



NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Germfask

(By Jean Lustila)

Church Notices
Mass at St. Theresa's church at 8 a. m. Midnight mass at 12 p. m. with the singing of carols before on Christmas eve.

School Christmas Program

The following program was presented at the Germfask school on Wednesday evening, Dec. 21: Rhythm band with flutes - Kindergarten and first grades.

Two Little candles - second grade. Play, Shall Santa Go Modern - fourth grade. Day After Christmas - Arnold and Billy Burns.

Music, flutes - Deck the Halls. The Living Christmas Tree - third and fourth grades. Signs of Christmas - second and third grades.

Play, Trouble in Santa Claus Land - seventh and eighth grades. Pageant - fifth and sixth grades.

grades with chorus by 6th, 8th, 7th and 8th grades. Operetta, Jeanette and Isabella - grades first through sixth.

Extension Meeting

The East End Craft Club met at the home of Mrs. Lester Hall on Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in textile painting and preparing Christmas gifts.

Christmas Party

St. Theresa's Guild held a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Thurman Skarritt Tuesday evening. Ernest Tovey of Sency showed a number of reels of colored pictures, including one taken at the Parish picnic which was held last August.

Methodist Christmas Party

Members of the W. S. C. S. and

their husbands enjoyed a Christmas party at the Community building on Saturday evening. A 6 o'clock potluck dinner was served after which gifts were exchanged.

Merry Homemakers Party

The Merry Homemakers held their Christmas party at the Community building on Wednesday evening. Cards were played during the evening after which gifts were exchanged and lunch was served.

The Community Club met

Thursday afternoon at the Community building for its regular meeting at which time Christmas baskets were packed.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Nelson of the Soo

spent the week end at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Downing.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jack and children

left Monday for the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jack.

Lawrence Miller who is attending

Northern Michigan College of Education at Marquette is spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aloise Miller.

Mrs. Lottie Beloungon of Cross Village

has arrived to spend some time with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Beloungon.

Mrs. Polimir Lawrence, Mrs. Matilda Lustila and Mrs. Norman Nelson

of Goulet City motored to Escanaba last week on a shopping trip.

Miss Dorabel Lawrence of Detroit

is spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Riley called

on relatives on Sunday evening enroute to Newberry.

Mrs. Ed Smith, Mrs. Harvey Saunders and Mrs. Albert Boyd

motored to Marquette Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oaken of Mrs. Mary Rutherford

motored to Marquette Saturday. They were accompanied home by Miss Frances Oaken who spent the week end here with her parents.

On the evening of December 16

the Ladies' Auxiliary held a social Christmas party at the Community building. Games of cribbage and five hundred were played. High score in five hundred was won by Marion Jack and low was won by Ann Skarritt.

A meeting of the South Germfask Home Extension Club

was held at the home of Mrs. Harold Lustila. The meeting was attended by Mrs. Harold Peters, Mrs. Fred England, Mrs. Herb Musselman, Mrs. Harold Lustila, Mrs. Ovid Swisher, Mrs. Delbert Musselman, and Mrs. Hubert Latsch.

Green School

(By Virginia Willour)

Memorial church services (Sunday Weaver, pastor) - Sunday school 10 a. m.; preaching service 11 a. m.; Sunday evening service 7:30 p. m.; mid-week prayer service and Bible study 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Adolor LaCroix, Mrs. William Clements, Mrs. Peter Olson, Mrs. Wm. Gillette and Mrs. Harry Anderson

attended the Christmas party which was held at the Bethel Baptist church in Gulliver Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Augusta Anderson returned to her home here after spending

the past several days with her daughter, Mrs. Johnson, in Minneapolis.

Several people from the vicinity

attended the floor club concert at the Manistique high school on Friday evening.

Mr. Andrew Divo is very much improved

after having been confined to his home with illness for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Becks and family

of Cadillac are expected to arrive Friday to spend the holidays with friends and relatives here and in Manistique.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kotzka and family

were visitors at the Roy Anderson home Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Smith was a shopper

in Manistique Saturday evening.

Mr. Gordon Hamill and Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch

made a business trip to Newberry Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward LaRose and family

plan to leave the first of next week for a week's vacation in Bay City with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Willour and Shirley

made a business trip to Manistique Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Bauers, Mr. William R. Bauers, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gorsche and Miss Peggy

were visitors at the Williams Willour home Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Anderson and daughter, Trudy, and Miss Ann Seuback

were shoppers in Manistique Friday evening.

Mr. St. Clair Pardee, of St. Johns, Mr. Charles Proskoch, of Iron River, and Mr. Charles Atwater, of Manistique, expected work on the new school Monday.

Gulliver

(By Stella Brunet Paul)

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints at Gulliver will hold services Sunday, Dec. 25, with church school at 10 a. m. and preaching service at 9 a. m. and Blessing of Baby at 11 a. m., with Elder Stowe, of Gladstone, in charge.

The Doyle township school board met last Saturday at 2 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bjorkman and family left on Wednesday for Detroit and other points in lower Michigan where they will be guests of friends and relatives. They will visit Mrs. Hazel Barker in Detroit, and accompanied by her they will go to Ironton, O., to spend the holidays with relatives and friends. They will be away three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Culvert and daughter, Katherine, left on Wednesday for a two weeks' motor trip with their destination New Orleans. They will return after the holidays in lower Michigan.

Mrs. Stella B. Paul spent last week end in West Michigan.

The regular Grange meeting will not be held on Saturday night. The date of the meeting will be set after the holidays.

It is gratifying to see the interest folks have taken in decorating their homes and places of business for the holidays.

Monday, Dec. 19, was a red-letter day in the local post office, due to it being the day on which more first class mail and parcels were received and distributed than ever before.

Richard Gill is spending some time here with his mother, Mrs. Clyde Arwood, and his grandmother, Mrs. William Reid. Dick recently returned from the west where he has been employed.

The Gulliver Community Planning Club held its first Christmas party on Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 8 p. m. at the Whitehead school. A playlet with club members making up the cast was presented and was well received. Names of members of the cast are not available at this time but will be listed later. Music and exchange of gifts were featured. Followed by potluck lunch.

The Harrison Beaches left on Thursday for Allegan and Chicago for the holidays with relatives and friends.

Thompson

(By Mrs. Ole Edvardson)

The Thompson Community Club held its Christmas party at the home of Mrs. John Scorr on Friday evening. The evening price winners at cards were: High score, nanson.

Mrs. Dorothy Stanley; low score, Mrs. Alton Sample. Door prize was won by Mrs. Dorothy Stanley. After the exchange of gifts, refreshments were served. Those present were: Messidms John Potvin, Floye Sample, Evelyn Johnson, Arvid Nelson, Thomas Smith, Alton Sample and runner Holter and Ruth Stuart of Manistique.

Danny Anthony of Payette was a guest of Hal and Jack Olson over the week end.

Mrs. Frank Richards and daughter, Harry Hastings, and daughter, Rita, returned from Pontiac where Rita was taken for medical attention.

Mrs. Hans Smith received the news that her son, A. J., will be enroute from Okinawa to the front on the 28th of the month.

H. M. Squires was the guest of honor on the anniversary of his 86th birthday at the home of his daughter and Mr. and Mrs. John Olson on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garvis left on Monday for Cheboygan, called by the serious illness of Mrs. Garvis' mother who recently passed her 87th birthday.

Millar James of Newberry and Earl Quinan of Manistique were visitors here over the week end.

Raymond and Mrs. Harold Shust of Manistique were visitors here on Saturday. Both young men have been employed on lake shipping this season as has been John Scorr, Jr., who is also at home now.

The Community Club was host to the students and teachers and also parents of the school children on Tuesday at the annual Christmas party. Dinner and exchange of gifts featured the program.

The season's greetings to the staff and readers of the Pioneer-Tribune.

Thompson School Program

Song by the school - Silent Night, White Christmas, and Jolly Old St. Nicholas. Come In - Linda Gustafson. The Christmas Story - Carol Knuth. The Sleighbells - Donald Bellville.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early - A play: Barbara Arnold, Marjorie Gilbert, July Alloy. Deck the Halls - Sonja Smith and primary grades. A Chery Message - Karen Smith. Christmas Boxes - Marvin Smith.

Christmas Sympathy - A play: Joseph Kaiser, Phyllis Olson, Dennis Hugo, Lawrence Flodin. A Gift for Mother - Ellen Jastrom. The Nicest Man - Gordon Gunwinners at cards were: High score, nanson.

Hark the Herald Angels Sing; O, Come All Ye Faithful - Girls of grades 2, 3, 4, and 6. Christmas Worship - Larry Miller. The Boy Who Wasn't Good - Erwin Flodin. Have You One Joy - Helen Pancraft. Holy Night - Paul Gilbert. Signs of Christmas - Kindergarten and first grades. Christmas Seals - Daryell Ferguson. If I Could be Santa - Lyle Jastrom. Surprise Package - A play: Gerald Erickson, Sonja Smith, Gloria Stanley, John Potvin. Christmas Conduct - Randy Hugo. Wouldn't It be Grand - Douglas Tolvin. Songs by the school - Up On the Housetop, Santa Claus is Coming to Town, and Jingle Bells. Music by Mrs. John Olson.

Paper And Power Firm Employees Get Yule Checks

Employees of the Manistique Paper and Power company have received their Christmas checks. The checks were distributed Thursday.

Hourly rated employees have received 40 hours of overtime pay. The company's payroll as of December 11.

A special Christmas letter was distributed by C. R. Van de Carr, president of the Mead Corporation, to the employees of the company.

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Refreshment Keeps The Wheels Turning. Advertise in the Tribune. 5c. The infant's son of Lieut. and Mrs. D. Bruce Nicholson, of Portsmouth, Va., has been named Edward Bruce.

Merry Christmas! May your holiday be merry, your tree laden with good things and your happiness unending. Simple pleasures of the old-fashioned homespun variety are still the most enjoyable at Christmas time even in this streamlined age! S in the modern manner, with old-fashioned sincerity, we say "Merry, Merry Christmas". RITA MacGREGOR, HENRY SWANSON, CLARENCE PETERSON, BERTHA COOKSON, LAURA DILLER, BRUCE ROSSIER, RAYMOND MALES, Z. E. COOKSON. G-L HARDWARE

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## THE AMERICAN WAY



### JULIA SIDBECK CLAIMED BY DEATH

Thompson Dec. 28, 1912 and grew up there. She resided here with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Knopp, and following Mrs. Knopp's death 12 years ago, continued to make her home there.

She was a member of the Zion Lutheran church.

Survivors are a sister, Mrs. Astrid Hawkins, Omaha, Neb.; brother-in-law, Andrew Knopp, of Manistique.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the Morton funeral home, the Rev. G. A. Herbert officiating. Burial was in Fairview cemetery.

### New York Claims Santa Claus to Be Its Private Property

While the claim may cause the rest of America to bristle, New Yorkers insist that Santa Claus is peculiarly New York's own. Not only did he land in Manhattan with the Dutch settlers, they insist on it, but for almost two hundred years he never took his activities or presents out of New York state.

The New Yorkers advance some interesting points to bolster their contentions. They declare that in the genial company of Washington Irving, James Krke Paulding and Clement Clarke Moore, Santa Claus gradually lost the grim, stern aspect he wore when he arrived with the Dutch settlers to the budding, benevolent mien he now offers.

It was in New York, too, they assert, that Santa acquired his reindeer sleigh and his habit of arriving on Christmas instead of the Dutch St. Nicholas eve (December 6). And that it is in New York panoply, he finally found his way to all parts of the United States, England and even Australia and India.

Indeed, as the New Yorkers will tell you, New York, as New Amsterdam in the beginning, was dedicated to Santa Claus, or St. Nicholas, by its Dutch founders. For Santa Claus—or Sinterklaas, as it is sometimes written in Holland—is of course only the centuries-old pet name which Dutch children gave to their patron and gift bringer, the good Bishop St. Nicholas. And it is said that the ship which brought the first Dutch children to the island bore his face as a figurehead.

From the first, too, his special day of December 6, was set aside with Christmas, New Year's, Easter and Whit Sunday, as one of the five chief holidays of the new colony, just as it had been in Holland.

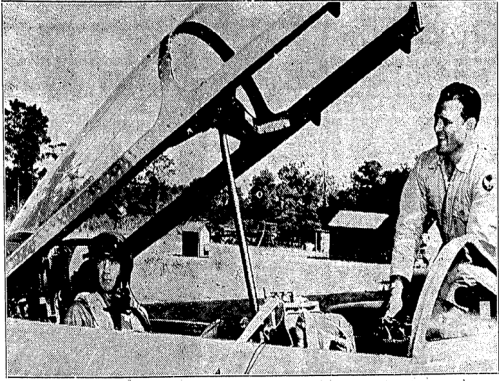
So, year after year, as regularly as St. Nicholas eve came around in New Amsterdam, in Breucklen (Brooklyn), in Fort Orange (Albany) and many other hamlets above the icy Hudson, the children in every Dutch family gathered in expectant circle. For weeks beforehand they had learned their lessons and helped with the milking and churning in an agency of good behavior. And now, all ready, they sang their song to Santa Claus.

In the midst of the song would come a knocking at the door and then would strike Santa Claus, himself—not round and jolly, but solemn and majestic in trailing robes. In one hand he might hold a bag of presents or a purse, but in the other was sure to be a birch rod—an awful warning to a naughty boy.

Santa questioned each child in turn about his behavior in the year just past and gave him a pat of approval or a warning shake of the head, as the record indicated. Then, bidding them all to be present in the morning the good saint suddenly flung a handful of lollipops into the room and, in the ensuing scramble, vanished into the night.

Then the children set out their sabots, or later the great blue yarn stockings made for the purpose.

