Educ. (honors).

# St. Patricks Church News

In Preparation for Christmas confessions will be heard Wednesday and Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9:00 and Thursday and Friday afternoons from 4 to 5:30. Confessions in St. John's Church will be heard Thursday evening from 7:30 to 8:30. There will be no confessions Friday night (Christmas Eve) in either church.

There will be Midnight Masses in both churches Christmas Eve with the singing of carols starting at 11:50. There will be no morning Masses in St. John's on Christmas Day. The morning Masses in St. Patrick's will follow the regular Sunday schedule — 8:30, 9:00, 10:00 and 12:00. There will be no confessions on Christmas morning.

Christmas vacation for the school children will start on Wednesday afternoon of this week and school will reopen Monday, January 3.

The Adrian Dominican Aux-

iliary is planning a special movie in Detroit's Music Hall for January 11. The members of the Auxiliary, with full permission of the Dominican Sisters, are appealing to all persons who have been so happily affected by these good Sisters to help them out in this worthy project which is to build a new Novitiate in Adrian. You may purchase tickets or become patrons by calling the rectory or Mr. Leo Kujawa (227-4891).

The ladies of the Rosary Altar Society invite all the ladies of St. John's Parish to assist them in the Christmas cleaning of the church Thursday morning, Dec. 23. The happy chore will start at 9:30.

After attending the 12:15 Mass on Tuesday, the Sacred Heart (Daytime) Guild met in the Shamrock Room for lunch. The first of the handmade baptismal robes were presented to Father McCann. The next meeting will be January 18, Tuesday. Following Mass, they will go to the Canopy for lunch. The Guild is invited to Mrs. Dolores Pany's home on Dec. 28, at 1 for refreshments. All members who are interested in the daytime Guild are welcome to come.

... they presented unto Him gifts, gold and frankincense and myrrh. — Matthew 2:11

To give highest honor to the newborn King of Kings, three pointates from the Orient bowed before Him and presented their most treasured gifts—gold, frankincense for worship and myrrh for atonement.

Since then, our Christmas observance has embraced the spirit of charity and giving.

May the holy gifts of Christmas bring you happiness and great joy.

Loretta Nimmo  
Bev Sinke

# ACORN—ER OF GREEN OAK

BY MONNA MITCHELL  
AC 9-0008

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cumiford, of Marlowe Dr., on the birth of a son born on Dec. 6th at McPherson Hospital in Howell. He weighed 7 pounds 3 ounces and was named Sean Patrick. He was welcomed by a brother Mark Dean and three sisters Shirley, Debbie and Kimberly. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Cumiford of Saginaw.

Belated birthday wishes to Mark Dean Cumiford who celebrated his first birthday on December 17th.

The monthly Bunco club met last Thursday night for their Christmas party. Ladies present were Mrs. Ronald Kelly, Mrs. Percy Shekell, Mrs. Wayne ReHate, Mrs. Merlin Glazier, Mrs. John Klotkowski, Mrs. Lennox Benser, Mrs. Kenneth Richmond, Mrs. Fred Brockmiller, Mrs. Edwin Danforth, Mrs. Richard Henry and Mrs. Ronald Shekell. They all exchanged gifts and played Bunco for prizes. The first prize winner was Mrs. Merlin Glazier and the second prize went to Mrs. Edwin Danforth. Mrs. Lawrence Shekell, also a member of the club, was unable to attend because of illness.

Last Thursday night, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson along with a group of couples went to the Boy's Vocational School in Whitmore Lake and distributed gifts and wrapping paper to the boys. They helped the boys wrap the gifts to be sent to loved one in their family. The gifts were purchased with money donated by residents in Livingston County.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson went to Lansing last Friday night to attend a Christmas party given for the Investors Diversified Company held at Dines Restaurant.

Timmy Anderson returned home last Saturday for a two week leave. He is stationed with the Navy in Memphis, Tennessee.

Mrs. Stanley Ruffin and Mrs. Ronald Crowder, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Fullerton gave them an Anniversary party on December 11th at the Conservation Club building. December 27th will be their 43rd wedding anniversary. There were guests from Oscoda, Greenbush, Detroit, Walled Lake, Mt. Clemens, Utica, Brighton and Southfield. They wish to thank everyone who helped to make it a very nice party.

# Green Oak Twp. BOARD MINUTES

A regular meeting of the Green Oak Township Board was called to order at 8:06 p.m. on Dec. 14, 1965 by Sup. Munzel. Other members present were Clerk Wenzel, Treas. Kravetz, Tr. Sixbey, and Tr. Lanning.

