

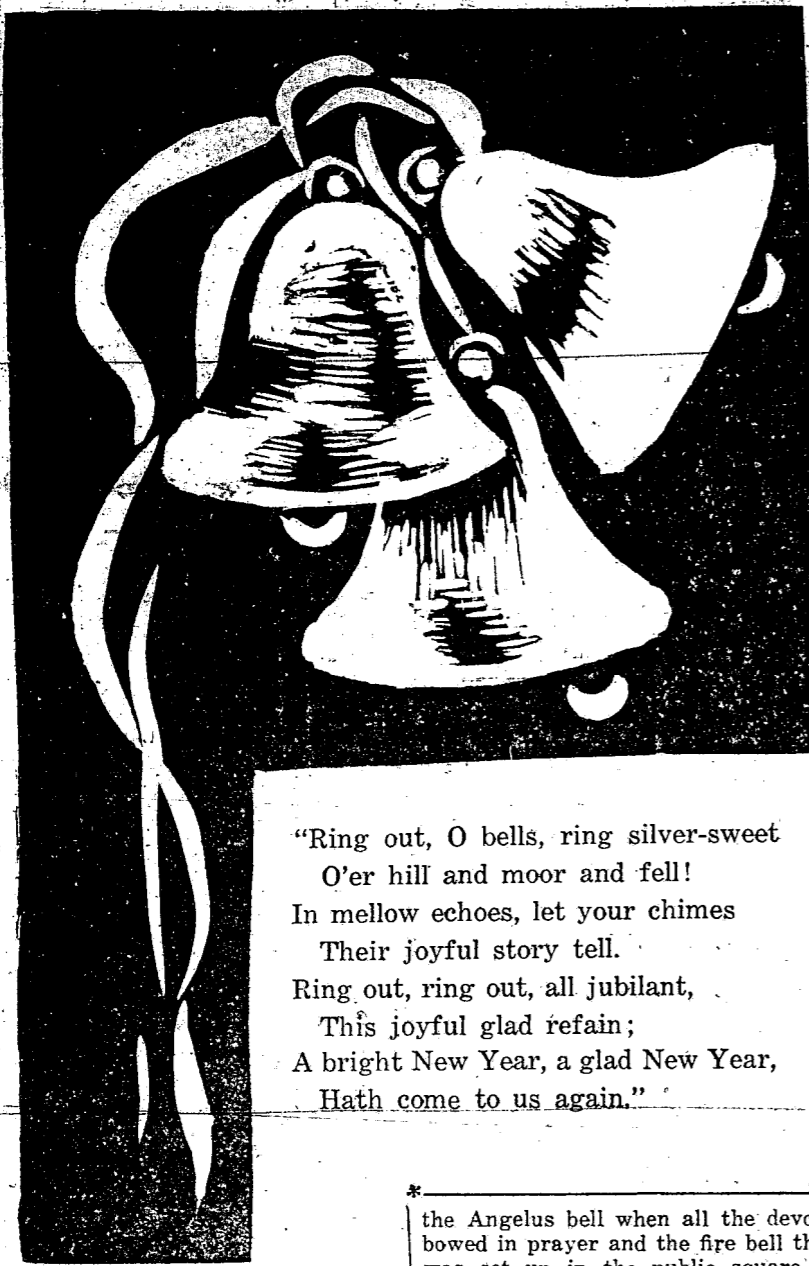
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"Ring out, O bells, ring silver-sweet
O'er hill and moor and fell!
In mellow echoes, let your chimes
Their joyful story tell.
Ring out, ring out, all jubilant,
This joyful glad refrain;
A bright New Year, a glad New Year,
Hath come to us again."

Historians fail to tell us when the first New Year's Day was observed, or why it is ushered in with bells. But it is commonly conceded that since bells were the only means of conveying the news or of bringing people together in early days, the custom easily became established and nothing takes the place of bells to usher in the New Year.

And this is also the one time of the year that one may stand at the threshold of time and look forward and back.

Backward to memories of vanished days before great factories and mills called all the youth of the countryside and hamlets to toil within their walls, turning out strange machines and wonderful inventions, the product of some creative mind, a genius of his day who leads his fellow men in the march of time.

And for every forward step we take we must leave something behind so that while we enjoy the many comforts of today we look longingly back on the happy care-free yesterdays.

There are many of the older residents here who remember New Year's Eve only as "Watch Night", when everyone who could went to the nearest church to join in singing the good old hymns. One could be sure of hearing "All hail the power of Jesus' name", "Guide me O Thou great Jehovah", "Come Thou Almighty King" and "My Faith looks up to Thee".