However he did it—and the tale varies in many lands—Santa Claus got about, for in the morning over the hearth steaming with waffles and sausages and other good Dutch fare, were the blue stockings bulging with apples, balls, dolls and toys.



### ARMY SECRETARY FLIES IN JET PLANE

Secretary of the Army Gordon Gray (left) prepares to take off for flight in a T-33 two-place jet-propelled "Shooting Star." Mr. Gray witnessed demonstrations of the latest developments in air-ground operations staged by Brigadier General W. R. Wolfenbarger's tactical air force for students of the Nation's service schools. At Eglin Air Force Base, Florida, the Secretary's pilot, Lieutenant G. P. Humphries (right), demonstrated the versatility of jet aircraft in ground attack by actual strafing.

### Coaches Present Awards To Athletes At Assembly

(From MHS Crier)

Manistique High athletes were given awards in recognition of their efforts during the past season during two assemblies. At the first assembly on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 30, letters were given to this year's football team consisting of Charles McNamara, and Jack Minor, co-captains, Dan Ruck, Everett Patz, Bob Carlson, Jerry Baklanoff, Dick Burdick, Cletus Chartier, Bob Clement, Russell DeMers, Don Lancelot, Norm Jahn, Delor LaPointe, Bruce MacLean, Jack Minor, Bob Minor, Gerald Nelson, Mike Shultz, Bob Weiler, Don Quirk, Howard Hartman, Lloyd Gould, Bob Gould, Eugene Schneider, and Cliff Weaver, manager. Coach John Viergever received a gift from Charles McNamara, on behalf of the squad.

### HERALD ANGELS

Rehearsing for the annual Christmas candlelight service, the children choristers of the Crawford Methodist Memorial church in the Bronx, New York, make an impressive picture when a view through a Christmas wreath in the foreground.

The Cross Country team was presented with their letters on a rainy morning, December 2. The presentation was made by Mr. Columbus, cross country coach, Wilbur LaBar then presented a trophy cup to Dan Van Eyck, treasurer of the Students Association, and stated that there was no credit if any member missed even one practice.

Boys receiving letters for cross country were: Captain Wilbur LaBar, who came in second in the meet, Hugo Schober, who came in eighth, John Quinn, twelfth, Walter Scharstrom, thirteenth, and Bill Swanson, fourteenth.

As part of the same program, Mr. Hussey presented the members of this year's basketball team, who played the first game of the season against the American Soo Blue Devils on Friday night, and their second game Saturday with the Canadian Soo.

Miss Helen Hastings is arriving Friday from Highland Park to the University of Chicago, is spending the holidays at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. J. his father, John E. Nesson, Ar Hastings, Oak street.

### Customs Brighten Holiday Festivities

(From the M. H. S. Crier)

The various Christmas traditions adopted in our country have added much to the celebration of Christmas. A very popular custom which has been passed down from the ancient Druids of Britain is kissing under the mistletoe. This plant has gradually become a

symbol of purity and love. It is said that if a maid is not kissed under the mistletoe during the Christmas season she will not be a bride during the ensuing year.

Christmas cards are also a traditional part of the festive season. The first cards were circulated about a century ago, and now the custom has become universal, millions being sold each year. The practice originated in England where schoolmasters had their pupils turn in samples of their handwriting. These were called "Christmas pieces" and were brightly colored and decorated.

The Yule Log plays an important part in the celebration in many countries, although this practice is not carried on in America to a great extent. In England, those who select it and bring it home are supposed to be safe from evil for the year to come. The log is lighted from a brand kept from the Yule Log of the year before, a prayer is given, and then the time of feasting begins.

Mrs. Ernest Tatrow, Mrs. Bon Garden, spent Monday here shopping and Mrs. Ida Tatrow, of ping and visiting with friends.

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With comfort increasing throughout the western world, the poverty of the Nativity scene simultaneously startles and fascinates us—as perhaps Matthew, the publican, was impressed by the story of the Wise Men; and St. Luke, who had been a ship's doctor and probably knew very little about shepherds, was charmed by the shepherds abiding in the field.

There was no room in the inn that night, so Jesus was born in a stable—a place of shelter hewn into a rocky ledge of the Judean countryside. It was cold and dark and damp, and Judean travelers frequently put up in such caves—frequented rather than disdained joint tenancy with beasts because of the breath of the cattle and the heat of their bodies provided a little warmth, while the guests inside the inn had no heat at all.

The cave, which was the birthplace of the Saviour, is now a grotto beneath Bethlehem's Church of the Nativity; and though fascinated by the simplicity of the original, being unwilling to maintain its poverty and has covered the entire surface with costly ornamentation.

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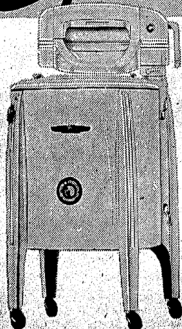
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John Whitman, of Detroit, will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson spent Friday in Marquette with the former's mother, Mrs. Martha Johnson.

Miss Lucille Laurion is arriving Saturday from Mononice to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Laurion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Rivard and family spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Rivard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Duschene, at Garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Laurion, of East Lansing, are spending the holidays here with Mrs. Gordon Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Laurion.

Mrs. Cora Sherman and daughter, Catherine, and Miss Nettie McLeod, of Newberry, will be Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Herbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelley arrived Saturday from East Lansing to spend Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Carlyon, Cherry street.

Mrs. Lillian Larion, Elk street, left Saturday for Seattle, Wash., to spend the winter with her son, Herbert Larion. She will also visit in California with another son, Gerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Orr and children, Elizabeth and Molly, left Wednesday for Town of Lake, Wis., to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Olson. Mrs. Orr and Mrs. Olson are sisters.

Paul Vezina arrived Tuesday from Milwaukee, where he is a student at Marquette university, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Vezina.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Hansen left Monday for Town of Lake, Wis., to spend Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Olson, before leaving for a winter stay in Donna, Texas.

Miss Marguerite Kliest has arrived from Battle Creek to spend the holidays at the home of her mother, Mrs. Herman Kliest. Miss Florence Kliest, of Marquette, is arriving this week end for the holidays.

Crowe Insurance Agency, 111 Lake Street, Phone 6.

Mr. and Mrs. William Males and son, William Leonard, are arriving this week end from Big Rapids, where Mr. Males is a student at Ferris Institute, to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Males.

Capt. E. J. Hastings, son of Mrs. E. J. Hastings, of Manistique, has recently been released from the army medical corps following four years' service, and he and Mrs. Hastings and their twin sons, Peter and Paul, are residing in Milwaukee, where Dr. Hastings is now on the staff of Milwaukee County Hospital. They have spent the past several months in Augusta, Ga., where Dr. Hastings was stationed at Oliver General Hospital.

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- IONA CREAM STYLE Golden Corn 3 20-Oz. Cans 27c**
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- Holiday Stollen Coffee Cake . . . . . 15-Oz. Slice 39c
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- Del Monte Peaches Yellow Citing . . . . . 31c
- Pineapple Juice Libby's . . . . . 2 18-Oz. Cans 39c
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- Fancy Swiss Cheese . . . . . Lb. 67c
- French Roquefort . . . . . Lb. \$1.45
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### Holiday Program At Presbyterian Church Saturday

The Christmas program of the Sunday school primary department at the Presbyterian church will be presented at 7:30 Christmas Eve. The program follows:

Invention and prayer — Rev. Paul Sobel.

Song, Long Ago — Mrs. Norton's class.

Santa's Little Brother — Billy Norton, Duncan Reese, Francis Vattakunas, Allen Shirk, Randall Cowman.

Christmas Dreams — Sally Hanson.

Christmas Bells Are Ever Chiming — Jane Graff.

Just Because, an exercise — Greg Thompson, Robert Carlson, Sharon Sitkowski, Dale Benson, Heler Slining, Terry Hartman.

Song — Marjane Croeger.

My Birthday Book — Susan Hanson.

The First Christmas — Ramon Roussin.

The Sweetest Story — Steven Jewett.

The Finest Gift — Linda Disinger.

Song — Laurie Ann Fyvie.

Song, Silent Night — Kay Jenkins' class.

Why Can't We — Billy Secon.

Jesus — Laura Parker.

Want More Could We Do — Jim

Verriam.

Christ was Born Within a Stable — Phillip Carlson.

A Cradle For Jesus — Louise Reese.

A Little Baby Boy — Susan Atwater.

A Closing Thought — Sally Dyer.

Song, Away in a Manger — Mrs. Atwater's class.

Everybody Welcome — Nydia Innes.

Happy Birthday — Barbara Sobel.

Thanks Lord — Nancy Hanson.

Get Ready — Stephanie Thompson.

My Gift — Carol Corombos.

A Blessed Thought — Lina Wickwire.

Good the Year Round — Joan Slining.

Please Understand — Clarence Johnson.

An Old Time Wish — Joel Korsin.

Song, Merry Christmas — Rebecca and Deborah Sobel.

Recitations by Mrs. Heusehor's class.

The Greatest Gift — John Secon.

For the Present — Ronnie Johnson.

Our Christmas Prayer — Robert Johnson.

God's Gifts — Jimmy Norton.

My Wish — Linda Thompson.

A Speech — Tommy Slining.

Not So Tall — Carol Benson.

A Happy Welcome — Timmy Doyle.

No Room — Sandra Snyder.

His Manger — Jimmy Dyer.

A Little Child Shall Lead Them —

Domia Atwater.

Good Night — Tommy Carlson.

A film of the Christmas story will be shown at this time with Mrs. William L. Norton acting as narrator.

Closing hymn by the congregation and distribution of Christmas boxes.

### WELFARE, CHILD PROBLEMS TOPIC

State Consultants Meet Here Friday; Regional Session Is March 15

A group of state consultants in social service met in Manistique Friday, Dec. 9, to discuss problems relating to welfare and to coordinate activities of local organizations dealing with cases involving indigents, and with neglected children and the homes they come from.

The group met at the Paul Bunyan Cook Camp at 10 a. m., and resumed their discussions after lunch.

Mrs. J. Joseph Herbert, who has been active in welfare work here for many years, was named to arrange for a further session here prior to a regional meeting scheduled to be held in Escanaba on March 15. The March meeting will deal with the "White House" conference of 1950.

### OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

A meeting of the Board of Education was held in the administration office of the Public Schools Tuesday evening, December 20.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Edward Taylor, vice-president of the Board.

Trustees present were: Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Herbert, J. M. Carlson, Robert Berger, H. K. Bundy, Absent: E. LeBrosseur and Dr. Shaw.

The minutes of Nov. 8 meeting were read and approved.

Everett Anderson of the Savings Insurance Agency gave a ten minute talk before the board, outlining reasons why he thought the schools should carry public liability insurance. No action was taken. The Board will discuss this insurance at a future meeting.

Invoices in the amount of \$4233.38 were audited. A motion was made by Mr. Bundy, seconded by Mrs. Herbert, that bills be allowed. Motion carried.

Superintendent Liell gave a report on a visit made by a group of University of Michigan school inspectors.

Mr. H. W. Wall, of the Producers Refinery Company, appeared before the board and gave a detailed explanation of the advantages of using oil fuel rather than coal fuel for the central heating plant of the public schools. Upon receipt of additional information, price of equipment, installation, etc., the matter will again be brought before the board.

A motion was made by Mr. Carlson, seconded by Mr. Bundy, that meeting adjourn. Motion carried.

Alice G. Reilly, Secy. Board of Education

### LINCOLN PUPILS PRESENT PLAY

"On Christmas Hill" Is Feature Of Yearly Holiday Program Wednesday

The following Lincoln school Christmas program was given on Wednesday:

"On Christmas Hill", with the following characters: Mary, Maureen, John, Leo, Pauline, Katherine, Sally, Storie, Sally Thompson, Jimmy, Jimmie, Larson, Linda, Linda Rochfort; Spirit of Christmas, Margie Morson; Starglean, Sheila Larsen; The Builders, Kindergarten children; Moonlight chorus—German and French children, Turkish and Armenian children, Russian and Chinese children, Mexican and Irish children, Japanese and Indian children, poor little rich children.

Synopsis of acts—Act I, Bethlehem in the orphanage; Act II, the pilgrimage to Christmas Hill; Act III, Bethlehem in the orphanage; time, Christmas Eve.

Special numbers by Kindergarten, first grade, second grade, third grade and fourth grade.

Silent Night — all.

### Christmas Program At Maple Grove School Is Sunday

A Christmas program will be given at the Maple Grove Methodist church by the primary and junior departments on Sunday evening, Dec. 25, at 7:30 o'clock.

The program follows:

Scripture reading and prayer — pastor.

Welcome — Shirley Willour.

Group song — Silent Night, My Wish — Bobbie Lee.

The Birth of Jesus — Charlotte Korte, June Fraeland and Sherry Tomnyson.

The Glad News — Paul Coger.

Just a Rhyme — Sharon Soderman.

Special song — Hark, Hark, My Soul.

The Way to be Happy — Jimmie Fraeland.

He's the One — Emma Zook.

Merry Christmas — Sharon Korte.

My Christmas Wish — LaMar Soderman.

The Star — Jane Lee.

Song — A Song in a Manger.

A Little Boy's Piece — Kenny Tomnyson.

The Christmas Angels — Dianne Shaffer.

Our Christmas Gifts — Mrs. Weaver's class.

Jesus' Day — Robert Funk.

Special song — Zion's Glad Morning.

Ever New — Walter Tomnyson.

The Time of Joy — Jimmie Laadie, Arthur Anderson, Yvonne Fraeland, Trudone Anderson.

The Christmas story, flannel graph — Mrs. Weaver, Bousdiction.

