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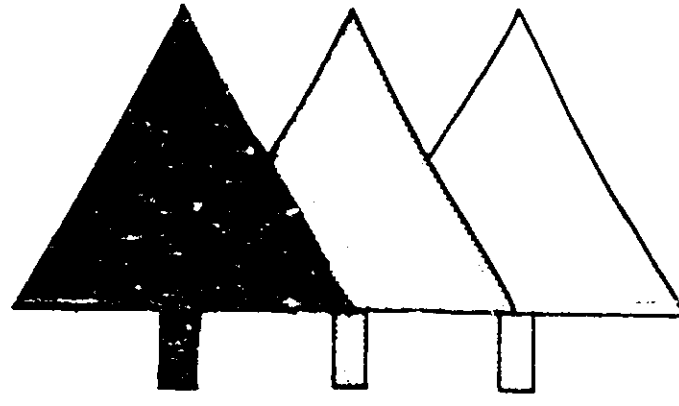
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Vet panel visit not expected

A special 10-member committee studying a site for a new veteran's facility will not visit Manistique before the end of the year, according to Kenneth Kent of L'Anse, chairman of the panel.

"It's getting to the point that we won't be getting around to every community," Kent told the Pioneer-Tribune in a telephone interview Wednesday.

He said the special committee, formed of veterans, legislators and members of the board of managers of the Grand Rapids veterans' facility, would meet on Jan. 5-6 to sift through accumulated data and to decide whether any more visits will be needed.

Kent announced earlier in the week that the special study committee has set Dec. 31 as a deadline for any additional information and support data from nine communities that have placed a bid for the 120 to 125-bed nursing home facility.

"I'm getting letters every day from your people," Kent said persons supporting Manistique as a site. "I think it's no more than fair that we wait until everything is in until we make a decision."

The panel has not received a price yet for old Marquette General Hospital South, offered earlier as a potential site. Also in the running are Sault Ste. Marie, Escanaba, Ironwood, Iron Mountain, Houghton-Hancock, Crystal Falls, and Iron River.

Kent said that the committee probably will be able to come up with its final report by mid-February. That report will be given to the Grand Rapids facility board of managers, which will forward its recommendations to the Legislature.

Rep. Charles Varnum (R-Manistique) said in a press conference Saturday that an all-out effort is needed by the Manistique community in the event of a visit by the committee, which he expected soon.

Varnum said the high school auditorium should be rented and filled with citizens to demonstrate support for a Manistique location.

He also said he thought statements by Rep. Dominic Jacobetti (D-Negaunee) supporting Marquette (regarding the committee's eventual recommendation have been diluted by a show of support for the special panel from state veterans' groups and legislators.

Kent told the Pioneer-Tribune Wednesday that he hopes everyone will stand behind the decision of the committee, after all the work it has done.

"This is becoming a real job," he said.

'No favorites' for city plows

There is no political favoritism when it comes to city snow removal operations, the Manistique City Council was told Monday night.

"Some people think there are special interest groups that get favored," Mike Faketty, superintendent of public works, told council members. "That is not so."

Faketty explained that his department's snow removal policies called for the city's four plows, two on each side of town, to clear major highways first, then Weston Avenue and Cedar, Oak, Walnut and Main streets by 7 a.m. after a snow storm. By 1 p.m. all 52 miles of roads in Manistique should be open, he indicated.

"People on the outskirts want to know why I don't get there first," Faketty said. "We start downtown and then work our way out." Some areas on the west side are left longer because there is less traffic there, he said.

City Manager Robert Risik said city ordinances will be enforced to stop residents from stacking snow at street corners, hampering traffic visibility. Hydrants must be clear, stacked snow in business district alleys must not hinder traffic flow, cars must not be left on streets overnight, and snow from driveways must not be dumped into the streets, according to Risik.

Because of high snow banks, the city will not plow sidewalks for the time being, he added, but will take care of pedestrian areas by Lincoln School, the siphon bridge, and other problem areas.

In other business, the council: --corrected a boundary for property along East Lakeshore Drive and reset a public hearing to rezone the area for Jan. 9. The notice is on page 8A.

--passed a resolution of intent to seek federal or state funding for a \$15,000 park project for portions of the lakefront shoreline from the breakwall to Lakeside Park. The resolution stated that a local share would be available for matching with federal or state aid during 1979.



SANTA MAY look skeptical at this young girl's dreams for Christmas, but the Old Gent patiently entertained all 1,000 or so requests he received Saturday at Manistique High School. Another photo of the event, sponsored by Santa's helpers, is on 2C.

Ambulance billings coming up short: city

The city of Manistique is not collecting what it is billing for its ambulance services, City Manager Bob Risik told county commissioners on Wednesday night, Dec. 7.

Risik and city council members met with members of the Schoolcraft County Board of Commissioners to ask for more money to operate the county-wide ambulance service.

He said the city came short on the bill of \$4,271 last year on uncollected taxes. That amount plus new training fees which will cost \$8,000 has the city council looking at a "red" tally sheet without some county or other governmental unit help.

The city is planning to send nine of its public safety officers to a state-mandated emergency medical technician course which is scheduled to start soon.

Presently, the ambulance service provided to the county is on a volunteer basis. This means that if public safety officers refuse to go on a call it may go unanswered.

This situation has also caused speculation that more funds may be needed to institute a stand-by basis for ambulance crews.

Risik said that most of the uncollected bills concern insurance firms and are of the larger amounts.

He said that a major factor for the larger amounts in the billings has been

U.P. uranium concerns vented

"We probably are not any closer now than when we started four years ago," Don Sutherland, an exploration geologist for the American Cooper and Nickel Company-Tennessee Valley Authority said Tuesday night in Marquette.

He and eight other panelists assembled at the Holiday Inn to participate in a public discussion of the environmental, economic and social aspects of uranium mining.

The forum was sponsored by the Upper Peninsula Environmental Coalition to help inform the public about uranium mining developments and perspectives in the U.P.

Attending were environmental and governmental (state and federal) representatives along with industry-aligned persons.

Sutherland said his company has spent \$1 1/2 million in the last four years looking for uranium ore in the U.P. but found "only about enough to fill a wheelbarrow," he said.

However, Sutherland noted that it is possible uranium could still be found.

A prospector, not part of the panel, argued that he could bring in truck loads of the ore.

Really, Santa!

How mill's process helps preserve river; future

(First in a series on Manistique's water quality)

by Ed Zaske

By recently completing an Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) approved wastewater treatment plant, the Manistique Pulp and Paper Company has taken a big step in insuring environmentally sound industrial and commercial development for Manistique.

In decades past, all wastes from the community -- wood chips, sawdust, human waste and other pollutants--were simply discharged into the river.

Evidence of this phenomenon still exists, with all the saw dust that has collected on nearby Lake Michigan beaches.

It was disregard for environmental side-effects of pollution that caused Manistique to be registered as a problem area by the International Joint Commission of Great Lakes Water Quality in 1975.

However, due to a patchwork of local, state, regional and federal efforts to improve Manistique's water quality, the community has been deleted from the list.

Water is a key resource to the Manistique paper company's operation. The company uses about 2 1/2 million gallons of it daily to carry away materials unusable in papermaking.

A channel or flume, which is unique in design in the nation, releases the river water into the papermaking process at 5 mechanical grinders.

Short logs, held against the rotating grinders, are reduced to a mass of tiny, individual fibers. A shower of water cools the stone and carries away the shredded wood fibers (pulp).

The company produces about 160 tons of paper every day using pulp produced in this way.

According to a Department of Natural Resources water quality engineer, Joseph Bal, five pounds of suspended solids are allowed to enter the river for every ton of paper produced at the mill.

He said the allowable limit for oxygen consuming substances released into the river on any given day is 4,289 pounds. The limit for suspended solid wastes is 6,543 pounds.

However, these waste products entering the river contain only traces of nonbiodegradable or environmentally hazardous substances.

A large portion, about 35 tons per day, of the unusable materials in papermaking leave the plant in the form of sludge. This sludge contains, among other materials, large particles found in the pulp, dead bacteria from the companies wastewater treatment and settleable organic and inorganic materials.

The wastewater treatment facility, with both primary and secondary water clarifying basins, converts wood sugars, a papermaking byproduct, into water and carbon dioxide. The effluent from wastewater treatment flows into the river. The cloudy, colloidal clay substance in the effluent settles to the bottom.

Mill Chemist, Patrick Theut, 24, said he has scuba dived in the river near its mouth but has not seen deposits of the clay substance. Evidently, the substance settles down somewhere in Lake Michigan.

Leif Christensen, vice president and general manager of the company, has said the primary treatment plant, in operation for a few years, removes 90 percent of the dissolved wood sugar, wood fibers and small amounts of mineral clay in the waste water.

The secondary plant removes another six percent of the residue, wood sugar and coloring matter, and prevents it from reaching the river.

Christensen said recently that about \$1 1/2 million was spent in 1972 for primary water treatment. An additional \$2 million was invested for the secondary water treatment, finished only a few months ago.

He noted that Field Enterprises, the owner of the company, has made a long-term investment in the paper mill and the Manistique area.

The expenditures leave the company operating within state and federal guidelines. Christensen said that the capital outlay of the water treatment plants were a significant percentage of the total outlay of the company.

However, the consequences of not installing waste treatment facilities would have also been costly for the Manistique company and the community. DNR engineer Bal said that recently a steel company refusing to clean up its waste was fined \$1 million.

Christensen said he has seen many paper mills close down because they could not face the cost of environmental



FINAL PRODUCT of the Manistique Pulp and Paper Company water treatment plants enters the Manistique River.

Theut says the oxygen content of the water is about that of the river. Over 2 1/2 million gallons are treated per day.

Shore sawdust eludes dead solution

Just as dead stumps are still visible in the Manistique River from old logging days, wood particles on nearby Lake Michigan beaches will be there indefinitely.

Cold water and the small surface area of the lake in the vicinity of the sawdust act as a preservative preventing any decomposition of the particles.

A DNR Forester from Newberry, Bob DeVillez, says that sawdust can be a real problem to get rid of.

"If you use it as a land fill, it will catch fire by spontaneous combustion," he says.

Tons of sawdust lie on beaches of the lake in the Manistique vicinity.

The particles cause an eyesore to many people and also make swimming on the beaches almost impossible.

However, there can be no solution to the problem unless the sawdust is collected and burned, DeVillez says.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Christensen said.

"He noted that the company is required to pay a 'surveillance fee' to the agencies which has amounted to \$24,804 over the past three years.

A monthly report, which includes a compilation of daily test results on the treatment plant, is sent to the environmental overseers.

Second chance to see Santa

Area children who missed Santa Claus at the high school last Saturday will have another chance to see the Jolly Gent this Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

The special three-day visit is being arranged by the Ramada Inn of Manistique. Santa will be on hand from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 18, and from 4-7 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 19 and 20.

According to Gordon Archer, co-coordinator for the Kiwanis Needy Family program, the special

visit is being arranged to help needy families of the area.

"The Ramada Inn is helping us help others through the generosity of this gesture," Archer said.

The Ramada Inn will donate refreshments to young and old alike. In addition, the Kiwanis "drop box" will be available for donations of used and new toys.

All donations received during the three days will be donated to Kiwanis for its needy family program.

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What's Going On

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Santa Claus heard requests from 1100 children on Saturday, Dec. 10 thanks to the efforts of four very special women. Amber Thompson, Cindy Pawley, Linda Mason and Judy Fritz used donations left from last year's fund drive to purchase the gifts which Santa gave to the children. Manistique Pulp & Paper donated the coloring book which were distributed.

The women who call themselves Santa's New Helpers were assisted by the 4H Team club who decorated the Christmas tree, Mrs. Jack Veiner, Mrs. William Ragsdale, and the elves who helped with gift distribution, and the janitors at the high school who helped in many ways.

Santa's New Helpers didn't limit themselves and Santa to the children of Manistique. Saturday afternoon assisted by Lynn Miller from the Social Services Dept. they visited 17 foster care homes in Seney and Germfask. Santa gave gifts to all these people too. This weekend they will be visiting the foster care homes in the Manistique area. The spirit of Christmas is alive and well!

Manistique Womens Club sponsored a canned goods movie program for 500 children at Cinema 1 on Saturday. Marge Richards, chairperson, reports that the food which was collected has already been distributed.

Lynn Miller of Social Services reminds everyone that older people often go unremembered not only at this time of year but during the rest of the year as well. Any group or individual who would like to adopt a foster care home as a project is urged to call her.

Santa will be able to find his way in Manistique this year even if it is too foggy for Rudolph. The CB club has purchased a new antenna for the CB channel nine monitor. The antenna has been installed on top of the State Police Post roof. Installers were Pete Olsen, Gary Koschmider, Tom Shampine, Howard Tennyson, Walter Welch, and Earl Tuffnell. The old antenna had blown down during the severe wind storm last month.

Harry Anderson showed his son James of Minneapolis that father really does know best, especially when it comes to playing cribbage. Harry had a 29 cribbage hand; he had three 5's and a Jack then turned up a five of Hearts.

Joan Nelson of Rochester, Mich., Phil Nelson of Mt. Pleasant, and Carole Dybevik and daughter Dawn of White Bear Lake held a family reunion with their mother Mrs. Arvid Nelson recently.

'Tis the season for Christmas parties. Curran Chevrolet held one for their employees last weekend. The first Manistique Corp held their party Saturday at the Fireside for all employees, their guests and directors. St. Patrick's Circle held their party on Saturday at the Three Mile. The Three Mile was the site of the CB Club Christmas party last weekend.

Bethel Baptist Couples Club exchanged gifts and played games at a party Tuesday, Dec. 13 at the Ollie Rehn home. Daryl Carlson received the award for being the most positive person of the evening.

Swede and Ethel Carlson have headed south for the winter. Their son Daryl is staying at their home on Indian Lake. Mr. and Mrs. William Ragsdale are enjoying a visit from his mom.

Jim Stewart and family have moved to Manistique after an absence and are living at 157 River St. He is in charge of food management at the Ramada Inn. Linda Mason will be participating in a craft show in Marquette.

Holly Linderoth celebrated her 14th birthday on Sunday with a party for

family and friends. Becky Studinger, 7, is planning ahead. She was the lucky lady who caught Susie Gorsche's wedding bouquet. Sue is the daughter of Pete Gorsche. She enjoyed visiting with her sisters who were home for her wedding.

Elizabeth Senger had a pajama party for Amy Walters, Lee Ann Tyler, Jill Vickery, Debbie Peterson, Michelle Gagnon and Susan Popour in honor of her 12th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fouchard of Marquette were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Gregurash and attended the wedding of Kathy Turan to Alan Wood on Saturday.

Also attending the Turan-Wood wedding and visiting friends in the area were Patty and David Huddleston and Kelly and Roxanne from Sault Ste. Marie.

Another birthday celebrant was Julie Gregurash, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gregurash. Julie has an 11th birthday party for family and friends.

Typographical errors do occur and we regret them. The former Manistique resident whose death was reported last week was Mrs. Bill (Elsie Kiefer) Gonyea.

A former resident and frequent visitor to Manistique, John M. Vertin of 2142 N. Spaulding Ave. Chicago died on Nov. 2 in an Chicago hospital where he had been a patient since Oct. 30. He was born on Dec. 20, 1894 in Manistique. He is survived by his wife Mildred. A son James Allen died in 1956. Services were held at the Mueller Funeral Home with Rev. Roy E. Stoll officiating. Burial was in St. Lucas Cemetery in Chicago.

Richard and Mary Hoholik of Madsen visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Matt Klariac and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hoholik. Mrs. Loretta Norbotten, Dale, Harry and Laura traveled to the Soo over the weekend to visit Mrs. Norbotten's daughter, Linda, and her husband, Richard Smith. Mrs. Norbotten had a surprise small family party to celebrate her and her husband, Harry, 24th wedding anniversary, which was Monday, Dec. 12. Harry is still sailing on the Great Lakes.

3 area persons to gain degrees

MARQUETTE.—Northern Michigan University will award 393 degrees during its midyear commencement at 10 a.m. Saturday in the C.B. Hedgcock Fieldhouse.

The Graduating class includes one candidate for a master's degree and two for bachelor's degrees, all from the Manistique area.

Receiving a master's degree at the program will be Merry Jo Starrine, elementary education.

Bachelor's degrees will go to Susan Harris, secondary education; Ronald Starrine, business administration.

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Eagles Auxiliary organizes

EAGLES AUXILIARY officers were installed Saturday at Cools Town Hall for the newly-formed Schoolcraft Auxiliary No. 3755 of the Eagles. Back row, from left to right: Kathleen Collinson, trustee; Dianne Fisk, secretary; Billie Ayris, treasurer; Celina Kaiser, trustee;

Carol Osterhout, outside guard; Alice Popour, inside guard; Carol Reid, trustee. Front row: Paulette Henrichsen, conductor; Sally Paradise, vice president; Virginia Adams, madam president; Thelma Popour, junior past president; Kiki LaVance, chaplain.

Hiawatha PTO officers named

The Hiawatha PTO held its third meeting of the year on Dec. 1 at the school. New officers are: president, Alice Linderoth; vice-president, Carol Gillette; secretary, Jean Younce and treasurer, Susan Bradley.

A Christmas program will be held on Thursday, Dec. 22 at 10:30 a.m. Parents are invited.

Santa Claus will be receiving gifts instead of giving them. Students will be donating canned goods and other non-perishable items to be distributed throughout Schoolcraft County.

A general discussion was held on monthly events to be held for the students. The next PTO meeting will be held on Jan. 5 at 7:30 p.m. All parents are welcome to attend.

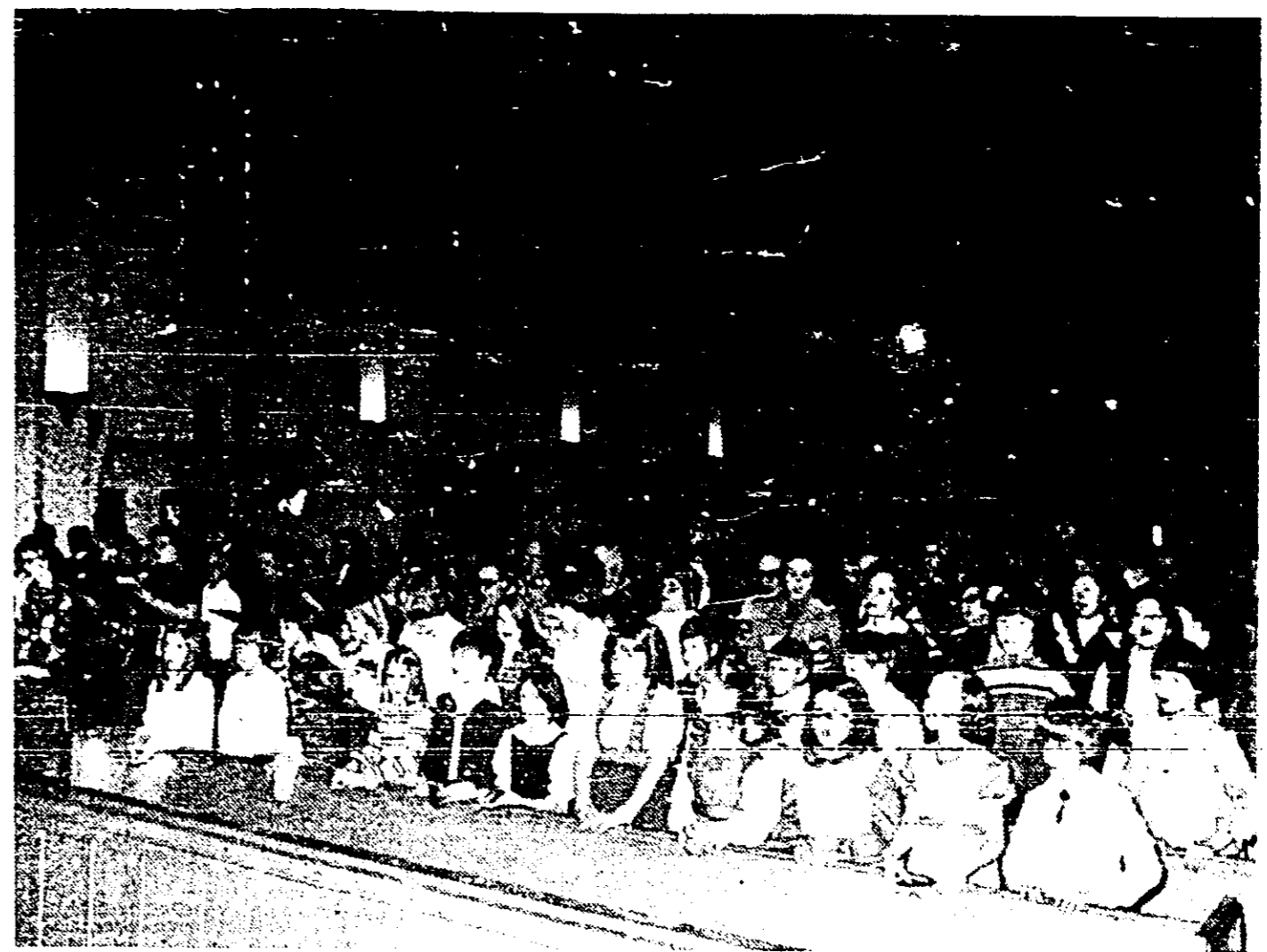
Thompson

By Charlene Turek 341-6188

The 4-H raffle was held at the town hall Sunday, Dec. 11.

