

Clarkston Bank Merger Is Official



Robert Jones, President and manager of the previous Clarkston State Bank watches as workmen install a sign announcing the banks official merger with the Pontiac State Bank.

Customers Benefit from Free Checking Service

The merger of the Clarkston State Bank and the Pontiac State Bank was officially completed, December 20. The final approval was made by the Michigan State Banking Department and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Stockholders of the two banks sanctioned the move two months earlier.

The announcement was made by the banks chairmen, Thomas J. Foley of Clarkston, and Milo J. Cross of Pontiac.

"Expanded services will be offered to Clarkston customers through the move," Robert L. Jones, Vice President and manager of the Clarkston State Bank said. One of the new services will be a lower interest rate on new car loans. The new rate will be 4 1/2% per year, a reduction of 1/2% of the previous rate.

There will be no change in personnel or hours. Robert L. Jones, will continue to manage the Clarkston Branch. Working with Jones will be Charles W. Robinson, Assistant Cashier and Assistant Manager and Kathleen Waters, Assistant Cashier. The branch employs a total of seventeen people.

Total resources of the Clarkston bank prior to merger were reported in excess of \$9 million. Total resources of the merged banks exceeds \$77 million.

Under the merger agreement, the 70 shareholders of Clarkston State Bank have exchanged their stock for 24,000 shares of Pontiac State Bank stock, officials reported. This will increase the number of Pontiac State Bank shareholders to more than 425 persons.

Foley has been elected to the board of directors of Pontiac State Bank and also will serve as chairman of the Clarkston advisory committee, consisting of Foley, Jones, Robinson, Guy Walter and Roy Alger.

Robert L. Jones, Vice President and Manager of the Clarkston Office of Pontiac State Bank, announced that effective January 3, 1966 all offices of Pontiac State, including Clarkston, will offer "Free Personal Checking Accounts" to any person who maintains a continuous minimum balance of \$300 in their checking account.

Existing customers of the bank will not need to change the present status of their personal checking accounts to take advantage of the new service.

If the required minimum balance is continuously maintained there will be no service charge of any kind for checks written, deposits made or monthly statements.

The bank will continue, as it has in the past, to give fifty free personalized checks with each new personal account opened.

"It is the opinion of the board of directors and executive officers of Pontiac State Bank that this type of checking account plan conforms more closely to the wants and needs of our personal checking account customers" Jones said, and added that "The bank's current upgrading of electronic computer equipment encouraged adoption of the plan."

The Pontiac State Bank offices will close at 3:00 p.m. Friday, New Year's Eve.

Five Hurt in Independence Accidents in Past Week

Five persons were injured in area accidents last week according to State Police records.

In fair condition at Pontiac General Hospital suffering fractured ribs is Mary Newton, 6928 Tappan Drive, Clarkston. Miss Newton was an occupant in a car driven by Bernice Newton when it collided with one driven by William Chissus of Pontiac, December 26, on Dixie Highway at White Lake Road. Kathy Kelly of Holly, an occupant in Chissus' vehicle was also injured. Mrs. Newton was issued a violation for attempting an improper left turn according to State Police records.

Kathleen Schultz, 10337 Rattalee Lake Road, Clarkston received minor injuries in an accident Christmas Eve on Dixie Highway near Andersonville Road. Her car struck one driven by Dennis Long of Pontiac. Mrs. Schultz was ticketed for violation of a basic speed law.

Injured the same day in a separate accident was Jeffrey Harvey of 6600 Nadette, Clarkston. He was a passenger in a car driven by Wendell Harvey of the same address. Their car was struck by one driven by Linda Smith of Pontiac on Dixie Highway near Williams Lake Road. Miss Smith was ticketed for violation of a speed law.

William Britton of Pontiac was ticketed for making an improper turn after he was involved in an accident December 20 on Dixie Highway near Telegraph. Britton's vehicle struck one driven by Harry Ledbetter of Clarkston. No one was injured in the collision.

A ticket for violating a speed law was issued to Robert P. May of Davisburg by State Police officers after he was involved in an accident in White Lake Township December 23. May's vehicle skidded into one driven by George Ripley of Union Lake.

A car driven by Marjorie Arsen 6675 Wellesley, Waterford, was struck by one driven by Brunel Walosiewicz of Pontiac when she stopped for a signal light at Telegraph and Dixie Highways. Walosiewicz was ticketed for excessive speed according to State Police.

Higher Salaries Asked for Police

A raise in pay for Michigan State Police Troopers, Corporals, and Detectives was the major item asked for by the Michigan State Police Troopers Association at the Michigan Civil Service Commission's public hearing on Salary Schedules for fiscal year 1966-67.

The hearings were held at the Lansing Civic Center. MSPTA President Trooper Francis M. Davis, of the Brighton Post, in presenting the Association's request to the Commission, said "A raise in salary in the lower ranks of the Michigan State Police is essential at this time if the State truly expects these trained, qualified officers to be career employees."

"The offers from private industry become more and more appealing each day for many officers and some bold steps will have to be taken to counteract these job opportunities," Davis added.

Needy Receive Aid At Yule Season

A total of 40 needy children opened gifts Christmas morning prepared by members of the Campbell Richmond Post No. 63 of the American Legion. The children represent eleven needy families to which the Legion donated clothing, toys and food. Stockings were filled by women from the auxiliary group and distributed along with the other items.