Then, at the stroke of twelve, as the bells tolled, slowly at first and then bursting into a merry chime, all would join in "Blest be the tie that binds", followed by general hand-shaking and good wishes. Home, over snowy roads under starlit skies to begin another year. Some came from a distance, perhaps a neighborhood sleighload, or young folks in a cutter, and the musical jingle of the bells on the horses, growing fainter and fainter in the distance, is something to treasure in one's memory.

We have traded our "Watch Night" for a radio and our horses and sleighs for a high powered car but we can still look backward on New Year's Eve and remember the stepping teams, cutters as graceful in shape as a swan, the warm robes tucked in and the merry bells.

Looking ahead, we wonder what pleasant memories our children will have and if in days to come we will all have forsaken the snowy roads for the milky way and go dodging about in the skies under Jacob's Ladder and around the Big Dipper.

Or perhaps it may become a New Year's Eve custom to step into our plane and make a circuit of all the famous carillons of the world, dipping down here and there to hear the chimes of the 47 bells in the famed Belfry of Bruges; St. Mark's in Venice; St. Matthew's at Bethnal Cross, England; the mission bells of Spain or back in our own country the wonderful chimes of the First Church of Christ in Boston, the Bok Tower in Florida, or nearer still, Cranbrook or the Baird Carrillon at Ann Arbor.

Looking backward we have lost sight of the curfew bell that warned young and old it was time to retire.

the Angelus bell when all the devout bowed in prayer and the fire bell that was set up in the public square of every progressive town.

Farther still into the dim past was the postman's bell; the town crier's bell; the ragman's bell as he made his round of the alleys, and the bell of the scissors grinder that brought the housewives to the door. Bells have been used on animals the world over since time began and even here in Michigan one occasionally sees the lead cow with her bronze bell and what would a circus be if the animals did not wear any tinkling bells?

There were vibrant sweet toned bells that marked loved ceremonies and joyful jublations as well as the bells that tolled mournfully in times of disaster and sorrow.

Today, when the world is so unsettled and some nations are turning their bells into weapons of warfare or modern machines, it is pleasant to think that America is becoming more bell conscious and leaders and men of wealth are making generous gifts to serve rich and poor alike. To some they are just so much noise while to others they are an inspiration carrying an unspeakable sense of exultation, gratitude, tenderness and harmony.

And today we have the radio that on New Year's Eve will bring the sweet carols from many points of the world vibrating with messages that will encircle the globe, messages, we hope, of good fellowship and peace.

Looking back at the bells that have called us to work and to rest and to play, to the bells that have tolled in sadness and rang out a merry chime, let us look forward with faith as the bells usher in the New Year.

None of us can have everything and since the very things we yearn for are so often withheld, let us then learn to kiss the rod of discipline, that we so surely need, with good grace and resolve to do our part in making a "A Bright New Year, A Glad New Year".

Card Gives Warning To Poultry Raisers

Attractive egg prices coupled with comparatively low feed prices already are giving poultrymen in Michigan and other states a wrong picture of the immediate future in poultry.

This warning, issued by C. G. Card, head of the poultry department of Michigan State College, can be used to advantage by those with flocks in Oakland county, it is pointed out by County Agricultural Agent Karl D. Bailey.

If hatcheries and farm flocks turn out a record hatch this next spring those watching the poultry industry expect that egg prices likely will be low next fall and winter. They also predict large amounts of poultry dressed for the market. Card consequently is warning against any undue expansion, either among those now in the business or among persons who think the industry is attractive enough to warrant entering business purchasing equipment, birds and feed.

Ice Skaters May Enjoy Lighted Rink

An open air rink for ice skating has been opened at Cranberry Lake. The rink is being operated by David Levitt. There is a warm building for changing skates and rest rooms at the gas station at 806 Ortonville Road which is very convenient. Poles have been sunk for the electric lights and everything is being done to make the skaters comfortable and happy. Be sure to read the ad in this paper.

New Year's Dinner at Davisburg Church

The annual New Year's dinner is to be held in the parlors of the Davisburg Church on Monday, Jan. 2. The menu this year is as follows: Chicken pie, mashed potatoes, squash, cranberry salad, celery, radishes, pickles, ice cream, dark and light cake, coffee.

Following the dinner a program will be given in the church auditorium. This has become a tradition among Davisburg people and especially among those who have once lived in the community who make it a homecoming day.

Clarkston Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Walter spent Christmas in Ypsilanti with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Clinton LaForge.

Rev. and Mrs. Dwight Large left after the morning service last Sunday and went to Sturgis where they enjoyed Christmas with her parents.