1. The pledge to the flag was said.

2. The invocation was given by Chaplain Simmie Holland of the W. J. Maxey Boys Training School.

3. The minutes of the Nov. 9 meeting were read. The minutes were approved as read with Sup. Munzel making the following correction under 9 a should have read the course presented by Civil Defense.

The minutes of the Nov. 23 meeting were read and approved.

4. A Sen. Gerald Dunn presented a State of Michigan Flag to Green Oak Twp. and also spoke a few words about the State of Michigan.

B. Louis Driver presented a picture of Governor Romney to Green Oak Twp.

C. Louis Driver took an oath of office for the appointment as a member of the Board of Review.

5. Rev. Holland and four boys from the Maxey Training School gave an interesting report about the school.

6. Treas. Kravetz read the treas. report with the following balances: Saxony Water Fund \$15,349.40, Contingent Fund \$13,730.32, Tax Collection — None, Revolving Fund \$17,917.47.

7. The correspondence was read.

8. The Auditors report was discussed.

9. The Saxony-Whitmore Water System was discussed. Tr. Sixbey made a motion that we contact McNamee, Porter & Seelye, consultant engineers, to the preliminary studies necessary to complete the Farmers Home Administration forms for Federal Assistance. Motion carried.

10. A Clerk Wenzel read a letter from Mr. Brennan concerning a tri-township Planning Commission. A joint meeting of the three township boards will be set up for further discussion.

B. Mr. Brennan has the deeds ready to be signed for the Green Oak Township Hall property. Tr. Sixbey made a motion that upon receipt of signed deeds the township pay \$1000.00 for the two parcels of land where the township hall is located. Motion carried.

C. The township does not have the right to accept bond in place of installation of monuments in subdivision platting.

D. The junk car problem was discussed. Getting rid of these cars takes time. There are some cases coming up in court in January.

E. Treas. Kravetz made a motion that the clerk appoint deputies to issue fire permits in the township. Motion carried.

11. Clerk Wenzel made a motion that the following bills be paid. Motion carried. Clarence Webster, \$28.00; James Mascaro, \$52.00, cemetery work; South Lyon Herald, \$49.50; Whitmore Lake News, \$15.00; Brighton Argus, \$138.64, for publications. Mayer - Schairer, \$66.85, for supplies; Walt LaMoria, \$30.00, antenna work; City of Brighton, \$300.00, fires; Detroit Edison, \$185.32, pumping electricity; Marj. Berz, \$19.00, Frank Heath, \$30.00, Arthur Standlick, \$40.00, George Thurber, \$40.00; Richard Wollenhaupt, \$30.00, Forrest King, \$40.00, Zoning Board, Schmalz, Lyle & Reinhardt, \$300.00, audit. Mona Wenzel, \$9.37, telephone & supplies. Michigan Bell, \$2.50 & \$12.15, channel service and telephone. Ray Lanning, \$30.00, 2 meetings each. Joseph Brennan, \$75.00, retainer fee. John Filice, \$90.00, salary. Anna Rasmussen, \$125.00, dump rental. Constables \$306.40, salary, mileage, ordinance enforcement, etc. Music Center, \$27.00, recording tapes. Pauline Kravetz, \$150.00, postage. McPherson Oil, \$38.71, oil. Mich. Dept. of State, \$8.00, Michigan Seal. Reg. of Deeds, \$6.00, plats. Livingston County Road Commission, \$23,362.70, road work. Frank Heath, \$21.45, Ray Lanning, \$20.00, F. E. Gold-ey, \$20.00, Penny Bullard, \$11.10, Zoning Board of Appeals.

12. A. The Zoning Board will hold a Public Hearing on the Proposed changes to the Zoning Ordinance on Monday, January 24, 1966, at 7 p.m. in the Township Hall.

B. Louis Driver reported on the Huron River Watershed Council meetings. Tr. Lanning made a motion that the township pay Louis Driver's expenses to the Huron Watershed Council meetings. Motion carried.

C. 1. The County Welfare Facility Construction was discussed.

2. Sup. Munzel reported on the Transportation and Land Use Analysis Study.

3. The Mental Health Program was discussed.

13. A Michigan Seasideless Tube has a flag pole for the Township Hall. Sup. Munzel will see that this is painted and put up.

B. Sup. Munzel will have the missing street lights in Saxony Sub. put in.

C. Deputy Clerks were discussed.

D. Tr. Sixbey made a motion that Clerk Wenzel be a delegate from Green Oak Township Association Convention in Lansing on Jan. 12, 13 & 14. Motion carried.