John Lynch, Commander of the Post said that contributions from local business men and organizations contributed to the success of this year's endeavor. He named Rudy's Market, Terry's Market, Howes Lanes, Clarkston Shoe Service and Scout organizations as among the contributors.

It is our civic duty to guard and rise in defense of our own and our neighbor's rights. We must answer with outspoken criticism every attempt by a local or federal government to infringe upon our rights.

—Page 56 of the Quiet Betrayal



The Rango Motel of 5459 Dixie Highway, Waterford, has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Russell of Lake Orion. The transaction was made with former owner, Mr. John Patsch.

The new owner, a salesman for Doris and Sons Realty, Pontiac, said that the motel is open for business. He plans to add additional units in the future.

Hitch Hickers and Drivers Warned

College students and others who try to "travel by thumb" on Michigan freeways and limited access highways are reminded by the State Police that hitchhiking on these high speed roads is prohibited by law.

"Thumbing rides" by college students and other persons going to and from home has been most prevalent on weekends and holiday periods.

In addition to the unlawfulness of the practice, State Police point out that there is an element of potential danger for those hitchhiking as well as for those drivers who give them rides. Hitchhikers are sometimes assaulted by their would-be benefactors and motorists are sometimes assaulted by those thumbing rides.

Apart from the personal safety factor, hitchhiking adds to the enforcement problems of police patrols in having to remove violators from the highways. Such violations can result in arrests.

Michigan law, which prohibited pedestrian traffic on freeways, was changed last year to include the ban on limited access highways. The change also applies to bicycling and other non-motorized traffic.

Anti-Doe Kill Committee Meets

On Thursday evening December 16, 1965, a dozen dedicated, long time deer hunters, disatisfied with the scarcity of deer in the Michigan deer woods, met at the home of Ed Whipple, 6780 Rattalee Lake Road in Clarkston in an effort to form the nucleus for what is hoped will eventually become a state-wide organization to combat the needless slaughter of does and fawns.

Mr. Edward D. Whipple was unanimously elected chairman of the committee. Milton Cooney, Attorney, was named legal advisor and Robert Jones, a Vice-President of Clarkston State Bank, was elected treasurer. Paul Kemp, of Pontiac will head the finance committee.

After much deliberation the slogan, "Send a Buck to Save a Doe," was adopted, with the belief that the thousands of deer hunters, who are in favor of the abolishment of the any-deer law, would want to aid in the financing of a state-wide organization.

Windshield decals and bumper strips featuring the slogan are to sportsmen who wish to display being readied and will be available them.

Numerous petitions have already been circulated and others will be made available in every area in the State.

The present committee consists of: William J. Brown, Paul Kemp, Theodore Lamb, Matt Mersino, Fritz Nissle, George Stiles and Robert Johnson.

Ed D. Whipple

You can tell when you are on the right road—it's upgrade.

—Anonymous

Community National Bank To Have Clarkston Branch

Plans to open a Clarkston Branch office of the Community National Bank of Pontiac were announced last week by Charles R. Harris, a bank vice president.

Construction of the building to house the Clarkston facility has begun at the M-15-Dixie shopping center.

According to Harris the building will contain approximately 2,100 square feet of floor area, a vault to accommodate safe deposit box customers, and seven tellers. There will also be two drive-in windows.

While plans are incomplete, the building will be of colonial design and will feature four large

pillars situated at the entrance. The Five Star Construction Company of Southfield has contracted for construction of the building. The architect is Mr. Gill Savage.

The building will be owned by Big Dipper Incorporated and leased to the bank, according to Salim Sarafa part owner of the shopping center.

The Community National Bank of Pontiac has seventeen branches in operation at the present. The Clarkston Branch is one of four presently slated for completion in 1966. Total resources of the bank are reported in excess of \$172 million.



Student Government officers at Clarkston Junior High are working with Mr. Kelly Burnette, in planning the school March of Dimes campaign. They are (left to right) Dennis Storrs, Vice

President, Carla Dutcher, President, Mr. Burnette, school chairman, and Dan Franklin Secretary.

Kelly Burnette Heads School March of Dimes Campaign

"I believe there is nothing more important than making sure every baby born in this country has the best chance to develop into a normal, healthy person."

"That's why I'm working to see that we have a successful drive here this January," declared Mr. Kelly Burnette as he accepted the Clarkston School chairmanship in the 1966 March of Dimes campaign to fight birth defects. Other Independence Township leaders are the Fire Department, and Mrs. James Mahar, Mothers' March Chairman.

"The shocking fact that the nation's recent German measles epidemic will be responsible for between 15,000 and 20,000 birth defects babies this year should re-

mind us all of the seriousness of the birth defect problem," said Mr. Burnette.

"German measles despite this heavy toll, is responsible for only a few of the many hundred birth defects known to medical science—defects which occur in an estimated 250,000 American babies each year," he added.

Mr. Burnette pointed out that March of Dimes-supported scientists have been at work on the German measles problem for some time and that \$318,852 in March of Dimes funds is now going into accelerated research to perfect a vaccine.

While supporting this and other scientific investigations into birth

defects, the March of Dimes is also expanding what is already the largest single national source of private support for the diagnosis and treatment of birth defect victims. Now in operation at medical schools and community hospitals are more than 50 centers where medical experts are developing better methods of treating children with birth defects.

"It's not enough just to be against birth defects," concluded Burnette. "We must be for babies who survive, for babies who survive normally, and for the best possible care of babies who are born defective."

