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FARMS' ACTION AFFECTS ALL

The Farms decision to place on the ballot the Township Question affects the entire Grose Pointe area.

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GIVE THE FIREMEN A CHANCE

A neighbor called this office during the fire at Nottingham to report that the firemen were lax in getting the fire under control.

Immediately after we received the telephone call, we raced to the scene of the fire which was just a few blocks away.

Automatic charter revision. The procedure in becoming a city requires that a charter commission be elected to draft a municipal charter; the existing village charter cannot automatically ap-

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of them cited a more favorable operation under the city plan.

The favorable replies included one from Ralph B. Netting, mayor of the City of Grose Pointe, which the Township in 1934.

The committee is supporting an effort to obtain 100 names on a petition requesting that the question be placed on the ballot as required by law.

This present committee acted in accord with a recommendation prepared by a group of Farms residents in November, 1938.

Farms voters in March will also be asked to elect nine citizens for a charter commission.

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The final answer will affect everyone in Grose Pointe.

Removal of partisan element in local affairs. Township elections are on a partisan basis (candidates appear on the ballot as Democrats or Republicans).

IMPROVING ORGANIZATION. In addition to the advantages of city incorporation which arise from separation from the township, there is also the important possibility of improving the organization of the local government itself.

UNCHANGED. No change in school districts, health or welfare. Health and welfare are administered and financed either on a country-wide basis, or by townships and cities; therefore the city taxpayers would simply continue to pay for such services through the city.

BEATRICIA WILSON. Beatrice Wilson, 266 Lakeland avenue, a senior majoring in journalism at Michigan State College, has been reappointed as night editor of the Michigan State News, MSC student daily newspaper.

As night editor, she supervises and edits one issue of the paper each week. With a circulation of over 12,000, the paper is the major means of communication for events on and off the Spartan campus for MSC students.

Three cars were involved in an accident at Mack and Lewiston Monday when Mr. S. R. Wise of St. Clair Shores was not able to stop his car. His auto struck cars driven by John F. Sales, Mt. Clemens, and W. L. Heidon, of Detroit.

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The foregoing is more completely outlined and explained in detail in a publication by the Michigan League entitled: "Advantages of City versus village government" revised September 1948, a copy of which may be obtained from the Farms Clerk on request.

READ THIS—IT MAY SAVE YOUR LIFE

Here is a vital message from the Grose Pointe Traffic Committee:

"If you plan to drive to a party during the holidays here's an easy way to make sure you'll get home safely—and it costs only three cents. The three cents is for a postage stamp. Paste it on a self-addressed envelope. On the other end of the envelope paste a picture of your young son or daughter. When it's time to go home after the party, put the key to your car in the envelope, seal it and drop it in the nearest mailbox. Then go home in a taxi or street car."

In other words... IF YOU DRINK, DON'T DRIVE!

It's a fact that on both Christmas Eve and Christmas Day and New Year's Day—the happiest holidays of the year—two or three times as many people are killed per day in traffic accidents as on an average day for the year.

What They Say On Farms Action

Here is what two Grose Pointe officials directly concerned had to say regarding the Farms' revelation to withdraw from the Township.

Carl Schwelkart, Township supervisor: "Withdrawing from the Township will not solve anything for any of the municipalities. From an economical and service viewpoint, an individual community cannot compare favorably with the functions of a Township. The only other answer is that the five Pointes merge into one city."

Home E. Fritsch, Park president, whose village turned down a similar proposal in 1941: "It will be interesting to note the outcome of the election. Our placing the matter on our ballot again next spring is out of the question. We don't have enough time now to give the issue the study it requires."

Rites Held For Woods Mother

Rites were held this week for Mrs. Florence M. Pascoe, 44, who took her life with a shot gun Friday at her home, 815 Roslyn. She was reported despondent because of ill health.

She is survived by her husband, Leigh Pascoe, and four children.

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Letter Box

TO THE EDITOR: In the July 8 edition of another local paper a report was published of the investigation of Alger House by the Grose Pointe War Memorial Study Group. The following statement appeared:

"The Grose Pointe War Memorial Study Group probed the possibility of converting the home into a public library, but found that both its construction and its location were against the plan. The building is of reinforced concrete and it would have cost more to convert it into a functional library than to erect a new building."

"Studies have also shown that public libraries should be located like department stores, where traffic is the thickest. The Alger House was not even served by the bus routes, and was judged too far off the transportation lines to make it accessible to the majority of the residents of the Pointe, especially the school children."

At the time of its publication in July these arguments seemed sane. They still do. Not once of the facts has changed since Mr. Sheldon and his committee agreed upon them. Why does he now find the repetition of his arguments by experts "a public disgrace?"

Very truly yours, Grace E. Sanford (Mrs. P. Clayton) 1318 Kensington

HELP NEEDED

Gold Star Wives Plan Yule Party For War Orphans

Many people see many different things when they gaze at the bright Star of Bethlehem at Christmas-time. Some see love and security; others look for health and success; still others hope to find peace and harmony. But the members of the Gold Star Wives are doing their utmost to guarantee that all their war orphans will certainly see a most generous Santa with heaps of toys and gifts to last throughout the year.

They will attempt to insure this wonderful vision for the children of their husbands who were killed in service, through a huge Christmas party held on Dec. 19 at the GAR Bldg., Cass at Grand River, Detroit.

Over 100 children are expected to attend this year's party, which will feature movies, cake and ice cream and chocolate milk, a giant Christmas tree, and jolly old Saint Nick, himself, complete with toys. Not only have the refreshments been donated, said Mrs. Henrietta Noe, of Mulr Lane, Vice President of the group, but the tree has been promised by a benevolent Grose Pointer who prefers to remain anonymous, and even old Santa's rubicund figure will strangely resemble the City of Grose Pointe's public work's inspector, Julius Stork.

"And what we would like to do is get as many donations as possible from people who would like to contribute either toys or money, or any type of clothing for children ranging in ages from three and a half to seventeen," said Mrs. Noe, who can be contacted at TUxedo 1-5322. Any contribution will be a big help."

The origin of the local Gold Star Wives Chapter began about two years ago when Mrs. Noe, and six other veterans' wives who were finding it difficult to provide the Christmas spirit for their youngsters during their government pensions, heard about the New York Chapter and decided to organize one here.

One of their first activities was a series of outdoor picnics, followed later by their first Christmas party last year, and also a Halloween affair last autumn. Each has been a success in its own right, and the members only hope that this Christmas Party will prove as plentiful as was the first affair. The party will be held in the GAR building ballroom on the main floor, from 3 p.m. till 6 p.m.

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Santa Claus to Visit Here

Though Santa Claus is a very busy man these days he will find time Saturday afternoon to visit Grose Pointe.

The visit will be at Mason School at the Neighborhood Club at 2 p.m. to about 5 p.m. All boys and girls in the community are invited to visit their popular friend and also take part in many Christmas games and parties prepared. Cartoons will be shown.

The Mason school club is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Grose Pointe.

There is no admission charge.

Remember?

15 YEARS AGO
Approximately \$2,000 raised by Grose Pointe Lions by sale of the Grose Pointe Review.

TEN YEARS AGO
Nelson L. Korte, chairman, of the Grose Pointe Day sale reports over \$10,000 from paper sale to aid the school.

FIVE YEARS AGO
The temporary branch of the Grose Pointe office will remain at the same between St. Clair and Jefferson pending permanent site.

ONE YEAR AGO
Helping His Uncle Jim McNally, right, sell Goodfellows papers, Monday morning, was four-year-old Jeffery Warren Fair among the customers was Dr. Werner Kersten.

A car stolen from Henry Germain, 1210 Grayton road, was found at Bishop road near Jefferson by Park Police.

A short circuit in a table lamp caused a fire at the home of William Deets, 1341 Beaconsfield Sunday evening. The Park Fire department confined the fire to the living room.

Obituaries

MRS. HARRIET B. STALEY
Funeral services were held Saturday for Mrs. Harriet B. Staley from her home, 101 Lewiston road. Mrs. Staley died Wednesday, Dec. 14 at her home.