E. Bridge on Rickett Road was discussed. This isn't safe for school buses.

14. Meeting adjourned at 11:06 p.m.

The tree is trimmed, ornaments are glimmering, Santa's arrived and everybody's happy! To all you wonderful people, we send wishes for all the best of Christmas. We are happy to know and to serve you.

**to Everyone**



the Spirit of Christmas

May the world rejoice again in the spirit of the season.

**L. E. Chapman Sand & Gravel**  
904 McPherson Howell

A Bright and Merry Christmas

We wish for you a Christmas glowing with joy and fond friendships.

**D & C STORE**  
BRIGHTON  
Your Friendly 5c & 10c

# Canes Aid Lions, Make Tots Happy

BRIGHTON — When Don Hendrickson of the House of Dougherty suggested to the purchaser of a Lions Club candy cane that the buyer was too fat to eat candy and should donate the candy cane to the Lapeer home for children, the purchaser, Skippy Scott, then bought ten candy canes for the Lapeer children.

Since then the House of Dougherty has sold more than 200 candy canes, the sale of which helps the Lions Club campaign to aid the blind and the donation of which will bring Christmas happiness to the retarded children at Lapeer.

Another ardent worker in the sale of candy canes is Glenn Garwood, who is blind and daily is stationed with his seeing eye dog at the entrance to the Brighton State Bank. Garwood has sold many hundreds of the candy canes and the probability is that enough of them will be donated to the Lapeer institution to assure that every child has a Christmas gift.

# Poinsettia Gifts Mark Open House

BRIGHTON — When the Meier Flowerland at 8087 W. Grand River, Brighton, awarded poinsettia plants to the winners who guessed the number of blooms in Flowerland, the Meiers put gorgeous Christmas blooms in ten happy homes. The occasion was the Flowerland's colorful opening.

The winners of poinsettias were:

A. Tennant of Pinckney, E. Banda of Detroit, J. Pecti of Ann Arbor, D. Rhode of Howell, E. Taylor of Brighton, V. Hawk of Howell, A. Schmadtke of Brighton, C. Crippen of Brighton, M. Sergeant of Brighton and J. Zaleski of Brighton.



# Merry Christmas

The joyous Christmas Season is here, filling our hearts with its spirit of happiness and good cheer. May you enjoy an abundance of pleasures among family and friends. And please add our sincere greeting for a very, Merry Christmas.

**BRIGHTON TOOL & DIE**  
LEO J. KUJAWA - MANAGER

May all that's good be found in your home on this joyous holiday... cheering gifts under your tree, a warming happiness in your heart.

**Jimmy's Plumbing**  
428 W. Main - Brighton

**Christmas Greetings**

Spreading throughout the land, warm wishes for a bright and happy Christmas season filled with laughter, song, fond memories and loved ones close by. May you, our loyal appreciated customers, be blessed with such a holiday.

**SHOW CASE DRESS SHOP**

# Serves On Carrier

USS ENTERPRISE (CVAN-65) (FHTNC) — Airman Apprentice Jim D. Brown, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brown of 211 N. Fifth St., Brighton, Mich., will always remember Dec. 2, 1965 — the day nuclear-powered warships were first used in armed combat against an enemy. He is serving aboard the nuclear-powered attack aircraft carrier USS Enterprise.

As the carrier Enterprise went into combat, launching air strikes against the Communist Viet Cong in South Viet Nam, the nuclear-powered guided missile frigate Bainbridge was again at the "Big E's" side, providing anti-air and anti-submarine defense for the world's largest aircraft carrier.

These two ships recently completed a 30-day, 16,000-mile transit from Norfolk, Va., to the Western Pacific to become the first nuclear-powered vessels to operate with the Seventh Fleet.

**BIRTHS**

A son was born Dec. 11 to Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Loy of Whitmore Lake.

A son was born Dec. 12 to Mr. and Mrs. George L. Fisher of Hamburg.

A daughter was born Dec. 11 to Mr. and Mrs. Duane H. Valentine of Whitmore Lake.

The value of shipments of Michigan fruits, vegetables and potatoes from Michigan in 1964 was well over \$200 million. It is predicted that shipments in 1965 should be around \$500 million.

**Greetings**

The best wishes of this Yuletide season to you and all those you hold near and dear.

**LAKE-VIEW ROLLER RINK**



### Pinckney Fires Must Take Holiday

PINCKNEY — Robert Amburgey, chief of the Pinckney Volunteer Firemen, approached Patman township board members with a problem Wednesday night at their regular meeting.