"I feel this is what the March of Dimes is all about."



"Twas the night before Christmas . . . all through the miniature town." This is the theme of the Henry Brendle's 8809 Lakeview, winning Christmas display. The little village of yesteryear was complete with costumed dolls.

Jaycees Christmas Activities Received Enthusiastically

Party is Successful.

To the delight of approximately one thousand children of Independence township, the Clarkston Jaycees gave their second Christmas Party on Dec. 18, 1965.

The children were wide-eyed at the feats of magic performed by master-magician Mike Patterson of Waterford township. Mr. Patterson was assisted by Miss Sue Peters of Clarkston.

Following this was the famous T.V. personality Poop-Deck Paul of Station CKLW. Included in the act was a contest between a boy and girl to decide who was the smartest with prizes given to the two children who participated. At the conclusion of his act Poop-Deck Paul presented a champion limbo dancer who amazed the children by going under the limbo bar held at 6 inches off the stage.

The next act, which was the highlight of the party, was the "Mechanical Man" of T.V. fame who startled and awed the child-

ren with his performance. Many left the party not knowing for sure whether the "Mechanical Man" was human or merely a robot.

Clarkston's Junior Miss, Cathy Lessard led the children in the singing of Christmas carols until Santa Claus arrived to wish all those who came a joyous and Merry Christmas.

As the youngsters left the school the Jaycees presented them with candy canes.

Display Winner

The 1965 Clarkston Outdoor Christmas Decoration winner is Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brendle and son of 8809 Lakeview on Walters Lake. A beautiful doll size village depicting "The Night Before Christmas" overlooks the lake.

Each home is completely furnished and lighted. At the side of the Brendle home is a mechanical ski run with little skiers going down the hill. An attractive nativity scene graces the back of

the Brendle home. The Brendles were presented with the Traveling Santa Trophy and a \$25 gift certificate.

Second place honors went to the George Langs of 6185 Clarkston Road, and third place to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neuharth of 6542 Cranberry Lake Road.

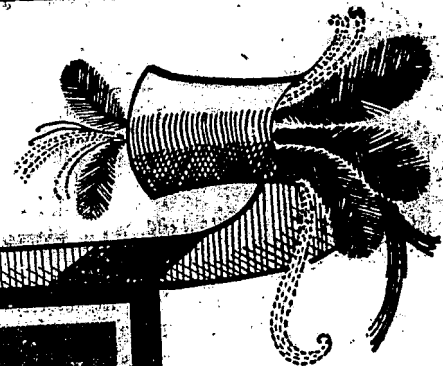
Many beautiful decorations were viewed by the judges, and they expressed surprise at the apparent pride Clarkston residents take in decorating for the holiday season. The Clarkston Jaycees wish to congratulate the hundreds of people who have taken the time and effort to enhance the beauty of Clarkston at Christmas time. Perhaps the only handicap this season was the reported vandalism and stealing of lights in the area.

Dancing is wonderful training for girls; it's the first way you learn to guess what a man is going to do before he does it. —Christopher Morley

SUNDAY in the Churches

Reaching Out

Where The New Year Is Born



FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

6600 Waldon Road
Clarkston, Michigan

MINISTER
Lewis C. Sutton
Lay Leader: A. Everett Butters

SUNDAY
10:00 A.M. Worship Service
6 p.m. Jr. High MYF in the church school building.

7 p.m. Sr. High MYF in north wing of new building.

TUESDAY
3 p.m. Westyn Choir
6:30 p.m. Boys Choir
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

FRIDAY
4 p.m. Epworth Choir.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

5331 Maybee Road
Clarkston, Michigan

Presbyterian Church for Independence Township.

SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. Church School
11:00 a.m. Worship service.

3:00 p.m. Inquirers Class
5:30 P.M. Junior High U.P.Y. Fellowship.

6:00 P.M. Youth Choir
7:00 P.M. United Presbyterian Youth (Senior High).

TUESDAY
7:30 P.M. Choir practice.

SATURDAY
10:00 A.M. Catechism Classes

NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH

5311 Sunnyside at Pine Knob
Clarkston, Michigan

Pastor, Rev. Elden V. Mudge
Sunday School 10 A.M.
Worship Service 11:00 A.M.
Youth Group 6:00 P.M.

DRAYTON HEIGHTS FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Corner Maybee and Winell Roads
Clarkston, Michigan

Thomas E. Dunn, pastor

SUNDAY
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.

Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY
7:15 p.m. Prayer Meeting
7:15 p.m. Christian Youth Crusaders — 3rd thru 9th graders.

8:30 p.m. Choir Practice
6:30 Boys Choir

DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH

Dixie at the Expressway
The Rev. Paul Vanaman

SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Preaching Service

5:30 p.m. Young Peoples Meeting
6:30 p.m. Preaching Service

WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. Mid-week Service

Special Music will be furnished by the choir at all the church services. Baptismal service will be held Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD

Pentecostal
54 S. Main St.
Glen O. Sexton, Pastor
637-3884 — Holly

SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Hour
7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service

TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. Evening Prayer Service

THURSDAY
7:30 p.m. Evening Youth Service
Sunday School Superintendent, Ovie Brewer.

CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION EPISCOPAL

Clarkston-Orion Rd. at Perry Lake Road

The Reverend Alexander T. Stewart, Vicar
625-1751

SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon.

Nursery and Pre-School Class.
Prayer Book Holy Days — 10:00 A.M. Holy Communion.

