

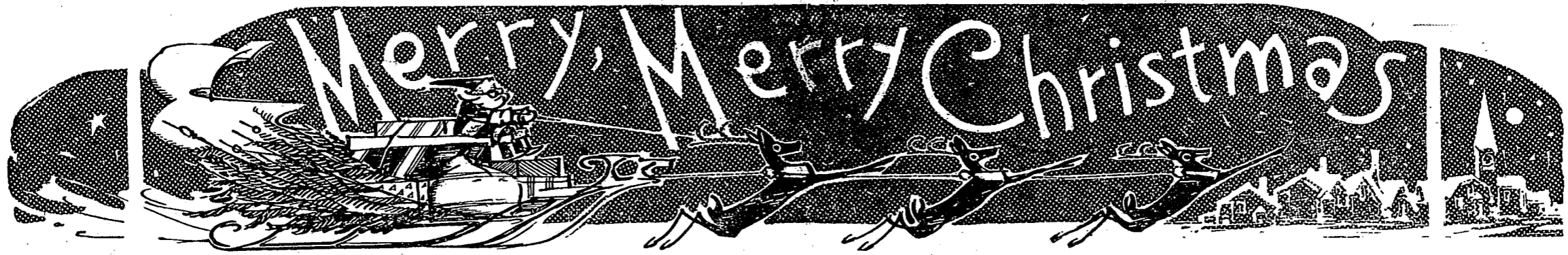
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Christmas Program Thursday Night Promptly at Seven

Sponsored by Clarkston Rotary Club in School Auditorium

Group singing, "God Bless America".

Silent tribute to those from our community, who are now away from their homes in the armed service of our Country, protecting our right to this freedom.

Motion picture, "A Child of Bethlehem".

Group singing, "Silent Night". Christmas Carols.

Arrival of Santa Claus in the little house, built on the auditorium floor. He will distribute gifts to a little boy who is sleeping there.

Santa will then appear and distribute a gift to every child who is present.

Notice

Bids will be accepted until Wednesday evening for carrying the mail to and from the Grand Trunk Western Railroad depot and the Clarkston Post office. For further information see Mrs. E. Runk, Postmaster.

The Clarkston Post Office will be open until 10 A. M. Christmas morning.

Double parking in Clarkston is permitted for loading or unloading for business places. For passenger cars double parking is permitted only if someone is left in the car and this person must be able to drive the car if necessary.

Post-War Plans Are Under Way

Plans for "Green Trails" throughout Michigan's vacation country, spotted with convenient camps for hikers, cyclists and saddle riders, were accepted by the state conservation commission at its December meeting, and after considerable discussion were included among plans being considered for post-war recreational development.

The trails originally were proposed by Governor Van Wagoner, and it has been suggested that some of the stopping places be fashioned like old-time lumber camps.

More immediate attention may be given to cooperation in the Huron-Clinton parkway development. With travel limited, outdoor recreation areas of southeastern Michigan may receive the extensive use formerly spread over the northern counties.

Everyone will be sorry to learn that Fred Groven had the misfortune to slip and fall at his work and sustain a badly sprained ankle. He is getting about on crutches.

Drayton Theatre

Wednesday December 23
Julia Bishop
Escape from Crime
also
Leon Errol-Lupe Velez
MEXICAN SPITFIRE SEES A GHOST

Thursday December 24
The Theatre will be closed so our employees can enjoy Christmas Eve in their homes.

Friday-Saturday Dec. 25-26
Abbott & Costello
Pardon my Sarong
also
Preston Foster
LITTLE TOKIO

Sun.-Mon.-Tues. Dec. 27-28-29
Bing Crosby-Fred Astaire
Holiday Inn

Our Boys and Girls In The Service

No doubt the folks here will be interested in knowing that Mary Gassick is still doing her bit somewhere in foreign service. The Clarkston News was pleased to receive a letter from Mary and we know that you will be glad to hear from her too. We enjoy sharing the letters we receive from our service girls and boys with our readers.

Nov. 24-42
My dear Mr. and Mrs. Stamp:

Just a few words to tell you I am fine and enjoying my work. I also want to wish the Stamp family a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

I am enclosing a snapshot I had taken of myself somewhere in foreign service.

I also want to thank you for the Clarkston News. I hope you are feeling fine and I think of you often.

