

Ford Reveals Surplus Near 2 Billion

17 Killed as Airliner Crashes in Florida

Flames Envelop Stricken Plane; No One Escapes

Constellation Hits Tree on Attempting Landing at Jacksonville, Florida

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP)—An airliner crashed and burned on its landing run today, killing 17 persons aboard.

It was only a quarter of a mile from the runway at the airport when it hit the top of a tree in the early morning darkness and crashed.

The Eastern Air Lines Constellation was shattered.

Its passengers apparently never had time to try to escape. The cabin was twisted and mashed.

Five of the dead were crew members. On the plane also was a body of a man being shipped from Miami for burial.

Sixteen of the bodies were badly burned. It was three hours after the 3:40 a.m. crash before firemen could remove them.

NO TROUBLE SEEN

Witnesses said the plane appeared to be in no trouble as it started on its landing run at the port 12 miles north of Jacksonville. The last word from the pilot, Capt. Tom McBrien, was that he was coming in for a landing.

The flight was 642 from Miami to Boston. Stops were scheduled for Washington and New York.

Wreckage was strewn along a path of about 200 yards. The wings were sheared off and the four motors torn from their moorings.

Small blazes started up in the dry woodland and fire fighters fought for several hours before being able to approach the twisted mass which had been the cabin. The cabin appeared to have been (Continued on Page 2, Col. 7)

Broken Plane Burns



CRASHES NEAR JACKSONVILLE — This is all that remains of the fuselage of an Eastern Air Line Constellation that crashed and burned near Jacksonville early today while approaching for a landing. Pine tree lies over the plane.

Dawn to Dark Work for Many, It's Shortest Day

Bygone-day feats of working from sunrise to sunset were copied by most area breadwinners today—and all because it was the shortest day of 1953.

Old Sol came up at 7:50 a.m., according to the U.S. Weather Bureau, and will drop below the horizon this afternoon at 5:02. But his daily appearance will be longer from now until June 21, the astronomers tell us.

In case, you're curious, today's short span signals tomorrow's beginning of the winter solstice and end of the autumnal equinox. The winter solstice will be with us until the vernal equinox (March 20). Anyway, today is a mighty short day.

An Honest Little Kid

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (INS)—Two-year-old Michael Bohan was asked by a department store Santa Claus, on whose knee he was perched, what he wanted for Christmas. His reply: "I want down."

The Coming of the King IX—What Wise Men Saw

By NORMAN VINCENT PEELE

The three kings from the East who had followed the star to Bethlehem and were now returning to the East looked puzzled, each in his own way. Casper, the youngest, couldn't possibly have said that the new king they had seen in the stable was a beardless youth. But he had!

Melchior, the second of the magi, spoke next. He had a full black beard, a broad chest and a well-fed look. "Not at all," he said, "The king was a man in the prime of life, not a hairless youngster."

Then the eldest of the wise men shook his gray head and stroked his wispy white beard in astonishment. "Why, Caspar and Melchior," Balthazar said, "the glory of the sight must have dazzled you and veiled your eyes. The king was an elder, matured in his wisdom and appearance both."

Marco Polo tells us no more than this but we know that, in the king the magi saw, each man finds the image of everything good and fine he would like to be. And, where others saw but a child, the wise men saw what was really there.

In the meanwhile, Herod, in Jerusalem, was waiting impatiently for the wise men to come back. Finally, he sent out his spies to find out what had happened to them. When the spies returned, they reported that the magi had gone back to the East without passing through Jerusalem. But they also said that they were sure the infant king must be in Bethlehem.

Herod ranted and raved and cursed. Then he called his captains to him and ordered them to take their soldiers and kill every child under the age of two in the town of Bethlehem!

They lost no time. Soon soldiers were on the road to that little town—and to what is now called the slaughter of the innocents.

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(Tomorrow: Joseph's Dream)



Union Blasts Petition Tactics on Parking Plan

Pontiac Motor Local Favors City Project for More Spacing

A Pontiac union has condemned tactics being used by petition circulators seeking a referendum on the city's \$600,000 parking program.

Local 653, UAW-CIO, of the Pontiac Motor Division, sent a resolution to the City Commission stating that the members of the local voted unanimously to uphold the actions of the Commission in providing municipal parking for downtown shoppers.

The action resulted from charges of Commissioner John A. Dugan against a petitioning group seeking signatures to gain a vote of a \$600,000 municipal parking program.

He charged that petition signers were being scared into signing the documents because of an attached sheet to the forms saying that the program "could mean additional taxes." It approved.

The ordinance providing the project was passed by the City Commission Nov. 22 and would add 524 5-cent-an-hour parking stalls to the present 417.

Sam L. Stolorow, spokesman for the anti-parking group, said last week sufficient signatures had been obtained to force a referendum vote on the program.

He also said "the fact of additional taxes would be substantiated and proven beyond doubt."

On Monday, City Manager Walter K. Willman said there is no chance of a tax boost because certain sections of the ordinance clearly define that the revenue from the meters pay for the maintenance of the proposed lots.

Newsprint Shortage Limits Alpena Paper

ALPENA—The Alpena News, a daily newspaper with circulation of nearly 8,000 will not publish Saturday because of "an alarming shortage of newsprint."

The paper said it also plans to suspend publication the following Saturday and may be forced not to publish on succeeding Saturdays because of the shortage.

"The general paper shortage is due to an unprecedented demand," the newspaper said. "Business in general has never been so good. The paper mills are operating at over capacity, but still are unable to satisfy the demands."

Reluctantly the News takes the drastic step of suspending Saturday's paper. Our thinking is that it is better our readers go without the paper one day a week than eventually to have no paper at all for an indefinite time."

Red Duet Returns Home

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Bulganin and Communist party boss Nikita Khrushchev returned to Moscow today from their Asian tour.

Ailing Youngster's Christmas Dream Fulfilled by Visit From Santa Claus

By GEORGE T. TRUMBULL JR. Little Dennis Allen saw Santa Claus for the first time yesterday. And it may be the last.

Dennis, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Allen of 80 Collier, is suffering from nephrosis, a kidney disease of children for which there is no known cure and which kills half of its victims.

Since the youngster contacted the disease on Halloween of 1954, he has been confined to a Detroit hospital 13 times.

Dennis' present stay began six weeks ago. He is visited by his mother and father every other day and frequently by his twin brother Michael and 8-year-old sister Betty Lee.

Lately, Dennis has asked his parents for one thing. "I wish Santa Claus would come down here and see me," he would plead.

Yesterday Dennis got his wish. His dad appealed to the Pontiac Press who contacted Federal Department Store Manager Leo M. Panzer. Panzer gladly loaned the store's Santa Claus.

Dennis was sitting up on his small hospital bed yesterday when Santa Claus walked into the room. Shy as he is, he covered his eyes with his hands. When Santa spoke, Dennis took a peek through one of his little hands. When he eyed the grand old man with the whiskers, he dropped his hands from his eyes, giggled, and stuck out his hand to greet St. Nick.

Santa (alias Albert Evans of a fifty-fifty chance to overcome this disease, turned to his mother and said, "Santa Claus must be gone now, mommy."

And he was. But Dennis didn't care. He had seen Santa Claus for the first time.



Guided Missile Research Budget Needs \$1 Billion

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Pentagon, proposing a big boost in its budget next year, contemplates spending a billion dollars for guided missile development.

Secretary of Defense Wilson told a news conference yesterday the military will ask Congress to approve a billion-dollar increase in defense spending over the 34½ billions currently estimated for the present year. The Pentagon proposes also that Congress increase by almost two billion dollars the amount of money appropriated for defense over the 33 billions asked for the current year. About a billion dollars of this would go into the pipeline to pay for weapons to be bought in later years.

FIRST A-SHIP

Among other new items to appear in Wilson's budget recommendations will be money to begin building the first surface ship to be driven by atomic power. This Navy warship, Wilson indicated, probably will be of cruiser size and incorporate the newest of armaments, such as guided missiles.

Wilson remarked that he was "not quite ready" to discuss the over-all organization of the armed forces in guided missile development and production.

UP MISSILE STUDY

But he did provide a more definite index of what he previously had described as a substantial expansion in the missile field.

The plan is for the Defense Department to spend about one-third more next year on guided missiles than in the present year. The estimate for such spending this year is about 150 million dollars. Wilson said the shift in emphasis is from conventional weapons to "things we would like to have."

There were questions about the intermediate range, ballistic missile, which Wilson had indicated at an earlier conference should

Not Guilty Plea by Kavanagh

Attorney General Says Traffic Accident on Ice Was 'Unavoidable'

LANSING (AP)—Atty. Gen. Thomas M. Kavanagh has pleaded innocent to a traffic charge which could jeopardize his driver's license.

Kavanagh was ticketed Saturday for driving in an unsafe manner in a collision with another car on an icy Lansing street. His hearing was set for Jan. 20 in the Lansing Municipal Court.

At the time of the accident, Kavanagh was on six months' probation for a series of five earlier traffic violations over an 18-month period.

He was told that if he had one more violation he would be called into the Secretary of State's licensing division for possible revocation of his license.

Kavanagh appeared before officials of the licensing division this fall for a re-examination. He had been ordered to appear six months earlier, but the re-examination never took place because of what Secy. of State James M. Hare called an "administrative slip-up."

The Attorney General said he pled "not guilty" because at the time of the accident he was "not driving at a speed or in a manner that would jeopardize persons or property."

Kavanagh said he and the driver of the other car, who was also ticketed, were moving at only about five miles an hour at the time of the accident.

"I think it is clear to any person that driving about five miles an hour on a slippery street and having an accident for reasons beyond normal human control does not constitute unsafe handling of a motor vehicle," Kavanagh said.

3 Million More Shares Offered for Public Sale

Report to SEC Shows \$312 Million Earnings in 9 Months of '55

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Ford Foundation will sell 10,200,000 shares of Ford Motor Co. stock next month, in the largest equity stock issue in history.

A statement filed with the Securities & Exchange Commission today disclosed a boost in the planned amount of the public offering.

Earlier, planning had been on the basis of sale of about seven million shares.

The pioneer auto firm told the SEC its earnings in the first nine months of 1955 were \$312,000,000.

The registration statement, having financial records of the 55-year-old company for the first time, listed a surplus—total capital and earnings retained in the business—of \$1,646,000,000.

The Foundation evidently made a last-minute decision to boost the amount of the public offering be-

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cause of indications of heavy market demand for the new common stock, which carries voting rights. Heretofore, sole voting power has resided in the family and heirs of the late Henry Ford.

The stock sale means a shift from family to public ownership, and the registration statement amounts to a request for federal approval for public sale of the stock.

Actual filing of the statement with the SEC was made by Ford attorneys while announcement of the action was issued simultaneously in a dozen cities.

Here, there was a packed news conference at the National Press Club where copies were given to reporters when word was flashed that the actual filing had been completed.

The statement advised the SEC that the company's directors have decided to declare a dividend of 60 cents a share in the first quarter of 1956.

On this basis, the stock would pay \$2.40 a year.

The registration statement said, however, that later dividends will be considered each quarter, and will vary "subject to business conditions and the operating and financial position of the company."

The earnings report for the first nine months of 1955 showed earnings amounting to \$5.85 a share.

The offering price of the stock will be reported to SEC later—probably just before Jan. 18, the probable date on which the stock will be placed on sale by some (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)

Cloudy, Light Snow Is Weather Forecast

The weatherman predicts a slight rise in temperature tomorrow. It will be mostly cloudy with occasional light snow tonight and tomorrow.

The thermometer will register a low tonight of 14-18 degrees. The high tomorrow will be 20-24 with variable winds about five miles an hour.

The lowest temperature reading before 8 o'clock this morning in downtown Pontiac was 11 degrees. The mercury rose to 20 degrees at 1 p.m.

Numbers Collecting \$13,000 Daily Here, Police Say

"The Numbers" is big business in Pontiac.

This racket, vicious in that it takes most of its money from those least able to afford it, is estimated by Pontiac Police to take \$13,000 a day from the pockets of Pontiac citizens.

It redistributes about \$6,000 of this daily take. But \$4,000 is gravy for the operators.

The racket is based on daily publication of lists of figures. During the racing season, for example, some newspapers publish daily totals of mutual takes for all races. At other times, the racket makes use of Treasury Department figures or any other list of random numbers.

The numbers chosen can't be predicted in advance, although it is known that they will be published.

Numbers players place their bets the day before publication. And they bet on the last three digits of the number, for example, that tells the mutual take for the eighth race.

They are betting that they can

predict the exact three numbers, in order of appearance. They have one chance in 1,000 of being right.

But the organization pays off at 500 to 1—just half the payoff that their risk entitles them to.

Vice Squad men say the minimum bet permitted is 2 cents—which, if it was lucky, would pay \$10. Policy slips have been confiscated in raids which have 50 2-cent bets listed.

If one number in such a list came up, the better would be paid \$10 for a \$1 bet—but he's taking a risk of 20 to 1.

Police estimate conservatively that 10,000 people in Pontiac play the numbers every day, judging from the confiscated policy slips, the average bet works out to \$1.30.

That's \$13,000 a day. Mathematically, winners in Pontiac would be paid off \$6,500 of that.

But there are operating expenses for the organization, too. A contact, who takes bets on the street or in a store or factory, can't be expected to collect more than 100 bets a day. So 100 men in Pontiac are employed for that alone, it is estimated.

They get paid a percentage, which probably totals a payroll of \$2,000 a day for the organization. And there are probably one or two relatively "higher-up" men who keep the Pontiac organization moving smoothly, who may collect \$100 a day apiece. But the operation won't cost more than \$3,000.

Channels for the rest of the money are harder to establish. It certainly goes through Detroit; but if there are regional or national numbers organizations, po-

lice haven't been able to uncover them.

People who play the numbers every day have more systems, and more complicated systems, than roulette addicts at Monte Carlo. Methods of inspiration range from drug-doped dreams through divine guidance.

But one thing is sure—in the long run, they don't win. In the long run, they lose just half of the money they gamble.

And the money they lose is making somebody very, very comfortable.

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City Resident Succumbs at 63

Mrs. Loyde Garter Dies in Florida After Month's Illness

Mrs. Loyde (Miriam Church) Garter, 63, a former resident of Pontiac died after a month's illness in Orange Memorial Hospital, Orlando, Fla.

Mrs. Garter was the former wife of the late Dr. Eugene Church. After his death she married Loyde Garter.

During the summer months, the Garters made their home at Wolf Lake, Baldwin.

She was born in Oakland County May 6, 1892, the daughter of Elmer H. and Harriet Means Stowell.

Mrs. Garter was the former All Saints Episcopal Church and had lived in Oakland County most of her life. She was also a member of the Kureside Club, D.A.R., the Niblick Club and her church guild.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a son, John Eugene Church of Shreveport, La.; a daughter, Mrs. Frank McGowan of Muskegon and three grandchildren.

Other survivors are three sisters, Mrs. Paul Moody of Watkins Lake, Mrs. George Broders of Orlando, Fla. and Mrs. Alfred Smith of Pontiac.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday from All Saints Episcopal Church, The Rev. Lewis Towler, curate of All Saints Church, will officiate with burial following in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Friends of Mrs. Garter may call at the Voorhees-Siple Funeral Home.

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12-Year-Old Wants Horse That'll Grow Old With Me

NEW YORK (U-P) — Twelve-year-old Karen Ann McGuire will get a horse that "would grow old" with her, although it will not be a horse, but a small dog.

Karen, a blonde fifth grader of Valhalla, N.Y., wanted a horse very badly. When she read in newspapers that the Hanover Bank was handling the sale of the Belair Stud of the late millionaire William Woodward Jr., she wrote the bank a letter, enclosing a drawing of a horse which she made herself.

"Dear Sirs," she wrote, "I read in the papers today that you are going to sell a horse and his friends. If you have a horse that no one will buy, I would like to have it. The horse will have a good home, one and a half acres of woods and fields and loving (sic) care. I would like a horse that would grow old with me."

Karen's sealed bid failed to top others. A horse was sold for \$1,250. But the bank officials did not forget the girl and her "loving care" for horses.

They pooled their funds and hired auctioneer Humphrey S. Finney to get Karen a horse to her own liking.

Yesterday, Finney showed up at Karen's home to discuss the matter. Her first choice, out of a collection of her own sketches, was a black horse with white legs and white tail and mane.

"A white tail," murmured Finney, "very hard to keep clean. Would you, maybe settle for something else?"

Karen agreed to a pure black one and Finney promised to get busy.

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Social Security Action Delayed

Finance Group's Pileup of Work to Defer Dem Move for Bill Change

WASHINGTON (U-P) — A big backlog of business in the Senate Finance Committee appeared likely today to rule out any quick action next year on a Democratic bill to boost social security benefits.