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Pastor A. F. G. Daechsel

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Wednesday 7:00 P.M.

SUNDAY
8:30 A.M., Sunday Worship Service

11:00 A.M., Sunday Worship Service

11:00 A.M. School age 3- Kindergarten.

9:45 A.M. School grades 1- Adults
Nursery provided

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MASSES
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5972 Paramus, Clarkston
Reverend David E. Dee, Pastor
Church Phone MA 5-1375
Parsonage Phone MA 5-2544

SUNDAY
9:45 A.M., Bible School Hour
11:00 A.M., Morning Worship Hour
Primary Church; Junior Church.

5:45 P.M., Ambassadors of Joy (youth ages 11-14) Youth for Christ; (youth, ages 15-25).

7:00 P.M., Our Evening Gospel Hour. (Nursery at all Sunday services)

WEDNESDAY
7:00 P.M. Training and Prayer Hour.

8:00 P.M. Choir Practice

ANDERSONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

10000 Andersonville Rd.
Stephen P. Troxel
Pastor

10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning worship

Evangelistic Services with Rev. John Jason will be held during the week of October 24-29. There will be special music nightly.

What Is Man?

When I consider Thy heavens, the work of Thy fingers, the moon and the stars which Thou hast ordained;

What is man, that Thou art mindful of him?

We make reply to the great Hebrew poet's question only with our lives, for in the quality and worth of our lives alone lies the answer.

Jesus makes it wholly clear that man is a child of God whose spirit is destined for eternity and that he is endowed with capacity for good which must be developed if he is to reach fulfillment.

He bids us obey the basic law of life . . . Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and mind, and thy neighbor as thyself . . . and He rebukes us when we come short of the degree of perfection which would be ours if we willed it so.

Do we live as children of God should live? That is the question. To do so is to essay a great happiness.

OUR FATHER: Renew a right spirit within us, we beseech Thee, that we may truly be thy children. AMEN.

Everett Butters.

Obituaries

VINCENT KOLENICK

Services for Vincent Kolencik, 76, of 12011 Big Lake Road, were held Monday December 27, at Our Lady of the Lakes Church. Burial was at Lakeview cemetery.

The Rosary was recited December 28 at the Sharpe-Goyette Funeral Home.

Mr. Kolencik, a gardener, died Friday December 24 after a long illness. He was a member of Our Lady of the Lakes Church.

MARGARET B. SWAIN

Services for Mrs. Margaret B. Swain, 81, of 11150 Clark Road, Springfield Township, were held Sunday December 26 at 2:00 p.m. in the Sharpe-Goyette Funeral Home. Burial was at the Sashabaw Plains cemetery. Rev. Walter Balogh of the First Baptist Church of Farmington officiated.

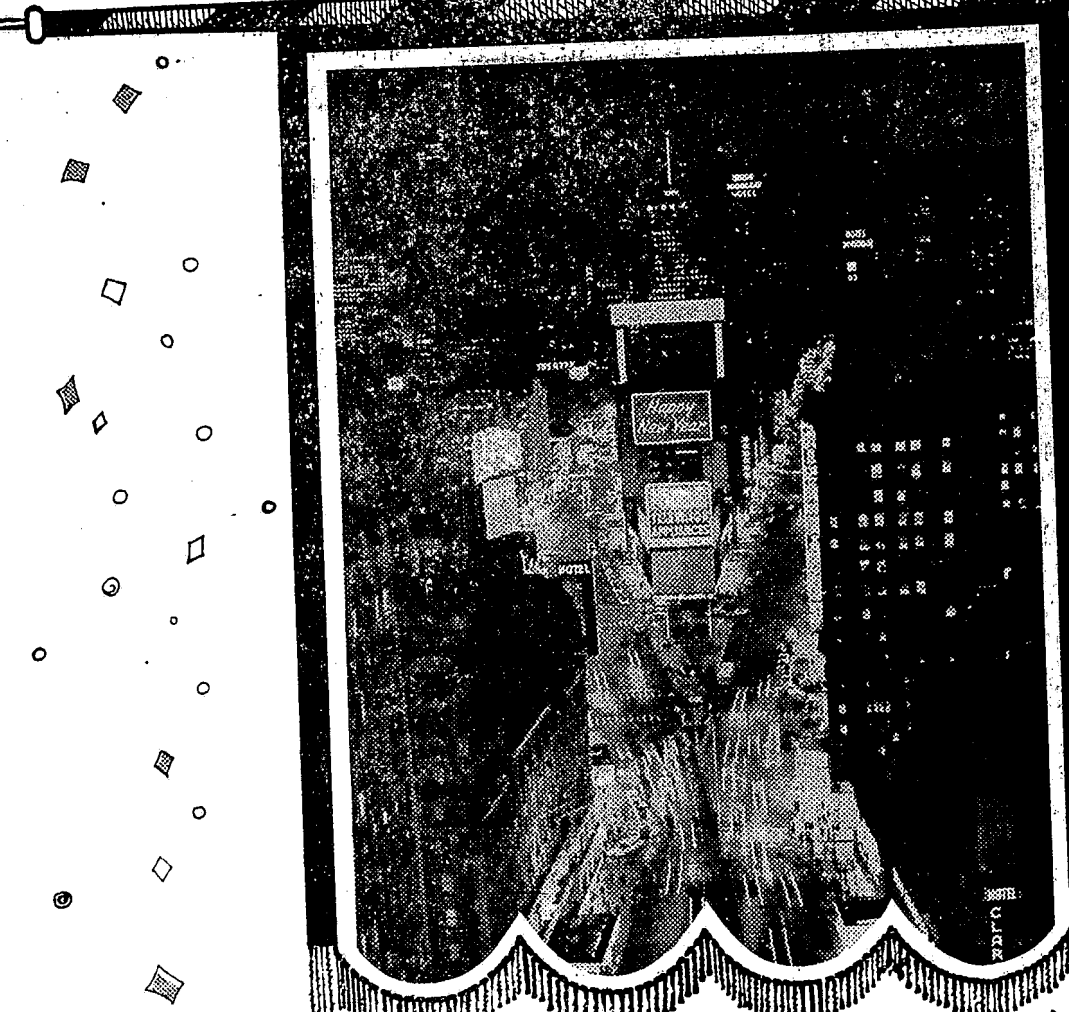
Mrs. Swain died December 22 after a long illness.