Miss Ellen, Robert and Frederick Beardsley spent Christmas eve with their aunt Mrs. Agnes Beardsley and their cousin, Miss Phyllis Beardsley.

Mrs. Minnie Davies and son, Gerald and daughters Evelyn and Nancy spent Christmas in Detroit with Mr. and Mrs. George Davies and family.

Churches

CLARKSTON METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dwight S. Large, Minister

10:30 New Year's Worship Service, with Holy Communion. Rev. Large will give a brief New Year's Meditation, entitled "Give Me a Hill."

11:30 Church School with classes for all ages under the direction of Lewis Warden and Orlo Willoughby.

6:30 Epworth League Worship Service and Discussion on the topic "New Year's Resolutions", directed by Phyllis Boyns.

CLARKSTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. C. Ballagh, Pastor

"The Old Time Religion Now"
10:30 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, "A New Year, A New Day, A New Heart". Special music.

12:00 Sunday School. Pearl Olson, Supt.

7:30 p. m. Speaker, Mr. Lloyd E. Hansen of the American Sunday School Union.

7:30 p. m. Thursday, January 5. The regular quarterly meeting of the church.

SEYMOUR LAKE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dwight S. Large, Minister

9:00 Worship Service, led by Rev. Large. Holy Communion will be served, and the topic for the meditation will be "Give Me a Hill."

10:00 Church School, directed by Mrs. Iva Miller.

WATERFORD CHURCH

Rev. Howard Jewell, Pastor

S. S. at 10:15. Supt., H. B. Mehler. Classes with teachers for all. Morning worship at 11:15. Rev. Howard Jewell in charge and will bring the message.

Sunday evening at 7:30 the Davisburg choir will give a concert. The proceeds will be divided. A free will offering will be taken.

DRAYTON UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Clarence J. Sutton, Minister

Bible School 10:00 a. m. Lloyd Bowden, Supt.

Morning service 11:00 a. m. Subject, "Some Aspirations for the New Year".
Evening, "Shortness of Time".

Clarkston Locals

Mr. and Mrs. William Belitz and daughter, Ruth, and Mrs. Mary Green enjoyed Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kent in Detroit.

Fae Lorraine and Shirley Ann Beardslee of Oxford were week-end guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Scrace of Clarkston.

Mr. and Mrs. Secord had as their Christmas guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brogman and daughter, Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dernberger, all of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Wieland and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kitchen of Wyandotte went to Lake Orion on Monday and enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mrs. Pearl Hovey.

Drayton Plains

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stevens had as their guests on Christmas Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Windiate and family of Eindhoven, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stewart of Clarkston, Mrs. Elma Reid and sons, Jimmie and Bobby of Drayton Woods, Mrs. Ivy Bird and children of Ypsilanti, Mrs. Laura Eaton and son, Ross and two grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. John Windiate, Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. George Windiate, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Shanks and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stevens, all of Pontiac. Just as the guests were seated at the dinner table the telephone rang and when Mrs. Stevens answered she found it was her sister, Mrs. Gordon Booker and family extending greetings from Seattle, Wash. Most of the guests said a few words and several asked what time it was and found that while it was 1:10 o'clock here it was just 10:00 o'clock in Seattle.

The Bethany Mission Circle met at the home of Mrs. Charles Williams on Fish Hatchery Road last Monday night. The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Esther Washburn. Prayer was offered by Miss Edith Sutton. Roll Call was answered with Bible verses starting with the letter "D". The devotionals opened with singing "Silent Night, Holy Night". All enjoyed a duet, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" by Miss Edith Sutton, piano and Miss Anna Brown, violin. The group sang "Joy to the World". Papers were given: "Christian Education in India" by Francis Jones and "The Christian Church in India" by Catherine Jones. The meeting closed with a circle prayer. Refreshments were served.

Edward Grahl is spending this week at Camp Brady.

A. F. Jones of Pontiac spent Christmas with his son, Frank Jones and family.

As New Year's falls on Sunday there will be no Watch Night service at the Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dancy and children spent Christmas with Mr. Dancy's parents in Port Huron.

Mrs. William Huntoon and Mrs. Mae Hall spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Percy King of Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sutliff entertained Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Brown of Pontiac on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Don Taylor is in the Pontiac Hospital where she is recovering from a very serious operation.