She was born in Detroit 76 years ago.

A daughter, Mrs. Henry S. Sander, Bloomfield Hills, and another, William R. Bewick, Detroit, survive.

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BEGIN DEDICATION RITES



More than 3,000 persons attended the dedication rites held last week at the new home of St. James Lutheran Church, on McMillan near Kercheval. Edward Bauman, building committee chairman, is shown handing the key to Rev. George E. Kurtz, pastor, watching are Walter Faust, senior trustee; and William Schumacher, president of the congregation.

Pointe Prospector Explains "Staking a Claim" for Uranium

LICENSE COSTS \$3.00

By GEORGE TRUE
(Continued From Last Week)

After a good night's sleep followed by a delicious breakfast of bacon and eggs, tea and toast, the routine of city life seemed very remote. Instead of the noise of the cars and busses bearing their occupants downtown for another day at the office and the factory, there was only the noise of the waves breaking on the shore outside the cabin. Turning up the thermostat by a flip of the little finger is quite a contrast to brushing the snow off the woodpile, bringing in several armloads of wood, getting a fire started in the fireplace, and then building a fire in the stove to cook breakfast and heat water for washing the dishes. It gives one a bit of a shock to find the dishes that were washed the night before, stuck together with ice the following morning.

ROUGH GOING

During the night about four inches of snow had fallen, and from the looks of the clouds, it appeared that we might well expect considerable more. Since this would greatly hamper our prospecting, we quickly set out with our Geiger counter in search of some good "readings." It might be well at this point to explain rather briefly what a Geiger counter is, and how it works.

In essence, a Geiger counter is an electronic device containing vacuum tubes similar to those found in your radio, powered by a source of electrical energy and connected to a probe containing a Geiger tube.

Laboratory models resemble large commercial radios and receive their electrical energy from the usual 110 volt supply lines. But the prospector's type, on the other hand, are about the size of a small portable radio, and must of course be powered by batteries. The particular model which we had weighed eight and three-quarters pounds, was built into a water-proof aluminum case, and contained batteries which delivered up to 900 volts.

The probe containing the Geiger tube was connected to the instrument by a length of wire approximately two feet long. The function of the instrument is to give an audible or visual indication of the presence of certain rays or particles which are continuously being emitted by radioactive substances such as uranium, radium, or thorium.

Our particular instrument gave both audible by means of clicks heard through earphones, and visual readings as indicated on a dial built into the instrument.

Due to cosmic rays and other sources of radio activity all Geiger counters continuously give an indication of radio activity regardless of location, unless the Geiger tube is heavily shielded with lead or otherwise isolated from the so-called "stray radiation."

The audible indications are in the form of clicks which are heard through earphones, and the stray radiations referred to, may account for anywhere from ten to forty clicks per minute, depending on the type of counter tube used. When the counter tube is brought in the vicinity of a source of radio-activity, the number of clicks per minute will increase, coming twice, ten times, or even hundreds of times a normal "stray count," depending upon the intensity of the radioactivity.

HOPES RAISED

Our plan was to visit the locations with which we were familiar where the geological formation of the rock indicated the possibility of uranium deposits. Needless to say, our hopes were raised when one of the first locations we visited gave us a small but definite increase in our "stray count" reading. Knowing that darkness would come all too soon at around five o'clock, we pushed on to other likely spots, some as far away as two miles from our cabin. Wherever readings were chipped out samples of the rock to take home with us for chemical analysis, for the readings alone do not tell what radioactive material is present. After all, our find might be only potassium or thorium, or some other relatively invaluable radioactive material.

Since we had had no time in (Continued on Page 10)

Youths Strong-Arm Village Resident

Two youths strong-armed Mr. Ernest Severner, 54, of 1032 Wayburn, near his home late Saturday.

After striking Mr. Severner in the face a few times, the youths took his check book and fled. Park Police said that the pair mistook the check book for Mr. Severner's wallet.

He was not seriously hurt.

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Park To Build Beach Station

Work was scheduled to get underway at once to build a comfort station at Park's Waterfront Park. On the recommendation of Manager Lane, the Park Council allocated \$8,700 for a new brick building to be located near the tennis courts.

Lane told the council that present sanitary facilities are not adequate to accommodate the Park's average 2000 daily visitors during the summer months. He said that the new building will include an office for the recreation director and a first aid room.

The manager expressed hope that the building would be completed before next summer.

Hospital

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Existing hospitals to be expanded, and their respective allocations, are: Children's \$750,000; Cottage, \$750,000; Detroit Osteopathic, \$200,000; Florence Crittenton, \$250,000; Grace Northwestern, \$1,250,000; Harper, \$500,000; Mt. Carmel Mercy, \$1,000,000; Providence, \$550,000; St. Joseph Mercy (Pontiac), \$850,000; and Woman's, \$1,500,000.

The total construction cost of the 14 projects is estimated at \$28,000,000, of which approximately \$8,000,000 is on hand, as a result of campaigns previously conducted by individual participating hospitals, or anticipated from other sources.

In addition to the allocations made to each hospital, a reserve item of \$1,000,000 is included for contingencies, campaign expenses and shrinkage in collection of pledges.

LIST COMMITTEE

Approval of the master plan was voted by the Fund's executive committee, consisting of Webber as chairman; Edwin J. Anderson, Irving Babcock, George D. Bailey, John S. Coleman, Dr. Warren B. Cooksey, Marvin E. Coyle, B. J. Craig, Dr. Douglas Donald, Health Commissioner Douglas, Raymond Dykema, George R. Fink, Charles T. Fisher, Jr., Henry Ford II, John B. Ford, Jr., Mrs. Carl B. Grawn, B. E. Hutchinson, E. F. Johnson, Ernest Kanzer, Thomas N. Lacy, Walter C. Laidlaw, Robert H. MacRae, Frank X. Martel, Neil C. McMath, Peter J. Monaghan, Jr., Norton, James W. Parker, W. Dean Robinson, August Scholle, Nate S. Shapiro, Joseph A. Vance, Jr., James K. Watkins, Oscar Webber, George Welch, Melville S. Welt, R. Roy Williams, Mrs. William R. Yaw and Mrs. Benjamin E. Young.

The admissions and allocations committee, which developed the program, includes: Mr. Norton, chairman; Dr. E. Dwight Barnett, Martin Butzel, Mark N. Beach, Reverend Mother Carmelita, Dr. Cooksey, Dr. Douglas, John B. Ford, Jr., Robert E. Geoghegan, Hon. Henry S. Hulbert, Laidlaw, Rae, McMath, Monaghan, Parker, Isidore Sobeloff and Stuart E. Walker.

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Church School To Present Xmas Pageant

The Grosse Pointe Methodist Church School will present its annual Christmas pageant and party on Sunday evening, December 19, at 6 p.m. in the Kerby School.

The pageant this year, which is under the direction of Mrs. David McKee, will be "The Coming of Christ," which is the Christmas story told in living pictures.

The Junior Choir of the Grosse Pointe Methodist Church, under the direction of Mrs. Fred Asmus will present all of the music for this production.

After the pageant there will be a community Christmas Carol Sing and Santa Claus will pay a visit with something for each and every child.

All members and friends of the Grosse Pointe Methodist Church are cordially invited to attend this affair.

MORE WAVES
The quotas for enlistment of women in the Regular Navy for January, 1949 have been substantially increased it was announced today by Lt. JG Millicent C. Polley, USNR, in charge of Wave recruiting throughout Michigan.

PLANS WEDDING



At a small party in his Provincial Road home, Robert L. Wilbur last Saturday announced the betrothal vows of his daughter, Cynthia and Benjamin Rush Drayton, of Philadelphia, Pa. The groom-to-be's mother, Mrs. William Battles, and her husband, of Philadelphia, were present at the party. Cynthia is a member of the Junior League of Detroit and the Tau Beta.

Chorus To Be Guests At Junior League Dance

The Membership dance of the Junior League of Detroit which will take place on Saturday evening, Dec. 18, at the Country Club of Detroit, has completed its subscription, it was revealed by the Dance Chairman, Mrs. Henry S. Reynolds, at the Junior League monthly Board Meeting held Monday at the League office on Kercheval Ave. Reservations have been pouring into the League office all week and there is no more space available, according to the League President, Mrs. Daniel Goodenough.