Surviving are a daughter Mrs. Kenneth Stevens of Irwin, Pa., a son George D. Swain of Springfield Township and two grandchildren.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

Oxford, Michigan

A consideration of the nature of Deity will be the theme of this Sunday's service on "God" in all Christian Science churches throughout the world.



For millions on the eastern seaboard of the United States, this is where it happens. A lighted "ball" falls from the top of a tower—and it's 1966.

But in Chicago and Winnipeg it is still 1965. In Saskatoon and Denver it is 1965. In Frisco and Vancouver it is 1965. So where in this broad continent is the New Year really born?

When it is born at all—it happens in men's own hearts! Otherwise the Old Year goes on. And older years add not their blessings but their dregs . . . as men grope for shreds of time to complete old patterns . . . remnants of hope to patch worn-out dreams.

But somewhere a heart speaks to God. In the quiet of a churchly sanctuary it recounts the past with its failures, its defeats. And boldly it enquires into the future with its hope and promise. That soul commits time and talent and treasure to the purposes of Jesus Christ.

And the Father of All, who is not clock-watcher but soul-watcher, turns the page of that calendar. For one soul at a time the New Year is born.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Exodus 12:1-13	Job 8:8-22	Psalms 37:5-11	Psalms 65:9-13	Psalms 96:1-9	Proverbs 16:1-9	Romans 6:1-11

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THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH
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Peace in the New Year
May the New Year bring peace to all mankind. With this wish, we extend our gratitude for your patronage and good will. It's always a pleasure to serve you.

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Our sincere thanks to our many loyal friends . . . as always, it will be a privilege to serve you.

Happy New Year

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NEW YEAR GREETINGS
Many thanks to our loyal friends. See you all next year . . .

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Happy New Year
We hope your ship comes in, your fondest hopes and dreams come true. We'll do our part in helping you to make it a prosperous one.

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Thursday, December 30, 1965

Local News

By Mrs. Shirley Lynch
Maple 5-1065

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beattie, former residents of Clarkston, were guests of honor at a neighborhood party hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Richard and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Funk of Cramlane. Travel movies of western states, taken by the Clyde Beattie's, were shown.

A birthday dinner for Ricky Davison who was 8 years old was held at the Colonial House December 18. Ricky's parents, the Leslie Davidson's invited Randy and Ricky Miller to join in the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Breidenbaugh and son Aaron of Maybee Rd. spent Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Vachel Breidenbaugh of Terre Haute, Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pounds of Rockport, Indiana. Mrs. Breidenbaugh's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Adams and children of Clarkston, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stuert and Miss Mildred Pellencounter of Pontiac, were Christmas guests of the John Adams of Maybee Rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelley and Chedy, and Mrs. Gertrude Chamberlain were breakfast guests Christmas morning of the Arthur Kelley's on White Lake Rd. They enjoyed a lovely breakfast before starting a busy but happy day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corby of

Felix Dr. had as their guests Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Glen Eklty of Atlanta and Mrs. Betty Corby of Decro.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverna-Walker of Royal Oak were dinner guests at the home of his aunt and family the Fred Teeple's of Drayton Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seffens and sons spent Christmas with Mrs. Seffens' parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Givens of Waldon. It was the Givens' first Christmas in their new home.

Yvonne Miner celebrated her 13th birthday, December 27. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Miner on Center St.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tower and family of Transperin St. attended a family gathering Christmas eve at the home of his mother, Mrs. Katherine Tower of Ortonville.

Open house was held at the home of Mrs. Ray Denton of Elizabeth Lake Rd. December 19, to honor Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davidson of Susan Lane, on their 25th wedding anniversary. Over 150 friends and relatives joined them at this happy occasion. Hosts were Patti and Ricky Davison.

Miss Linda Wilson on Orion Rd. hosted a bridal shower for Linda Lee Brockorb, December 13. Twenty-six friends of Miss Brockorb presented her with many lovely gifts. Miss Brockorb will become the bride of Mr. Gordon Warren Day of Waterford January 8.

Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, formerly residents of Clarkston now of Hohenwald, Tenn., spent the Christmas weekend with their son and family the Richard Johnson's of Northview.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harding and son spent Christmas Eve at the home of Mrs. Harding's parents, the Carson Bingham's in Birmingham.