Winners are as follows: Jean Hawn, wood carving; Jim Herro, wood carving; Don Tyrell, tri-chem gift kit; Elmo Smiley, string art picture; Karen Nadeau - \$6 gift certificate from Ben Franklin; Jack Jenerou, two lb. rock candy; Joan Bowler, hanging planter; Leona MacGregor, \$10 gift certificate from A. & P. Store; Terry Godlewski, two lb. can coffee; Kelly Byrne, \$5 gift of theater tickets; Deanna Pelon, homemade wreath; Amy Turek, craft kit; Carol Herro, craft kit.

If you have not received your item you may pick it up at the extension office.



COMBINED CHOIRS and congregation from several area churches and two schools sing "Joy to the World" to close the 1977 Festival of Lessons and

Carols at St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church Sunday afternoon. Hundreds of persons turned out for the annual event.

Lakeside gifts

Lakeside School parents are reminded to bring their school gift shop items to the high school auditorium on Dec. 15 and perishables to the Lakeside School December 19.

Donations will be received in the lobby before the children's Christmas program. If necessary, items may also be left at 549 Oak St.

Non-perishable ones will be marked Friday for sale to the students on Monday. Each class will be allowed some time to shop that day, so parents are reminded to have their children bring their gift money. The shop will also be open Tuesday and Wednesday at lunch hours only.

In addition to plants, jewelry, and doll clothes that parents are contributing, there also will be decorative soap, come-back-here toys and play watches made by a volunteer committee.

A great deal of interest has been shown in this first gift shop. If it is successful, it will become an annual event.

18 at Inland mark silver years

The 25th annual dinner meeting of the Inland Lime and Stone Company Twenty-Five Year Club was held on Monday, Dec. 12, at the Three Mile Supper Club.

The following 18 employees, who completed 25 years of service with Inland during the year 1977, were welcomed to membership in the club and were presented with their watches: Lester V. Ackley, Emery E. Bigger, Kenton J. Billings, Lloyd W. Brown, Frederick A. Cota, Rainey E. DeMars, Clarence V. Gerlach, Shannon A. Hubble, William J. Hubble, Ronald J. Jackson, Charles O. Jenerou, Donald R. McNeill, Albert L. Nickerson, Everette J. Patz, Walter P. Rosa, Alfred A. Schroeder, Vincent F. Weber, and Henry O. Winsor.

Total membership of this club is now 180, 103 of whom are active working employees and 77 are retired employees. 31 percent of the Inland Lime and Stone Company's employees are members of this club. The average years of service is 31 years.

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OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
Board of Education

November 22, 1977

Bruce Steinfeldt, President, called the Special Meeting of the Manistique Area Schools Board of Education to order November 22, 1977 at 7:50 P.M. in the Board Room of the Junior-Senior High School Building.

Members present: Billie Doyle, John Mincoff, Denton Nelson, Bruce Steinfeldt, Margaret Waters.

Members Absent: James Goudreau, Virginia Stark.

John Mincoff moved, supported by Billie Doyle that the Board adjourn to Executive Session to discuss personnel issues. Motion carried with five yes votes - two members absent.

Margaret Waters moved, supported by Billie Doyle that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried with five yes votes - two members absent.
Time: 8:13 P.M.

Bruce Steinfeldt, President, called the Regular Meeting of the Manistique Area Schools Board of Education to order November 22, 1977 at 8:15 P.M. in the Board Room of the Junior-Senior High School Building.

Members present: Billie Doyle, John Mincoff, Denton Nelson, Virginia Stark, Bruce Steinfeldt, Margaret Waters, Maureen O'Connor.

Members absent: James Goudreau.

MINUTES

John Mincoff moved, supported by Virginia Stark that the minutes of the November 8, 1977 meeting be amended as follows:

Change "Director of Grounds & Services Advisement" to "Director of Grounds & Services and High School Principal."

Delete the following "Board Members requested the Superintendent to accept applications for the Buildings & Grounds Supervision position".

Replace with "Board Members requested the Superintendent to obtain job descriptions for Building & Grounds Supervisor and the High School Principal".

Motion carried with six yes votes - one member absent.

John Mincoff moved, supported by Virginia Stark that the amended minutes of the November 8, 1977 meeting be approved. Motion carried with six yes votes - one member absent.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONTRACT SALARIES

Margaret Waters moved, supported by Denton Nelson that the following administrative salary schedule be approved:

	1976-77 Contract	1977-78 Board Proposal
High School Principal	21,285	22,130
Assistant Principal	17,835	18,680
Adult & Comm. School Director	14,435	15,280
Dir. of Grounds & Main.	14,435	15,280
Administrative Assistant	10,335	11,180
Superintendent	25,585	26,430

Motion carried with six yes votes - one member absent.

TEAMSTER GRIEVANCE

John Mincoff moved, supported by Denton Nelson that the Superintendent be instructed to contact Walter Quillico and indicate to him that the Board would take the next step - mediation - and that the Board would abide by his recommendations in this issue. Motion carried with six yes votes - one member absent.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Margaret Waters moved, supported by Billie Doyle that the wording in the Student Handbook - Page 13 - Drink and Drug Abuse - be changed from "suspended from school for three days" to the following: "That the Superintendent, the High School Principal, the Assistant High School Principal or the Superintendent's designee have the authority to suspend from school for an indefinite period of time substance abuse offenders. The conclusion of the suspension would be based on the securing of a proper contract agreement with the student and parents involved." Motion carried with six yes votes - one member absent.

CLASSROOM HEATING - HIA-WATHA SCHOOL

Mrs. Virginia Stark indicated that she had received complaints about inadequate heating in certain Hiawatha School classrooms. The Superintendent will check into this problem.

LABOR ELECTION

Mr. Bonifas reported to the Board that a MERC Election will be held November 29, 1977 in the Community Room of the Junior-High School for the Teacher Aides in the District.

BANK QUOTES

Mr. Bonifas discussed the necessity of requesting quotes from the banks for school bus financing, but noted that he would wait until he knew the approximate date of the bus delivery.

RAFFLES, SOLICITATION

Board Members were asked to review the Board policy on solicitation and raffles.

BUS PURCHASE

The State proposal regarding school bus purchases on a state wide basis was discussed by Board Members. It was generally felt that the Board would not support that kind of an approach.

REMUNERATION & REIMBURSEMENT

The Board reviewed internal Policy No. 8230 on Remuneration and Reimbursement and felt that this Policy is acceptable without modification.

DRIVER EDUCATION - INDIVIDUAL PURCHASE

The Attorney General's opinion has

been received from Richard Clafin, Consultant for Traffic and Safety Education of the Michigan Department of Education. Generally speaking, individual purchase of Driver's Education is not acceptable according to the Attorney General's ruling.

DOYLE SCHOOL

The overcrowded classroom situation and the complications involving students with some very special needs at the Doyle School are being resolved.

JOB DESCRIPTIONS

Copies of the High School Principal and Buildings & Grounds Supervisor Job Descriptions were sent to the Board Members. These will be reviewed at the next meeting.

MAINTENANCE CONCERNS

Copies of maintenance concerns prepared by Joe Wood were given to the Board Members.

JOINT POLICIES COUNCIL

The Joint Policies Council made up of three teachers and three Board Members will meet on Monday, December 5th at 7:30 P.M. in the Board Room of the Junior-Senior High School.

ADJOURNMENT

John Mincoff moved, supported by Virginia Stark that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried with six yes votes - one member absent.

Time: 9:25 P.M.

Voted school millage expiring

Manistique Area Schools' current 13 voted operating mills expires on Dec. 31, Superintendent Richard Bonifas informed the school board Tuesday night.

Revenues from the voted millage are being collected through this winter, but no voted millage is available for the 1978-79 school year, Bonifas said.

He added that \$420,000 in loans are preventing an estimated \$42,000 deficit by next June. The balanced budget presented to the state is unrealistic, he said, and will have to be examined again in February.

Some areas have already overspent their budgets, a typed report to Bonifas indicated.

In other matters, the board accepted Carol Eldridge of Bay City as a teacher replacement for Mrs. Judy Boyd at Germfask. Mrs. Bc/d is on a leave of absence from Nov. 28 through March 4

--accepted mediator Walter Quillico decision that the schools did not have the right to deduct one sick day from seven members of the custodial staff. On Sept. 2, the custodians staged a "sit out" to protest the board's reduction of the number of custodians. The sick day must be given back, according to Quillico.

--directed Bonifas to obtain a appraisal of the old Mueller School property, after learning that a Marquette firm of certified appraisers estimated \$1,200 fee for the work.

--instructed Bonifas to look into repeated complaints about heating in the central school. Complaints about drafts and overheating in some areas of the building have occurred since the beginning of the cold season.

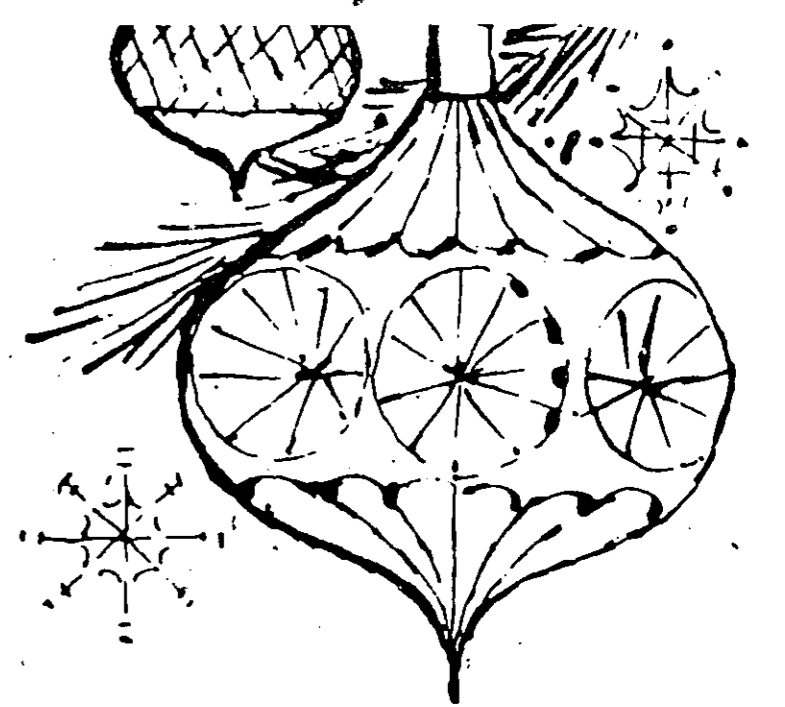
--changed the regularly scheduled 24 board meeting to Jan. 31.

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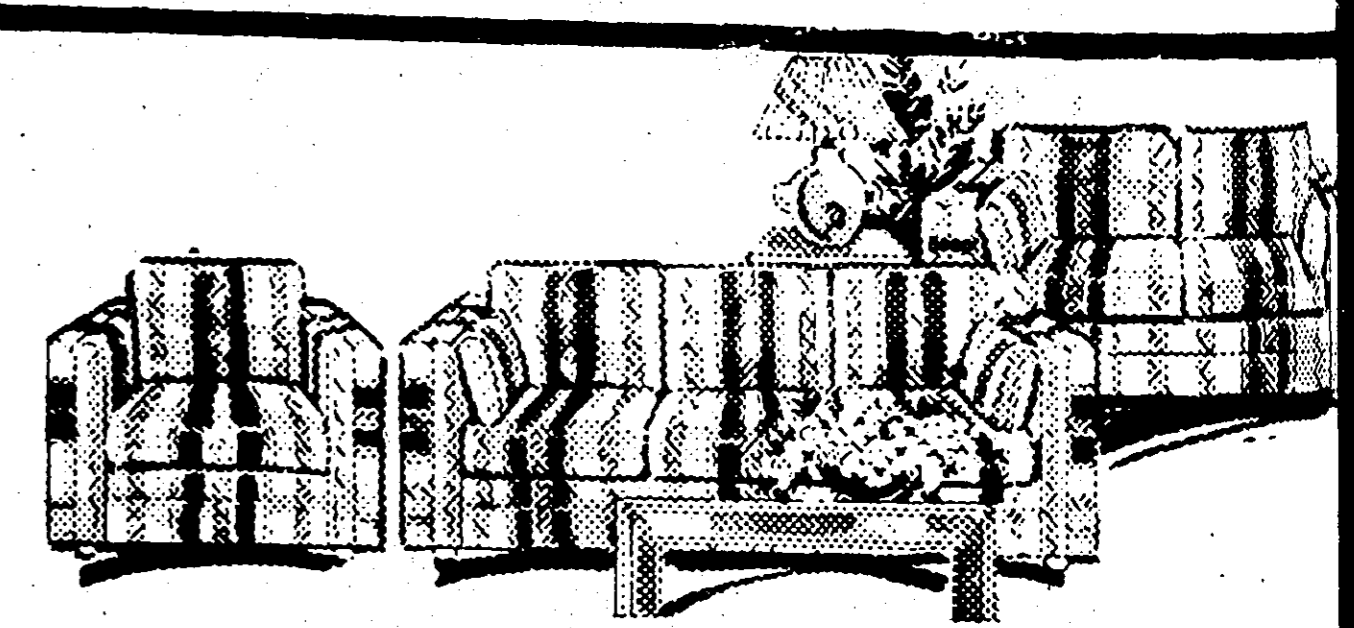
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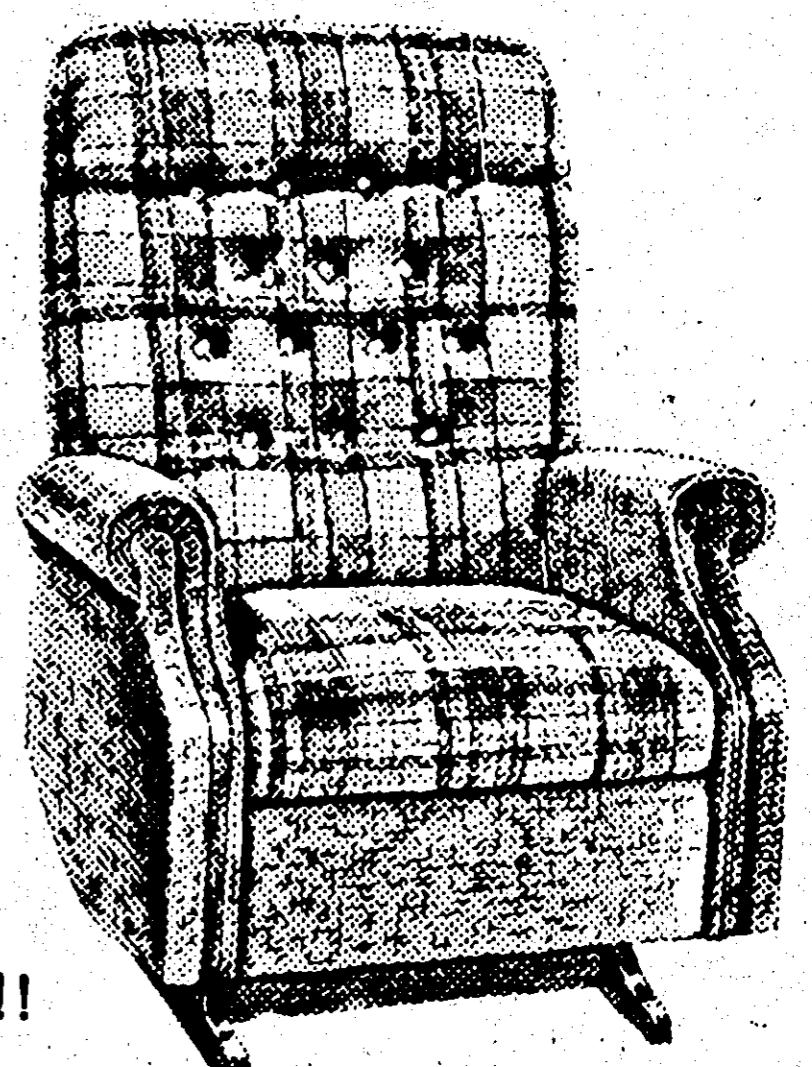


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GARY KAISER looks past a Munising defender in last Thursday night's game. Kaiser scored 20 points in helping Manistique to a 59-53 win.

JVs 4-1, frosh slip to 0-3

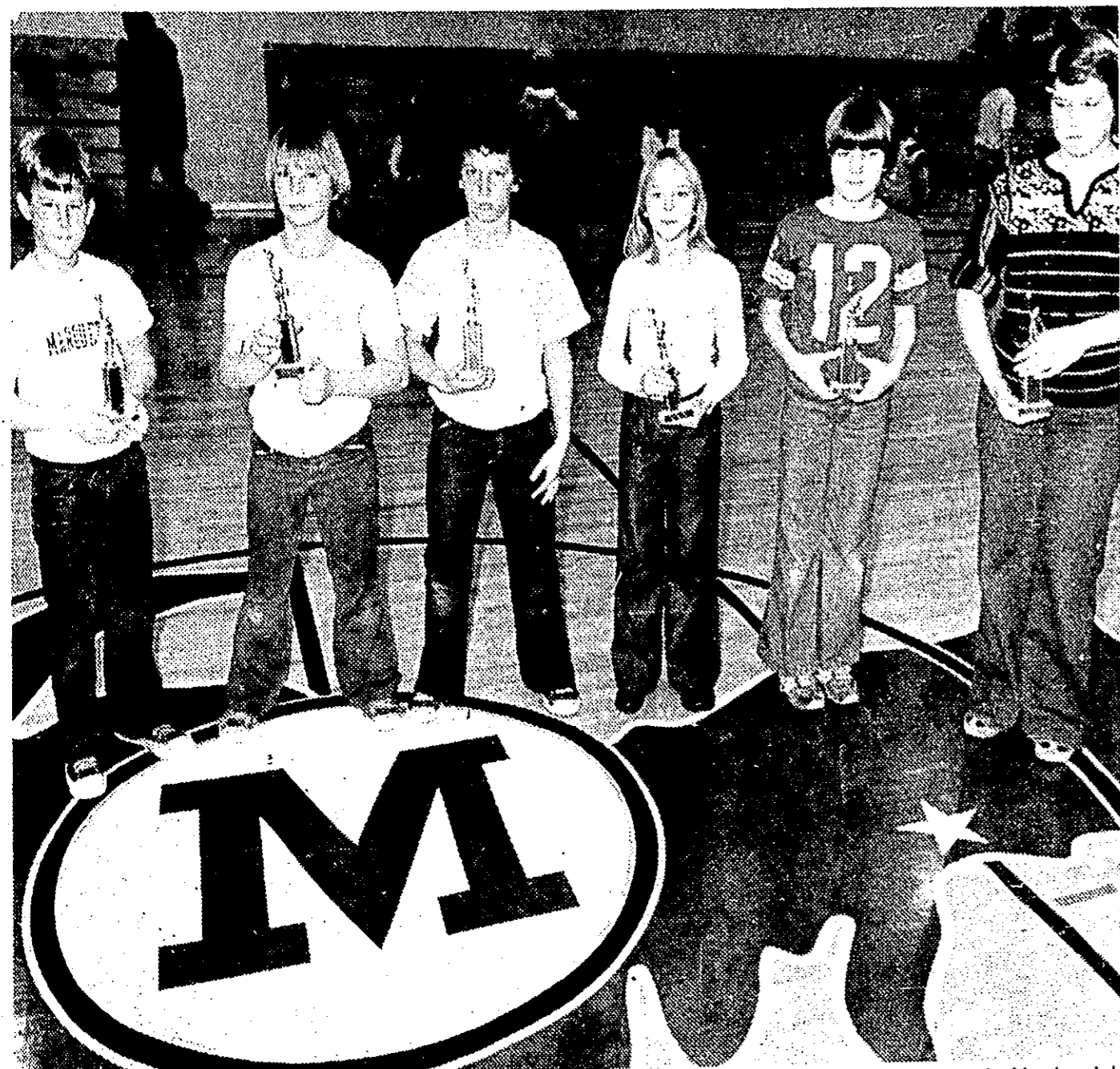
The Manistique Junior Varsity basketball team has improved their record to 4-1 loss with victories over Munising and Big Bay de Noc.

