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BELOVED WOMAN HAS PASSED AWAY

Clarkston Suffers Loss in Death of Mrs. Jennie E. Vliet

With the passing away of Mrs. Jennie E. Vliet on Monday at 12:30, the county lost one of its older residents, and the community lost a kindly, well loved woman.

Born in Independence township, Feb. 17, 1856, the daughter of Ranson and Malvina Johnson, pioneers of the county, she has always lived in this community and attended school in Clarkston.

In 1878 she was married to Elinor C. Vliet and lived on the same farm where she was born, moving in to the village about 20 years ago. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. George Harris, of Clarkston, and Mrs. Linsley I. Coon, of Detroit, one son, Ransom T. Vliet, of Clarkston, and ten grandchildren. Another son, Vern V. Vliet, passed away several years ago, leaving two daughters who spent considerable time with their grandmother here. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. Charlotte Smith, of Clarkston, and a cousin, Mrs. Ida Aylesworth, of Lisle, New York, who recently came to spend the winter months with her.

Devoted to her family and church, she cared little for public life but delighted in having her family and friends in her home, and the beautiful flowers which completely hid the casket were the silent tribute of her friends.

The funeral was held from the home at 2:00 on Thursday, Dec. 18, with Rev. E. Stephens, of Stockbridge, a former pastor, in charge, and burial in Lakeview cemetery.

CLARKSTON SCHOOL NOTES

The cantata on Wednesday evening drew an unusual crowd, about 250 attending. Under the direction of Miss Charlotte Hyde, director of music, every grade was represented in this cantata made up of music especially appropriate for the Christmas season and demonstrated the musical progress for the first half of the term.

Monday the assembly will be at 9 a. m. and will consist of a Christmas program made up of the best numbers of each room program, each room having its own little holiday party with exchange of gifts and mothers invited. The parents are also invited to attend this assembly.

School will close Wednesday, Dec. 24, for the holiday and will reopen Monday, Jan. 5, 1931. This arrangement was decided on after giving it careful consideration, giving the greatest vacation with the least loss of teaching days, as this is always a problem when Christmas and New Year's dates come in the middle of the week.

The men, business, professional and private citizens, meet in the gym on Thursday evenings and this promises to be a decided success as many are interested and it is hoped to make the sports so varied that all ages will find something which they may enjoy. After the holidays they will have the gym on Wednesday evenings except when it might conflict with the P. T. A. and even on these nights the committees in charge promise something of interest.

CLARKSTON

Mrs. George Fleming was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club on Wednesday of this week. Christmas decorations were in evidence and bridge followed the luncheon.

The ladies of Clarkston are requested to meet in the council rooms Friday and Saturday afternoons to make candy bags for the community Christmas tree. Everyone please bring your own scissors and a supply of darning needles.

CLOTHING COMMITTEE IS ASKING FOR GARMENTS

The clothing committee is asking that you do not forget, we are still asking for garments. The merchants are assisting in this good work by receiving garments at The Clarkston Dry Goods Co. store, or C. G. Huntly's drug store. Many garments have been placed, and the committee will be glad to distribute more to anyone who will call phones 106 or 24.

CHRISTM'S CAROLS WILL BE RENDERED

By the Clarkston Girl Scouts and Waterford Boy Scouts

Observing one of the oldest of all the customs that have come down to us through the ages, the Girl Scouts will sing Christmas carols on Tuesday evening, Dec. 23, between 7 and 9 o'clock. Put a lighted candle in your window or turn on your porch light that they may know you will enjoy their songs and enter into the spirit of a custom that began with the herald angels and will never cease.

If you have shut-ins or aged, notify the Scout leader, Adelia C. Minor.

The Boy Scouts of Waterford will appear as a group of carolers Christmas Eve and will appreciate a lighted candle or porch light as a sign of welcome. They will be very glad to sing for aged or shut-ins and you may notify any of the scouts or get in touch with their leader, Russell Galbraith, Scoutmaster.

MRS. JONES ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF MOTHER

Mrs. Forrest Jones entertained sixteen friends and neighbors recently in honor of her mother, Mrs. Jessie Walter, of Detroit. Those present were Mrs. William Pierce, Mrs. Herman Hibner, Mrs. John Putnam, Mrs. Fred McIntyre, Mrs. William Belitz, Mrs. Mary Green, Mrs. William Jones, Mrs. Earl Walter, Mrs. Laura Walter, Mrs. Lee McIntyre, Mrs. George Walter and Mrs. Belle Sherwood, all of Clarkston, Mrs. William Austin, of Clintonville, and Mrs. Christie, Mrs. Belle Warner and Mrs. Frances Cadieux, of Detroit. All reported a very enjoyable afternoon.

