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Plans are completed for a New Year's Eve Dance at the Community Activities Building beginning at 9 o'clock. There will be modern and square dancing. Free favors, noise-makers, paper hats, etc., will add to the gaiety of the evening. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Siever (Charlene Pammenter) and three children left last week to spend the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Robert Amos has been ill and in Pontiac General Hospital several days this past week. She is now at her home on VanSycle Street and is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snyder of Hillsboro, Ohio, and Mrs. Charlotte Moats of Newport, Kentucky were weekend guests of the Robert Suyders of Maceday Rd.

Eleven members of the Waterford Birthday Club had their Christmas meeting last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Jack Hall. Following the 6:30 dinner the evening was spent socially and there was an exchange of gifts from the Christmas tree.

The Waterford Women's Club held its Christmas dinner and party Thursday evening at the Community Activities Building. They had a roast turkey dinner and during the evening Mrs. P. L. McLaughlin showed pictures taken at the Club's Hallowe'en party. Mrs. L. H. McFarland, Mrs. Dan Evans, Mrs. R. L. Hawke and Mrs. Glen Byington were hostesses for the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. VanWagoner of Andersonville Road spent Sunday in Ann Arbor with their daughter and her family, the Dr. Arnold Kambleys.

Rev. Arvid E. Anderson has announced the Christmas Eve services for Christ Lutheran Church. In order to accommodate all who wish to attend two services have been planned. The first one is at 8 o'clock and a later one at 11:00. The Junior choir will sing at the 8 o'clock service and the senior choir will present a concert of Christmas music at the 11 o'clock service. Each service will include the traditional candle lighting as each worshipper receives a candle. Rev. Anderson's subject will be "Meet Bethlehem's Strangers".

William Shunck, superintendent of schools, announces that Township schools will close for the Christmas vacation on Wednesday afternoon, December 22, and re-open on Tuesday, January 4th.

A new recording by the Augustana Choir, the famous 70-voice choir from Rock Island, Ill., which is to sing in Pontiac next

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March 30th, has just been released by RCA Victor. This announcement was made today by the Rev. Arvid E. Anderson, Pastor of Christ Lutheran Church which together with St. John's Lutheran Church of Pontiac will sponsor the concert next spring in the Pontiac High School Auditorium.

The Augustana Choir, conducted by Henry Veld, in the late 30's and early 40's made a series of 11 Red Seal recordings for RCA Victor. The record just released is a 12 inch long play recording entitled, "Sacred and Secular Choral Works". It is described as a "New Orthophonic" high fidelity recording among the Bluebird Classics.

The mixed voice choir from Augustana College made another long play record four years ago for Key Records of New York City. This recording was recently purchased by Word Records of Waco, Texas, and like the new RCA Victor record, is being distributed nationwide. The Augustana Choir is unique among college choral groups in this country in that it receives royalties on commercially produced and distributed records.

The appearance of Augustana College Choir in the Pontiac and Waterford area next spring will be anticipated with great interest by all who are interested in good choral music. The brilliant success of Augustana Choir has been acclaimed in concert halls throughout the United States since its formation two decades ago. Several nationally known music critics have acclaimed

Augustana Choir "As one of the finest in the country". Henry Veld, founder of the Augustana Choir, is recognized as one of the leading choral directors in the country. He is in constant demand to judge and direct music festivals and choral clinics and to teach at summer sessions at Universities throughout the United States. He taught choral music for two summer sessions at the University of Michigan. This area is indeed fortunate to have a visit from a choral group such as this.

Plans for the Christmas services at Christ Lutheran Church, Airport and Williams Lake Roads have been announced by the Board of Deacons and the Pastor. In order to accommodate all who wish to attend the Christmas Eve worship, two Services have been arranged. The first service will be at 8:00 P. M. on the 24th and the second service will be at 11:00 P. M. Each will include the traditional service of lights as the worshippers receive candles. The Reverend Arvid E. Anderson, Pastor, will preach on the theme "Meet Bethlehem's Travelers". The Junior Choir will sing several anthems at the 8 o'clock service and the Senior Choir will present a concert of Christmas music at the 11 o'clock service. The public is invited to join in this Christmas worship.

