

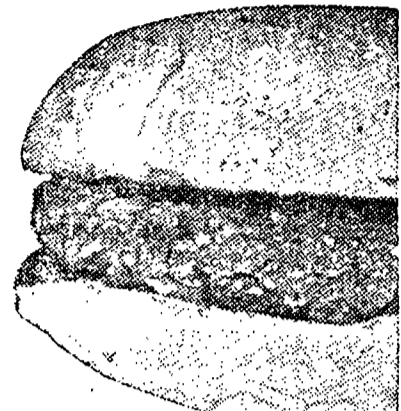
This Week's News As Taken from the Headlines

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Labor Relations Board for an injunction against the three-day mine week ordered by Lewis...

"DON'T GO HOG WILD about the Michigan uranium strike," says Dr. William Fielder...

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Sunday, Jan. 1 MAYOR-ELECT COBO officially announced the names of his new cabinet members yesterday...

MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES of Europe reach the highest farm and industrial production in their history in the year 1949...

REPRESENTATIVE HALL (Rep. N. Y.) has turned over to the House Post Office Committee a complaint of deplorable abuse of the census-taking function by the Wisconsin Democratic organization...

Town Hall Books Carleton Smith

Carleton Smith, music critic and cosmopolitan, will discuss "Arts Censored and Uncensored," at Detroit Town Hall at 11 a. m. on Wednesday, January 11, in the Fisher Theatre.

Congressional Districts, now held by Republicans, with Census employe appointments.

FOUR MORE were added yesterday to the death toll in the Aurora Gasoline Co. explosion, bringing the total to five.

Monday, Jan. 2 GREAT RIVALRY ON as to the first Michigan baby of 1950...

PRESIDENT TRUMAN has been given a plan to hold Formosa against the Communists...

WEEK-END HOLIDAY fatalities throughout the nation were fewer this year than the average.

THE GRAND CENTRAL TERMINAL in New York will discontinue its commercial public address system broadcasts at midnight tonight...

Tuesday, Jan. 3 J. EDGAR HOOVER, head of FBI, condemns the suggestion to create a secret police in this country with which to combat

Cass Town Hall Reopens Jan. 6

Count De Rencourt, journalist, naval officer and adventurer will be the speaker to resume the Detroit Town Hall Lectures on Friday morning, January 6, at the Cass Theatre at 11 o'clock.

subversive communism... unnecessary and "impugns the constitutional principles of our form of Government!"

FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER calls for the United States to defend Formosa and raise a wall against communism in the Pacific.

OHIO STATE wins the Rose Bowl game from University of California with a field goal in the last two minutes of play; score 17-14.

THE UNITED STATES has put out nearly \$30,000,000,000 in post war aid to foreign countries according to a Commerce Department report.

LITTLE FINLAND is feeling the pressure of Communist Russia... Government and people directed to speak softly of their big neighbor.

MAYOR-ELECT COBO, who will not be sworn in as Mayor until 6 o'clock tonight, will be faced with one of the heaviest jobs confronting his administration; the need of heading off a disastrous strike on the DSR.

Wednesday, Jan. 4 MAYOR COBO'S INAUGURAL SPEECH today pledges better city services without an increase in taxes... on the DSR situation he says: "I am fully aware of the fact that the people who depend upon this publicly owned system to get to and from their homes, and to their places of employment, are not satisfied with the service they have had in the past."

THE 81ST CONGRESS RECONVENED yesterday for a session that appears certain to become a forum on 1950 campaign issues... Republicans assign priority rating for a \$3,750,000,000 tax relief bill.

THE UNITED MINE WORKERS went on strike yesterday at most Illinois soft coal mines and against one Indiana mine, but the rest of the nation's 480,000 miners returned to work after the long holiday weekend.

CHEVROLET established an all-time high production record in 1949... exceeded the previous high in 1929 of 1,254,687 vehicles by 19 per cent.

A FEDERAL GRAND JURY in Washington yesterday indicted John Maragon, one-time White House intimate on four charges of lying to Senate investigators in the "five per center" probe.

Schools

(Continued from Page 1) ed, but apparently on which some are not.

Patriotic Citizens The members of the School Board are loyal and patriotic citizens of the community who serve on the Board as a public duty. Not any of them receive any compensation or personal benefit, either directly or indirectly, for the services which they render.

A letter which the NEWS has received from an excited but obviously uninformed citizen bluntly says they are serving their own interests. Such a suggestion should be scotched unreservedly. They are informed on the school needs of the community, where apparently these critics are not. The recommendation they will make on Monday will represent their honest, expert opinion on the subject. Whatever response the citizens may make on the matter will be in their laps.

Apathy Discouraging The most discouraging development of the whole effort is the apathy of the men and women of Grosse Pointe to weigh this matter which so deeply concerns their children's future and welfare rising above the school level.

The estimate of school room needs which the Board has made are based on the completion of the additions to the St. Paul School and its consequent lightening of the public school load. The Board has also been compelled to figure on the addition to the school load with the building of the Protestant Childrens Home which is about to start in Cook road. This will dump 75-100 more children on the school load, or the equivalent of at least three more well filled school rooms.

To Use Vacant Rooms Whether or not this program

is authorized by the people it will be necessary to utilize all but three of the 14 rooms now vacant in the Defer and Trombly Schools, by next September.

President Sigurd Wendin has stated that unless the recommended additions are approved by the voters, it will be necessary to start split sessions in some of the schools within the very near future.

Traffic Code

(Continued from Page 1) the traffic regulations and punishments in a wide range of cities throughout the United States, which highway and police authorities hope will eventually become universal.

The Park has been the first municipality in Grosse Pointe to adopt the code, but it is expected all of the others will soon adopt the same plan.

For the information of the driving public in the Park Chief Louwers has issued the following letter:

To All Motorists: Your city has adopted the Uniform Enforcement Policy, a traffic law enforcement system of accident prevention developed by the Michigan Association of Chiefs of Police.

This is the way the new system works. Traffic violators in 34 Michigan Cities will receive uniform treatment by their police. Police will stop motorists for lesser violations as well as for more violations. All motorists ticketed will have to make a trip to court. A motorist who commits a lesser violation under favorable traffic conditions will have the record checked in the file. If there has been no previous moving violation offense in the preceding 12 months the ticket will serve as a written warning and no fine

ent on a first offense of a less serious nature committed under favorable conditions but penalizes the repeater and the more serious violator. This is a fair policy. Your cooperation is requested so that we may reduce accidents in our community. Sincerely yours, Arthur E. Louwers, Your Chief of Police.

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Dr. David Guy Powers, psychologist and author of his popular book, "Live a New Life" is the Town Hall speaker at the Cass Theatre on Friday morning, January 13 at 11 o'clock.

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City Managers Hold Parley To Study Common Problems

Park's Everitt Lane Returns From Meeting In Florida With Mass Of Information On How Other Municipalities Are Meeting Situations

At the Park Council meeting on Dec. 27 Manager Everitt B. Lane presented a detailed report on the proceedings of the 35th Annual International City Manager's Association held at Palm Beach, Fla. from Dec. 4 through Dec. 8. The meeting treated upon practically the whole range of problems with which municipal governments have to reckon. Many of the subjects were of peculiar interest to Grosse Pointers at this time.

The meeting was attended by 450 City Manager and the information was given that 961 mu-

nicipalities in the U. S. are now operating under the Council-Manager plan of government.

How to Stretch Dollars

The problem of how to stretch the tax dollar came in for much discussion. Methods now in growing use to this end were the introduction of strict cost accounting systems, more effective purchasing methods, mechanization of highway construction and maintenance, combining fire and police personnel, the use of city personnel for construction work instead of private contractors,

and revised insurance programs for lower rates.

It will be noted that many of these methods are already in practice in Grosse Pointe.

Plans have been adopted in many cities on a coordinated basis for the administration of public recreation, involving a two-way contract between the schools and cities. This is best effected by appointing a Recreation Commission consisting of the City Manager, one councilman and a member of the P.T.A., a member of the School Board and two lay citizens.