### Junior High Yule Party Thursday

The Junior high held its annual Christmas party Thursday evening from seven to ten o'clock. There were games, gifts, dancing, group singing of carols and refreshments on the program.

Following were the committee members in charge: Helen Bales, Maurice Croeger, Elma Lake, Robert Cousineau, Delores Alexander, Cville Robinson, Wanda Larson, Carl Brockman, Mary Ecker, Gilland, Dennis Morvan, Joan Gleick, Willard Edwards, Millard Edwards, Harriet Wilson, Phyllis Mikula, Patricia Lindberg, Arlene Ludick, Donald Anderson, Dolores Furlan, and Eddy Leonard.

Miss Marjorie Breza arrived Sunday from Kalamazoo to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bretz.

CARD OF THANKS

Manistique city employees wish to express their sincere thanks to all businessmen who donated toward their Christmas party, thus aiding materially in making it a success.

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## 'NEATH THE STAR

Symbolic to all is the star that shone on Bethlehem two millenniums ago. Here was represented the hope and aspiration of mankind. Let us pray that in coming days we are given strength and wisdom to follow in His path of peace and charity.

Merry Christmas To All

### Barker's Bakery

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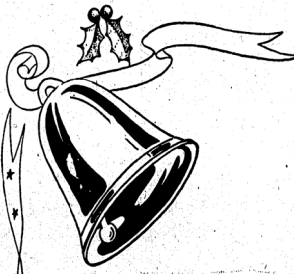


May the Star that gleamed above Bethlehem long ago guide your footsteps in all the days to come.

To All—A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

### MIKE'S BARBER SHOP

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## A JOYOUS YULETIDE

As we express the Season's Greetings at this happy Christmastime, we pledge to strive to maintain this same spirit of thoughtful service throughout all the days of the coming year.

Our sincere thanks for your patronage and our assurance that it is our purpose to merit its continuance.

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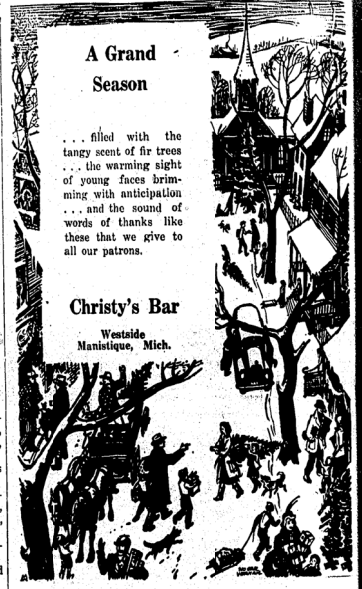
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... the warming sight of young faces brimming with anticipation  
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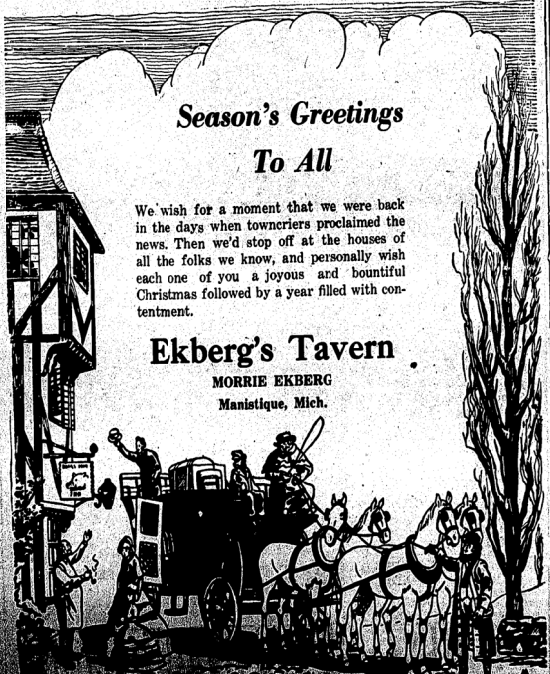


### Season's Greetings To All

We wish for a moment that we were back in the days when towncriers proclaimed the news. Then we'd stop off at the houses of all the folks we know, and personally wish each one of you a joyous and bountiful Christmas followed by a year filled with contentment.

### Ekberg's Tavern

MORRIE EKBERG  
Manistique, Mich.



### Merry Christmas

May this Yuletide hold everything that's wonderful and dear! The warmth and cheer for your own hearth-side... the fun of trimming the tree... the joy of being surrounded by your family... the true Christmas spirit of friends coming to call to extend their best wishes!

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# Christmas Carols

Christmas carols express better something else, probably, the spirit of Christmas.

The word "carol" itself signifies and was originally used to denote a song of joy or exultation. Another definition states: "A hymn or praise especially sung at Christmas in the choir."

In England, which gave America the custom of singing carols, they were sometimes convivial and sometimes religious in nature to suppress the Christmas spirit.

After the Reformation, the religious nature of the day was a time almost forgotten in the reaction from Puritanism, and the carol was temporarily lost in the songs.

There are many quaint customs associated with the early carols that might be used today to break the monotony of going from house to house singing Christmas hymns.

It was about the 16th century that caroling became a Christmas custom, and is supposed to have been brought to England from Italy by a travelling clergy. The first Christmas carol is attributed to St. Francis of Assisi who made a model of the Bethlehem manger to help him tell his people the Christmas story.

The idea of caroling fitted admirably into the English conception of Christmas as a combination of religious celebration

and a great home day with neighborly feeling as it grew and flourished in that country.

Little bands and groups of singers which sprang up in the towns and villages came to be known as "wakes." A natural explanation of the name seems to be that it referred to watching and waiting for Christmas Eve is called the Vigil of Christmas.

As early as December 21, which is the day dedicated to St. Thomas, mummings and carols would begin going from door to door, announcing the great feast at hand. It was natural for the mumsdancers to offer hospitality to these Christmas troubadours, and gradually in many places the custom of giving aims and presents of various kinds was established.

This benign custom threatened at one time in England to become a profession and to lose its original simple charm.

For a period beginning just when no one knows and ending in 1820, there were in London and Westminster companies of "Waits" whose leaders held office by public appointment and who obtained an exclusive right to solicit contributions from the public.

The carolers were often accompanied by entertainers who gave a spirit of revelry to the occasions. The mumsdancers interrupted the singing to give their interpretation of "St. George and the Dragon." Tumblers, dressed in bright red, would perform their arts of skill to entertain the onlookers.

## BAPTIST PROGRAM IS CHRISTMAS EVE

### Traditional Holiday Recitations By Sunday School Pupils Announced

The First Baptist Sunday school program to be given Christmas eve at 7:45 o'clock follows:

Organ prelude — Mrs. Schoberl.  
Song, O Little Town of Bethlehem congregation.  
Scripture — Luke 2: 1-14.  
Remarks and greeting — Rev. Schoberl.  
A Big Welcome — Gary Jones.  
Recitation — Sue Besanic.  
A Brief Speech — Jackie Anderson.  
An Early Greeting — Margaret Arrowood.  
On Christmas Morn — song by the junior choir.  
Ready to Quit — Ronnie Bosanich.  
The Greatest Man — Bonnie Frans.  
Little Jack Horner — Bucky Jones.  
My Gift — Timmy Schoberl.  
Because a Babe was Born — Leslie and David Henry.  
Songs by the Beginners' Department — Little Baby in the Manger and Away in the Manger.  
You'll See a star — Rae Pointner.  
A Carol in the Heart — Sandy Cummings.  
Christmas Gifts — Connie Boynton.  
Christmas Shopping — Douglas Tyrell.  
Solo by Genid Henry.  
Recitation — Cy Lemmstrand.  
All the Year — Loren Severs.  
Baby's Present — Murray Patz.  
A Short Speech — Scotty Cummings.  
A Wish — Billy Knuth.  
The Rest — Mickey Arrowood.  
We, Three Kings of Orient Are — Song by junior department.  
Our Christmas Gift — Daniel's clock in the world.

## GULLIVER CHURCH HAVING PROGRAM

### Rev. Porta Lists Sunday School Numbers At Bethany Baptist Chapel

The Sunday school classes of the Bethany Baptist church at Gulliver will present their annual Christmas program Friday evening, Dec. 23, beginning at 8 o'clock. The program follows:

Song, congregation — Hark the Herald Angels Sing.  
Prayer — Beth Porta.  
Greeting — Sharon Pawley.  
Our Program — Maurita Peterson.  
Away in the Manger — Beginner class.  
Do This — Denna Johnson.  
Christmas is a Lovely Time — Linda Petersen.  
Prayer of Gladness — Carol Jackson.  
Duet, Dear Little Stranger — Maurita and Linda Peterson.  
A Blessing — Becky Porta.  
Trimming a Christmas Tree — Mrs. Mauritz Peterson's class.  
For God so Loved the World — Denna Johnson, Sharon Pawley and Norman Leny.  
A Christmas Prayer — Jessie Rosebush.  
The Christ Child — Carol Porta.

## AGNES WATSON'S CHRISTMAS GIFT TO US

### God's Christmas Gift to Us — Walter Peterson.

I Think God — Arnold Leny.  
Why Don't We Honor Our Guest — Charles Olson.  
Announcements and Offering.  
Tidings — Sharon Bergman.  
Christmas Time is Here — Arthur Watson.  
Song Christmas Bells — Mrs. Gordon Bergman's class.  
Like Jesus — Natalie Spooner.  
Say It — William Pawley.  
Precious Moments — Ronald Olson.  
Star of Hope — Julie Seaman.  
Christmas is Here — Myrna Peterson.  
It's so I Know — Raymond Spooner.  
No Room — Kitty Rodgers and Janice Ekblad.  
Sermonette — Rev. Porta.  
Good Night to You — Ardith Nelson.  
Farewell — Leroy Ekblad.  
Presentation of gifts and candy by Incompletes.  
Closing Song, Joy to the World — congregation.  
The public is invited to attend.

## BRADLEY TO BE READY FOR CHRISTMAS

### Mr. Bradley has contracted with the year book staff to take pictures of all organizations of the school for the annual.



Our best wishes for a Merry Christmas

Our sincerest hopes for a Happy New Year

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## SENIORS MAY GET PHOTOS FOR XMAS

Seniors who have ordered their graduation pictures from Mr. Rosebush.

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Mimeograph paper, stencils, Mimeograph ink, correction fluid, etc.

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File Folders, Indexes, etc.

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Ledger sheets, post and ring binders, ledger outfits, bound ledgers and journals columnar pads.


## General Office Needs

Ink, pens and pen holders, pencils, pencil sharpeners, rubber bands, paper clips, scratch pads, etc.

# The PIONEER-TRIBUNE

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**OVER The WORLD**

From East to West... all across the world, this day is being observed as a period of blessings.

With deepest feeling, we extend ours to all of our friends and to all of our neighbors.

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**GREETINGS**

Up pops Santa brimming with cheer to help us wish you a most joyful Christmas—clock-full of all the most wonderful things!

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**Friendly Greetings**

To all our many friends, we extend the wish that this Christmas be a truly Merry one, and the coming New Year a happy one!

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Manistique, Mich.



**Greetings . . .**

—to you, our friends and patrons. It is our sincere hope that we may continue to enjoy our wonderful patronage once again during the coming New Year!

**Severs and Brolin**  
WESTSIDE  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.

# COOKIES ANDIES & CHRISTMAS

LIKE Santa's pack, your stock of holiday goodies should be plentiful and interesting. Since callers will be as much present as holly and gifts during the holidays, do your baking of cakes and cookies, so your cupboard will be ready for any who might drop in.

Home-made delicacies served during Christmas and New Year's are as heart-warming as the sound of the yule log crackling on the hearth. If you have a fruit cake, a variety of cookies and perhaps a few candies, and if you serve these with a festive beverage, you will have gone a long way in spelling holiday cheer to those who come to say "Merry Christmas" at your home.

Here is a simple type fruit cake which does not need the aging that a traditional cake requires. The recipe makes two 8x4x3 inch loaves and is the perfect answer as to what should be served during the holidays:

### Raisin Fruit Cake (Makes 2 loaves)

- 4 cups seeded raisins
- 2 tablespoons grated lemon rind
- 1 tablespoon cinnamon
- 1 tablespoon allspice
- 2 1/2 cups liquid
- 2 1/2 cups chopped nuts
- 4 cups sifted cake flour
- 5 teaspoons double acting baking powder
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1 1/2 cups sugar
- 1/2 cup butter or shortening
- 2 eggs, well beaten
- 2 teaspoons vanilla

Combine raisins, lemon rind, spices and water in a saucepan. Cover and simmer gently for eight minutes. Drain, pressing out as much liquid as possible. Measure liquid and add water or coffee to make one and one-half cups, and reserve. Grind raisins with nuts.

Sift flour once, measure and add baking powder, salt and sugar; sift three times. Cream butter thoroughly, and add flour mixture, eggs, vanilla and reserved liquid. Stir until all flour is dampened. Beat vigorously for two minutes. Add raisin-out mixture and mix thoroughly. Turn into two 8x4x3 inch loaf pans which have been greased, lined with brown paper and then greased again. Bake in a moderate (350°) oven for one hour and 15

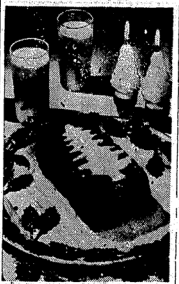
minutes, or until done. Let stand five minutes on cake rack, then remove from pans, leaving paper attached until ready to serve. Cool. Wrap in a clean cloth and store in tin container to keep moist. \*The liquid may be water or left over coffee.