On Sunday, Dec. 19th, at 4:00 P. M., the Sunday School will present its annual Christmas pageant entitled, "What do you see in the Manger?" All departments of the school will participate and it is under the direction of Mrs. Leo Puglise. At 6:30 P. M. the Youth of the church will go caroling to sick and shut-ins and a Christmas party will follow.

EVERY SNOWFLAKE A WORK OF ART

Who says geometry isn't divine?

Next time it snows, take a good look at the fragile six-petaled "flowers" sifting against your coat, a University of Michigan professor of mineralogy suggests.

Lewis S. Ramsdell, chairman of the Department of Mineralogy, explains that snowflakes are formed directly from water vapor and grow freely in the upper air, crystallizing in the hexagonal system—one of the common patterns in which substances crystallize.

He states that the variety of the shapes of these ethereal crystals is apparently endless. "Photographers have found thousands of distinct designs. It has been said, and probably with good reason, that there are no two snowflakes exactly alike."

Discussing the formation of the flake from vapor, Professor Ramsdell explains that water freezing freely in the air demonstrates its delicate geometry by forming a six-rayed star. "The rays themselves are placed at 60-degree angles to each other. Occasionally," he says, "the rays are three in number—a factor of six."

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form, with the spaces in the angles being filled out to the tips of the rays. On the other hand, snow crystals formed in the lower air, and therefore in warmer regions display beautifully decorated rays.

"The large fluffy snowflakes which fall when the temperature is slightly below freezing are really clusters of individual flakes," Professor Ramsdell commented.

Gifts from your own kitchen will be highly treasured by friends and neighbors. Fruit cakes, rich and spicy, make gifts to be remembered the whole year. Pack cookies in decorative tins or gaily wrapped boxes. They will be gratefully enjoyed throughout the yuletide season. Present your very special friends with a festive yeast bread like Stollen or Kris Kringle's Tree done up in bright red cellophane and shiny Christmas balls.

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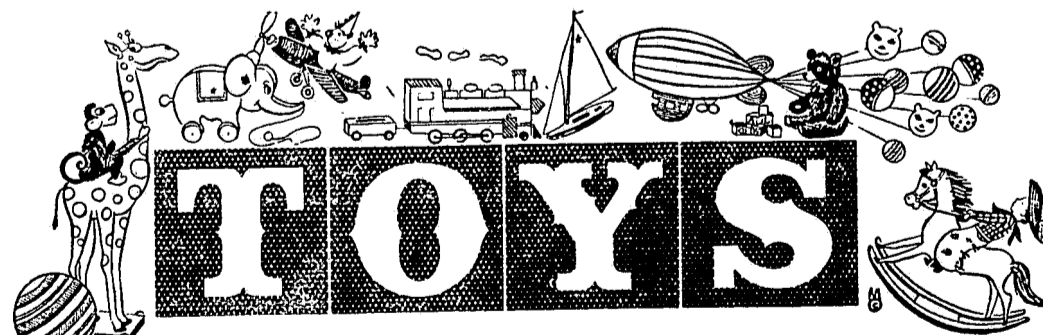
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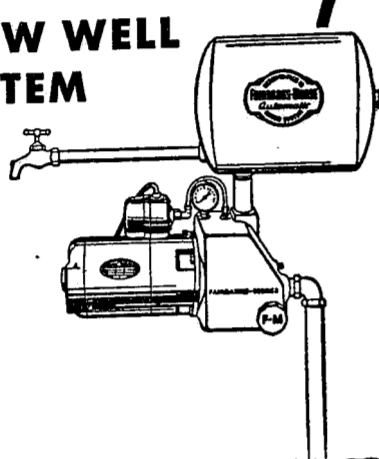
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Bonnie Meyers
Juvenile delinquency can be found in every community, state and country. It is not a rare thing. Juvenile delinquency occurs frequently; whether in the form of vandalism, stealing or bodily harm to someone.
The question most asked is, "Why do they do these things?" Is it because the kids don't have anything else to do? Do they do it for fun? Do they destroy someone's property because of a personal reason, possibly for hate or revenge?
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linquency is lack of something to do, then there is no logical explanation. To hear these words, "We destroyed twenty thousand dollars' worth of property because we didn't have anything else to do!" would be like hearing words of someone who is mentally incompetent. Yet these kids aren't insane, they know right from wrong. Statistics show that the majority of the kids who get into trouble cannot adjust themselves to society. If there is nothing to do in the community, then something should be provided. If that is impossible the parents should be responsible for their children's activities. They could take turns having a group of kids over to the house, serve refreshments, have dancing and games. If this doesn't work, then any kid with any common sense at all should be able to think of something to do other than getting into trouble. They could have scavenger hunts, skiing parties, swimming parties, etc., and really enjoy themselves.
A group of kids can have more fun on a tobogganing party or at a good dance than they can swiping hub caps off a car, for example. There should be more of these social functions arranged. If not urged by the parents and teachers, then by the students themselves.