In the Munising contest last Thursday, the Emeralds built up a 46 to 26 halftime lead, and then coasted on to a 73-50 victory. Gary Ketcik paced the attack with 15 points, Paul Culey added 11 and Jeff Savoie 10. Tom Smith came off the bench to score 10.

On Tuesday night the J.V.s beat the Black Bears' J.V. team 58-35. Gary Ketcik led the Emeralds again with 12 points. Ben Godlewski and Brian Smith both scored 10 points, while Paul Culey added 8 to the balanced attack.

The Manistique Emeralds, 0-3, gear up for the Westwood Patriots Friday afternoon in seeking their first win of the season.

The freshmen lost to Munising last Thursday, 52-34.



WINNERS in an early step of boys and girls age group competition in the annual Elks National Hoop Shoot Competition pose with their awards Saturday at Manistique High School. From left to

right: Bob Brandstrom, ages 8-9; Tim Henry, 10-11; Kevin Anderson, 12-13; Jane Curran, 8-9; Nancy Krusic, 10-11; Angie Gilman, 12-13.

The Manistique Emeralds overcame an eight-point deficit in the first quarter to pound Big Bay de Noc 73-49 Tuesday night for their fifth win against no losses this season.

"It wasn't as lopsided as the score makes it seem," Emeralds Coach Seb Rubick said. Manistique led by nine, 51-42 going into the fourth quarter, during which Bill Giles led a shooting surge that buried the Black Bears on their home court.

Utilizing a half-court trap press, the Bears had the Emeralds off-balance in the first six minutes of the game. Shooting against Manistique's man to man defense, Big Bay gained a 14-6 advantage. But then the Emerald defense was changed.

"We took them out of their man to man," Big Bay Coach Dave Pelletier said. "But we couldn't adjust to their 3-2 zone."

The Emeralds knotted the score at 14-14 by the first stop, then assumed a 32-28 halftime edge. The Emeralds held the Bears to 14 points in the third frame while scoring 19 before the eruption in the final period.

"They handcuffed us," Coach Pelletier said. "We did a good job on defense, but I thought they played one of their better games offensively and defensively."

Pelletier also pointed to eight missed layup attempts as a sore point for the Bears.

Led by Giles' 18 points, the Emeralds shot better from the floor, hitting 34 of 64 attempts for 52 percent. Big Bay was held to just 21 of 67 for 32 percent. Manistique also controlled the boards with a 49-31 rebounding advantage.

Giles collected 15 caroms, followed by John Pistulka with 11. Forward Neil Roder paced the Bears with 11.

Mike Pelletier shined at center for Big Bay, throwing in 14 points. Greg Pelletier again led all scorers with 21 points, but hit well below average, canning 8 of 24 tries from the floor.

Assists leaders for Manistique were Gary Kaiser with 7, Bob Danko and Pistulka with 5 apiece and Norm Jahn with 4.

On Friday, the Emeralds entertain Westwood in a Mid-Peninsula Conference contest, and will host Newberry on Tuesday, Dec. 20 to close the 1977 portion of the schedule.

Big Bay, 2-2, next faces Engadine, 4-1, in an away game. The Eagles have lost only to Rapid River. The Bears' scheduled Dec. 9 clash with Grand Marais was postponed until Jan. 10 because of last week's snow storm.

Team summaries, FG-FT-PF-TP: MANISTIQUE--Pistulka 7-14-15; Kaiser 5-13-11; Giles 9-0-1-18; Jahn 2-0-4-4; Danko 5-2-2-12; Curran 2-1-1-5; Tufnell 1-0-0-2; Larson 1-0-0-2; G. Danko

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1-0-2-2; Anderson 1-0-0-2; Johnson 0-0-1-0. Totals: 34-5-18-73.

BIG BAY DE NOC--Tatrow 2-0-4-4; Roder 1-0-5-2; G. Pelletier 8-5-2-21; Fox 3-0-1-6; M. Pelletier 6-2-1-14; J. Miller 1-0-0-2; K. Miller 0-0-1-0. Totals: 21-7-14-49.

Emeralds 59, Munising 53

The Emeralds fought off some early cold shooting spells to bump Mid-Peninsula rival Munising 59-53 last Thursday in a rescheduled game.

Heavy snow, poor road conditions and the weeknight date failed to make a major effect on the size of the crowd that saw the Emeralds claim their fourth win of the season in as many starts.

"I think the kids may have been tired yet from that Norway game," said Coach Seb Rubick of his squad's two-point victory over the Knights two nights earlier.

The Emeralds shot well for the evening, canning 26 of 51 attempts from the floor for a 51 percent clip. The Mustangs meshed 20 of 59 for 34 percent. The teams were stalemated in the rebounding department, with 35 caroms apiece.

Gary Kaiser led the offensive show for Manistique with nine field goals out of 15 shots, and two free throws to total 20 points. John Pistulka poured in 14, nailed down 19 rebounds and delivered five assists. Kaiser and Jahn also had five assists each.

Forward Bill Giles was a major force defensively, blocking 7 shots.

Munising started with a zone that needed the Emeralds in the early

minutes of the contest. An intermittent press by the Mustangs proved to be no problem, however.

At the 4:51 point in the first period, Bob Danko sank a 15-footer to put Manistique in front for good, 4-3, and added a layup at 4:26. Pistulka hit three layups in the quarter, including one coming off a pass from Kaiser as the first quarter buzzer sounded. The Emeralds led, 18-9.

Play showed in the second frame, as the Emeralds shooting fell off. Munising closed the gap to 18-15, but the Emeralds pushed the margin to 29-19 by halftime. The Emeralds hit well from the outside in the third period, 26-13, led 45-29 going

into the final period.

Pistulka drew his fifth personal foul with 4:45 remaining and the score 50-37. The Mustangs chipped away at the difference in the closing minutes, and Vince McNally's layup with eight seconds left made it a six-point margin.

Team summaries, FG-FT-PF-TP: MANISTIQUE--Pistulka 5-4-5-11; Kaiser 9-2-4-20; Giles 2-0-1-4; Jahn 1-0-0-2; Danko 2-0-3-4; Curran 4-1-0-9; Tufnell 2-0-0-4; Anderson 0-0-1-0; Reque 0-0-2-0; G. Danko 1-0-0-2. Totals: 26-7-16-59.

MUNISING--Ghiara 4-0-3-8; Kelto 0-1-0-1; Marble 1-8-4-10; Servia 6-0-3-12; McNally 6-1-0-13; Tweedle 3-0-3-6; Way 0-3-0-3. Totals: 20-13-13-53.

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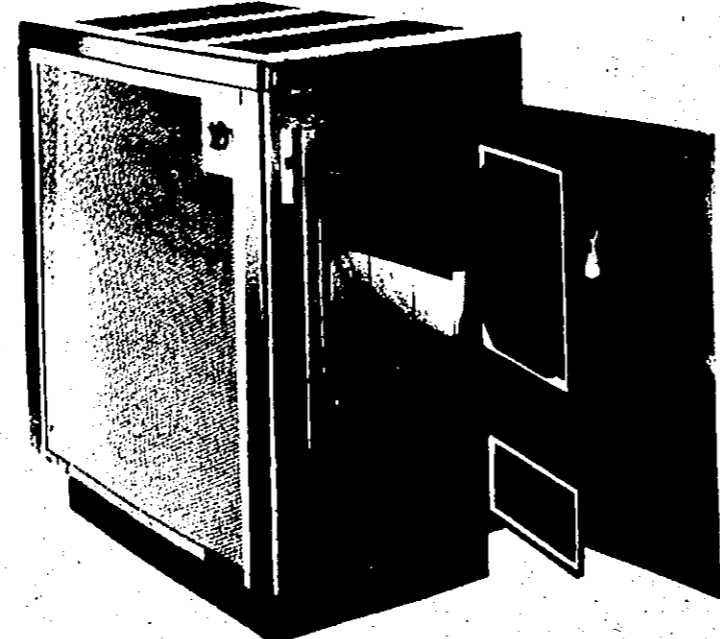
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EMERALDS



Tribune E. Zaske

BOB DANKO races around a screen set by Bill Giles (52) in Manistique's Thursday night victory over the Munising Mustangs 53-53.



Another honor

KAREN KRUSIC rejoices with Coach Diane Stimac over the Emerald's victory over Menominee for the Class B district championship Dec. 1. Krusic also received an individual laurel last week when she was named to the All-U.P. second team in Class A-B.



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MARY GREGURASH lets one fly in Blue Devils is Debbie Seigwald. The Manistique's regional semi-final game Emeralds lost, 52-51. with Gaylord Friday night. No. 14 for the

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Tues.	Dec. 20	Newberry	here
Fri.	Jan. 6	Gwinn	here
Tues.	Jan. 10	Gladstone	there
Fri.	Jan. 13	Negaunee	there
Tues.	Jan. 17	Newberry	there
Fri.	Jan. 20	Ishpeming	here
Fri.	Jan. 27	Westwood	here
Tues.	Jan. 31	Norway	here
Fri.	Feb. 3	Ishpeming	there
Fri.	Feb. 10	Gwinn	there
Tues.	Feb. 14	Gladstone	here
Fri.	Feb. 17	Munising	there
Tues.	Feb. 21	Escanaba	there
Fri.	Feb. 24	Big Bay	here
Feb. 27--Mar. 4 District Tournament			

1977-78 MANISTIQUE WRESTLING SCHEDULE

Tues., Dec. 6	St. Ignace	here	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Tues., Dec. 13	Ishpeming at Munising	there	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Thurs., Dec. 15	St. Ignace		W.I.
Charlevoix -- at St. Ignace			
Wed., Dec. 21	Westwood	there	W.I. 6:30
Thurs., Jan. 5	Munising	there	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 7	Charlevoix	here	W.I. 1:00 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 10	Gwinn	there	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Thurs., Jan. 12	Negaunee	there	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Thurs., Jan. 17	Ishpeming	here	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Thurs., Jan. 19	Westwood	here	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 21	Gladstone-Negaunee at Gladstone		W.I. 1:00 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 24	Gwinn	here	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Thurs., Jan. 26	Munising	here	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 28	Gladstone	here	W.I. 1:30 p.m.
Thurs., Feb. 2	Negaunee	here	W.I. 6:30 p.m.
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Emerald girls lose thriller to Gaylord in 'B' regional, 52-51

December 15, 1977 The Manistique Pioneer-Tribune 7A

by Nancy England

There was never a dull moment last Friday night as the Gaylord Blue Devils clashed with the Manistique Emeralds in the Class B regional semi-final contest. The game, held at Manistique because of foul weather, was a nip and tuck battle right up to the final buzzer. But at the end of the tense battle, a determined Gaylord quintet found itself clinging to a 52-51 advantage.

The Blue Devils, owning a 14-5 record, opened the game with the first basket, but the Emeralds retaliated with ten consecutive points from Robin Larson, Karen Krusic, Mary Gregurash and Jan Creeden. Gaylord then found a hole in the Emerald defense and, with 3 minutes left, poured in four unanswered buckets from the baseline.

The Blue Devils carried a 13-12 lead into the second quarter, but an eight-

point Emerald drive followed, sparked by All-U.P. Karen Krusic's two baskets. Krusic was supported by Larson and Gregurash and, at the intermission, the Blue Devils trailed, 28-26.

The Blue Devils stormed into the third quarter, out-scoring coach Diane Stimac's quintet, 14-6. The Gaylord visitors thus maintained a 40-34 advantage going into the final stanza. Lighting up the offense again for the Emeralds were

seniors Karen Krusic and Jan Creeden. With 3:19 left in the game, the Blue Devils had stretched their lead to 46-39. Coach Stimac then called a time out and when play resumed, the Emeralds installed a full-court press which enabled them to score eight consecutive times in one minute.

Jackie Krusic, Jan Creeden and Karen Krusic all donated to the amazing Emerald comeback. But the Blue Devils managed

to add one free throw with 49 seconds remaining, and despite Mary Gregurash's final layup bucket, with 16 seconds left, the Blue Devils squeaked by, 52-51.

Co-captains Karen Krusic and Gregurash led the scoring list for the Emeralds, with 17 and 16 points respectively. Larson and Creeden dropped in 7 points each, and Jackie Krusic finished with 4.

Larson picked off 11 rebounds for the

Emeralds while Jackie Krusic grabbed 10, Karen Krusic nabbed 8, Gregurash had 5, and Creeden held on to 2 missed shots.

Lynnette Taylor led the Blue Devils offensive attack with 19 points while Debbie Seigwald came off the bench to score 13 points.

The girls' district trophy is not the first in the school's history, as had been previously reported. The 1973 Emeralds squad also won a Class B district crown.

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HTG: Old Dutch	HTS: Kay Charter - 518;		Vogue	7-17						
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Obituaries

Ruth A. Pizzala

Ruth A. Pizzala, 67, of 176 N. Cedar St. died at 9 a.m. on Dec. 14 at Marquette General Hospital. She was born on April 30, 1910, in Manistique.

A lifetime resident of Manistique, she graduated from Manistique High School in 1928 and worked in 1969 after working in the area as a book-keeper at AGP.

She was a member of the St. Francis de Sales Church and the Teamsters Union. Survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Angus Pizzala, MacGregor and Mrs. Arthur L. E. Anderson, both of Manistique, one son, Miss Lesse Trudell, of Manistique, several nieces and nephews, two granddaughters and one great-granddaughter. She is predeceased by her husband, Paul, who died in 1969 and one sister, Mrs. Earl E. Pizzala, who died in 1969.

Funeral services will be held at the Messier-Brouillette Funeral Home beginning at 4 p.m. on Friday. Burial services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday at St. Francis. Fr. Frank Lenzi officiating. Burial will be in the Lakeview Cemetery.

William A. Heminger

William Andrew Heminger, 76, of Gulliver died in his sleep on Dec. 10 at his residence. He was born on March 4, 1901 in Huntspur.

Mr. Heminger attended Huntspur and Howard City public schools. On May 10, 1929 he married the former Florence Marie Roy in Sault Ste. Marie.

From 1934 to 1966 he was employed by Inland Lime and Stone as a railroad engineer. Mr. Heminger was a member of Inland's 25 year club and of the Ministry of the Gospel Non-denominational Church of Shingleton.

Survivors are: his wife Florence of Gulliver; three sons, Herbert of Manistique, Lawrence and Raymond of Gulliver; one daughter, Mrs. Stanley (Dorothy) Kusmirek of Munising; one sister Mrs. Charles (Lena) Brock of Marysville; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday at 11 a.m. at the Messier-Brouillette Funeral Home with his grandson Rev. Jerry A. Howard of the Ministry of the Gospel Non-denominational Church of Shingleton officiating. Burial was in the Fairview Cemetery.

Hospital Report

Patients in the Schoolcraft Memorial as of December 14, 1977 are as follows: Betty Jenerou, R #1; Rachel Talbot, 208 Pearl Street; Robert Jager, Thompson; John Herro, Star Route Box 218; Gladys Lester, Garden; Corinne Schlinger, Star Route, Cooks; Evelyn Evans, E. Lake Shore Drive; Elba Stevenson, R #2, Box 100C, Rapid River; Leslie Middaugh, R #1, Cooks; Donella Ackley, Gulliver; Edith Foley, Garden Corners, Cooks; James Betzer, Curtis; George Everett, Lakefield Nursing Home, McMillan; Oscar Blomquist, 142 N. Mackinac Ave.; Emma Metzger, Box 158, Curtis; Marilyn Barnes, 440 Alger Ave.; Gina Williams, Gulliver; Guy Bosanic, R #1, Box 493; David Buss, R #1, Box 190, Engadine; Edith Ekdahl, 508 Park Ave.; Ellen Hogquist, Indian Lake; Ruth Robinson, Harbor View, Towers.

Jill Courmaye, Gulliver; Beverly Burton, R #1, Germfask; Jane Popour, 625 Michigan Ave.; Candy Aldrich, P.O. Box 125, Naubinway.

Vernon Johnson, Box 422; Fern Ballas, E. Lake Shore Drive; Wilford Taylor, Manistique Manor.

New citizens

Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Ocko of Box 15, Naubinway are the parents of a baby girl, Michele Lynn, born December 8, 1977 at 3:25 p.m. She weighed 8 lbs. 7 1/2 oz. The mother is the former Kathleen Therese Beaucouin.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael H. Popour of 625 Michigan Avenue, are the parents of a baby girl, Jill Marie, born December 11, 1977 at 8:47 a.m. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 2 oz. The mother is the former Jane Rena.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael D. Courmaye of Gulliver are the parents of a baby girl, born December 12, 1977 at 8:34 a.m. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 2 oz. The mother is the former Jilione Frenette.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Aldrich of Box 125, Naubinway are the parents of a baby boy born December 13, 1977 at 8:41 a.m. He weighed 8 lbs. 3 oz. The mother is the former Candace Sneary.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal L. Burton of R #1 Germfask are the parents of a baby boy born December 13, 1977 at 3:59 p.m. He weighed 9 lbs. and 12 oz. The mother is the former Beverly A. McLaren.

District Court

December 5, 1977

Allan J. Braun, 22, city was charged with possession of open alcohol. Charges dismissed.

Dennis D. Sherew, 21, of Flint was charged with possession of illegal venison. Charges dismissed.

Wesley H. Torau, 39, city was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

December 6, 1977

Walter J. Anderson, 67, of Dearborn was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Sam J. Cosumauo, 45, of Monroee was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Paul H. Cook, 36, of Germfask was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

William T. Gammon, 50, of Bridgeport was charged with improper lane usage. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Bruce Gore, 31, of Ferndale was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

John C. Greenau, 49, of Plainwell was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Joan M. Hank, 19, of Sault Ste. Marie was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Kirk J. Larsson, 21, of Marquette was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Victor J. Manners, 61, of Harper Woods was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Christian N. Melguard, 20, of Marquette was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Allan A. Mattern, 36, of Sault Ste. Marie was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Gary L. Maddox, 23, of Gulliver was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Jeffrey S. Phillips, 18, of city was charged with not stopping. Fined \$5 and \$10 court costs.

William M. Robinson, 57, of Kalamazoo was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Allen R. Raczkowski, 25, of Whitmore Lake was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Gregory J. Smith, 18, of Battle Creek was charged for littering. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Wesley A. Timdnen, 53, of Detroit was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

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Michael J. Verbeek, 23, of Portage was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Clayton J. Valle, 22, of Ironwood was charged with improper passing. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Colleen P. Walsh, 19, of Plainwell was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

December 7, 1977

Delbert D. Burbeaux, 35, of Fayette was charged with possession of open alcohol. Fined \$15 and \$10 court costs.

Bonnie J. Barbeaux, 20, of city was charged with no proof of insurance. Fined \$15 and \$10 court costs.

William R. Bauers, 54, of Saginaw was charged with aiding minor delinquency. Charges dismissed.

Frederick J. Gygi, 35, of Gile, Wis. was charged with speeding 75 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$20 and \$10 court costs.

George D. Lakosky of city was charged with shirring game. Charges dismissed.

Charles Lorell, 60, of Gulliver was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

December 8, 1977

James A. Bal, 22, of Grooetra was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Edgar G. Barnes, Jr., 21, of Tawas City was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

John L. Kessler, Jr., 20 of Flushing was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

George W. Lade, 30, Sawyer A.F.B. was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

James C. McLaughlin, of Fenton was charged with possession illegal firearms. Bond forfeited.

Lewis I. Martin, 45, of Sheldon, Wis. was charged with disregard of stop sign. Fined \$10 and \$15 court costs.