Kris Kringle cookies are a tasty concoction of dates and nuts. If stored in a tightly covered container, they will keep moist for several days:

### Kris Kringle Cookies (Makes 30 balls)

- 1 cup butter, cookie crumbs
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 cup sifted all-purpose flour
- 1 cup finely chopped, pitted dates
- 1 cup black walnuts, chopped
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/4 cup confectioners' sugar

Combine cookie crumbs, salt, baking powder and flour. Add dates and nuts. Add sugar gradually to



### RAISIN FRUIT CAKE for a spicy holiday

beaten eggs. Blend in cookie crumb mixture and vanilla. Bake in a greased and floured nine-inch square pan and bake in a slow (325°) oven for 30 minutes. While still warm, cut into 30 squares. Roll each square into a ball, treading the top crusty portion inward as you roll. Place confectioners' sugar in a bag. Shake the balls in sugar to coat evenly.

## BETHEL BAPTISTS' PROGRAM SUNDAY

Annual Numbers By Sunday School Children For Christmas Listed

The Bethel Baptist Sunday school program will be given Sunday evening, Dec. 23, at 7 o'clock. The program follows: Prelude and procession. Scripture lesson and prayer - superintendent.

Song by congregation - Joy to the World. A Big Welcome - Bonnie Reber. Happiness - Daryl Carlson. Spoken From the Heart - Billy and Barbara Bosanic.

A Blessed Thought - Tommy and Sister Sheldon. Little Children - Linda Lloyd, JoAnn Ott, Anita Irie, JoAnn Carlson. Sharing - Betty Lou Hollenberg, Judy Gillingham. If I Were Big - Sandra Carlson, Barbara Powell, Doris Gonder. My Wish - Linda Nelson. His Birthday - Dwight Gilroy, Gary Walker, Johnny Davison and Guy Atkins.

Little Ladies - Joanna Schurmer and Jean Ann Larson. Songs - primary and beginners departments. A Welcome Gift - Kathleen Olson.

Christ Was Born Within a Stable - Helen Anderson, Mary Jean Soukup and Christine Blomquist. Inexpensive Gift - Janet Ott. Happy Birthday - Eva Swanson.

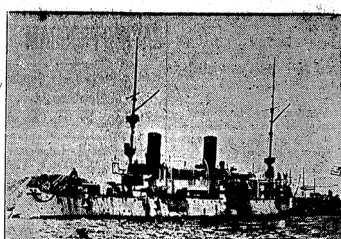
Then and Now - Pat Denny and Leonard Hill. Vocal number, Winds Through the Olive Trees - Kathleen Olson and Janet Ott.

In the Manger - Bobby Arrowood, Mike Mullen and Kay Holmberg. Birthday Gifts - Mary Archie and Gail Walker.

Why Can't We - Robert Atkins. The Greatest Gift - Jo Ann Christenson. My Sister and I - Patsy and Peggy Gauthier.

Vocal number - Donald and David Carlson. Christmas Wreath - Karen Arrowood, Shirley Gideon, Carol Holmgren, Margaret LeFleur, Diane McCall, Mary Schauer, and Carol Blomquist.

What Can I Do - Karl Blomquist, Jack Rydquist, James Taylor, and Patsy Jim Irie. It Makes No Difference - Lar-



U. S. S. OLYMPIA, DEWEY'S FLAGSHIP, STILL ACTIVE—The old gray fighter, which just 50 years ago returned in triumph from the victory of Manila Bay, lies peacefully at her slip in the Philadelphia Naval Base where she receives homage as an "eagle of the sea" that escaped plucking by the "harpies of the shore." Twenty-eight years ago she brought to the United States the body of the First World War's Unknown Soldier, and a year later was ordered to be scrapped. There was no eloquent Oliver Wendell Holmes to write another "Old Ironsides" that saved the frigate Constitution a century before, but the protests of the patriotic citizens of Olympia, Washington, forced the cancellation of the scrapping order. She's a proud ship still—just as trim and span as on that May morning in 1898 when she led Admiral George Dewey's squadron into Manila Bay. She was rated a light cruiser of 4,500 tons and was commissioned January 2, 1894, and looks young for her 55 years. The illustration is from a photograph made when she participated in the Dewey Day exercises in New York harbor September 29, 1899. Today tens of thousands annually visit the U. S. S. Olympia.

ry Blanford, Billy Carlson and Gerald Larson.

Think of Jesus - George Smith. God Bless You - Leon Blanford. Proving Her Point - Barbara Taylor.

He Must Have Loved Us - Janice Bosanic. In Honor of the Christ Child - Jacqueline and Barbara Denny.

Piano solo, Star of the East - Marlene Carlson. Our New Born King - Connie Anderson, Judy Matthews, and Barbara Atkins.

A Christmas Wish - Phillip Ott. Vocal number - Jim and Jean Ann Larson.

Christmas is a Time of Joy - Jack Gunderson and Jim Powell. The King in a Manger Bed - Donald Carlson.

Christmas Prayer - Edward Dixon, George Joslin and Paul Hill. Piano solo - Janice Bosanic. Remembering the Orphans at Christmas - junior boys and girls: James Carlson, David Carlson, Geraldine Gideon, Billy Lloyd, Joyce Atkins, Sam Joslin, Dolly Woodruff, Jimmy Larson, Judy Mullen, Edward Joslin, Kathleen Oberg, Charles Schauer, and Patsy Walker.

Christmas Carols - Edna Joslin, Vivian Gonder and Virginia Jenerou.

The Reason - Ronald Atkins. A Lot of Sharing - Douglas Arrowood.

Offertory - accordion duty: Joyce and Carl Martinson. Good the Year Round - Loren Smith.

Piano solo - Carol Swanson. Our Gifts - Gail Couture, Donna Marie Click, Rosalie Mullen and Grace Powell.

God's Lambs - Harriet Gauthier. Peeping Through a Window - Marilyn Couture and Mary Dixon. The Christmas Star's Story - A playlet: Avis Walker, Janet Hill, May Joslin, Shirley Swanson, Ruth Freeman, Ruth Beckman, and Flossie Freeman.

Vocal number, We Three Kings of the Orient Are - Larry Schurmer, Lorne Brown and Ronald Atkins. Closing number - Larry Schurmer and Lorne Brown.

Closing remarks by the pastor and distribution of gifts.

## MR. COOK EXPRESSES THANKS TO DR. FYVIE

(From the MBS Crier) Dr. Fyvie, one of the Manistique businessmen who advanced funds

at a nominal rate of interest to make possible the purchase of our stadium lights, announced recently that the interest accumulated on his loan be used for needed athletic equipment. On Coach

Viergever's suggestion and with the consent of Mr. Hall, it was decided to purchase a Cranmer First-aid Kit for the athletic teams. This kit contains nineteen different first aid materials and

fills a need which the teams have long felt. At a assembly Mr. Cook presented the kit to the school and expressed thanks on the part of the athletic body to Dr. Fyvie.

To one and all, here and everywhere, we extend our sincerest hope that the Star of Bethlehem and the idea it represents, blesses you and all of yours.

May we serve you again as we have done in the past.

THE STAMNESS STORE  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.

Once again we pause as another joy-filled Yuletide season arrives, to wish our many patrons and friends prosperity, health, contentment and peace this Christmas Day and throughout the year to follow.

**Richards Bros.**  
FARM and HOME EQUIPMENT  
MANISTIQUE MICHIGAN

Sincerely

This is more than an ordinary greeting this year. It is evidence of our gratitude to the folks who have lived before us who have made this Christmas of priceless happiness possible.

In this spirit we send our sincere good wishes for you and all those dear to you. May this Holiday time be one of joy and happiness to you and yours.

HAPPY New Year

**ISACKSON BROS.**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.

Merry Christmas

TO OUR FRIENDS

It is the friendship and thoughtfulness of our customers—our friends—that have made it possible for each of us in this organization to enjoy the Christmas spirit to its fullest extent.

So we extend these Christmas Greetings, and wish them, our appreciation of the privilege of serving you. We trust you will have a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

**Manistique Oil Company**  
Manistique Michigan



### Manistique In Former Days

**50 Years Ago**  
 These Pawley has purchased a large press and is ready to fill all jobs promptly.  
 A fellow who supplemented a visit to the dentist: Tuesday with a check was taken to the "color," the jag nerved him up for the night ordeal but he landed in jail. Mrs. John Bouquette and children returned from their visit with relatives in Sherwood, Ohio, last Friday.  
 The coal men, and Angus MacLeod who will operate the skating rink, are about the only people that would like to see cold weather.

Mr. Chas. Faulkner, engineer at Barker Cedar Co.'s camp No. 22, was a caller Wednesday and will read the Pioneer-Tribune on the coming year. Mr. Faulkner was at one time a lithographer in London.  
 An unconfirmed rumor never lives longer than 48 hours.  
 John Basanic who spent the past summer in Gladstone has returned to Manistique.  
 An Abuse that Should be Stopped  
 Whenever an alarm of fire is sounded a lot of men and boys rush to the engine house for the purpose of getting a ride on the hook and ladder truck to the fire. Last Monday when the hook and ladder truck passed this office twelve boys and one fireman constituted the load. The remainder of the fire department followed afoot. A man about the size of John Loose should be delegated to kick off all fire passengers.

**40 Years Ago**  
 Justin Petersen, who is attending Luther seminary, Decorah, Ia., is in the city and will spend the holiday vacation with his parents. Gust Lindgren will go to Hinawatha Monday where he will enter the employ of the South Side Lumber Co.  
 William Reid of Doyle township was in the city last Saturday.  
 Miss Frances Mitchell of Gladstone is spending the Christmas vacation with her father and sister in this city.  
 Mrs. A. Paulin of Nauburway who has been visiting friends in this city returned to her home on Monday.  
 Joe Casmore, a former resident of this city, now a resident of the Canadian Soo, had the misfortune to fracture one of his legs recently while at work in the steel mills of that city.  
 Miss Winifred Orr, who is attending the normal school at Ypsilanti, is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Orr.  
 Richard Cooper who has been visiting friends at Germfask returned to the city Saturday.  
 Jacob Edwards of Doyle township was in the city Wednesday.  
 He recently returned from Chicago where he spent two weeks visiting relatives.

**30 Years Ago**  
 A ten and a half pound son was born on Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lundstrom at their home on Weaton avenue. Mr. Lundstrom is proprietor of the Landstrom Chevrolet company. Mrs. Lundstrom and baby are reported to be getting along nicely.  
 Mrs. John Grimsley of Cedar street, returned to her home on Tuesday following a ten day visit with relatives in Ohio, Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia.  
 Miss Mary K. Mitchell left this week for St. Joseph, Mich., where she will spend the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends.  
 Richard Bjorkman returned Sunday night from Rapid River after attending the funeral of his father.  
 Miss Alice Lundvall, who is a teacher in the Lansing schools, is expected to arrive home Saturday to spend the holidays with relatives.  
 George Nicholson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Nicholson, is expected to arrive in the city Friday from Northfield, Minn., where he is attending Carleton college to spend the holidays with his parents.  
 Kenneth Smith and Harry Swartstrom returned Wednesday from

Chicago where they have been visiting friends and relatives for the past two weeks.  
 Miss Helen Husband is expected to arrive in the city next week from Northampton, Mass., where she is attending Smith college.  
 Miss Charlotte MacPhail, who is a teacher in the L'Anse schools, will arrive here Saturday. She will spend the holidays with her parents on Houghton avenue.  
**10 Years Ago**  
 Miss Dorothy Strahl, of Chicago, is expected to arrive this week end to spend Christmas at the home of her mother, Mrs. Anna Strahl.  
 Miss Ethel Peterson is expected to arrive Friday from Saginaw to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Edward Peterson, Saginaw avenue.  
 Miss Ada Branch arrived Saturday from Naperville, Ill., where she attends North Central college. She will spend the Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Branch. Robert Branch, who is a student at Wheaton college, Wheaton, Ill., arrived Thursday for the holidays.  
 Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Belanger, of L'Anse, will be holiday guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Trooper and Mrs. Charles Belanger.  
 Theron Southard is arriving on Saturday from Detroit to spend the holidays with Mrs. Southard and their daughter, Sandra.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cool expect to spend Christmas with relatives in Covington, Mich.

Miss Margaret Fagan is arriving Saturday from Ann Arbor to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Fagan, Oak street.  
 Dr. and Mrs. James H. Fyvie are leaving Saturday for Grand Lodge to spend Christmas with Mrs. Fyvie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Leon Case.  
 Miss Jeanette Harrington has arrived from Houghton where she attends the Michigan College of Mining and Technology, to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Harrington.

### CENTRAL SCHOOL PROGRAM LISTED

#### Children In All Grades Participating In Annual Yule Presentation

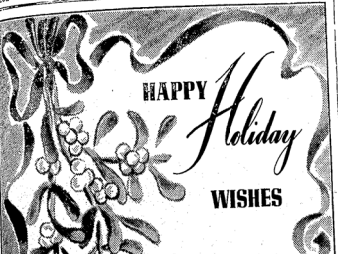
The Central school Christmas program, presented Thursday afternoon, was as follows:  
 First and second grades, Miss Carrington, teacher—  
 Christmas Balls, Stars, Jingle-Jingle—entire first and second grades.  
 Christmas—Hedie, Jimmie, Wayne, Madeline, Jane, Perrine, Sandra, Ronnie and Peggy.  
 Little Toy Train—Patsy, Myrna, Linda, Carol, George, Phillip, Ronald, Marjonne, Helen, Greg, Robert, Ricky, Gerry, Joan, John, Sandra, Linda, Beverly, Sherwood, Lorraine, Michael, Joann, Connie, and Michal.  
 Third and fourth grades, Mrs. Mueller, teacher—  
 Announcer—Sharon Sleeper.  
 We Welcome You—Janice Gauthier.  
 Song, Santa Claus in Town—3rd and 4th graders.  
 A List of Good Wishes—Gene Brockman.  
 Santa's Surprise—Joan Creighton.  
 My Feet—Mary Jean Swanson.  
 The Best of Good Wishes—Jan LeDuc.  
 Song, Heigh Ho! For Christmas—3rd and 4th grade boys.  
 Christmas Wish—John Williams.  
 Too Much To Do—Janet Olson.  
 Let's Help Santa Out—Albert Ackerman.  
 Pinnosolo, A White Christmas—Joan Creighton.  
 A Longer Christmas—John Safran and Daniel Schober.  
 Exercise, Their Wishes—Judy Slining, Judy Mullen, Judy Carney, John Peterson, Ila Carney, Roger Dybevik, Chucky Zaborck, Catherine Eronich, Junior Harris, Song, Winter Wonderland—3rd and 4th graders.  
 A Present For Mother—Chucky Fish.  
 A Christmas Thought—Mary MacLean.

