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## Henry Fase to Retire as Supervisor

Henry Fase, Ada Township Supervisor, announced at the December meeting of the township board that he would not be a candidate for re-election. He told his fellow township officers that he would like more time for himself and he thought it was time to retire. Fase, who took over the office after the death of Chan Ward has served during a great expansion of the township population.

A delegation of businessmen of the community have consulted with

Mr. Fase and are expected to file petitions for their candidate, an Ada businessman, to this office. The position of supervisor in a township is a nearly full time job, meetings of the board, of committees and with citizens of the community take many hours. The Supervisor also has to make the property assessments and spread them on the roll for the township treasurer.

### Others Seek Re-Election

Other Ada township officers have announced that they will seek re-election. They are: Neal Vandeperle, treasurer; Blanche Loveless clerk; Carl Keena, trustee; Ed McCormick, Board of Review; Mrs. Bernard Rooker, justice of the peace.

The last day for candidates to file for candidacy in the February 20 primary election is Saturday, December 31, at 4 p. m. Petitions can be secured from the township clerk.

## Scout Troop No. 284 Holds Court of Honor

Forest Hills Scout troop 284, held a Court of Honor at the high school gym. The following boys received advancements:

Tenderfoot—David Drake, Albert Drake, Ronald Bomers, Darryl Larson and Larry Knappen. Second Class—Gregory Clinton, and Charles Cribbley.

Star—Ronny Taylor. Merit Badges—Carl Lanham, public health; Charles Menich, public health, and dog care; Bob Wood, public health; Don Taylor, Public health; Tom Ervine, public health and camping; Clarence Fisher, public health; Ronny Dunlap, public health; William Bowie, Canoeing; and Carnig Mahlebasian, public health.

We also plan to have our 5th annual pancake supper on January 28 at the Martin school so keep this date open.

## RETURN FROM COLLEGE FOR HOLIDAYS VACATION

Miss Julie Woodall, 1137 Forest Hills Rd., James Atherton, 4340 Buttrick and Donald Heaven, 7249 Denison Dr. S. E., returned home Saturday from Hiram College, Hiram, Ohio.

They will return on January 2.

## HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Home for the holidays is Willow DeFouw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald DeFouw, 431 Greenbriar Drive, S. E., a student at Wayland Academy, Beaver Dam, Wisconsin.

Wayland Academy, a co-educational college preparatory school, one of the oldest in the midwest, is now in its 106th year.

Its enrollment of 285 students includes boys and girls from 15 states and Puerto Rico, and several foreign countries.

## EASTMONT BAPTIST YOUTH GO CAROLLING THURSDAY

The Eastmont Baptist young people and young married couples will go carolling on Thursday evening, December 22. They will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.

## Cascade Community Party Big Success

Two hundred twenty-five persons attended the Cascade Community Party held at the Night Hawk Casino on Saturday evening, December 17.

The Merlin Hulbert's, chairmen of the event, would like to thank all of those on their committee who worked so hard; also thanks to the merchants who donated door prizes, and their thanks too to everyone who came and made the party such a huge success.

They would like to wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## Martin-Collins Cubs Have Christmas Party

The Martin-Collins Cub Pack No. 3284 held a Christmas party on Thursday evening, December 15. During the meeting they sang Christmas carols.

There was a tree decorated by Den 5 with decorations they had made. The boys served their parents punch and cookies they had decorated themselves.

No awards were given out at this meeting.

## ROY OGDEN ON LEAVE

Roy Ogden, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ogden, 878 Argo S. E., surprised his family Sunday by returning from Charleston, South Carolina, where he is serving in the Navy.

He will return January 3.

## PADDY'S COLLEGE GROUP HOLD HOLIDAY PARTY, DEC. 27

The Paddy's College Extension group will hold a Holiday party at the home of Mrs. Jack Buys, Whitneyville Road on December 27, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Dean Van Velsen will assist Mrs. Buys with the arrangements.

## CASCADE TOWNSHIP PRIMARY ELECTION NOTICE—PETITIONS

Primary Election will be held on Monday, February 20, 1961. Petitions for the following township officers must be on file with the clerk not later than 4 p. m. on Saturday, December 31, (last day Jan. 2, is a legal holiday)

Those to be nominated at the primary election are:

Supervisor, clerk, treasurer, one justice of the peace, four year term, active, board of review member, four year term, constables, not more than four. Petitions may be obtained from the Clerk. Mrs. Edna Osmer, Cascade Township Clerk c40-41

## NOTICE TO ADA TOWNSHIP ELECTORS

Primary election will be held on Monday, February 20, 1961. Petitions for the following townships officers must be on file with the clerk not later than 4 p. m. Saturday, December 31, 1960. Those to be nominated at the primary election are:

1 supervisor  
1 clerk  
1 treasurer  
1 justice of the peace, four year term, active.  
1 board of review member, four year term

Constables, not more than four. Petitions may be obtained from the clerk.

Blanche Loveless, Clerk  
Ada Township c35

## COMMUNION SERVICE

St. Michael's Mission will have a Christmas Communion service at 11 a. m. Christmas day, conducted by Dr. Arland of Big Rapids.