DAVISB'G PIONEER CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Laura E. Waters, Wife of Civil War Veteran

Mrs. Laura E. Waters, 87 years old, a resident of Davisburg for more than half a century, died at her home in that village, Thursday, Dec. 11, after a long illness. She was born in New Hampshire, Feb. 13, 1843, the daughter of David and Rebecca Andrews. On January 8, 1867, at Utica, Mich., she was united in marriage to Squire G. Waters, then but recently returned from service in the Union Army during the Civil War. Mr. and Mrs. Waters soon took up their residence in Davisburg, where the husband was for many years the village blacksmith and prominent in the affairs of the community. Mrs. Waters was also identified with the life of the community and was for many years active in the Methodist Church of Davisburg.

Surviving besides the aged husband are two sons, Herbert D. and Fred L., both of Pontiac. Two others sons, Otis M. and John K., are deceased. Funeral services were held on Sunday at 2 p. m. from the home, with Rev. E. Bickford and Rev. S. W. Bird officiating. Burial was in the Davisburg cemetery.

Mrs. Albert Jencks and Mrs. Gertrude Stiles, of Detroit, spent the week-end with Mrs. Judd Skarritt.

Ward Dunston spent a few days this week in Lansing with his sister, Mrs. I. Barnett, and family.

KIDDIES WILL HAVE MERRY CHRISTMAS

Plans Are All Completed for Big Community Observance

The good people of Clarkston, actuated by the true Christmas spirit, will make the day a happy one for the little folks of the community by a public tree on the main corner of the village, loaded with things that delight the childish heart and accompanied by all the joyous festivities that lend color and enchantment to the scene.

The response to the move inaugurated by some of the business men of Clarkston has been prompt and generous. All approached have been enthusiastic in their support of the plan, including not only the merchants but citizens generally. With such enthusiasm and cooperation the event is bound to be a big success.

The time is Tuesday evening, Dec. 23; the place the corner of Main and Washington streets. Here the tree, a handsome specimen, donated by Mrs. Mary Losch and procured by David McClelland and Ed Miller, has been erected. Brilliant lighting effects are scattered throughout the branches, this being the contribution of Cedar Lodge No. 60, F. & A. M. At night it presents a dazzling spectacle of beauty, and next Tuesday evening, loaded with sacks of candy, pop corn and fruit for every boy and girl in the community and all of them surrounding it with happy, expectant faces, the scene will be one to perpetuate in your memory. It will outdo all previous attempts of the kind in Clarkston.

There will be a short program of singing at the tree and Santa Claus will be on hand himself to distribute the gifts.

But making the little folks happy is not all that is planned. With the generous contribution of money and supplies that have been received, the committee in charge of the matter will be able to relieve conditions in the community among families who have felt the stress of unemployment. Well-filled baskets of food, good used clothing and other necessities will go to such homes in the community, and still there will be a balance to draw on for future needs. David McClelland is in charge of this work and reports and applications may be made to him. Anyone who has not yet given to this worthy effort, or who wishes to add to what he already has given, is requested to leave his contribution at Huntly's drug store.

DON'T SAY NEXT WEEK YOU DIDN'T KNOW THIS

On account of Christmas, the News will be issued a day earlier than usual next week. News items must be in not later than Wednesday noon, and copy for advertisements not later than 5:00 p. m., Tuesday, to insure publication.

FRANCIS HARPLEY HAS PASSED AWAY

Death Occurred Tuesday at His Home in Andersonville

Funeral services for Francis E. Harpley, 76 years old, a life-long resident of Andersonville, will be held from the home at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. George A. Hill, pastor of the Andersonville Presbyterian church, will officiate and burial will be in the Andersonville cemetery.

Mr. Harpley was born in Andersonville, Aug. 21, 1854, and always resided there. His death occurred at his home early Tuesday morning.

He is survived by his widow; one daughter, Mrs. Grace Sommers, of Springfield township; four grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Richardson, of Fenton, and Mrs. Alice Rohm, of Davisburg, and three brothers, William and George, of Davisburg, and Ambrose, of Pontiac.

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LITERARY CLUB PROGRAM HAD CHRISTMAS FLAVOR

The Clarkston Literary Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Byron Beardslee. Roll call was responded to by members relating many Happy Christmas memories. Mrs. Huey sang two lullabies, singing one in German. Mrs. Prouse read a very interesting paper on the "True Home of the Christmas Tree", and another very splendid paper, "Is the American Dollar Spoiling the True Christmas Spirit?", was given by Mrs. Ira Jones.