Sincerely,
Mary

(The picture is a real good one. Mary does look fine.)

The following letter was received on Monday from Clark E. Souby:

At Sea
Dear Mr. and Mrs. Stamp:

No doubt you folks will be surprised to hear from me. I have sat down to write you a dozen times but each time I have been unable to think of anything that we would be allowed to put in a letter that would be of any interest. The censorship regulations on ships at sea are very strict due to the damage that could be caused by the enemy should he obtain any information regarding ships' movements.

Although our mail is sometimes very slow and irregular I am still receiving my copies of The Clarkston News. They usually come to me in bunches but I sort them out by date and read them in order and manage to keep up to date on all the news at home. I think both of you for keeping my paper coming to me. It means a lot.

It sure is tough to have to stay away from home for such a long time. Seems as though I should be getting used to it by now but I still get homesick especially around this time as Thanksgiving and Christmas draw near. A person never realizes just how nice it is around Clarkston until he has been away a long time. I will be very glad to get back after this war is over and that won't be too long from now if things keep progressing the way they have been lately. It begins to look brighter for our side.

I wish I could describe this ship to you. All I can say is that I am proud to be a member of the crew. My work is in the Commissary Dept' and is very interesting. I receive and have custody of all bulk clothing and canteen stores. I keep this stock in storerooms and issue to the respective canteens as needed. My hardest work comes when we are in port and taking on stores and provisions. The best thing about my job is that there is always something to keep me busy and take my thoughts away from myself and my home.

Our food is good and even though we may be at sea for a long time we can still have fresh vegetables and fruit due to our complete refrigeration system. Of course we sometimes run out of certain things and have to get along with substitutes but by that time we are usually on our way in and we don't mind as long as we know we are going back to port.

I am sorry I didn't get to see you when I was home on my last leave. Perhaps we will have a little longer next time and I will be able to call on you.

Very truly yours,
Clark

The Clarkston News received a small picture of Herbert Beach. He looks as though he was ready to board his plane and take off. He certainly hasn't lost any weight and he has a happy smile.

Jack Cubley was home from Norfolk on a few days leave. He attended the funeral service for his grandmother and accompanied his father to Ludington, Mich., where burial

Clarkston Folks Might Use Train Service

Many in this section might be glad to know that they could ride to Clarkston from Detroit on the Grand Trunk late in the afternoon. There is a local leaves Detroit at 4:45 p. m. leaves Pontiac at 5:55 p. m. arriving at Clarkston depot at 6:08.

Junior Club Held Christmas Meeting

The Clarkston Junior Literary Club held the Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. James Denherder in Drayton Plains on Tuesday evening of last week. There was a good attendance and all had a good time.

After a short business meeting the group enjoyed playing games and exchanging gifts. Dainty refreshments were served.

Waterford

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frack of Floyd St., in General Hospital, Dec. 12th, a daughter, Steph-
any Ann.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Goshen of Williams Lake, a daughter, Mary Virginia, in General Hospital, Dec. 15th.

Rev. and Mrs. Donald Loughheed and son, Jimmie, of Pontiac, were guests a few days of the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Goll at Maceday Lake, prior to their leaving for St. Johns where Rev. Loughheed has accepted a pastorate in the Baptist Church.

Fred Attwater, who has been a patient in General Hospital for the past ten days, returned home on Thursday.

At a meeting of the Mothers' Group they voted to serve a hot lunch at the school each Wednesday beginning Jan. 13, for three weeks, to be prepared from the surplus food commodities. The committee appointed for arrangements, to be assisted by volunteers, includes Mrs. Emery Beedle, Mrs. Lyle Biddle and Mrs. Thomas Darling.

A group of high school students enjoyed a coasting party at Waterford Hill recently in honor of Donald McComb, who left Sunday for Lincoln, Neb., where he has received an appointment as an instructor in an officers' training course. After several hours of sport the group returned to the school for refreshments.

The Good Will Club presented the church with some toys for the nursery department.

Mrs. Fred Tuck spent the weekend in Detroit at the home of Mrs. A. VanAckers.

A group of young folks were guests of Robert Mehlerg at a roller skating party on Saturday evening after which they returned to the Mehlerg home for refreshments.