Every business place that contains a fire alarm phone now is closed on Sundays. "During the time we're in church on Sunday, there is no one at a fire phone," Amburgey told the board, and asked for a solution. Supervisor Stanley Dunkel suggested that for the moment they try to get a fireman who is available during those hours to sit at the fire hall while those firemen with a fire phone in their homes are at church. Some arrangement will be made to put in a new fire phone or transfer one from a business place as soon as either Amburgey or the board can come up with the name of a person willing to take this responsibility.

### Webberville Cow Wins Acclaim

BRATTLEBORO, VT. — "Super breed cow" status has been awarded to two registered Holstein cows from Michigan herds. The official recognition, termed Gold Medal Dam, went to animals owned by Jerry Jorgensen, of Webberville and Gerit J. Butch and Sons of Coopersville, Michigan. The recognition is made for outstanding performance, pleasing body type and the ability to transmit these qualities to offspring.

The older cow, Patricia Northern Gate Posch 3599332 (VG), was bred and developed in the Jorgensen herd. Born in 1952, she has completed five official lactation records averaging 18,371 lbs. of milk and 612 lbs. of butterfat. "Patricia" has three daughters meeting both type and production qualifications and a fourth daughter that qualifies on the basis of type conformation.

Qualifying daughters of the Jorgensen cow include: Ri-Val-Re Moosheart Patty (VG), with four records averaging 19,961 lbs. of milk and 789 lbs. of butterfat; Ri-Val-Re Mutual Trixie (VG), with four records averaging 21,365 lbs. of milk and 848 lbs. of butterfat; and Ri-Val-Re Prince Penny (VG), with two lactations that average 15,854 lbs. of milk and 654 lbs. of butterfat.

Just over 800 registered Holstein cows throughout the nation have earned Gold Medal Dam recognition.

### State To Set Up Medicare Plans

LANSING — Michigan still is months away from taking advantage of new federal medicare aid, according to the state official who has been given the job of supervising the program.

R. Bernard Houston, director of the Department of Social Services, said he is hopeful that federal machinery can be speeded up to allow Michigan to implement the program faster.

The department Houston heads was designated by Gov. Romney as the single state agency responsible for preparing the state plan to implement medicare and to administer the plan.

Houston said he first must submit to the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) a tentative plan of how extensive Michigan's program will be. Options, which permit greater benefits, are set up in the federal law.

The tentative plan is expected to be ready by next week, Houston said, but HEW officials say they will need two or three months to examine the proposal and recommend changes.

Houston pointed out that some phases of the medicare implementation will require legislative action. A three-month examination by federal officials means that the plan will be returned near the expected end of the 1966 legislative session, too late for action.

The tentative plan must include the anticipated extent of coverage, scope of the Michigan program, and the way it is to be organized.

Houston hopes to speed up HEW officials, so that the preliminary plan can be returned in time for legislative action.

### Caucuses Taboo Under New Law

HOWELL — The old days of caucuses and sticker candidates have become outdated by the new Michigan constitution. This especially affects all villages and townships in Livingston county.

So few persons took an interest in caucuses, that the handful of people attending them held in their hands the fate of their entire party. Now the state requires that all candidates are to be chosen by primary election rather than by caucus.

Nomination petitions must be filed on or before Jan. 3. Then if there is a contest within a political party, a primary election will be held Feb. 21. The general elections are held March 14.

Political parties must be registered with the village clerk to be recognized as valid organizations entitled to place candidates on the ballot.

Before the new constitution, a candidate who had not filed in advance, could run on stickers at the last minute. This is no longer possible.

A Comice pear frequently may be found with a touch of red contrasting the green skin.

WINNER, AAA TRAFFIC SAFETY POSTER CONTEST



### Our Fighting Man In Viet Nam



Top: Village on Highway One that leads into jungle. Middle: Street scene in Saigon. Bottom: Vietnamese children.

CAMP RANGER, Binh Hoa Viet Nam — Dear People. The days are getting close to Christmas and the New Year. As we sit and think of home, or do our daily duties we can't think of any thing but our family and friends at home. At night on guard you set and watch for the V.C. But always in the back of our mind, we miss home all of us. The warm smiles of your folks. The good food on the table. The surprise in the package. Then the idea of its better to give than to receive. But how much giving can we give. There is so many things we give up to come here and help. We are doing our part. But our heart is at home this coming holiday. So as the holiday's get close, I think all of us in his heart will go and cry a tear or so and say. "It sure would have been nice to be home this year." Oh Well.