Miss Ada Serace will entertain the club Jan. 6 at the home of Dr. Sutherland, and Dr. Dixon, of the Lapeer Home and Training School, will be guest speaker.

BIRTH OF SAVIOUR WILL BE HONORED

M. E. Church and Sunday School Each Will Present Program

The following program will be given in the Clarkston M. E. Church Sunday evening at 7:30 by the choir under the direction of Miss Woodward, with Mrs. Buckweitz as pianist:

"Ring Bells of Christmas"..... Chorus
"Noel"..... Junior League
Prayer..... Rev. Prouse
Hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"..... Chorus
"And There Were Shepherds"..... Chorus

"Night of Nights"..... Violin and Chorus
Mr. McFarland, Violinist
"Behold There Came Wise Men"..... Men's Chorus
Remarks..... Rev. Prouse
"Silent Night"..... Chorus
"To Thee, Our Blessed Savior"..... Double Quartet

Offering.
Hymn, "Joy to the World"..... Benediction.

The Christmas exercises of the Clarkston M. E. Sunday School will be held in the church on Christmas Eve at 7:30. The program will be as follows:

Song, "Follow the Star"..... Choir
Prayer.
Song, "A Star Shone Down"..... Choir
Recitation, "Welcome"..... Marjorie McFarland
Recitation, "A Boy's Welcome"..... Jack Skarritt
Recitation, "A Christmas Story"..... Gwendolyn Prouse
Solo..... Phyllis Buckweitz
Recitation, "Christmas Everywhere"..... Mary Jean DeLong
Recitation, "An Anxious Moment"..... Alice Jane Vliet
Recitation, "Christmas Morning"..... Pearl May Prouse
Recitation, "A Landing Place"..... Marjorie Dickman
Song, "O Star of Old"..... Choir
Recitation, "A Merry Christmas"..... Dolores Veiring
Exercise, "Brighten Your Corner at Christmas"..... Six Girls
Song, "Little Snowflakes"..... Miss Tindall's Class
Recitation, "My Wish"..... Arlene McCann
Recitation, "A Paying Plan"..... Betty Cole
Solo, "The Angels' Song"..... Pearl May Prouse
Exercise, "Making a Christmas Star"..... Six Girls
Song, "Star of the Ages"..... Recitation, "An Unfair Advantage"..... King McIntyre
Recitation..... James Asbon
Recitation, "Dad's Christmas"..... Beverley McFarland
Song, "Under the Star"..... Mrs. Buckweitz' Class
Playlet, "Three Wise Men"..... Marvin Porritt, Romilly Prouse, Lewis Warden
Song, "Christ Has Come"..... Choir

Benediction.

CLARKSTON

Russel Walter and Mrs. Forrest Jones and son, Ralph, spent Thursday in Detroit.

Mrs. Jessie Rose, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lucy King.

Mrs. Elizabeth Drake left this week to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Drake, of Flint.

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C. H. S. BASKETBALL TEAMS PLAY WELL

Season Opened Here With New Hudson Teams Opponents

Last Friday evening marked the opening of the basketball season in Clarkston as well as the first game for the High School on their own floor, as heretofore gym and equipment have been lacking. With the short time for a new team to practice and get lined up, the boys put on a remarkable defensive game keeping their opponents, New Hudson, a strong, seasoned, well organized team, down to the low score of 11-10.

The line up was Edward Larson and Gordon Parker, forwards; Jerry Cell, center; Jerome Webber and Sherman Hall, guards. Cell was the leading scorer for Clarkston with two field goals and two free throws. Parker made two field goals. Three personal fouls were called on Parker, two on Hall, and one on Webber.

The boys played a good, clean game with fine spirit and gave great promise for Clarkston in the coming games.

A preliminary game between hurriedly picked boys who had seen but little practice and never appeared in a public game furnished good sport and much amusement.

The game was well attended and the boys are happy over the close score against such an opponent.

The girls' basketball team of Clarkston High School was defeated Friday night, December 12, by New Hudson, with a score of 28-24. The game was the first appearance of the local team, and altho the final score was in favor of New Hudson the game itself was Clarkston's. The skill and pluck shown by our girls promises well for a successful season.

The line-up for the beginning of the game was as follows: Betty Huntly, right forward; Hazel Francis, left forward; Jane Sweet (Capt.), jumping center; Gladys Gundry, running center; Marion Dunston, right guard; Vonda Douglas, left guard.

At the beginning of the second half the following line-up was started: Doreen Douglas, right forward; Stella Crosby, left forward; Ellen Beardslee, jumping center; Gladys Ross, running center; Cecelia Seeterlin, right guard; Beryl Orr, left guard.