The Ladies' Aid will meet next Wednesday, Jan. 4th in the Church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Corvillion of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Corvillion's mother, Mrs. William Huntoon and sister, Mrs. Mae Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jeffery spent Christmas in Marlette with her brother and family. Mr. Jesse Cooper returned with them and will spend the winter with his daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McNeu of Sherwood Drive received a telegram on Saturday morning telling of the death of Mr. McNeu's sister-in-law in Rockwell, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Van Syckle entertained Mr. and Mrs. Will Looman and daughter, Almira of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. H. Judd, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Visgatis and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ballock on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrison had as their guests on Christmas Mr. and Mrs. John Lennox of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrison and son, David of Detroit and Miss Mabel Garrison of Pontiac.

Clarkston Locals

Miss Ruth Reid of Adrian spent Christmas with her brother-in-law, D. M. Winn, and family.

Miss Alice Williams spent Christmas with her parents in Midland, Pa. She returned to Clarkston on Monday and will leave the end of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Barrows and daughter Ann to spend the next two and a half months in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Crosby had as their Christmas dinner guests on Monday Mr. and Mrs. Colin Walls and son of Davisburg, Mr. and Mrs. John Walls and family of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Baker of Detroit, Miss Pauline Winegar of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Crosby of Holly.

Christmas guests at the O. J. LaMountain home were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Louis LaMountain and their son, Bob, and daughter, Joan, of Royal Oak; Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn of Highland Park; Mr. and Mrs. Kleber LePard and daughters, Marilyn and Mary Jo, of Lake Orion, and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy LaMountain of Pontiac.

Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Margaret Miller were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tebeau of Auburn Heights; Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Laning, Mr. and Mrs. William Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis of Pontiac; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Miller and daughters, Norine and Marilyn and son, Sidney, and Mrs. Bertha Schoenjohn, all of Utica.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fiske and son Jimmie of Walled Lake spent Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Walter and family and Mr. and Mrs. William Jones and family at the Walter home. They spent Christmas Day in Waterford with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Marvin and family. Other guests at the Marvin home were Mr. and Mrs. William Jones and daughters.

Many homes in Clarkston were bright with Christmas decorations. The blue lighted cross suspended in the trees in front of the K. G. Hempstead home on M-15 south of town made a very pretty picture. On leaving Clarkston and travelling south just as the motorist drove over the top of the last hill this lighted cross came into view. On Monday night and again on Tuesday night when the storm was raging this lighted cross seemed to shine brighter.

Among those who enjoyed Christmas dinner as guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Beardslee were Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Beckman of Oak Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Miller and son, David of Clarkston, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Beckman of Lum, Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Smith of Lapeer, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Beckman and children of Bald Eagle Lake, Miss Harriett Beckman of Oak Hill, Miss Francis Beckman of Oak Hill, Wilson Murray of Pontiac, Seymour Miller Jr., Miss Inez Mae Miller and Byron Miller of Clarkston.

Coming Events

Jan. 2nd—Monday evening the Joseph C. Bird Chapter, O. E. S. will hold the regular meeting at the Temple at 8:00 o'clock.

Jan. 3rd—Tuesday afternoon—the Clarkston Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. B. T. Beardslee.

Tuesday, January 3rd—the January meeting of the Official Board of the Clarkston Methodist Church. Rev. Large will preside, and as the first six months of the Conference Year have concluded, all officials should be present for this business meeting.

Jan. 3rd—Tuesday evening—the Clarkston Junior Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Daril O'Dea of Drayton Plains.

Jan. 4th—Wednesday afternoon the Ladies' Aid of the Clarkston M. E. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Durand Ogden. Mrs. H. W. Huttenlocher will give a book review on "The Rediscovery of Man" by Link and Mrs. Charles Hutton of Walled Lake will sing.

Jan. 4th—Wednesday evening—the Clarkston Child Study Club will meet at the home of Mrs. John Tremper.

Jan. 10th—Thursday afternoon the Clarkston Home Extension Club will meet at the home of Mrs. George Perry.

Renowned Tenor, Distinguished Pianists To Be Heard At Ann Arbor

Beniamino Gigli, the renowned Italian tenor, whose coming to America this season has been the most exciting event of the musical season, will give a concert in the Choral Union Series, Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor, on the evening of Thursday, January 19, replacing Kirsten Flagstad, who was to have appeared earlier in the season, and whose engagements are such as to prevent filling a postponed date. The public is reminded to present for admission on that occasion coupon number 4, reading "Kirsten Flagstad".

For several seasons Mr. Gigli was leading tenor of the Metropolitan Opera house, succeeding to the roles of the late Enrico Caruso. Six years ago he returned to Europe, where he has been at the zenith of a remarkable career. Year after year impresarios have endeavored to bring about an American tour, but without success, until very recently. Mr. Gigli, the golden-voiced idol of concert platform and opera houses, is now back from faraway lands to the scenes of former triumphs. He has enriched the musical life of this country as few other singers have. His concerts have been successions of musical victories. City after city has acclaimed his rare art.