A family Christmas was enjoyed at the home of the Clifford Miner's on Center St. with Mr. and Mrs. Dell Norman and son Michael and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miner joining them.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Carl Adams and family of Warren were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Funk on Cramlane.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Miller of Lower Straits Lake opened their home Sunday for a family gathering of the Walz family. Twenty-five members were able to attend and enjoyed dinner and a gift exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and family of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Kogelman and son of Orchard Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mortimore of Eastlawn were dinner guests Christmas at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. James Carr of Plum.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Craft and family of Church St. joined them later in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Bates and family of P. rea, Oh's spent Christmas holidays with Mrs. Bates' parents, the Hener Richmonds of Overlook. Joining them Christmas day was another daughter and family the Dennis Wood and family of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams of Maybee Rd. had as guests Sunday relatives of Mrs. Adams' from Windsor. Mrs. Vera Meshier, Mrs.

Ice Is Unsafe

Michigan parents are cautioned by the State Police to keep youngsters from playing on icy surfaces of lakes and streams because the winter freeze has not yet been severe enough in most areas of the state to make those surfaces safe.

To safely bear the weight of humans, ice on outdoor water locations should be about four inches thick. Advisably the safety thickness should be checked by an adult and children should be warned about thin ice.

State Police records since January 1 this year show 15 drownings resulting from falling through ice. The toll was 13 in 1964 while annual average for the five years of 1960-64 was 10.

In a similar reminder to ice fishermen who make a practice of driving cars onto ice, the State Police pointed out that the ice thickness should be from one to two feet thick to safely accommodate the weight of vehicles.

Sharon Peace and son, Michael and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Longe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kelley with children Kerry and Craig and Mrs. Charles Weber were dinner guests Christmas at the home of the Arthur Kelley's on White Lake Rd.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: Tom Storer, Robert Jones, Lynn Surre, Dec. 31; Gary McMillan, Daniel Carrigan, Jan. 1; Doan Cameron, Del Walter, Donna Paulson, Mary Fahrner, Jan. 2; Tom Neal, Mildred Hursfall, Jan. Balousek, Jan. 3; Dick Surre, Davey Keynon, Jan. 4; Eddie Roy, Janet Roy, Mary Ann Roy, Bob Seymour, Michael Davidson, Diane Humbert, Jan. 5; Valerie LePere, Gayle Limbaugh, Jan. 6.

ANNIVERSARY: Mr. and Mrs. Ira Russell, Jan. 1; Mr. and Mrs. Dorell Batchelder, Jan. 2; Lt. and Mrs. Ivars Lelis, Jan. 4.



Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. William O. Parker of 6883 Eastlawn, Clarkston announce the engagement of their daughter, Paula Lynne to James Johnston Blanchard, son of Mrs. Daniel P. Snyder of Royal Oak.

The bride to be is a senior at Michigan State University and is a member of Delta Gamma sorority.

The groom elect is a recent graduate of Michigan State University B.A., M.B.A., and was affiliated with Delta Tau Delta fraternity. He is currently enrolled in his first year of law school at the University of Minnesota.

A June 18 wedding is planned.

A Russian who lives happily under the present system of government in Russia must either believe that man has no soul, or that, if he has, it is not worth developing.

—Oscar Wilde



Santa's helpers are not always elves! Some are members of the Campbell Richmond Post of the American Legion. Three such helpers, Mrs. John Lynch (left) president of the Women's

Auxiliary; Mrs. Arthur Kelly, Vice President and little Sheila Kelly are preparing to make a Christmas delivery for Santa.

Seymour Lake News

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Bradley were among the 29 guests present at a family reunion held recently at the home of the Donald Beach's of Dexter.

The Roy Hotchkiss family spent Christmas day with his parents while the family of Loren Hotchkiss were guests of the Clark Morgan's near Clarkston.

David Porritt, son of Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Porritt has returned home for the holidays from Beulah College. He with his parents, sister Dawn and the James Porritt family were the guests of the Edward McCool family in Laughton, Oklahoma.

Missed opportunity is the price of total reliance on comfortable security.

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Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stephens of Indianwood Road announce the birth of a son, Daniel Paul, born December 17, at the Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital. Little Daniel weighed 7 pounds 1/2 ounce at 11th.

The happy event adds an interesting post script to a feature carried in this publication following the Stephens' marriage performed at the Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital on Halloween Day 1964.

Daniel has four half-brothers, Dale, Dennis, Dallas and Alan; and one half-sister Tammy.

Grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Denver Stephens of Chesapeake, Virginia; and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Peckering of Harrisburg, Illinois.

Big Lake Beavers Exchange Gifts

The Big Lake Beavers met at the home of Mrs. Harold Hoffman on Long Pointe Dr. Nine members were present. A gift exchange was held after a lovely Christmas luncheon. Plans were made for the January meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Carl Schmidt on Hillsborn Rd.

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May all your fondest wishes come true during a New Year of peace and prosperity.