About thirty members and friends of the Ladies' Auxiliary enjoyed the Christmas party in the church parlors on Thursday afternoon.

At a recent meeting of the Sunshine Club they voted to meet but once each month, on the third Thursday. Previously they had met twice monthly.

Mrs. Agnes Flickinger, who submitted to a major operation in General Hospital two weeks ago, returned to her home here on Friday.

John Bozak III, a student at Michigan State College, is spending the holidays with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mehlerg received a telegram recently from their son, Pvt. David Mehlerg, who is stationed somewhere in Alaska, telling them he was well and wishing them the season's greetings. This was the first communication they had received from him since a letter written Nov. 13.

took place. Jack stopped into the News office on Saturday. He receives the News every week and he was pleased to receive the Christmas package from the Independence Home Front Committee. He is looking well and enjoys his radio work.

Pte Dan Addis arrived home from New Mexico early Sunday morning. He will spend the week at his home here. He is feeling fine and says he really enjoys his work. He is very happy to be home for the Christmas season.

Registered Cow Has Fine Record

Lakefield Farms of Clarkston owns a registered Holstein cow which has just completed a record of 717 pounds of butterfat and 17,471 pounds of milk. This is nearly 4 times the production of the average dairy cow in the country, says The Holstein-Friesian Association of America.

Her official name is Belle Paul Lad Bell. Boy and she was 6 years 8 months of age when she began her record. She was milked twice daily. Testing was done under the supervision of the Michigan State College of Agriculture and The Holstein-Friesian Association of America.

Clarkston Locals

A card was received last week from Rev. and Mrs. Cal Edwards. They expect to spend Christmas in St. Cloud, Fla., with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Jones. They are feeling fine. They wish to extend greetings to all of their friends in and around Clarkston.

Drayton Plains

Jones-McCreary
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones of Sashabaw Road announce the marriage of their daughter Ione to Worden McCreary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McCreary of Pontiac. The wedding took place at Napoleon, Ohio, October 16th, 1942.

The 4-H girls held their Christmas party in the school auditorium last Thursday evening. There are 44 members this year. The first year group: Peggy Keasey, Sylvia Frazer, Betty Fowler, Delreta Coleman, Jean Christianon, Doretta Fleming, Matilda Neilson, Georgia Thayer, Louise Mitchell, Dorothy Tucker, Gwendolyn Welch, Mary Dean Solomon, Alberta Williams, Shirley Blight, Lucille Hangree, Delores Huntley. Second year: Nancy Todd, Babette Purdy, Joanne Bean, Gertrude Scafe, Donald Berryman. Third year: Kathleen Leslie, Edna Scafe, Mary Jane Lewis, Mary Jane Jacobson, Helen Irene See. Fourth year: Kathleen Ream, Betty Mae Nicholas. Fifth year: Shirley See and 6-7-8 year Irene Hutchinson. Mrs. Alfred Hutchinson and Mrs. Kenneth See and Mrs. Clayton Purdy are the instructors. A pot luck supper was served, several games were played and gifts were exchanged.

The P. T. A. Mother singers enjoyed their Christmas party last Wednesday in the church, with twenty-two members present. The group held a rehearsal from ten to twelve, after which a lot of good things were displayed for the dinner, without the turkey. After the dinner, games were played and gifts were exchanged. The next meeting of the singers will be held in the church January 6th at ten a. m.

The Women's Missionary Society held their regular monthly meeting in the church on Thursday. Reports of the different committees were given. Roll call was answered with Scripture verses with Peace. Christmas songs were sung. A most enjoyable meeting was held. The next meeting will be held on the 14th of January and will be an evening meeting in the Community United Presbyterian Church. This is when the Juniors entertain this society. Mrs. Ethel Solomon, Mrs. Edward Krem and Mrs. Virginia Hangree are the program leaders. Hostesses for this meeting are Mrs. Ransom Robb, Mrs. Chester Huntley, Mrs. Roy Lindahl and Mrs. Russell Maybee.