The second game of the season will be played with Milford, this Friday evening, at Clarkston.

WATERF'D SCHOOL ON APPROVED LIST

State Department Inspector Reports on Recent Visit

Following are portions of a letter just received by Supt. R. C. Lunger of the Waterford Schools from C. W. Price, an inspector for the State Department of Public Instruction:

"I want to take this opportunity to express to you and your board of education the fact that your school is now serving your community most excellently. Permit me to say that I know of no school in Michigan which I have visited and in which I observed any better illustration of citizenship on the part of the children than in the Waterford School. I have made note of the quiet, orderly and industrious attitude of the boys and girls throughout your building and the fine type of teaching which is going on in your classrooms.

"I want you and the people of Waterford as well as the Board of Education and your teachers to know that I consider your organization superior for schools of your size and from it should come the fruits of fine manhood and womanhood. We are certainly very pleased to place your school upon the approved list of high schools of Michigan.

"Yours very truly,
"C. W. Price."

BAP. LADIES' AUXILIARY MET WITH PASTOR'S WIFE

The Baptist Ladies' Auxiliary met with Mrs. H. A. Huey, Friday afternoon, Dec. 12, with a goodly number of members and two guests from Clarkston present. A short business session was held. The next supper was planned for Jan. 14 (Wednesday evening) and another excellent meal is promised by Committee No. 2 with Mrs. W. Chase acting as chairman. It was also voted to make up baskets for distribution among needy families.

Mrs. Huey was presented a magazine subscription as a token of appreciation by the ladies.

Committees were appointed to see about purchasing extra chairs for the church parlors, thus assuring their guests more comfort.

Light refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. F. Steiner, after which the meeting adjourned to meet in January with Mrs. Ira Jones.

CHRISTM'S PROGRAM AT SEYMOUR LAKE

Church and S. S. Exercises Will Be Held Tuesday Evening

Pupils of the Seymour Lake School and Sunday School are preparing a program for Christmas which will be given in the church Tuesday evening, Dec. 23. The public is invited to attend a pot luck supper before the program and people in the community are in hopes everyone will join in to make the evening an enjoyable one. Ladies are requested to bring dishes, silver, sandwiches for their family and contribute one dish for the supper.

The program will commence at 8:00 o'clock and is to be as follows:

Prayer..... Rev. Prouse
Poem, "A Welcome"..... Marvin Willoughby
Songs, "Jolly Old Saint Nicholas" and "There's a Song in the Air"..... School
Chalk talk, "The Christmas Story"..... Irene Miller, Burros Bastedo
Play, "Christmas in Mother Goose Land"..... 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Grades
Recitation, "Christmas Spelling"..... Glen Harris
Recitation, "Mothers Always Do"..... Viola Beardslee
Tinsel Rope Drill..... Irene Miller, Lena Russell, Cleabelle Flink, Velma McIntyre and Edna Beardslee

Poem, "The Broken Doll"..... June McIntyre
Recitation..... Lena Russell
Vocal Solo, "Silent Night"..... Mrs. Charles Brooks

Recitation..... Irene Miller
Dialogue, "A December Spelling Lesson"..... Nine little folks

Play, "The Spirit of Christmas"..... 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th Grades
Recitation, "Because"..... Dorothy Beardslee

Poem, "Everywhere Christmas"..... 3rd and 4th Grades
"Needles and Pins"..... Cleabelle Flink

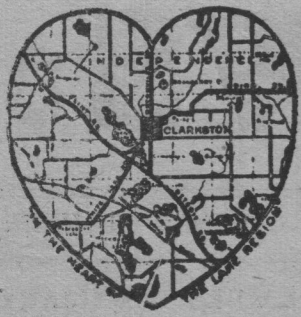
Poem, "The Camel's Christmas"..... Gordon Kelley
Song, "Joy to the World"..... Audience

Christmas Tree.

FRIENDSHIP SUPPER AT WATERFORD A SUCCESS

The Friendship Supper sponsored by the Waterford Ladies' Auxiliary in the Baptist church last Friday evening was a very successful affair. There was a large attendance and they enjoyed an interesting program, including music by the high school orchestra and stunts by Mrs. H. A. Huey and Mrs. Carl Terry. Mrs. Harry Harrup, Mrs. Cleve Chamberlain, Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. George Slayton and Mrs. Percy King were in charge of the event.

Isabel and Phyllis King arrived home Thursday for the holiday vacation, the former from M. S. C. and the latter from Teachers' College at Mt. Pleasant.