School Room Problem

There was an interesting report made on the methods adopted in some communities to meet their pressing school room problem, which is particularly urgent in Grosse Pointe now. Seattle has in operation a plan to reduce the cost of school building construction by providing prefabricated, portable school rooms which are transported from one location to another to meet the changing space requirements in the various school areas. The units are attached to sectional corridors on the site at each location. These units can be moved from one school to another for approximately \$450.

There was general agreement that off-street parking was the only solution to the parking problem. In many communities parking lots are purchased with revenue bonds and financed by meter collections. Other communities provide parking lots and parking spaces which are rented to the users on a monthly basis.

Master Plans Praised

The convention was unanimous on the advantages of orderly and systematic planning for city growth, and particular stress was laid on the advantage of the early adoption of a master plan to be followed out through the years.

On the question of disposal of household garbage the discussion took an angle which was of particular interest to Grosse Pointe, where this has long been a harrowing subject. Speaking of devices installed in households to grind up garbage, which has been proposed here, the information came from some places which have had experience, that in many the old sewers which were laid on flat grades would not carry away the residue from the household grinders. Grosse Pointe has many flat sewers and the lack of grade has always plagued the sewer problem.

Fire Losses Jump

Fire losses throughout the country stood at \$725,000,000 in 1948. These increased this year by 3.3 per cent. Contributing causes to the fire increase were self service gasoline stations and the widespread development of television. The antennae in the latter are found to attract lightning and the hazard of private parties, dishing out their own gas has led some state to prohibit this practice.

REPORTS ACCIDENT

James F. Donahue, 19, of 1788 Prestwick, Grosse Pointe Woods, reported to the Farms police on Jan. 2 that his car had collided with one driven by Mrs. Henry T. Munson of 4175 Courville road, on the afternoon of Jan. 1 at Kerby and Kercheval. He said he was not certain of the extent of the damages.

The New Dodge Arrives



BOOS MOTORS, Grosse Pointe's own Dodge agency, Mack at Newcastle, is proudly exhibiting this and other glamorous models of the new 1950 Dodge line. While the roominess and other 1949 comfort features have been retained in the new cars there is an added richness in styling that should make it a 1950 leader in its field.

Center to Offer Review of Plays

The "Play Parade", a review of the newest openings on Broadway, will be given by Marcelline Hemingway Sanford, (Mrs. Sterling S. Sanford), as the feature of the January tea at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial Center on Wednesday, January 11, at 1:30 p. m.

Mrs. Sanford, sister of author Ernest Hemingway, has been active in the theater as a writer,



MRS. MARCELLINE H. SANFORD

director and actress. Her prize-winning one-act plays have been produced in Greater Detroit and throughout the United States. Mrs. Sanford is an active member of the Theater Arts Club of Detroit. Her sparkling, up-to-the-minute reviews have delighted audiences at the Detroit Boat Club, the Women's City Club, Libra Club, Ixex Club and the Grosse Pointe branch of A.A.U.W. Recently returned from New York where she saw eleven of the newest productions, Mrs. Sanford will share her glimpses behind scenes. Included is her visit to the studios of Edith Luttyens who created costumes for Anne of the Thousand Days, South Pa-

Cabby's Gamble Fails to Pay Off

The Park police lost no time in enforcing the new bond plate provision for taxicabs operating in the Park. A cab used by the Veterans' Cab company had been condemned a short time ago as not in good mechanical condition for a taxicab, but the police agreed to let it operate until the end of the year.

When the new year was only two hours old the cab driver who thought he would take a chance and operate it a little longer in view of the brisk trade following the New Year's Eve rush, got picked up and his car was impounded. His bond plate was two hours too old.

Mrs. Murphy Injured in Fall

Mrs. Fred T. Murphy of East Jefferson avenue is in Jennings Hospital following an accident on New Year's Eve during which she suffered a broken right leg.

Mrs. Murphy attended a holiday gathering of friends at the Edwin S. Barbour home in Lake Shore road. Upon leaving, she attempted to step into her car, which the chauffeur had pulled up alongside the mounting block.

In the darkness she misjudged the distance and fell down between the block and the car. She also suffered a cut on her forehead.

Mrs. Murphy fractured her right hip in a fall five or six years ago and uses a cane most of the time. The broken leg has been placed in a traction splint and it is reported she will be confined to the hospital for from two to three months.

Mrs. Murphy is the mother of Secretary of State Frederick M. Alger and of Mrs. Harold R. Boyer, both of East Jefferson avenue.

Some of our city-drivers should be made boat skippers—they toot the loudest when in a fog.

Series of Music Lectures To Start at Center Jan. 12

The most ambitious cultural venture undertaken so far by the War Memorial Center will get under way on January 12 with the first of a series of six evening lectures on "Hey Days in the History of Music." Louise E. Cuyler, Ph. D., assistant professor of musicology at the University of Michigan, will be the lecturer.

The series will cover the greatest musical eras from 1500 to 1900. The first lecture will deal with "The 16th Century Renaissance." Subsequent ones will cover

of Vienna, Romanticists and Virtuosi (Berlioz, Chopin, Liszt and others), Wagner and Brahms—the 19th Century in Paradox, and the French Impressionists.

All of the programs will commence at 8 o'clock. The price for all six is \$5.00 and it is suggested that anyone interested contact the Center and reserve a place.

Each phase of musical development will be discussed against the background of general history with which it was concurrent and will be illustrated with recorded examples of representative compositions.

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18th CENTURY, Gray Matelasse, 2 cushion, Solid Mahog. frame	289.50	239.00	

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LADY'S, Beige, only one	79.50	59.00	
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LOUNGE CHAIR, Green, only one	109.50	89.00	
FIRE SIDE, Green, only two	49.50	39.00	
FIRE SIDE, Gray, only two	79.50	64.00	

MODERN OCCASIONAL CHAIRS		Was	Now
GRAY AND RED, Fringe, only one	54.50	44.00	
DOESKIN, Red, only one	49.50	39.00	
WOOD ARM CHAIR, Green and Black only one	39.50	34.00	
CHINESE MODERN, one only	59.50	49.00	
CHARFREUSE and GRAY, one only	74.50	64.00	

ODD BEDS		Was	Now
KLING, Solid Mahogany, full size	89.50	59.00	
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MAHOGANY PANEL, two twin size	39.50	29.00	
MAPLE FOUR POSTER, one only	59.50	49.00	
twin size	34.50	19.00	

CHROME DINETTES		Was	Now
Side Extension Table, Yellow Plastic Top	59.50	44.00	
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Center Extension Table, Gray Formica Top	79.50	59.00	
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Oval Extension Table, Yellow Formica Top	79.50	59.00	

MAHOGANY TABLES		Was	Now
STEP TABLE, two only	29.50	24.00	
STEP TABLE, Leather Top, two only	47.50	39.00	
NEST OF TABLES, Sample, one only	59.50	44.00	
SEWING CABINET, one only	49.50	34.00	
LAMP TABLE, Round, Leather Top, two only	39.50	29.00	
END TABLE, with Drawer, two only	28.50	22.00	
LAMP TABLE, Oval, two only	29.50	24.00	
2 TIER TABLE, Leather Top, one only	39.50	29.00	
3 TIER STEP TABLE, Leather Top, one only	69.50	59.00	
END TABLE, with Drawer, two only	29.50	24.00	
DRUM TOP TABLE, only one	34.50	27.00	
3 TIER TABLE, Solid Mahogany, one only	64.50	69.00	
END TABLE, with Drawer, 2 shelves, two only	39.50	34.00	

MAHOGANY COCKTAIL TABLES		Was	Now
Glass Top, Oval	34.50	24.00	
Glass Top, Semi-Oval	32.50	22.00	
Glass Top, Drawer and Shelf	39.50	34.00	
Glass Top, Solid Mahogany Legs	39.50	29.00	

DINETTES		Was	Now
Blond, Solid Mahogany, Oval Table, 4 Chairs	199.50	149.00	
Blond, Solid Birch, Oval Table, 4 Chairs	109.50	89.00	
Wheat, Solid Birch, Oval Table, 4 Chairs	129.50	109.00	
Hutch to match	79.50	69.00	
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Kid Bits

By JANET GREGORY

The vacation is over, but the fun had with holiday parties and seeing the New Year in, won't be forgotten.