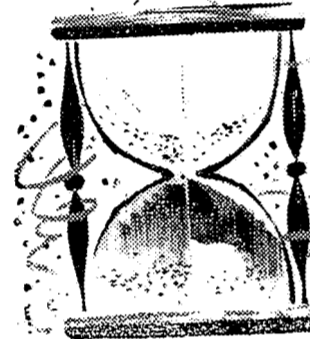
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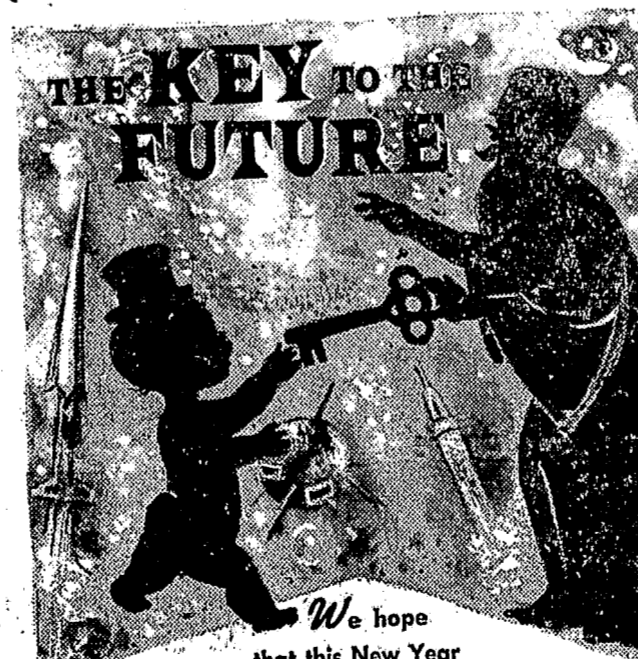
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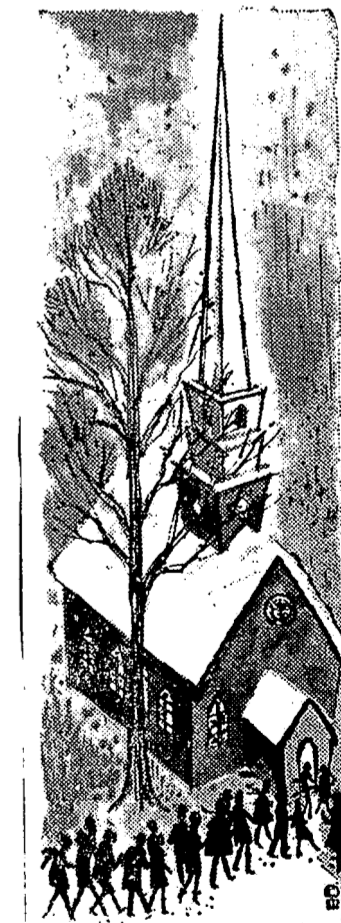
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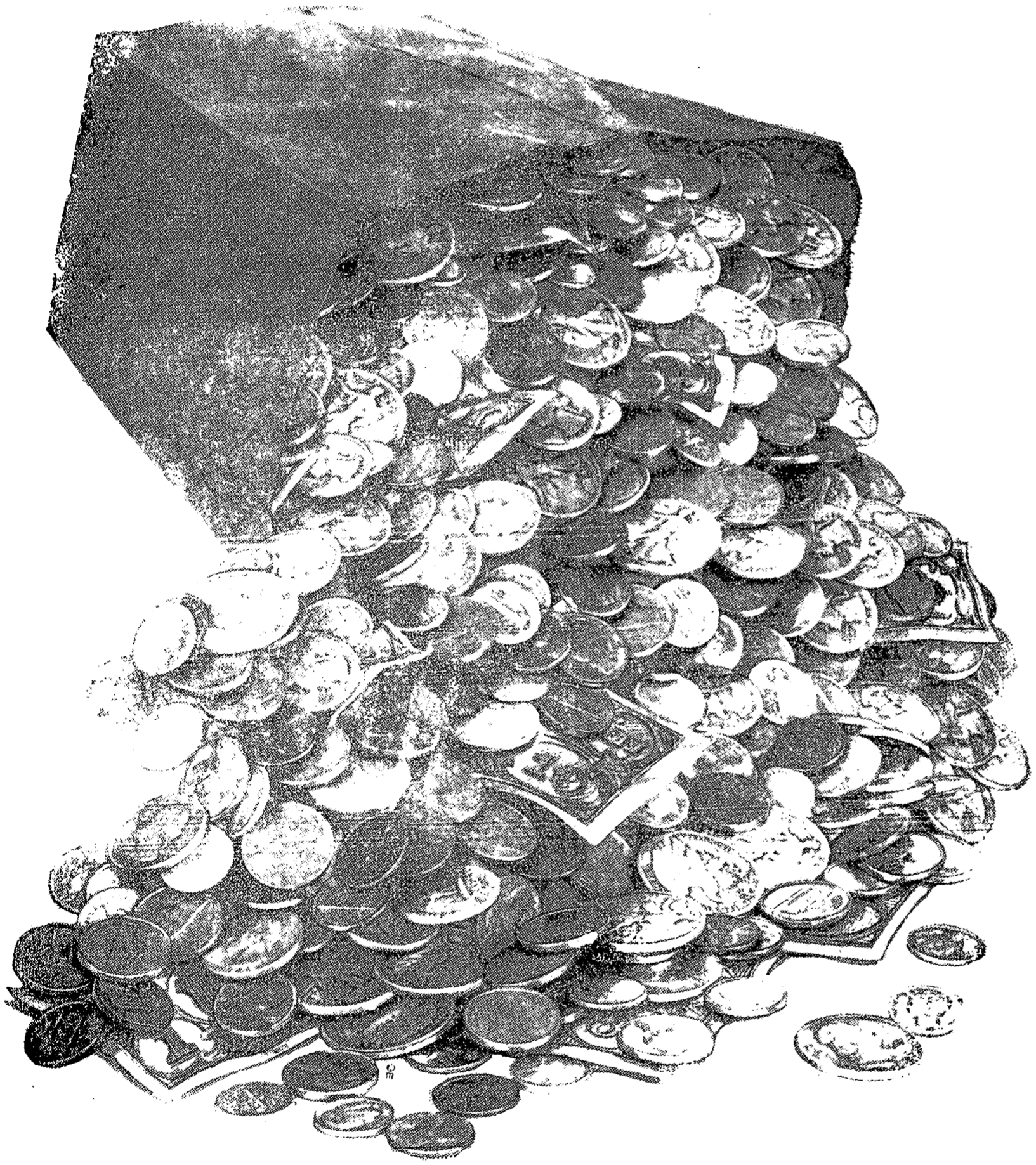
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STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

Estate of Irene Ainsley — Mentally Incompetent.