Bartlett and Robertson, in private life Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, will also be heard in the Choral Union Series on January 25, replacing the Budapest University Chorus, whose American tour has been cancelled on account of political conditions. Patrons will please present coupon number 7, reading "Budapest Chorus".

Bartlett and Robertson are two distinguished English pianists, who, since the dissolution of the well-known Maier-Patterson two-piano combination, have been acclaimed throughout the world as the finest example of the art of two piano playing. Their many performances with distinguished American orchestras and in concert in their tours throughout Europe, have won for them distinctive praise.

Waterford

The funeral service for Mrs. Emma Bertha Walter, 71 years old, of Dixie Highway, Waterford, was held in Pontiac on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Walter passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Jagober, on Thursday afternoon after an illness of five months. She was born in Detroit, the daughter of August and Sophia Sudzinsky. She came to Oakland County thirty years ago. She was a member of St. Trinity Lutheran Church of Detroit. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Minnie Jacober and Mrs. Sophia Hall and two sons, Arthur and Herman Walter, all of Waterford and a brother, Otto Wandrei of Mackinac Island. Burial was in Drayton Plains cemetery.

A great many Waterford folks took pride in making their homes shine with Christmas decorations. The many candles and outside lights made the streets very pretty. One place that was especially interesting was the home of Mrs. Hazel Carlson on Andersonville Rd. A feature of the scene was Santa who had arrived at the house but was very tired and had to rest before going down the chimney. The ladder stood by the window and at the foot was an arm chair in which Santa was reclining. At night the spotlight was focused on the scene.

Mrs. Cora Jeanette Ladson, who will celebrate her 89th birthday in February enjoyed hearing from her relatives and friends at Christmas time. Mrs. Ladson has remarkably good health and is one of the most cheerful persons in Waterford. She keeps house for her son, Myron, and takes care of her own home.

The Howard T. Burt family spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burt of Ortonville. They enjoyed the day with his brothers and sisters and families. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Burt and family enjoyed dinner and a social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brigham in Ortonville.

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Waterford

The Waterford Community Christmas tree and program was held on Thursday evening of last week. The day school faculty joined with the Sunday School to make the affair a success.

I. Christmas Carols—We Three Kings of Orient Are—High School. It Came Upon a Midnight Clear—High School. Joy to the World—5th and 6th Grades.

II. Play—"Christmas Eve". Mother—Myra Katherine Rowley. Father—Clifford Johnson. Children—Patricia Stites, Nick Secan, Marian Roehm, Charles Smithson, Dorothy Bunker.

Get your 1939 fishing license now at Jolly's Live Bait Market. Mignows—Wigglers—Decoys of all sizes.

III. Rhythm Band—Second Grade—Miss Pelican, Director. IV. Song—"Silent Night"—First Grade—Miss Pelican, Director. V. Santa Claus. He brought joy to the children by shaking hands with all he could reach and helping distribute the gifts and treats.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy King had a family gathering at their home on Monday. James Saylor is spending the holidays at his home here. He will return to Camp Custer the first of the week.

Mrs. Marion Kahler and family left recently for Florida where they will visit with her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Lyons and family.

Mrs. Emery Smith of Andersonville Road is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Bouquin of Pontiac. She has been there for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer VanAtta of Detroit called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spooner on Sunday on their way to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bird in Groveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henri Buck enjoyed Christmas at home with their family. On Monday they went to Ann Arbor and helped Rev. Huey celebrate his birthday. Mary Louise Buck remained with Rev. and Mrs. Huey for a few days.

School closed on Friday after each class had enjoyed a program and exchange of gifts. The teachers left for their homes. Mrs. Ludwick of

Pontiac went to Findlay, Ohio, to spend the holidays with her parents and with Mr. Ludwick's parents. Harold Dean went to his home in Alma. The O. D. Anderson family had a great deal to be thankful for this Christmas time after Mr. Anderson escaped from an automobile accident last Friday night.

At the Sunday School session last Sunday Superintendent Henry Mehlberg appointed the following nominating committee to select the officers for the new year: Mrs. William Chase, Mrs. Otto Duguid and Mrs. Joseph Helman.

Drayton Plains

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carson Legg, a son, at the Pontiac General Hospital on Tuesday, Dec. 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Shell enjoyed Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shell of Sashabaw Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hawley have moved from their home on the Dixie Highway in Drayton Plains to Detroit for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Brown (Lorraine Sutliff) have moved into their new home at 244 Jessie St., Pontiac, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Burkenstock of Oakland Lake spent Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Worden of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams enjoyed Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and family at White Lake.