William H. Moon, 47, of Swartz Creek was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

Patrick E. Porter, 35, of Kalamazoo was charged with speeding. Fined \$5 and \$10 court costs.

Mike Rellinger, 27, of Lincoln Park was charged with speeding 75 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$20 and \$15 court costs.

Thomas D. Ricketts, 25, of Flint was charged with possession of open alcohol. Bond forfeited.

Clayton D. Roberts, 39, of Auburn was charged with speeding 70 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$15 and \$10 court costs.

Stephen M. Salesky, 22, of Saginaw was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

John H. Vandermohren, 53, of Grand Rapids was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$10 court costs.

John M. Yagerliner, 22, of Farmington was charged with speeding 65 in a 55 mph zone. Fined \$10 and \$15 court costs.

State Police

A Manistique resident was injured in a one-car accident Dec. 7 on US-2 six miles west of M-149 in Inwood Township.

Margaret Arnold, 33, of Chippewa Avenue Monday was reported in good condition at the Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital.

She told police she was eastbound on the highway when a car came over the centerline and forced off the shoulder of the road.

'78 Art Fair set

The Art Club Christmas dinner was held on Dec. 5 at the Ramada Inn. A drawing for a painting was held and the winner was Rebecca Marks of Clayton, Ohio.

The business meeting was held on Dec. 12. Dates for the 1978 Art Fair were set as July 14 and 15.

Crop losses claimed

Claims for 1977 crop losses are being processed daily by county ASCS offices. Payments in excess of one-half million dollars have already been released to Michigan farmers who suffered losses in their wheat and feed grain crops.

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NOTICE MEETING DATE CHANGE

Doyle Township residents, the Doyle Township Board will hold their regular December meeting on December 21st at 7 O'clock P.M. at the Doyle Township Community Hall.

Evelyn MacGregor
Doyle Township Clerk

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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., December 28, 1977, and will be publicly opened and read at 7:00 p.m. on that date for the following:

Structural Plate Pipe-Arch

All proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked "Structural Plate Pipe-Arch Bid."

Plans, specifications and instructions to bidders may be obtained at the office of this Board.

The right to reject any or all bids, waive defects or informalities, make award of all or part, as deemed to be in the best interest of Schoolcraft County, is reserved by the Board.

SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

By - George J. Rubick, Chairman
Robert C. Leny
Harold J. McNamara

Notice Public hearing

A Public Hearing will be held on Monday January 9, 1978 at 7:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers at City Hall, Manistique, Michigan, to determine the question of amending the Zoning Ordinance with respect to the following described property:

A parcel of land bounded by Washington St. East and the North U.S.-2 on the South; tourist service on the East and Steuben Street on the West.

specifically to change the zoning in the area from RM-1 (Multiple Family Residential) to B-3 (General Business).

Patricia Erickson
City Clerk-Treasurer

the community calendar

saturday

A Christmas Bake Sale will be held on Saturday, Dec. 17 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Peoples Store. Also featured will be Christmas items, crafts, and ornaments. Sponsored by St. Francis 4-H.

sunday

The United Thank Offering Ingathering will be held this Sunday, Dec. 18 at St. Alban's Episcopal Church. All members are reminded to bring their offering at that time.

Following the service members of the congregation are invited to help decorate the church for Christmas. Refreshments will be served.

Christmas Eve services are scheduled for 7 p.m. with the Rt. Rev. William Dimmick, Bishop of the Diocese of Northern Michigan celebrating the Holy Eucharist.

On Sunday, Dec. 18 a Sunday School program will be presented at the First Baptist Church at 7 p.m. Family and friends are invited to attend.

The flower committee is again using poinsettia plants to decorate the church for Christmas. A plant may be donated in memory of a loved one. To order one, contact Mrs. Nina Rubick. The cost is \$5. Annual reports are due at the end of the month. The reports should be given to Mrs. Ekblad. Contact Vicki Tyrell with the names of people for whom the Senior BYF should care.

On Sunday, Dec. 18 at 10:30 a.m. a brass quintet will perform during the morning worship service of the Church of the Redeemer. Roberta Worley will be the featured soloist.

Sunday evening at 7 p.m. Sunday School children will present their annual Christmas program. Rehearsal for the program will be on Saturday, Dec. 17 at the 10:30 a.m. for the Kindergarten class and at 11:30 a.m. for all others.

Saturday, Dec. 17, the senior highs will have a trim the tree party beginning at 3 p.m. It will be followed by a pizza supper.

Special education students and their parents will be guests at a Christmas party at the K of C hall on Monday, Dec. 19 at 7 p.m. The students are from the Manistique area schools and the Bay de Noc school. Santa Claus will arrive with presents for all. The Knights and their ladies will assist in the party.

Schoolcraft Soil Conservation District Directors meeting will be Monday, Dec. 19, at 7:30 p.m. at the Soil Conservation Office, Rm. 54AA, county courthouse.

tuesday

Schoolcraft County Board of Commissioners meet tonight at 7 p.m. at the courthouse.

wednesday

The Manistique High School Band and Choir will present a Christmas concert starting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 21 in the high school auditorium.

Selections by the high school choir will include "O, Holy Night" and the "Hallelujah Chorus." Selections by the high school band will include "A Christmas Festival," "The March of the Three Holy Kings," and "The Christmas Song."

Admission is \$1 for adults, and 50 cents for students and senior citizens.

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Pride in the Big Loads of logs

Editor's Note: Ted Bays, a free-lance writer from Manistique, had this story published recently in the Northern Michigan University Faculty newspaper, Campus Review. It deals with the lumbering era and covers a facet of lumbering that always intrigued me—why are there so many pictures of lumbermen standing next to large loads of logs?



Every professional takes pride in his work and covets applause; sometimes he overdoes it. For northern Michigan's lumberjacks in the late 19th Century, the showcase for their grueling, dangerous work became the Big Loads of logs, with different camps and companies vying to see the highest hill of wood on a horse-drawn skidding sleigh.

Big loads were staged. The pictures are pyramids of logs would be specially selected for size, loaded on the low skidding sleighs and hauled on a Sunday a short distance, if they were hauled at all to the riverbank or railroad spur. Centerstage the shanty boys, as many as 15 or 20 perched on the big load would sport unnaturally neat attire; an officious gent, neatly creased and cravated, would observe approvingly from the wings. A photographer would record the event and then everyone dispersed to their usual, less grandiose, poscs.

The biggest of the Big Loads seems to have been the Michigan World's Fair Load of 1893.

Fifty perfect pillars of white pine, scaling 36,055 board feet and weighing over 125 tons, were towed over a quarter-mile of level ice road by a single span of Shire horses weighing 4,000 pounds. The load was cut and hauled on the Thomas Nestor estate in Baraga County in February, 1893 especially for transportation to the Columbian Exposition in Chicago. The load required 1,400 pounds of half-inch steel binding chain to secure to the sleigh, and the entire rig—logs, sleigh, horses, chain—filled nine railroad flatcars.

The load was memorialized as the biggest of its kind by Stewart Holbrook in American Lumberjack and is enshrined less formally in faded photographs on tavern walls, from Larson's Bar in Newberry to Baraga's Side Track Bar. Another big load prominently displayed was a Wisconsin Land and Lumber

Company (IXL) load featured on the cover of Roiland H. Maybee's Michigan's White Pine Era, 1840-1900. Although the load scaled a paltry 12,562 board feet, it recouped in legitimacy what it lacked in size: it was one of the few big loads that actually moved.

"Dave Downey brought that load in from Camp 19, four miles to the Hermansville mill," attests IXL historian Jean Worth. "His wife cried all day because he was breaking the Sabbath."

G Harold Earle, son of IXL founder Dr. Harold Earle, recalls many big loads that were loaded but never moved.

"The tremendous pressure on the sleigh runners from the weight of the load would melt the ice on the skid road," Earle explains, "Then the water would freeze again, and if the sleigh stopped, a four-horse team couldn't break it loose again."

A teamster would break the sleigh loose with a heavy iron bar to get such loads moving. The IXL load featured on the Maybee book cover was hauled late in the winter—splotches of dwindling that clearly—so the light film of melting ice on the skid trail made the haul easier. Nonetheless, the men encountered a major obstacle at the Soo Line Railroad grade. They had to smooth the trail over the grade and hold up the telegraph lines to get the load over the tracks and under the wires.

The Most unusual big load was probably the 31,304 board foot load of squared "waney board" timbers taken out of the Tahquamenon River Valley in 1894.

Most pine, of course, was milled or hewn after it came out of the woods. But this load, cut especially for building beams in Liverpool, England, consisted of 40 to 50 foot pine timbers, hewn square in the woods before they were loaded on the skid sleigh. On Mar. 2, 1894 a single team of horses weighing 3,400 pounds hauled the ten timbers, each three feet square, a mile and a half

to the river landing. They were shipped by schooner from the mouth of the Tahquamenon.

Newberry area woods workers perpetuate the enticing story that some of the huge timbers never got out of the woods, and still lay neglected, probably blanketed in moss, in some remote ravine near the Tahquamenon.

Big loads and big logs did not die with the decline of the pineries after the early 20th Century. The northern Lower Peninsula of Michigan, with relatively uniform pine plains, was effectively leveled by the lumbermen; but the Upper Peninsula, its more varied terrain hiding pockets of pine in swamp-shrouded knolls and ridges, did not yield the last of its virgin timber until well-century.

Big trees didn't travel with the water, either. The biggest tree cut by the Chicago Lumbering Co., which dominated Manistique and Schoolcraft County from 1871 to 1912, continually hung up on sand bars in the Driggs River, a tributary of the Manistique. The immense tree measured seven feet two inches diameter on the small end of its 12 foot butt log, which scaled 4,310 board feet. The second log measured five feet, two inches diameter at the small end and scaled 2,890 feet.

The tree was cut northwest of Wolf Lake near the Driggs in the winter of 1888-89; the three men who dropped the tree began at daybreak and didn't bring the big pine down until past noon. In the river, woods boss Ed Cookson tired of watching his men wrestle the big butt log off sand bars, so he ordered his top riverman, Harvey Saunders of Germfask, to dynamite it. That tactic must have been the ruin of some of the log's clear pine lumber, but the alternative would have been to leave the entire log in the river. So Saunders augured holes, poured in the black powder and touched it off. Then he rode the three pieces downstream to catch the rest of the river drive.

Big loads weren't always made with big trees. Ernest Erickson, a teamster for many Whitefish River area logging camps, once hauled 4,420 cedar poles behind his team.

Modern transportation, of course, outstrips the old skid roads, narrow gauge trains and river drives, in volume. No truck or train car can match the mountains of wood hauled on special

occasions by the old two horse teams; but the daily flow of truck and train traffic to modern mills meets their needs.

Now and then, however, a tandem trailer of big hemlock stacked high above the racks betrays the modern logger's penchant to display his skill and energy, no less than his giant pine predecessors, in a moving monument of wood.

Germfask

by Jennie Crown 596-6511

Mrs. Sandra Livermore and recently born son Guy Richard Livermore, Jr., returned to their home from the Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital in Manistique.

On Tuesday, Nov. 29, the following senior citizens enjoyed a shopping trip outing to Escanaba: Tynne Lawrence, Ruth Brown, Helen Rojem, Florence Harris, Harriet Musselman, Claudene Brian, Kate England, Sylvia Latsch, and Geraldine Papple.

A former resident and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Neal T. Reed of Manistique are parents of a son Nathan Thomas born Nov. 25. He weighed 6 pounds, 15 and 3/4 ounces. The mother is the former Nancy Arleen Thibadeau, Grandparents of the baby are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thibadeau of Germfask and Mr. and Mrs. Amil Reed of Covington, Ky. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Redverse Thibadeau of Germfask and Mr. and Mrs. Rolly Hagley of Lapeer, now in LaFeria, Tex. for the winter.

The senior citizens of Germfask will hold a potluck dinner at noon on Dec. 15 at the senior citizens center at the Township Hall. A two dollar gift exchange will be held for anyone wishing to exchange a gift. Men bring a man's gift and ladies a ladies gift. Everyone is welcome.

S.M. Sgt. Archie Musselman of Minot, N.D. spent the Thanksgiving weekend at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Musselman and also visited other relatives while here.

Mrs. Mary Chidester is a patient at the Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Musselman and daughter Janeen of Ann Arbor, spent the holiday weekend here visiting their parents Mrs. Martha Musselman and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Amore and other relatives in the area.

On the ladies aid meeting night of Grace Lutheran Church, Dec. 1, some of the ladies took gifts of fruit to residents in the Lakeland Nursing Home.

A Christmas dinner will be held at 4:30 p.m. Dec. 18 in the fellowship room at the Grace Lutheran Church. It is a

planned potluck dinner. No gift exchange will be held.

All members of the congregation are welcome. Christmas Eve Worship will be held at 8:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ackley of Curtis area are visiting at the home of their son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Theo Ackley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burns, Mrs. Karen Burns attended the Christmas choir concert at Manistique High School Auditorium.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burns, Mrs. Pauline McAlpine, Mrs. Maxine Edwards of Germfask, Mrs. Eleanor Carlson and Mrs. Myrtle St. Martin of Seney also attended a meeting of the Community Action Governing Board in the Catherine Bonifas Auditorium.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burns, Mrs. Pauline McAlpine, Mrs. Maxine Edwards of Germfask, Mrs. Eleanor Carlson and Mrs. Myrtle St. Martin of Seney also attended a meeting of the Community Action Governing Board in the Catherine Bonifas Auditorium in Escanaba.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burns and children visited her parents at Whittemore and Mr. Burns had a medical check up at the V.A. Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Out of town visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ling Burns, Sunday were: Mrs. Pauline Rose of Seney, Mr. and Mrs. Don McLeod of Curtis, Mrs. Della Weirtella and Mrs. Janice Gaylor and children of Newberry, Mrs. Glenda Tovey is a patient at Marquette General Hospital north at Marquette.

On Dec. 10 at 7:30 p.m. the womens group of the reorganized church of Jesus of Latter Day Saints Church and their husbands met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burns who hosted the event.

The Christmas church program will be held Sunday at 7 p.m. in the reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Church.

Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Watson are visiting at the home of her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Wayne L. McNeil at Higgins Lake.

Isabella

by Mrs. Harvey Sundin 611-2349

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Peterson and son Scott Oliver, Mrs. Ruth Sundin spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Peterson at West Allis, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Campelle and sons David and Donny of Escanaba visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Nelson on Saturday.

Attending the band concert held Wednesday evening at the Junior High Auditorium Escanaba were Mrs. Frances McClinchy, Olive McClinchy, Ruth Sundin, Ingrid Sundin, and Violet Legault.

Miss Diane (Dee Dee) Gouire was honored at two separate bridal showers one at the home of Mrs. Loretta Pomeroy. At this shower, the prizes went to Denise Gouin, Yvonne Grouleau, Janis Grouleau, and Wanda Parrish. The other shower was held at the Nahma Civic Center by Glenda Gouin and Judy Sundling Gail Nelson, and Loretta Pomeroy. Miss Gouin was married Saturday to Russell Pomeroy.

Miss Gail Legault who is employed at Big Bay at Escanaba spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Violet Legault.

Mrs. Betrice Nedeau Cassette has been dismissed from the St. Frances Hospital.

Attending the Mass honoring Father Salalka at Marquette on Sunday were Lucille Bonifas, Jean Van Remortal and Shirley Turek.



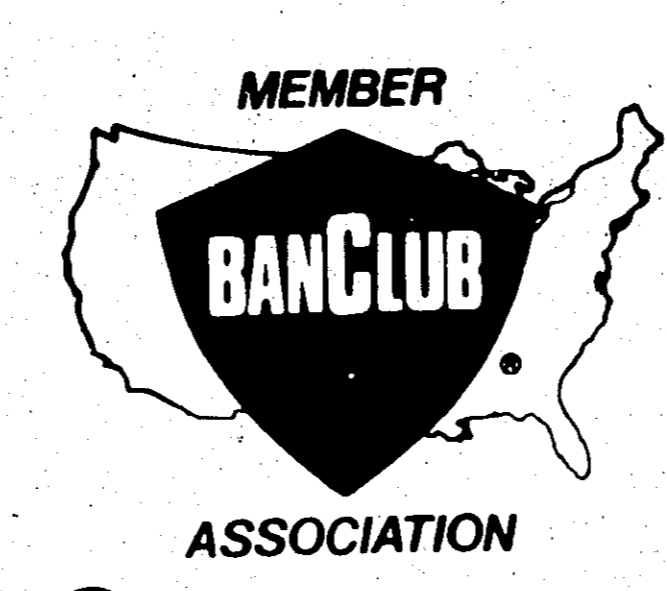
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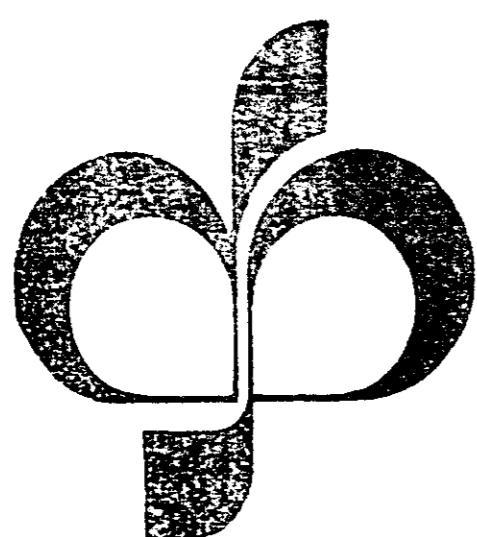
Soil survey information available at county courthouse

The Soil Conservation District located in the county courthouse has on hand in its office a copy of a Soil Survey of Delta County and Hiawatha National Forest of Alger and Schoolcraft counties. Any interested person is welcome to have one.

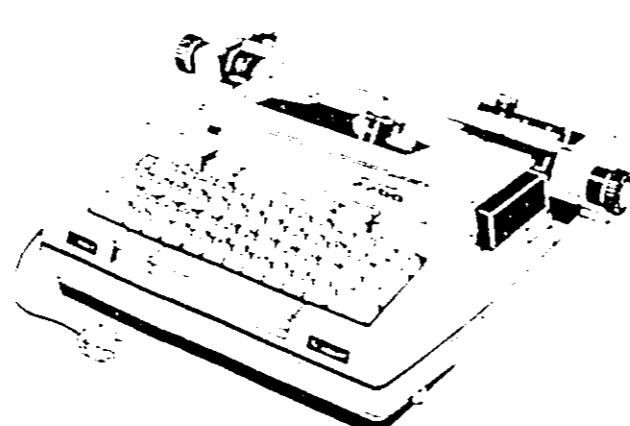
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Tips on the selection and care of a Christmas tree

How fire-resistant a Christmas tree is depends more on moisture content than on how recently it was cut.

Because flame resistance depends on water content more than freshness, fire marshal regulations and home care recommendations focus on keeping the tree moist.

Why focus on flammability? If there's a tragic fire that's in any way associated with someone's natural Christmas tree, it can be the alarm that gets off all kinds of extreme tightening of your state's fire safety codes. The Christmas tree industry has been active in establishing fire safety regulations from the start.

Michigan State University experts advise that should a high moisture content that the butt be recut before setting it in the stand and that the stand be large enough to hold an adequate amount of water.

If your Christmas tree stand holds only a pint, your tree will be thirsty before the end of the first day. "A six or seven-foot tree may absorb as much as three quarts of water per day."

Fortunately, more and more stands that hold at least a gallon of water are now offered for sale.

Research shows that an evergreen tree can safely lose about 30 percent of its moisture before the tree is set up in the home, and still absorb the lost water. But once in the home, if the supply of water is interrupted for just one day, the tree probably won't recover all its needed moisture, and will continue to dry out.

To avoid moisture loss during storage, handling and marketing, experts advise one or more of the following: bale and refrigerate trees, shade them with bows, cover them with plastic, keep the butts in water, store trees in high humidity, and/or coat them with chemicals that are antitranspirants.

Although white spruce holds moisture satisfactorily, studies show that Colorado spruce is less flammable, sheds fewer

Doyle Cribbage Club

The Doyle Cribbage Club met recently at the home of Vera McFarland. High for the evening were Elmira Lehman and Bea Nelson with 962. Low were Irene Smith and Verna Nelson with 844. High for the year is Elmira Lehman with 3767 and I is Ruth Letson with 3497. Serving w. Chris and Irene Smith.