Yours truly, James G. Stuhberg

### State Battles To Save Fish

LIVINGSTON county's myriad of lakes so far has escaped the curse of the lamprey eel, despite the fact lampreys now are in many of the state's inland lakes. But there is little hope that all the county's lakes will escape the depredations of the alewife that now has become a greater threat to fishing in the Great Lakes than even the lamprey scourge.

According to Bruce Jones, Livingston county conservation officer, the alewife is a small, fat, soft fish of the herring family, but unfit for human food. Before the invasion of the lamprey eel in the Great Lakes, the lake trout fed on the alewife which abounded. The alewife was also found in the majority of the inland lakes, but they supplied food for game fish.

But the coming of the lamprey changed all this. In the days when the trout kept down the numbers of the alewife, they were not a peril but a blessing to our commercial fishermen. Then the lampreys came and destroyed the lake trout, thus allowing the alewife population to become so overwhelming that they are destroying all the eggs and the minnows of food and game fish, thus fast making our Great Lakes dead lakes.

In an effort to combat both the lampreys and the alewife perils, the state is depending on the coho (silver salmon) to keep our lakes as ideal fishing spots. Should this wonderful fish be successfully introduced into the Great Lakes its fingerlings will be available for every one of the inland lakes, thus eliminating the disappointment of fishermen in many of Livingston county's lakes who take home only a small string of under-sized bluegills.

Backed by on-scene observations of West Coast experiences, Department fish experts are enthusiastic over chances of adding the scrappy coho to Michigan's Great Lakes fishery. Much of what is happening so successfully for the coho from California to Alaska appears valid for Michigan.

The big question: "Can the coho live and reproduce in fresh water?" The fish experts' answer: "It looks like it." Some of their reasons: The coho originally was a fresh water fish and later evolved into an ocean goer. At least one Alaskan lake contains a strain of cohos which live and reproduce entirely in fresh water. Both California and Montana have reared generations of coho that have never swam in salt water. Meanwhile, back in Department hatchery ponds, about three-quarters of a million frisky young cohos wait for release next spring in lakes Michigan and Superior. They have grown from eggs received months ago from western states. Many more are yet to come.

The over-populated, under-developed bluegill, bane to good fishing in many lakes, is in for some high-powered study if plans materialize for a warm-water fish research station in Washenaw county. Department scientists will try to answer: "Can radiation be used effectively to sterilize stunted bluegills?" If "yes," overpopulations of the little good-for-nothing may at long last be controlled.

Other studies will have to do with production of fish food organisms; survival of bass eggs and fingerlings; speed-up in bluegill growth — all aimed at improved warm-water fishing.

Have you, or has someone you know, just moved to a new home? Your Welcome Wagon Station will call with gifts and friendly messages from the community. WELCOME WAGON 227-6435

Merry Christmas. Early and late this Christmaside, and for every day, we wish all of you and yours every happiness the holidays can bring. Pinckney Typsetting Co.

Merry Christmas to All. LELAND'S REXALL DRUG STORE

GREETINGS To all the messages of good cheer that ring out during this holiday season, we'd like to add our own, wishing you a very merry Christmas. May you find an abundance of the real joys of Christmas filling your heart and home, bringing you peace and contentment. GLENN OAKS BAR

CHRISTMAS Greetings. As voices ring out with holiday cheer, we'd like to join them in wishing you a Merry Christmas! BEURMAN'S FURNITURE HOWELL

HERE IS THE IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR Golfers. A Christmas Gift long to be remembered. Here is the happy, happy answer for the men in your family. Unlimited golf play for all of 1966 at beautiful RUSH LAKE HILLS Golf Club. 3199 RUSH LAKE ROAD. Juniors \$65, Adult \$150, Man & Wife \$200, Family of 4 \$300. Watered Fairways, Picnic Beach, Good Club House. KEEP THE BOYS BUSY AND OUT OF MISCHIEF. Write: 1214 Griswold St., Detroit - 48226 or call collect, WO 1-6106

### Hospital Group To Meet Jan. 20

MILFORD — The annual meeting of the Huron Valley Community Hospital Association will be held Jan. 20, at the Milford High School's Little Theater, 2380 N. Milford Road in Milford. This meeting is open to the public.

The Huron Valley Community Hospital Association was founded as a non-profit corporation, June 9, 1960, by a representative group from Highland, White Lake, Rose, Commerce, Novi, Green Oak Twp., Brighton, Hartland, Milford, Wixom and Union Lake areas, with the purpose of having a community hospital in this area to supply the needed medical care.

The building program since the founding of the corporation has steadily moved ahead with the association buying a building site in Milford, in December of 1963. However, since this site was purchased, the hospital board has voted to move the site closer to the Union Lake area.