Our Christmas Wish—Gordon Vertz.  
 Fifth and Sixth Grades, Mrs. Edwards, teacher—  
 I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas—5th and 6th grades.  
 What Makes Christmas—Donald Gauthier, Janet Carney, John Miller, Ronald Sheldon and Kathryn Gauthier.  
 Joy to the World—5th and 6th grades.  
 Giving—Sally Creighton.  
 The Richest Gift—Ann Girvin.  
 We Three Kings—5th and 6th graders.  
 Santa Claus—Arla Anderson and Dennis Boyd.  
 Here Comes Santa Claus—5th and 6th grades.  
 Christmas Boxes—Mary Harries, Sally Wilson.  
 Play, The Spirit of Christmas—Mr. Marsh, Larry Larson, Bob, Jack Swartstrom, Saver Boxes, Wayne Paradise, Woody Taylor, Glenda Repp, Barbara Wilson, Rosalie Mullen, Ernest Vertz, Marjorie Generoux.  
 Where Christmas Dwells—5th and 6th grades.

### FORMER RESIDENT IS HEART VICTIM

**Roland Follo, 48, Dies in Castle Rock, Wash.; Funeral Held Here**

Funeral services were held at the Morton funeral home Wednesday afternoon for Roland Follo, 48, a former Manistique resident, who died Dec. 14 in Castle Rock, Wash., following a heart attack.  
 He was born in Rapid River on July 26, 1901 and moved to Manistique when he was a child. He graduated from Manistique high school with the class of 1921 and went to Portland, Oregon, where he attended the North Pacific College of Pharmacy.  
 He was a member of the Baptist church.  
 Survivors are his widow, his mother, Mrs. Thea Follo, and a sister, Miss Dorothy Follo, of Rochester, Minn.  
 The Rev. W. H. Schober conducted the funeral services here and burial was in Lakeview cemetery.



**HAPPY Holiday WISHES**

We feel genuinely pleased and privileged to extend sincere Holiday greetings to our many friends. In the spirit of appreciation for the confidence you have shown in us, we wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

**VAN DYCK'S SUPER MARKET**  
 Manistique, Mich.

**Hearty Greetings**

The Christmas bells resound with lively jubilation carrying the tidings of the Season to everyone, everywhere! May they bring you a message of joy and good cheer!

**CLIFF'S MARKET**  
 Manistique, Mich.



**A Merry Christmas**

The merry twinkle in Santa's eye conveys the spirit of our wish that Christmas Day be a happy one for all!


**LAKESIDE GROCERY**  
 MANISTIQUE, MICH.

**Christmas Wishes**

May your Christmas be as A doorway to good cheer, Through which you will pass To a Happy New Year!

**Crosby Service Station AND HOTEL**

**Merry Christmas**



Here are our three Yuletide wishes . . . may they all come true for you!

**GOOD HEALTH! GOOD CHEER! GOOD FORTUNE!**

**Barnes Hotel**  
 —AND COCKTAIL BAR—  
 Manistique, Mich.

**SEASON'S GREETINGS**

When Christmas comes, with all its joy and beauty it is a pleasure to express our whole-hearted greetings!

It is in this spirit that we extend our sincere wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to our many friends . . .

**HENRY JAHN and SON**  
 MANISTIQUE, MICH.

**Christmas**

With the approach of the Yuletide Season, our thoughts turn to those whose friendship we cherish so much, May your every wish be fulfilled this Christmas, and may your New Year be healthful and happy.

**A. S. PUTNAM & CO. STORES**  
 EASTSIDE WESTSIDE  
 MANISTIQUE, MICH.

**Greetings for Christmas**

May this Christmas-tide possess scores of wonderful surprises and pleasures for you to enjoy and remember!

**SIDDALL DRUG STORE**  
 Manistique, Mich.

**Merry Christmas**

**WEHNER WOOD PRODUCTS**  
 MANISTIQUE, MICH.



# GREETINGS

With the realization that each passing year brings a fuller appreciation of old friends and pleasant associations, we extend to you our sincerest wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## PEOPLES STORE COMPANY

ASSOCIATED with JOHN W. THOMAS CO., of MINNEAPOLIS

### Traditional Church Services Planned For Christmas

Wednesday: College Youth Supper.  
Thursday: Sr. High Westminster Fellowship.

St. Francis de Sales Church  
Sunday masses 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 (High Mass) a. m. Daily Mass

7:00 and 8:00. Confessions Saturday, 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. 7:30 to 9:00 p. m. Societies, Knights of Columbus, second and fourth Monday, Catholic Order of Foresters, second and fourth Tuesday.

### Marquette Social Worker Visits In Manistique Monday

Howard Lamb, psychiatric so-

cial worker at the Upper Peninsula Children's Guidance Center in Marquette, was in Manistique on Monday of last week to confer with the Manistique Ministerial association, to speak at the Manistique Rotary club and to confer with social workers and school authorities on an institute for teachers and others interested in children's problems.

Lamb's visit here marks the start of an accelerated program to provide increased assistance to the schoolcraft county children through the Children's Center,

which is making a valuable contribution in the field of mental hygiene.

### Pennies Only Loot From Oil Company

There was another breaking and entering Saturday night, but the loot was only a few pennies. Sgt. Kenneth White reported that the Manistique Oil company on Deer street was broken into, the would-be thieves entering the company's office by a rear window. Police are investigating.

## Personal Property Reports Required Under State Law; Forms Will Be Mailed Soon

Special forms for industrial, business and professional men to file their statements of personal property will be mailed after Christmas by John B. Neuman, city assessor, in compliance with the amended laws of the State of Michigan.

State law makes it mandatory that these statements be returned to the city assessor, and the date of January 20, 1950, is designated as the deadline here.

The advanced date is in line with the new January 1 personal property tax deadline in Michigan.

The following kinds of property are to be computed by the owners, and the cost and value as determined by the taxpayers are also to be computed:

1. Inventories. 2. All goods, wares and merchandise held on consignment. 3. Furniture and fixtures. 4. Machinery and equipment. 5. All tools, dies, jigs and patterns. 6. All leased equipment (upon which the taxpayer is liable for assessment) 8. All buildings situated on leased land. 10. And other taxable personalty.

The statements are to be notarized. In previous years, Michigan law gave authority for municipalities to tax on personal property, and the procedure was followed in Manistique, although in many instances the statements of personal property were not returned by the taxpayers. The amended laws now specify that every owner of property liable to taxation who is a resident of Michigan shall make out and deliver to the assessor a sworn statement on all the property owned.

Because household furniture, provisions and fuel are exempt to the value of \$3,000 under the general property tax, the statements of personal property will not be sent on a city-wide basis in Manistique to cover these items.

### Unusual Occurs In Dartball Round

The unusual happened this week in the final dartball standings of the first round in the league. As of Dec. 17, there was a tie between the K. of C. and Methodist for first place. Each had 13 and 5 standing. On Monday night the Lutherns No. 2 team, which was in the cellar position, took the Methodists, two out of three games. On Tuesday night, the Episcopal team, which was also in the bottom of the league, won three games from the K. of C. The Methodist team figured they were out of the race after losing two on Monday night.

Final standings for the first round is as follows:

	W	L
Methodist	14	7
Lutherns No. 2	13	8
Bethel	13	8
K. of C.	13	8

Presbyterian	9	12
First Baptist	9	12
Episcopal	7	14
Luthern No. 1	6	15

### Have You Seen This Boy?



Richard (Dick) Perry has been missing from his home at Mason, Michigan, since November 30. His heart-broken parents believe he may be in the Upper Peninsula.

Dick is a big boy for his age. He stands six feet and weighs 155. He has light hair and blue eyes. He usually wears glasses. When tired he walks with a slight limp, the result of an automobile accident. When he left home he wore a red hunting jacket, a brown stocking cap, blue overalls and brown combat boots. He carried a black traveling bag.

The boy left home because of trouble at school. There is no charge of any kind against him. He just suddenly left home and kept on going.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuel Perry, Mason, Route 2, ask that anyone who has seen a youth answering this description communicate with them by letter or telephone.

### Buy . . Sell . . Trade HOUSES, FARMS, RESORTS and HUNTING PROPERTY

See **Herbert K. Peterson** REAL ESTATE First National Bank Bldg. PHONE 276-J Manistique, Michigan

### CROWE INSURANCE AGENCY ESTABLISHED 1899

W. S. Crowe, S. O. Crowe, J. W. Kelly, O. A. Walstad  
Phone No. 6 111 Lake Street Manistique, Mich.

## FRED DANIELS, OF COOKS, STRICKEN

### Funeral Services Saturday Afternoon For Resident Of County 65 Years

Fred Daniels, 74, a resident of Cooks for 65 years, passed away at 2:30 Wednesday at Cloverland Lodge, where he had been a patient for the past eight weeks.

Mr. Daniels was born Sept. 1, 1875, in Fond du Lac, Wis., and moved to Cooks with his parents in 1885. He had resided on the family farm there continuously she spent several weeks with her since that time until he became ill non-in-law and daughter.

two months ago. Mrs. Daniels, and their child died many years ago. Survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Larry Bunnick and Mrs. Emma LaFreniere, of Manistique, and brother, Joseph Daniels, of Crystal Falls.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Morton funeral home, the Rev. Paul Sobel officiating. Burial will be in the Cooks cemetery.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Morton funeral home, the Rev. Archie Mayo, William Mero, Albert Prudent, Noah Pelotia and William A. Notman.

Mrs. Charles Nelson has returned from Hollywood, Calif., where she spent several weeks with her family farm there continuously she spent several weeks with her since that time until he became ill non-in-law and daughter.

# Greetings

... and sincere good wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year ...

**NELSON'S CLOVERLAND CREAMERY**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.



Like your Christmas stocking — our wishes for you contain nothing but happiness. May this be a merry, merry Yuletide and the happiest New Year for you and every member of your family!

**BARNEY'S GROCERY**

May the spirit of the Season light your way with its eternal good cheer.



**COOK'S TEXACO SERVICE**  
GULLIVER, MICH.

### BRUNSWICK GIFT CERTIFICATES

GOOD for bowling balls, bags and shoes, are Available

Give the Bowler a gift he will really appreciate.

### BRAULT BOWLING ALLEYS

## NOTICE To Bidders

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Schoolcraft County Road Commission, Manistique, Michigan, until 4:00 P. M., E. S. T., January 10, 1950, for the sale of the following equipment:

One—1930 Northwest Shovel, 1/2 yard, Serial No. 3116, Model 2, in working condition.

One—30 foot standard Crane Boom for the machine mentioned above.

One—Owen, 3/8 yard, Clam Bucket.

Bids will be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked on outside "Shovel Bid". Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

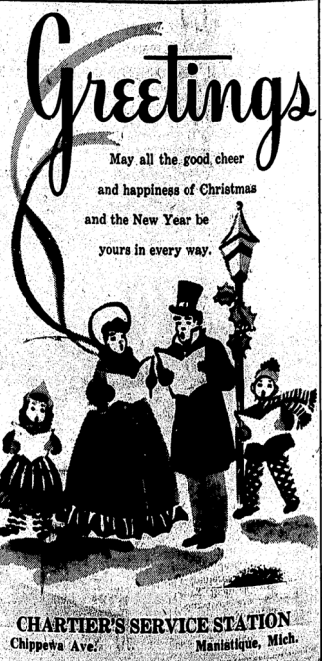
**Schoolcraft County Road Commission**  
By—Henry Orschel, chairman



**FLEMING SMITH BOTTLING COMPANY**  
2500 Ludington Avenue Escanaba, Mich.  
Tel. Tri-County 2-5690 Berrien, Delta, County



**Paul Bunyan Cook Camp**  
GEORGE and VERA KERR  
Manistique, Michigan



**CHARTIER'S SERVICE STATION**  
Chippewa Ave. Manistique, Mich.

## Green School Primary Pupils Give Program

The primary pupils of the Green school, under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. Osterhout, gave their annual Christmas program Monday afternoon.

The program follows: Barbara Freeland, Barbara Freeland, Junita Massy, Patsy Snyder, Sharon Tennyson.

When Santa Comes to Town — recited by entire room.

Christmas Boxes — Recitations

by William LaCroix, Frank Wilcox, Paul Coger and Kenneth Tennyson.

In Bethlehem — Recitations by Michael Musselman, Lucille Wilcox, June Lee, Rosalie Wagner, Penny Hietel, Charles LaRose, Richard Coger, Billy Goodreau, James Freeland, DeWayne LaCroix and Dorothy LeGuire.

The Christmas Tree — Recitations by Larry Snyder, Charles Kerridge, Herbert Bowers and Douglas LaCroix.

Dolly's Lullaby — solo by Barbara Freeland.

A Note to Santa — playlet by Connie Hietel, Edward Price, Douglas LaCroix and room.