House Democrats pushed the measure through that body last July. The Senate did not act on it before adjournment, but Democratic leader Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas has put such legislation at the top of a 13-point program he is advocating for his party in 1956.

Sen. Byrd (D-Va.) chairman of the Finance Committee which will handle the measure, said in an interview today his group probably will have to put other issues ahead of social security in the session starting Jan. 3.

Byrd declined to take a position now on the social security measure. He described it as "highly controversial" and said there should be full hearings on it.

The Eisenhower administration has taken no firm position on the house-passed bill, saying that it should be studied thoroughly in view of the added costs. The measure would lower from 65 to 62 the age at which women may get social security benefits. It would permit payments to disabled workers covered by the system after age 50.

It would add 600 million dollars to social security payments the first year and, to finance this, would raise the social security tax by one-half per cent each for employers and employees. The rate now is 2 per cent on each on the first \$4,200 of earnings.

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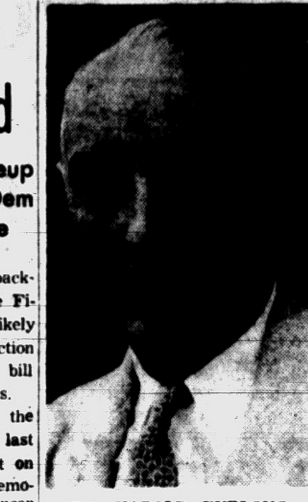
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DR. HAROLD FURLONG

Dr. Harold A. Furlong was installed as the new Chief of Staff at Pontiac General Hospital in an election held Monday night.

He succeeds Dr. John P. Williams in the position, who served for a year as will Dr. Furlong. Elected to Vice Chief of Staff was Dr. Arnold L. Brown, Secretary-Treasurer will be Dr. Kenneth Vandenberg and member at large on the executive committee will be Dr. Clifford T. Ekelund.

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The Day in Birmingham

Commission to Appoint Deputy City Assessor

BIRMINGHAM — Willfred E. Taylor, currently city assessor in Battle Creek, will be formally appointed deputy city assessor in Birmingham at the city commission meeting on Tuesday. The appointment as deputy assessor contemplates Taylor's taking over full responsibility as city assessor on the retirement in April of next year of present assessor Elmer Haack.

Taylor is 36 years old and a veteran of three and one-half years military service as a technical sergeant in the army in World War II. Born in Detroit, he has lived most of his life in Battle Creek, attending Washington and Lee University.

Before starting work in the Battle Creek assessor's office in 1948 and becoming assessor in 1952, Taylor was in bulk oil sales and department store management. He has been chairman of the equalization committee on his county's board of supervisors.

Planning to take the local post March 1, he will purchase a home here, to reside with his wife and four children.

The Planning Board meeting, set for last night, was postponed because three members, including the chairman and vice-chairman would have been absent. Date will be set later by William H. Bursum, chairman, who was out of town.

The recent change in the zoning ordinance has brought a flood of inquiries concerning possibility of property owners having their lots switched from residential to the new professional zoning, according to Herbert Herzberg, city planner. He indicated today that he expects formal requests for such rezoning to begin soon.

There are several near downtown areas that would be useful for a medical and law offices but would not create a traffic problem for those patronizing these offices, he said.

Free on bond are Talbott Heron, 27, 261 N. Saginaw, Pontiac, who was arrested on a charge of driving under the influence of liquor Sunday night, and James Spears, 21, 494 Kenton, Detroit, who was with him and charged with being drunk and disorderly. They will be arraigned in justice court Dec. 28.

Chamber of Commerce has set Jan. 3 for deadline for exchanging gifts that "don't fit, aren't just the right color, or are otherwise unsatisfactory." It's the same date as other municipalities are following.

Most Birmingham stores will be closing at their normal Saturday hour on Dec. 24, and will be closed on Dec. 25.

Florida Plane Crash Counts 17 Victims

(Continued From Page One)

700 brokers and dealers throughout the country.

Speculation on the price has ranged as high as \$75 a share, which would mean the Ford Foundation would receive three-quarters of a billion dollars in cash for re-investment.

Nevertheless, the offering represents only about 22 per cent of the Ford stock holdings of the fabulously wealthy Ford Foundation.

The prospectus disclosed that dividends equivalent to \$3.27 a share of the capital stock outstanding on Dec. 1, have been paid so far in 1955.

Of this amount, \$1.31 a share was considered extra dividends. The Ford consolidated balance sheet shows total assets as of Sept. 30 of \$2,483,010,550, of which \$1,144,191,835 represented plant and equipment. Among the assets listed was \$542,232,312 in marketable securities, principally of the government.

Under the stock reorganization plan, there will be 36,148,620 shares of the class A stock retained by the Ford Foundation and 6,480,750 shares of class B stock, all of which will be owned by the Ford family.

Grocery Store Looted of Money, Cigarettes

About \$25 and four cartons of cigarettes are missing from a grocery store burglarized Monday night, according to police.

They said entry to the store, at 48 Putnam St., was made through a broken rear window.

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New Questions Raised by Nehru's Neutralism

Prime Minister NEHRU should not be surprised that the West is skeptical of his reassurance that India's friendship with Russia hasn't withdrawn his country from the West.

During their 15 day tour of India, Messrs. KHRUSHCHEV and BULGANIN went to great lengths to capitalize on anti-colonial sentiment in Asia. At the same time they were careful to endorse "controversial Indian causes in Goa and Kashmir. By this means the Russians scored great popular success, increasing the impact of their fulminations against the West.

The enthusiasm with which Mr. Nehru participated with the Russians in a joint communique critical of the West, raises new questions about his professed neutrality. He joined Soviet leaders in deploring the failure at Geneva and in blaming it on the West's insistence of free elections in Germany. It is true that the prime minister rejected the Russian bid for an "alliance." He also reaffirmed his neutralist attitude saying that his friendship for the Soviets hadn't drawn India away from the West.

Nonetheless, there are a lot of people in the West, some of them in the United States, who would be a lot happier if Mr. Nehru were more forthright in his support of freedom. It is understandably difficult for them to balance his warm friendship for the Soviet Union with his insistence that India remain neutral.

The Man About Town Winter Sports

This Area Has Everything Needed for Such Program

Horse and buggy days: When we knew what next year's models would look like.

President of the Oakland County Sportsmen's Club.

Bob White.
 comes forward with a suggestion that more be done to push this area as a winter sports locality. With practically everything that nature could give us for such a program, he feels that we should bring our possibilities to the attention of the countless thousands who go through our county on their way to areas that haven't any more to offer. It also is pointed out that many of our own residents are not fully acquainted with what lies within a few minutes of their homes.

"Our Pontiac Press has done it again," phones

Mrs. Burdett Brawley
 of Rochester, in complimenting this paper on the

Norman Vincent Peale
 series on the

"Coming of the King," which she says "presents the true story of Christmas in the best manner I ever have seen it put in print."

Writing me from Mexico City, where he is on vacation.

Arnold Maxsor
 says, "Next time I'll have the Press follow me. In the words of the street urchin, 'I don't know nuthin.'"

There's good money in hauling Christmas trees. According to

Arthur Morrissey,
 interviewed on the Dixie Highway, he makes a trip every day between the cutting grounds near Oscoda and Detroit, and it nets him \$250.

"Pontiac's Christmas parade was the best ever," writes

Mrs. Marvin Fulcrum
 of Metamora, who pays tribute to the cheerful loyalty of those taking part, "whose spirit was not dampened by the weather."

Celebrating her one hundred and sixth birthday last week.

Mrs. Eliza Beaumont Taylor
 of Highland, Oakland County's oldest resident, says our young people haven't as much to worry about as those when she was young.

Verbal Orchids to—

Dr. William A. Sears
 of 161 West Howard St.; eighty-first birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville J. Underwood
 of Oxford; fifty-seventh wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Kittle Harris
 of Davisburg; ninety-fourth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Johnson
 of Holly; fifty-second wedding anniversary.

John Wulff
 of Oxford; eightieth birthday.



Getting Too Big for His Father's Britches

David Lawrence Says:

Anti-Communists Appear as Chief Object of Some Administration Investigations

WASHINGTON — They didn't pull the wool, Australian or any other kind, over the eyes of the people of Australia, as the completed vote in the general elections there now reveals.

It turns out the incumbent administration of Prime Minister Robert Menzies was re-elected not only with a substantial majority, but by the biggest majority any party coalition ever got.

The significance for Americans lies in the fact that the issues were clear-cut between conservatism and socialism and between anti-Communism and those misguided "Liberals" who took it upon themselves to argue that Communism is just another political philosophy and not a world-wide conspiracy to overthrow free governments.

When Vladimir Petrov defected from the Soviet embassy in Australia, he told the world that inside the Socialist Labor party in Australia and among its leaders there were stooges of the Communists, and also that two members of the staff of former Prime Minister Herbert Evatt were implicated. Evatt insisted this was politics and, curiously enough, during the recent campaign wrote to Molotov in Moscow to get his evaluation of the Petrov documents — which the Soviet foreign minister, of course, promptly denounced as forgeries.

'CIVIL LIBERTIES'

They even had a royal commission of inquiry, with all the safeguards that American "Liberals" are so accustomed to advocate as a better way than a Congressional investigation. It revealed, to the astonishment of the Australian public, that Soviet infiltration was operating in the labor government and in the press. Instead of denouncing the activities of the Communists, Evatt has looked upon the whole thing as an attack on liberalism and "civil liberties."

This is the same mistake made by many American "Liberals" who not only are loyal in every sense and wouldn't swap America's system for the Soviet's at any time but who refuse to see the Communist conspiracy as a danger.

They would be on firmer ground, as President George Meany of the AFL-CIO says, if they were more vigorous in their condemnation of Communists and if they didn't constantly take the position that a few Communist agents in our midst can do little harm. They forget about Fuchs, Rosenbergs and Alger Hiss and exaggerate mishandling of a security case by a cumbersome bureaucracy.

GOP MAKING SAME MISTAKE

The Democratic Party — whose administration in 1952 was accused by Eisenhower of having permitted a Communist penetration that "meant, in its most ugly sense, treason itself" — is perhaps going to make in the 1956 campaign the same mistake which Evatt's group made in Australia. There are signs of it in the tactics of the Hennings Committee and some of the other committees whose chief objective now seems to be to investigate the anti-Communists and, by the same token, to minimize the nature of the Communist infiltration in America.



The Australian electorate is not unlike the American electorate in background and education of private property under state socialism. It was in 1950 that Australia, following the victory of the Conservatives in 1949 in New Zealand, elected the present government. Conservatives came into power in 1950 in Great Britain, too, and then the Republicans, who are regarded as predominantly conservative, won in 1952 in the United States. It has been a world-wide trend.

But deeper than these economic issues are the emotional issues. Prime Minister Menzies, for instance, in the campaign just ended cited "an extraordinary parallel between Communist and Labor Party policies." No Communist candidates were elected, and 40 of them lost their seats in Parliament. Before the election the Con-

Dysentery and Related Ills Are Explained by Doctor

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Americans who have lived in Japan warned a missionary teacher who is going there not to eat raw vegetables unless she first soaks them in permanganate solution, otherwise she will develop worms, because human excrement is still widely used as fertilizer in Japan and China.

Others say that thorough scrubbing with soap and water is enough. They also say fresh fruit eaten uncooked needs the same treatment because fruit may be contaminated by handlers. Also that water for drinking must be boiled. Please advise. (J. P. E.)

That is good advice. It applies also to travelers who go to Mexico or other subtropical or tropical countries, particularly in regard to drinking water and the washing of vegetables or fruits, for the water may be polluted with the germs of amebic dysentery.

Amebic dysentery is not to be confused with the ordinary acute diarrhea, which was more or less indigenous in America in the nineteenth century, but was cured in 24 to 48 hours by (1) a whopping big dose of castor oil and (2) fasting or a diet of tea, without sugar or milk, and scraped raw apple (not apple sauce).

B. F. we ascribed acute diarrhea to "green apples" or "sun" ("sun cholera"). B. F. means before refrigeration.

Pinworms (otherwise called seat worms, thread worms or oxyuris vermicularis) infest infants, children and grown-ups. Such infestation is harmless, though production of a good deal of discomfort from itching.

Round worms (ascaris lumbricoides), also infest children and adults.

There are no signs or symptoms which warrant the assumption that the individual has worms or the use of any kind of medicine or treatment, except (1) finding the worms or (2) identifying their microscopic eggs.

Many children and adults harbor pinworms or round worms or both without manifesting any sign or symptom.

Unrecognized pinworm infestation is sometimes the cause of intractable pruritis. In any such circumstance it is well to search for the eggs by the method devised by Dr. Frederick H. von Hofe (JAMA, May 6, '44).

Instructions for prevention and relief of round worm or pin worm infestation are given in

servatives held only 64 seats out of 123 in the House. Now they have at least 75, to Labor's 45.

The "Left Wing" got its worst beating in the history of Australian elections and, to no small extent, this was due to the defection of a number of Socialist labor candidates from their own party on the anti-Communist issue.

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THOUGHTS FOR TODAY

Speak unto Aaron and to his sons, saying, This is the law of the sin offering: In the place where the burnt offering is killed shall the sin offering be killed before the Lord: it is most holy.—Leviticus 6:25.

Upon such sacrifices the gods themselves throw incense.—Shakespeare.

Little Lesson 13, Unbidden Guests, for which send 5c and stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Pamphlet on Pruritus (itching without apparent cause) available on signed request if you provide stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Signed letters, not more than one page or 100 words long, pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease, diagnosis, or treatment, will be answered by Dr. William Brady, if a stamped self-addressed envelope is sent to the Pontiac Press, Pontiac, Michigan. (Copyright 1955)

Case Records of a Psychologist

Difference in Democracy and Republic Lies in Protection of Minority Groups

Do you know who wrote the Pledge of Allegiance to our Flag? Or why we pledge allegiance to the "Republic" instead of to a democracy? Be sure all school children understand these basic facts concerning our great country, for at present many college graduates don't know why it is actually an insult to describe the U.S.A. as a democracy.

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE
 Case Q-327: C1111 Hirschman, aged about 50, is an Indianapolis manufacturer who typifies our ideal American business man.

For he teaches a large Bible class each Sunday and is active in civic affairs, politics and educational matters.

"Dr. Crane, we are building a new school," he informed me while in Chicago recently.

"And we are thinking of naming it after the author of our famous Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag."

"What do you think of the idea?"

FRANCIS BELLAMY
 It's excellent. Francis Bellamy rates on the same plane as Francis Scott Key.

For Francis Bellamy was the man who wrote our Pledge of Allegiance, though for many years its authorship was uncertain.

Thanks to the meticulous efforts of Margarette S. Miller, of Portsmouth, Virginia, the real facts are now apparent.

For many years it was erroneously thought that James B. Upham was the author, for he was on the editorial staff of the Youth's Companion in which magazine the Pledge first appeared back in 1872. But another staff member of

Voice of the People

Insure Successful Party With Three Easy Lessons

Letters will be condensed when necessary because of lack of space. Full name, address and telephone number of the writer must accompany letters but these will not be published if the writer so requests unless the letter is critical in its nature.

All groups interested in highway safety look toward the coming Christmas - New Year holidays more with apprehension than with joyous anticipation. This is because they are more acutely aware than the general public of the threat of tragedy woven through the merry-making.

Last year, nearly 700 of us died in motor vehicle accidents over the holiday period. These deaths can be blamed in large part on the unfitness of the drivers or of pedestrians involved. In some cases, fatigue was a factor because of the extremely late hours of holiday parties; in many, over-indulgence was to blame. The net result was the same in either case: tragedy.

The Greater New York Safety Council would like to call to the readers' attention some advice for

the holidays that can save lives: (1) Where there is any question of over-fatigue or over-indulgence, don't drive. Ride a bus, a cab, with a friend or get a fit substitute to drive your car. But don't under any circumstances get behind the wheel if there is any doubt about being able to handle all traffic situations.

(2) No matter how fit you feel after a holiday, have a cup of coffee or other stimulating non-alcoholic beverage before motoring home. Coffee is an "alertness" beverage and when taken as "One for the Road" will help you drive more safely.

(3) Holiday hosts and hostesses have a responsibility to their guests. It is the duty of those who give parties to use whatever stratagems are necessary to prevent unfit guests from driving off to a possible accident.

Paul F. Stricker,
 Executive Vice President
 Greater New York
 Safety Council

Businesses Must Offset Lure of Self-Employment

By MERRYLE S. RUKEYSER
 INS Economist

In the competition for business talent, the modern corporation, with its hired man setup, has been put in some respects at a disadvantage with the institution of self-employment.

The scales have been reversed in the last generation by the rise of the progressive personal income tax rate to confiscatory heights, with the top bracket rate at 91 per cent.