St. Clair DAR Chapter To State Meeting

Louisa St. Clair Chapter D.A.R. will be well represented at the forthcoming state conference to be held in Flint. An imposing number, attending ex-officio, will accompany the regent, Mrs. Millard Toneray. Of these are, Mrs. Henry B. Joy—Honorary Vice President General; Mrs. Arthur Maxwell Parker—Honorary State Regent. State officers Mrs. William F. Streit, Mrs. Sterling S. Sanford are to be with this group. And Mrs. Walter C. Pomeroy, State First Vice-Regent.

Delegates elected are: Miss Miss Elise O. Goddard, Mrs. Harold M. Hastings, Mrs. Frank Scott Clark, Miss Elizabeth Coolidge, Mrs. Roy E. DeHart, Mrs. Sidney C. Probert, Mrs. William D. Leat-Koop, Mrs. Raymond Berry, Mrs. Walker Graham, Mrs. Charles Lewis, Mrs. Hansel Dwight Wilson.

Alternates elected are: Mrs. S. Wright Belling, Mrs. Zeben R. Peterson, Mrs. James Reid, Miss Ella R. Lyons, Mrs. Charles Warner, Mrs. Charles Horton Metcalf, Mrs. Harold H. Albinson, Mrs. Robert L. Kerr, Mrs. Dorman Rogers, Mrs. Heman E. Grant.

Mrs. Melvin H. Humphrey and Mrs. Stirling Martin will represent the Junior Group.

Mrs. Robert O. Artner will be Page Chairman.

Mrs. Robert June will escort this year's group of High School "Pilgrims" selected for awards through reports of meritorious conduct and good citizenship in their localities.

New members welcomed into the chapter at its recent meeting by Mrs. Toneray were: Mrs. Wells T. Bray, Mrs. Glenn D. Curtis, Mrs. Jack Melvin Deetz, Mrs. Theodore J. Gardner, Mrs. Albert A. Griffiths, Mrs. Tracy Kane Hastings, Mrs. Charles S. Johnson, Mrs. Paul A. Lang, Mrs. Lafe E. McKittrick, Mrs. A. William Orr, Jr.

Mrs. Edwin A. Synder, Mrs. Ira Steinsulz, Mrs. Henry E. Wenger, Mrs. Lee M. Corless, Mrs. Robert L. Wright, Mrs. Cyril E. Fites, Miss Irene Steinsulz, Miss Alice S. Crabb, Miss Mary Cobane, Miss Alsa Albinson and Miss Peggy Lou Toneray.

The first printing press was imported into this country in 1639.

The dinner party sponsored by the League Transfer Club, has also marked off more than one hundred reservations, it was reported by Mrs. Albert Jehle, Jr., the Transfer Chairman, who is being assisted in dinner plans by Mrs. Robert Shaw. League members are looking forward to the arrival of the Yale Glee Club at the dance, following the Glee Club's Concert at Music Hall earlier that evening. It is hoped that members of the Glee Club will oblige with a repeat rendition of a part of their program, in between dances.

Members of the Yale Glee Club will be staying in Grosse Pointe with the following residents:

Mr. and Mrs. Alger Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wadsworth, George Peck Caulkins, Mrs. Hansel Dwight Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. William Curran, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hunter Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gard.

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Mr. Carlton M. Higbie, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. Gilbert Waldo, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin K. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin S. Warren, Jr., Hon. and Mrs. O. Z. Ide, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Warren, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron B. Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Klingbeil and Mr. Palmer Watling.

BREAK AIRIAL
Mrs. Mary Mullarky, 15117 E. Vernor, reported to Park Police that someone broke her radio aerial on her car parked by her home.

Digs for Uranium Pierce Teacher May Hit Pay Dirt

"I really don't expect anything to happen, of course!" laughed Ellis D. Tooker, of University Place, another Grosse Pointer who joined the uranium hunt in Frater, Ont., during the Thanksgiving holidays. He staked two claims.

"If it did, I'd probably just go on living the same as always. As a matter of fact," he added, "people who read newspaper stories were more excited than I was about it, because they don't understand exactly what the circumstances are on it. I did stake some claims where I found an indication of Geiger reading, but you can't say it's going to be a world-shaking strike until the engineers have been in there with drills. And that won't be until Spring."

Like many of the other explorers, the thirty-two year old science teacher at Pierce Intermediate had vacationed in Frater during previous years, and had become sufficiently interested to buy some land further east of his present claims. And whether or not these claims do prove of value, he intends to continue prospecting elsewhere on certain localities that he believes may offer much better possibilities.

The father of two sons, Ray, 5, and Jerry, 3 months, Mr. Tooker does not plan to give up teaching in any event. He will confine his exploring expeditions chiefly to vacation periods, planning his next trip during the Christmas holidays if a check with a friend in Frater proves that the weather there will permit it.

TO SING CAROLS
Salvation Army Christmas carolers will visit the community during the holidays according to a letter received from the organization officials.

In old England, the chimneys were cleaned on New Year's Day. The World Book Encyclopedia says this was believed to bring good luck to the household during the coming year.

William Brewster, a leader on the Maydower, in 1620, was a printer.

TOO LATE NOW; GIRLS
The World Book Encyclopedia tells of a romantic, Yuletide custom in Czechoslovakia. A girl takes a twig from the cherry tree, and places it in water on December 4. If the twig blossoms before Christmas Eve, it is believed that the girl will be married during the year.

Leopard Skin Coat Gets Woman In Trouble
City of Grosse Pointe Police reported that Mrs. Ethel Angus, 43 of Detroit, will appear for trial Monday. She is alleged to have taken a \$300 leopard skin coat of the Neighborhood Thrift Shop.

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Localites Attend DAC to Honor Edgar A. Guest

The Athletic Club was the place last Sunday evening, Dec. 12, of some 400 members, including many Grose Pointers who pulled in from Ed A. Guest, Detroit's poet and writer, at the DAC's annual party.

The event, which takes place at the club each December, always opens with a dinner after which there is a program with guest reading from his books.

The assisting artist was Doreen Egan, who will sing the lead in "Song of Norway" with the Detroit Civic Light Opera Association which will give at Masonic Temple Christmas Night.

Among the Grose Pointers who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Rev. W. S. Bessler, Mr. and Mrs.

Church Presents Musical Festival

Fifth Lutheran Church will have its observance of the Christmas season, Sunday afternoon at 4:15 p.m. with a musical festival.

The program includes a string quartet composed of Herbert, Helen A. C. Scott, the Clifford A. Burtis and the George M. Stubbards.

Another feature attended by many Grose Pointers was the "pre-Christmas dinner-dance given at Detroit Athletic Club by Mr. and Mrs. George W. Walker, of Pleasant Ridge.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Everett E. Lamberth, the Harry R. Fra-haus, the Charlotte M. Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Geller, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pigeon, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Homer, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haynes, the Clifford Bessels, Mrs. Mrs. Virginia F. Bessler and the George Vanders.

The church auditorium will be beautifully decorated in appropriate Christmas trimmings to enhance the beauty of the service.

The Musical Service of worship begins at 4:45 p.m. with music by the organ and instrumental trio.

All lovers of good music, a most cordial invitation is extended to attend this impressive and inspirational service.

Invite Parents To Xmas Program

Grose Pointe Country Day School will present their Christmas program for parents and friends on Thursday evening, Dec. 10th and Friday morning, Dec. 17th.

Country Day School will present the play, "The Shepherd's Star," by Janet K. Smith on Thursday evening at 8:30 in the Country Day School auditorium. The play is directed by Lee Yeager, and Henrietta Nodal is the Musical Director. Grose Clubs of the Nursery School will present their Christmas program Friday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the Nursery School.

The Lower School of Grose Pointe Country Day School will give their program in the Auditorium at 9:10 a.m., which will include cards and a Christmas Tablet.