The Adult Bible School Class held its regular monthly business and social meeting in the church last Friday evening. In spite of the cold and snow a goodly number were present. The president, Mr. Elmer Broadway, called the meeting to order. Mr. Roy Dancy led in prayer. Several Christmas Carols were sung with Mrs. J. R. Berryman at the piano. After the business session Miss Georgiana Thayer played "Silent Night" on the piano. Miss Matilda Neilson gave a reading as did the little Thornburgh girl. Donald Dacey played three selections on the violin with Mrs. Berry at the piano. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be on the 16th of January and will be elec-

Peace on Earth Good Will to Men

Let hostile forces firing cease, Let human thoughts be set on peace, To all this conflict put an end And substitute good will toward men. It's not the nature of our heart To be a nation to take part In wars, that promote misery. Unless we're setting people free. At Christmas time, we miss the face That sat in yonder vacant place. And we are saddened at the thought Of what a price, just peace is bought. Please teach us that there is a way To have our peace on earth to stay. In every church, in every school, Let us apply the golden rule.

To boys in service over there On Christmas day, we breathe this prayer,
That you are on the side of right,
And though an enemy you fight,
That you'll look past, when battles cease

When we must plan a perfect peace, So all on earth might say again
Peace on earth good will toward men.

Robert C. Beattie
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Cutting one gallon from the "A" gasoline ration coupon, in 16 Eastern rationed states, is estimated to save about 20,000 barrels of gasoline daily.

of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pelkey have moved to Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. John Judd and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Visgatis will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Looman in Detroit for Christmas.

The Drayton Plains Blue Star Mothers held their Christmas party in the school auditorium last Thursday evening with thirty-one members present. Bug and cards were the entertainment of the evening. Mrs. Frank Furman was the lucky lady. Later in the evening gifts were exchanged and lovely refreshments were served.

Edward Deery, Y3c. Columbus, Ohio, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thrasher, on Seeley Ave.

Charles Jankawske has returned to his home on South Drive from the State Teachers College at Mt. Pleasant to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jankawske.

Miss Inez Sutton is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Sutton. Miss Sutton is attending the Ypsilanti Normal College.

Billie and Bob Hedding of Berkley spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Anna Losche.

Myron VanSyeckle is slightly improved but is still under observation in the Pontiac General Hospital.

The Blue Star Mothers are planning for the unveiling of the Honor Roll for the service men who have gone to serve their country from Drayton Plains. The board is completed and the names are being printed.

Leslie Smuck is improving in General Hospital from a recent appendicitis operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Becker and son, Bob, will spend Christmas in Detroit as guests of friends.

Mrs. Olive Boardman of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams will spend Christmas Eve with Mrs. Grace Barnhart on Seeley Ave.

Mrs. N. W. Morgan continues quite ill at her home, Sashabaw Plains.

John Smith of Ludington will spend the Christmas holidays at his home on Dixie Highway.

Mrs. Sarah Seyers is planning to leave in a few weeks for Chicago, Des Moines, and on to San Francisco, California, to spend several weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Noble Hedding is confined to her home by illness.

Jack Visgatis is on the sick list this past week, but is better as this paper goes to press.

Al Borkak of San Diego, California, is spending a few days furlough with his family.

Better 'Phone Service At Fort Custer

The Michigan Bell Telephone Company today announced it again will expand its service to the military personnel by opening a new telephone building in the reception area at Fort Custer about the first of the year.

The building, which will be equipped with a battery of 10 telephone booths and a two-position switch-board connected with the company's central office at Battle Creek, will replace the "Telecoach", mobile telephone unit which has been in operation there since last summer. Two attendant-operators will be on hand in the building to make change for the men, provide information on long distance rates, and otherwise assist them in getting their calls through quickly.

John F. Edwards, telephone manager at the Fort, said the company will be able to handle several times as many calls than is now possible at the "Telecoach." There are approximately 100 other public telephones, throughout the Fort, for use of the men.

Maritime Service to Recruit Merchant Marine Officers

Lieutenant Gerard W. Cross, Regional Director for the United States Maritime Service recruiting offices in the states of Ohio, Michigan and Kentucky announced today that under a special ruling, recruiting for cadets in the Merchant Marine Cadet Corps will continue without conflicting with War-Manpower Commission regulations, and that a special drive to enlist 500 future officers from the tristate area is under way.

Candidates for officer training must be unmarried United States Citizens between 18 and 23. However, overage waivers may be given to applicants who submit evidence of having completed studies in an accredited college or university. An allowance of one year in age may be granted for each academic year completed. A maximum of four years credit may be allowed.