The Ladies' Aid will serve a Penny Supper at the Church on Friday evening, Jan. 6th from 5:30 until 7:30. Come and enjoy a fine home-cooked meal for only a few cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thrasher and family and George Solomon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Solomon and Mrs. Mamie O'Boyle for Christmas.

The Drayton Plains Trojans won the first hockey game of the season last Thursday night when they played the Pontiac West Side Grangers. The score was 9-5.

Charles Nolan, Leslie Jones, Rebecca Bowden and Elaine Jones are the young people who will graduate from the Pontiac High School on January 19. We wish these young people much success.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willings and son, Max and daughter, Ethel, spent Christmas in Marlette with Mr. Willings' mother, Mrs. Charles Ballard.

Guests at the William Pelton home for Christmas were his mother, Mrs. W. H. Pelton and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Stewart spent Christmas in Brandon Township with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart and family.

Miss Edith Sutton, oldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Sutton, returned to her home Friday evening from Muskingum College at New Concord, Ohio. She will return after the holidays.

Mrs. Olive Boardman and Mrs. Grace Barnhart spent Christmas and a few days last week with Mrs. Barnhart's son, Osmun Barnhart and family in Lansing. They returned on Monday afternoon.

A Christmas dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Skarritt in Pontiac on Sunday honoring his mother, Mrs. Newton, who is visiting from Mankato, Minn., and also Wallace Batley who has just returned to his home in Drayton Plains from Camp Eldorado at Roscommon, Mich.

Dr. and Mrs. N. W. Morgan entertained at Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Morgan and children of Royal Oak, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Cleary and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cleary of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morgan of Keego Harbor and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Longheed of Edon, Ohio.

A roller skating party was given by the Youths' Temperance Council of Drayton Plains at Buckhorn Rink, Lake Orion on December 18th for the Federation Y. T. C. in Pontiac and also honoring Eleanor Creswell of Pontiac who has just returned from college. A lovely lunch was served in the Drayton Plains Church afterwards.

The Needlework Guild of America closed their books Monday afternoon of last week for another year, reporting 402 garments and a donation of \$10 from the Men's Club. The ingathering was held in conjunction with the P. T. A. Several long tables displayed the lovely garments with boys' and girls' suits and dresses display-

ed on hangers. Besides there were twenty paid members. The officers for the coming year are as follows: Mrs. Charles Nolan, president; Mrs. Frank Jeffery, 1st vice president; Mrs. Walter Aderholdt, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Clarence J. Sutton, 3rd vice president; Mrs. Glenn L. Sutton, 4th vice president; Mrs. Grace Barnhart, secretary; Mrs. Robert Garrison, treasurer. The Needlework Guild of America has grown from five directors to fifteen this year and with these directors and officers the guild has had splendid cooperation. The garments have been turned over to the Men's Club to distribute to the less fortunate of Drayton Plains.

The Christmas concert of the Mothersingers was given in the Pontiac High School Auditorium on Tuesday night of last week with a packed house. Mrs. Lydia Brewer-Tabor is the director and Agnes Meade accompanist. The 66 mothers robed in black with white collars made a very pretty picture. The mothers who took part from Drayton Plains were Mrs. Matilda Becker, Mrs. Mildred Dancy, Mrs. Ina Hutchinson, Mrs. Alice Koop, Mrs. Lucile See, Mrs. Mattie Grahl, Mrs. Anna Floyd, Mrs. Beatrice Purdy, Mrs. Grace Reddeman, Mrs. Ann Robb and Mrs. Wayne Springer. The guest artists were Edward Birdsall, violinist, and Vivian Scott, piano. Miss Vivian played several selections on the piano such as Prelude in C sharp minor by Rachmaninoff, Clair de lune by Debussy and En Route by Godard. Edward selected for his entertainment Symphonie Espagnole (Allegro non troppo) by Lalo, Zigeunerweisen by Kreisler and Schon Rosmarin by Kreisler. The Mothersingers sang the cantata, "The Music of Bethlehem".

Mr. and Mrs. Harold VanCamp and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bell and Mrs. A. L. Bell of Pontiac and Willard Spear of Orion spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Aderholdt of Dixie Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nolan entertained Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nolan and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heise of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wood of Waterford at Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Smiley spent Christmas with relatives in Cass City.

Mrs. Mary Heberton and George Heberton of Pontiac and A. Heberton of Detroit spent Christmas with their daughter and sister, Mrs. I. Lewis and family.