On the other hand, the ceiling tax rate on long-term capital gains is only 25 per cent.

Accordingly, other factors being equal, the acquisitive person thinks that the prospects are more inviting if one owns a business, and eventually sells it out at a profit, or a capital gain.

Since corporate success depends on ability to engage creative and knowledgeable personnel, top management is forever striving to find inducements to attract and hold talented persons, including engineers who have been relatively scarce.

ALWAYS COMPETING

Corporate management is continuously competing for talent. One top executive told me that he retained topflight men through holding out the feed bag of salary increases, but the executives thus tempted logically should have weighed the proposed salary advances against opportunities in going into business on their own.

W. B. Murphy, president of Campbell Soup Co., recently told me that his approach with personnel is to encourage employees to feel that they are, in effect, in business for themselves, and will be rewarded in accordance with their contribution to the success of the venture.

Down in the lower echelons particularly, employees are frequently fearful that their progress may be restrained by the prejudice of their immediate supervisor or by his incapacity to measure their worth fairly.

Knowing this, Murphy has his personnel department make a double check on all employees, and determine whether immediate supervisors have erred. This helps to improve employee morale.

Another disadvantage in working for others centers around automatic and forced retirement at a statutory age, such as 65. Self-employed persons have greater flexibility in electing when to quit.

This is a matter which corporations will have to face. Already a few pioneers have introduced flexibility. Eastern Airlines' 10-year extension of Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker's contract after he reached the age of 65 is a harbinger of a new approach.

THREE PROCEDURES

In my opinion, flexibility should be based on three procedures. First, the employee at fixed retirement age must request permission to work longer, and must support his application with medical evidence of his fitness.

Secondly, such an application must be backed by a recommendation of his immediate superior. Thirdly, the case must be approved by a pension committee or by the board of directors.

Portraits

By JAMES J. METCALFE

What would you like for Christmas, dear? . . . What gift can I bestow . . . To make you really happy and . . . To prove I love you so? . . . Would make you fond of me . . . And prompt your heart a little more . . . To share my company? . . . Whatever you desire, dear . . . I promise I will give . . . As much as I can pay for it . . . Within the time I live . . . And if you care enough for me . . . The only one I ever want . . . Is just to be with you . . . I hope and pray the Christmas gift . . . You may be thinking of . . . Is that your heart will join with mine . . . In everlasting love. (Copyright 1955)

the majority can loot or kill the minorities.

A democracy is thus illustrated by a mob, and can properly be called "mobocracy," where a bare majority vote determines morality, as well as economic and other truths.

Pontius Pilate thus operated the most perfect democracy on earth when he let everybody—men, women and children, vote on whether the innocent Christ or the criminal Barabbas should be released.

And the propagandized mob voted 100% wrongly, so Jesus went to a cruel death simply because of a majority vote that was wrong.

A Republic is not based on this jungle philosophy that a majority or might makes right.

So our forefathers deliberately chose a Republic as our form of government, so that the rights of minorities can be protected by a written Constitution, against even a majority vote of our national Congress.

A Republic is thus a Golden Rule type of government instead of a jungle "might makes right" system.

And that's why Chief Justice John Marshall said our Republic differs from democracy as order differs from chaos.

For further information on "Republic vs. Democracy," send a stamped return envelope, plus 20c for my booklet on that topic. Then, when you salute the flag, you'll realize proudly why we say "Republic."

Always write to Dr. George W. Crane in care of The Pontiac Press, Pontiac, Michigan, enclosing a long stamped, self-addressed envelope and 20c to cover typing and printing costs when you send for his psychological charts and pamphlets. (Copyright 1955)



business leader asked me in 1946 at the luncheon meeting of his Civitan Club.

And that inability to distinguish between these two forms of government has perplexed many educated people.

In a democracy, the rule of the majority prevails quickly and absolutely. But this is dangerous, for unless the minorities are meanwhile protected by a written document like our Constitution,



Santa and the Dumdiddy

By Lucrece Hudgins Beale



SYNOPSIS: The Dumdiddy goes to Santa Land. He tells Santa that Beanie is held prisoner by the Gimme Dwarf who is the Spirit of Getting and is Santa's worst enemy. Santa decides to disguise himself and try to save Beanie.

Chapter 15

THE CHIMNEY SWEEPER

Back in the Gimme House Beanie sat in his room with his mountain of toys and he was as miserable as a boy could be.

For what good were the toys when there was no one to see? He could not brag about his perfect stamp collection or swap any of his elegant trading cards, or win another boy's marbles by shooting with his own.

He had no one on whom he could try out his boxing gloves, no one to admire the tricks he could do with the magic set, and of all the card games he had, not one could be played alone.

So he sat in the room with the toys and he thought, "Oh, if only I were out of this place I'd give everything here away and I'd never be stingy or selfish again."

But he couldn't get out for there were no windows in the house and not even a door leading out. The door through which he had entered the house could be seen on the outside only.

On the inside it vanished somehow into the wall so there appeared to be no door at all.

The worst thing of all was the time. It seemed that every hour in the outside world took 24 hours he cried to the dwarf, "Why don't you let us go?"

Beanie had been there really only one day and a night it appeared to him that it had been 24 days and nights.

And six times a day he had to collapse and would be no more, eat—enormous quantities of sweets. "But I don't want to get any—sodas and hot dogs and ham—more," said Beanie. "I am not a burger until he thought surely he Gimme Boy now."



"WHO ARE YOU?" Beanie asked the dwarf if he would let him go home. "Never!" declared the dwarf. The dwarf explained to Beanie that he was the Spirit of Getting at Christmas and if he did not have children who said "Gimme, Gimme," then he would collapse and would be no more. So Beanie went back to his room and put his head in his hands and began to cry. Suddenly he saw a short-legged creature fall kerplunk into the fireplace at the corner of the room.

From time to time he could hear have you here now and I shall not the other Gimme Children sobbing let you or the other Gimme Children in their rooms but he never saw would vanish forever.

Beanie went back to his room and stared at his toys. Presently he put his head in his hands and began to cry. He thought of his home and his sister and how wonderful it would be to be there getting ready for Christmas together.

In the midst of his tears, he heard a scraping and a sliding. He look up and saw a short-legged creature fall kerplunk into the

fireplace at the corner of the room!

"Who are you?" gasped Beanie.

The fellow brushed the soot from his trousers and grinned. "I'm the chimney sweeper," said he. "I've climbed straight down your chimney to see if it needs cleaning."

"You mean—?" cried Beanie. "You mean—a person could get in and out of here through the chimney?"

"Certainly," said Santa (for, of course, it was he disguised as a chimney sweeper). "Come along and I'll show you how easy it can be."

Beanie sprang to the fireplace. But suddenly his smile disappeared and he drew back.

"What's the matter?" asked Santa. "Aren't you anxious to leave?"

"Oh, yes!" cried Beanie. "But, well, you see there are other children here and they are miserable, too. I know because I have often heard them crying. I can't leave while—well, you see—"

"You mean," said Santa gently, "You mean you want to help them get away, too?"

Beanie nodded eagerly. "Yes, that's it! And then the Spirit of Getting would disappear, you see?"

Santa beamed. He patted Beanie's arm. "Go quickly," he said. "See what you can do."

(Next: The Lost Dumdiddy)

Leak Jams Up Traffic

GRAND RAPIDS (P)—Christmas-shopping motorists were meshed in a traffic jam for nearly four hours Monday as gas company employees repaired a gas main leak under a downtown street. The repairmen roped off a two-block area of Monroe avenue to complete the job. The route was reopened about 3:15 p.m.

Named C. of C. Head

GRAND RAPIDS (P)—Gerald E. White, attorney and former president of the East Grand Rapids Board of Education, has been elected president of the Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce. He succeeds Donald J. Porter, president the past two years.

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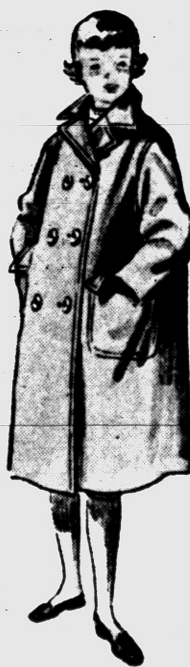
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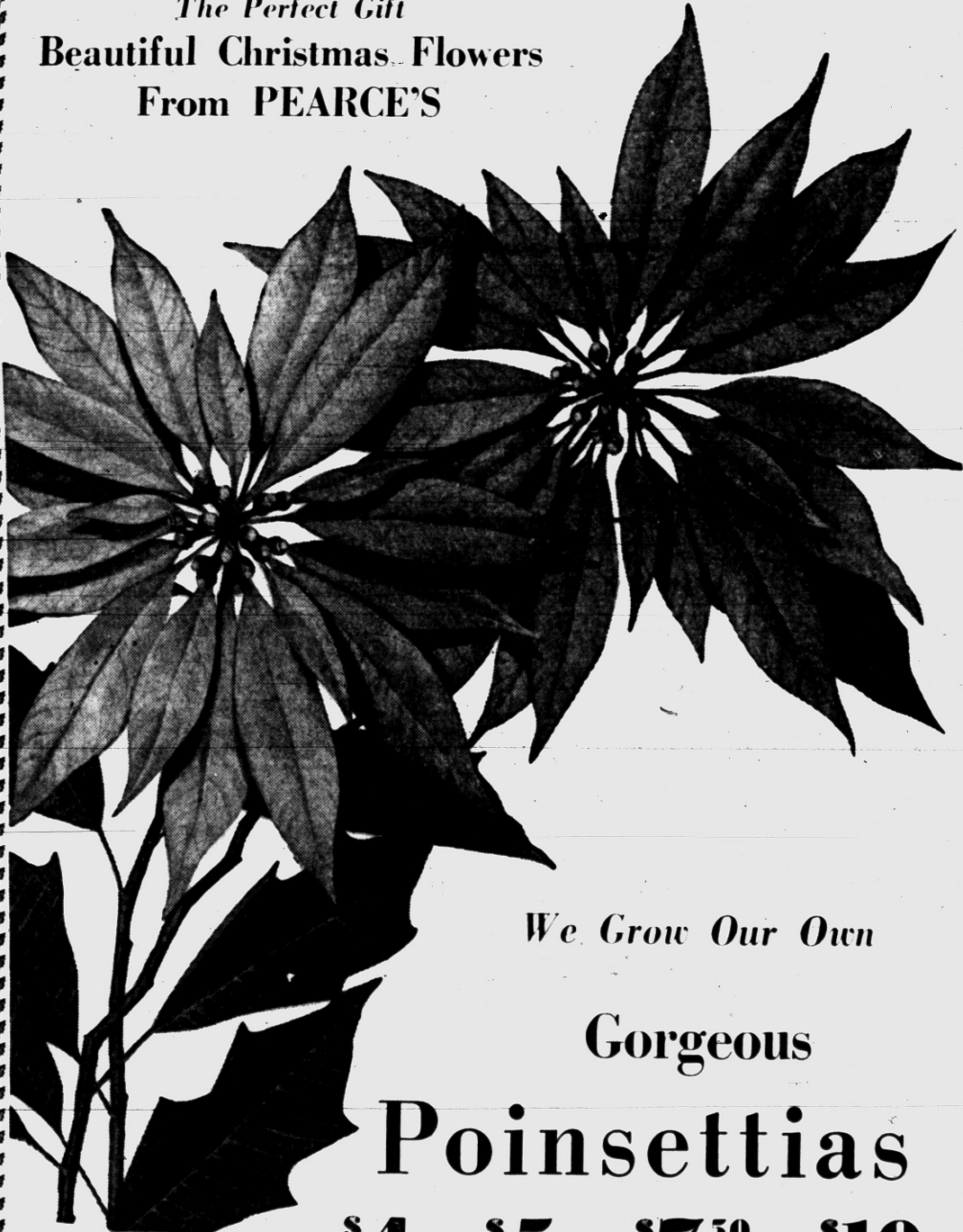


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Before leaving the Wilson Avenue Methodist Church to sing Christmas carols in the neighborhood, several young people of the church bowed their heads in prayer. "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" and "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night" were some of the selections chosen by

(left to right) Frances Thompson of Hillfield street, David Gregory of South Marshall street, Carroll Beatty of Ferry avenue, Carol Heiple of East Wilson avenue, Phyllis Linden of South Jessie street and Donald Beltz of Cottage street.

The ancient custom of singing Christmas carols harkens back to the days of old when carols were sung in the streets of towns and cities by waifs and minstrels. Under the lamp post, Barbara Holder of Carter street (left), Roger Manning of Seminole avenue and Mary Rivers of Island Park drive, Drayton Plains, sang "White Christmas," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" and "We Three Kings of Orient Are." They are from the youth group of the First Church of the Nazarene.



"Joy to the World," "Away in a Manger" and "Jingle Bells" sang some of the carolers of the First Congregational Church when they stopped on the steps of the Glenn Griffin home on Ogema road. These boys and girls, with other members of the church youth choirs, will be caroling in the corridors and halls of St. Joseph

Mercy Hospital Friday. Reading left to right, they are Tommy Griffin of Ogema road, Richard Shafer of Moreland avenue, Sherrie Dudley of East Iroquois road, Pamela Griffin of Ogema road and Jane Hubbard of South Berkshire road, Bloomfield Hills.

The Women's Section

'Glory Be to God on High'

First Hymn of Yuletide Was Sung by the Angels

We believe that the first carol ever sung was by the angel choir on that first Christmas Eve, nearly 2000 years ago, when "Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, goodwill to men" was caroled to the shepherds over the fields of Bethlehem.

It was during the 13th Century in Italy that the true Christmas carol had its beginning. The friars with St. Francis of Assisi tried to tell the Gospel story in song.

A Franciscan, Jacopone da Todi, was the first writer of carols. St. Francis also composed carols and planned tab-

leaux depicting the birth of Christ.

A carol, in its true meaning, is a song in which a religious theme is treated in a familiar and festive manner. A hymn is devotional. So, many of our carols are hymns as well as carols.

The beginning of the 18th Century marks the transition from the true carol to the Christmas hymn.

WELSH CAROL

"Deck the Halls With Boughs of Holly" is a Welsh carol and one of the gayest. Its history is obscure but it was well enough known by the 18th Century that Mozart used it in a duet for violin and piano.

Phillip Brooks, a minister in Boston, wrote "O Little Town of Bethlehem." Shortly before his death, he became Bishop of Massachusetts.

At the age of 30, he took a trip to the Holy Land, riding on horseback from Jerusalem to Bethlehem just before Christmas. It was this trip which is said to have inspired the verses.

He wrote them later for the Christmas service in the Sunday School of Holy Trinity Church, Philadelphia, where he was rector.

The church organist, who conducted a class in Sunday School, took the verses home on Saturday and had the music ready for the next morning.

EDITOR'S CAROL

When Sir John Bowring wrote "Watchman, Tell Us of the Night," he was the young editor of the Westminster Review, interested in social and political reform. He later became a distinguished member of Parliament, an orientalist and governor of Hong Kong.

"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night" first appeared in 1708 in England. At that time, it was the only Christmas hymn officially sanctioned by the Church of England for use in service.

Nahum Tate, the author, was inspired by eight verses from the second chapter of Luke beginning: "And there were shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night."

Charles Wesley, co-founder of Methodism, wrote the words of "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing." Of the more than 4,000 hymns which he published, this is one of the most famous. Felix Mendelssohn composed the music.

"Once in Royal David's City" is a Christmas carol written by Cecil Frances Alexander, wife of the

primate of Ireland, about 1818. She specialized in writing for children.

WE THREE KINGS

John Henry Hopkins Jr. is credited with writing "We Three Kings of Orient Are." He was a poet, composer, musicologist, and rector of several parishes. In his spare time he designed stained glass windows.

"Joy to the World" was written by Isaac Watts. He published the verses in 1719 as part of the "Psalms of David, Imitated in the Language of the New Testament."

On Christmas Eve in 1818 in the little church of the Austrian village of Obendorf, the organ was out of order.

The 26-year-old assistant pastor, Joseph Mohr, thought something special should be done to make up for the mishap and he wrote the words of "Silent Night." He gave them to his friend the village schoolmaster, Franz Gruber, who doubled as church organist.

Gruber returned the verses set for two solo voices, chorus and guitar the same day. That evening the beloved "Silent Night, Holy Night" was heard for the first time.

USED BY DICKENS

"God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen" is an old English carol. Dickens made good use of the opening lines in "A Christmas Carol." When Scrooge hears them sung, he threatens the caroler with a ruler.

Many other carols have lived through the centuries, such as "The First Noel," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "Angels From the Realms of Glory," "Away in a Manger," "Good King Wenceslas" and the solo "O Holy Night."