It is Ordered that on January 18, 1966, at 9 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Harold Goyette, Guardian for allowance of his First Account and fees and for license to sell certain real estate of said estate and that at such hearing all persons interested in said estate appear to show cause why such license should not be granted.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: December 16, 1965
Donald E. Adams
Judge of Probate

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Drayton Plains, Michigan
No. 89,035

STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

Estate of Charles McNew Deceased.

It is Ordered that on January 18, 1966, at 9 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Ersella M. Freeman for the appointment of an administrator of said estate and to determine who are or were at the time of death the heirs at law of said deceased.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: December 20, 1965.
Donald E. Adams
Judge of Probate

W. E. JACKSON, Atty.
4532 Dixie Highway,
Drayton Plains, Michigan

Notice of Public Hearing

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on January 20, 1966, 7:30 p.m., at the Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, to consider the following change in Township Zoning Districts:

To rezone from Suburban Farms to Recreational:

The NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 27 and the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 28, T4N, R9E.

A map showing the proposed changes in the Zoning Districts may be examined at the Township Hall during regular office hours.

Delton Lohff, Secretary
INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION
D.30,J.13

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Estate of A. R. Phillips Deceased.

It is Ordered that on January 18, 1966, at nine A.M., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Ruth E. Simenson for the appointment of an administrator of said estate to determine who are or were at the time of death the heirs at law of said deceased.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: December 8, 1965
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STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

Estate of Frank J. Moravec Deceased.

It is Ordered that on January 24, 1966, at nine A.M., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Hester Moravec for the appointment of an administrator of said estate and to determine who are or were at the time of death the heirs at law of said deceased.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

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The game is sponsored by the Varsity Club.



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Notice is hereby given that I will receive Nominating Petitions for the following Village Offices for the Village of Clarkston County of Oakland, State of Michigan, up to and including the Third day of January, 1966.

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Sec. 6— In order to secure the placing of the name of any candidate upon any ballot, it shall be necessary for such candidate to file with the village or township clerk, on or before the seventh Monday before the day designated for the holding of such caucus, a petition signed by not less than one per centum nor more than four per centum of the electors of such village or township, as shown by the registration books thereof, asking that his name be placed upon such ballot and designating the office and the political party or organization upon whose ballot he desires to have such name so placed.

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Artemus M. Pappas
Village Clerk
D. 16.23.30



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Nurse Tells of Vietnam

(Continued from last week)

Not all of her time was devoted to treating injured servicemen. Three, sometimes four times a week, for two or three hours, Captain Hoppe would accompany French speaking corpsman to Soc Trang and treat children two years old or under at the Catholic orphanage.

The morale among soldiers, young and old alike, according to Captain Hoppe, is exceptionally high. Each one realizes why he is there, and is proud to serve his country, but they do get homesick, not unlike any other American soldier before them. Captain Hoppe stated, "that another important mission of the Army nurse, is to listen to these homesick men while they talk about their families, friends, and the girlfriend who hasn't written lately. Most of the time they just want to get fighting off of their minds."

Captain Hoppe's parting words were, "I am glad I was able to do what I could in my professional work as a nurse, not only with the military personnel, but with the children as well. I feel deep sat-

isfaction in knowing that I was needed, and that I could fill this need because of my training. In the United States, if you need a nurse, you go to one, in Vietnam, the nurse must go to you and they are needed there now."

In Uniform

Electronics Technician Third Class Gregory J. Fightmaster, USCG, son of Mrs. J. Fightmaster of 4387 Windiate Park Drive, Waterford, is serving the U.S. Coast Guard Long Range Aids to Navigation (LORAN) Station at Sylt, Germany.

This station sends out electronic impulses, enabling trans-oceanic ships and aircraft to determine their position.

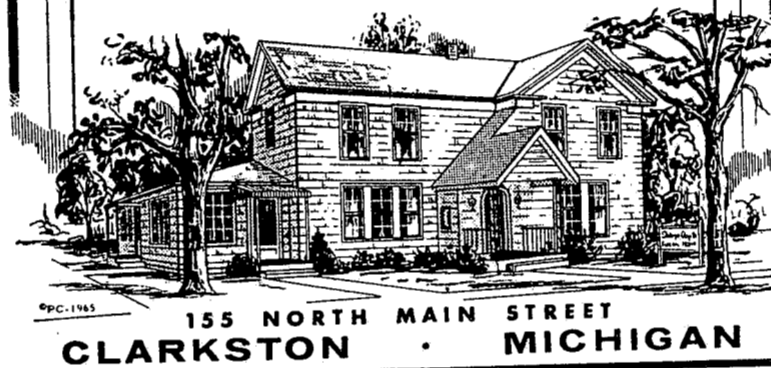
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