JOYCE BLASHILL started the ball rolling with a skating party. She and NELS JENSEN put out the welcome mat for Diane Retzliff and Chuck Bronius, Posy Tomicic and Bob Shaler, Nancy Hall and Don Button, Carol Ford and Chuck Sweet, Rhoda Barbour and B. G. Rich, Judy Morlen and Al Robertson and Ronnie Beatty and Jan Miles.

Laurie Smith and Fred Jensen, Carol Loveless and Owen Orr, Nancy Ericson and Ted Hinchman and George Nicolson and Polly Schmidt were more seen arriving with their skates in hand.

Ever since Jr. High, CAROLYN SMITH has given a "breakfast" during Christmas vacation, so it was natural that she didn't want to stop this tradition in her senior year. On deck to partake of the food were Jan Weinheimer, Joan Abrash, Barb Harling, Judy Richardson, Mary Ellen Hiener, Marlene Houchen, and Diane Schleicher.

This same group plus many more journeyed over to Middlesex Thursday eve for a pre-game (Varsity-Alumni) supper. SALLY MEHRER was the hostess to Joan Howard, Kay Foster, Jean Schneider, Sally Shepler, Ginny Keller, Marian Ortol, Katy Nebel, Tosia Chronowski, Paddy Parker, and Lorraine Asmus.

The Varsity-Alumni game proved a thriller for all, but the alums came out on top. The gym was quickly cleared following the game and the alums celebrated at a dance to which they also invited G. P. seniors. Dancing to the records were Betsy Huette and John Weed, Barb Otto and Vince Schoeck, Suzie Martin and Spike Quirk, Rog Muller and Charlotte Smith, Roy Thomas and Kay Sutton, Cal Purdy and Lois Buck and Ted Laitner and Nancy Voorhees.

Barb Bauman and Sparky Farquhar, Barry Munro and Sally McNeef, Sherb Brown and Ginny Grasse, Barb Orphal and Fritz Bloy, Bill Isbey and Alice Ann Sichter and many more attended this alumni party.

JANET ZUR SCHMIEDE was hostess at a lovely graduation tea over the holidays too. Assisting her were BETSY ARNOLD,

and Suzie Sharrer and Maryanne Waggoner and Jim Schoeck helped to bring the New Year in in style.

CONFETTI, HORNS . . .
At 11:30 everyone donned their paper hats and tried to catch their share of the noise-makers that were thrown from the balcony. Mary Mohr and Tom Nelson, Judy McMahon and Bou Ferguson, Patty Lawler and Terry Lynch, Alice James and Tim Leach, Gail Ashton and Bill Tur-rill, Betsy Arnold and Skip Downey, Madge Winter and Bob Armstrong and Judy Gehlert and Dick Smart were some of those seen scrambling for the horns and balloons.

With confetti in hand, Frank St. Amour and Frannie Townsend, Nancy Maynard and Jim Fisher, Jean Morrison and Bruce Johnson, Diane Schleicher and Mike Best, Sally Shepler and Don McKinnon, Joan Massey and Chuck Ghesquiere, Barb Sutton and Don Gepp, Lila Binney and Ralph Hauke, Joy Perry and Howie Ramsey and Ann Purdy and Jim Reindel did their share to add to the festive spirit.

NEW YEARS MORNING . . .
Bonnie Reitz and Howie Clark, Julie Ford and Richmond Laux, Sally Stearnod and Kenny Rice, Jan ZurSchmiede and Dave Donnelly, Marge Walling and John Sanford, Marian Ortol and Bob Peters, Judy Richardson and Ray Knickbocker, Al Schweizer and Pat Gant, Bob Hollar and Marilyn Smith, Don Venderbush and Gail DeGurse and Betsy Huette and Dan Manson were a few more that celebrated into the wee hours of the morning.

There's one gal who hasn't been so fortunate as most of us, however. Joyce Judson has been sick for the past several weeks with a virus disease. She'll continue to be in Ford Hospital for several weeks more so how about sending a card or letter to her there, Room 1409.

Here's to a prosperous 1950!

Don Dannecker Attends Commons Clubs Parley
Don Dannecker of 890 Cadieux road, attended the 24th annual convention of the American Commons Clubs which was held in Adrian, Michigan from December 28 through 30. He attended the convention as an active member of the Denison Chapter.

The American Commons Club is the first national American letter fraternity to be founded on American college campuses. The Adrian College Chapter was the host at this year's convention. Don was chairman of the convention resolutions committee.

Wecklers Fete Son and Bride

During holiday week, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weckler of Edgetail party at the Detroit Athletic Club to honor their son, James, and his bride, the former Kathleen Holmes of Gardena, Calif., and Helena, Mont. who arrived from their home in Hollywood, Calif.

Out of town guests at the party included Mr. and Mrs. James A. Farley of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Farnum Buckingham of Flint, William Harrington of Manchester, N.H. and Mr. and Mrs. C. Russell Feldman of New York City.

Pointers present included Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brodhead, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Hickey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Couzens Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Hickey III, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas T. Petzold, Mr. and Mrs. Owen R. Skelton, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hascall Bliss and Mr. and Mrs. S. Clifford Merrill.

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Memorial Center Schedule

The schedule of events to take place at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial during the next week includes the following:

Thursday, Jan. 5 — American Association of University Women, 6 p.m. For further information, call Mrs. Goebel, TU. 2-0277.

Sunday, Jan. 8 — Open House—Grosse Pointe High School Senior Class and Teachers, 3 to 5 p.m. (For further information, call Mrs. Ellis, NI. 7689).

Monday, Jan. 9 — Farms and Garden Club Tea, 2 to 5 p.m. (For further information, call Mrs. MacAuley, TU. 2-0031).

Monday, Jan. 9 — American, 8 p.m. (For further information, call Mr. Baldwin, TU. 5-2242).

Tuesday, Jan. 10 — Junior League Antique China Class, 10 to 12 a.m. and 2 to 4 p.m. (For further information, call Mrs. Torrey, TU. 5-5082).

Tuesday, Jan. 10 — Optimist Club Luncheon, 12 Noon (For further information, call Mr. Preston Smith, VA. 2-1950).

Wednesday, Jan. 11 — "Play Parade—What's New in the Theatre," 2 p.m. Talk by Mrs. Marcelline Hemingway Sanford, 75c per person, including tea. Public invited. For further information, call Memorial Center, TU. 1-6030.

Thursday, Jan. 12 — First of 6 Discussions of Great Musical Eras, this one to be on "16th Century Renaissance," by Louise Cuyler, Asst. Prof. of Musicology at the University of Michigan. Public invited. Phone reservations to Memorial Center, TU. 1-6030. 8 p.m.

Trombly School To Get Award

Trombly school will be among 80 Michigan elementary schools cited for their outstanding traffic safety education programs during the 1948-49 school year when Automobile Club of Michigan presents it with the Traveling Safety Cup award early in January.

"Michigan's child pedestrian-death rate in the 5-14 age group has been cut 44 per cent in the past 12 years—in the face of a 53 per cent increase in Michigan vehicle registrations," Ernest P. Davis, Auto Club's safety and traffic director, pointed out. He singled out classroom traffic safety education activity including safety patrols as largest factor in this fine showing.

"It is fitting that once a year motorists should express appreciation to administrators and teachers—and student safety patrols—in Michigan's elementary schools for this splendid record. Were it not for their extra effort in pedestrian safety teaching and practicing, our child accident toll would be much greater," Davis stated.

GARAGE LOOTED

The theft of a hand drill and ladder from the garage of Elmer Schade at 267 McMillan avenue was reported to the Farms police on Dec. 29. The loss is estimated at \$65.

Reckless Drivers Fined in Court

In Park police court on Dec. 28, Judge C. Jos. Belanger presiding, the following cases were handled:

Richard Andrew Welch, 423 Ashland, Detroit, for entering intersection at Barrington and Avondale without due care and caution, resulting in an accident on December 11, paid a fine and costs of \$15.