"Oh Come All Ye Faithful," one of the best-loved Christmas hymns and known throughout the Christian countries, was composed in France about 1700. Several copies in John Francis Wade's handwriting have been found in his collection. It is believed that he wrote the words.

In recent years many songs have been written that have become a part of our Christmas programs.

"White Christmas" was written within the last 10 years by Irving Berlin for a motion picture, "Holiday Inn."

BURT CAROLS

The late Alfred Shaddick Burt of California composed several Christmas carols which will be sung by the choir of All Saints Episcopal Church on Christmas Day in the morning service. Mr. Burt was the son of the late Rev. Rates G. Burt, who was rector of All Saints in Pontiac for 25 years.

As the candles burn in our windows on Christmas Eve, in remembrance of the Star of Bethlehem, we may be glad we are preserving the traditions of every Christian nation.

Personal News of Interest

Marsha Jean McLintock, daughter of Mrs. Josephine McLintock of Cherokee road, has arrived home from Michigan State University to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanft of Mohawk road are entertaining Peggy Dalton at their home for the holidays. Miss Dalton, a freshman at Brigham Young University to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dalton of Mountain View, Calif., formerly of Pontiac.

Second Lt. Daniel P. Warwick arrived home Sunday from Webb Air Force Base, Tex., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Arthur Warwick of Rosshire court, for the holidays. He will return to his base on Jan. 2.

David H. Locklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie L. Locklin of Oneida road, was a member of the production staff of "The Unexpected Truth" presented at the Yale School of Drama Dec. 12 through 17.

Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Barry McCabe and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sucheval of Birmingham. Mr. and Mrs. Kemp will spend the holidays in Baltimore, Md.



Mrs. David Mortensen of West Beverly avenue, wife of the pastor of the Marimont Baptist Church, served hot chocolate and cookies to the young people of the church caroling beneath her window recently. The group was composed of (left to right) Dave Lundeen of Oakland avenue, Beverly Williams and Barbara Frasa of West Colgate avenue,

Mrs. Mortensen and Cal Mortensen. "Watchman, Tell Us of the Night," "O Come, O Come, Emanuel," "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day" and "The First Noel" were heard again while the carolers sat around the table.

Keloa Klub Planning Snowball Party

Plans have been completed for the Snowball Party being held New Year's Eve by members of Keloa Klub. Dianne Bradley, general chairman, announced that the party will take place at the YMCA, with dancing from 9:30 p.m. until 12:30 a.m.

Among those assisting with arrangements are Joyce Whitfield and Betsy Bradley, cochairman of decorations. Serving with them are Sally Mier, Marcia Petrie and Sue Uligan.

Nancy Nickolson, Judy Lauck, Sharon Boyce and Glenda

ing made by Jill Maneck and all of the new members in the club. The refreshment chairman, Ann Mae Donald, is being assisted by Marilyn McLain, Janet Wittgen and Marion Lape.

Judy Learned is chairman of the patrons committee assisted by Sue Whitfield, Fran Glsky and Sharon Clark. Post-dance plans are be-

Stock Up Medicines

Stock up on seasonal remedies such as cough medicine, a nasal decongestant, eye drops and a salve or solution for temporary muscle aches as winter weather, full school rooms and crowded offices will undoubtedly result in occasional colds and discomforts.

There are seven pages in today's Women's Section

Theater Tickets Make Her Seethe

By ANNE HEYWOOD
Mary Joan has a problem which sounds unimportant, but you can tell from her letter that it is terribly important to her.
"My boss," she writes, "is a wonderful man, but he has absolutely no imagination!"
"Every year he gives me a pair of theater tickets for Christmas. There's nothing wrong with that, except that my boy friend works in the theater! We get

Married Saturday evening were Dorothy Price and Merrill D. Skinner Jr. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Price of Elizabeth Lake road. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill D. Skinner of Redding, Ia.



MR. and MRS. M. D. SKINNER JR.

Dorothy Price Married in Sunnyvale Chapel

Sunnyvale Chapel was the scene of the wedding of Dorothy Price and Merrill D. Skinner Jr. Saturday evening.

The Rev. James Parker officiated at the candlelight ceremony in the presence of 200 guests.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Price of Elizabeth Lake road. The bridegroom, of Elizabeth Lake road, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill D. Skinner of Redding, Iowa.

Dorothy chose a bridal gown of white satin with a lace scalloped neckline edged with rhinestones.

Sorority Holds Christmas Party at State Hospital

Lambda Chi Omega sorority entertained the Child Psychiatry Group at the Pontiac State Hospital Tuesday evening with a Christmas party.

Entertainment and carol singing were enjoyed during the evening, after which gifts were distributed and refreshments served. The group of 20 boys who attended the party are under the supervision of Dr. James M. McHugh.

Lambda Chi Omega members held their own Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Raymond Howell on Pontiac drive.

Serving on the committee were Mrs. Donald Wilson, Mrs. Omer Vought and Mrs. J. A. Thornberry. Secret pals were revealed during the evening and refreshments were served.

Richard Orenica Claims Bride in Home Service

Married in a home ceremony Saturday morning were Beverly Dobbins and Richard L. Orenica. The ceremony was performed by Judge Maurice Finnegan in the Orenica home on Center street in the presence of the immediate families.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ruby Stewart of West Beverly avenue, and Richard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Orenica.

For her wedding, the bride chose a blue dress with white accessories and wore a corsage of white and pink carnations.

Mr. Hulsman was maid of honor wearing a beige dress and brown accessories. Jay Flowers served as best man.

A reception was held in the evening for friends and relatives. The couple will reside on North Perry street.

Fabric Stoles Return to Fashion Styles

The return of the stole as a big fashion item is one of the major significances in resort collections. Designed to be worn as a cover-up companion for daytime and evening dresses, these fabric stoles are usually wide and unadorned.

Many of the newest are shaped to give a cape effect with stole panels in front. Others have puffed sleeves on one shoulder and the other side a floating panel.

Returns to Home

Mrs. William Fyfe of Lexington place, who was injured in an accident Oct. 17, has returned to her home.

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tickets to everything that comes to town.
"Usually, we have already seen the show my boss gives me the tickets for and we just sit through it again. My boy friend is usually bored and I keep thinking of all the nice things I could have bought with the money."
"I haven't the nerve to turn them in, because the broker is a friend of my boss and I'm afraid it might get back to him."
HINTS DON'T WORK
"I've hinted about other things I'd rather have and I've commented about having a boy friend in the business and getting passes. But it never seems to make an impression."
"Have you any suggestions as to what I can do? This will be the sixth year. If he hands me theater tickets again this year, I think I'll scream."

It seems to me that if Mary Joan has worked for the man for six years, a little frank honesty might be called for. In the long run, it'll be better for their relationship than seething and burning up.

I think she might now, before it's too late, tell him gently that she has always appreciated his theater tickets so much. However, she did want to tell him that this year she's seen every play there is and doesn't want him to waste his money.
Chances are he'll ask her outright what she'd rather have. Then she's at an advantage, because she knows how much the tickets have always cost and can mention something in the same price range that she'd really like.
PLANT SOME HINTS
If he's too shy to ask outright, she can plant a few hints with some of the other girls in the office, or even tell them frankly what she wants, so if her boss should ask them they can pass it along.
Too many times, my experience has been, we let a situation like this go on for years, when a friendly but frank conversation would clear it all up.
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Wesleyan Class Has Yule Party

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blackett opened their home on Dixie highway to members of the Wesleyan Class of the First Methodist Church for their Christmas party.

John Grieson gave the opening prayer and William Farrell presented devotions, using "The Greatest Gift of All" as his subject.

The class voted to send a gift to Faith Francis to aid in her mission work at MacAllen, Tex., and to provide for a worthy family at Christmas.

Geraldine Cook arranged the social program for the Saturday evening party. Assisting the hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Al Jackson.

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Maple Leaf Club Meets in Church

Mrs. Everett Harris was hostess to 40 members and guests of the Maple Leaf Club at the Congregational Church.

Highlights of the recent meeting were the community singing of Christmas carols, a turkey dinner and the exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Leroy Farnham was accepted as a new member of the group and guests for the party were Mrs. E. L. Bradley, Mrs.

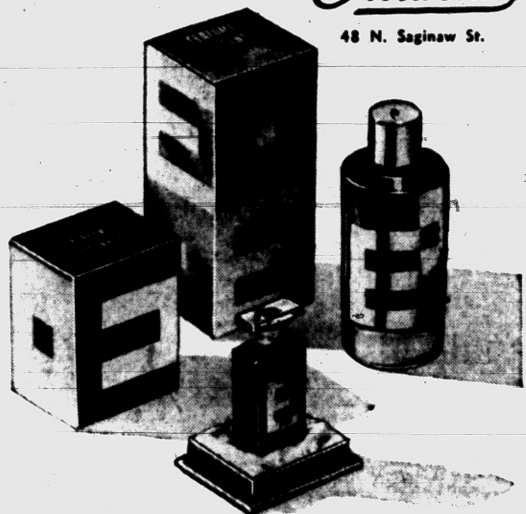
Everett Reese, Mrs. Donald Barker, Mrs. Milton Harrison, Mrs. John McConnell and Mrs. Everett Fletcher.

Mrs. Harris was assisted by Mrs. Orrin Hutton Jr., Mrs. Genge Hayes, Mrs. Frank Becker and Mrs. Arthur Hunt.

The next meeting of the club will be Jan. 27.

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Central Christian Will Hold Program

The annual Sunday School program of Central Christian Church will be held Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Roy Riley has announced the program will be sponsored by all

departments of the Bible School, beginning with the Nursery Department.

Mrs. Frank Emery is program chairman, and piano accompanists for the evening are Helen Nichol and Lenore Storm. The public is invited to the program. Treats will be served to children attending.

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Girl Receives Calls From Cousin's Beau

By ELIZABETH WOODWARD
"Dear Miss Woodward: It seems that I fell head over heels for a boy in the school I went to last year. But as fate would have it, he only liked me—so that was that.
"I happened to introduce him to my cousin and they just seemed to be made for each other.
"But during the summer while she was away he came over to see me quite often (through loneliness and blueness, I guess). We became very good friends and that's what's causing my problem.

"We go to different schools, so I don't see him too often, but he calls me up several times a week.
"I want to know whether I should allow this calling to continue, or should I stop it now before I let myself fall for him all over again?"
Answer: You find it hard to be just friends with the boy? You don't trust your heart to behave? Afraid it can't take those phone calls matter-of-factly?

Your eyes are wide open. So I say take what attention he gives you and enjoy it to the hilt. This may be a different sort of relationship from any you've experienced before.

He feels a special sort of bond between you and he wouldn't bother to call you so often. He enjoys chatting with you. He enjoys your friendship. Maybe it's your cousin he's dating, at the moment. But you're in his mind, too—in your special place.

Why be afraid to continue? Keep your eyes open. Hold your emotions in check. Don't let them tumble until you've had really tangible encouragement from him. And if it never comes, well, that's that. You will have had fun of a different sort with him.

"Dear Miss Woodward: I got lonely waiting for the infrequent letters that came from a friend of mine in the service, so I decided

to find a boy in school who would go places with me. I found one that I really like a lot.

"My girl friend told him, and he told her that I'm nice and if he finds that the girl he's going with doesn't like him he'll knock at my door. I thought maybe if I made him jealous he'd react a little.

"If he comes around should I tell him to continue on his way (and wait for the one in service) or should I forget I'm playing second fiddle?"

Answer: It doesn't sound as though you've gotten up any speed at all with the boy in

school. And here you are already plotting to put on the brakes.

You like him, but you've had no dates with him. In fact, he goes places with another girl. If he ever turns up at your door, don't turn him away. Not if you want any reward for liking him.

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Here's Few Tips for Washing Corduroy Pants

To keep washable corduroy in top condition, here are a few hints: If you use a machine, set it for a short cycle and warm water. Don't mix the colors in the machine. Don't try to wash lined jackets unless the tag says so. Use two short rinse cycles. Don't use the dryer.

Doing it by hand, squeeze each garment through the suds. Don't soak or rub. Drip dry over the tub or outdoors in the shade. Don't hang it over the line or it'll have a matted line in the pile. Straighten the seams gently.

When corduroy is almost dry, shake it thoroughly. Using a clean clothesbrush, raise the pile to its original fluffiness. Brush with the pile.

It should be fresh and wrinkle-free after this treatment, but if you like, it can be steamed with a steaming iron held just above the material.

St. Michael Girls Go Yule Caroling

St. Michael grade school cheerleaders and friends went Christmas caroling Saturday afternoon.

The group visited the Oakland County Convalescent Hospital and several small convalescent homes in the area.

Those singing the carols were Pamela Kehoe, Bernadette Amann, Sharon O'Neil, Patricia Burns and Loretta Heitchen, Barbara O'Dea, Catherine Amann, Michael Halpin and Dennis Weigton. Rita Ann Halpin played the accordion.

Most Popular Shoes

The shoe experts say three types of fancy shoes are leading the holiday sales parade. No. 1 is the plain white satin pump which can be dyed to match a dress. No. 2 is the pump with rhinestone buckle or bow. And No. 3 is the bare sandal in gold or silver leather or satin.

Couple Married in Miami

Sarah Ann Goodell became the bride of Jack Nelson Salter Monday evening in Miami, Fla.

The bride, of Miami, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Goodell of Lake Worth, Fla. The bridegroom, also of Miami, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Salter of East Tennyson avenue.

The couple was married in the University of Miami Presbyterian Chapel by the Rev. J. Calvin Leonard. The chapel was decorated with Christmas greens and a Christmas tree for the candlelight ceremony.

For her wedding, the bride chose a white wool sheath dress with white accessories. She carried a bouquet of orchids and roses.

Jalet Stone of Miami was her only attendant. She was gowned in an aqua faille dress with white accessories. Her bouquet was of roses.

Don Rickman of Paducah, Ky., served as best man.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Miami and is affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and Westminster Fellowship.

Jack is a senior in the College of Engineering at the University of Miami and is affiliated with Phi Kappa Phi fraternity.

After their honeymoon, the newlyweds will reside in Miami.

Office Women Given Party

The American Forging and Sock Company was host to the women of their office at a Christmas dinner party Friday evening.

The dinner table was decorated with Christmas greens and candles. Christmas favors marked each place setting and the group exchanged gifts from beneath the Christmas tree.

Julia Marlowe, Virginia Martin and Dorothy Neft arranged the party.



MRS. JACK SALTER

to Cub Scouts of Webster Pack

Cub Scout Pack Six of Pontiac Council, sponsored by the Webster School PTA, made awards to boys reaching new ranks.

Receiving the Wolf Badge at the recent meeting were Mark Walker and Robert Scribner. The Lion Badge was awarded to William Yearned and Bear Badges were received by Dale Ackerman, Michael Antrobus and David Worster.

Other awards made by William Yearned, awards chairman, were: Ross Luther, Lion Badge and gold arrow; Bobby Irwin, Bear Badge and gold arrow; Robert Tricker, Bear Badge, one gold arrow and two silver arrows; Arnold Diem, Bear Badge and gold arrow; Charles Hubbard, gold arrow; John Isgrigg, Lion Badge, one gold arrow and one silver arrow; and William Taylor, four silver arrows.

Honor Cub for the month of December is Robert Tricker. Mrs. William Isgrigg's Den Five earned the Honor Den awards for its achievements, and Fred Fink, John Isgrigg, Michael Jenkins, Jeffery Jerome, James Nelson and Joe Patterson were given the Honor Den badges to wear for the coming month.

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Never Speaks of Princess Margaret

Townsend Tries to Become World's Forgotten Man

BRUSSELS (INS) — Many other men would have sought the solace of drink, or the company of other women.

Peter Townsend simply has picked up the quiet pattern of his bachelor life as if it had never been interrupted.

The former air ace and royal courier who a few short weeks ago almost won the hand of a king's daughter is today deliberately trying to earn the title of "the world's forgotten man."

In his own words, "Life goes on."

Like 25-year-old Princess Margaret, who finally renounced her love for him to tread the path of duty, the 41-year-old RAF group captain is cool and self-possessed.

Peter Townsend gives no impression of a man suffering from a broken heart. There is no evidence of self-pity, no outward sign of the searing period through which he so recently passed.

"I cannot ever discuss the subject of Princess Margaret," Townsend said in closing the story of the fateful 19 days which began in a lovers' reunion and ended in a sad renunciation.

Life today for Peter Townsend moves in the restricted routine of the Belgian capital, with his unimportant job as British air attaché in one of Europe's tiniest countries, few personal friends, an occasional movie, rare participation in some diplomatic function and many hours of quiet reflection in the solitude of his Brussels apartment.

POETRY AND HORSES

In the loneliness of his exile, the principal actor in the world's most poignant modern drama of unrequited love has turned to the solace of his other two great loves—reading poetry and riding thoroughbred horses.