Grades 4, 5, and 6 will entertain their parents and friends with the play, "The Christmas Flowers," by Esther W. Bates, at 10:00 o'clock.

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Yacht Club Reception for Jacqueline Ewing

A reception was held in the Grose Pointe Yacht Club in honor of the marriage of Jacqueline Ewing, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. Ewing, of University Place, Stanley W. Lamer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lamer, of Hays, Iowa.

Dr. Frank Pitt with the groom, the Rev. H. B. Lamer, Jr., officiated at the ceremony in Grose Pointe Memorial Church Saturday for which Jacqueline was consoled in her room.

The bride wore ivory satin, fastened after the Empire period. After long prayers were gathered.

Localites Help To Kick Snowball Queen

MR. Dick-Jockey Warren Mitchell, of Rivard Blvd., was one of the judges in Saturday night's election of the Snowball Queen at Tuller Hotel.

Other members of the judging crew were Mr. Bruce Kendall, Art Director of the Fashion Institute, Philadelphia, who is Mr. Kelly's present house guest; Dick Satterfield, National Director of the Grose Schools and Toby David, the announcer.

The Civil War developed an appetite for news among the people.

Lutheran Church Sets Annual Yule Service

Sunday, Dec. 10th at 7:00 p.m. the whole choir of Christ the King Lutheran Church will present their second Christmas Musical.

The program will be by the Grose Pointe High School Brass Sextette presenting Guest's "Voluntary." Besides their numbers there will vocal solos and an organ, piano, double and congregational singing. This program is under the direction of Mr. Duay Katermer.

Light refreshments will be served following the program.

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Newberrys To Reside In Washington, D.C.

Washington, D. C., will be the new address of Mr. and Mrs. Cammann Newberry, who exchanged nuptial vows last Saturday in the bride's home town of Beverly Farms, Mass.

The ceremony uniting the daughter of Mrs. Henry Lee, of Beverly Farms, Mass., and the son of Mrs. John S. Newberry, of Lakeshore Road, was performed by the Reverend Abbott Hastings and F. W. Stride Hamilton in St. John's Episcopal Church in Beverly Farms.

Marie LeMayne Stevenson chose ivory satin as her bridal gown, with a rounded neckline, styled with a bertha of heirloom Alconon lace, and carried bouvardia orchids with stephanotis.

A dark green velvet gown with bouffant skirt was worn by her only attendant, Mrs. T. G. Stevenson, Jr., sister of the groom, with a crown of laurel leaves, and a bouquet of pink camillias.

Attending his brother as best man was John S. Newberry, with John N. Lord; Beverly Bogert, of Rhode Island; James Rousmainere and George Whitney, Jr., of New York City; Sewell Gardner, of Illinois; Myron Wick, Jr., of Connecticut; Henry Lee, Jr.; Christian Herter, Jr., and Alexander Williams, of Boston; Robert Wolcott, of Hamilton, Mass.; George Chester, of Philadelphia; and George Aldrich were the ushers.

Camera Club Plans Annual Xmas Program

Dr. Gordon Aldrich will take the part of a civilian Santa Claus at the Christmas party of the Grose Pointe Camera Club at its regular Yuletide meeting on Tuesday evening.

The Club, which according to its president, Mr. Howard Riley, prides itself as being the personalized camera club of the Detroit District, and the evening's entertainment will be confined to the members and their friends.

A fitting and jubilant program has been arranged by Dr. Aldrich and promises to out distance all former social activities of the Club.

The party will be held at the Club Rooms in the Neighborhood Club in Grose Pointe.

Jewelers Announce New List For Wedding Anniversary Gifts

The new Wedding Anniversary List recently adopted in the United States replaces the one created some years ago by the American National Retail Jewelers Association and was made public with their approval and that of the National Association of Credit Jewelers and the National Wholesale Jewelers Association by the Jewelry Industry Council.

The new list, as did the old, includes products of other industries along with jewelry. Gifts for the first nine anniversaries are gifts that help complete the household. They include, china, crystal and glass, electric appliances and silver.

After the ninth wedding, personal gifts are suggested for a span of five years, because by then children are usually out of babyhood and parents have more freedom to leave the house. Then, as growing children show an increased pride in their home as a

place to entertain friends, gifts for refurbishing the home are designated for the 16th to 19th years of marriage. Personal gifts are again chosen from the 20th on, when the children of most married couples are at work, college or are married, and the parents are comparatively free to think of themselves.

Gifts for the first nine wedding anniversaries are: clocks, china crystal and glass, electrical appliances, silverware, wood, desk sets and equipment, linens and lace and leather. Official suggestions for the 10th to 20th are: diamond jewelry, fashion jewelry and accessories, pearls or colored gems, textiles and furs, gold jewelry, watches, silver hardware, furniture, procelain, bronze and platinum. The 25th is the sterling silver jubilee; 30th, diamond; 35th, jade; 40th, ruby; 45, sapphire, 50th, golden jubilee.

100 To Attend Pottery Party

Approximately 100 students and their friends are expected to attend the special program at Shields Ceramics, 13108 Essex near Lenox, Detroit, at 8 p.m. Friday, December 17.

Two interesting and informative films on pottery will be shown, one featuring Maria Martinez and Julian, loaned through the courtesy of Dr. O. O. Fisher; the second by courtesy of Lennox Pottery.

Mrs. Mary Shields Ambrose, owner of the shoppe, will act as hostess.

Refreshments will be served.

Andrews Home Opens To Sigma Eta Group

Sigma Eta Fine Arts Group will hold their December meeting at the home of Mrs. Milman Andrews, 397 Naff road on Friday at 12:30 p.m.

The program pursues the study of Renaissance Art with Mrs. Jesse Shields presenting "Ghulandaga and Botticelli."

Paul Terbruggen, as guest will solo on the French horn and Ray Ross will sing a baritone solo.

The group will sing Christmas carols to which the descant will be carried by Mrs. Miles Sutton and Mrs. Robert Velt.

Handel's Messiah To Be Presented

The Choral Society of the First Christian Reformed Church will be heard in a rendition of the Christmas portion of Handel's Messiah on Thursday evening, December 23, at 8:15 p.m., in the church auditorium, 1444 Maryland, at Goe-the.

This group of fifty voices is under direction to Mr. James Hunt and has been rehearsing intensively for many weeks. Soloists and accompanists are: Margaret Busby, Soprano; Beatrice Wieland, Contralto; Harry Friesema, Tenor; Amasa Tiffany, Bass; Helen Eppinga, Organist; Denise Greiner, Pianist.

A cordial welcome is extended to all. There will be no admission charge, but a free will offering will be received.

McMillans Go For Buggy Ride As Daddy Opens New Dealership



At the formal opening of McMillan Packard, Inc., 3500 Woodward Avenue, Mr. and Mrs. James McMillan and their two children, Sandy and Virginia, dressed the part as they posed in the single cylinder 1901 Packard. This car, one of the first "C" series built, made a striking contrast beside the streamlined, powerful 1949 models.

Also on exhibit at this opening was a single cylinder engine, constructed in 1900. It is a copper-jacketed, water-cooled engine. Besides it was one of the last-constructed Rolls Royce engines built for World War II. Used in Curtiss P-40 Warhawk Fighters and later in the North American P-51 Fighter, it had a maximum speed just under 500 miles per hour. This was one of the fastest long-range pursuit ships in existence.

James McMillan, in opening the new Packard agency, is carrying on the family association with the Packard Motor Car Company which was started by his great-grandfather, Senator James McMillan, who was one of the founders of Packard. His grandfather, William McMillan, and father, James Thayer McMillan were also active in the Packard Management.

Mr. and Mrs. McMillan who reside on Bedford road are both very prominent in social and civic programs. Mr. McMillan is a member of the Park Commission.

Yule Vesper Program Set For Pierce

On Sunday, December 16, at 4 p.m., the traditional Christmas Vesper Program under the direction of Miss Brockmiller will be presented in the Pierce Auditorium. Members of the A and B Choruses, balcony chorus composed of the 7th and 8th grade music classes and the recently organized Girls' Glee Club will participate. Tableaux scenes portraying the story of the Nativity will accompany the singing. Mr. Neuchterlein will be at the organ.