County Extension

By Ann Hepler



needles and holds more water.

Many experts don't recommend most of the additives sold to keep trees fresh. The research shows that if you use an additive, your tree may take up more water, but it won't be any less flammable or lose fewer needles than if you simply kept the tree in enough water.

You may also have heard people recommend setting the tree trunk in hot water briefly before putting it in cold. The research shows that method doesn't really help either. Ample water provided continuously is enough.

Concluding I want to re-emphasize the following tips: first, select the freshest tree possible; second, keep the butt end in water at all times if possible; third, select a stand with a large water container; fourth, keep the container filled and fast of all when your tree does get dry remove it from the house or discontinue using the lights on the tree. Careful observation will help make your Christmas season a safe one.

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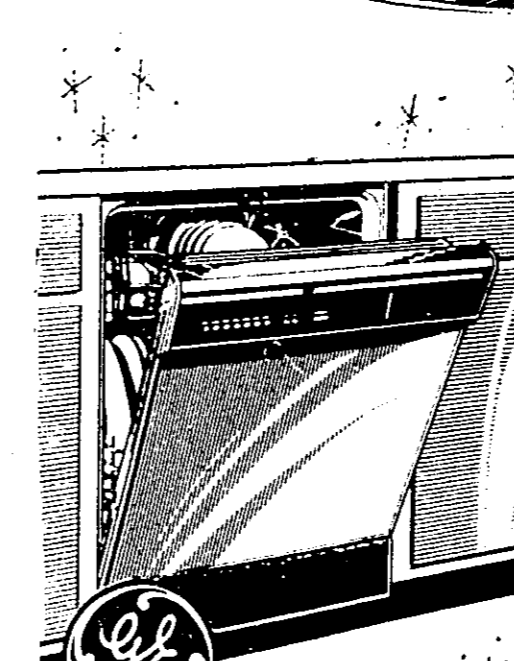
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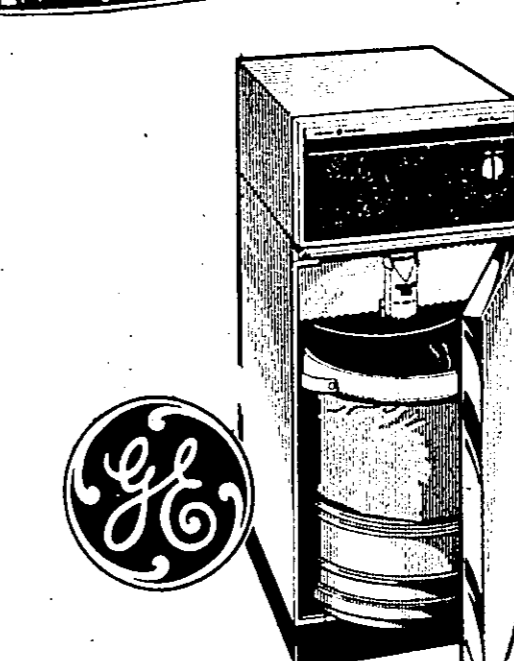
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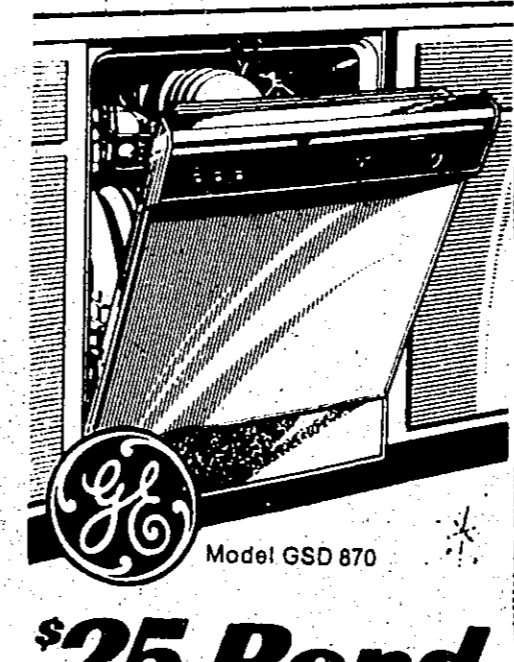
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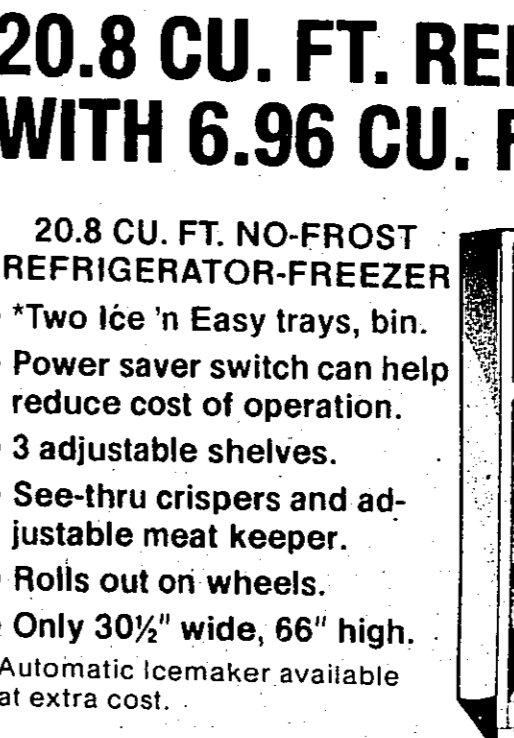
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Guests were Ruth Willet, Peggy Sharp, Mary Lloyd Parsly, Ella Wozniak, Lillian Moody, Sissie Tatrow, Fern Grenier and Joyce Glenn. Awards were given to Ella Wozniak, Blondie Lester and Peggy Sharp.

Lucille Mercier is a patient in the St. Francis Hospital in Escanaba.

Tops Chapter 982, Garden met on Nov. 25. Best loser of the week was Beatrice Pellitier. Best loser for the month of November was Jerrilyn Potvin. The club's loss for the month of Nov. was 12 pounds. The chapter met again on Dec. 2, with Barbara LaVinge as best loser of the week. Winners of the latest contest were Barbara LaVinge and Margurite Boudreau.

The Tops Chapter held their Christmas party on Dec. 5. The party was combined with ceremonies honoring Beatrice Pellitier who recently attained KOP's status. The room was decorated with small pine tree sprayed white and decorated with gold ornaments and garland. Beatrice Pellitier was presented with a Christmas bouquet of carnations. Her Tops history was read and presented to her as a keepsake. The group then played games, held a sing-a-long and shared a low-calorie snack. Gifts were exchanged and Ellen Robere won a Christmas tree as a door prize.

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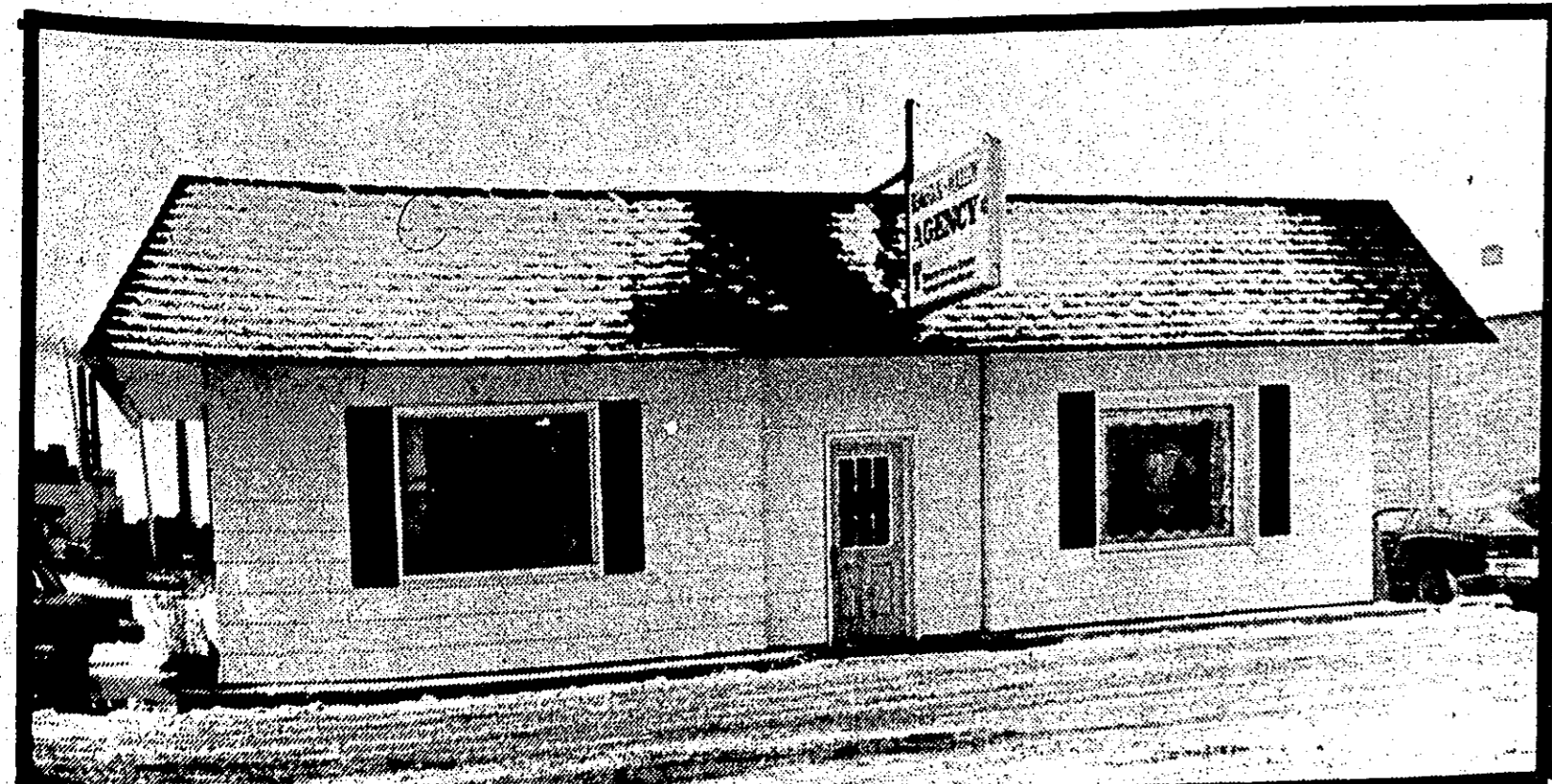
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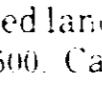
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4H Report
 by Chris Keener

Gift ideas for 4-Hers in our area

Now that we are well into December, it is time to start thinking about Christmas presents for your sons and daughters. What better gift could you give than one that would help them in their 4-H projects for this year.

Grooming and showing articles for 4-H horse and steer projects would be a welcome addition to 4-Hers in these areas. Hand tools are just the thing for wood carving and leather tooling. If macrame is being practiced, you can never have enough "jute" which seems to be used up rapidly.

Quality scissors are a must for all young sewers in the family. A sewing box, tape measure, straight pins, needles and other sewing items would assist any 4-H sewing project.

Supplies that would make good gifts for someone interested in arts and crafts are almost endless. Paints, brushes, kits, models, books and instruction manuals are just a few ideas.

Whatever 4-H area your son or daughter are a part of this year, a Christmas gift that would encourage them in their efforts would be a welcome gift indeed. Happy shopping!

Public access funds

Funds for improving the public access site at Dodge Lake in Schoolcraft County have been appropriated.

Arthur Fieldhauser of the DNR's Marquette regional waterways division says \$4,000 will be spent this spring or summer to chip and double seal the entire access site. Fieldhauser mentioned erosion as the prime motivation for improving the site.

Memorial book

"The Massacre at Fall Creek" by Jessamyn West has been presented to the Manistique School and Public Library as a memorial to the late William Schutt, father of Richard Schutt, 309 Lake St.

The American saga was given by friends of the family. It is currently available for circulation.

Manistique Area Schools hot lunch

Doyie, Fairview, Lakeside, Lincoln, Hiawatha and high school the week of Dec. 19-22.

Monday: Pork & Gravy w. potatoes, buttered carrots, dessert, peanut butter, bread and butter, chocolate milk.

Tuesday: Ravioli, green beans, fruit, peanut butter, bread and butter, milk.

Wednesday: Turkey gravy, whipped potatoes, beets, dessert, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday: Lasagna, coleslaw, orange juice, dessert, peanut butter, bread and butter, milk.

Sturgeon Spearing Season Statewide

The Natural Resources Commission, under the authority of sections 1 and 3 of Act No. 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, orders that for five years beginning January 1, 1978, it shall be unlawful to take or attempt to take sturgeon by means of spears from the inland waters of this State, except during the month of February of each year.

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Local businesses serving you

<p>Auto Repair</p> <p>BAKERS BODY SHOP Specializing in Body Repair and painting. 24 hour wrecker service. One mile outside city limits on old U.S.2. 341-6246.</p> <p>GEORGE'S AUTO REPAIR specializes in front end alignments and wheel balancing. Also expert engine and body repair. Phone 341-5070 552 Manistique Ave.</p>	<p>Cable Television</p> <p>For the best reception of television and FM radio signals, subscribe to cable television. Contact MANISTIQUE CABLE TELEVISION 207 S. Cedar 341-5457.</p>	<p>Photographers</p> <p>VOGL STUDIO - Everything in photography. Professional photography for every special occasion. 119 S. Cedar 341-5195.</p>
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	<p>Gift and Decorator</p> <p>THE SHADOWBOX - Unique Gifts, pottery, wicker, tables, lamps, dinnerware, glassware, Wagners teas and spices, dried weeds and straw flowers, candles.</p>	<p>Women's Apparel</p> <p>THE VOGUE - The latest in fashion for women: Paddle and Saddle, Cataline, Alex Coleman, Koret, Joyce, Jantzen, Terry, Lingerie by Deena, plus purses, jewelry, swimwear and accessories. Downtown Manistique.</p>

Natural Resources Commission Action
 (under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

OPEN SEASONS AND CATCH LIMITS ON PIKE* WALLEYE* SAUGER AND MUSKELLUNGE

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on August 12, 1977, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, ordered that its subject order of August 15, 1975, remain effective through December 31, 1977, and that the following order become effective on January 1, 1978:

It shall be unlawful to take the following named species except within the open seasons and daily limits prescribed (statewide regulations apply unless otherwise restricted):

Statewide open seasons on all waters not otherwise closed to fishing shall be from May 15 through February on walleye, sauger, northern pike, and muskellunge (including tiger muskellunge). The daily catch limit shall be 5 singly or in combination for largemouth and smallmouth bass, walleye, sauger, and northern pike; 1 for muskellunge (including tiger muskellunge).

The above regulations apply except that clear water, lake St. Clair, and Lake Erie; and that muskellunge in Lake St. Clair, St. Clair and Detroit rivers may be taken only from the first Saturday in June through December 15 of each year.

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NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION
 (under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended and Act 165, P.A. 1929, as amended)

Designation of Trout Lakes For 1978

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 15, 1977, meeting, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, and Act 165, P.A. 1929, as amended, designated the following lakes as trout lakes and restricted fishing on certain lakes as indicated.

Lakes shown in capital letters are new designations for 1977. Live minnows may not be used for bait on those lakes denoted by an asterisk.

ALCONA: Horseshoe* (T26N,R5E) and O'Brien lakes*
 ANTRIM: Green Lake*
 ALGER: Addis Lake and Pond; Cherry, Grand Marais, Mirror, Trueman, Hike, Irwin, Rock, and Violet (Grants) lakes; Cole Creek and Kingston ponds; the ponds on Sec. 25, T46N, R20W and Sec. 30, T46N, R19W; Sullivan Pond (Sec. 21), T49N, R15W; Rock River Ponds (Sec. 14, T46N, R21W)
 CHARLEVOIX: Boyne Falls Pond*
 CHEBOYGAN: Weber Lake*, Twin Lake # 1*
 CHIPPEWA: Naomikong Lake; Trout Brook Pond (Sec. 22, T44N, R4W); Naomikong and Roxbury ponds
 CLINTON: Burke Lake (10-inch size limit on all trout; artificial lures only)
 CRAWFORD: Bright*, Glory*, Horseshoe*, Kneff*, and Shupac* lakes
 DELTA: Carr Ponds (Sec. 26, T43N, R18W); Lake 23, Square and Wintergreen lakes; Zigmaul Pond
 GLADWIN: Hoister* and Trout* lakes
 GOGEBIC: Beatons Lake
 GRAND TRAVERSE: SAND LAKE # 2 (artificial lures only, 15" size limit)
 IRON: Deadman's, Hannah Webb, Killdeer, Madelyn, Skyline and Spree lakes
 LAPEER: Cedar Lake (10-inch size limit on all trout; artificial lures only)
 LUCE: Bennet Springs lakes; Brockie and Buckies ponds; Dillingham, Holland (artificial lures with one single pointed hook only, limited to two trout over 15"), Jack, Lost, and Peanut lakes; Silver Creek, Spring Creek, and Third Creek ponds; Benny, Mood, Trout, Ward, and Wolverine, and Youngs lakes
 MACKINAC: McAlpine and Millicoquin ponds
 MARQUETTE: Airport, Bedspring, Clear, Cliff, Cranberry, Grass, Haywire, Hemmings (Flopper), Island, Just, Kidney (Sec. 28, T45N, R26W), Lake 41, Long, and Moccasin lakes; Section Fourteen, Section Twenty-eight, Little Trout, Swanzy, and Big Trout lakes, Morgan Pond and all ponds on Spring Pond creeks in Sec. 13, 24, T48N, R28W
 OAKLAND: Dickinson Lake (12-inch size limit, 3 fish creel limit during June, July and August. No kill during remainder of Trout season - artificial lures only)
 OSCEOLA: Center Lake*
 OSCODA: Crater Lake*
 OTSEGO: Pickrel Lake*
 SCHOOLCRAFT: Clear Creek Pond; Ned's, Bear and Dutch Fred Lakes, Spring and King's ponds

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Holiday



Tribune M. Eisenlohr

Gifts for needy

KIWANIS Secretary-Treasurer Dave Rood Jr. displays one of several toys that have been left at the Kiwanis Drop Box at the Ramada Inn. The Kiwanis Club of Schoolcraft County has placed several boxes in local stores to receive the gifts donated by area residents. The new and used toys will be turned over to the Dept.

of Social Services, which will distribute them to needy families in the area. The Ramada Inn is also planning in helping the program by arranging a special visit from Santa Claus on Dec. 18, 19, and 20. Any donations received at that time will be given to the Kiwanis program.