Leonard A. Duval, 4380 Parkton, Warrensville, O., for entering intersection at Barrington and Avondale without due care and caution, resulting in an accident on Dec. 11, paid a fine and costs of \$15.

James Warren Rogers, 704 Barrington road, for reckless driving resulting in an accident in front of 15114 St. Paul on December 10, paid a fine and costs of \$10.

Clyde D. Edmonds, 28073 Waverly, Roseville, for reckless driving at Hampton and Wayburn resulting in an accident on Nov. 26, paid a fine and costs of \$21.10.

Pauline N. Cohan, 526 Manistique, charged with passing a red light on Dec. 8, was assessed a fine and costs of \$10. She pleaded not guilty and because of her excellent driving record sentence was suspended.

Adelaide Mismar, 456 University place, charged with parking without care and caution, resulting in an accident on Dec. 4, pleaded not guilty. Witness failed to appear and case was dismissed.

John Joss, 1036 Military St., Detroit, charged with failure to yield right-of-way, resulting in an accident at Hampton and Wayburn on Nov. 26, pleaded not guilty, was found not guilty and case was dismissed.

Pointe's History To Be Discussed

Kenneth L. Moore, qualified expert of Grosse Pointe, will give a talk on this subject at the War Memorial Center on January 20.

Mr. Moore has been working on this presentation for a long time and has prepared special pictures and slides to illustrate his talk on the fascinating historical background of the Pointe.

Reports Losing \$200 in Holdup

A holdup which netted a pair of thieves \$200 in cash was reported to the Farms police on Dec. 30.

David Richardson of 428 Lotherop road, said that as he got out of his car to go into a drug store at Touraine and Mack at 6:30 p.m., he was confronted by a man who stepped out of a car parked nearby. A second man stayed at the wheel.

In response to the stranger's demand, Richardson said he turned over his wallet containing \$200. The holdup man jumped into the parked car, took the money from the wallet and tossed the empty wallet out the car window. The pair then drove off.

Richardson said he following them down Touraine, then east on Chalfonte and south on Moross before he lost them. He said they were in a 1941 or 1942 Ford.

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Neighborhood Club Games

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The Grosse Pointe Girls' Basketball League gets under way this week with the Junior League, with six teams, starting Wednesday night and the Senior League, with five teams, starting Thursday night, January 5.

Tonight the Flyers will play the Gemokes at 7:15 and St. Ambrose meets Epiphany at 8:15. St. G. P. C. A. drew a bye. Next Thursday, Jan. 12 the Gemokes play St. Ambrose at 7:15 and the St. G. P. A. C. meets the Flyers at 8:15. Epiphany drew a bye for next week.

Park Policemen Get Promotions

As a result of recent examinations in the Park police department Chief of Police Arthur E. Louwers announced on December 29, the following promotions to go into effect on January 1, 1950:

Gerald Kesteloot, former plain clothes man in the Detective Bureau, is advanced to the rank of uniformed sergeant.

Patrolmen Donald Dean and Gustave Boone have been assigned to the Detective Bureau as plain clothes patrolmen.

They were next in line as a result of the examinations.

LUCKY CYCLIST

Leonard Allor, 13, of 170 Muir road, escaped injury when he was struck by a car while riding his bicycle at Kercheval and McKinley on the afternoon of Jan. 2. Evelyn Owen of 893 Vernier road, driver of the car, was exonerated.

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Society News Gathered from All of the Pointes

From Another Pointe of View

by Jane Schermerhorn

The first few days of the Happy New Year were given over . . . by the deb set . . . to reflection of the giddy whirl that occupied their pretty heads all during the holidays . . .

Up until 1950 was a day or two old . . . there just hadn't been time even to think back on the fun . . .

To the slightly older party-goers . . . Virginia Robb's coming out party was stand-out . . .

The daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. Milton Robb bowed at the first big dance of the season at the Little Club . . .

And the generous sprinkling of post debts . . . and older members of the stagline proved a gala combination . . .

Paging An Older Stag Line

Mamas wondered if the Stag Line shouldn't be comprised of boys Just A Little Older . . .

Introduction of daughters to boys who could simply nod and then buckle down to college books for another three years and in some cases longer . . . didn't seem to be the idea of it all . . .

Brothers, we heard mentioned often, as being Very Eligible . . . were Harley and Hugo Higbie . . . both of whom are out of college and fast at work . . .

Most of the debts considered this idea of "now being marriageable" a bit on the old hat side . . . for the modern girl is anxious to finish her own college days even after a debut . . .

However, the mothers couldn't be blamed for finding the meaning of a debut the same as it had been in their own coming-out days . . .

And the cry for older men followed parental feelings that "we'd rather have our daughters marry boys that are established in the business world than youngsters who have everything in the world from their parents today but won't even have a job when the going gets serious."

The Debts Remember

Mrs. Harold R. Boyer was eminently successful in her theory that "A party should look like a party the minute guests step inside the door" . . .

For from that first minute until the last dance was played at daughter Mary's ball (the music couldn't have been (Continued on Page 7)

Short and to the Pointe

Their Ball Closed Deb Season



MARY ELIZABETH FISHER, left, and her sister, JANE, were presented at a ball in the Little Club by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Fisher Jr. on Dec. 28. The dance, which attracted a large number of out-of-town guests, brought to a close the gayest debutante season the Pointe has seen since before the War.

MRS. ERVIN SORGE and her daughter, HARRIET, who lived on Moross road have moved to an apartment in Alden Park Manor.

LINDSAY ANDERSON arrived Tuesday to pay a visit to MR. and MRS. WENDELL W. ANDERSON of Vendome road. Miss Anderson's engagement to CHARLES SAGER of Greenwich, Conn., was announced several weeks ago. They will be married at the Pointe in April.

MR. and MRS. LEO C. HUETTER of Hawthorne road will tell you it's pretty quiet around the house now that their teen-agers have returned to school after the Christmas holidays. It was a Wednesday leave - taking for JUDY, who returned to St. Mary's of Monroe, and MICHAEL, who studies at Marmion Military Academy in Aurora, Ill. The Huetters are planning a Spring holiday in Miami Beach.

DEBUTANTES FRANCES FROST and JANIS WOODRUFF went over to Flint last Friday evening to attend the holiday ball given by MR. and MRS. HARLOW CURTICE at the Flint Country Club. Janis and MARY LEILA CURTICE are classmates at Bennett Junior College. They left Monday to return to Bennett.

A holiday announcement was made by MR. and MRS. DANIEL ROGERS of Roslyn road of the engagement of their daughter, BEATRICE, to JOHN G. ORCHARD, son of MRS. CLAIRE ORCHARD of Dickerson avenue.

MR. and MRS. DICK BRODHEAD entertained a large group of their friends at cocktails New Year's Eve. The party will be one of the last in their St. Clair avenue home for early 1950 will mark the move into their new home on Neff.

THE WILLIAM G. BUTLERS, who formerly made their home on Cadieux, have moved to a new home on Touraine road.

JAMES STEWART HUDSON, JR., a student at Avon Old Farms, Avon, Conn., has returned after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, DR. and MRS. J. STEWART HUDSON of Lothrop road, Grosse Pointe Farms. James is a member of both the Outing and the Riding Clubs at the school.

THE FREDDIE S. FORDS JR. gave their New Year's house-party at the Metamora lodge of Mr. Ford's parents, MR. and MRS. FREDERICK S. FORD. The fun began with cocktails the afternoon of Dec. 31 and guests were invited for the night.

VICKI WEHMEIER was hostess at a dinner party in her parents' home on Grayton road before going on to the Little Club dance given by MR. and MRS. JOHN W. STROH for their sub-deb daughter, BETTINA.

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM E. BUCHANAN of Miami Springs, Fla., announce the birth of a daughter on December 4. Mrs. Buchanan is the former SHIRLEY BURNS of Grosse Pointe.