I believe that the main trouble lies in the home training and with the parents. Kids who are troubled at home quite often go out and get into trouble "just to show them". Others haven't been taught any different; yet others have no understanding from their parents. They may think their parents are old-fashioned and thus try to get even with them for being as strict with them as they are.

It would be a wonderful miracle if juvenile delinquency could be stopped completely. For these kids of today are going to be the presidents of the United States, the owner of the corner grocery, the clerk in the bank and the future parents and citizens of tomorrow. Perhaps with a little cooperation and compromise between the kids, the parents, and the teachers, something can be done to decrease juvenile delinquency.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY
Acey Hayes
Delinquency is on the increase and has been for the last 20 years. During this time the number of murders committed by boys under the age of 16 increased 47%, sex crimes 69%, attacks on people 71%. Since the end of World War II the arrests of young people 16 through 20 years of age for breaking the Narcotic Drug Law in New York State increased 500%. Drug addiction has had a strong influence on the increase in juvenile delinquency. Delinquency affects everyone and starts early. One out of three delinquents has committed some offense before the age of 8. Many are guilty of several delinquent acts before they are 17.

A young person is legally considered a delinquent only if his behavior has brought him into contact with the law.

Each state has its own laws defining juvenile delinquency, and these laws vary. Depending on where you live, you might be called a delinquent just for wandering the streets at night or using obscene language in a public place. Other delinquent acts, according to various state laws,

are immoral conduct; frequenting taverns, poolrooms or gambling houses; habitual truancy; theft; murder and violating a law or ordinance.

Delinquency ranges all the way from minor offenses to serious crimes.

Delinquency is the result of constant, or habitual misbehavior of several kinds. The young person who is frequently in the habit of playing truant is also likely to get into other types of trouble which would make him a delinquent.

I think juvenile delinquents are kids that are just out for a lot of fun, and like to get into trouble just so they can have

something to brag about. Delinquents are just thrill-crazy kids who show off and think they are B. T. O.'s.

The delinquent is usually a young person who does not find in his home or school or neighborhood the satisfaction he needs for a happy life; does not have someone who loves and respects him through all the ups and downs of life; who is bored or unsuccessful in school; who often feels lonely and left out and turns to a gang for companionship; who turns to drugs for escape from his problems; who does not find adventure and excitement in sports and games and other wholesome activities;

who gets started on the wrong track and can't get back without help; who does not have a clear idea of his own good qualities and the ways to develop them. In these or other reasons the juvenile delinquent fights back against people who he believes are against him or his ways.

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The everpresent power of God which brings courage, joy and healing to men of all ages, wherever it is understood, will be emphasized at Christian Science services Sunday.

The Lesson-Sermon entitled "Christian Science" will include the following selection from the Bible (Matthew 2:1,2): "Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judaea in the days of Herod the king, behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him."

Readings from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will include the following passage (109:24): "When a new spiritual idea is borne to earth, the prophetic Scripture of Isaiah is renewedly fulfilled: Unto us a child is born, . . . and his name shall be called Wonderful."

The Golden Text is from II Peter (1:21): "The prophecy came not in old time by the will of man; but holy men of God

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The Michigan Department of Health today warned Michigan residents to guard against the dangers of Christmas tree fires.