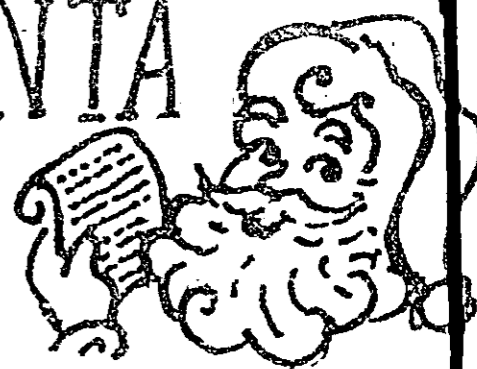
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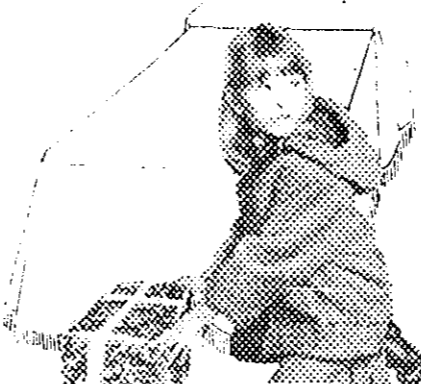
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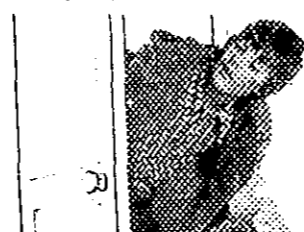
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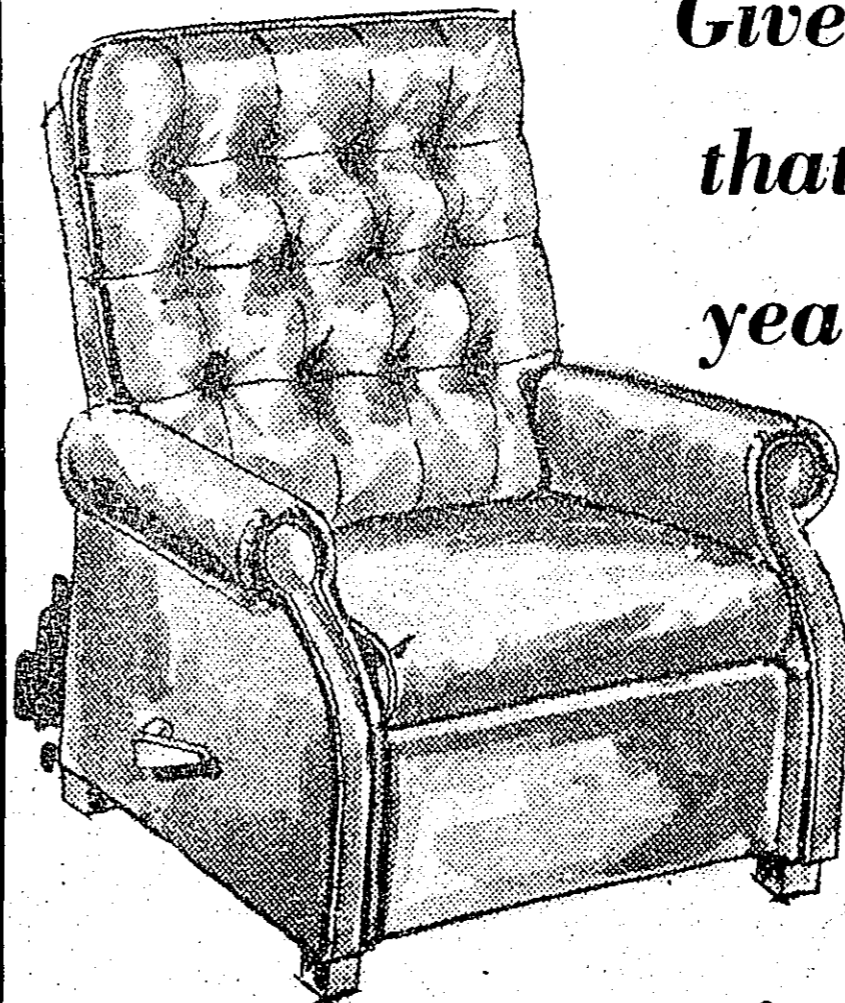


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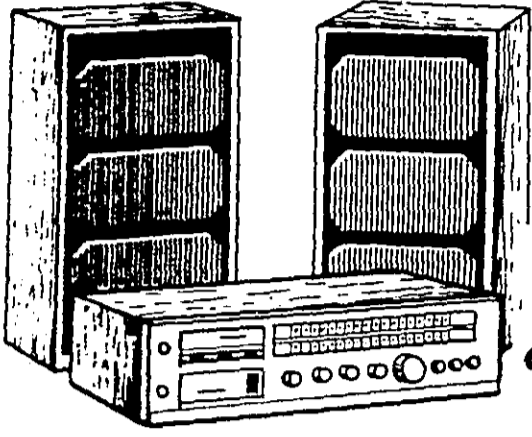
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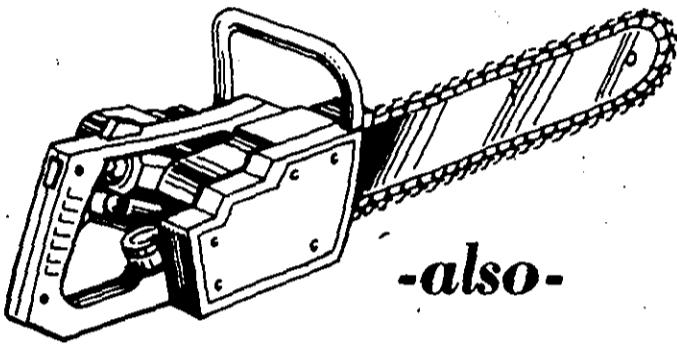


Tribune A. McC...

SANTA AND MRS. Claus enjoy the company of about 1,000 area youngsters Saturday at Manistique High School. Sponsored by Santa's Helpers and area businesses and citizens, children were

given candy and gifts to make the hour-long wait in line well worth it. Mr. and Mrs. Claus and elves also visited adult foster care homes in the Germfask area.

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There are hundreds of things you could include. With Michigan's high standards for comminuted (ground)

meats, sausages or bolognas would be a welcome gift for an out-of-state resident. Michigan wines also make an excellent gift. Our state ranks number four nationally in wine production and the quality is higher than most people believe.

A friend of mine is an apiarist--that's a bee-keeper--and he's assembling a set of various varieties of honey for a package I'm sending to relatives overseas. They'll get buckwheat, clover, apple and other honey specialties.

Another idea you might try is a package of canned Michigan pie fillings. There are lots of them, including cherry, apple, peach and blueberry.



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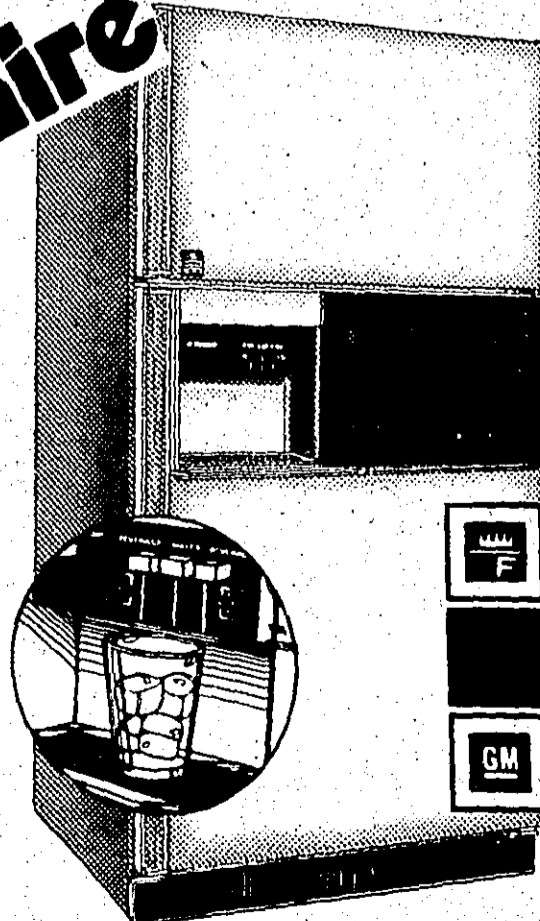
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I want two walkie talkies for Christmas, and I hope your elves don't catch cold.

Love,
Brian Norton

Dear Santa,
I would like a radio and a reading

Love,
Kent Marohl

Dear Santa,
I want some dolls and a horse.

Chiffon Osterhout

Dear Santa,
I want a snow mobile for Christmas and a pair of skis.

Bobby Weingarten

Dear Santa,
I want Bionic man and a jeep.

Love,
Eric Keane

Dear Santa,
I want a bike with some with a motor on it.

Rael Ayotte

Dear Santa,
I want a pair of skis. I want a snow machine with a motor.

Mike Cournaya

Dear Santa,
I want a pair of skis and big mittens.

Love,
Greg Dibble

Dear Santa,
I want a boat with two nets and a stretch munster stroing.

Love,
Jesse Jenerou

Dear Santa,
I want a pellet gun and a Good Guy set.

Love,
Chris Herlik

Dear Santa,
I want a sled and a truck and a walkie-talkie.

Love,
Robin Woodruff

Dear Santa,
I want a Mr. Pro fessor calculator.

Love,
Sheila Burton

Dear Santa,
I want a "Baby Heart beat" doll.

Love,
Terri Poweil

Dear Santa,
I want a car for Christmas, and a little Professor calculator.

Adam Bud Frehette

Dear Santa,
I hope that you don't get burned in the chimney.

Love,
Stanley Zellar

Dear Santa,
I would like a typewriter.

Love,
ShannonLee Gerlach

Dear Santa,
Please, I want a jewelry box and a new jacket and hurry my birthday.

Love,
Charla Marie Martz

Dear Santa,
I sure need some warm clothes.

Love,
Matt Allan Dehanke

Dear Santa,
I want four batteries.

Love,
Heath Woodruff

Dear Santa,
I want a game of jaws.

Love,
Brenda Carney

Dear Santa,
I want a Marie and some clothes for her.

Love,
Amy Bridges

Dear Santa,
I want a big tron and a space station.

Pat

Dear Santa,
I will like a Stretch Armstrong men and two walkie talkies.

Danny Lancour

Dear Santa,
I want a dinosaur and a skeleton.

Johnnie LaVance

From third grade at Doyle:

Dear Santa,
How are thing going in the North Pole. Is Rudolph sick I hope not. I like your beard. I hope you have a good time flying your sled. Tell Rudolph that I said hi.

from,
Jeff

Dear Santa Clous,
I hope you go to my house. By the way give the mice a piece of cheese and I want a snow blocker and a rabbit gun and giant blocks.

Michel Schnurer

Dear Santa,
I wish that I were your daughter. I would help the elves on Christmas Eve. Oh! I all most forgot. Will you bring me a watch and some walkie talkies. And please bring me a typewriter and a calculator. I like you and Mrs. Santa Claus.

Love,
Karin Wickwire

Dear Santa,
I hope you have a good Christmas. Don't forget everyone is excepting you. It is a pleasure for you to come. We just love the presents you gives us. Do you remember the present you promise my Grandpa always said hide on the couch and you can see Santa. We moved so don't forget us.

I would like a stroller a wonder women doll a lamp a baby this n that.

Love,
Susanne Kopecky

Dear Santa,
I like your withe snowy beard. I like your fat belly. I like your reindeer. I like the presents you left me last year. I want a thirsty baby with bottle a stroller and clothes and easy bake a pop machine and play dishes and two piece snow suit and typewriter. I hope you have a happy Christmas.

Lisa Goudreau

Dear Santy Claus,
For Christmas I would like a new sports car, some blank checks, a private yahte, a Mansion, a free trip to Disney World, five calculators, an automatic typewriter and a X-1,000 computer. And Oh yea, a superman comic book.

Lotsa Love,
Mike Setterlind

Dear Santa,
I am going to tell you about a pome about xmas holidays. Xmas is a day of joy, of lafter and of toys xmas is a day of wishes and must of all you. How did you like it. I hope you thik that it was good. I tried as hard as I could. The thing I want you to do is to riat back to me. I am going to have to stop taking to you have a mairy xmas.

With lots of love,
Zhoanna

To Santa
Dear Santa, I would like some match box cars for Christmas. Very much and a birdebird to.

Love,
Mike Hinkson


Dear Santaclos,
I whant Babey comeback and Sopr Stare Barbe. And a new sled and a some barbe closs. And a new parofcass and a milikng cow and a new book and a new braslit and meclis and rining and some pladow. And a new tedey bear. and some dishes and a new par of shos.

Cindy

Dear Santa,
Will you bring me baby wont let go. And a holly hobby oven. And a set of magic markers. And Mr. Mouth. And a little bunny. For christmas.

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Dear Santa,
 I want roller skates.

Julie Jynn Norton

Dear Santa,
 I want baby that a way and gum and a play and maker and typewriter.

Love,
 Tammy Bosanic

Dear Santa Claus,
 I want a jewelry maker santa claus. And a sewing machine and a typewriter.

I like you santa claus and some clothes and a calculator to. I hope you do't get stuck in the chimmney.

Nikki Lyn Hamill

Dear Santa,
 I wish you a happy new year and I want a doll.

Kim

Dear Santa Claus,
 I love santaclaus calculator and typewriter and clothes. I love you santa claus?

I Love you,
 Patti Jo McGhan

Dear Santa Claus,
 I like you and I like Christmas to and I like the part when Jesus is born.

Tina Syers

Dear Santa,
 I want a Walkie Talkie a Stuffed Animal Electric Train Records a Race Car Set a Watch a Typewriter a Snow conemaker and, a claculator and a Sled. Don't get stuck in the chimmney.

David Brown

Dear Santa,
 Please tell your reindeer that I will leave some salt and sugar. And Santa I will leave some pop and a sandwich for you. And santa will you please get me two walkie talkies and ice skates some giant tinkertoys.

Paul Anderson

Dear Santa,
 I want Jewelry maker calculator Bionic Woman typewriter.

Love,
 Rina Hubble.

Dear Santa,

I want a walkie-talkie and a fire engine and Bionic Bigfoot Bionicman NEW BOOTS.

Jesse LaVance

Dear Santa,
 I want a rupp and a 222.

Shawn Carlson

Dear Santa Claus,
 I love you santa Merry Christas santa. I want a Jewelry Maker, But I hope you don't get stak in the chimney.

Melissa Kaye Hamill

Dear Santa,
 I want a CB truck and a tractor thet lifts and dumps.

Loren Hamiel.

Dear Santa,
 I want the bionic woman doll a eating doll and a barbie doll.

Karen Cleveland

Dear Santa,
 I want a kitty cat. I want a new bike. I want a B man. I want a minny Bike. I want Christmas Santa.

Jimmy S.

Dear Santa,
 I want a Easy Bake oven and typewriter.

Dear Santa Claus,
 I want a Doctor kit and I want jewelry maker I am going to in Grandma ovr to ar hoous Christmas. I go to Doyle school.

Jessica Vandert

Dear Santa Claus,
 I want a bike and a truck.

Jeff S.

Dear Santa,
 Merry Christmas. I want a drum with drum sticks, some arrows with a pack to put them in a watch, and typewriter.

Joel P.

Dear Santa,
 I would like a jewelry maker and crybaby.

Lisa Cousineau

Dear Santa,
 I want a game called tincan ally.

David Caernon

Dear Santa,
 I want a watch and a fishing rod and a calculator and a C.B. and walkie talkie and a electric train.

Doug Troy

Dear Santa,
 I want a jewlry maker and clothes day come back.

Patty Brown

Dear Santa,
 A jewelry maker and a typewriter. The Bionic woman, calculator. Clothes.

Love

Amy Goudreau

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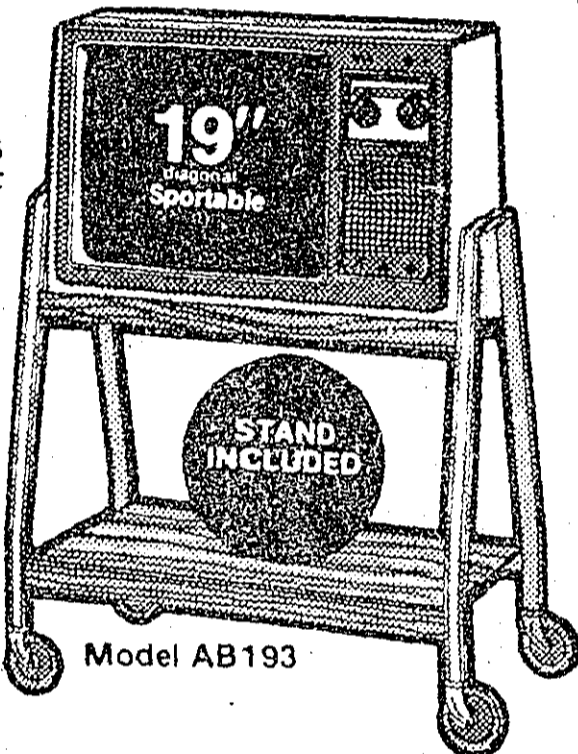
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Dear Santa,
 Don't miss me because I want a GI
 and another cat.

Todd Cleveland

Dear Santa,
 I wish you a happy time at your
 job. I hope you are having a fun
 time making toys. I have fun
 decorating our Christmas tree.

Will you bring me, a set of
 walkie-talkies and a rase track with
 cars, and a set of micronauts,
 and a toy gun.

Matthew Brown

Dear Santa,
 I hope you have a good Christmas
 like us. I will be very good so I
 get a lot of candy and presents.
 Rudolph's nose redder? I hope
 Rudolph's nose is. I want some
 toys and a typewriter and a
 teddy bear and a purse and a
 suit and a monkey record and a
 sewing machine.

love,

Kimmy Sue Woodruff

Dear Santa,
 I like snow I love to slide in the
 snow and make a snow fort and a
 snowman and ride a snowmobile. I
 want something for Christmas I
 want a toy van and ambulance.

Dan Corwin

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are you? I am fine. How are
 your reindeer? I hope you have a
 good Christmas. I like you belly.
 When you giggle your belly shakes
 like jello. I like your red suit. Tell Mrs.
 Claus I said Hi. I will give you some
 cookies. I like the toys you make. I
 love to go. Good By.

Love,

Kristi Wingo

Dear Santa,
 I hope you are having a good time
 making toys. Please bring me an
 electric train if you can't that's o.k.

Love,

Matt Derber

Dear Santa,
 I want a Baby come back and a
 record player and tippy tumbles and
 a radio and a big dollhouse and a
 connect for game and that is all.
 And I love you santa.

from,

Michele Catherine Walters.

Dear Santa Claus,
 I like your snow white beard and
 your reindeer and especially Rud-
 olph. I like the toys that your elves
 made. How are you doing at the
 north pole? I hope you have a good
 time coming here. I hope you don't
 forget the presents. I hope you don't
 forget to bring presents to us at our
 house and bring me a erector set and
 a watch and a tape for my tape
 player and I want evel knevel and a
 motorbike and a play gun and a C.B.

from,

Kurt L. Froyer

Dear Santa,
 I like your snow white beard. I like
 your black buckle and boots and
 your fire red coat and white snow
 fur. I like you Santa and I ask you to
 get me this. A doll and a dress a
 neckless and earrings and bracelet to
 match. And stuffed animal and
 playdo and the games monopoly and
 payday oh! and some bluejeans. And
 an ice cream maker and some
 different presents.

Love,

Jeannie Marie Jenerou

Dear Santa,
 I hope you are having a good time.
 What are you doing.
 I want a set of walkie talkie I want
 a set of guns I want a set of pistol.

Douglas Barr

Dear Santa Claus,
 I like your snowy white beard. And
 I like your little round belly that rolls
 like jelly. I like your elves that make
 us toys. And I like your Reindeer
 especially Rudolph. I love you too, I
 really do. Santa I want a watch and
 Evel Knevil and a dump truck too,
 rollerskates and a crane and a foot
 ball too, and how wheels and sizzlers
 and walkie-talkies and a bulldozer
 and a cement roller and work men
 and a horse. Have a Merry Christ-
 mas.

from,

Shawn Patrick Snyder

Dear Santa,
 I like your fat belly that wiggles
 like jelly and I like your white beard.
 Santa I want a doll named baby
 come back and a mini bike and a
 kick'n go bike and a record player
 and I want a ribbon for my
 typewriter and a dress. I will have
 some date cookies and a glass of
 milk on the table and there will be
 some presents on the table for you.

Love,

Amy Jenerou

Dear Santa,
 I like your jolly fat bely. And I your
 white beard. But most of all I like you
 because you give candy and pres-
 ents. Why do you love boys and
 girls? And why do they love you? Is
 is because your nice to them or is it
 because you give them presents? I
 don't know but I love you. Thankyou
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 me.