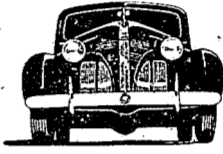
Mr. and Mrs. John Foote of Meirad Drive had as their Christmas guests, Mrs. John Vennama and Edward Lewis of Plainwell, Mich.

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE RATES REDUCED FOR NEW YEAR'S WEEK-END

The same reduced long distance telephone rates that apply to calls to most points every night and all day every Sunday will become effective at 7 p. m. Saturday, December 31 (New Year's Eve) and continue all day Sunday and Monday until 4:30 a. m. Tuesday on calls within the United States and to Canada.

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Selected Short Subjects

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The Hilltopper

[News from last week] Epworth League Party

On the night of Thursday the 15th, the Epworth League gave its annual Christmas Party. On arriving each person was given 5 beans and was told that whenever he said "yes" or "no" he must give one to the person addressed. At the end of the allotted time the monopolies were held by Rev. Large and Kathleen Johnson, Don Smith's 50 were not counted as they consisted of the pooled resources of some members. Time was hardly given for us to enjoy the splendid decorations when Dan Addis led us in playing Fire, Water, and Earth. The boys being in the majority in the end as they usually are Dan Addis and His "Swing Cats" went to town while the girls prepared the food. After the refreshments which consisted of sandwiches and cocoa the crowd left.

Home Economics Club The Home Economics Club gave a Tea for their mothers on Monday. When the mothers came in each had a star with their name on it pinned to them. Betty Clark, president, welcomed the mothers and then turned the program over to Doris Jencks, chairman of the program committee. The program consisted of accounts of Christmas in many lands, illustrations of decorating and wrapping packages by Mrs. Strait, singing led by Jackie Parrish, and a poem read by Doris Jencks. Iva Sommers also told about the progress of the hot lunches. After the program the mothers signed the club scrap book and visited for the remainder of the hour.

Girls' Basketball The girls of Clarkston High School have started a team and they have practice every Tuesday night at 4:00 o'clock. Our High School girls played the Alumni the other night and put up a very good fight. They lost the game 7 to 4. Those who played on the team were: Pud Chamberlain (Capt), Eileen See, Charlotte Sue Miller, Betty Taylor, Ann Russell, Rita Wilson, Honor Stickney, Maxine Roadway, Inez Miller, Julia Edgar, Ruth Belitz, Betty Waid and Doris Batten. We hope to have more games and are trying hard to get games with Holly, Drayton Plains and Waterford.

Pep Assembly by Jackie Parrish Our patriotic spirits rose high as we filed into the gymnasium last Friday and heard our School Band playing our School Song. Honorary certificates were given to our football heroes by "Doc" Thayer along with some remarks given very generously by Mr. Waters. Those receiving the certificates were Art Clark, Bill Rexford (Captain and Co-Captain), Oliver Johnson, Dick Tee, Dick Ganther, Gerald Davies, Howard Boyens, La Verne Webber, Eugene Hubbard, Frank Russell, Dick Lowrie, Russell Morgan, Owen Payne and Bill Wilson. Art Clark and Dick Tee aided Mr. Waters in

explaining some of the hidden secrets of basketball to some of us "Green Horns". The cheerleaders led us in a few cheers also.

Waterford School News

[News from last week] by Evelyn Chase

Every grade will take part in the high school room Christmas program on December 23. We are planning on having a nice program.

The Ninth and Tenth Grade Latin students are learning a verse of "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful" in Latin.

On January the twentieth there will be a Magician Show at 7:30 p. m. in the school auditorium.

Some of the pupils are practicing Christmas carols. Miss Pelican is the instructor. Boy! has she an ear for our music!

The Eighth Grade has divided their English class up into five parts, four pupils in each part and are acting the five staves of Charles Dickens' story, "Christmas Carol".

The Eighth Grade had a test in arithmetic Wednesday.

The Girl Scouts presented a Christmas program for their own group Tuesday afternoon at the regular Scout meeting.

Joan and Barbara Schenck entertained the Girl Scouts last Friday evening. Games and a gift exchange were the diversions of the evening.

A party will be given at the Waterford High School, Thursday evening, December 29, 1938, for pupils of the high school room and for other young people of the community and their friends. The P. T. A. is sponsoring this party at which dancing and games will furnish recreation. Refreshments will be served. Buy your tickets now—twenty-five cents each—from the ticket committee: Dorothy Dorman, Kitty Lou McLaughlin, Helen Smithson, Fern Giroux.

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LEGAL NOTICES John L. Estes, Attorney Clarkston, Mich.