Since this association has been formed, contributions and pledges have amounted to approximately \$80,000. This is a very small percent of the \$3.5 million needed.

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Yuletide Greetings. In the joyous remembrance of the Nativity, we wish you everything good. May our warm feelings and greetings to you be shared by all, that peace will prevail over the earth. Johnson Discount Drug Howell

SNEDICOR'S CLEANERS IN PINCKNEY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY 220 So. Michigan Ave. Howell Phone 546-1600

# Famous People Call Yule Their Birthday

A young farmer's wife in England gave birth to a son in 1642. In 1821, a baby girl was born in the Massachusetts village of Oxford. In 1865, the wife of a militant Christian crusader gave birth to her fourth daughter. And in 1883, in Paris, an artist's model bore a baby boy.

What did these four births have in common? In each case, the child was born on Christmas Day, and grew up to become a famous person. According to the Book of Knowledge, these well-known "Christmas babies" were Clara Barton, Evangeline Booth, Maurice Utrillo and Sir Isaac Newton.

### Founder of Red Cross

Clara Barton, Civil War nurse, was born on Christmas Day in 1821. It was her warm thoughts of Christmas that led her, when she set off to visit her brother, a prisoner during the Civil War, to offer to take presents not only to him but to the prisoner relatives of all her Oxford, Mass., neighbors.

Subsequently, Clara Barton was instrumental in founding the American Red Cross and served as its president for many years.

### In Salvation Army

Born on Christmas Day in 1863, Evangeline Booth was the fourth daughter of the Salvation Army founder, William Booth. By the age of 23, she was head of the Salvation Army in London, and in 1904 she took over operations for

the entire United States. During World War I, the Salvation Army lassies under her jurisdiction spent Christmas — as well as many other days — ministering to the needs of American doughboys in France. The word "doughboy" stems from the celebrated Salvation Army doughnut, a World War I staple.

### Known For Paintings

One Christmas-born child had little cheer in his life, on holidays or otherwise. This was the French painter, Maurice Utrillo, born on December 25, 1883.

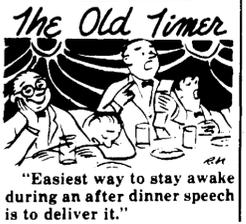
Son of an unknown father and a mother who was a model for many of the Montmartre brush wielders of her time, young Maurice was shy and withdrawn, not only in childhood but throughout his life.

Ironically, reproductions of many of his paintings, particularly those of the sparkling white dome of the Montmartre Church of Sacre Coeur, are used by the thousands every year on Christmas cards.

### He Invented Toys

Sir Isaac Newton, English physicist, mathematician, philosopher greeted his first Christmas, and his first day, in Lincolnshire, England, in 1642. Frail and sickly as a youth, he devoted many boyhood December to inventing and making Christmas toys.

The bridal business is booming in the United States. Purchases from first marriages have brought four billion dollars worth of sales to the retail industry. And the market is growing. In 1964, weddings totaled 1,720,000. In 1965, 70 million more are anticipated. By 1970, the market will have exploded to an estimated 2,110,000 marriages. The average first bride spends about four thousand dollars on everything from apparel, home furnishings and accessories to insurance and travel.



"Easiest way to stay awake during an after dinner speech is to deliver it."



## Elk More Gun Shy

LANSING — With the closing of the second season on elk checks by the Conservation department show that an average of two out of three of the 300 hunters granted licenses to hunt elk, got their kill.

Last year before the elk became afraid of mankind, every permit holder got his elk. However the deer hunters fared far worse. Out of more than 500,000 hunters who obtained permits to shoot deer only a few more than 100,000 deer were killed, many being in Livingston county.

The elk herd, estimated at 3,500 animals, is located in the Sturgeon and Pigeon River areas in the northern part of the Lower Peninsula. A steadily increasing birth rate allowed the State to hold a limited elk hunting season.

Elk have been in Michigan since 1916 when, in an attempt to provide more large game in the State, an elk herd was brought from Wyoming to the Upper Peninsula. The first herd died out and the present herd is descended from animals rounded up from zoos all across Michigan and released in Cheboygan County.

"Although most animals in the wild state carry some parasites," says Wayne State biology Professor Dominic DeGiusti, who is directing the study. "We found Michigan elk to be relatively free of them."

The investigation included detailed study of the stomachs and intestinal tracts of a representative sample of the elk which last autumn's hunters brought home.

A chief objective of the scientists was to search for signs of the so-called "brain worm" disease *Pneumostomax tenuis*, believed to be the cause of serious brain damage in certain large game animals.