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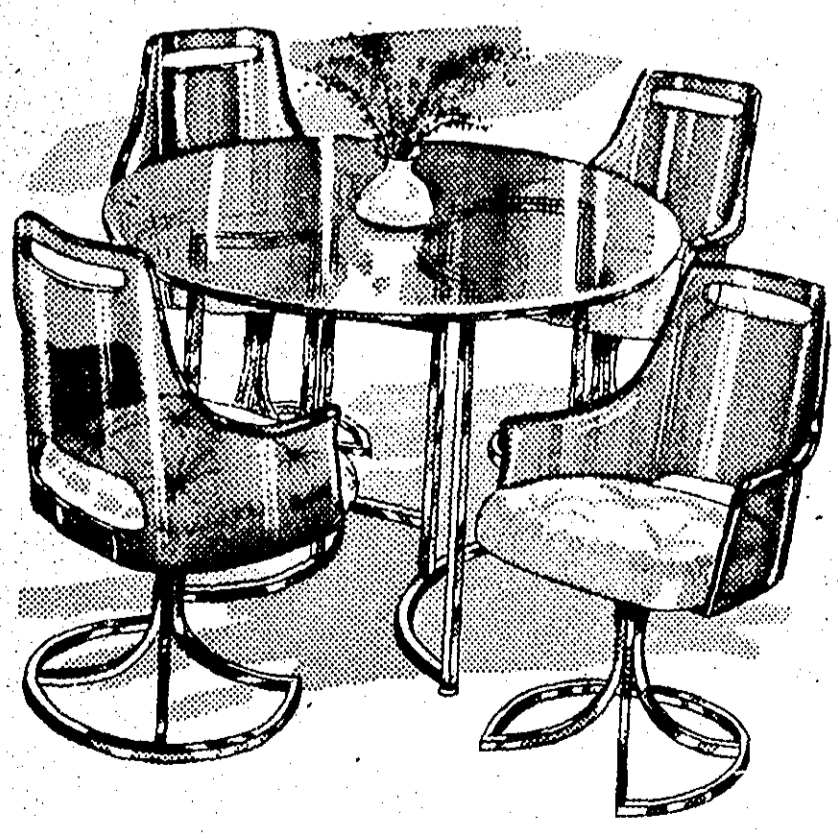
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John Messer

Dear Santa,
I want a Doll for Christmas and a woch and a shart and a pair of pants but you got hard work to do. Thank you for doing this for me.

Beth Pawley

Dear Santa,
I want a baby come bake but nothing else. Please.

Shannon Snyder

Dear Santa Claus,
I am 3 years old and my mama and daddy said I was a good boy this year. This is what I want for Christmas: a football and helmet, police car, doctor's kit with a nurse and a baby sister. And please bring my friend "Beda" a big kiss.

Richie Allen Blowers

Dear Santa,
First I would like to thank you for last year's gift's. This year I would like a clock that match's my lamp. A nice Jenny Doll. A easy bake oven and some bake goods. Also a stroller for my dolls and any thing else you would like to bring. There will be some goodies on the table for you. Don't forget my brother Donnie.
Thank you Merry-Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus and elves.

Kellie Jo Lemaster

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a BB gun, stretch arm strong, watch, punching bag and gloves, fork and spoon knife, the Bionic man game, happy days game. My brother Tommy would like a Play and make kitchen, fire truck and men, maskatron, stretch monster town dump game. I will leave you some milk and cookies and some sugar for your reindeer.

Thank you Santa
Jim and Tom Hohob

Dear Santa,
I would like Tippy Tumbles, Pumper Barber Shop, Easy Bake Oven, Mickey Mouse Kingdom & Marching Mickey Mouse & Mandy & that's all.
Thank you for the stuff you brought me last year.

Dear Santa,
I would like a baby come back and a Rub-a-dub-dollie. Also I would like to tell you I love you. For Christmas I would like milky the cow. And I want a pizza hut and I want a gun. And a truck. So I would appreciate it if you would bring them to me.

Love,
Karena

Dear Santa,
This year I would like a desk, a piano, a doctor set and also a color paint set a light a doll whose name is Kelli and some doll clothes.
Thank you, I have already written you one letter.
Please have a Merry Christmas Santa.
I Love You Santa.

Thank you Santa,
Traci Wood

Dear Santa,
Here are carrots for the reindeer. I will leave cheese on the table for Santa mouse. Hot chocolate for Santa. Santa get a reindeer for Daddy and if you want any more chocolate - make it with hot water - It's on the left - if you want any coffee or Pancakes make, & then if you want to go you can.

Love,
Kelly

Dear Santa,
I want a viewmaster, a tricycle & toy horse.
Here comes Santa! Ho! Ho! Ho!
Skeeter wants a bone and a ball too.

Dear Santa,
I want bett crocker easy bake oven - \$11.99, Teeter-Totter watch - \$3.44.

Dear Santa,
Tommy Tucker would like you to bring him pink panther, talking telephone, whistling chocho train.

Dear Santa Clause,
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Love,
Jason Arnold

Dear Mr. Claus,
For Christmas I would like a Baby Come Back, a Super Star Barbie and van, Charlies Angels and a Farrah Fawset Majors stiling head.

Yours truly,
Mike Hinkson

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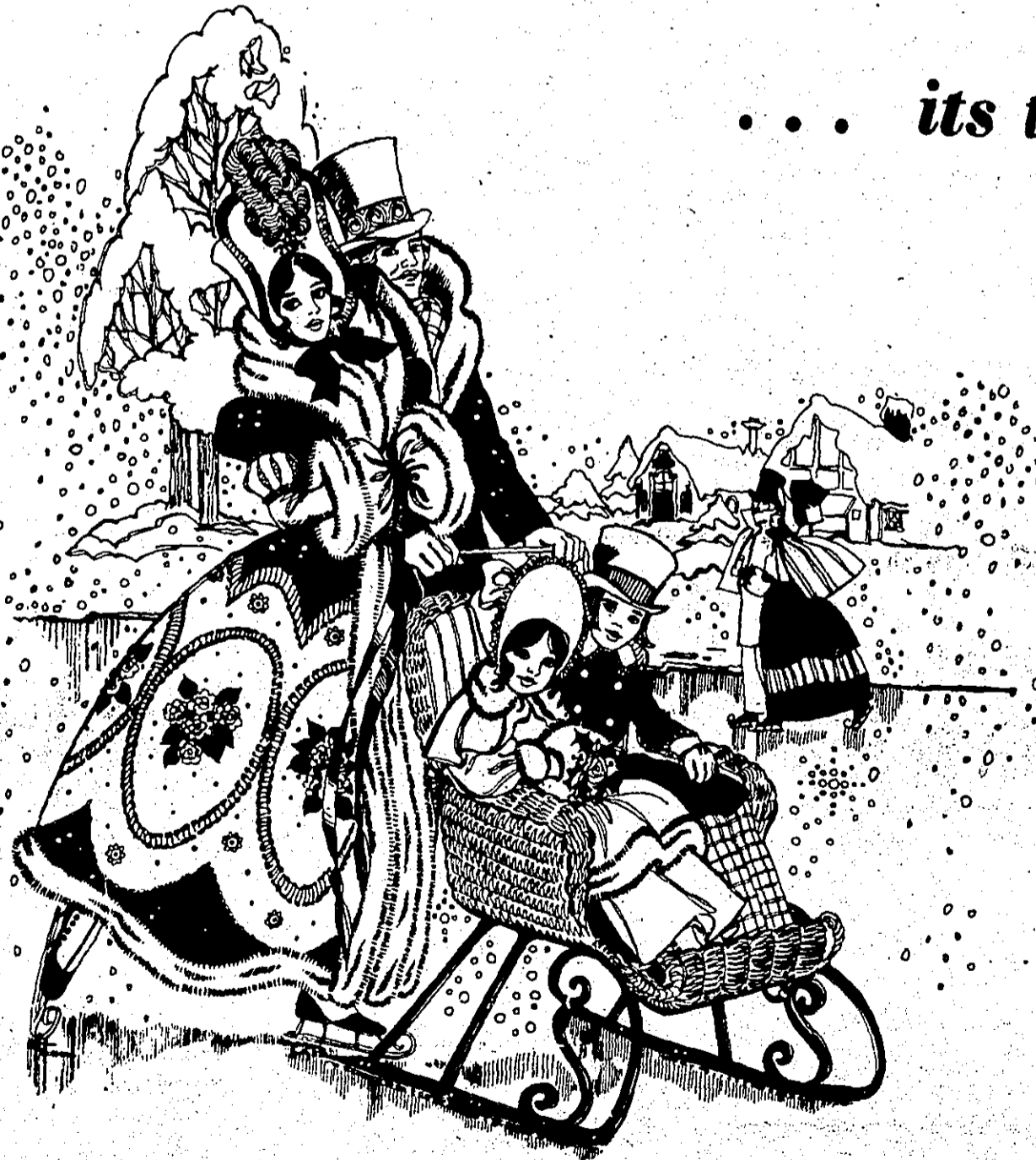
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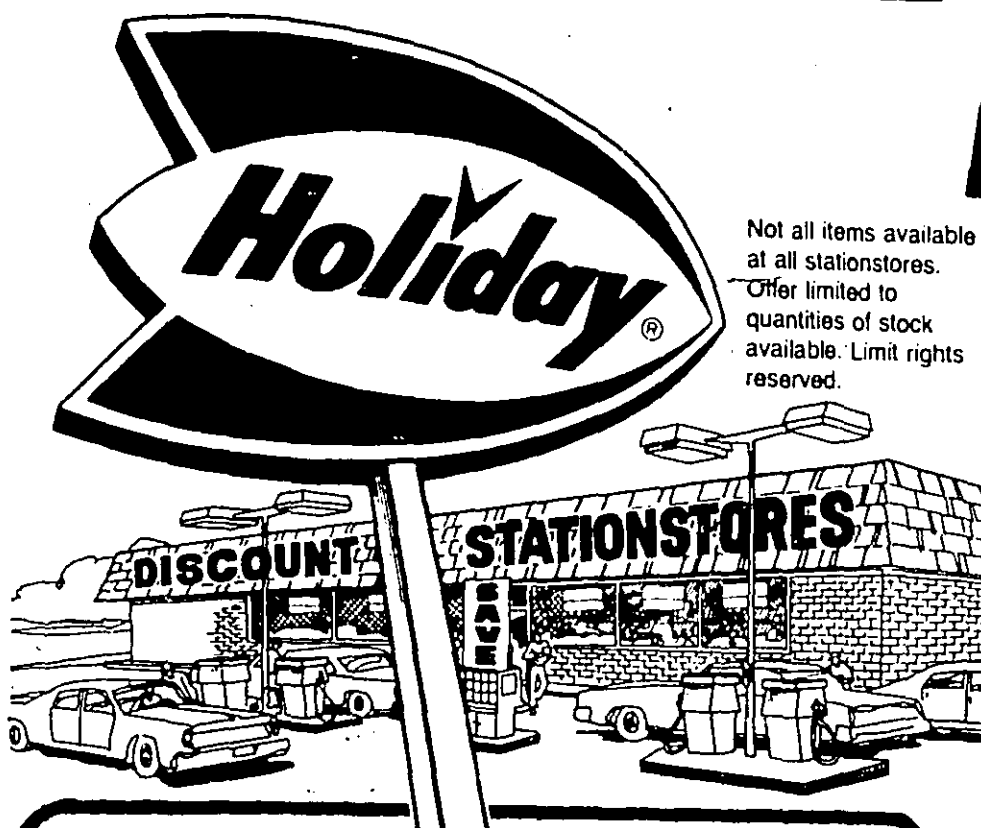
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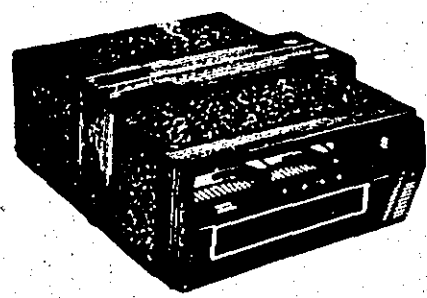
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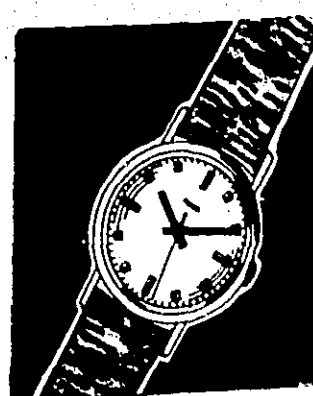
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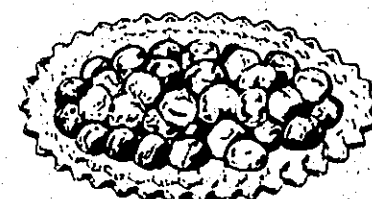


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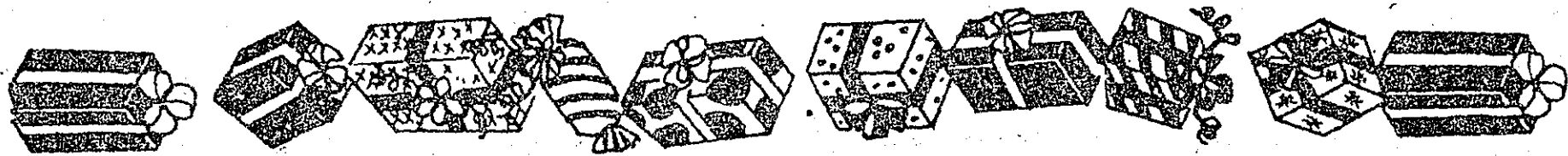
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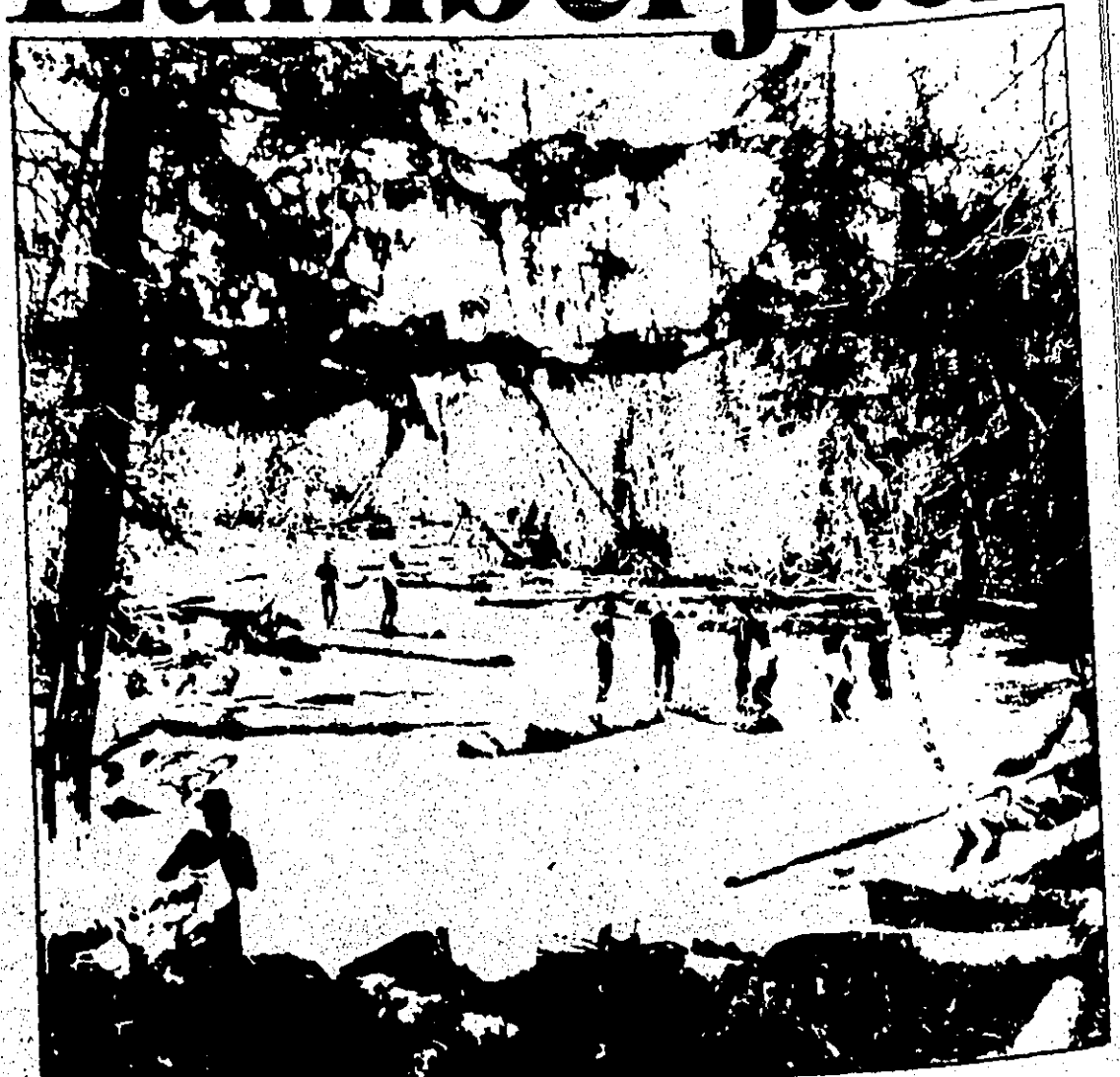
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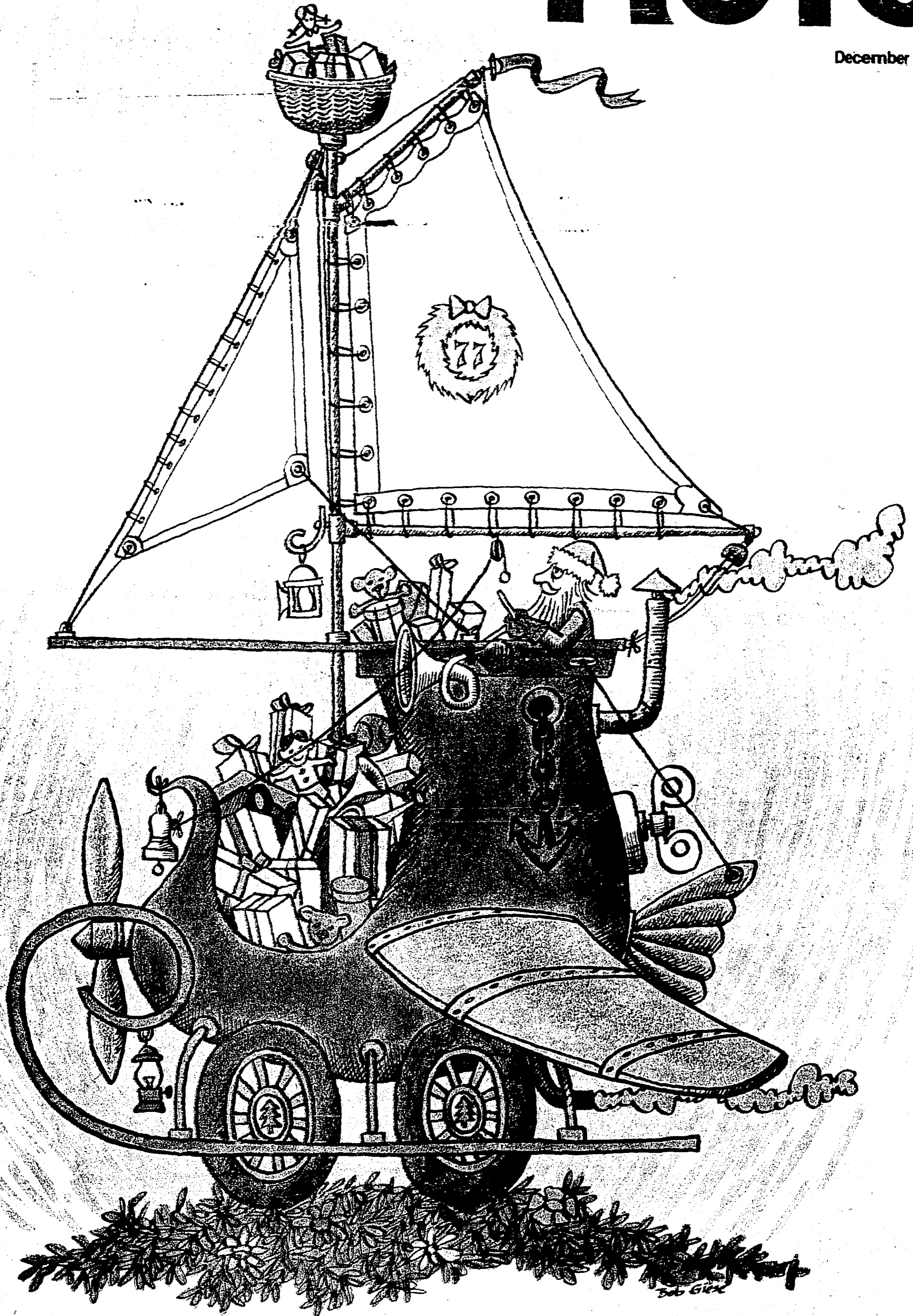
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A Special Tang For The Holidays

by Sandy Bloom, Midwest Roto Food Consultant The juicy ripe fruit of the orange provides a delicious tang for holiday treats. Use it for holiday foods you plan to share with your friends, or for those extra special goodies you will be preparing for your family this holiday season.