Frances Crowley will sing the obligato to "Silent Night." "Our Journey Now Is Ended" has three solo parts which will be sung by Gretchen Shinn as Mary, Weldon Follin as Joseph and Keith Rowan as the innkeeper.

A quartet of two sopranos Marg Koehler, Sylvia Stempfle, and altos Joann Karnatz and Betty Hough will sing "In A Manger He Is Lying" and Gloria Anton will sing "Christmas Cradle Hymn."

"Hark Now, Oh Shepherds" and "Come Up Ye Lofly Come Ye Lowly" will be sung by the Girls' Glee Club and "Now Sing We and Rejoice" will be sung by the combined Girls' Glee Club and choruses. From the balcony choruses will come the songs, "No Candle Is There, No Fire" and "A Little Child Has Been Born." The choruses will assist on the last number.

Some of the other songs of the choruses are "There Were Shepherds," "Glory to God in the Highest," "Rise Up Shepherds and Follow," "The Coming of Kings," "March of the Kings," "How Brightly Beams the Morning Star" by Bach, and "Praise Ye the Lord" by Saint Saens.

After the lighted processional of the balcony chorus, some of the carols that will be sung are "Whence Comes the Rush of Wings," "Old French Carol," and the program will be closed by "Gloria."

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS
The Christmas meeting of the Southeastern Woman's Club, will be held December 20th, in St. Mark's Methodist Church, at 1:30 p.m. A fine musical program has been arranged by the program chairman Mrs. G. B. Morse.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH
Mr. and Mrs. A. Cannon, of 1201 Nottingham announce the birth of a son at Harper Hospital Monday. Mrs. Cannon is the former Miss Ruth Becker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Becker.

Plan Special Yuletide Rites

The Christmas Season at the Jefferson Avenue Baptist Church will be marked by the observance of a number of special services.

On Sunday, Dec. 19 at 11 a.m. the Combined Choirs will sing special festival music and Rev. J. P. Hendershot will bring the Christmas Message. At 7:30 p.m. the Annual Christmas Candlelight Service will be observed. The Combined Choirs of more than one hundred voices will present the story of the "Little Christ Child" in carol, anthem and scripture. This service will be directed by Grace Samson, minister of music.

The seasonal observance will close with two special services on Sunday, Dec. 28. Combined Chancel and Young Peoples Choirs will sing at both services. At the evening services, Christmas Music from The Messiah will be sung in solo and chorus.

U-M Choir Includes 3 Local Voices

The University of Michigan Choir, numbering 190 singers, will present a Christmas concert in Hill Auditorium on Thursday, Dec. 16 at 8:30 p.m.

The group will be directed by Maynard Klein, associate professor of choral music at the University.

The purpose of the organization, Prof. Klein explained, is to study the great choral repertoire from the 16th century down to the present time—repertoire which embraces motets, part songs, cantatas, oratorios and masses.

Localities in this chorus include Robert Cogan, 945 Lakepointe, 1st bass; Dorothy Duncan, 36 Elm Court, 2nd alto; and Mary Lou Ewing, 526 University Place, 1st alto.

Legion Auxiliary Plans Holiday Party For Kids

Grose Pointe American Legion, Post 303 Auxiliary will hold their annual Christmas party for the children of the Post members at the Post building, Sunday, Dec. 19 at 2 p.m.

Members are asked to bring their children who are 12 years old and under to meet Santa Claus and take part in an attractive holiday program designed to make children happy.

On Monday, Dec. 20, the Auxiliary's regular meeting will be held at which time members will exchange gifts.

Underwriters Hold Party

The Women's Group of the Detroit Life Underwriters Association held a Jolly Old St. Nick Party on Friday, December 10th in the Harmsworth Room at the Detroit Yacht Club on Belle Isle. They were the guests of David R. Hoover and much Christmas Cheer was everywhere. Vera M. Beck, President, presided.

Announce Publication of 32nd Blue Book

The 1949 Social Secretary will come out at Christmastime with a listing of Grose Pointe and Michigan society.

This year's social register is the 32nd edition of the original and oldest blue book in this area, often called the "bible of Detroit blue-bloods" and carries a lengthy registration from Grose Pointe.

Edgar C. Cox, publisher of the Social Secretary, says that the listings are drawn up by a committee of top socialites. This jury is the official arbiter of Detroit and Michigan society and its decisions are final.

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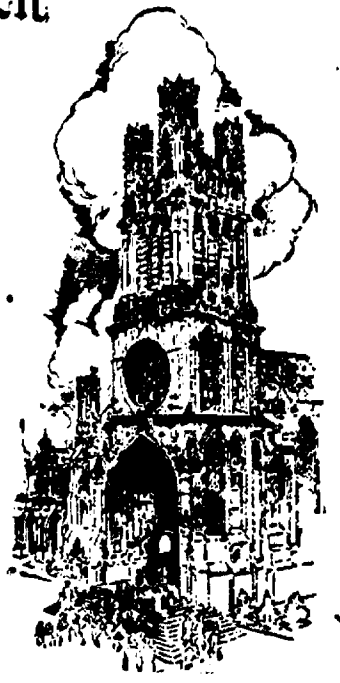
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Christmas Day, December 25, at 10 A.M.
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Christmas at

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Manistique and Jefferson
Rev. Theodore V. Moldenke, Minister

CHRISTMAS CHURCH SERVICE
Sunday, December 19, at 11 a. m.
Sermon Topic: "The Forgotten Man of Christmas"

Sunday, December 26 at 11 A. M.
Sermon Topic "The Christmas Chimes"

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE
Cantata by the Combined Choirs, 11 to 11:30 P. M.
Candlelight Worship Service 11:30 to Midnight

SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS SERVICE
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Sunday, December 19 at 7:30 P. M.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER NINETEENTH

11 A. M.—Christmas Sermon, Rev. J. P. Hendershot
Festival Music - Combined Choirs

7:30 P. M.—Christmas Candlelight Service
Story of the Christ Child in Carol, Anthem, Scripture
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26, 7:30 P. M.
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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM
Sunday, December 19, 1948

10:45 A. M.—Morning Worship and Sermon: Topic "Just One Gift."
Special Music by both the Junior and Senior Choirs.

10:45 - 11:45—Church School for all departments from the Nursery up to and including the Junior Department. Both an Infant and a Toddlers Nursery as well as a Kindergarten class are provided.

12 - 12:30—The Youth Class

6 P. M.—Annual Christmas Pageant and Play presented by the Church School. "The Coming of Christ" the Christmas story presented in living pictures.
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9:45 A. M.—Church School in All Departments with Christmas Worship Services, Gifts of Food and Clothing for the Needy Nearby and a Special offering for Foreign Missions.
9:45 A. M.—Sunday Morning Forum: The Third Discussion Meeting on "Helping to Make Christian Education More Effective," conducted by Mrs. Charles B. Lord.
11:00 A. M.—Church Hour Groups: Nursery, Kindergarten, Primary.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship: Observance of Christmas with Sermon by Dr. Fitt.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship: "The Nativity," in Song, Story and Pantomime—Church Sanctuary. Music by the Church Choir, the Junior and Senior Choirs; Pantomimes by Teachers and Children of the Church School and Young People of the Tuxis Club.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24
11:00 P. M. — Christmas Eve Carol Services — Church Sanctuary (carols will be sung by the church choir beginning at 10:40 p.m.)

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Christmas Eve 7:30 p.m.
Choral Eucharist

Sunday, Dec. 26—St. Stephen's Day
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon

Preacher: The Rev. Alfred Yeoman
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REV. M. OUWINGA, Pastor

Friday, December 17, 7:00 P. M.—Gospel Service at the Marine Hospital

Sunday Services, December 19,
10:00 A. M.—Holy Communion, Scripture, Isaiah 52:13, 14
11:30 A. M.—Sunday School.
7:00 P. M.—The Servant Triumphs.

Thursday, December 23—THE MESSIAH by the church chorus.
8:15 P. M.