Ten days ago newspapers in London and Germany reported that

Countess Alwina de Limburg Stirrum was helping Townsend "forget." There were hints of an early engagement.

But the wealthy Belgian-Dutch countess quickly denied any romantic attachment. She said she had a "close sporting friendship" with the handsome Britisher, but that was all. They are both members of a fashionable Brussels riding club.

Even Townsend's half-dozen or so really close friends have not seen much of him since his return to Belgium. Neither have most of the Brussels hostesses who mis-

takenly thought he might welcome invitations to dine, to cocktails, or to an evening musicale.

Not once since his return has Townsend referred to the princess. His own view is that it is a closed book, and his anxiety to protect Margaret's name is evident.

It extends to the point where he no longer will speak with newsmen because of his dread that some innocuous remark might be mis-

interpreted.

The British Embassy staff, from Ambassador Sir George LaBouchere down, protects Townsend from callers and sees that he is not

worried. They do it quietly, efficiently and firmly.

EVIDENT SYMPATHY

There is evident sympathy for Townsend, especially among the women of the diplomatic corps and in Belgian society. But respect for his desire to remain undisturbed is almost universal.

Only once has Townsend been provoked into any statement since he withdrew behind his own private iron curtain. He formally branded as "absolute rubbish" a report that he would go to the U.S. to represent the British wool industry.

He says simply: "I have no definite plans."

No one expects Townsend to remain in Brussels after his boring tour of duty ends next month. But the future will require a difficult choice, for he is a proud man. His friends state categorically that Townsend never would accept any job which carried the implication of "royal influence."

The Townsend day now follows a routine of almost calculated simplicity. He did not vary the routine even for his 41st birthday on Nov. 22.

The slim, blue-eyed, dark-haired

Townsend rises at 6 a.m., makes himself a cup of coffee in the kitchen of his plainly furnished, \$85-a-month apartment. Then he jumps into his small, speedy green car and drives out to Groendael race course for a morning horseback ride.

No longer is a Belgian cop stationed day and night outside his apartment. Nor does a civilian-clothed bodyguard from the British Military Security Service ride with him as before he went to England for Margaret's answer.

BIBLE READING

By 10 a.m. he is at his desk in his small embassy office. Lunch is usually a snack in the embassy canteen. As a man with a lot of time on his hands who does not always know what to do with it, Townsend seeks after-work refuge in going to bed early and reading. He still reads at least one chapter of the Bible every day.

To the people of Brussels, Townsend is rapidly becoming just another foreign diplomat, and no longer a curiosity. He welcomes that and has given no indication of changing his routine, except to talk of plans for riding in more gentlemen's races in France and Belgium "next year."

There is no indication whatever that the divorced Townsend has vowed never to marry anyone else, nor that he will make a quick marriage on the rebound.

His present, almost monastic life does not make his friends believe he has anyone else in view now that he has lost England's princess. Whether the passage of time will heal the bitter memories of a love which turned to ashes is anyone's guess.



Gifts were wrapped for the Soroptimist Club's Christmas party held Monday evening. Pictured (left to right) are Mrs. Arnold Hillerman of Chamberlain street, Mrs. Frank Anderson of Oneida road and Mrs. Kenneth Wright of Elizabeth Lake road. Members held their annual Christmas party at the Hotel Waldron.

Soroptimist Holds Yuletide Party

Mrs. Robert Pritchett was chairman for the program of games and Christmas carols for the Christmas party of the Gamma Psi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority.

The party was held at the home of Mrs. George Heenan on Sem-

inole avenue Tuesday evening. Gifts were exchanged and secret pals were revealed at the party.

Attending as guests were Mrs. Harry Bell, Mrs. Harvey Kerr, Mrs. Phillip Miller of Clarkston and June Newcombe.

Thoughtful gifts in the pin money bracket are easy to find in the perfume department of local

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Season Marked by Soroptimists

Seventeen members and guests of the Soroptimists met Monday evening at the Hotel Waldron for their Christmas dinner.

Following the dinner, they went to the home of Taimie Surola on West Huron street for dessert and a Christmas party, which featured the exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Dorothy Schufelt, Mrs. Glenn Valance and Mrs. Anna Hoover of Birmingham were guests of the group.

Assisting the hostess were Mrs. Raymond Swackhamer, Mrs. Valance, Mrs. Hoover and Alice Kimball.

Flora Shelly Group Has Yule Party

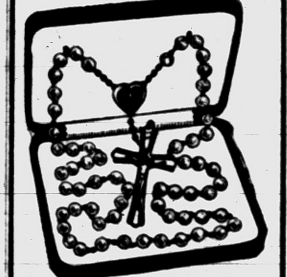
Mrs. Allan H. Monroe was hostess to the Flora Shelly Group of the First Presbyterian Church at her home on Cherokee road.

Mrs. W. H. Marbach, Mrs. Galen Hershey, Mrs. Gelston Poole, Mrs. Roy Ward and Jean Lukens were guests at the recent meeting.

Laura Cobb directed a game period following dinner and carol singing was led by Olive Lord. Miss Cobb and Grace Clark entertained with Christmas stories.

Mrs. W. H. Lehman and Mrs. W. E. VanRiper assisted the hostess.

ROSARIES



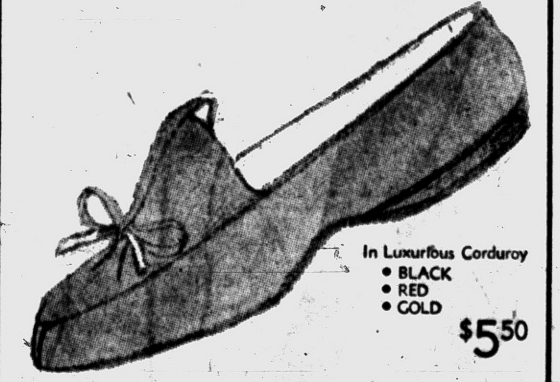
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Who Pays for Motel and Meals?

Cousins Planning Sightseeing Jaunt for Visitors

By EMILY POST

A reader tells me: "My sister and I are going to visit our cousin and her husband on the West Coast shortly. During our visit, our relatives have planned several sightseeing trips. One will be an overnight trip.

"This means that we will spend one night in a motel and also have several meals out. I would like to know if we should pay for our room at the motel and also pay for any of our meals that we have out."

Answer: If it is their suggestion it is their responsibility to pay. But if you said you would like to go and they offered to take you, then paying your own way is your responsibility.

"Dear Mrs. Post: I have just been made manager of my firm and have been given my own private office. I would like to know if I should rise when a stenographer comes into my office to take dictation."

Answer: A man does not rise when a stenographer or other woman employee comes into his office. But you must stand to receive a woman visitor and remain standing until she is seated. You stand again when she prepares to leave and go with her to the door, open it for her and "bow her out."

"Dear Mrs. Post: Some of my relatives have offered to put up out-of-town wedding guests — most of them on the bridegroom's side. Is it enough for me to write his relatives (whom I have never met) and invite them, or should my relatives do this."

Answer: It is only necessary that you write and say that arrangements have been made to take care of them during their visit. And when they arrive tell them that they are "going to stay at Aunt Mary's house," or "Mrs. Neighbor is expecting them."

Afterwards, they should, of course, write to their hosts and thank them for their kindness.

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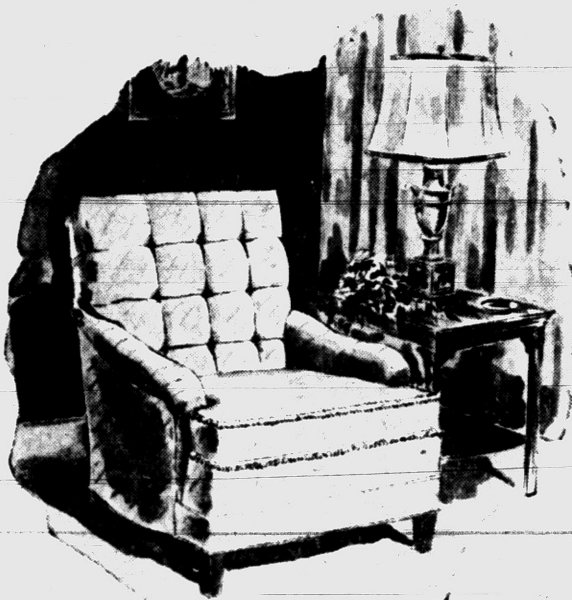
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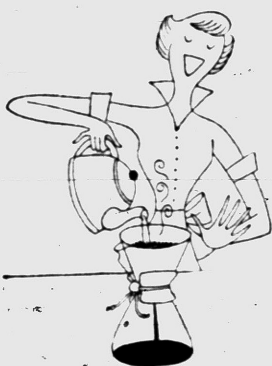
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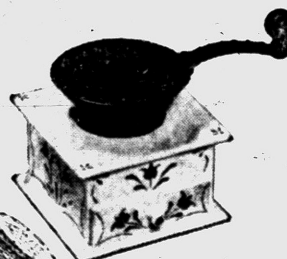


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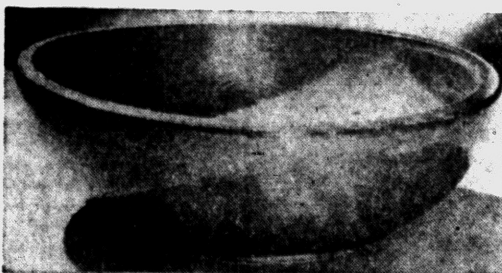


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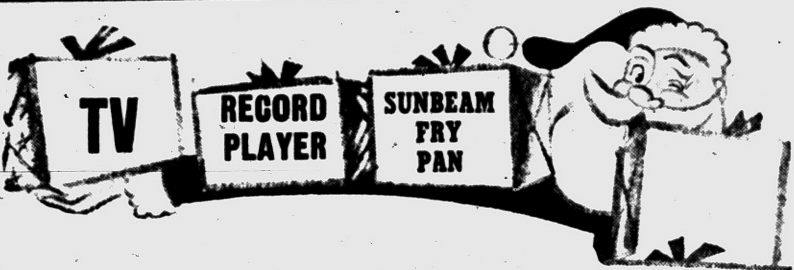
MARIETTA, Ga. (U)—The First Methodist Church reports that its honor system parking lot, under which motorists deposit what they

want to in a box on the sidewalk, is not working so well. Yesterday someone drove off with the cash, box and all.

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WINNING DOLLS — Judy Foster, center, of Creve Coeur, Mo., shows in Munich, Germany, her dolls which won 1955 U. S. Christmas Doll contest. Judy, 16, is a freshman at Fontbonne College, St. Louis. With her are Isa, left, and Jutta Guether, German twins and film starlets.



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The crowds which came out when a master chess player appeared in town proves the game is popular here. You can buy a chess enthusiast a new set of plastic chess men, complete with a history of the ancient game.

Any cook who likes to experiment with spice cookery will relish a wooden cabinet holding a dozen boxes of assorted spices that pop out at the touch of your finger. She'll also like some hand carved wooden cocktail picks for entertaining.

Does your favorite man play golf? Buy him a golf ball marker. Or give him a compass for his next trek into the north woods in search of deer.

An amusing lamp that caught our eye was a ceramic Siamese cat twosome. The light shines through their eyes which have a green shade to make them more realistic.

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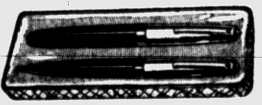
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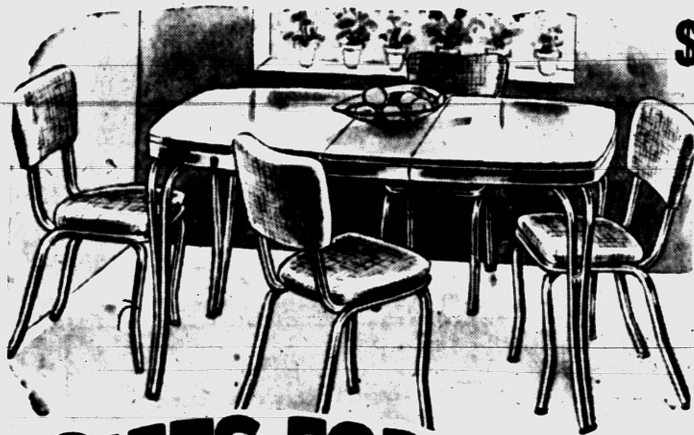


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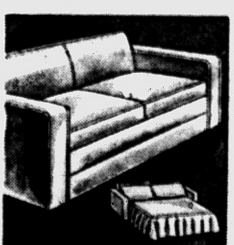
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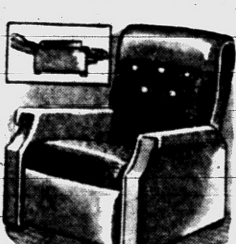
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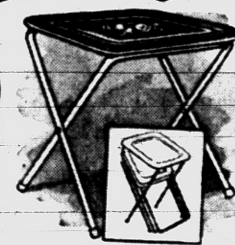
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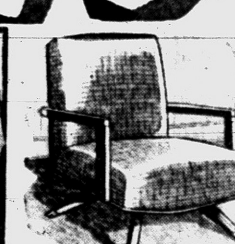
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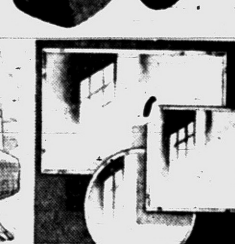
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Three Murdered
in Gotham FightMother, Two Children
Killed at Home; Father
Wounded Elsewhere

NEW YORK (U)—A woman and her two children were found brutally stabbed to death in a furnished Staten Island apartment last night. The bodies were discovered by detectives who wanted to tell her husband that she was found shot and critically wounded in his car.

Police said the three-room apartment in a two-story frame house was covered with blood and debris, indicating that a struggle preceded the slaying.

The dead were identified as Mrs. Shirley Palin, 25; her daughter Charlene, 4, and son Kendrick, 2. Mrs. Palin was found in the kitchen with three stab wounds. The boy lay on a bed, with two stab wounds in his back and one in his arm. The girl, apparently the last killed of the three, was stabbed three times in the front of her body.

It could not be immediately determined what weapon was used. Detectives said Mrs. Palin was a white woman and her husband, Milton, 27, a Negro. Palin was shot once in the chest and once in the roof of his mouth. Authorities said they could not question him for at least 48 hours.

Police said the Palins had quarreled Saturday and apparently shortly afterward Mrs. Palin moved out with the children. Neighbors told police the Palins had frequent arguments, followed by separations.

Christmas Tree Crop
Is Good Money Maker

By EARL WILSON

NEW YORK—Dear Santa Claus: I have been a very good boy and I thought I would tell you what I want for Christmas and what the other little boys are getting.

Do not bother bringing me a jeweled carpet sweeper for picking up caviar crumbs which I saw advertised. What we need around here is some cheaper presents within the reach of everybody. Happening to run into Mrs. Van Heflin, I asked if she knew what she was getting from her husband.

"Yes, a white Cadillac and a hi-fi set," she said.

This isn't what I had in mind. Dagmar has bought her husband some red flannels which are going to be useful, cheap and possibly amusing. Mrs. Joey Adams selected a beret for her mate. Phil Silvers has received from Bing Crosby a two-foot-long gold-plated shoe horn which enables you to put on your shoes while standing up.

"Do you know what I'm getting for my 13-year-old son that costs only \$1.89?" asked a celebrated female. "A rubber stamp with his name and address on it. Boys like to stamp their name and address on things, even if only on themselves."

Art Linkletter found a flower pot with some built-in butterflies which fly around on an invisible track to give to Humphrey Bogart's offspring. Personally, in a B'way gadget shop, I bought a little hand postage scale for 98c, a miniature sewing kit for the same, and a couple of small hip flasks for carrying lemonade to football games. And who'm I going to give them to?

Jackie Gleason likes to give Bibles, and Frank Sinatra once gave a dear friend a lifetime airline charge account. Some friends of Fred Allen presented him with a variety of exotic dinners at foreign restaurants. "I was on a diet at the time," says Fred.

Santa, all I want is some Christmas ties. This may sound corny, but it's honest. You see, since Slugger's growing up, the Old Man here can't hold onto a tie unless it's around his neck.

"Oil"

THE MIDNIGHT EARL...

Sugar Ray Robinson, who has claustrophobia, walked up 20 flights in the Squibb Bldg. to see his business mgr., Joe Glaser. Sammy Davis Jr. gave Eddie and Debbie the wedding gift they'd requested—a big red frying pan. At the "Man With The Golden Arm" opening Kirk Douglas said, "My beard makes me look so distinguished I may NEVER take it off." Carl Bakal's photo book, "How to Shoot for Glamour"—with pictures of such honeys as Pat Parker—is nice to look at even if you don't own a camera.