It's Christmas!  
We wish you all at this time of year  
A plentiful measure of Yuletide cheer!  
**BRIGHTON SWEET SHOP**  
The DeLucas

Greetings  
May the happiness of the holidays be with you always.  
**HELLER'S FLOWERS**  
HOWELL

## Sun's Nearness Heralds Winter

ANN ARBOR — Winter did officially arrive at 8:41 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 21, when the sun reached its southern-most point of the year, called the winter solstice.

The sun arose and set about 30 degrees south of the east and west points, and swung its shortest daily arc across the southern sky, and at noon reached its lowest altitude of the whole year. The day was the shortest, about nine hours long, and the night about 15.

"At this time of year, the earth is actually closer to the sun than during the summer, but the seasons of course depend primarily upon the 23 1/2 degree tilt of the earth's axis," Dr. Hazel M. Losh, U. of M. astronomer, points out. "The fact that we are closer to the sun, however, tends to make the northern hemisphere winter a little milder and the southern summer, coming at the same time, a little hotter."

For Christmas decorations, the eastern horizon is host to some of the most striking and colorful constellations of the year, Dr. Losh says.

Auriga, the large five-sided figure ruled by the bright yellow star, Capella, rises in the northeast soon after sunset. The Pleiades, followed by the rest of the constellation Taurus, rises at about the same time as Capella. The Heavenly Twins, Castor and Pollux, are found to the left of Jupiter, which is halfway between Auriga and Orion. Sirius, the Dog-Star, the brightest star in the heavens, is easily identified by extending a line downward through the Belt Stars of Orion.

"Sirius has been watched, admired and revered from time immemorial," says Dr. Losh, "rising as it does in the early evenings around Christmas. It was the 'Star of the East' pointed to by Three Wise Men of Orion." Fittingly, the Northern Cross (Cygnus) has steadily moved toward the west, and may be seen to splendid advantage on Christmas Eve, standing upright against the western sky.

### GREENS FORBIDDEN

Until about 585 A.D., the use of evergreens for decorations at Christmas was forbidden by church authorities.

Happy Holiday  
Our best wishes for a merry old fashioned Christmas go out to all our customers. May you enjoy all of the happiness that the season brings.  
**GERALD F. REASON**  
Real Estate - Excavating  
102 W. Main Pinckney Developing

Christmas  
May the spirit of good will to all men be your guiding faith forever.  
**UBER'S DRUG STORE POLY-CLEAN**

At this season of joy and happiness, we wish you a Merry Christmas. May your gladness be everlasting!  
**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**  
**COOPER JEWELRY**  
105 W. MAIN BRIGHTON



## Point Of View

By TOM KISER

It's almost Christmas! You look forward to it for so long and it is over so quickly, leaving you with little poignant memories, like the candles and the greens you put out for a party back on the 12th. The tree you decorated with the family on the 20th. And when it's all over, the little heart tugs as you take them all down because another year and another Christmas is gone that can never be recalled.

And then you quietly start to reminisce. Back when the kids were all just tots. You came home from one of those well intentioned but stupid office parties, loaded to the gills, and you still had to put the train together or the doll buggy, and each defied the best efforts of a graduate engineer, let alone a poor, semi-intoxicated father.

Then the night before Christmas. Oyster stew and toasted cheese sandwiches. The ritual visit of your youngest daughter's Godparents with their gift for her, and the love and affection of them for all of you and vice versa. The yearly ritual of the stockings hanging before the hearth and the gentle jibes of the now adult sons and daughter that 20 years have passed and they suppose that in another 20 Mom and Dad will still be cajoling them in querulous voices, "now, kids, hang your stockings in a row and leave a plate of cookies and a glass of milk for Santa on the coffee table."

Then to the piano for movie taking and final Christmas carols, played to the tune of an off-key, hesitant, error-ridden rendition of Silent Night by one of the 20-year-olds, each of whom had piano lessons that somehow never took. But it sounded like Silent Night to us.

Then to the barn for a special Christmas eve treat of extra hay for the livestock. The contrast of the cold winter night outside with the warm, animal heat inside the barn. The soft, contented noises of the cattle and the sibilant swish of their chewing. One could stand with half-closed eyes and behold a similar setting some 2000 years ago.