Entering as Midshipmen in the Merchant Marine Reserve and the United States Naval Reserve the new recruits train for sixteen months; six of which are spent aboard a merchant ship for practical experience.

Cadets may select the department they feel best qualified to train for, either the Deck or the Engine Department, and are paid \$65 per month, the same rate as a Midshipman at the United States Naval Academy, while training.

Descriptive pamphlets and applications can be secured by applying at the United States Maritime Service Office, Hammond Building, Detroit.

Clarkston Locals

Billy Skinner had the misfortune to fall and break his leg just above the ankle on Sunday night while skating on the Mill Pond.

Miss Helene Yoh, nurse in training at Harper Hospital, Detroit, spent a few hours at her home here this past weekend. She expects to be at home for Christmas.

Several inches of snow fell Thursday and Friday of last week and many motorists came to grief when they got stuck and had to call the wrecker to get them out of the deep snow.

Holly Theatre

"The Friendly Playhouse"

Thursday-Friday-Saturday, December 24-25-26—Friday, Christmas special starting 5:00 p. m. continuous—Ginger Rogers, Ray Milland, Rita Johnson in "THE MAJOR AND THE MINOR".

Sunday-Monday, December 27-28—Rosalind Russell, Brian Aherne, Janet Blair in "MY SISTER EILEEN".

Tues.-Wed.-Thurs., Dec. 29-30-31—2 Big Features—Veronica Lake, Robert Preston in "THIS GUN FOR HIRE"; William Holden, Frances Dee in "MEET THE STEWARDS".



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The Hilltopper

Last Wednesday the Senior girls, who wanted to receive a physical examination, were examined by Dr. Block and Dr. Donnelly. This is part of a Federal project sponsored annually, although it is the first time we have had it here.

The girls were given eye tests along with the rest of the physical. Reports show that most of the girls were physically fit and ready to aid their country.

After the exams, there was a short discussion carried on by Dr. Donnelly and the purpose of these examinations was explained.

The State is trying to have all of the Senior girls in the State examined free. During the draft so many unhealthy young men were turned down that they realize the physical condition that our young women must be in.

The examination was not compulsory but 20 out of 24 of the girls received the physical.

The Senior Class is planning for a "Sweater Swing" to be held soon after the Christmas Vacation. Class meetings will be held during this week to plan the Dance. Further news will be seen in the "Hilltopper".

highest of \$340. Haircuts, permanent waves, tobacco and other personal allowances ranged from one family \$1.50 in a year to another that had a total of \$334. The average was \$42. One family spent \$1.15 for soap and made the rest. The average family's soap bill was \$8 for a year.

Farm contributions to family living averaged \$562 in food, housing and fuel. Total cash living expenses were \$866, which made the year's annual farm family living average \$1428 when farm food, fuel and housing was included.

"One farm family cannot spend on another farm family's pattern," concludes Miss Pond, "because the purpose in studying farm home accounts is to help each family get what the family wants from its money."

Sixth Registration Now Taking Place

Board No. 9 Gives Out Information to Selectees

The following is the plan for conducting the Sixth Registration for Local Board No. 9, 301 Peoples State Building, Pontiac Michigan.

LEGALS

Estes & Cooney, Attorneys,
812-815 Peoples State Bldg.,
Pontiac, Mich.
STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the sixteenth day of December A. D. 1942.

Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James McKerrow, Sr., Deceased.

Elizabeth Gemmill, administratrix of said estate having filed in said Court her Final Account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof; determination of the heirs of said deceased; assignment of the residue of said estate; and the discharge of said administratrix.

It is Ordered, that the 18th day of January A. D. 1943 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Clarkston News a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.

Estes & Cooney, Attorneys at Law,
812 Peoples State Building,
Pontiac, Michigan

Farm Household Expenses Vary Greatly

Figures Broken Down Give Interesting Computations

Michigan's unmatched variety in agricultural production matches the variety of ways in which typical farm families spend and budget the cash necessary to operate households.

Proof of that has been found in a survey conducted by Julia Pond, specialist in home management at Michigan State College.

Expenses total 69 per cent for the "big four" farm family accounts. Food averages 25 per cent, the car 16 per cent, household operation 15 per cent and family clothing 13 per cent. That leaves 31 per cent for education and recreation, personal, medical, gifts and contributions and furnishings and equipment.