MORTGAGE SALE "DEFAULT" having been made for more than thirty days in the condition of a certain mortgage made by Beatrice L. Kelley to Clarkston State Bank, a Michigan corporation, dated the 19th day of February A. D. 1936, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, on the 21st day of February A. D. 1936, in Liber 778 Mortgages, on pages 510 to 513 both inclusive, said Clarkston State Bank having exercised the option to declare and does hereby declare the full amount remaining unpaid on said mortgage due and payable forthwith, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and in-

terest, the sum of Six Hundred Twenty-two and 36/100 (\$622.36) Dollars, and an attorney's fee of Thirty-five dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Monday, the 20th day of February, A. D. 1939, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon Eastern Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the Easterly Saginaw Street entrance to the Court House, in the City of Pontiac, Oakland County, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said

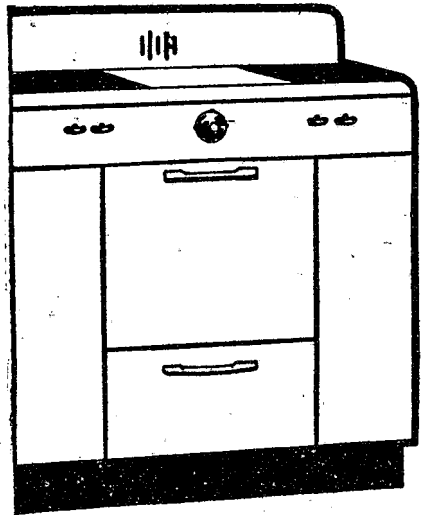
mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with attorney's fee, which said premises are described as follows:

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By BETTY BARGLAY

Start the year right by serving some new dish in the home — and duplicate this surprise each week. You'll be delighted with the results. Try the following dishes on your family and guests:

Macaroni with Beef Brisket Macaroni is the hostess' best friend in every season of the year for its economical bounty. Everyone seems to like it. Try your luck with macaroni and beef brisket casserole. 1 lb. macaroni 3 stalks celery 2 small onions 1 small can tomatoes 1 1/2 lbs. brisket of beef 2 carrots 1 clove garlic Salt and pepper

Cover meat with cold water, and add chopped celery, carrots, onions and garlic. Boil meat until tender. Drain off and keep broth. Chop meat and vegetables. Cook macaroni in boiling salted water until tender. Drain. Place a layer of cooked macaroni in bottom of baking dish, add a layer of chopped meat and vegetables, and then a thin layer of tomatoes. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Repeat, finishing with macaroni. Season broth with pepper and salt and pour over mixture in baking dish. Bake in moderate oven (375 degrees) for 1 hour. Serve hot.

Peppermint Rennet-Custard 1 package raspberry rennet powder 1 pint milk 1/2 pound peppermint stick candy Crush candy into fine crumbs and let stand in milk in refrigerator for one hour. Make rennet-custard according to directions on package, using the peppermint and milk mixture instead of plain milk. When ready to serve, garnish with chocolate sauce or whipped cream and sprinkle with crushed peppermint candies, if desired.

Lemon Refrigerator Cake 24 marshmallows, cut fine and soaked 30 minutes in 1 pint whipping cream 3 tablespoons gelatine, softened 5 minutes in 1/2 cup cold water 1 1/2 cups sugar, brought to a boil with 1 1/2 cups water Add sugar syrup to gelatine mixture. Add 1/2 cup lemon juice Cool. When beginning to stiffen fold in marshmallows and cream which have been beaten stiff. Pour into an 8 or 9-inch springform, lined with 18 to 24 ladyfingers. Serve as is.

Limas with Sausage 1/2 pound sausage 1 medium-sized onion 1 cup cooked, dried Limas 1 cup tomatoes 1/2 teaspoon chili 1/2 teaspoon salt Fry onion and sausage until well done. Add other ingredients and simmer for 30 minutes.

Frozen Egg Nog 1 package vanilla arrowroot pudding 1 cup milk 1/2 cup sugar

1/2 cup granulated sugar 1/2 cup sherry 1 cup cream, whipped Mix vanilla arrowroot pudding with milk; bring to boil, stirring constantly. Remove from fire; add egg yolks mixed with sugar. Cool; add sherry, egg whites, stiffly beaten, and whipped cream. Mix well and pour into freezing tray. Freeze quickly about 3-4 hours. Makes about 1 quart.

Cocunut Pineapple Macaroons 1/2 cup sweetened condensed milk 2 cups shredded coconut 1 cup crushed pineapple Few grains salt Blend together sweetened condensed milk, shredded coconut, crushed pineapple and salt. Drop by spoonfuls on well buttered baking sheet 1 inch apart. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 10 minutes or until a delicate brown. Remove from pan at once. Makes about 30.

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