Finally to bed with the knowledge that in the morning a miracle would happen and there under the beautiful tree would be a wealth of gift-wrapped packages done with loving hands by

loving relatives and friends — each for the other.  
There was a time in the old days, I mean 15 years ago, say, when the three older ones were going to the little country school half a mile away across the fields and you went there Christmas eve along with the other neighborhood parents and their kids to sit in rapt appreciation of a Christmas program that they and the teacher had struggled to put together. And at the close, a ringing of sleigh-bells and in came Santa on a draft of icy air with a jolly Ho, Ho to pass out the many presents from his bulging pack. The flushed, bug-eyed wonder of the little ones that he should know them by name and hand them a gift, and then their feverish haste to unwrap it and hold it with enraptured delight.

But now the country school is closed. Those same kids are mostly grown and some have little ones of their own. But there are pictures and there are memories.

Finally there were the cheery good nights and the "Merry Christmas to all" as parents and children filed out of the school to their respective cars for the ride home.  
On one such glorious Christmas I well recall capturing the full spirit of the real old-fashioned Christmas. It was a snowy, blowy night so we hitched up old Prince, the family doberman, to a cutter we had and drove to the school program with sleigh bells and all. By the time we came out, Prince, on whom we had carefully fastened a warm blanket, was literally covered with snow as was the sleigh and everything around us. We had taken our own blankets inside the school and the family brushed off the snow from the sleigh seats and cuddled together under the blankets for the ride home.

It was one of those nights that great word artists of the past have pictured—cold, heavy, falling snow, but still and sparkling, for the wind had died. Old Prince picked his way carefully as though knowing there was something special going on. We finally pulled up in the farmstead, unhooked the sleigh and led Prince into the warmth of his box stall where we all joined in giving him an extra ration of hay and oats. It was a night to remember.

There is something about the farm at Christmas that gets you. It starts days before Christmas when we go to the woods and cut our own tree. Buzzing and laying up wood for the fireplace, including a special yule log. The knowledge that the cattle in the barn are warm and well fed, that the mow is filled with hay, the granary full of oats and the crib filled with corn. Nuts from our own hickory and walnut trees are in baskets before the hearth and in the root cellar and the pantry are a host of untouched goodies. There is such a feeling of peace and well being you want to share it with the world.  
If only you could.

## Yonder Star Becons

Last week you, and the hundreds of excited children, visited our stores and malls to meet Santa Claus — the wonderful American image of the Christian Spirit of Giving. He arrived in helicopters, fire engines and whatever and brought laughter, a little bit of fear, and a wild surge of happy expectation.

This week, "Journey unto Bethlehem" and see the Holy Family around the manger in a crude stable and sense the peace and wonder and awe that came over the first visitors there. It need not be a long, dangerous pilgrimage — just a short ride to St. Paul's Lutheran Church on M-36 in Hamburg. It, too, is make-believe, but the message is real.

The young people are showing a "Living Nativity" out on the front lawn. They will reenact that first Christmas in pantomime — with real live animals — while the Hallelujahs and ancient Christmas carols ring out into the night air! It will give you the thrill that will carry into your innermost, secret heart — and the wonder of Christmas will be there.  
This will be on both Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Dec. 22 and 23, at 7 and 8 o'clock. "Come and Behold Him!"

## Around Bishop Lake

E. C. Schroeder — 227-3420

A very Merry Christmas to everyone! By this time you should be crawling out from under the decorations, wrappings, cleaning equipment, cards, and ready to take that deep breath before you plunge into the actual holiday festivities — and get buried under decorations, wrappings, etc., all over again! (At least, so far, you haven't had to shovel snow.) Thank goodness all this giving and getting is wrapped up so beautifully in the Christmas Story and accompanied by the music of the age-old carols!

School will be "out" — in Pinckney, anyway — on Tuesday afternoon. The class parties are the big thing. The Christmas concert last Thursday was a beautiful one. Mary Schroeder and Charlotte Cocconower took part in it. It is good that the young people have an outlet for their talents and an opportunity to apply it constructively. There is only one discordant note — the band is given no encouragement. They work hard and long on their music, pay high prices for their instruments, give up many other activities to make the band what it is, and get only a fraction of a credit for each year they put in. They have to play three years in the high school

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band before getting a letter — athletes get one each year with stripes to denote the time they participated. Are muscles the most important thing in our society today? No wonder our young people drop out just as they are beginning to show improvement.

Christmas came to the Brighton Youth Camp the other night. The boys there put on their annual program for their counselors, foremen and their families.

I didn't have the gall to ask any of the ladies in our neighborhood if they had been doing anything newsworthy the past week. So you'll just have to hold your breath until next Sunday when they are "catching" theirs and I'll feel free to ask how their Big Day was. If this weather keeps up, I may be able to give you skating and skiing conditions. Already some of our lakes have a thin ice and the flurry yesterday brought hopes up among the ski-bugs.

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