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LEND HELPING HAND

Although the announcements of bridge parties appear very often on these pages, we are certain the ladies can do other things equally as well when the occasion demands. Almost every club has taken on some community work, filling baskets, sewing or helping in some way to tide over these crucial days when not even the fittest seem to be able to survive.

CLARKSTON

A modern garage is replacing the old barn at the Methodist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walter and Mrs. Ray Walter, of Pontiac, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Jones.

Eugene Bachman has returned to Clarkston after an extended visit at the home of his sister in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Paull Fitzpatrick, of Detroit, were guests at the home of David McClelland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steiner have as their guests today, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Olmstead and son, of Albany, N. Y.

The Young Married Folks' Bridge Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spencer Friday evening.

Mrs. Martha Plumb was hostess to a few friends on Monday, Dec. 15, in honor of her birthday. A pot luck dinner and social afternoon made it a pleasant memory.

Campbell-Richmond Post, No. 63, American Legion, received their permanent charter on Thursday. They have 19 members at present and have planned for a membership drive to be launched at a banquet Jan. 5.

Mrs. Marcus Duffield, who has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walter, left Thursday morning with Mr. Duffield for Los Angeles, California, where they will make their home.

You should make it a point to be on hand at Waterbury's Home Market about 3:00 p. m., Tuesday, Dec. 23. Someone will get a big Christmas basket with everything for dinner including a goose and it may be you.

OAK HILL FARMERS CLUB

The Oak Hill Farmers Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Baynes, Wednesday, Dec. 10. After a bounteous pot luck dinner the meeting was called to order by Alex Solley with a short program and a Christmas tree following, which caused much merriment for the remainder of the afternoon.

The next meeting will be held at Will Beckman's in January.

DRAYTON PLAINS SCHOOL NOTES

Last Thursday, Dec. 11, the newly formed Girls' Athletic Club took advantage of the fine weather and hiked to Maceday Lake where they cooked their supper Indian style. Miss Mildred King was in charge and they have planned many more good times for the winter.

The 4-H club girls are right up to their work schedule and are enjoying their new electric sewing machine.

A school party of high school students was planned for Thursday night with an open program. If it were cold they would skate;

if it snowed then it would be a sleigh ride; but in either event they would return to the school for a Christmas tree, exchange of gifts and refreshments.

Jack Wall was second and Bessie Curtis fourth in the zone spelling bee at Holly Monday evening. They went to Pontiac for the finals Thursday evening but we go to press too early for the final results.

Supt. C. A. Gordon was called to East Tawas, his home, by the death of his grandmother, leaving Wednesday noon and returning Thursday.

The seventh graders will have a party Friday afternoon with gifts and refreshments.

Beautifully decorated trees in every room gave one a real Christmas spirit.

The fifth graders will also have a party Friday afternoon with gifts and refreshments.

The Student Council met Monday and decided to give up basket ball this season and substi-

tute some other sport during the year. Without a gymnasium it would be necessary to fit up some place to play and with equipment and all the expenses involved it was considered quite impossible. As all the grades are represented on the council, this really is the voice of the entire school.

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ORTONVILLE

The home of Orrin Frick was destroyed by fire of unknown origin Sunday morning at 3:30 a. m. The family were away from home and the blaze was beyond control when discovered by the neighbors and firemen were unable to save any of the contents. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

J. D. Staple was seriously injured Saturday afternoon when he fell nine feet from the edge of a roof where he was working on an eavestrough on the farm buildings of William Neer. He struck on his head and shoulders and is suffering from concussion of the brain and very painful bruises.

The Boy Scouts of Ortonville attended a Court of Honor at Oxford Tuesday evening, Dec. 16, and were awarded an efficiency streamer for the month, making two months in succession, and several of the boys were promoted. Vernon Hutchings received his first class pin and four merits; Millard Wolfe two merits; Nelson Wolfe one merit; Lee Swayne his second class pin and Mark Swayne his tenderfoot badge. Dr. C. E. Marsh, scoutmaster, received a national training course certificate.

WATERFORD SCHOOL NOTES

The concert given by the school orchestra last week was a great success, the music being well rendered and the attendance unusually large.

The entire orchestra gave several numbers and also entertained with group work and solos. The last mentioned included a cornet solo by "Sonny" Price; violin solos by June Chamberlain and Georgia Johnson and saxophone solos by Jewel Amburn and Keith Armstead.

The rooms are gay with decorated Christmas trees and each grade is having its own little parties with room programs and exchange of gifts.

School will close at 2:30 on Wednesday, Dec. 24, for the holiday vacation, and will reopen Monday, Jan. 5, 1931.