MR. and MRS. CHISHOLM MacDONALD of Mirabeau place gave their traditional Christmas night supper this year. The same group, numbering between 40 and 50 friends, which has attended the

MUSICALES are listening to ROSE DER DERIAN, soprano, at the Country Club following which there's to be a luncheon.

MR. and MRS. L. B. HERSEE of Woodstock, Ont., who have been visiting the former's brother-in-law and sister, MR. and MRS. WALLACE S. MACKENZIE of Yorkshire road, have returned to their Canadian home.

Bridal Plans Set For June

That was a wedding bell and not a holiday bell that gleamed in silvery splendor over the mantel in Mr. and Mrs. William F. Demery's Roslyn road home at the New Year's Day cocktail party they gave.

And it told of the engagement of the Demery's daughter, Mary Ann, to William Byron Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome A. Hoffman, Woodingham drive. It'll be a June wedding.

There were creme toned camellias tucked in the bride-elect's hair, complementing the champagne tones of her tulle and satin ankle length frock. Mrs. Demery wore a smart black velvet cocktail suit to which she pinned white orchids.

The bride-elect attends Michigan State College where she is a member of Alpha Phi. Bill has attended the University of Michigan and is presently a student in the Engineering School as MSC.

Alice Sellars To Wed in Fall

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sellars of Hampton road, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Alice, to John Edwin Lane. John is the son of Mrs. Eileen Lane of Stanley avenue.

John and Alice are planning an autumn wedding.

Martha Shelden Weds Saturday

Martha Cary Shelden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shelden of East Jefferson avenue, will be married this Saturday to Malcolm Read Lovell Jr. at a 3 o'clock ceremony in Grosse Pointe Memorial Church.

The Rev. Frank Pitt will officiate and following the church ceremony, the Sheldens will be hosts at a reception in their home.

Annette Shelden will be her sister's maid of honor and the quintet of bridesmaids includes Lizi Murphy, Margaret Watkins, Romaine Solbert of Rochester, N. Y., Mary Davidson of Washington and Lucie Taft of New York City.

Charles Orth of Greensboro, N. C. will be Mr. Lovell's best man and guests will be seated by Robert Molhan of Ocean City, N. J., Donald Jahncke, Henry Shelden III, Frank Floyd of Cleveland, Roy Tollison and Henry Loeb of Memphis, Tenn.

The bridegroom - elect is the son of Mrs. Emily Lovell and Malcolm R. Lovell of New York City.

MRS. EMERSON FRANTZ of Berkshire road and MRS. JOHN F. HODGES of Harvard road are members of the social affairs committee in charge of the dinner, bridge and fashion show at the Women's City Club the evening of Feb. 6.

THE MICKEY COCHRANES, who leave the first of next month for West Palm Beach, Fla., where the Great Mike takes over as coach of the Philadelphia Athletics, are going to remain Pointers. They have sold their home on University place but are looking for a terrace at the Pointe. Daughters SARA and JOAN will accompany their parents South for Spring training.

Today, members of the GROSSE POINTE MORNING

Season's Last Deb Ball Honors Fisher Sisters

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Fisher Jr. Fete Daughters At Dance In Little Club; Earl W. Stewarts Present Meredith And Mrs. LaFerte Gives Tea for Louise

Ring down the curtain on the gayest and most lavish debutante season since the war, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Fisher Jr. gave a ball at the Little Club on Dec. 28, for their daughters, Mary Elizabeth and Jane. Fourteen young men from out of town, joining the local stagline made it one of the most important parties of the season to Grosse Pointe.

Blue lighted Christmas trees were used in profusion about the club and in the small room off the ballroom where the Fishers and their daughters received the guests.

Mary Elizabeth, who looks like her father, wore a ball gown of white marquisette, the bodice richly embroidered in silver beading and brilliant white Jane, who resembles her mother, wore white sheer lace over satin with material rouching finishing the low décolletage and ribbon slim straps used at the shoulders.

Mrs. Fisher was in navy blue satin, the material falling in classic drapes on the skirt and bodice. Mrs. Walter O. Briggs, the debutantes' grandmother, chose navy taffeta faille for the ball.

There was a steady stream of attractive young folks arriving from out of town to be house-guests at the Fishers and attend the party. Julie Kammerer came on from New York, Elizabeth Murdock from Washington, and Patsy Farrelly from Bernardsville, N. J. Francis Hamke of Vincennes, Ind. was another guest.

Ushers for the evening included the deb's two brothers, Fred Fisher and Charles T. Fisher III, Walter Robinson, Harry Mack, Harry Hagerty of New York, Harry Van Wormer, James Tousey, Frank McBride and Bill Dahling.

Before the ball the Fisher sisters and debutante Janis Woodruff shared honors at a dinner, also at the club, given by their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dean Robinson.

On Dec. 27, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Stewart of Provincial road

were hosts at the ball introducing their daughter, Meredith, to society. The Little Club was transformed into a fairyland of white chrysanthemums and Christmas greens for Meredith's coming out party.

The debutante's gown was an off-the-shoulder white tulle, with silver threads woven diagonally to form diamonds in the great skirt. She carried her father's gift bouquet of white camellias interspersed with ivy.

Meredith's ushers were Peter Paddock, Henry M. Woodhouse, Arthur B. Hudson, Bill Dahling, Bill Moll and Charles Symington.

A trio of Westover classmates arrived to visit Meredith and attend the coming out party. They were Sheila Granger of Lincoln, Neb., Catherine Devine of New York City and Ellen Grimes of Providence, R. I.

The Touraine road home of Dr. and Mrs. Alfred D. LaFerte was scene of the debutante tea which Mrs. LaFerte gave to present their daughter, Louise, the Tuesday afternoon before Christmas.

Louise, who wore a pastel blue taffeta frock with wings of the material coming to deep V's at both back and front of the gown, carried the gift bouquet of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hiker of Covington, Ky. It was a spray bouquet of carnations shaded from dubbonet to white.

Mrs. LaFerte chose a black velvet gown for the afternoon tea.

The deb's assistants were Melinda Keane, her sister, Anne LaFerte, Mary Elizabeth Fisher, Mary Macauley and Joan Sattley.

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Woman Injured By Car on Mack

The Cadieux General Hospital notified the Park police at 6:49 p. m. on Dec. 28 that a young woman had just been brought in who had suffered personal injuries in an automobile accident.

Examination disclosed that Ann Picciuro, aged 22, of 1380 Kensington was crossing Mack avenue 156 feet east of Kensington at 6:30 p. m. and had reached the center line of the street when she was struck by a car driven by Emeric A. Cousineau of 1292 Pennsylvania avenue, Detroit. She was knocked down and sustained a broken foot.

Cousineau was given a ticket for failure to observe a pedestrian and hearing was set for January 11.

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Clara Wiley Hit Crossing Street

As Clara Wiley of 15021 Jefferson avenue started across Beardsfield at 8:30 p. m. on December 19, she was struck by a car just starting a slow turn into Jefferson. The driver of the car insisted he was not going more than five miles per hour. Miss Wiley suffered painful bruises and was treated at Bon Secours hospital. Miss Wiley was the chief clerk in the township offices for several years but had given up that position several months ago.

Approves Plans To Widen Mack

At a special meeting of the Farms council at 11 a. m. on Jan. 2 only routine business was acted on.

A resolution was passed authorizing the Board of County Road Commissioners to condemn certain property along Mack avenue necessary in the widening of the avenue.

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Cab Owners Get Insurance Relief

The Park Council at a brief meeting on Saturday morning, Dec. 31, changed the liability on taxicabs operating in the village from \$10,000-\$20,000 where it had been fixed last May, back to \$5,000-\$10,000 where it had been previously.

The Grosse Pointe Taxicab company and the Veterans Cab company, which maintain stands in the village, are affected.

Former County Prosecutor James N. McNally represented the taxi companies in the negotiations with the council.

Reading Meters Dangerous Work

Andrew Wybo, a City highway employe, and Melvin Beatty, the City Building Inspector, were reading the meter at Charlevoix and Fisher on Dec. 27 through which the water pumped to the City by the Farms passes, when Wybo was bowled over by a passing car.