Typical of the variation is found in electric bills which range from \$10.50 to \$102.93 depending on the amount of equipment. Twenty-four of 25 families surveyed had high line service.

The least spent for food was \$70 and the most was \$606. Lowest and highest in household operation ran from \$27 to \$264. Clothing averaged \$109 from the lowest of \$30 to the

The registration will be entirely conducted at the Local Board Office, 301 Peoples State Building, Pontiac.

Registration of those born on or after July 1, 1924, but not after August 31, 1924, closed on Thursday, December 17, 1942.

Those who were born on or after September 1, 1924, but not after October 31, 1924, shall be registered on any day during the week commencing Friday, December 18, 1942, and ending Thursday, December 24, 1942;

Those who were born on or after November 1, 1924, but not after December 31, 1924, shall be registered on any day during the period commencing Saturday, December 26, 1942, and ending December 31, 1942;

During the continuance of the present war those who were born on or after January 1, 1925, shall be registered on the day they attain the eighteenth anniversary of the day of their birth; provided that if such anniversary falls on Sunday or a legal holiday their registration shall take place on the day following that is not a Sunday or a legal holiday.

Registration will take place between the hours of 9:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M. on the days designated above.

The townships included in District No. 9 are Holly, Rose, Groveland, Springfield, Independence, Orion, Oakland, Pontiac, Avon, Brandon, Oxford and Addison.

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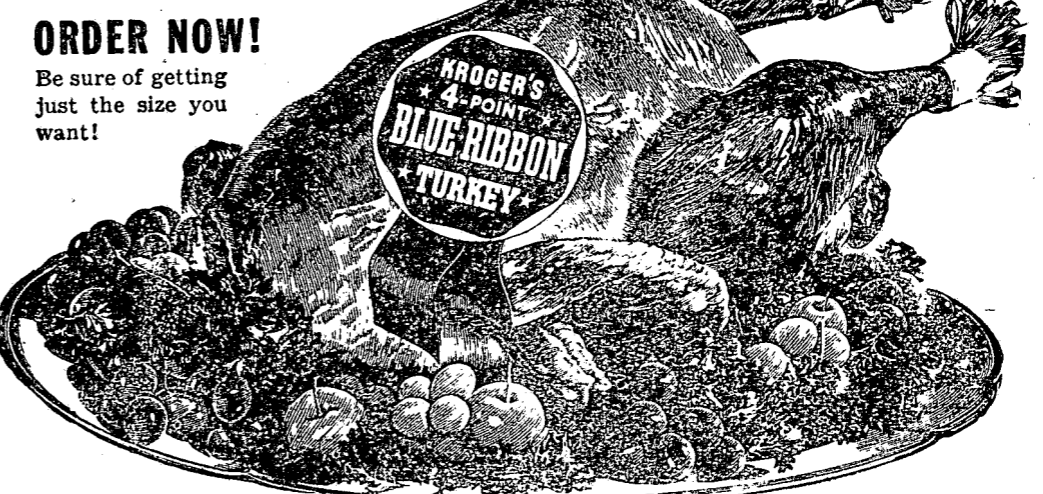
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| | | HOT DOG BUNS pkg. 10c |

CHRISTMAS WEEK STORE HOURS: TUESDAY 9A.M.-6 P.M., WEDNESDAY 8 A.M.-9 P.M., THURSDAY, DEC. 24th, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

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This War Christmas...

PLEASE do not make Long Distance greeting calls

Only the necessities of war cause your Telephone Company to make that request. This Christmas, Long Distance lines will be crowded with urgent war messages—calls that must go through. Holiday greetings must make way for those vital calls.

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CLARKSTON

We wish you a Merry Christmas

This week we will be cutting the Christmas Beef.

Also have a selection of Choice Poultry.

Church News

CLARKSTON METHODIST CHURCH
W. Harold Pailthorp, Minister
Church School—10:30 o'clock. The school is in charge of Mr. Orlo Wiloughby. Every one is welcome.
Morning Worship—11 o'clock.
Junior High Youth Fellowship—6 o'clock.
Senior High Youth Fellowship—7:30 o'clock.

CLARKSTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. C. Ballagh, Pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
10:45 a. m. Morning Worship.
The Young People's Groups will meet as usual at 6:30. Rev. Walter Ballagh will be in charge.