Choreographer Michael Kidd bought 40 pounds of yogurt to take back to H'wood... El Morocco duo: Sharman Douglas and Tony Bartley, Deborah Kerr's husband... Ingrid Bergman reportedly OK'd making "Anastasia" for Zanuck, if it's filmed in Europe... Two famed film stars are feuding so hotly that one refused to sign a contract 'cause the other had better billing.

PAT

One of the names Marlon Brando uses at hotels is "Herman Melville"... A big-name boxer, whose driving license was revoked, is still wheeling his car... A fan letter service reports 3,000 requests a week for the late James Dean's photo. (In the gal dept Katherine Hepburn's fourth).

EARL'S PEARLS...

Did you ever notice, those who insist they can take it or leave it alone, always take it.—Art Moger.

WISH I'D SAID THAT: Fred Allen told on a "What's My Line?" show of the lady rainmaker who planned to get married—and was going to give herself a shower.

TODAY'S BEST LAUGH: Vincent Lopez offered to buy lunch for two ad agency men, and was told, "No, we're going Dutch—Jim's using his own expense account and I'm using mine." That's earl, brother.

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Red Korea to Shoot
Planes Over Border

TOKYO (U)—The Communist North Korean radio served notice today it will fire on any United Nations planes which stray over the truce line.

The radio quoted from a Communist statement at yesterday's Military Armistice Commission meeting at Panmunjom.

At the meeting, the U.N. Command charged the Communists with "indiscriminate" anti-aircraft firing at an unarmed Allied helicopter north of Panmunjom Dec. 7.

The Communists brushed aside the protest, the radio said. The U.N. Command said the helicopter pilot had lost his bearings. The command said three fliers have been killed by the Reds in the last year when they inadvertently flew over Communist territory.

Chile Feels Quake

SANTIAGO, Chile (U)—Two heavy earth tremors rocked the coastal city of Constitución, about 150 miles south of Santiago, at 8:30 (EST) last night. No damage or injuries were reported.

Hollywood Headlines:

Deborah Kerr Signs Up
to Make Picture in July

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS

HOLLYWOOD (INS)—Deborah Kerr knows exactly where she'll be and what she'll be doing come next July. She's agreed to star in "Heaven Knows, Mr. Allyson."

There are some problems, let me say, with "Mr. Allyson," since the story is about a nun and two Marines shipwrecked on a desert island. One of the men, an agnostic, is converted. The producers will work closely with the church getting advice on any scenes that might be controversial.

TO MAKE DEBIT

One of the most beautiful women in town or any other town is Hjordia Niven, wife of David. Yet, Hjordia never has done anything professionally until right now.

This is how it happened: The Four-Star Playhouse, of which David is one of the heads, was casting about for an actress to play the role of a Scandinavian spy who gets involved with a British newspaperman behind the Iron Curtain.

So without David's knowledge, the casting office called Mrs. Niven and she consented to make her first professional appearance in "Safe Keeping," opposite David.

Before the Nivens were married, Hjordia studied dramatics, but until now she never put her studies to use.

There was so much excitement for Mrs. Bobby Van over her husband's appearance on Eddie Fisher's Spectacular Saturday night that she almost lost her expected baby.

She was rushed to Cedars of Lebanon Hospital and for some time it was feared she might lose the child, but I'm glad to say the baby was saved.

Mrs. Van, who was the former Diana Garrett, has been ordered by her doctor to stay in bed, which she will have to do for some time. The baby is expected in June.

I thoroughly enjoyed the spectacular. I thought Eddie was never better. He was a gracious host with a list of guests who could do things and do them well.

PREFERS DOCTORS

The daughters of Supreme Court Justice Warren prefer doctors. A foursome at Ciro's was Virginia Warren with Dr. John Williams, and Dorothy Warren and her fiancé, Dr. Carmine Clemente. A

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Historic Wayside Inn Razed by Fire



BUILT ABOUT 1686 — Fire sweeps through Wayside Inn at Sudbury, Mass., early today destroying the structure and a collection of antiques gathered by the late Henry Ford. Built around

1686 as Howe's Tavern on the Boston Post Road, it gained fame from Longfellow's "Tales of a Wayside Inn."

Financial Machinery Rolls to Begin Ford Stock Sale

NEW YORK (AP)—The complex financial machinery to bring the public into ownership of Ford Motors Co. stock for the first time in history rolls into high gear today.

While the Securities and Exchange Commission studied the comprehensive registration statement filed by the company yesterday, brokers reported orders piling up from regular customers and people who have never owned a share of stock.

Cigarette Starts Brooklyn Blaze

Four Perish, 4 Injured as Ashes Are Dumped on Yule Wrappings

NEW YORK (INS)—A fire set off by dumping of an ash tray into a carton containing gay Christmas wrappings killed four persons and injured four others today in a 4-story brownstone house in Brooklyn.

Fire officials said the ash tray must have contained a still lighted cigarette butt, which caused the fatal and rapidly spreading fire.

The dead were Mrs. Margaret Murphy, 53-year-old grandmother; Mrs. Eileen Best, 22, and the latter's two daughters, Ruth Ann, 6, and Joyce, 3.

One of those rescued in the burning building was Julia Haynes, an 18-year-old paraplegic and granddaughter of Mrs. Murphy.

Others taken to Methodist Hospital were Valentine McClure, 46, and his son, Robert, 13, in whose apartment, officials said, the fire started. McClure and his son fought the fire and pulled down blazing drapes, but the flames got out of control and they were both burned. They fled and sounded the alarm.

The fire spread from the McClure's first floor apartment through the building, to the fourth floor Best family apartment.

Walter Best, 25, saved Richard, 18 months, and told his wife to follow him to the street. She and the two daughters apparently became confused and were trapped. Mrs. Murphy lost her life on the third floor where she lived with the family of her son-in-law, Thomas Hynes, 45, a Brooklyn Navy Yard worker.

Jaycees to Pick Top Decorations, Lighting Displays

Outstanding home decorations and lighting displays will be selected tonight when two judging teams from the Pontiac Junior Chamber of Commerce will cover residential areas in the east and west portions of the city. Winners of the annual Jaycee contest will be awarded \$25 government saving bonds. Runnersup will be given honorable mention awards. Contest Chairman William O'Connor said today that the dividing line between the two sections will be Saginaw St. The judging will extend to the Pontiac city limits. According to O'Connor, entrants in the contest will not be required to submit applications to be considered for prizes. Two teams of judges will canvass all streets in cars, he said. Judging will begin at dark.

Fall Snow: 101.3 Inches

IRONWOOD (AP)—Ironwood had an unusually heavy total of 101.3 inches of snow during the fall season before winter began early

World Renowned 'Wayside Inn' Burns to Ground

SUDBURY, Mass. (INS)—Historic Wayside Inn, built in 1686 and immortalized by the poet Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, was destroyed by fire early today while firemen battled in sub zero temperatures to save valuable antiques.

A boiler explosion was blamed for starting the blaze.

The rambling old red inn, where such renowned men as George Washington, Gen. Lafayette and other historic figures stopped, was the inspiration for Longfellow's "Tales of a Wayside Inn." It was purchased by the late Henry Ford in the 1920s and completely restored. It became a mecca for tourists from all over the world.

The old grist mill, grocery store and colonial church were restored on the rambling acres. At his own expense Ford built a modern highway some distance from the inn so trucks and buses would not mar its scenic beauty. He then gave the highway to the state for \$1. The site is now owned by the Ford Foundation, and has been privately leased in recent years.

Officials said it was impossible to estimate the damage until collectors have evaluated priceless antiques which accumulated through three centuries.

Stevenson's Hurt Son Rushed to Chicago

GOSHEN, Ind. (INS)—Adlai Stevenson's youngest son, seriously injured in a three-vehicle collision which killed two of his companions, was to be moved to Chicago today for further treatment.

John Fell Stevenson, 19, suffered a fractured lower jaw, fractured knee cap, facial cuts, and loss of several teeth yesterday when his car was boxed in by two oncoming trucks and smashed head-on with one of them on U.S. 20 east of Middebury, Ind.

Killed while riding in the front seat with Stevenson were William S. North III, 19, of Lake Forest, Ill., who was thrown from the car, and William C. Boyden, 19, son of a prominent Chicago attorney, who was thrown against the windshield.

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Cloudy, Light Snow Forecast for Area

The weatherman says that it will be mostly cloudy with occasional light snow tonight and tomorrow. The low tonight will range from 18-22 and the high tomorrow will be from 30-34 degrees. The lowest temperature preceding 8 a.m. was 18 degrees. The mercury rose to 25 at 1 p.m.

The Coming of the King—A Christmas Story

X—An Angel in a Dream Warns Joseph to Flee

By NORMAN VINCENT PEALE

While King Herod in Jerusalem was ordering a massacre of all the infants in Bethlehem, Jesus slept quietly in the stable of the inn at Bethlehem.

Joseph and Mary slept, too. They were tired after a long and busy day. And while they slept, Joseph dreamed that an angel came to him and said: "Arise, and take the young child and his mother, and flee into Egypt, and be there until I bring thee word: for Herod will seek the young child to destroy him."

Joseph awoke instantly and looked around him. He could see no one. It was still night and there was no light in the stable.

Gently, he woke Mary and told her his dream. She did not hesitate a moment but immediately began to pack their few belongings.

Joseph fed the little donkey which had brought them from Nazareth. Then they woke the infant Jesus and wrapped Him warmly for the journey. Although it was only a very short time before they were ready



The Angel Advises Joseph

to flee that place, to Joseph and Mary, it seemed hours.

But, finally, they slung the little they had carried with them across the donkey. Then Mary mounted it and Joseph placed Jesus in her arms, picked up the rope halter and led the donkey toward the town gates.

In those times, towns had walls and there were only a few gates by which people might come in or out. And, at night, these gates were locked and the walls were patrolled by guards.

So, when they reached the wall, they had to call for the guard to let them out. Finally he came and grumbled that it was against the rules for him to let anyone out until morning.

But Joseph was inspired by his fear of what might happen to Jesus if they remained and he argued so well with the guard that the gate was opened for them and they went through it.

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Tomorrow: The Flight Into Egypt.

Death Count Hits 89 in Algerian Rebel Rampage

Nationalists Step Up Terror Drive as French Postpone State Voting

ALGIERS, Algeria (AP)—The death toll in bloody Algeria soared today as nationalist guerrillas pressed their Christmas terror offensive and the French retaliated with a big military drive.

Unofficial and incomplete reports indicated that at least 89 persons have been killed in clashes since Tuesday. The figure was expected to mount as casualty lists came in from outlying areas.

Written threats were signed by the "Front for National Liberation." They were similar to menacing handbills the same organization had directed against the holding of elections in Algeria.

Premier Edgar Faure has postponed the Algerian voting indefinitely. It otherwise would have been held on the same day next month as the balloting in France.

French judicial authorities advised the Premier that a vote under present conditions of terrorism might put public order in Algeria in even more serious danger.

Algeria is politically a part of metropolitan France. However, with a population of nearly 10 million, the Algerians send only 30 deputies to the French National Assembly of more than 600.

The Algerians also complain the present election laws give French colonists a disproportionate share in picking the deputies. Algeria's Assembly seats presumably will be filled at later elections.

The severest fighting yesterday was in the sweep of French troops to clean out the barren Nemencha Range south of Constantine. Warplanes joined ground forces to hunt out the rebels known to be operating among the rugged peaks.

The nationalists have passed the word through the native quarters in the larger cities to increase acts of terrorism during the Christmas season.

There was a marked increase in roadside ambushes, bombings, assassinations, burning of isolated farm buildings and schools, and the severing of telephone and other communications lines.

Two-Lane M15 Addition to Be Opened Tonight

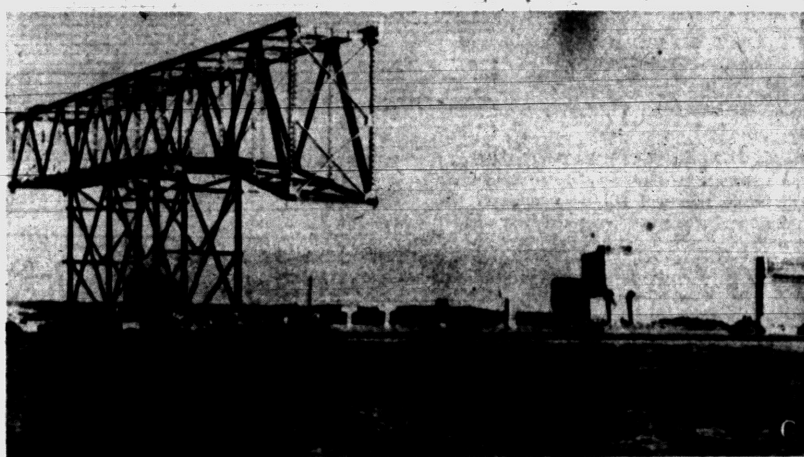
LANSING (AP)—Seven miles of new two-lane pavement on M15 in Saginaw and Bay Counties will be opened to traffic tonight, the State Highway Department said today.

The new stretch runs from Columbus avenue in Bay City south to M18 in Saginaw County. The old pavement will be left in use, making that section of M15 a four-lane highway.

Parking Garage OK'd

NEW YORK (AP)—The City Planning Commission has approved construction of a giant underground parking garage in Brooklyn, first of its kind in the city. The \$2,961,000 project, approved yesterday, would accommodate 682 automobiles. A 3.1 acre park would be built on its roof in the Brooklyn Civic Center.

Bridge Section Towed Into Place



LAST WORK UNTIL SPRING — Huge 750-ton span of the Straits of Mackinac bridge is carried on barges towed by tugs to its resting place between two piers at extreme right. Fabricated

ashore, a similar section of the bridge was placed into position earlier near the opposite shore. It was the last big operation of the season as winter closed down on the Straits.

Students Give Up Exchange of Gifts to Offer Needy a Merry Yuletide

By WILMA GREENWAY
"It is more blessed to give than to receive."

The truth of the lesson the Great Teacher came to convey was rediscovered yesterday by 642 teenage students of Wever Junior High School.

There was more than a party mood in Wever's 18 homerooms that fated 30 needy children with gifts of toys and clothing. There was a new spirit in the school — spontaneous, infectious, overwhelming — as hundreds of teenagers watched the joyful expressions on the faces of underprivileged youngsters they had worked to make happy.

Children from two to 10 years old were guests at the parties. Wever students had sacrificed their own gift exchange to provide the party and presents.

Some homerooms had one, others had two of the underprivileged boys and girls as their special guests. There were games and carol singing, ice cream and Christmas treats at each party. Then came the big moment, when Santa appeared with his load of gifts.

The idea of giving up their own party in favor of the needy children started with the students themselves. When it was presented by the Student Council, only 7 of the school's 642 pupils voted against it.

The spirit of giving spread, and by the time party plans were complete nearly \$400 had been donated to buy gifts for the little guests.

Names of needy children outside the school were obtained and a call was made at each home to discover the specific child's requirements. Students gave money they would have spent on gifts for each other. Then both teachers and students shopped for the gifts, with purchases limited to clothing and one toy for each child.

"Students kept bring in toys and separate gifts 'on their own,'" said Melvyn Staebler, school counselor. "It was impossible to control their enthusiasm."

"There is a wonderful new spirit in the school — a changed atmosphere. Other years the feeling at Christmas has been one of hilarity. This year it's

The Decision May Be Yours

White or Black Christmas?

Will you have a white Christmas or a black one? That ominous question may be decided by how you drive this weekend.

The National Safety Council warned today that Dec. 24 is usually the most deadly day of the year on the nation's highways, and that danger will be almost as great Friday afternoon and night as many start holiday travel.

Here are tips for a white Christmas:

1. Don't drive in bad weather if you can avoid it.
2. Start early to avoid hurrying.
3. Avoid driving after dark if you can.
4. Follow common sense in passing, turning and following other cars.
5. Be courteous to others.
6. Don't drive if you have been drinking.

Ziegler Reveals 75,000,000 Hike in State Budget

Oakland County Shares in Future Plans; Stress Placed on Expressways

State Highway Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler today announced the Highway Department will spend 75 million dollars more in 1956 than expended this year.

Issuing his annual report, Ziegler said much of the money will be spent for roads, bridges and other structures, reflecting the boom in expressway building.

Already announced plans for Oakland County include construction of a by-pass at the Telegraph road-Oakland Lake avenue intersection on the west limits of Pontiac; completion of widening State Highway M24 from Opdyke road, Pontiac, to the south limits of Lake Orion village; possible completion of the Farmington-Brighton Expressway; and, preparation for the extension of Northwestern Highway to U. S. 23 near Fenton scheduled to begin in 1957.