Shop Lights

Mr. and Mrs. Hildred Powers of Powers Lumber Company, Harper at Eastwood Drive, left yesterday for their winter home in Tucson, Arizona, where they'll remain through April.

The Village Manor, 17150 Kercheval avenue, whose food attracts a great patronage, served the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary dinner for the Lisle MacKays on Bedford road on Monday, at which all five couples present had attended their wedding in 1925. All married within that year and all are soon to celebrate their silver anniversaries.

Motor Products Corp. Promotes Two Pointers

Two Grosse Pointe residents received promotions in a change in the executive staff at Motor Products Corporation.

L. G. Jacques, 765 Trombley road, formerly vice-president and general manager, is now executive vice-president.

L. J. Sorensen, 1012 Whittier road, formerly treasurer and controller, is now vice-president and general manager of the Deepfreeze Appliance Division at North Chicago, Ill.

St. Pauloscope

The St. Paul Alumni game on Friday evening attracted students and grads alike.

Some of the many spectators were: Sharon Sweeney, Phyllis Van Becelaere, Paul Modaff, Frannie Arditto, Peggy Wortley, David McCarron, Larry Gelineau, Dick Hoskins, Mary Jo Trombly, Jean Hackenburger, and Tom Backman.

Others who stayed for dancing to the music of Roston Clark included Mary Ann Burlingame and Don Williams, Sally McCarron and Bill Allard, Marg Clark and Leonard Constantine, Joanne Schummer and Chuck Wollie, Margie Heidt and Dick Myszczall, Sis Rooney and Ted Vernier, Peggy Griffin and George Heidt, and Kathleen McCarthy and Phil Van Hollenbeck.

The mid-century was welcomed by many Paulites in many different places.

The scene of one party was the home of Jack Carroll. Jack and his date, Connie Molitor, greeted the New Year with their friends, Nancy Kosenstetti and John Huetteman, Francis Schilling and Jim Hoskins, Joan Hock and Pat Champagne, and Marilyn Sutherland and Tim Champagne.

The birth of 1950 was also seen in the Grosse Pointe High gym by Sally Valade and Leo Kennedy. Pat Underwood and Rob Barrie, Marilyn Smith and Bob Holler, Betsy Burnett and Dick Gallagher, Pat Gant and Al Schweitzer, Ellie Wade and Tom Baker, and Dee Wise and Stu Friesma.

Joining in games of bowling, bunks, and bingo were: Frankie Paye, Suzanne Slimon, Betsy Burnett, Judy Hutter, Shirley Martin, Marie Couvreur, Joan Piche, and Shirley Garga.

Later in the evening a delicious luncheon of ham and baked beans was served.

Carol Staub entertained some girl friends with a tea Friday afternoon.

Pat Gant, Betty Di Paola, Dorothy Fitzgerald, Pearl Frontera, Margie Heidt, Peggy Hyde, June Allard, Marilyn Smith, and Mary Ann Burlingame were seen

Expert to Talk To Camera Club

Grosse Pointe Camera will commence the new year with an interesting lecture on Tuesday evening, Jan. 10, by LaVerne Bovair, noted table top photographer.

Frances A. Hall Is Engaged

A picture of Frances A. Hall and Edward Query, framed in snowy white carnations greeted guests at the cocktail party Frances and her brother, Richard H. Hall, IV, gave on New Year's Eve and announced that the hosts were engaged.

Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bolter Duerr of Redburn, N. J., arrived in time to meet his fiancée's friends at the holiday party.

Frances is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Henry Hall, Jr., of University place and the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Comstock Hall.

The bride-elect graduated from the University of Michigan and is a member of Alpha Phi.

Ed receives his diploma from Michigan this June. He is in the Engineering School. His fraternity is Lambda Chi Alpha.

Pays \$10 for His Part In Minor Auto Accident

In City Police Court on Wednesday evening, Dec. 26, Judge Leslie P. Young assessed a fine and costs of \$10 on Peter F. Ahrens of 3333 Sherbourne, Detroit, for his part in a minor automobile accident.

Henry G. Meltneit, of 26831 West Park, Roseville, involved in the same accident, was discharged.

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St. Clare Keeps Record Clean in Neighborhood Club Basketball League

While most of us were busy exchanging some of those Christmas gifts we wouldn't buy for

ourselves, the Neighborhood Club Basketball League continued to move along at a fast pace.

Some changes occurred in the league's standings but for most part the leaders continued to lead their respective divisions.

Most of the action came in the Minor and Junior divisions.

The best game in the Major division was played Monday, December 30, when St. Clare C. Y. O. dumped previously unbeaten Riley Motors, 46 to 41, in an exciting contest which was decided through the efforts of player-coach Bill Lane.

Lane controlled both backboards throughout the game, which gave St. Clare plenty of scoring opportunities. Bob Messmer of Riley's notched high point honors with 17 points. Three days before, Riley Motors knocked off Ken Brown, 48 to 25. Messmer also captured

high point honors with 12 points in this game.

The only other two Major division games played saw St. Clair Shores bow to Manor Bar, 43 to 26, on Friday, December 27, and East Side Sports forfeit to St. David when only three East Side Sports showed up at game time on Monday, December 30.

Only two games were played in the Minor division. The Bombers whipped the Metropolitan Club 65 to 39 on Friday, December 27, and the Grosse Pointe Optimists sank the Jungaleers 40 to 23 on Monday, December 30. Neither game had any real effect on the standings.

Four games were played in the Junior division.

League leading Brownell continued to lead the parade with an overwhelming 45 to 11 victory over the Wildcats in the Friday, December 27, afternoon game.

Turner Buick handed the unbeaten Neighborhood Club Jets their first loss with a 48 to 16 shellacking in the other December 27 afternoon game.

The Wednesday, December 28, afternoon game saw the St. Paul Freshmen move to the top of the

league with a 42 to 34 victory over the G. P. Optimists.

Two days later St. Paul suffered its first defeat and dropped into a three-way tie for second place when the Flashes sprung a major upset with a 28 to 25 decision.

The Optimists whacked down the Jungaleers 40 to 23 in the second afternoon game on Monday, December 30, and the following day whipped Tracy Motors 38 to 39 in an overtime contest. The two wins on successive days moved the Optimists into a three-way tie with St. Paul and Turner-Buick.

John Tower was the big gun in the Optimists attack with 10 points.

Riley Motors will play Boys Club of Detroit as an added attraction to the Monday, January 9, triple-header program.

Standings as of January 2.

Team	Major	Minor	Junior
St. Clare C.Y.O.	5	0	0
G. P. Valet	4	0	0
Riley Motors	3	2	2
East Side Sports	2	3	3
Manor Bar	2	2	2
St. Clair Shores	1	3	3

Jan. 10 Meeting Planned By Horticultural Society

Many Pointers are expected to attend the January meeting of the Michigan Horticultural Society on Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 8 p.m. in the Wayne University Student Center, Cass at Putnam. H. L. Chapman, director of Beal Botanic Garden at Michigan State College, will speak on "Water Lilies and Other Plants for the Water Garden. . . Their Culture and Upkeep." His lecture will be illustrated. The lecture is open to the public and there will be no admittance charge.

William Bryan Elected Head of TV Round Table

New officers for 1950 have been elected by the Detroit Television Round Table. President will be William W. Bryan, of Moross road, Grosse Pointe Farms; Walter R. A. Graham, of Village lane, Grosse Pointe, was re-elected treasurer. Retiring board members include Harry Cushing, of Torrey road, Grosse Pointe.

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Schweikart Seeks Presidency of Village of Grosse Pointe Park

In response to petitions filed and verbal requests of many citizens, Carl Schweikart announces his candidacy for the Presidency of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park.



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- Served five years as Clerk of Grosse Pointe Township.
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DOGS MAKE FIRST NEWS

The first two calls the Farms police received in the New Year had to do with dogs. One was a complaint about a barking dog in the 300 block of Kerby road and the other was from the Shores police to report they had a well-groomed Pointer at the station for whom some Farms resident might be looking.