The Boy Scouts of Troop 31 enjoyed a hike to Camp Pontiac last Saturday for the week-end with ten scouts, scoutmaster and assistant in the party. Several tests were passed in camp work and three rookies were initiated. The County Council awarded them an efficiency streamer for November, the first one the troop has ever received. Look under the heading of Christmas Carolers for the good turn of the month by the boys.



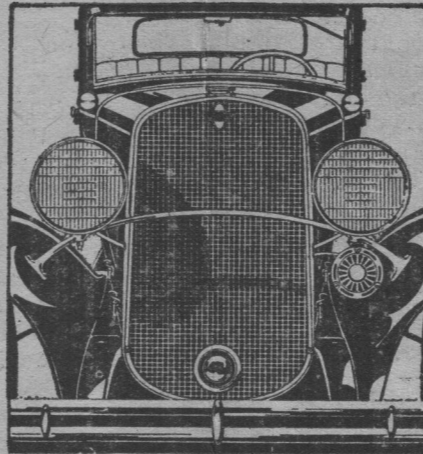
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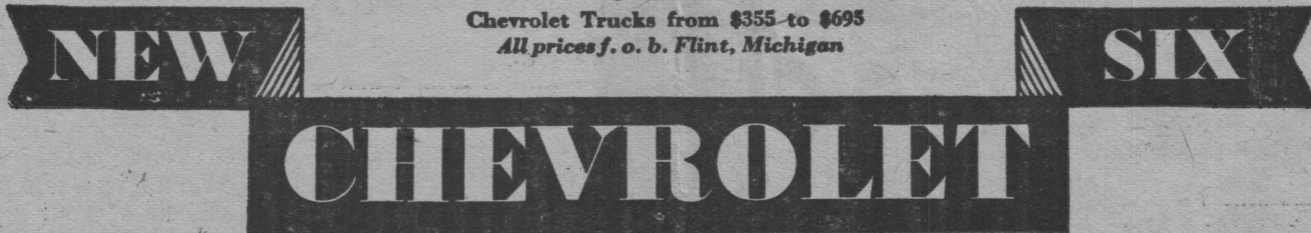
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CHURCHES

CLARKSTON M. E. CHURCH

R. H. Prouse, Minister

Services for Sunday, Dec. 21: 10:45 a. m. Morning Worship. Theme: "Christmas". Special Christmas music by the choir. Director: Miss Woodward; pianist: Mrs. Buckweitz. Anthem, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (Edward M. Norman), choir; duet, "O Night Divine" (A. Adams), Mrs. Lou Walter and Dr. Sutherland.

12:00 noon Sunday School. 3:00 p. m. Junior League. 6:30 p. m. Epworth League. Leader: Rev. Prouse.

7:30 p. m. Senior Choir will render their Christmas musical program assisted by some members of the Baptist choir. This will be under the direction of Miss Woodward, with Mrs. Buckweitz as pianist and Mr. McFarland as violinist. The complete program is published elsewhere in this issue.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 24, the Sunday School will sponsor a Christmas tree and program. Singing by chorus choir of young people from the Sunday School, also a number of appropriate recitations. Santa will visit us that night. The program is given in another place in this issue.

CLARKSTON BAPTIST CHURCH

H. A. Huey, Pastor

Morning worship is at 10:45. Sermon by the pastor: "The Greatest Story Ever Told". Special music by the choir.

Sunday School follows church at 11:45. George Van Horn, superintendent.

The tree, treat and exercises will be held Christmas Eve at 8:00 o'clock. Committees were appointed by the superintendent to care for the treat and trim the tree. Mrs. W. Chase and Mrs. A. Francis are in charge of the program.

WATERFORD COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

H. A. Huey, Pastor

Sunday School is at 10:30 a. m. H. B. Mehlberg, superintendent. Christmas exercises will be held Tuesday evening, each teacher being responsible for his or her class. There will be a tree and treat for all members of the Sunday School.

Church service is at 7:30 with sermon by the pastor appropriate to the season.

Last Sunday evening a group of about 12 young folks, Senior C. E.'s from the First Baptist Church of Pontiac, had charge of the entire service and were very much enjoyed. The entire group sang several selections, besides there were a duet by two young men and a trio of three men. The young man who spoke was very interesting, telling of the construction of the Holy Bible.

DRAYTON PLAINS COMMUNITY UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Clarence J. Sutton, Minister

The Christmas entertainment will be given on next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. One of the finest Christmas cantatas that we have ever attempted is being given by the various classes of the Bible School.

The coming Sabbath will be very especially Xmas Sabbath. Special Christmas music will feature all services.

The messages will be: "Gold, Frankincense and Myrrh", and "God Visible in Christ".

ANDERSONVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

George A. Hill, Pastor

Preaching service at 2:30. Sabbath School at 3:30. The public is cordially invited.

WHITE LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

George A. Hill, Pastor

Preaching service at 10:30. Sabbath School at 11:45. You are invited to attend.

DAVISBURG M. E. CHURCH

Edward Bickford, Minister

Services for Sunday, Dec. 21: Morning service at 10:30. Topic: "The Name which is above Every Name".

Junior Church service at 10:30.

Sunday School at 11:45. There will be no Junior

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Saturday Night, Dec. 20, at 7:30 sharp

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League meeting during Christmas week.

On Monday evening, Dec. 22, at 8:00 o'clock, Christmas exercises, with a Christmas tree, will be observed in the auditorium of the church.

We shall be glad to have your presence at all of the above services. A "Merry Christmas" to you all.

WATERFORD

Earl Anderson, of Holly, spent Saturday as the guest of Sammy Miller.

Mrs. Arthur Walter, of Van Syckle subdivision, has been ill at her home.

Mrs. John Miller, of Dixie road, was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Perry, of Maple street, enjoyed a day the past week in Detroit shopping.

Miss Mildred Barkham, of Waterford Center, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. John Miller.

The Del Davidson family, who have all been ill with small pox, are recovering and the quarantine will be lifted this week.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Huey spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunt at Novi. They enjoyed a chicken dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Eakle and family have moved from the Stange Cottage here in Waterford to Pontiac.

Mrs. Roy Blakeslee, of Mill street, who underwent an operation at Ford Hospital, is at home and recovering nicely.

Miss Edna Attwater, who has been confined to her home on Airport Road with scarlet fever for the past few weeks, is now recovered and able to be out.

Mrs. H. A. Huey, of Maple street, attended the meeting of the Literary Club at Clarkston on Tuesday and gave a vocal solo.

Mrs. Agnes Whittaker and children, Phyllis, Harry and John, of the Hill subdivision, have moved to Pontiac the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Girst and family, of Van Syckle Road, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Combs, who live near Flint. Little Jean stayed at her grandparents' home for the week.

Mrs. E. D. Spooner, of Williams Lake Road, accompanied Mrs. William Stevens, of Watkins Lake, on Thursday to Detroit, where they spent the day shopping.

The meeting of the Parent-Teachers association, scheduled to be held Thursday evening of this week, was abandoned. The next meeting of the association will be in January.

The Tricky Twelve Club will meet this Friday (today) at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blimke. Three tables of 500 will be in play, after which refreshments will be served by the hostess.

There will be a hearty welcome in store with a fine program, Santa and all, at the Christmas tree which is being planned by the Sunday School of Waterford at the church on Tuesday night, Dec. 23, at 8:00 o'clock.

Word has been received here of the birth of a daughter, Jerry Jo Ann, on Dec. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Epley, of Roanoke, Virginia. Mrs. Epley was a primary teacher in the Waterford school system the past two years.

The Charles Hall family are now out of quarantine for small pox for the second time. The first time Minnie and Lucille had the disease and the second time Robert and Elmira were the victims.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Buck, of Andersonville Road, entertained over the week-end Sam Buck and M. Booth, of Big Rapids. Other Sunday guests were Miss Ellen Buck, of Battle Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spencer, of Clarkston.

Rev. J. W. Herring, of Bethany Baptist Church, of Pontiac, and Rev. H. A. Huey were in Lansing this week making plans for the mid-year meeting of the Wayne County Association, with which the Waterford church is affiliated. The association set January 28 as the Waterford date, the plans and program to appear later.

DAVISBURG

The Ladies' Aid of the Davisburg M. E. church will serve the annual New Year's dinner at the church on New Year's Day at 12 o'clock noon. Following the dinner there will be a program consisting of musical numbers and a short play entitled, "The Minister Comes to Tea". Watch for the full program next week.

SPRINGFIELD

The We-All-Go-Bunco Club met at the home of their president, Mrs. F. McGrain, where a lovely dinner was enjoyed by all. Preparations were made for a Xmas party, after which Bunco was played with the prizes being awarded to Mrs. C. Anderson, first; Mrs. Ruth Jeffreys, sec-



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ond, and Miss Wilma McGrain, third. The guests were Mrs. Harold Jeffreys, of Pontiac, Mrs. Mary Allen, of Holly, and Mrs. Anderson and Miss McGrain, of Clarkston. Their Xmas party will be held at Eureka Rest, the home of Mrs. W. Leach, secretary-treasurer of the club.