SEYMOUR LAKE METHODIST CHURCH
W. Harold Pailthorp, Minister
Morning Worship—9:30 o'clock.
Church School—10:30 o'clock. The School is in charge of Mrs. Iva Miller.

WATERFORD CHURCH
Rev. Robert Ibach, Minister
10:15 a. m. Sunday School. Supt. H. B. Mehlberg in charge. Classes for everybody, and everyone welcome.
11:15 Morning service. Rev. Robert Ibach in charge.
7:30 p. m. Evening service with Rev. Robert Ibach in charge.
Wednesday 7 p. m. Choir practice in church.
Wednesday 8 p. m. Bible study and prayer service in the church.

DRAYTON UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Clarence J. Sutton, Minister
Bible School at 10:00 a. m. Classes for all ages. Lloyd Bowden, Supt.
Morning Worship 11:00 o'clock.
All young people's groups will meet. Juniors at 5:30 p. m., Pioneers, Fellowship and Builders at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship 7:30.
Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening 7:30; choir practice at 8:30 on the same evening.

ANDERSONVILLE CHURCH
Howard Jewell, Pastor

10:30 A. M. Morning Worship.
11:30 A. M. Sunday School.
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES
"Christian Science" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, Dec. 27. The Golden Text (John 14:15-17) is: "If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; even the Spirit of truth." Among the Bible citations in this passage (Matthew 4:23): "And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness and all manner of disease among the people." Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p. 147): "Our Master healed the sick, practised Christian healing, and taught the generalities of its divine Principle to his students; but he left no definite rule for demonstrating this Principle of healing and preventing disease. This rule remained to be discovered in Christian Science."

Last Minute Christmas Suggestions

Suggestions for HIM:
Flashlights
Jack Knives
Razors
Hones
Tools
Fish Shanty Stoves
Fish Spears
Fish Tip-ups
Wool and Leather Mitts
Caps and Mackinaws
Rubber Footwear

Suggestions for HER:
Toasters
Waffle Irons
Cutlery
Kitchen Utensils
Pyrex Gift Sets
Enamel Roasters
Wagner Pre-Seasoned
Cast Iron Ware

Xmas Tree Light Sets and Extra Lamps
Sleds, Toboggans and Skis

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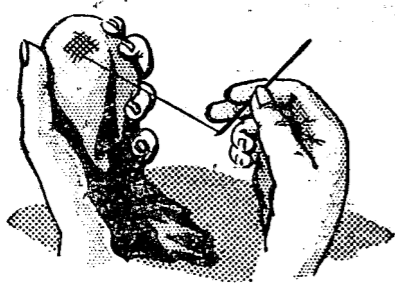
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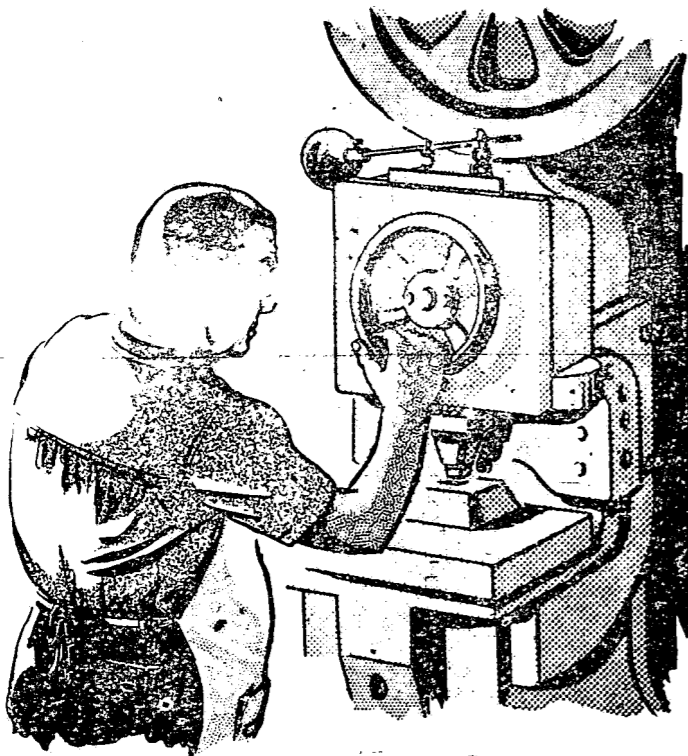
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What has darning socks to do with



Bigger production ON A PUNCH PRESS?