Methodists Plan Party on Friday

The Grosse Pointe Methodist Church will hold the first of its Church Family Nights on Friday evening, January 6, at 6:30 p. m. in the Maire School.

Mrs. Norman R. Mooney, TU. 5-3787 is in charge of arrangements. An interesting program has been planned and all persons who are members or friends of the church are cordially invited to be present.

A full schedule of these family night occasions has been planned for the new year.

Nancy Clow Has Party For School Companions

Miss Nancy Clow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clow of Oxford Road, was hostess to several of her school companions at a slumber party given in her home on December 31.

The guest list included Irene Fournier, Connie Mohr, Sandra Taylor, Sandra Halford, Sue Hirt, Sharon Davis, Lynda Larson, Judy Campbell and Carolyn Stoup.

Harrises Leave for New York To See Daughter in Play

The William P. Harrises Jr. of Windmill Pointe drive are leaving today for New York City where they will attend the premiere of "The Member of the Wedding". Their daughter Julie Harris (Mrs. Jay L. Julien) has one of the leading roles in the new play.

Dr. Norman J. Ware Dies In San Juan, Porto Rico

Dr. Norman J. Ware, brother of Dr. Frank B. Ware of Rivard boulevard, died on December 27 in San Juan, Porto Rico. He was 63 years old, a professor at Wesleyan College in Middletown, Conn. and a member of the Railways Board since 1946.

Burial was from the Chapel at Wesleyan. He is survived by his sister, Mrs. Gordon Wood of Toronto, Canada and his brother, of Grosse Pointe.

Murray Dodge Singing With Yale Glee Club

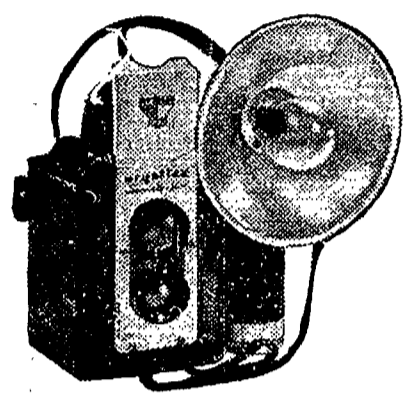
Murray Dodge, Yale Class of 1950, of 45 Dyar lane, Grosse Pointe Farms, is in his second year as a member of the Yale University Glee Club.

Dodge is one of 62 students selected by Marshall Bartholomew, Director of the Glee Club, from a group of more than 200 students who auditioned for a place in the well-known singing organization.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Percival Dodge, he prepared for Yale at the Brooks School. Since coming to Yale, Dodge has been a member of the Freshman Squash, the Davenport College Debating Team, and the "Baker's Dozen" singing group.

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Feature Page



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"Oh wad some power the giftie gie us
To see oursels as others see us!"

And no sooner had we written it, than into our office stepped a young man with some pertinent remarks on the social scene. He is a most casual observer (his first love, being the theater and though he must work hard for a living, he probably attends more First Nights in New York than anyone you know) and you and your friends are just names to him... names he's read on the Society Pages... but he's managed to draw some pretty sharp conclusions!

FOR INSTANCE

I'll be interested in little LYDIA BUHL'S debut next June. One night I stood next to her mother (then LYDIA MENDELSSOHN), and her parents, MR and MRS. LOUIS MENDELSSOHN as they waited for their car at the Cass. The one who's MRS. C. HENRY BUHL now, was beautiful!

Grosse Pointe must have more extremely wealthy widows than any other community!

I went to the Boyer home on an errand during the holidays and that young man, HAROLD JR., opened the door. He wished me a Merry Christmas. Now, there's a nice young man.

MR. and MRS. WESSON SEYBURN always give wonderful parties.

It's interesting how families like the ALGERS, McMILLANS, BARBOURS, JOYS are always so nice, so friendly. Lots of the Johnny-Come-Latelys have awful manners.

I hope REESE HOWARD is an all right guy. He's marrying SUZETTE ALGER and she's a mighty fine girl.

My aunt once went to sew for a well known family but she didn't stay long. They wanted her to wear a white cape while she was there so their staff would look larger.

Wasn't it MRS. T. D. BUHL who was Anastasia Reilly, the Zeigfeld Beauty? I read once where the people in her house like to work for her. She's crazy about cats, too, isn't she.

Now for my money, the best looking society girls are the BAKKUS sisters; every single one of them handsomer than any great stage actress.

PILFERINGS

James Thurber on "How To Listen To a Play."

"Practically all the people I know who write plays want to read them to me. Furthermore, they do read them to me. I don't know why they select me to read plays to, because I am a very bad listener indeed, one of the worst listeners in the United States. I am always waiting for people to stop talking, or reading plays, so that I can talk, or read plays. Unfortunately, I have no plays to read to people (although I am always planning to write some) and, at forty, I do not talk as fast as I used to, or get into it as quickly, so that people with plays under their arms, or in their hip pockets, or even just vaguely outlined in their minds, get the jump on me.

"Some play readers buy you drinks while you listen, but you can't count on it, and it really isn't a good idea to drink during the reading of a three-act play, because it takes about an hour and a half to read a three-act play and you can get pretty cock-eyed in an hour and a half, especially if you are keeping your mind a blank.

"It is useless to rely on some friend, wandering around the lobby where this play reading is taking place, to extricate you from your predicament. I've tried that and it only caused more anguish. Once, when a playwright was slowly nearing his second-act curtain (where Harry and Ella rediscovered they are in love, or discover they are not in love, or are in love with someone else, as the play may be), I slyly signaled a friend to come to my rescue. He walked over to where the playwright and I were sitting, "Good, Lord! I cried, jumping to my feet, and facing the newcomer, "I completely forgot about you! We're late now, aren't we? We'll have to hurry!" He stared at me. "Late for what? Hurry where?" he asked. I had a frightful time getting out of it."

Favoritisms of Suzette Alger

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- Character in a book Col. Wetherbee
- Play Minister Roberts
- Actress Lynn Fontanne
- Actor Rex Harrison
- Movie Sitting Pretty
- Movie Actress Joan Fontaine
- Movie Actor Clifton Webb
- TV Show Thursday Night Wrestling
- Radio Program Bing Crosby
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- Radio Entertainer (m) Bing Crosby
- Commentator Henry Taylor
- Columnist John Carlisle
- Cartoon Penny
- Cartoonist Charles Addams
- Poet Carl Sandberg
- Music Popular from the 20's
- Song Some Enchanted Evening
- Magazine Town & County
- Game Canasta
- Sport Fox Hunting
- Animal Horse
- Person (excluding family) The late Alexander Copland
- Flower Carnations
- Jewel Blue Pearls
- Color The New "Vogue" Red
- City New Haven, Conn.
- Dance Fox Trot
- Perfume A Bientot
- Costume Evening Dress
- Food Ruddy Teal Duck
- Aversion People Who Laugh at My Domestic Abilities
- Diversion Long Distance Telephone Calls

Pointer of Interest



Hugh J. Ferry of Neff road was elected president of the Packard Motor Car Company on December 28. He took over his new office on January 1. He will also continue to be treasurer of the company.

"The election of Mr. Ferry to the company presidency recognizes anew the leadership and capabilities which he has evidenced throughout his nearly 40 years with Packard," the Board of Directors said. He has long been a prominent personality in both the automobile and financial worlds."

Joined Packard in 1910
Mr. Ferry joined Packard in 1910 as a \$60-a-month cost clerk. Progression through the financial ranks of the company was rapid and steady, culminating in his being named treasurer in 1928. In February, 1948, he was elected company vice president and a director.

Mr. Ferry was born at Grand Rapids, Michigan, December 14, 1884.

At the age of three, he moved with his mother and father, an electrician, to Detroit where the family first settled on Elmwood avenue in the City's eastside Corktown.

Less than a year passed after the family's arrival in Detroit when the elder Ferry was accidentally electrocuted. Faced with necessity of supporting three sons and one daughter, Mrs. Ferry found employment. As the children became older, each found employment to contribute to the family's maintenance.