The following precautions should be used: 1. Don't set the tree up too far ahead of time; 2. Set the tree in a pan or special holder so it can be watered regularly; 3. Before trimming the tree check over all electrical equipment. Make sure there are no loose connections or bare wires; 4. Place the tree as far away from hot air registers as possible; 5. Always disconnect the tree lights when there is no one around to watch it. Mr. Soet also cautioned against the use of

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The new plan outlines selective assignment for obligated Reservists to vacancies in Reserve combat and flying training wings. Any airman who acquired military status since June 20, 1951, has a service obligation of eight years. He must serve four years on active duty and maintain an active Reserve status for four years.

The Reserve obligation has not been enforced in the past. However, those who voluntarily join a training unit are paid for their duty while reducing their service obligation.

Under the new plan, explained Sgt. Casey, an airman may still choose voluntary participation. Then, he is removed from the selective assignment roster.

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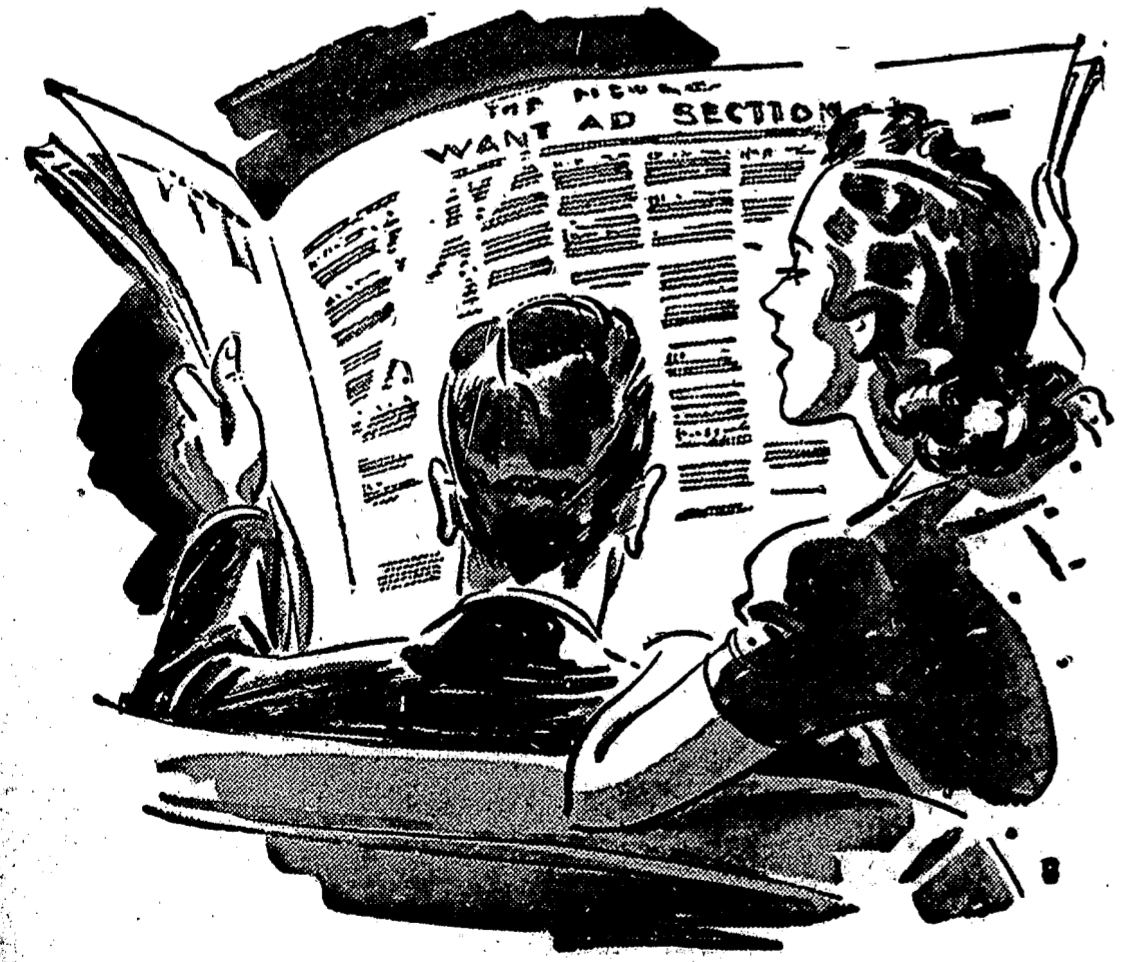
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