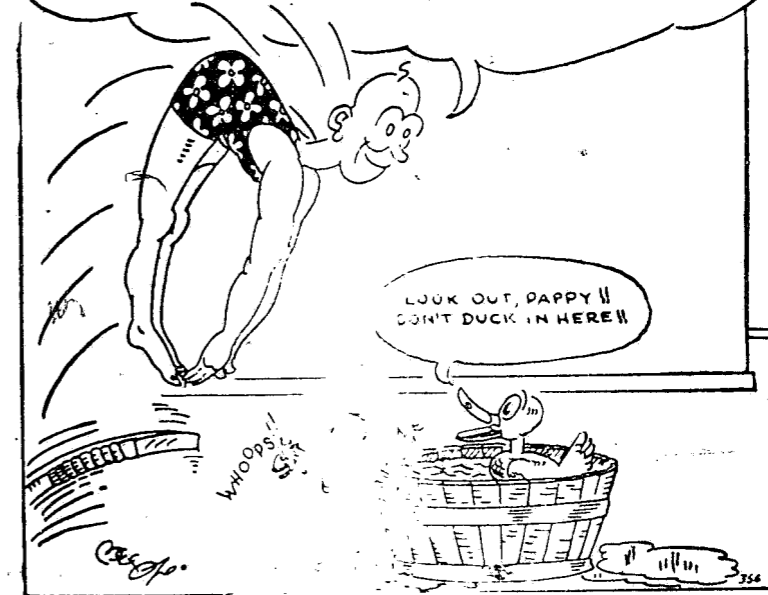
Ask any woman what kind of sewing is most trying on the eyes. She will probably tell you fine stitching or mending, or even *darning socks*—because it means using black thread on a black background (or matching colors, of thread and material). There is NO CONTRAST to help make seeing easy.

The same thing is true on a punch press, a lathe, or almost any kind of factory machine. Such machinery is usually painted dull green, deep gray or black; and against drab factory walls and floors and ceilings, it blends into a dark mass that makes seeing very difficult. Worse still, the color of the *work piece* is often the same as the machine — increasing the accident hazard and causing fingers to slow down or fumble.

It isn't practical to darn black socks with white thread. But something CAN be done about improving seeing conditions in factories, through the use of "two-toned" machines, and lighter walls and floors and ceilings. A paint brush and a few minutes' time can transform lathes, presses, drills... clearly marking the "danger area" — the point of work — and furnishing sharp contrast between the machine proper and the piece being handled. Combined with *good lighting*, this speeds up production on nearly every kind of job. Workers can SEE better, and are able to perform their tasks more efficiently. Errors are cut to a minimum. Flaws are quickly and readily spotted. And accident hazards are greatly reduced.

For helpful advice on the use of LIGHT and COLOR CONTRAST in your plant, make use of Detroit Edison Lighting Advisors. Their services are available without charge. Call RA 2100, Lighting Division. The Detroit Edison Company.

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Rudy's Market

CLARKSTON

Phone 2811

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

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| OLD DUTCH CLEANSER | REEL TREET MINCE MEAT |
| 3 pkgs 20c | 2 pkgs 19c |
| DUZ | LA FRANCE |
| 2 pkgs 45c | 3 pkgs 25c |

Sweet Apple Cider gallon 35c

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| CHIPSO | CRYSTAL WEDDING OATS |
| 2 pkgs 43c | Large box 21c |
| SLICED PICKLED BEETS | POST TENS |
| 2 cans 25c | 5 varieties 23c |

Fresh Killed Poultry

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| MAZOLA OIL | CLEAN QUICK SOAP CHIPS |
| Per pint 29c | 5 lbs 41c |
| SEEDLESS RAISINS | LAVA SOAP |
| I package 14c | 3 bars 20c |

Christmas Candy and Nuts

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| GOLD MEDAL FLOUR | WALNUTS |
| 24 1/2 lbs \$1.09 | Per lb 25c |
| MINCE MEAT | PRUNES |
| 36 oz jar 29c | 2 lb. lg. size 35c |