While they were small, the brothers ran errands, peddled papers and were handy men for the neighborhood. Later, one brother Robert, contributed substantially to the family's income with money earned boxing professionally. It was Hugh Ferry's job, in those days, to accompany his older brother to his fights, collect the purse and take the money safely home.

Followed Boxing Closely
His early connection with boxing enabled Ferry to closely watch development of the sport in Michigan for more than four decades. He literally grew up with boxing in the state. He saw finish fights on barges in the Detroit river, when such bouts were illegal. Later, he served a long term as A. A. U. Commissioner of boxing for Michigan's Eastern District.

Young Ferry made his formal debut as a money maker at the age of 10. A capable swimmer and diver at an early age he added his bit to the Ferry fund by diving for pennies, nickles and dimes from the old Frost dock at the foot of Detroit's Leib Street as pleasure steamers pulled in to dock.

At the age of 11, he began two years' employment in a neighborhood butcher shop where he worked three days weekly for the family's weekend meat.

Can't Join Navy
About this time Ferry got the urge typical of all young men. He wanted to join the Navy. He knew he was too young, but thought he could fool the recruiting officers. But he couldn't. He was rejected in Detroit, Buffalo, New York, Boston, Washington and Philadelphia. He worked his way around the "Navy" circuit, sleeping in a bread wagon one night, and in a box car the next.

In the late 1890's, he started working for the Detroit News as driver of one of the horse-pulled wagons which carried papers out Grand River avenue. At that time the Grand River run ended

near Trumbull avenue—a point on the outer fringe of what now is Detroit's downtown area.

His career with the Detroit News branched out rapidly. After slightly more than two years' employment he became a journeyman pressman. It was Ferry who ran the News' extra announcing the assassination of President McKinley. He left the News to work for the newly-opened United States Daily at a salary of \$3 a day. The new Detroit paper ceased publication three days later.

First Factory Job
It was then, in the early 1900's, that Ferry became associated with factory life for the first time. He went to work for the Michigan Stove Works as time-keeper. He still recalls carrying coffee and sandwiches to firemen when flames swept through the Works in one of Detroit's greatest fires.

Ferry was married in 1906. He is the father of two sons. After reaching the status of foreman at Michigan Stove, he took the money he had saved and that left him by a relative and, with a friend, started the Michigan Metal Spinning Company. It was located where Packard's downtown Detroit retail branch now stands.

The new venture went well, until an employee, through carelessness, lost a hand in one of the machines. About this time, Ferry found it necessary to undergo a major operation. While still in the hospital he learned that a sizeable judgment had been awarded the injured worker.

Broke and Unemployed
To meet the judgment, it was necessary for Ferry to sell the company and mortgage his home. He left the hospital on crutches, broke and unemployed.

He looked for a job where he could sit down to allow the incision of his operation to heal properly. The Packard Motor Car Company had one to offer, a \$60-a-month position in cost accounting. He accepted. That was March 7, 1910.

Figures intrigued him. He attended night school at the Detroit Technical Institute, then a school of accountancy. Evenings and holidays were spent studying finance.

In 1911 he was made Packard paymaster. As such he knew personally and paid 4,000 employees. Four years later he was made assistant cashier.

His course completed at the Institute, he continued his quest for the education he left unfinished at the 10th grade and began teaching accounting and commercial law at the Institute. Many of his pupils were returning soldiers. Some of them are still working at Packard today. He readily admits he learned as much, or more, teaching as in school.

Promoted at Packard
He became assistant treasurer of Packard in 1919 and in 1928 was made treasurer, succeeding the late Richard P. Joy. In 1936 he attained the position of secretary and treasurer, and was named vice president, secretary-treasurer, in April, 1945. In February, 1948, Ferry was elected a director and company vice president. He was elected executive vice president on Oct. 5, 1949.

Ferry has held many chairmanships for civic, philanthropic, humanitarian and social functions. The late Father Flanagan of Boys Town was one of his closest friends. Ferry has been a member of the Boys Town "bread club" for years, and is an honorary citizen of the Town.

Of things financial, he prides himself most on the faith expressed in his ability during the panic of the "Bank Holidays."

Despite his more or less impersonal connection with Detroit banks, he was named chairman of the Guardian Depositors Committee and chairman of the committee of the First National Bank of Detroit on settlement of civil liability.

Depositors Paid in Full
Under his guidance, the two committees made it possible for thousands of depositors to realize a nearly immediate 100 per cent return on moneys in deposit when banks were closed. Ferry, himself, after determining that bank assets were adequate to cover deposits, and that an RFC loan could be secured, persuaded a group of large depositors to leave their money in the banks.

As a result, approximately 135,000 Guardian National Bank de-

positors were paid in full; the 560,000 depositors who had \$300 or less in the First National were fully compensated. The soundness of Ferry's foresight was proven in 1943 when the long litigation was successfully completed and affected banks were in a position to pay all depositors, both large and small, in full.

Not Typical

Ferry, however, is not a typical financier. Glassy stares and aloofness are not part of his character. He is proud that he was once Packard's paymaster, that hundreds of the company's employees know him by his first name, and he can return the greeting.

He is neither gruff nor brusque. On the contrary, he is of mild Irish manner, soft spoken and friendly.

Of stock athletic build, he was once handball singles champion of the Detroit Yacht Club and K. of C., and teamed with baseball immortal Harry Heilmann in national doubles of a K. of C. tournament. He is also an accomplished musician.

During his early varied career, he played the piano and Gene Buck the fiddle for dances at Detroit's old Strassburg Academy. Buck later wrote the lyrics for years for the Ziegfeld Follies and was long the president of ASCAP which he now serves as honorary member of the board of directors.

Great Moral Courage

One writer was said of Mr. Ferry: "One of those attributes is moral courage, the ability to face adversity with fortitude and to refuse to succumb to discouragement and despair. Another outstanding characteristic is frankness combined with the sort of honesty which means that a man's word, pledged, is as much his bond as the most signed and sealed ribboned indenture."

Mr. Ferry served for a number of years as Police and Fire commissioner of the City of Grosse Pointe.

Good advice: You'll never be hurt by things you didn't say.

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Pointe Counter Points

The Southern and Cruise clothes at WALTON PIERCE GROSSE POINTE BRANCH send you dashing for the nearest travel agency and Winter travel literature. It just seems too much to wait a second longer for an excuse to slip into the wondrous resort costumes they unpack daily at this smart salon. A quick look-see has WALTON PIERCE showing the sheathed look this Spring (the 1950 version of the styles of the 20's). It's a "Straight and Narrow Season" they tell you. Yellow is the wonderful color for those following the sun and the pure silks, silk shantung, solid and printed linens and custom gingham are the materials. Practically every frock has a brief, brief jacket. The shuntungs come with a tiny jacket that ends at the waist. It's made of a lovely lacy-like material and complements the tones of the frock. Colors in addition to Sun Worshipper Yellow run to the poudre tones of the stronger, exotic hues.

Those who are going to stay at home this Winter wont mind it a bit once they see what JACOBSON'S is showing for Spring wear right here in the Pointe and in town. It's NAVY again this year, say the buyers who've just returned from their Spring shopping trip bringing back simply elegant frocks and suits, informal and formal from the top designers. Navy is good in all materials and when navy is combined with white, Jacobson's simply purr. Town clothes for Spring also stress the bolero and give a nod both to the slim and full skirted silhouette. The Spring beauties at JACOBSON'S retain the skirt length you liked this Winter, thirteen inches from the floor but you'll find many, many more cocktail length and shorter evening frocks for young persons. Sleeves have moved up... end above or just at the elbow and sometimes, the sleeve is almost hidden in a deep, chic cuff. From sheers to spanking new worsteds, JACOBSON'S has Spring fever which you'll enjoy catching.

Over at ANTHONYS the other day we were surrounded by Pointers getting that before-they-leave-for-the-south permanent or at last giving in to a modified short hair-do (and wondering why they didn't do it l-o-n-g ago!) Spring hats cry for the molded hair dress. We could just tell how many were buying Spring bonnets by the way the telephone kept ringing and of course many calls were for appointments with Paul, who arrived at ANTHONYS during holiday week and is a favorite already.

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