DRAYTON PLAINS

Mrs. Louis Stroh, who under-

went a serious operation for going to Ford Hospital recently, is now reported as doing nicely.

The West Side Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Fred Kelly on Tremble street on Wednesday for an all day meeting. Pot luck dinner was served at noon and the entire day was spent sewing. Orders were in for twenty laundry bags of a special type that is made by the Aid, dainty and useful so in great demand as gifts.

SEYMOUR LAKE

Norma Beardslee is attending Business Institute for a few days this week.

Mrs. William Hart, of Oakwood, was a guest of Miss Gladys Sherwood, Friday.

Thieves took 35 chickens from Fred Burr last week.

About sixty people attended the Ladies' Aid dinner at Lee Porritt's last Wednesday. Proceeds were \$20.10. Guests were present from Clarkston, Orion and Pontiac.

Cleabelle Flink was a guest of Mrs. Charles Elder at Waterford Center Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lee McIntyre and Mrs. Belle Sherwood attended a party at the home of Mrs. Forrest Jones Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. Jessie Walter, of Detroit.

Mrs. Belle Sherwood and Cleabelle Flink were shoppers in Pontiac, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lee McIntyre and daughter, June, visited her sister and mother in Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. Lottie Hunt, of Waterford, and son, Joe, visited relatives in Saginaw Saturday.

Charlie Case, of Rochester, was a caller in this vicinity Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Solley entertained 40 neighbors Friday evening at cards.

Word was received here that E. V. Bailey, of Ocoee, Florida, shot a black bear while out hunting turkeys.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Beardslee were guests at the Mt. Bethel Aid last Thursday at L. Weight's.

Harry Miller has had a new furnace installed.

Lee Porritt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Porritt and son, Billy, were guests of Linton Belles Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. Wallace Guile, Donald Hunt and Mrs. Rose Burr have been on the sick list with hard colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vollen will entertain a party of friends and neighbors at cards Friday evening.

William Howser has returned from New York and expects to make his home here. Mr. Howser met with an accident ten weeks ago and had the misfortune to lose his left eye. He is staying at present with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Locke.

The family of Lee Porritt were awakened by smoke just in time the other night to save their farm home from destruction by fire and possible loss of life. Quick response of neighbors to an alarm saved the dwelling. The fire was started when a crack caused by settling of the house developed in the chimney.

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Whereas, the Angel of death has crossed the threshold of our club for the third time since its organization and removed from its membership Mrs. Gladys Ogden;

Resolved, that while we mourn the loss of our beloved sister, we feel that our loss is her gain;

Resolved, that in the death of Mrs. Ogden the club has lost a

conscientious and faithful member, and as the days go by we shall miss her from our number;

Resolved, that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved husband and son;

Resolved, that the resolutions be spread upon the records of our club, also a copy sent to the local paper for publication.

Lydia A. Allen,
Mildred Beardsley,
Ada Pierce,

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Kenneth Stevens is home for the holidays from East Lansing where he is attending M. S. C.

Louis Henry was in Pittsburg twice last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Tarr and son and Mrs. Carrie Larned called on Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Beardslee Sunday evening.

Kenneth Poole attended the Scout Officials banquet in Stevens Hall at Pontiac Thursday evening.

Mrs. C. I. Poole was a Pontiac shopper Tuesday.

Miss Belle Beardslee is spending two weeks with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Beardslee.

Kenneth Poole attended the Christian Endeavor business and social meeting held at Tucons' in Drayton Friday evening.

Israel Smith, of Pontiac, called on Mr. and Mrs. Grant E. Beardslee Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Phillips called on Mr. and Mrs. Mel West in Pontiac recently.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Bernard, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. S. McGaffey and Mrs. F. Watkins, of Pontiac, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Stanaback.

Frank McCann returned to his home in Oxford Wednesday after spending a week with his mother, Mrs. J. McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stevens called on Mrs. Fannie Stevens at Watkins Lake last Friday.

Mrs. N. W. Morgan visited her sister, Mrs. M. Branch, at Royal Oak a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stevens entertained Monday evening at dinner Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Beardslee, Miss Belle Beardslee, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. George Rohr.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Howell and children, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Stanaback.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Longmiur, of Keego Harbor, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Phillips Monday.

Darwyn Hetherington called on his mother, Mrs. Almo Hetherington, Saturday at the Dyet Hospital in Pontiac where she recently had an operation.

Asa Plumb and son, Donald, called on Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Poole Saturday afternoon.

Kenneth Poole was in Pontiac Monday evening and attended the Scout Court of Honor held at the Wilson Foundry.

Mrs. Vera Maybee was a Pontiac shopper Tuesday.

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