Wind in the Olive Trees — sung by the room.

A Treat for Santa Claus — play by some second grade pupils, Beverly Beveridge, Carolyn LaRose, Charlotte Konte, Edward LaRose, John Konte and Franklin Bowers.

Happy New Year — song by the room.

The junior room of the Green school had its annual Christmas

program Monday afternoon. The following program, directed by the teacher, Georgia Hietel, was presented:

A Hourly Welcome — Richard Colegrove.

Songs, Up on the House Top and Here Comes Santa Claus — all.

Christmas Signs, an exercise — Patricia Massey, Doris Lupton, Lois Lee, Shirley Willour, James LaLonde, Wayne Shaffer, Jack LaRose, Patricia Potter, Edna Diller.

Sympathy for Santa — Deanna Kerridge.

What Will Santa Do — James

Blanchard.

The Paines, an exercise — Sheila Roland, Ruby Lou LaLonde, Linda Swayner, Trudence Anderson.

When Dad Trims the Tree — Joyce Anderson.

The Chimes of Xmas Eve — Choral reading, Jack LaRose, David LaRose, Leon Beveridge, Trudence Anderson, Della Wilcox, Joyce Anderson, Patricia Potter, Edna Diller.

Songs, Holiday Bells and Jingle Bells — a group of 14 singers.

Santa Claus and the Mouse — Leon Beveridge.

The Christmas Tie — Shirley Wilcox.

The Best Present — John Shaffer.

Sixteen Stockings, play — Yvonne Freeland, Billy Price, Mildred Colegrove, LaVene Hamill, Douglas Price.

## Senior Room At Green School Has Program Tuesday

The senior room of the Green School, under the direction of Mrs. Kathryn Beal, teacher, gave its annual Yule program on Tuesday evening at the school.

The program follows:

Choral Reading — sixth grade girls.

Girls' Chorus—Deck the Halls and I Heard the Bells.

Dialogue: Christmas Presents — Clarence Colegrove and Robert Funk.

Christmas Days of Long Ago — Pat Bowers, La Donna Beveridge, Alice Colegrove, James Massey and Alice Sultz.

Play: A Christmas Mix-up — Leslie Beveridge, Loreta Swayner, Patricia Duquette and Oran Freeland.

Recitation—Charlene Kerridge, Shigh Bells — David Vanatta, Richard Lupton and William Blanchard.

Christmas—Alice Sultz.

A Christmas Pageant—

Shepherds — Donald Swayner, Gary Kerridge and Lewis Massey.

Wise Men — Leslie Beveridge, James Massey and Richard Konte.

Angel—Patricia Duquette.

The Madonna—Loreta Swayner.

King Herod—Pat Bowers.

Attendants — David Vanatta, Richard Lupton.

Herod—Oran Freeland.

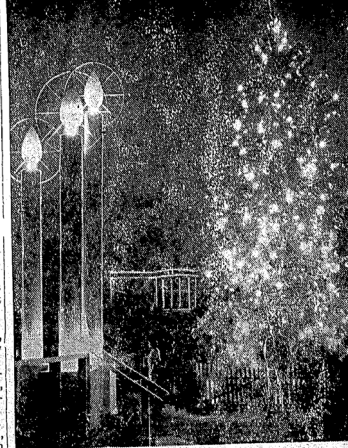
Chorus — LaDonna Beveridge, Patsy Roland, Alice Sultz, Gail Willour, Alice Colegrove, Charlene Kerridge, Doreen LaCroix, Dorothy Bowers, Carol Swayner, Shirley Hamill.

Solo Parts—Gail Willour, Faye Roland.

Announcer—William Blanchard.

In charge of stage properties—Donald Swayner, Clarence Colegrove, Robert Funk.

Legend relates that the crown of thorns which was placed on the head of Jesus was made of holly and that before the crucifixion the berries were white, but turned crimson like drops of blood.



**PRESIDENTIAL CHRISTMAS TREE . . .** This was the annual community Christmas tree in Washington, D. C., as it blazed with light last year. President Truman, at his home in Independence, Mo., pushed a button to turn on this holiday brilliance by remote control. The White House shows dimly in the background, framed by the tree and huge Christmas candles.

## Zion Brotherhood Holds Christmas Party Tuesday

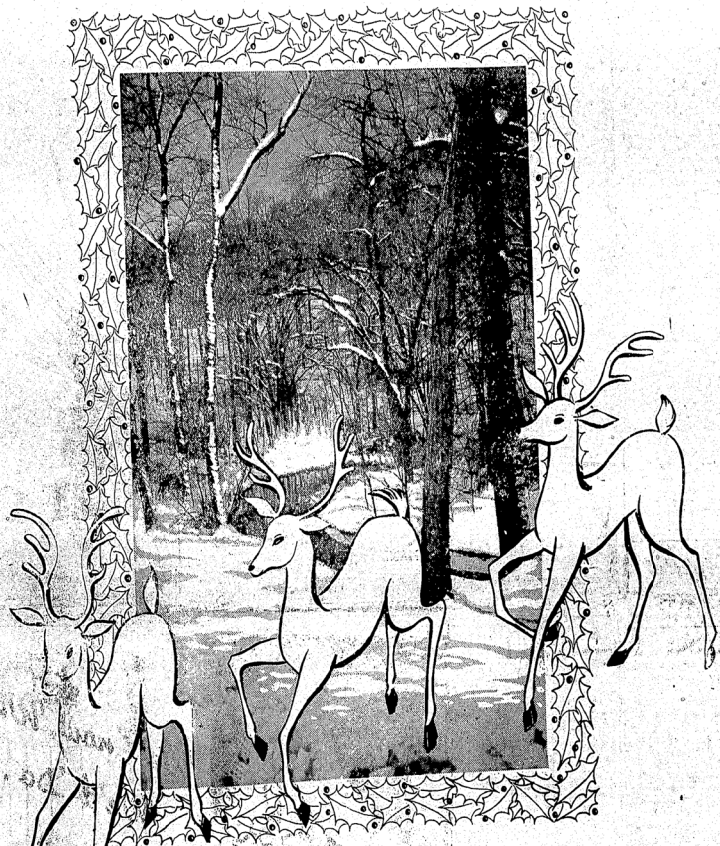
The men of the Lutheran Brotherhood, with their wives as guests, held their annual Christmas party at Zion Lutheran church Tuesday evening of last week.

Christmas hymns were sung under the direction of C. J. Jansen and John B. Nessman. C. J. Jansen, vice president, who presided at the party, gave a series of Bible readings pertaining to the prophecies of the birth of the Christ as well as their fulfillment and application. Rev. G. A. Herbner, the pastor, spoke on "By-Products of Christmas". Clarence W. Peterson, the new president

of the organization, announced the programs of the Brotherhood for every month in 1950, and later presents were exchanged from under the Christmas tree during the course of the evening. A pot luck luncheon was served at the closing feature of the party with John B. Nessman as chef.

## "Eyes" For the Blind

The blind and near-blind may soon be able to read without the aid of Braille, which has been mastered by only about one-fifth of the nation's 250,000 sightless persons, the Better Vision Institute reports. Three new reading aids have been developed, one depending on the sense of sound, one on touch, and one on vision—the latter for the partly-blind.



# Merry Christmas


To you—our patrons and neighbors—we wish all of the good cheer and friendly spirit of the coming Yuletide season.

May the New Year be one of success in all of your endeavors as well as a year of health and happiness for you and yours.

And along with our sincerest wishes for the well-being of our friends—we offer a prayer that the future be one of prosperity and enduring peace.



**Manistique Light and Power Company**  
 "DO IT ELECTRICALLY"  
 PHONE 33



*We Know What We'd Do . . .*

## IF WE WERE SANTA

We know exactly what we would do if we had the opportunity of making old Santa's "run" this Christmas. First, we'd see to it that every one in this community received all the nice things so richly deserved as a reward for their loyal patronage and genuine friendships.

Then, we'd find a way to make it clear to all the people around here that the sentiment expressed in this Christmas message is from the bottom of our hearts.

We know there are no finer people anywhere than those whom it is our privilege to serve. Many times this has been proven to us and we are certain that when Santa's sack is emptied, a large share of its contents will have been left with the people here.

Since we can't take Santa Claus' place, please accept these good wishes in the spirit in which they are meant, with kindest thoughts of our friends: Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

**FARMERS IMPLEMENT CO.**  
 RICHARD J. RORICK  
 162 River Street  
 STUDEBAKER—JOHN DEERE SALES and SERVICE

RAYMOND A. KNAUF  
 Manistique, Michigan

**Today, As In  
The Day When  
Three Wise Men  
Found Him . . .**

. . . LET US EXPRESS OUR HOPES FOR THE FUTURE THROUGH PRAYER. AS WE KNEEL IN HOMAGE ON THIS HOLY DAY, LET US PRAY FOR PEACE ON EARTH. AND LET US DETERMINE TO ENACT THOSE IDEALS, IN THE MONTHS AND YEARS TO COME, WHICH WILL HELP IN MAKING OUR PRAYERS A REALITY. A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL.

**NORTHWOODS MANUFACTURING COMPANY**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.

*Time Not Constant  
In the Celebrations  
Of Christ's Nativity*

While December is now the month in which Christ's birthday is celebrated by Christians all over the world, research and study show that Christ's nativity has been celebrated in January, March, April, May, September and October by various peoples.

And although few people know it, it was for the purpose of substituting a Christian festival for pagan ones of Romans and Druids that celebrations of Christmas in December were popularized.

No historian pretends to fix the actual date of Christ's birth or the date at which Christmas became a general festival.

About all that is known is that during the fourth century the feast of the Nativity was observed in all western world churches at different dates.

The confusion resulting from celebrations in seven months of the year caused the western church authorities to meet in 340 to set a definite date for the celebration. The eastern churches did not cooperate until the sixth century when December 25 was set as the day to be observed.

The question has arisen innumerable times as to why December was selected as the month for rejoicing. The answer is that this month was chosen in order that a Christian festival could compete with those of the pagans, because December was noted for its feasts and holidays in nearly every civilized land.

Greeks, Romans, Saxons and Scandinavians all took part in the celebration of these festivals which had originated before the birth of Christ.

From the Saxons came the ceremony of burning the Yule log. The Saxons burned great bonfires in honor of their god Thor. From the Romans came the giving of presents, for this custom has been traced to the Roman Saturnalia.

It may seem strange to claim that the pagan riotousness might be the forbear of the Christian holiday of goodness and love, but intermingled with that which was objectionable, were things that have gone straight to the hearts of people throughout the Christian world.

*Santa Affected  
By Restrictions*

It's difficult to understand, but the genial spirit of Christmas, Santa Claus himself, hasn't always had it easy. There have been occasions when laws or traditions or regulations have put certain curbs on the old gentleman. Here are some examples:

In Newark, N. J., Santa is required to pass a stiff physical examination before he can serve in a department store. And even then he is barred from kissing any of the children who perch upon his knee.

In Charleston, S. C., charity Santas have been forbidden to make a pitch on public streets on the grounds that children flocking in to see them may create a traffic



hazard. And in Washington a few years ago, when the postmaster general was asked to permit a Santa Claus stamp at Christmas time he rejected the proposal with a scornful, "I should say not!"

Outside the U.S.A., Santa has had trouble, too. In Montreal, Canada, an influential organization fought against holding of the city's annual Santa Claus parade on the ground that it was "merely a display of grotesque and vulgar buffoonery." A prominent journalist in Rio de Janeiro fostered a movement to do away with Santa Claus (Papa Noel) in Brazil and substitute a toy-bearing grandfather Indian. In Mexico City the minister of education recommended that the Aztec god Quetzacoatl, instead of St. Nick, should bring gifts to children.

In the field of opinion, Santa has encountered some detractors. A Prof. Ivan E. McWhorter, sociologist at Goucher college, Baltimore, declared: "The Santa Claus myth has lived too long. Parents should substitute philosophy"—whatever that is.

A Toronto psychiatrist got in his blast: "It should be made clear to children," he said, "that Santa Claus is not necessarily a real man any more than any other character out of a story book."

**CONFIDENCE** *Is the Word*

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**A** KIN TO FAITH, it is essential in the ordinary scheme of life. The management and personnel of this organization realize that we exist and progress only because of the confidence of our customers and we have grown in proportion to their patronage inspired by faith in dependable service.

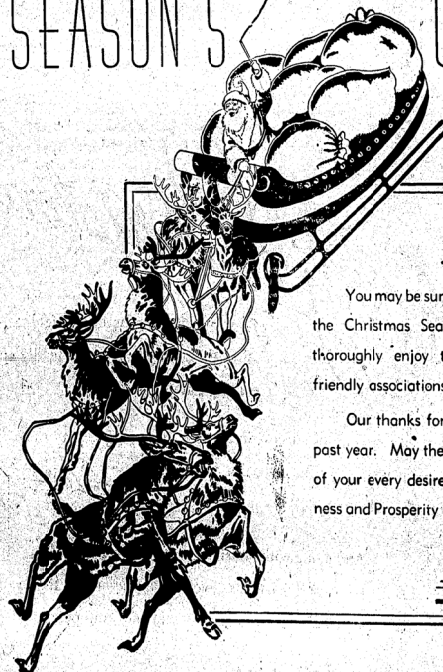
As we turn again to the Holiday Season, Christmas and the New Year, we pledge our efforts to a continuance of the better ways of doing business. Nearing the close of another year, we wish to express our appreciation for all the fine things our customers have done for us, and for the confidence they have bestowed on our organization.

*the Season's Best to All!*

**LUNDSTROM CHEVROLET CO.**

AND EMPLOYEES  
MANISTIQUE MICHIGAN

*It's a Pleasant Custom to Send*  
**SEASON'S GREETINGS**



You may be sure we extend our Greetings of the Christmas Season in all sincerity. We thoroughly enjoy this occasion of renewing friendly associations.