The department said contracts for road construction let this year totaled 72 million dollars—20 million dollars more than the average of the past three years, the biggest road building year in state history.

The record sum will buy the equivalent of 275 miles of 24-foot concrete pavement, 750,000 tons of bituminous pavement, 175 miles of grading and drainage projects and 55 grade separations and bridges.

Ziegler said the state was able to step up road-building this year because of the increased use of bonds to supplement revenue from gas and weight taxes.

SEES FEDERAL FUNDS

He said the "full impact" of the 1955 legislative Highway Act will be felt in 1956. The act increased the gasoline tax by 1½ cents a gallon to finance an arterial network of four-lane superhighways.

"There is little doubt that a tremendous amount of federal (Continued on Page 2, Col. 3)

Planners Delay Study of Merger

Personnel Lack Slows Analyzing of Proposal to Join Areas

Discussion on the proposed city of Pontiac and Waterford Township merger has been slowed temporarily due to lack of sufficient number of personnel to study the question. Frank H. Marsh, Planning Commission chairman said today.

In a 30-minute informal talk on the issue at their closed monthly meeting this week, the Planning Commission expressed the need for additional help.

"We want to look into it on both sides of the question," Marsh stated. "But at this time we don't have the necessary facilities to study the proposal."

"As soon as we get the staff in shape, we are going to analyze the merger," the chairman declared.

City Manager Walter K. Willman said the city was still attempting to find a planning technician to add to the planning staff.

2 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

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FORGET ANYONE?

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Law Useful in Preventing Loss of Dogs

Attention Called to State Statute

Wave of Thefts Causes Officials to Consider Protection Methods

A little-known state law provides a simple and inexpensive method for you to protect your valuable hunting dog or warmly-regarded canine pet from loss or theft.

The statute was called to attention yesterday by four officials who met to discuss methods of stemming a recent wave of dog thefts.

Meeting with Oakland County Prosecutor Frederick C. Ziem were County Dog Warden Dr. Frank R. Bates, Centerline State Police Detective Harold Ernst and First Assistant Prosecutor Robert D. Long.

Persons wishing to insure against losing their dogs can approach almost any veterinarian for an application blank to be sent to the State Commissioner of Agriculture.

He registers the dog for a \$1 fee and returns a number to the veterinarian to be tattooed on the animal's ear or one of the year legs. The cost is \$3 or \$5 depending on whether an anesthetic is used in the operation.

If the dog is sold the number can be transferred to the new owner's name.

Then if the pet is picked up by another person it's his duty to report the number to the sheriff's office or local police within 48 hours or be guilty of a misdemeanor. Once the number is reported it can be checked through the Agriculture Department and the owner's name and address secured.

The procedure amounts to a protective step taken in addition to regular licensing. A license tag can be destroyed, but a tattooed number constitutes a permanent marking. Dr. Bates pointed out.

It's difficult to prove that an unmarked dog was stolen, Ziem said. The person who picked it up can claim he found no markings to indicate it had an owner, he explained.

A person who picks up and reports a tattooed animal will receive 25 cents for each day he cares for it before the dog is claimed.

The law, in effect since 1946, has not had the desired result because only an average 75 dog owners in the state have had their animals marked each year.

"If more people would avail themselves of this simple protective measure, loss and theft of dogs could be greatly reduced," Dr. Bates pointed out.

Theft of a tattooed dog valued at under \$100 is punishable by up to 90 days in jail, a \$100 fine, or both, said Ziem. If the animal's replacement value is more than \$100, the penalty could be a year in jail, a \$500 fine, or both, he added.

Many persons will offer a large reward for return of a dog whose actual cash value is small, Dr. Bates said. "If they would follow this registration procedure, necessity to pay a reward could be avoided in most cases," he asserted.

Southfield Women Waives Examination

Charged with forging \$23,000 in checks, Mamie June Smith, 35, of Southfield Township, waived examination in Birmingham Justice Court Jan. 3.

Justice John J. Gaffill returned Miss Smith to jail when she failed to post a \$1,000 bond.

The charge was brought when discrepancies were found in the books of a Birmingham contractor's office, where Miss Smith formerly was employed.

The Weather

PONTIAC AND VICINITY—Mostly cloudy with occasional light snow today. High tonight 18-22, low tomorrow 10-15. Tomorrow night mostly cloudy with snow flurries and continued rather cold, low 10-15.

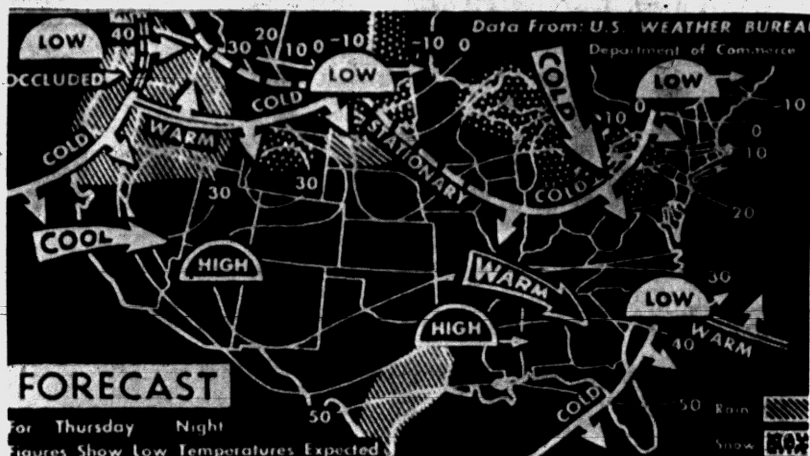
Today in Pontiac
Lowest temperature preceding 8 a.m. 18
At 8 a.m.: Wind velocity 10-15 m.p.h.
Direction: South
Sun sets Thursday at 5:09 p.m.
Moon rises Friday at 7:59 a.m.
Moon sets Friday at 12:14 p.m.
Moon rises Saturday at 1:34 a.m.

Downtown Temperatures
8 a.m. 20 11 a.m. 22
1 p.m. 24 4 p.m. 24
7 a.m. 20 10 a.m. 22
1 p.m. 24 4 p.m. 24
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Wednesday in Pontiac
(As recorded downtown)
Highest temperature 24
Lowest temperature 12
Mean temperature 18
Weather—Cold

One Year Ago in Pontiac
Highest temperature 28
Lowest temperature 8
Mean temperature 17
Weather—Cold

Mean and Lowest Temperatures This 16 in 1951
Date in 55 Years -24 in 1972



FORECAST FOR TONIGHT—The Great Lakes region and northern Plains will have some snow tonight while rain will fall over much of the Northwest and along the Texas coast. It will be warmer in the East and over the Ohio valley, with a change to colder in the northern Plains. Forecast for the Pontiac area is cloudy with snow flurries.

Drive for Better U.S. Roads Gets Start in Detroit

DETROIT (AP)—A nation-wide campaign "to alert the 84th Congress to the necessity" of a 40,000-mile interstate highway construction program was started in Detroit yesterday.

The meeting was under sponsorship of the American Municipal Assn. and was the first of a series planned across the country.

The last session of Congress adjourned without passing any of several proposed multi-billion dollar highway construction programs.

"We are not trying to tell Congress how to do its job,"

3 Appointed to Rule on Traffic Light Plea

LANSING (INS)—Gov. G. Mennen Williams has appointed a 3-member commission to study the complaints of Taylor Township residents, who for weeks staged blockades of Telegraph road in an effort to get a traffic light installed.

The action came after Gov. Williams negotiated a truce with the women, who staged marathon blockades of Telegraph and Cypress.

The commission is headed by Leslie R. Silvernale, professor of driver education at Michigan State University. The other two members are Mrs. Florence Sweeney of Grosse Ile, and Jerome D. Franklin, city traffic engineer of Grand Rapids.

Spirit of Holiday Slows Lessons in City Schools

The holiday spirit crowded out lessons and study in most Pontiac schools today, as students and teachers prepared for the 12-day Christmas vacation.

Classes in all city schools close this afternoon and will resume Wednesday, Jan. 4.

Classrooms, halls and auditoriums were decorated with window cutouts, special displays and festive evergreen trees in elementary and high schools. Individual home-room parties, special assemblies and Christmas programs marked the final school day of 1955 throughout the city.

Publishers, Union Resume Talks Today

DETROIT (INS)—Negotiations were to resume today between publishers and the AFL-Stereotypers, the union whose walkout Dec. 1 started Detroit's newspaper strike.

Two other unions—the Mailers and Printers—have since joined the strike.

Meanwhile, a second union has reached agreement on a new contract with the publishers of the Times, News and Free Press.

The paper and plate handlers union reached accord with management yesterday afternoon, joining the Pressmen's Union, which came to terms Tuesday night.

The memberships of both unions must ratify pacts, the details of which were not disclosed. Both contracts will go into effect when publication resumes and will run through March 1, 1957.

The last meeting between the stereotypers and publishers was held last Saturday. It ended with agreement on all but the wage issue and the termination date of the new contract.

In another development yesterday, the Free Press Newspaper Guild unit and management agreed to extend the old contract on a day-to-day basis. The parties also recessed further talks until after the holiday weekend.

A total of eight unions are involved in the shutdown. The other two are the Teamsters and the Photo-Engravers.

Development of a canned rabbit meat industry in South Africa is urged by experts at Vaal-Hartz Agricultural Station.

Curcice Predicts '56 Record Year

GM President Foresees Full Employment; Good Competition in Sales

DETROIT (AP)—Harlow H. Curcice, president of General Motors, today predicted "another year of healthy competition" in the auto industry in 1956.

"This will mean maximum benefits to the customer," Curcice said in a year-end statement.

The statement read: "1955 was an outstanding year for business in general. It was a record year for the automotive industry."

"I am confident that 1956 will be another year of prosperity for the United States and most of the free world. Among the important reasons for our nation's prosperity in 1955 was the high degree of consumer confidence that existed, coupled with a record level of consumer disposable income. People had money, and they had the confidence to spend it."

"The automobile industry won a record share of this consumer spending because its 1955 products were so outstanding and represented such great values under the conditions of vigorous competition that prevailed. Customers—especially General Motors customers—recognized these values quickly."

As a consequence, 1955 results in our industry outdistanced the predictions of forecasters—including mine, and I think I was the most optimistic of all.

"The forces that produced prosperity in 1955 and other recent years will continue to operate in 1956. In addition to those already mentioned, they include an expanding population, technological progress, large capital investments by industry, full employment, and other factors."

"For the automotive industry, 1956 will be another year of healthy competition. This will mean maximum benefits to the customer. Speaking for General Motors, I can say we expect it also to mean a profitable year for our dealers, suppliers, employees and shareholders."

When all 10,300,000 shares have been sold, the stock will start trading in the over-the-counter market. Since a quick over-subscription is expected, this trading could begin with the same day the shares are sold.

When trading begins, the old economic forces of supply and demand take over. If you want to sell, you'll get whatever price is bid for the shares.

If you want to buy, you'll have to pay the asking price. Whether the price will go up or down when the public offering has been completed, no one can say.

It's expected that around March 1, the shares will be admitted to trading on the New York Stock Exchange. Normally, a stock opens on the "big board" at around the same level it was selling at in the over-the-counter market.

The big question is what the Ford stock is going to cost. Estimates range from \$55 to \$75 a share. The guess most often heard is around \$60.

Two Receive Jail Terms on Drunk Driving Counts

Two drivers appearing before Municipal Judge Cecil McCallum yesterday were sentenced for driving under the influence of liquor.

Charles E. Stout, 24, of 287 Irwin St., was fined \$100 given six for six months. He was also ordered to forfeit his operator's license and make restitution for an accident Dec. 3.

Thomas E. Grimsley, 30, of 154 Augusta Ave., was fined \$100 and jailed for five days.

U.S.-Red China Talks Agree Only on Meetings

GENEVA (AP)—Ambassadors of the United States and Communist China today held the 31st meeting in their five months of secret negotiations here.

As usual, after today's meeting they announced only the date of their next session—Jan. 12, after a Christmas-New Year recess.

Quiet SEC Post Has Hectic Day

Registration of Ford Stock Largest Single Filing on Record

WASHINGTON (AP)—Room 302 of the Securities and Exchange Commission is one of the capital's most unwatched spots. It is in one of those barracks-like shacks the government put up years ago with cheap wallboard and exposed plumbing.

Here each year 700 to 900 routine registration statements, involving around 12 billion dollars, come to the receiving desk. They get only discreet notices on the financial pages.

But yesterday—"Biggest fuss we've ever had," Orval DuBois, the commission's secretary said.

FISCAL TIDBITS

Stock in the fabulous empire built by old Henry Ford and his heirs was offered to the public for the first time, and, by law, had to be registered.

The registration disclosed such fiscal tidbits as who owns the rest of the stock and how much, where are its profits, and what does it pay its higher priced help.

It was ironic that when the commission reached its biggest news day it didn't have the facilities to handle the story. Room 302 was far too small for the crowd expected. DuBois worked out an arrangement whereby copies would be released at the National Press Club a half mile away.

Francis Reed, senior partner in the New York law firm of Hughes, Hubbard, Blair and Reed, and Robert W. Hefty from the Ford Detroit public relations office had walked into the SEC and unloaded a large pile of papers, handed the receiving clerk, Mrs. Margaret Lamb, a check for \$76,500. This meant the stock offering was valued tentatively at 765 million dollars, or quite a few tin Lizzies.

Mrs. Lamb studied the check, and then stamped the first document.

It was exactly 10 a.m.

"Okay, let 'er go," flashed to the newsmen.

And some of the secrets of one of the world's largest businesses were secrets no longer.

Pontiac Deaths

Mrs. Martha B. Dugley

Service will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in the Sparks-Griffin Chapel for Mrs. Martha B. Dugley of 236 Cherokee Rd. Dr. Milton H. Bank of the Central Methodist Church will officiate.

She died suddenly last night at her home.

Following the service here, Mrs. Dugley will be sent to New London, Mo. for burial.

Mrs. Dugley, a member of Central Methodist Church, and the Clara Swain Circle of her church, had lived in Pontiac 25 years. She is survived by a brother, Harry Bradshaw, of Minnesota and a niece, Mrs. Sydney Wade of Jefferson City, Mo.

George Haselhuhn

George Haselhuhn, 86, of 422 Midway Ave. died yesterday morning after an illness of 18 months. He was born in Detroit Oct. 27, 1869, the son of George and Mary Haselhuhn and married Ella Mertz in 1896.

Mr. Haselhuhn attended the Detroit schools. A member of St. Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, he came to Pontiac from Rogers City in 1925. He had retired from Wilson Foundry.

Surviving are nine children, Mrs. Elsie Ferrell of Auburn Heights, Mrs. Marie Coan of Royal Oak, Mrs. Margaret Del Foss of Big Beaver, Melvin of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Lena Ritzler, Fred, Herman, Harry and Erwin, all of Pontiac.

Two brothers, Henry and Edwin, both of Rogers City, also survive.

Service will be Friday at 1:30 p.m. from the St. Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church with the Pastor Ralph C. Claus officiating. Burial will be in White Chapel Memorial Cemetery. The body is at the Huntoon Funeral Home.

Diane Warden

Word has been received of the death of Diane Warden, 12 year old daughter of Bert and Jessie Warden of 2446 Francis St., La Crescenta, Calif.

Diane's family lived here for many years before moving to California. Her father had been in the insurance business.

The funeral will be Friday in the Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Glendale, Calif.



HELD IN CRASH—Frederick Thomas Gill, 29, East Detroit trucker is held in jail in Goshen, Ind., in connection with crash that killed two, and injured the son of Adlai Stevenson.

He replied to a question raised by a prosecuting attorney James R. Rood of Midland who reported that two high schools in his county are refusing to accept students from other districts because of overcrowding.

Kavanaugh Eyes School Knots

LANSING (AP)—Atty. Gen. Thomas M. Kavanaugh held today that school boards do not have to admit non-resident tuition pupils to their high schools if they do not want to.

He replied to a question raised by a prosecuting attorney James R. Rood of Midland who reported that two high schools in his county are refusing to accept students from other districts because of overcrowding.

Disaster Strikes Denver Family

Boy Playing With Pistol Accidentally Kills Baby Sister in Crib

DENVER (AP)—It already looked like a cheerless Christmas for Lloyd D. Cook and his wife Louvina yesterday when they set out to buy gifts for their two children.

Cook, 42, a carpenter, last had a job Nov. 14. Bills were mounting, but 11-year-old Grover and blonde Donna Marie, 2, knew nothing of that.

The parents left their son to baby-sit with his sister and drove off. When they returned less than two hours later, their modest home swarmed with police and neighbors.

An officer whispered to Cook Mrs. Cook raced toward the house, was held back briefly by three other policemen.

"Where is my baby? What have you done with my baby?" she demanded.