Christmas Eve—Special program at the Marine Hospital.
Christmas Day,
10:00 A. M.—Wise Men Worship.
5:00 P. M.—Children's Program by the Sunday School.

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CHURCH SERVICES
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19
4th Sunday in Advent
7:30 A. M.—Holy Communion
11:00 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon
4:30 P. M.—Church School Christmas Carol Service

CHRISTMAS EVE
11:30 P. M.—Midnight Choral Communion
Men, Boys' & Girls' Choir

CHRISTMAS DAY
9:00 a. m.—Holy Communion

Christ the King Lutheran Church of Grosse Pointe Woods
Invites You to Attend These Special Services

Sunday, Dec. 19: Christmas Musicals — 7:00 p.m.
Friday, Dec. 24: Children's Service — 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 25: Christmas Day Service — 11:00 a.m.
Sunday, Dec. 26: Installation of Church Officers — 11:00 a.m.
Friday, Dec. 31: New Year's Eve Service — 8:00 p.m.
Sunday, Jan. 2: Holy Communion Service — 11:00 a.m.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19
9:30 A. M.—Sunday School
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship
7:00 P. M.—Sunday School Program and Christmas Play

Salem Memorial Lutheran Church
Moross Road at Chester
Rev. Wilbert C. Burmeister, Pastor

We wish to all a Blessed Christmas Season and invite you to Worship with us.

Sunday, December 19, 7:30 P. M.—Candlelight Service Given by the Senior Choir.

Thursday, December 23, 7:30 P. M.—Sunday School Christmas program.

Christmas Eve, December 24, 8:30 P. M.—The Annual Candlelight Service.

Christmas Morning, December 25, 11 a. m.—Christmas Morning Service.

Sunday, December 26, 11 a. m.—Regular Sunday Worship.

Saturday, January 1st, 11 a. m.—New Year's Day Service.

"FOR UNTO YOU IS BORN THIS DAY IN THE CITY OF DAVID A SAVIOR, WHICH IS CHRIST THE LORD." Luke 2, 11.

For A Blessed Christmas and New Year Worship With Us

Christmas Eve — Dec. 24 — 7 P.M.
Children's Song Service

Christmas Day — Dec. 25 — 10:30 A.M.

New Year's Eve — Dec. 31 — 8:00 P.M.

New Year's Day — Jan. 1 — 10:30 A.M.

Every Sunday 9:30 and 10:30 A.M.

Bethany Lutheran Church
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SUNDAY SERVICES, December 19
10 A. M.—Dr. Everett K. Seymour, Guest Minister.
Christmas Music by the Choir

10 A. M.—Church School
7:30 P. M.—Youth Fellowship

THE GROSSE POINTE UNITARIAN CHURCH
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Minister, Merril O. Bates

SUNDAY, Dec. 19
Church School All Days, 10:30 a. m.
Church Service, Sermon by the Minister.
Christmas music by Junior and Adult Choirs, at 11:30 p. m.

CHRISTMAS EVE: Christmas Carol Candlelight Service.
11:30 to 12 Midnight.

St. Marks Methodist Church
East Jefferson at Garland
Ministers: E. K. Seymour, I. G. Durlap

SUNDAY, December 19—11:00 A.M.—Christmas Service. Dr. Seymour will preach.

FRIDAY—December 24, 11:00 P. M.—Christmas Eve Service.
Drama - Pageantry - Music.

Christmas at Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church
1000 Mark Avenue at Tolsey Road

December 19, 11:00 a.m.—Christmas Worship Service
December 19, 4:30 p.m.—Annual Candlelight Service
December 22, 7:30 p.m.—Annual Pageant of the Church School

December 26, 4:30 p.m.—Yuletide Candle-Glow for Seniors and Tuxis

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Jackson School—Mariborough & Waverley

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SERVICES

DEC. 19-5 P. M.—VESPER SERVICE
Program by Sunday School.
Music by Senior Choir

DEC. 24-8 P. M.—CAROL SERVICE
Singing of Familiar Christmas Carols
Anthem by Senior Choir, Beautiful Christmas Decorations, Meditation by Pastor

EVERY SUNDAY: Worship & Children's Church 11 A. M.
Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.

Rev. Charles W. Sandrock, Pastor

Teen Talk

By NORMA NEEB

GROSSE POINTE BLUE DEVILS did it again Friday. With many baskets being made, one after another, the team scored 27-16. Trying to cheer and watch the game at the same time were Dan Marony, Don Jones, Shirley Krueger, Mary Nancy Russell, Mary Banach, Stu Fricseina, Rob Bane Wallace, Katie Wieland, Grace Olert, Mike Wallace, Ken Bert Wickling, Jan ZurSchmiede, Dick Smith, Mike Best, Edigan, Bernice Palnau, Marilyn Dawson, Ejean Mattire, Johnson, Kenny Rice, Bob Moragan, Jan Gregory, Sally King, Dorothy King, Lois Spohn, George Davis, Diane Wierker, Ann, Ilene Bryant, Suzie Odphal, and Bill King.

Following the game, many a person headed their car towards **SAMPSON'S** little abode on Kingsville. There, a form of **Dance** was number one on the entertainment list. Eating **Chet's** cakes, and making and eating **Toll House** and **pop corn** were **Sherb Brown**, **Suzie Johnson**, **Clark**, **Vince Schoeck**, **Julie Ford**, **LeRoy Peplinski**, **Bayard**, **Merry Bauman**, **George Abbott**, **Barry Munro**, **Jim Wil-**
Suzie Martin, **Tom Auch**, **Ginny Granse**, **Sparky Farquhar**, **Bauman**, **Bob Evans**, **Annie Candler**, and **Pat Brogan**.

SLEEP? I WONDER!!

Looks like this weekend was just for slumber parties. Three G. P. girls chose their nights, then invited the kids. **AREN VON REIS** picked Friday after the basketball game. Coming ready for lots of fun and late hours were **Hitt**, **Lee Eskridge**, **Judie Mae Mahon**, **Robbie Roberts**, **Donahue**, **Barb Waldow**, **Marilyn Brown**, **Ann Glasgow**, and **Salmon**.

KATIE WIELAND also thought Friday was best, as she invited **Lou Ann Borbon**, **Susan Armstrong**, **Donna George**, **Joyce**, **Barb Mensing**, **Carol Ford**, **Marge Weaver**, **Sally Brown**, and **Ann Watson** to spend the night.

The third gal who opened her house was **JOANNIE KEN-**
NEE. She chose Saturday nite for having her fun. Tossing pillow and forth 'til the Sunday Dawn peeked through were **Coffield**, **Dolly Limbrock**, **Joanie Giles**, **Judy Niles**, **Mary**, **Mary Ann Schmitt**, and **Janet Joyce**.

GOOD SALESMEN

Warren Kelly, WJR disc-jockey, and **Charles Manos**, **Grosse Pointe** editor, sold 100 Goodfellow copies of the Review in less than an hour, netting close to \$70 at the Fisher road entrance of Grosse Pointe High School, Monday.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY

Public and parochial schools will close for the holidays Wednesday, December 22, and open Monday, January 3, officials disclosed.

AMELIA SHEPHERD, one of the up and coming B.A.'s, was the first party Saturday afternoon by Mrs. George Shaeffer. One-hundred and fifty guests were greeted by the young woman in the Palm Room of her Lakeland Avenue home. Among many attending were **Max Bates**, **George Parker**, **Fred Allen**, **Cynthia Netting**, **Dan Webb**, **Susan Seniff**, **Bill Neeb**, **Carol**, **Chuck Endicott**, **Jim Taggart**, **Bill Herring**, **Mac McNair**, **Tom Gable**, **Tom Waterfall**, **Ron Horsely**, **Ned Lambrecht**, and **Barrett**.

The Mexican theme of **PATTI PERRONE'S** recreation room the girls put down their knitting Saturday night and do a little shopping. With "Tampico" playing on the "vic" and **Seabridge** leading the Conga line, Castanets in hand, her guests were **Jeanne Dowzer**, **Sheila MaeRae**, **Twig Wright**, **Bauman**, **Jeannie Webb**, **Jan Hobson**, **Jan Johnston**, and **Granse**.