Our thanks for your patronage during the past year. May the New Year bring fulfillment of your every desire, as well as Health, Happiness and Prosperity

**THE LIBERTY CAFE**

BABLADELIS BROS., Prop.  
MANISTIQUE MICHIGAN

To each of you who, by your liberal patronage and fine friendship, have had an important part in the progress of this organization, we wish to say,

*"Merry Christmas."*

In the spirit of warm appreciation for this liberal patronage, we wish for you a Christmas and New Year that will be the best you have ever had.



**Crawford and Holland**  
BUICK-PONTIAC SALES and SERVICE  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.



# Greetings

The Christmas Season is with us again and we wish to take the opportunity it offers us to greet our many friends, and convey to them our sincere message of "Merry Christmas—Happy New Year!"

**HEWETT GROCERY COMPANY**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.



## Best Wishes for Christmas

As all hearts echo and re-echo the joyous words "Merry Christmas", we wish to join in the spirit of the season and add our greetings to all the rest. And may the New Year bring you every happiness, too!

**BROMAN**  
Tire and Battery Service  
Goodyear Tires—Texaco Gas and Oils  
Manistique, Mich.



END OF THE RAINBOW . . . The rainbow of at least one human desire had fulfillment at the end herself face to face with the doll of her dreams—and it was the very one she wanted for Christmas.

**Russian People Are Also Able to Say "Merry Christmas"**

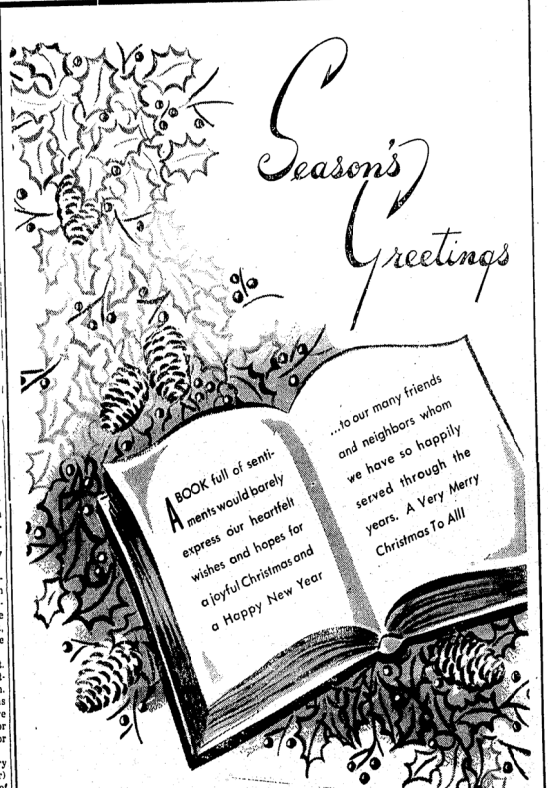
"S Rodestvom Khristovym." That's what a Russian would say to you if you were in Russia on Christmas day and he wished to extend the season's greetings.

The phrase is the Russian's way of saying: "Merry Christmas."

In the past, the Russian's Christmas was closely associated with his church; but how the day is observed now that the religious life has been subjugated in the Soviet one would have to be behind the "iron curtain" to know.

But it was not always like that. In other days, the Russian's Christmas was much like the Ukrainian. There was a Santa Claus known as "Dedushka Moroz" and there were traditional gifts of red boots for children and golden slippers for young girls.

In certain parts of the country the "baboushka" (grandmother) was the legendary dispenser of gifts. According to one story, she repented of unkindness and ever since has tried to make amends by distributing gifts to children at Christmas.



# Season's Greetings


...to our many friends and neighbors whom we have so happily served through the years. A Very Merry Christmas To All!

A BOOK full of sentiments would barely express our heartfelt wishes and hopes for a joyful Christmas and a Happy New Year

**MAYTAG**  
Sales and Service

The ideal Christmas tree is the fir, because of its tendency to hold its needles longer.

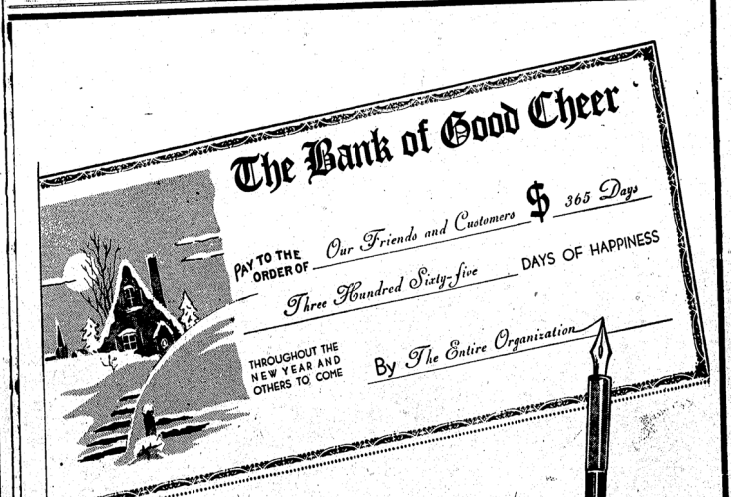
A final step in trimming the Christmas tree is frosting it with fluffy snow. A simple and popular form of snow is ordinary soap flakes.



# Season's Greetings

And to you—our friends—we make a toast for happiness and well-being during the coming holiday season. With the deep-felt wish that this may be the merriest, cheeriest Christmas of them all! And that the coming fifty-two weeks of the New Year give you and yours health, joy and prosperity.

**City Lumber and Supply Co.**  
Manistique, Michigan



## The Bank of Good Cheer

PAY TO THE ORDER OF *Our Friends and Customers* \$ *365 Days*

*Three Hundred Sixty-five* DAYS OF HAPPINESS

THROUGHOUT THE NEW YEAR AND OTHERS TO COME By *The Entire Organization*

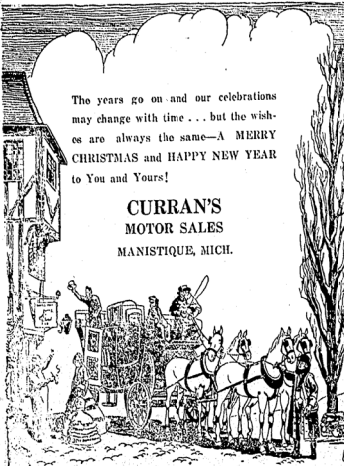
### CHRISTMAS VOUCHER

This check is part payment of our appreciation for your goodwill which has contributed so materially to our progress during the past year.

**The First National Bank**  
MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM and FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORP.

The years go on and our celebrations may change with time . . . but the wishes are always the same—A MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR to You and Yours!

**CURRAN'S MOTOR SALES**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.



*To all a very Merry Christmas*

May your Christmas be merry and its joy and happiness spread throughout the glad New Year!

**Hoholik's Dairy**  
MANISTIQUE, MICHIGAN



**Causes of Slow Milking Determined by Economists**

Poorly trained cows were found to be the chief cause of slow milking in a survey of typical New York dairy farms by agricultural economists at Cornell. Another reason is failure of the operator to remove the machine when milking is complete.

Records were taken on 22 farms with herds ranging in size from 11 to 38 cows. Machines were used to milk 87 per cent of the cows.

Light was shed on how much time it takes various farmers to do the milking. The range was 3.35 to 8.50 minutes per cow, and the average a little more than 6 minutes.

The average time to milk a cow by hand was about 6.50 minutes. Part of the cows were milked by hand on all but five farms, according to R. G. Murphy of the Cornell staff.

The specialists were particularly interested in why machines were left on cows more than 7 minutes. Prolonged machine stripping was found to be one of the main reasons. In some instances the milking was complete but the operator had not removed the machine. Stripping the cow by hand was the most common job interfering with the removal of the machine.

Shorter milking time for many cows could be attained, the economists concluded, by reducing the machine-stripping time and eliminating or reducing the amount of hand-stripping.

**PLAY IT SAFE**  
**Don't Mix Gaiety With Danger When Celebrating Christmas**

While Christmas is the merriest of all seasons of the year it can also be a time of tragedy if certain hazards aren't avoided and some particular precautions taken.

The National Safety Council annually points out that the Christmas holidays are the most dangerous of the year, usually replete with casualties, home accidents, fires and falls.

The council has listed the following "don'ts" and precautions which if remembered will help make this Christmas season a safe one:

**Don't place Christmas tree** in the kitchen. The tree should be placed near a stove or fireplace. The tree should be decorated with lights and candles. Carefully-wired electric bulbs are definitely a much safer.

**Don't leave a lighted tree unguarded** at any time. One should be on the lookout for fire all the time the tree is lighted. Especially dangerous is the practice of some families in leaving the Christmas tree lighted and unwatched all night long.

**One should never use a** rick-

ety, unsafe ladder in decorating the tree.

**Don't place Christmas candles** near the tree, curtains, paper wreaths or any other inflammable decorations.

**Remember, the Christmas tree** can be made fire-resistant. According to the United States forestry service, it can be done in this manner: Divide the weight of your tree by four and buy that many pounds of ammonium sulphate. Dissolve it in water—one and one-half pints of water to each pound of ammonium sulphate. Cut the end of your tree trunk on a diagonal. Put some of the solution in a jar and stick the diagonal butt of the tree into it. Add more solution as the tree drinks it up.

**Don't be excessive about Christmas "spirits."** Keep toys out of places where people might trip over them.

**Remove the tree from the house** before it dries out.

**During Christmas** you'll probably have many guests, so sprinckle sand on icy steps and sidewalks.

**Female Fawn Had Long Trek Before Hunter Shot Her**

One upper peninsula female fawn, tagged and released near Munising in March, 1945, really got around until it was found probably shot by some trigger-happy hunter during the general buck season.

Released at the conservation department's Cusino wildlife station, the fawn was picked up about 17 miles east of the station close to the village of Searcy. Department deer specialist, I. H. Bartlett, says Michigan whitetails usually will travel a distance of not more than six miles, although there is record of a tagged Cusino deer being found as much as 25 miles away from the releasing station.

**5 Brownie Scouts Now Intermediate Scouts**

Five Brownie Scouts from the Lakeside Troop were advanced to Intermediate Scouting at a "Fly-up" ceremony on Monday of last week at Lakeside school at a joint meeting of Lakeside and Central Brownie and Intermediate troops.

They are Mary Jean MacLean and Janet Olson, who have joined the Central Intermediates, of which Mrs. Edwin Crook, and Mrs. John Hanson are leaders; and Roberta Johnson, Joyce Fiegel and Lorna Richards, members of the Lakeside Intermediates troop, under the direction of Mrs. Omer Dybek, and Mrs. Glen Pawley.

Grant of their advancement to Scouts, were presented to the Brownies by their leaders, Mrs. Thor Reue and Mrs. Renald Anderson.

**ANCHOR ICE CAUSE OF MILL SHUTDOWN**

**Coated in Cold Snap**  
**Water Wheels, Grates**  
**Causing 14-Hour Stoppage**

Cold weather gave the Manistique Pulp and Paper company its perennial problem of anchor ice, causing a 14-hour shutdown from 10 p. m. Monday to Tuesday noon.

Each year, with the onset of freezing weather, ice forming on itself to grates, water wheels and hydro-generating devices, resulting in temporary power stoppages. The use of steam and scrapers to combat it is not entirely effective and there is usually a several-hour period when the mill cannot operate. With the onset of anchor ice the river's surface, however, the anchor ice globules find their own affinity, and the trouble is remedied—usually for the entire winter season.

G. Hentschell company manager, said this week that momentary power outages at the mill caused by an early-morning switch to Edison-500 lines will be corrected as soon as possible.

The first Christmas card was designed in 1845.

Pointillists which have come to be "mash" for Christmas decorations owe their name and popularity to an early American diplomat, botanist and scholar—Joel Roberts Poineitt.

1945. Present, Honorable Ralph H. Merwin, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edna Tucker, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be appointed, and that a time and place should be appointed, examining and adjudge all claims and demands against said estate, and that the heir of said deceased entitled to inherit the estate of which said deceased died intestate should be judicially and determined.

It is Ordered, That all of creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath as provided by statute, to said Court Probate Office, at Ten o'clock a copy thereof either by registered mail or by personal service upon Edith Thomas Peterson, at her residence at 1716 Washington or before the 17th day of January A. D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time of the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said estate, and for the adjustment and determination of the heir at law of said deceased, and notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week for three consecutive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Manistique Pioneer Tribune, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

(Seal) Ralph H. Merwin, Judge of Probate.  
Lydia L. Strom, Registrar of Probate.  
Johnson & Johnson, Attys. for Administratrix.  
First National Bldg.  
Manistique, Michigan  
(St. Dec. 15-22-29pd.)

**APPOINT ADMINISTRATOR**  
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Schoolcraft.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Manistique in said County, on the 12th day of December A. D. 1945.

Present, Hon. Ralph H. Merwin, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna Hruska, Deceased.

Nena Harbin having filed in said Court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to G. L. Smith or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 9th day of January A. D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That publication of a copy of this order once each week for three consecutive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Manistique Pioneer Tribune, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ralph H. Merwin, Judge of Probate.

A true copy  
Lydia L. Strom  
Registrar of Probate  
Harbert & Wood  
Attorneys at Law  
127 So. Cedar Street  
Manistique, Michigan  
(St Dec. 15-22-29 pd.)