Someone told the 38-year-old mother her daughter was dead. Grover, playing with his father's pistol, had fired an accidental shot into the youngster's head as she lay in her crib.

His Davy Crockett shirt spotted with blood, Grover had frantically called his aunt, then ruled a mile to a doctor's office. He returned home before his parents arrived. Police took him to a parked car and tried to console him.

An officer related the details to Mrs. Cook, sobbing and hysterical. Then she paused in her grief.

"He's just a boy," she cried. "He needs his mother."

Detective Clifford Stanley said the boy would be released to his parents' care.

"It's just an unfortunate accident," said Stanley. "What can you do?"

Yule Bonuses Voted

CHEBOYGAN (AP)—City Council has voted city employees a Christmas bonus. It averages \$20 apiece.

Missionary Bares Terror at Hands of Chinese Reds

CLARK AIR FORCE BASE, P.I. (AP)—"Abominable treatment" at the hands of the Chinese Communists, including torture, was described by American missionary Dr. Homer V. Bradshaw today.

"They handcuffed me, twisted my wrists and forced me to do strenuous physical exercise," Bradshaw told a press conference.

Bradshaw, 54, and his wife, about the same age, of Pittsburgh, Pa., arrived Wednesday from Hong Kong after five years of imprisonment by the Chinese Reds.

Bradshaw spoke from a wheelchair. He appeared nervous and thin. "I lost about 43 pounds," he said. His wife was not present.

U. S. Air Force doctors said "she is still uncertain of her surroundings."

SUFFERS MALNUTRITION

The Day in Birmingham Flooded Rinks May Be Ready for Holiday Use

BIRMINGHAM (AP)—Ice skating may be possible for Birmingham youngsters, during the Christmas season, even though construction details are holding up completion of the Elton Park ice rink until mid-January, city officials revealed today.

Last Friday, according to Dana Whitman, assistant city manager, the Forestry and Parks Department began flooding outdoor rinks in Pembroke and St. James Parks, in hopes that ice would be usable during students' Christmas vacation period.

The Recreation Board decided several weeks ago that it would be advisable to operate two or three of the neighborhood rinks this season even though it was anticipated that the new artificial rink would be open. It was believed that the neighborhood rinks would be more attractive to preschool youngsters and also help to somewhat relieve the burden on the new artificial rink facility.

Owen Luckenbach of the firm of O'Dell Hewlett and Luckenbach advised the City Commission last week that it was anticipated that the Elton rink would not be in use until Jan. 16.

Efforts of the city had been aimed, before his report, to push completion so that holiday use could be made of the new rink, according to Whitman.

Superintendent of Parks Charles W. Gale and his forces are attempting to establish a satisfactory rink at Quarten School, but a slight thaw is needed to permit better shaping of the ground for a smooth area.

A justice court jury yesterday found Howard R. Snyder, 395 Converse, Lake Orion, guilty of driving under the influence of liquor after hearing a state expert on toxicology say Snyder's blood had contained .17 per cent alcohol on the night he was arrested. He was heading north in the southbound lane of Hunter Boulevard.

Dr. Clarence Mulberger testified on results of an inductor test given Snyder here Oct. 22. The .17 per cent alcohol content was above the .15 per cent at which driving ability is normally impaired, said the doctor.

Snyder has appealed to circuit court and was freed on \$100 bond, pending a hearing.

Other justice court cases heard by Justice John J. Gaffill resulted in Henry J. Speck, 3016 Prairie, Royal Oak, being given an over-Christmas jail term, after he pleaded guilty to assault and battery, and Gerald Coleman, 1917 Bowers being fined \$20 and \$5 court costs.

Speck was charged with beating up James Andrews of 6721 Mark Ct., Saturday, near the Birmingham Theater. Coleman pleaded guilty to a drunk and disorderly charge.

Homeward bound with his loot including two wheels he has admitted taking from a new car he had jacked up on the Harold Turner lot, Clifford J. Briedau, 8088 Harding, Centerline, was arrested in Berkeley by two patrolmen on a reckless driving charge.

When they radioed their Berkeley headquarters that Briedau's car contained two new wheels complete with tires, and seven hub caps, the Birmingham desk man, Patrolman Arthur D. Birkholz, heard the call. He dispatched patrolmen who found the jacked-up car on Turner's lot and went to Berkeley to identify the tires and arrest Briedau for theft.

Mrs. Mabel D. Snyder, Mrs. Mabel D. Snyder, 79, died Wednesday night. She had made her home with her son, Howard V., 330 Cranbrook Crossroad, Bloomfield Village, for several years, coming from South Lyon where she was born and had taught school.

She received her teacher's degree from Central Michigan College. Her husband, Willard M., a retired real estate broker died last year. She belonged to the Eighth Church of Christ Scientist of Detroit and the New Hudson Women's Study Club. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Gordon Jonas of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., her son, a granddaughter and one sister, Mrs. Roy J. McCormac of Rochester.

Service will be at 3 p.m. Friday, at Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co. with burial in White Chapel Cemetery.

Russian Parliament Sets Extra Session

MOSCOW (AP)—In terse front page statements, Pravda and Izvestia announced today the special session of the Supreme Soviet, the Soviet Union's Parliament, would open Dec. 26. No mention was made that it was a postponement from the previously scheduled opening date, Dec. 23.

The two publications devoted the remainder of their front pages to the return of Premier Bulganin and Communist party chief Khrushchev yesterday from a month tour of India, Burma and Afghanistan.

Western diplomats here believe the Supreme Soviet is being called into session to hear reports by Bulganin and Khrushchev on their tour, and possibly the session was delayed to give them time to work on their speeches.

Pennsylvania Rail Strike Due Tonight

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—The Pennsylvania Railroad and the Transport Workers Union meet today in a last-ditch effort to head off a strike of 22,560 nonoperating employees called for midnight tonight.

The strike, originally set for Sept. 2, was postponed when President Eisenhower appointed a fact-finding board.

The board submitted its report Oct. 28 and under the Railway Labor Act, the union had the right to call its strike 30 days after that date.

The fact finders recommended a welfare plan with the union and the company, the nation's largest railroad, splitting the cost. The union wants the plan to cover the worker's family, not just the employee.

The board also recommended seven paid holidays.

Speedy Gal, 74, Confesses All—After Verdict

ROSWELL, N.M. (AP)—A 74-year-old California woman driver paid a fine for speeding and still thinks she got off easy.

After paying it to Justice of the Peace R. Perry Bean, she asked: "Is this case closed now—I mean nothing can change your verdict?" Bean assured her it was closed.

"Well, in that case," the woman said with a grin, "I just want you to know that the officer who arrested me was wrong."

"I wasn't doing 90 miles an hour, I was doing 90."

Timmy Cook's Cherished Yule Gift Is 3-Day Visit With Family at Home

Courageous 10-year-old Timmy Cook of Waterford Township, who has spent four months in a hospital recovering from burns and expects to spend months more before he can be released, has only one wish for Christmas.

"Get me home for just one day, so I can see my brothers and sister and my dog Cindy," was Timmy's plea to doctors at Pontiac General Hospital.

Timmy, who almost lost his life Aug. 25 when his clothes caught fire while he was playing, used to think the thing he

wanted most in the world was a pony of his own. Naturally slight, he is one boy who wants to stay small so that he can "ride horses and be a jockey."

But the long spell in the hospital changed the lad's sense of values. This week he told doctors, "Christmas at home with mom and dad and the family is better than getting a pony," and wept with joy when he was promised that he could go home for not one, but three days.

Meanwhile, Timmy's parents, Lloyd and Adelaide Cook of 1070

Lochaven Rd., put aside the worry of mounting bills to plan a festive holiday. Tim's sister Joyce, 16, whose quick thinking saved his life, will be there as well as brothers Bill, 19, and Phillip, 14. And, of course, the baby, Michael, 1, whom Timmy hasn't seen since he went to the hospital, will greet him, along with Cindy, the dachshund.

Timmy had been left in the care of his sister, Joyce, when the accident happened. He and another boy were playing in the yard, hollowing out logs to make boats, when they decided to burn the interior of the logs and then scrape away the charred wood.

Suddenly there was a flash and a scream, and Joyce ran out to find her brother in flames. She threw him down and told him to roll on the ground, then dashed in for a rug to smother the fire.

Tim went to the hospital with burns covering more than two-thirds of his body. Both legs were charred from the waist down. He was given blood on an average of twice a week, and so far has had six skin grafting operations with more to come.

His courage has gained him the admiration of nurses and doctors. Now his face and arms have healed, without scars, and only one leg is bandaged and in a splint. He is beginning to pick up some of the weight he lost during the painful ordeal.

Timmy still has rough going ahead. After Christmas he will be taken to Ford Hospital in Detroit, where he will undergo an operation to replace burned tendons in his right ankle. Weeks of therapy training in the effort to teach him to walk will follow.

But the courageous youth is not afraid—he's a valiant young jockey who already has won the race against death. He figures he'll take this last hurdle right in his stride.

His parents, too, are cheerful



Pontiac Press Photo

COURAGE PAYS OFF — Timmy Cook, 10, of Waterford Township, who has refused to cry when burns caused him pain during the past four months at Pontiac General Hospital, wept for joy when told that his bravery rated him a three-day visit home for Christmas. With him is his sister, Joyce, whose prompt action in smothering the flames saved his life. Timmy still has an operation ahead and months of hospitalization. More than two-thirds of his body was burned when his clothing caught fire while he was playing Aug. 25. He is the son of the Lloyd Cooks, 1070 Lochaven Rd.

But the Cooks know they'll make their hurdles, too. They have a brave son, a heroine for a daughter, and three other children who are equally as fine. As long as they have that, and Tim is recovering, they can't lose.

Choirs, Choirs, Choirs

BELTON, S. C. — The First Baptist Church here has five choirs. There's the Cherub Choir for 6 to 8 year-olds, the Carol Choir for children from 9 through 12, the Vesper Choir for young people 13 through 17, the regular church choir for anyone over 18, and the Marshall choir, an all-male group.

A-Disposal Studied

WASHINGTON — Nearly \$1,000,000 a year is being spent by the Atomic Energy Commission to study the problem of disposal of its discarded radio active equipment and atomic wastes. Most of the wastes are now being stored in costly tank farms. Safer and more economical means of disposal are sought.

Red Paper in Red

TOKYO — The Japanese Communist party daily newspaper Red Flag today appealed for funds to pay its bills. The newspaper, which recently changed its presentation of news to include stories of general interest, said it owed \$33,000 and had \$147,000 in subscription fees which had not been paid.

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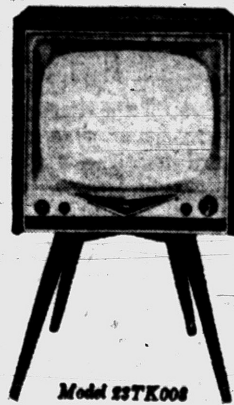
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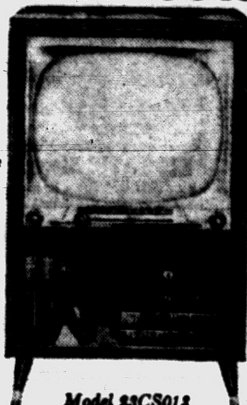


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Youngsters Love Homemade Gifts

By ANNE HEYWOOD
Every year at this time I remember the best Christmas present I ever received in my life. It came from my grandfather and grandmother the year I was 9. It was a doll house and they had made it completely.

himself, out of old orange crates and tiny bits of shingle. He had made the furniture out of wood or cardboard and Grandma "upholstered" the pieces in velvet.

BUILDING, DECORATING

For months and months, they had spent their evenings building

and decorating it and, I learned later, they had had the time of their lives.

And the fun I had with that doll house! The best part was the fact that they themselves had made every bit of it. That seemed like magic and it still does.

I would recognize the kitchen curtains as a part of Grandma's old worn-out apron or the fireplace mantle as that funny thing Grandma had been whittling on so mysteriously, last August.

When I hear grandparents now, as I often do, complaining that they have nothing to do, that they aren't needed, that their grandchildren are spoiled and have everything, I think of that old doll house.

There's not a child alive today who wouldn't rather have a doll house, entirely made by Grandma

and Grandpa, than anything in the world.

If you are looking for something to do, get onto a project like that. You could begin now, and have the happiest new year imaginable.

We spend much time on "do-it-yourself" projects for our homes, but this kind of do-it-yourself project can create a real vision of the "good old days" for our children. (Copyright 1955)

Let's Please the Men

There seems to be a let-the-men-live-too campaign afoot. Or maybe there is a movement under way to keep the men home nights on long winter evenings.

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Kelly
of Merrimac
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MR. AND MRS. ROY A. KELLY

Nora Brewer Becomes Bride in Baptist Wedding

The Rev. James Luther of Silvercrest Baptist Church officiated at the Saturday evening service uniting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen Kelly in marriage.

The bride is the former Nora Verna Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Brewer of Clark-

ston. The bridegroom, of Watkins Lake road, is the son of Charlie Lee Kelly of South Merrimac street.

The fitted bodice of the bridal gown was of lace over satin and featured lace sleeves. The floor-length bouffant skirt was of double tiers of net over satin.

A crown of sequins secured her fingertip veil of illusion. The bridal bouquet was of pink roses, white carnations and lilies-of-the-valley.

Mrs. Donald Wallace of Lake Orion was matron of honor wearing a gown of aqua. Her bouquet was of red roses and white carnations.

Gail Kelly of Gridley, Calif.; Mrs. Reuben Armistead and Edna Brewer of Clarkston were the other bridal attendants. They wore gowns of ice blue, coral and maize, respectively. Their bouquets were of matching colors.

Brenda Patrick wore an orchid floor-length frock and carried a basket of rose petals for her duties as flower girl.

Donald Wallace of Lake Orion served as best man. Seating the guests were Charles Leavens and Dillard Brewer of Clarkston and Reuben Armistead, Omer Dale Brewer, brother of the bride, was ringbearer.

For the reception held at the home of the bride, Mrs. Brewer wore a blue dress with black accessories and a corsage of red roses and white carnations. The couple will reside on Flamingo road in Clarkston.

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Bethany Baptist Circles Conduct Yuletide Parties

The circles of the Women's Society to the Bethany Baptist Church held their Christmas parties and meetings during the week.

Lydia

Mrs. Daniel Owen entertained members of the Lydia Group at her home on Spokane drive. Devotions were given by Mrs. Harry Randall and a story, "Christmas Is for Giving," was presented by Mrs. Hayden Heneley.

Ruth

Mrs. Maurice Wilton and Mrs. Nobel Smith were cohostesses at the meeting of Ruth Circle in the church parlors. The Christmas story was read by Mrs. Grace Steeves.

Martha

A dessert luncheon and gift exchange were enjoyed by members of the Martha Circle. Mrs. Clifford Steffy opened her home on Woodbine drive for the meeting. Devotions were given by Mrs. Aden Thornton.

Dorcas

A cooperative luncheon and gift exchange were held in the church parlors by members of the Dorcas Circle. Mrs. Frank Marsh led the devotions.

Esther

Mrs. Alfred Cole was hostess to the Esther Circle at her home on Whitfield court for a dessert luncheon. "Christmas Lights" was the subject for devotions led by Mrs. Morris E. Boedwin.

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Indoor Air Raid Bell

BATTLE CREEK (INS)—Some day most homes in the United States may have indoor air raid systems of their own. Engineers for the Federal Civil Defense Administration say that such a home signal device probably will cost homeowners about \$10 to install.

Housewife Helped

OSLO—Six hundred eight-four of Norway's 744 municipalities have established housewife-relief services, a local-State subsidized scheme whereby a trained assistant goes to the aid of a family whenever the housewife is too ill to manage her chores. More than 1,500 of these relief suppliers are now at work.

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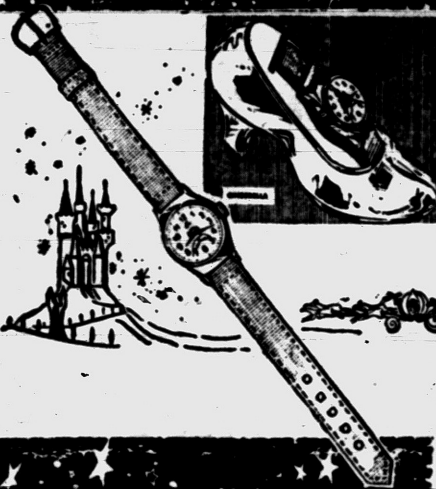
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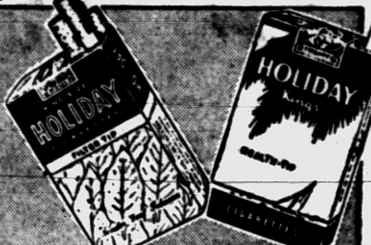


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