BELLS RINGING

Bells ringing, snow a glistening—another S. A. dance held out G. P. way Saturday eve. "The JINGLE BELL" turned out to be one for the best of the semester. The **JOHNNY TITUS** gave just the right touch with the Christmas season drawing near. Swinging and swaying to hit were **Sara Weed** 'n **Cal Purdy**, **Marcy Weatherbee** 'n **Dick**, **Betsy Waldbott** 'n **Jim Goebel**, **Carol Kretschmeyer** 'n **McBride**, **Joannie Merrill** 'n **Don Moses**, **Suzie Sharrer** 'n **Don Gorenflo**, **Louise Lee** 'n **Tom Lamb**, **Judy Gehlert** 'n **Don**, **Kathy Grieg** 'n **Paul Williams**, **Sally Seymour** 'n **Spike**, **Suzie Johnson** 'n **Butch Edgar**, **Connie Baker** 'n **Ed Karrer**, **De Orebaugh** 'n **Don Schmitt**, **Margaret Guy** 'n **Mike Foster**, **Rennie** 'n **Bill Joop**, **Joannie Massay** 'n **Chuck Gesquire**, **ZurSchmiede** 'n **Dave Donnelly**, **Joyce Culehan** 'n **Bob Jenks**, **Strek** 'n **Rich O'Connell**, and **Carolyn Hahn** 'n **Larry Friar**.

DISC-JOCKEY HELPS GOODFELLOWS



Local man **Warren Kelly**, WJR disc jockey, met with more than fair success as you can notice by the pretty faces Monday when he joined the Grosse Pointe Lions and local police and firemen in the sale of The Grosse Pointe Review Goodfellow edition. The popular platter maestro sold more than 100 papers within 30 minutes at Grosse Pointe High's, Fisher road entrance.

HERE'S KELLY AGAIN



Here is **Warren Michael Kelly** again—this time Kelly invaded the junior set's stronghold at Francoia to sell the last Review to the highest bidder. This group of happy girls pooled their dimes and nickels together to outbid the rest of the guys and gals.

The first political newspaper of national importance began publication in 1789 in New York City with the backing of Alexander Hamilton.

Joseph Pultzer, who made the New York World a great newspaper, founded the Pulitzer school of journalism at Columbia University.

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Reserve Cagers Bury Opponents

Capturing victories number two and three last week the Blue Devil reserve basketball squad has yet to be extended. They swamped **Royal Oak 52-22** and **Mt. Clemens 35-24** with complete ease.

Except for a basket in the first few seconds of the initial quarter, the Acorns didn't get another goal until two minutes into the third quarter. In the meantime the Pointers had racked up 28 points.

This year's squad is blessed with an abundance of talent at all positions. Eleven players joined in the scoring feast against the Acorns as little **Larry Marr** continued his dominance of the team's scoring honors with ten points. Close behind was six foot-three **Bruce Allen** with nine and **Pat Brogan** of football fame with eight.

Strangely enough it was not a honor of the game. **Zickel** of Blue Devil who took scoring **Royal Oak** scored half of his teams total on four goals and three free shots for eleven points.

Sanford

Locals Lose Practice Game

St. Ambrose High School cagers, who will not begin their regular season until January, recently dropped a practice tilt to St. Theresa, 28 to 24.

The reserves also lost, 41 to 15. Besides **Captain Jim Burns**, players who comprise St. Ambrose's varsity are **Joe Landry**, **Bob Cupples**, **Buzzy McAndre**, **Tom Alfes**, **Bob Breen**, **Dick Van Slembrouck** and **Pat Crowley**.

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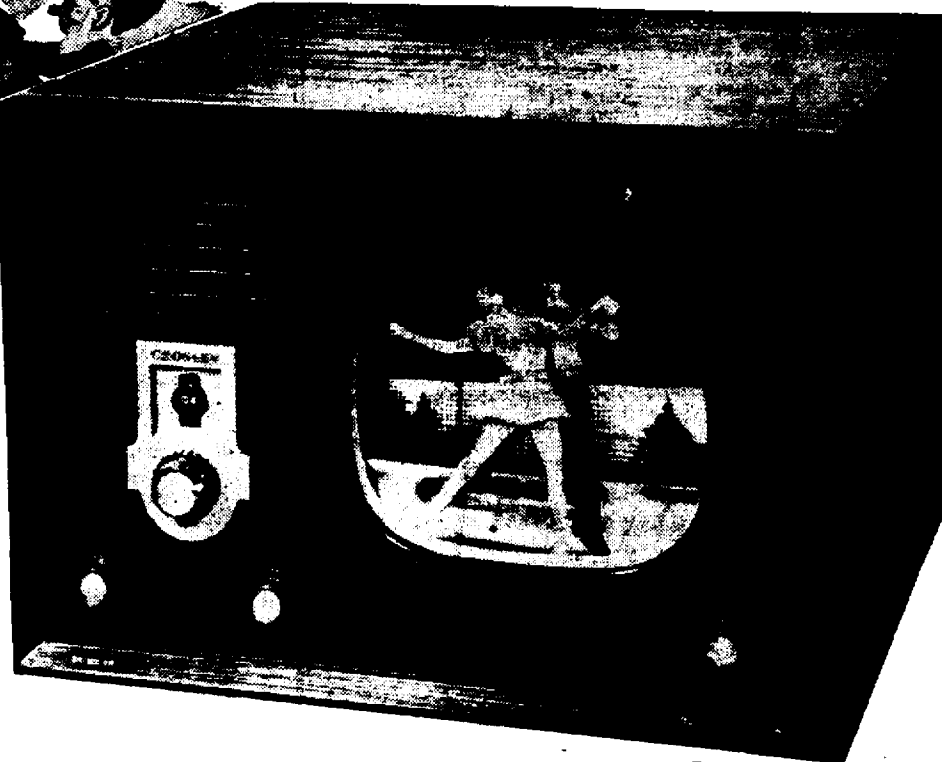
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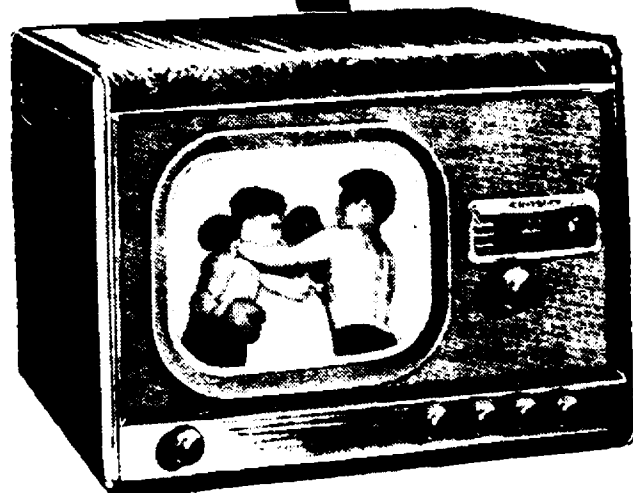
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Houston Edges Auto Club '5'

Houston Bros. Inc., tied for the lead in the G. P. Rotary club Bowling League, turned back the fast stepping Auto Club quintet, in a stand-out match of the season. They won the first game by 3 pins, the next one by 12 and the last game by a scant 2 pins. Art Runkis with a scorching 599 series, topped the Housonites, with three other team mates hitting over the 500 mark. It was a tough series to lose for the Auto Club as they were in a winning streak and were well up in the win column. Houston now enjoys a 3-point edge, which now look like a million.

Kopps Pharmacy lost a valuable series to Earl Holzbaugh, 1-3, enabling the Fordsters to get back in the running. Earl's boys missed a sweep when they dropped the middle game by 3 pins.

Monday Cleaners split with G. P. Review, 2-2 and tied Kopps Pharmacy for second.

Middle Atl Transp Co., jumped two notches in the standing when they took a 3-1 decision from the Punch & Judy Cocktail Lounge. Mitt Toller a 220 single and Curtis Pike contributed a 549 cluster to aid the Hill climbers in their win. The Judies best efforts were McCarrroll and Jackie's identical 511s.