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE**

Default having been made in the condition of that certain mortgage dated the 20th day of March, 1944, executed by Theron Outing and Lois Outing, his wife, as mortgagors, to Reinhart Matchinski and Alma Matchinski, his wife, of the Township of Hiawatha, Schoolcraft County, Michigan, as mortgagees, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Schoolcraft County, Michigan, on the 21st day of March, 1945, according to Liber 31 of Mortgages of pages 245-255 thereof.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that said mortgage will be foreclosed, pursuant to power of sale, and the premises thereon described as:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section Twenty-seven, Township North, Range Sixteen West, except a parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the Northeast Quarter, running South 88° feet, thence West 165 feet, thence North 83° feet, thence East 165 feet to place of beginning, lying within the Township of Hiawatha, County of Schoolcraft, State of Michigan, will be sold by public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Schoolcraft County, at the Courtroom of the Court House, in the City of Manistique, in said County and State, on Tuesday, January 24, 1946, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time.

There is due and payable at the date of this notice upon said debt secured by said mortgage, the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty-five and 62/100 Dollars (\$2155.62).

Reinhart Matchinski, Alma Matchinski.  
Dated Oct. 27, 1945  
Johnson and Johnson  
Attorneys for the Mortgagee  
First National Building  
Manistique, Michigan  
(St. Dec. 15-22-29pd.)

**HEARING CLAIMS AND DETERMINING HEIRS—(One half)**  
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Schoolcraft.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Manistique in said County, on the 9th day of December A. D. 1945.

Present, Hon. Ralph H. Merwin, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edna Tucker, deceased.

Edith Thomas Peterson having filed in said Court her petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate, in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 6th day of January A. D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

It is Further Ordered, That publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Manistique Pioneer Tribune, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

(Seal) Ralph H. Merwin, Judge of Probate.  
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Shaddock is another name for grapefruit. A cluster of bananas is called a hand.

**Christmas Joy!**

Joys so well expressed and remembered in carols we love to sing and hear . . . echo our wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

**The Manistique Agency**  
C. L. SMITH  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.

**Smith's Central Market**  
KEN, ERNIE and LYLE



**May the Joy and Peace of Christmas be with you always.**

**Braul's Bowling Alleys**



**May Christmas and the New Year be bright with happiness for you.**



**Wilson Motors**  
an old-fashioned MERRY CHRISTMAS

Old times and the carefree pleasures of other days are recalled as we enter another Holiday Season. In the spirit of remembering friends and associations of the past, we extend our greetings to all

**Wilson Motors**  
Manistique, Michigan



**Merry Christmas**

Since we cannot shake each one of you by the hand to give you our good wishes personally—we want to take this opportunity to express our hopes that this Christmas and the coming New Year be one of joy and goodness for each and every one of you—our friends and patrons.

**BARNES SERVICE STATION**



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**Matches, One-Time Luxury, Now Available to Everyone**

In the last century have been produced in the United States at a cost that makes them available to all, according to national patent council.

The latest reviewed description of the match does not go back beyond 1828. C. Egyptian hieroglyphs that time tell of the bow and arrow.

In 1828, D. D. tree was obtained by friction. Even as late as 1847, ten years after the invention of phosphorus matches, matches were still in use.

The "sulfur match" appeared in 1844. This was a sealed tube containing a phosphorus match and a match head.

The user broke the tube and the influx of air caused combustion.

The instantaneous light bottle, containing a container of sulphuric acid and spirits tipped with gunpowder, chlorate, sugar and gum arabic, was used for 40 years in America and Europe, beginning in 1800. A box of 50 spirits cost \$2.

**BEST WISHES for Christmas**

We offer our most sincere greetings to friends and patrons for a Joyful Christmas Holiday and a Happy New Year, too!

**Sport and Gift Shop**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.

**Best wishes FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS**

May your Yule-tide be joyous and bright . . . with the fullest measure of happiness and contentment!

**NORTON'S GROCERY WESTSIDE**  
Manistique, Mich.

**Star of Bethlehem Continues to Puzzle Modern Scholars**

Once again Christendom sees the Star of Bethlehem and, like the Wise Men of old, rejoices with exceeding great joy.

Astronomers have discounted possibilities that the star may have been a natural phenomenon since such phenomena occur too far from the earth to serve as any sort of local guide. Modern opinion is, however, inclined to hold that there was a Star — although the story probably has been touched by Oriental imagery.

St. Matthew suggests that even the Wise Men may have lost sight of the star while they were in Jerusalem; hence, they rejoiced when it reappeared to their vision as they approached the Manger of Bethlehem.

Come to think of it, astronomers have sought an astronomically authentic star — and found it not; historians have sought an historically human Jesus of Nazareth — and are still arguing whether or not they have found Him; even zealous theologians, striving to harmonize messianic and eschatological theories with the illusive historical and human Jesus, have sometimes lost sight of the Babe in the Manger Who from His lowly stable draws unto Himself all who are weary and heavy-laden.

Pressing close to that sacred Manger, Christendom glimpses the Star of Bethlehem once more and rejoices in the light of righteousness and peace which has conquered every tyranny that evil men could think of the light that shineth in the darkness and shall not fail.

**Druids First to Use "Magic" of Mistletoe**

The greens which are used for Christmas decorations found their way into early festivities because of certain virtues attributed to them by the ancients, and many of them which adorned pagan seasonal rites were later taken over to grace the ceremonies and celebrations of Christmas Day.

In both England and America, the holy and the mistletoe are associated with Christmas as invariably as are the plum pudding and Christmas tree.

It was the Druids who first used the mistletoe. "Hed-oll" was their name for it. The plant was supposed to have curative values, and gradually they assigned to it all manner of magic powers.

These priests, each year around the time when we now celebrate Christmas, would have high platforms built around the sacred oak trees which, in a manner of speaking, were "hies" to the mistletoe. Robed in ceremonial vestments of white, they ascended these platforms, and with golden sickles especially made for the solemn occasion they cut away the mistletoe.

The Saxons also prized it and it was they who gave to it the name of mistletoe.

Eventually the green came to be regarded as a symbol of peace. Opposing warriors who met near it would call a truce, and it was customary to hang it over the entrance doors so that they who entered might be assured of friendship.



**AND I WANT . . .** This is a candid camera shot of a little girl being interviewed by a genial Santa on the subject of her desires in the line of Christmas presents. The rapt expression on her face is typical of small girl-and-boyhood when a lovely critic like this presents itself.



**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

We hope that this Christmas brings fulfillment of your every wish and that it finds you happily surrounded by the things and people you love. For this is what makes for contentment — and nothing is more precious! And if our greetings were to add one iota to your enjoyment of the holiday, then our Christmas will be happier too!

**Manistique Pulp and Paper Co.**  
Manistique, Michigan

**Finns See Evergreen As Mourning Symbol**

Evergreens are never used as decorations in the homes and churches of Finland because the Finns regard them as symbols of mourning.

At Christmas most homes where there are children suspend a "heaven" from the living room or dining room ceiling. Such "heavens" consist of a cord framework covered with straw and different colors of paper ribbon, etc., and decorated with paper stars and silhouettes cut in various designs. The effect, when reflecting the firelight and the "handles" glow, is mysterious and fascinating.

Candles are used profusely in the churches; the altars are banked and the windows are filled with them, so that in the pre-dawn darkness (Christmas morning services begin at 4 A.M.) the churches beckon approaching worshippers like brilliant lanterns.

After the early church services, the gayly decorated sleds race for home, bright robes flying and sleigh bells jingling. Breakfast is festive, and then everyone takes a long nap. Christmas Day is not devoted to play or gift-giving; it is religiously observed, with intervals of carol singing and Bible readings.

The day after Christmas is St. Stephen's day, and from then until New Year's parties and general festivity are in order. Although gift-giving is not an integral part of the observances, in some parts of Finland trinkets and useful gifts of wearing apparel are presented to children by Wainamoinen, the Kalevala hero of Finnish legend.

**On Christmas**

While the litter from Christmas packages is still about, be particularly careful of smoking. Hot ashes dropped on tissue paper or a carelessly-tossed match could result in tragedy.

December 25 was decreed as the date of Christ's nativity by the Roman emperor Julian who began his reign as a Christian, but reverted to paganism before his death.

**meetings**

We look forward each year to sharing with our many friends the brightness and good will of the holiday season.

**NELSON'S SHOE STORE**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.

Advertise in the Tribune.

**Season's Greetings**

To the many greetings that come your way, we should like to add ours — to wish you a truly Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year.

**Smitty's Super Food Mart**  
Manistique, Michigan



## With Best Wishes

May all the joys of Christmas be yours and may your New Year overflow with happiness.

**GAMBLE STORE**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.



**JOHN'S MARKET**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.

# Merry Christmas

Once again the officers, directors, and staff of the State Savings Bank join in extending to you sincere greetings for the Christmas Season with best wishes for happiness, prosperity, and good health for you and your family . . . once again it is an expression of sentiment and feeling we have for you not just during the Christmas Season, but the year around . . . and once again, we pledge to keep the Christmas spirit of friendliness here at the State Savings Bank during the coming year.

## State Savings Bank

MANISTIQUE, MICH.

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation  
Member Federal Reserve Bank



Best Wishes for CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR too!

**Manistique Lumber and Coal Co.**  
PHONE 257 MANISTIQUE, MICH.



- Good Luck!
- Fine Friends!
- Happiness!
- Good Health!
- Prosperity!

May all these pleasures be yours this Christmas!

**Alex Creighton**  
Manistique, Michigan



Our wish is brief — But very sincere —  
A Merry Christmas to you  
And a Happy New Year!

**MANISTIQUE FLORIST CO.**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.



—and to all of you we extend our wishes for a Merry Christmas — and a year ahead chock full of good health, happiness and prosperity!

**ALPHE TRUDEAU**  
Groceries and General Merchandise  
Manistique, Michigan



## Merry Christmas

TO OUR FRIENDS

Here's wishing you a merry, merry Christmas and a very happy New Year. We certainly do appreciate your friendly patronage during the past year. And we look forward to providing you with even better Sinclair products and services during the year ahead.

**P. J. McNamara and Sons**  
SINCLAIR

MANISTIQUE

MICHIGAN



The season of hope and good cheer is at hand, and to friends and neighbors we send our sincere greetings.

**CITY CLEANERS and LAUNDRY**  
MANISTIQUE, MICH.



Telephone highways, too, will be crowded this Christmas

LONG DISTANCE HIGHWAYS CAN'T ALL BE DUAL LANES. YOU CAN'T DODGE THE TRAFFIC. YOU'LL HAVE TO FALL IN LINE ON CHRISTMAS DAY!

Long distance operators will be on duty, all available circuits will be ready for use, yet the volume of toll calls on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day will cause congestion. To avoid the rush, why not make your calls before Christmas Eve or after Christmas Day?

Merry Christmas

**MICHIGAN ASSOCIATED TELEPHONE CO.**

Operating Company of  
GENERAL TELEPHONE SYSTEMS  
Serving 1,000,000 Telephones  
State



# Season's Greetings



## MERRY CHRISTMAS

### to You and Yours

Our best wishes to each of you—for continued happiness and increased prosperity.

We are happy in the thought that we have had the privilege of serving you during the year just closing. And because of these associations, we look forward eagerly to the coming year and a continuation of your consideration.

The Season's best to each of you!



## BEST WISHES TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

### Manistique Garage Co.

E. G. Carlstrom, prop.  
MANISTIQUE MICHIGAN



TO WISH YOU  
THE BEST OF

# CHRISTMAS CHEER

And joys and contentment that will brighten each day of the New Year just ahead.

We should like to take this means, too, of expressing our thanks to each of you for your patronage in the past. You have been generous and we are grateful.



### ELK SUPER SERVICE

Corner RIVER and ELK STREETS  
PURE OIL PRODUCTS  
FIRESTONE TIRES

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T HAS BEEN a privilege to serve you during the year just past in a capacity that we believe will merit confidence for years to come.

As you enjoy the Yuletide with your friends and loved one, we trust you will keep in mind that our thoughts are of you at this happy occasion.

Many, many thanks for your goodwill and patronage and best wishes for the New Year.



## Our Best Wishes

... FOR A HAPPY CHRISTMAS SEASON TO EVERYONE

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### Sales and Service

MANISTIQUE MICHIGAN

# Extending the Greetings of the Season

It is our fondest hope that this Christmas Day be filled with many warm and pleasant moments for you! And that the New Year brings you the fulfillment of all the sincere wishes that have been extended to you in the spirit of the Holiday Season!

## LAUERMAN'S

Or Manistique Inc.

# Greetings



The long awaited occasion is here and with it the opportunity of renewing friendships... of saying to our acquaintances that all our good wishes go to each of them and our heartfelt thanks for the patronage that we have had during the time we have served the people of this community.

So, for Christmas we say,

- \* PEACE FOR YOUR PATHWAY
- \* WISDOM FOR YOUR WORK
- \* PROSPERITY IN YOUR UNDERTAKINGS

## Joe Levine

MANISTIQUE, MICH.

# SEASONS

As a small token of our high esteem for the people whom we serve, we send these words of Greetings. We place an immeasurable value on your friendship and trust that we may merit its continuance.

We renew our pledge of the service which we constantly strive to render; and take this occasion to send you our very best wishes for a happy Christmas and a New Year filled with all the good things of life.



# GREETINGS

## Reese's Electric Store

MANISTIQUE MICHIGAN



**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The stage is set! TIME: Christmas! PLACE: Everywhere!  
 Santa, in the star role, portrays the merriest of well-wishers with skill and sincerity.  
 We applaud his performance and endorse his message. Now we offer an encore;  
 a Christmas wish to all: "May you enjoy an abundance of pleasures  
 during this Holiday Season and throughout the Year to come!"

**Inland Lime and Stone Company**  
 Manistique Michigan Port Inland