Yuletide Citrus Ambrosia

1 tablespoon fresh squeezed lemon juice
2 tablespoons honey
1 medium banana, sliced
2 oranges, peeled, cut in bite-size pieces
¼ cup raisins
¼ cup flaked or shredded coconut
½ cup miniature marshmallows
In bowl combine lemon juice, honey; stir in banana slices. Add orange pieces and raisins; chill. Stir in coconut and marshmallows before serving. Makes 4 servings.

Candied Citrus Peel

4 California oranges
1 cup sugar
½ cup water
2 tablespoons light corn syrup
Granulated sugar
Wash oranges. Score peel into fourths and pull off sections. Place peel in saucepan with cold water to cover. Bring to a boil; reduce heat and simmer 10 minutes. Drain peel. Cover with fresh cold water; bring to a boil and boil 40 minutes. Drain peel; remove white membrane from inside peel with spoon or knife. Cut peel into uniform strips with kitchen scissors. Combine 1 cup sugar, ½ cup water and syrup in saucepan. Boil until thick or 228 degrees on candy thermometer. Add peel. Cook until peel becomes transparent. Drain peel in colander or coarse sieve. Spread on waxed paper to cool. Roll in granulated sugar to coat completely. Store in airtight container. Makes about ¾ pound.

Holiday Mulled Tea

12 tablespoons instant tea
1½ tablespoons whole cloves
6 cinnamon sticks (2 inches long)
3 quarts boiling water
1½ cups orange juice
¾ cup lemon juice
1 cup honey
Combine instant tea and spices. Pour boiling water over the mixture and stir until blended. Add fruit juices and honey. Stir until well blended. Serve piping hot. Makes 12 to 18 servings.

Orange Conserve

6 medium California oranges
1 medium lemon
5 cups sugar
1 cup hot water
¾ cup slices almonds
Cut thin slice off both ends of fruit. Thinly pare oranges, leaving white membrane on fruit; reserve outer peel. Cover oranges with boiling water; cook uncovered until tender, about 20 minutes. Drain and cool slightly; peel off: outer white membrane. Grate the peel from the lemon and reserve; cut away white membrane. Cut oranges and lemon into wedges, removing center cores and any seeds. Place orange peel in electric blender. Cover; blend on low speed until finely minced. Add about ⅓ of the fruit wedges and blend until mixture is coarsely "chopped", but not smooth. Pour off part of mixture and repeat with remaining fruit. Combine sugar and hot water in large heavy kettle. Cook over high heat, stirring until sugar dissolves and mixture begins to boil. Stir in grated lemon peel and blended fruit mixture. Bring mixture to a rolling boil; cook until jelly point is reached (220 degrees) or about 18 minutes. About 1 minute before mixture is done, stir in sliced almonds. Pour into sterilized jars; seal immediately with paraffin.

Orange Chip Cookies

2 cups all purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
½ teaspoon salt
½ cup softened margarine
1½ cups sugar
2 eggs
¼ cup fresh squeezed orange juice
1 pkg. (6 oz.) semi-sweet chocolate pieces
2 tablespoons grated orange peel
½ cup chopped nuts
Sift together flour, soda and salt and set aside. Cream margarine well; add sugar gradually, beating until fluffy. Add eggs, beating well. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with orange juice, beating well after each addition. Stir in chocolate chips, orange peel and nuts. Drop by teaspoons onto greased cookie sheet. Bake at 375 degrees for 12 to 15 minutes. Makes 4 dozen cookies.

Fluffy Pistachio-Orange Pie

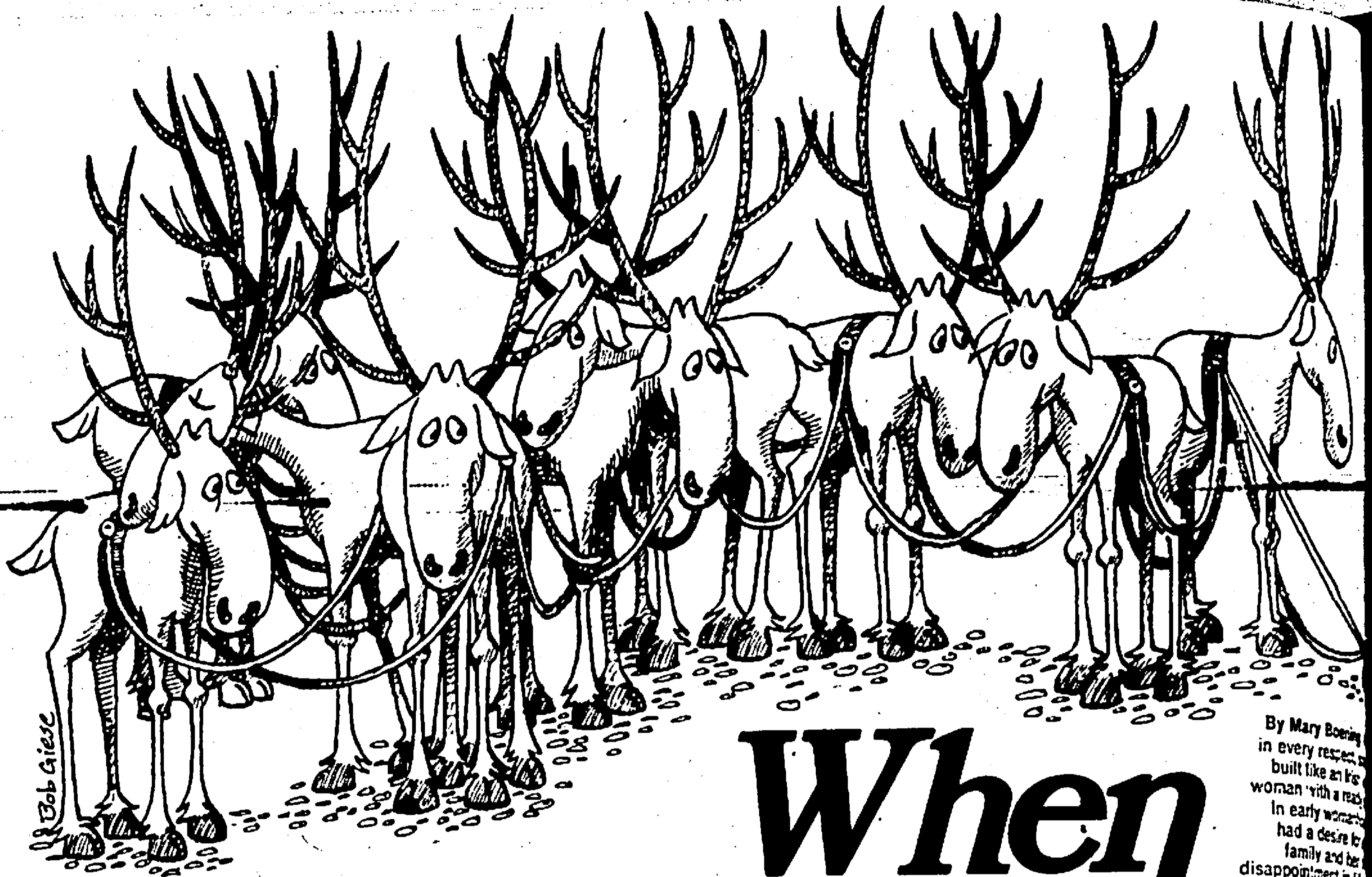
2¼ cups cold milk
1 envelope whipped topping mix
1 pkg. (4 serving size) pistachio instant pudding and pie filling
½ teaspoon grated orange rind
1 baked 9-inch chocolate crumb crust, cooled
Combine milk, whipped topping mix, pie filling mix and orange rind in deep, narrow-bottom bowl. Beat slowly until well blended. Gradually increase beating speed and beat until mixture will form soft peaks, about 3 to 6 minutes. Spoon into pie shell. Chill about 3 hours or freeze until firm. Garnish with prepared whipped topping and orange slices, if desired.
Chocolate Crumb Crust
Combine ¼ cups chocolate wafer crumbs and ¼ cup sugar. Mix in ¼ cup melted margarine. Press firmly on bottom and sides of a 9-inch pie pan. Bake at 375 degrees for 8 minutes. Cool thoroughly.

Snowy Orange Fudge

2 tablespoons margarine
2 cups sugar
¾ cup milk
1 tablespoon fresh squeezed orange juice
2 tablespoons fresh grated orange peel
½ cup chopped almonds
In saucepan, melt margarine over medium-low heat. Add sugar, milk and orange juice; stir until sugar dissolves. Cover; boil 1 minute to dissolve sugar off sides of pan. Cook uncovered, without stirring, to soft ball stage (239 degrees). Cool to lukewarm (about 45 minutes); do not stir. Stir in orange peel. Beat vigorously until mixture loses glossiness and is ready to set; add almonds. Pour immediately onto waxed paper. Cool; Cut into squares. Makes about 1 pound.

Orange Pecan Cake

1 cup margarine, softened
1¼ cups sugar
1½ cups dark corn syrup
6 eggs
3 cups sifted flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt
¾ cup orange juice
1 cup finely chopped pecans
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
Cream margarine until fluffy; gradually beat in sugar. Add ¾ cup corn syrup gradually; beat until well mixed. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Add dry ingredients alternately with ½ cup orange juice, beginning and ending with dry ingredients. Mix in grated orange rind and nuts. Pour into a greased and floured 10" by 3" tube cake pan. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) about 60 minutes or until cake springs back at the touch of finger and slightly leaves the sides of the pan. Heat together remaining syrup and juice. Pour evenly over the hot cake while still in pan. Let cake cool in pan.



When Mrs. Dee Became Santa Claus

By Mary Boering
in every respect
built like an
woman with a
In early woman
had a desire for
family and her
disappointment in life
when that a
materialized. There
many other disappoint
but Mrs. Dee
lost her sense of
There was no
At an early age she
to do the very

capabilities permitted regardless of how
the chore and to never worry about the outcome. She
lots of practice, for misfortune seemed to be her
thrived on challenges. There was little Mrs. Dee
whether it was to successfully manage a small
or handle the money for a large corporation, or
person back to health, bake a loaf of bread fit for
bait a hook, clean a fish, build a cupboard, haul a trailer
country, curl a head of hair, give a speech or raise money for a worthy

Children loved her and she always found time for them, no matter how busy. This was
her big day! The happiest day of her life when she married Mr. Dee, who was the father of
grown children, a son and three daughters. Before too long, to her delight, she became
Grandmother to seven healthy rascals who never tired of long walks in the woods, fishing
and picnics. When the oldest two boys were six and almost five, Mrs. Dee decided they

have a real live Santa visit their home in the city far away. Her
her needles and fingers were flying and an elegant
Santa suit was under construction. An order to
Frankenmuth and \$50.00 brought forth a beard, whiskers
set befitting any proper Mr. Claus. A yard of black plastic
stery material and a couple of zippers made leggings
With white man-made fur to accept the red and a string
to give it class, Mrs. Dee set about learning to drop her
a low pitched bass tone. There would be no "Mrs." Santa
ing this suit. She would become a realistic, memorable
or die in the attempt. There was little need for make-up

her 50-year-old eyes a twinkle, for they danced at the thought of her

Word got around among her friends and soon there was a need at the elementary school a block away. Mrs. Dee
costume, removed her glasses, rings and lower dentures and descended upon thirty-five eager kindergartners who were
frightened at first, but who, in moments, were eager to sit on her lap and kiss her good-bye after a number of Ho! Ho! Ho!
The first graders were not as apprehensive and listened intently as Mrs. Dee heard the wants of every last child. The second
third graders were a complete different clientele and a real challenge. Many were children from her own block. Even so

recognized their neighbor lady and friend. She related stories about the teacher when she was their age and Santa had known of some naughty tricks she had pulled, but some nice things she had done just in time to permit him to leave her a nice doll with a pink dress. Even the bullies were convinced they had actually met the "one and only" Santa Claus.

Mrs. Dee was pleased with her performance, but was unable to talk above a whisper for two days. Her throat felt like she had truly swallowed the top of her head, hair and all, but her heart was light when she again donned the outfit to deliver packages to shut-ins in the community and visit the children at a nearby state hospital.

Then came Christmas Day and the performance she had been practicing for. The entire clan gathered at the son's home in the city. Mrs. Dee's suitcase was spirited up the stairs to a safe hiding place. In due time she was assisting the older boys as they helped her set the table when their mother herded all the children to the recreation room in the basement. "Until dinner is on" she told them. Excitedly, Mrs. Dee hurried up the stairs, switched the clothes with those in the suitcase and proceeded to the back door where suddenly, from no place in particular, Santa stirred up a great commotion in search of seven children.

No children ever in the history of the world ever moved so fast as they ran up the stairs to find Santa looking for them by the Christmas tree in the living room. All thoughts of dinner, parents, or even Grandmas, were long gone. "Santa is here, right here in our house," rang throughout the rooms. Even the babies were excited, but most excited were the oldest, Jim, who was 6 and Dan, almost 5. Fearing instant identification, Mrs. Dee purposely got the names of the two boys mixed up. They were so occupied with getting that confusion in Santa's head straightened out, that they never questioned further. "I've got something else if you boys are not happy with those bikes I left at your house this morning," teased Santa.

"What? What is it?" questioned the boys, simultaneously.

"Oh, let me think. Now, I've got some dolls that walk and talk."

"No! We don't want no dolls."

"Well, I've got some washing machines and ironing boards."

"Oh, no, no, no! We want our bikes."

After much confusion, Santa said, "Be good children and have a Merry Christmas. I've got to get back to the station where I left my reindeer drinking water. Ho! Ho! Ho! Merry Christmas to

all."

Seven little faces were tight against the window as Mrs. Dee hurried to the corner waving as she turned toward the station . . . and into the backyard of the adjoining house where prearrangements had been made for Santa to slide through the gates and into the back door.

Now Mrs. Dee's advice to anyone trying this stunt is to somehow put silencers on the bells for the return trip. In spite of the excitement rampant around the Christmas tree in the front of the house at the time, the jingle bells on Santa's suit sounded like the Bells of St. Mary's to her. However, she made her descent without discovery and returned to the festivities unobserved.

Satisfied, Mrs. Dee put her suit away until the next Christmas season when a whole new set of eager youngsters were awed by her presence.

That year Jim and Dan were seven and almost six. It was a whole new approach. A year makes a tremendous difference in a child's sense of observation. The younger children were Mrs. Dee's concern that year, yet when all was quiet that evening young Dan, almost six, climbed up beside Mrs. Dee and quietly asked, "Grandma, were you that Santa Claus today?"

Surprised, Mrs. Dee replied, "Why Dan, what do you think?"

"I think you was."

"Why?"

"Cause there ain't no Santa Claus."

Mrs. Dee reached down and picked up a large teddy bear from among many toys about the house.

"Dan is this teddy bear real?"

"Naw, course not," he sneered.

"Why? What makes you think it is not real?"

"Cause he can't talk to me," Dan answered.

"But you play with it - make it what you want it to be, don't you?"

"Yeah, but . . ."

"Then what makes you think Santa Claus isn't real? Santa is just the spirit of Christmas and as long as you believe in him, he must be real, don't you think?"

Dan sat quietly in thought for a moment, then continued, "Well, I guess so . . . but . . . Grandma . . . I still think you were in those Santa Claus clothes, but I won't tell the other kids."

At times like that, what can a grandma do? Mrs. Dee just threw her arms around Dan in a big bear hug and squeezed out a juicy kiss.



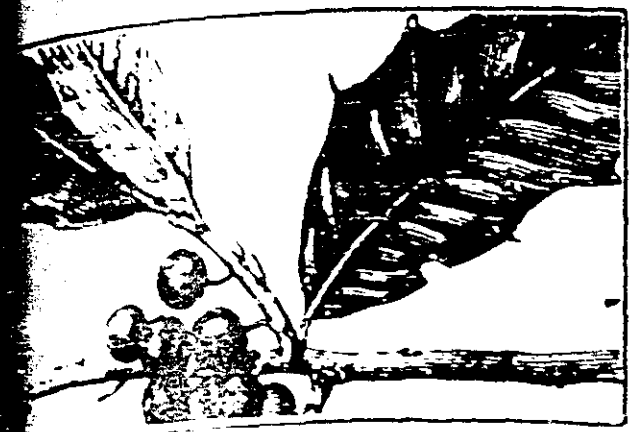
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Creamier Smoother Homemade Fudge
 with KRAFT Marshmallow Creme
Fantasy Fudge
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 1/2 cup KRAFT Margarine
 1/2 cup sugar
 1/2 cup milk
 1/2 cup cocoa
 1/2 cup nuts
 1/2 cup vanilla
 1/2 cup marshmallows
 1/2 cup KRAFT Marshmallow Creme

Combine sugar, margarine and milk in heavy 2-quart saucepan. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Continue boiling 5 minutes over medium heat, stirring constantly to prevent scorching. Remove from heat. Stir in chocolate pieces until melted. Add marshmallows, creme, nuts and vanilla. Beat until well blended. Pour into greased 8 x 8-inch pan. Cool at room temperature. Cut into squares.
 Makes 3 lbs



Christmas finds YOU...



Everywhere

Raymona Anderson "I just can't seem to get the Christmas Spirit." Have you heard those words lately? Whenever I catch myself searching for joy among the trappings of Christmas, never more than in its tidings, my mind turns back to another Christmas. As a young army wife in Hawaii, I was facing my first Christmas far from home. It was all wrong from the beginning. An early mailing deadline to the mainland brought Christmas to the islands in early October. It was fun picking island gifts for the folks back home. But, pleasure faded as I saw the brown-wrapped parcels for mailing, knowing I'd not see the delight my friends and relations hopefully would bring. Thanksgiving the gifts had long been gone and were nearly forgotten. Nothing was left to do but wait. Wait for what? What kind of Christmas could it be? Only my husband and me. No children about. No loved ones with which to share the joys of Christmas.

The Christmas trees arrived from the mainland. Not the pungent, silken delights I had looked forward to, but trees porcupine-prickly in their dry needles. The one my husband and I finally settled on must have been cut about a week before Christmas. Trimming it was sticky business indeed. What needles remained on its boughs popped off at the slightest aggravation. Even bedecked with lights and bows, it lent no gaiety to the room; created no feeling of anticipation. The soft tradewinds blew. The island was a flower show of scarlet, cerise, lavender, yellow, orange and green. Rich scented air of sea and sun no longer pleased my senses. I wished for a whiff of clean, cold country air.

Christmas Eve came and with it a candlelight worship service in a neighborhood church. Never having been to a midnight service before, my husband and I decided to go. But, even there, it didn't seem the least like Christmas Eve. Conspicuously absent were the gaily decorated tree and the manger scene which were standard Yuletide props in our little church back home. There were no hymns; no men's recitations; nothing reminiscent of Christmas custom as I knew it. Instead, to the unreality, a warm night breeze fluttered through the tangle of vines hanging from the screened upper wall of the sanctuary. It carried with it the rattle of rattlers from a Chinese celebration down the street.

I didn't find the Christmas Spirit that night. It found me. Slipping in on a breeze from St. Luke and caught in a candle flame, it passed from one person to the next, until the sanctuary was filled with the wonder of it. The unfamiliar was no longer mattered; strangers around me were friends. My tradition-bound mind had found room for truth: Christmas is a universal celebration of Love, independent of family ties. Rather than a servant, conjured up genie-style, the spirit of Christmas is a gift of love, given when the moment is right—whenever we are ready to receive.

And again since then, I forget, casting about wildly for that warmth which makes Christmas alive. Then I remember and wait. Always and often, in the most unexpected way, the gift is mine.

The dream in the night it comes. Nebulous at first, then bursting forth with the sound of a trumpet call. There's no mistaking the real thing—that glow which comes from the corner of the heart, then spreads through the entire being until it can no longer be contained: "Joy to the World, the Lord is Come".



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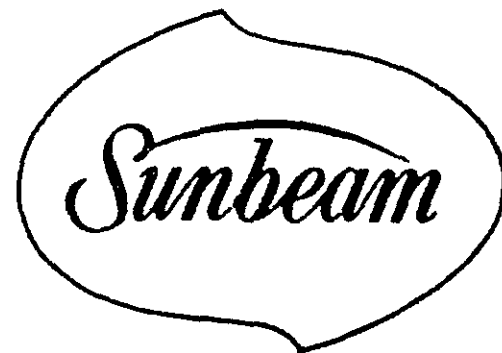


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