Harrison Carpets, going like wild now, smothered Piches Barber Shop 4-0, to halt the barbers in their steady climb which had seen them emerge out of tenth place to within 3 points of first, up until last week's bowling. Jack Pagel again coming through with a fifty 559 series for the "Magic Carpeters." Lee Litzau's 643 and Bob Schonherr's surprising 544, (the most he ever bowled in his life) were contributing factors in Harrison's victory.

Motor City Tires, deserving a better fate, lost four to Farms Market who haven't won a series since, (who knows when). A one-man show put on by Howard Ewald did the trick, a 234 middle game in a 569 series.

STANDING

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1. Houston Bros, Inc.	36	20
2. Kopps Pharmacy	33	23
3. Monday Cleaners	33	23
4. Earl Holzbaugh	31	25
5. Middle Atl Transp Co.	30	26
6. Auto Club	29	27
7. Piches Barber Shop	29	27
8. Farms Market	27	29
9. Punch and Judy Cocktail Lounge	23	33
10. G. P. Review	23	33
11. Harrison Carpets	23	33
12. Motor City Tires	19	37

Health Board Reports 23 Chicken Pox Cases

According to the Grosse Pointe Township Health Department, 23 cases of chicken pox and 10 cases of mumps were reported in November.

The department's monthly health report also stated that seven persons in the community were bitten by dogs.

THE SHORES THEATRE
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Thurs., Dec. 16 — Last Time Tonight
Jeanne Crain in "APARTMENT FOR PEGGY" (Color) plus "THE SEARCH"

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Prospector
(Continued from Page 3)

the Soo in which to obtain miner's licenses, it was impossible for us to stake out any claims at this time. Besides, none of us knew how to go about staking out a claim. It was probably very fortunate that this was so, for otherwise, we would have probably have lost valuable prospecting time by stopping to stake out each discovery.

We had intended, on returning to the Soo on Tuesday, to drive on to Detroit Tuesday night. However, when we reported our findings to an engineer friend in the Soo that evening, he advised us to stake claims as quickly as possible. The three of us went into a huddle and it was decided that I should return to Detroit the next day with the samples, for analysis, and that the other two Georges would obtain their mining licenses, and return to MacGregor Cove the next day. We also put in a call for assistance to another cousin, Russell Devlin, a mining engineer in Noranda, Quebec, to come and assist in staking out claims.

STAKING A CLAIM

The first step in staking a claim is to obtain a miner's license. This license consists of a form filled with the licensee's name and address, and assigning a number which must be used in filing a claim. The fee for this license is \$3.00 and the license expires in March the following year. At first we thought that Americans would not be able to take out miner's licenses and stake claims, but the girl at the license desk said, "As long as you have your three dollars, we don't care who you are."

The actual staking of a claim consists of: 1—determining where the Northeast corner of the claim will be, and then driving into the ground at this point, a stake not less than 4 inches square and 4 feet high, into the ground. This is the Number One Stake and is so marked on the side facing the South, together with the name, date, and hour as well as the license number of the prospector. 2—The next step is to measure a straight line one quarter of a mile long, due South from the stake, marking the trees along this line with blazes on the North and South sides of the trees. At the South end of this line the prospector drives Stake Number Two. Again writing the data which appeared on Stake Number One, only this time marking the Stake Number "2". He next proceeds, 3—due West, another quarter of a mile, this time blazing the trees on the East and West sides, and drives stake Number Three. 4—Continuing North another quarter of a mile, he drives stake Number Four and proceeding East a quarter of a mile again, he arrives back at Stake Number One. The directions are run by compass, and in the event that no tape measure is available, it is permitted that the distances be paced, the average being 500 paces to the quarter mile.

Anyone who has travelled this mountainous and rocky territory knows how very difficult it is to pace it in a straight line. The trees are large, and thickly populated.

The ground is rough, with rocks and crevices, and many deep drops and high cliffs.

It is not like walking down Kercheval avenue for 500 paces. A quarter-mile square area of this land contains 40 acres, and constitutes one claim.

Each miner is allowed to stake out nine claims in any one year. The claims can be, but do not have to be adjacent to one another. But any isolated claim must be "tied in" to a known geographical point, such as a railroad, shoreline, or township section line. After the prospector has staked his claim, he must then make a map, showing the location of the claim, so that at a future date, government inspectors may verify its proper location.

The prospector must then file his claim with the mining recorder in person, at which time he also pays a filing fee. Before his claim becomes final, it must be accurately surveyed by a licensed surveyor, and he must perform 40 days' work per year for three years, on the claim. At the end of this period, the work having been performed, he is granted a patent which is equivalent to a deed and gives him the right to mine the minerals on the land. (To Be Continued Next Week)

The Pilgrims brought with them the germ of a free press. Thomas Jefferson aided in establishing the National Gazette in 1791.

'We Pointe With Pride'



Robert Allen of Harvard road, a Grosse Pointe High School student, is seen entering Grosse Pointe's little post office to mail his Christmas packages early to avoid the last minute holiday rush. Postal officials expect a record business this year. See story.

'POINTE ON PARADE'
Pointe's Little Post Office Does Big Volume of Business

Editor's Note: This is one in a series of illustrated articles entitled "Pointe on Parade" conducted by Leslie P. Young, veteran resident of Grosse Pointe. The article features stories and pictures of many of Grosse Pointe's first buildings.

The present post office quarters at 17140 Maumee Avenue are a far cry from the early days when the location of the post office changed from time to time according to the postmastership, which in turn depended on patronage from Washington.

The first known post office in this area was operated prior to 1910 by M. Lodewyck, the first Grosse Pointe postmaster, on the lake side of Jefferson Avenue, and was known as the Cottage Grove Post Office. Mr. Lodewyck operated a grocery store at that location and maintained his post office quarters in connection with his store. For a short time after this the post office was operated by Francis Cadieux in a house on Jefferson Avenue in the present City of Grosse Pointe.

About this time Mr. Paye became postmaster and his quarters were in a building on Jefferson near Bishop Road. This building was later moved further out on Jefferson Avenue and is the home of the Harrison Rug Company. Our post office next moved to Fisher Road on the site where Francois now has his restaurant, and was maintained by James Locke, assisted by his sons, James and Charles, the latter of whom is now Constable for the City of Grosse Pointe.

Then for a short time John La Belle had post office quarters in Grosse Pointe Farms on Grosse Pointe Boulevard near Clairview. In more recent years it was run on a contract basis by Julius Nagel of the Grosse Pointe Hardware, first at Jefferson and Rivard Boulevard and later in the old Faye Building on Jefferson Avenue.

Norbert Neff, Grosse Pointe City Clerk, in reminiscing about the early post offices in this area, recalled that beyond the City of Grosse Pointe were rural mail routes and among the carriers were Leon Lachat and Albert Meininger, who made the daily mail delivery by horse and buggy along Lakeshore Road, Vernier Road, Seven Mile and Mack avenues.

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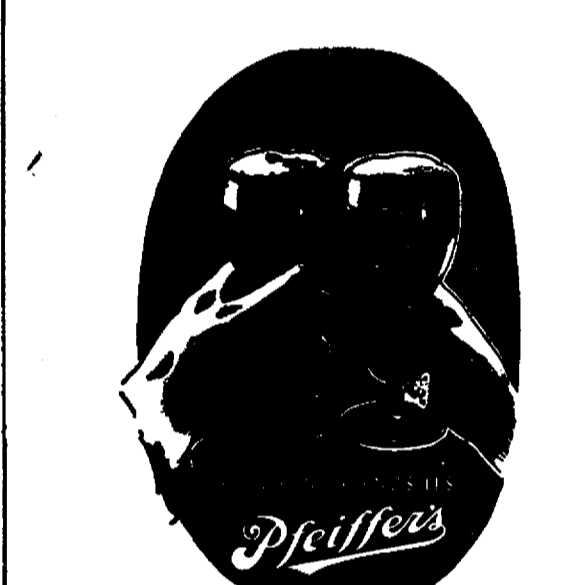
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