## Christmas Church Services

### Cascade Christian

The Cascade Christian church will observe Christmas Eve, December 24th with two candlelight services; the first at 7 p. m. At this same hour, the nursery and kindergarten children will go to the Fellowship Hall for Jesus' Birthday Party, which will be under the direction of the Post-Hi youth group. There will be a second candlelight service at 11 p. m. in the sanctuary.

There will be services as usual on Christmas day at 9:45 and 11 a. m.

### Ada Congregational

The Ada Congregational church will hold their traditional Candlelight service on Christmas Eve, December 24th at 7 p. m. This service is for the entire family, and everyone is urged to attend.

There will be services at the regular time on Christmas day.

### Snow Methodist Church Community Program

The Community Christmas program will be given on Friday evening, December 23rd at 8 p. m. at the church. Everyone is invited to attend. A white gift offering will be taken for the Methodist Children's Home.

### Luminarias

Everyone in the community is invited to attend the Luminarias on Wednesday evening, December 28th beginning around 7 p. m. and continuing all evening. There will be open house and light refreshments served at the church.

## Beckwith Area Annexed To Forest Hills Schools

A mile square section of the Beckwith School District was annexed to the Forest Hills School District this week after the greatest section of the district becomes a part of the city school system. The area lies east of the Beltline adjacent to Forest Hills.

At the present time, there are 11 elementary children and two high school children. A total of 25 families reside in the area. The equalized valuation is \$166,528.50. In an agreement with the Grand Rapids schools a settlement of \$19,000 as this area's share of the school assets will be given to Forest Hills. This money will be used to pay off the debt of that area which is about \$18,000. Children from the area will not attend our system until September 1961.

## Christmas Services at Eastmont Ref. Church

The Christmas worship service at the Eastmont Reformed church on Sunday, December 25, will include the sacrament of Holy Communion. The congregation will remember both the birth and death of our Lord on Christmas.

### Junior Choir to Sing

The Junior choir of the Eastmont Reformed church will sing for the first time on Christmas Sunday evening at the 7 p. m. service. Donald Krueger will sing a solo. The director of the Junior choir is Mrs. Collins Weeber.

## CASCADE TWP. PUBLIC NOTICE

Cascade Township Board will entertain bids for insurance on a 1945 Chevrolet Fire truck; bodily injury \$25,000 to \$50,000, property damage \$5,000 fire and theft \$1,000, deductible collision \$250.00

Valuation \$1,000. Open only to Cascade Township residents, all bids should be presented in person at the Town Hall on January 4, 1961, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Edna Osmer  
Cascade Township Clerk

c40-41

## Present Awards For Map Drawing Contest

Awards for the map drawing contest held by the Missionary Committee of the Ada Christian Reformed church were presented Friday night at the program where Mr. Vander Bilt showed pictures of his work in Japan.

Books were given to Nancy Scott and Mary Kay Verburg who tied for first place.

Others awarded for entering the contest were Andy Roorda, Kenneth Paap, Mary Anne Penninga, Christine Sytsma, and Julie DeVries.

## Services Held For Mrs. Emily Papke, 84

Mrs. Emily Papke, aged 84, living at 5136 Cascade Rd., S. E., passed away December 14.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Thomas C. (Anna) Irwin, with whom she resided; Mrs. Felix (Olga) Slenkel; Mrs. Clair (Martha) Keech, both of Grand Rapids; three sons, Arthur Fredricks of Chicago and William and John Fredricks of Grand Rapids; 25 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday, with burial in Graceland Memorial Park. Sympathy is extended to the family.

## DRIVERS LICENSES REVOKED

The following driver licenses have been revoked by the Michigan Department of State, it was revealed this week:

David Royce Kiste, 21, of Route 2, Lowell, license revoked December 6 for failure to appear for re-examination and violation of license restrictions.

Robert Brandy, Rural Route, Clarksville, license suspended December 5 for unsatisfied judgment, under the financial responsibility act.

## Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Your reporter, Mrs. Milton Heaven, would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and thank all who have made my reporting easier by being so cooperative.

Please call me if you have any news to report, as this is your paper.

## DAY SCHOOL PROGRAM

The Lutheran day school will present their Christmas program at Ridgewood on Saturday evening, December 24, at 7:30 p. m.

## The Superintendent's Corner

"It's nice that you can have a two weeks Christmas vacation," said a friend to me. On the contrary, the administration office will be open all through the holidays excepting on the two Mondays—the real legal holidays.

The office and custodial staffs will continue to work through the "vacation" period, for their work is like a woman's—never done. W-2 income tax forms for all of

the some 150 employees must be prepared and sent out. There are reports, payrolls, correspondence, and meetings to keep all of us busy. The custodial staffs in all buildings will work at the annual Christmas cleaning and waxing of floors. They will barely get all of their work done by the time school reopens on January 5.

Vacations? Yes, but not at this time. Mr. Chambers

### Cascade Christian Church Sleigh Ride

The Chi-Rho youth group will have a sleigh ride at Woodland Stables on Cannonsburg road on Tuesday evening, December 27th. The group will meet at the church at 7 p. m. and after the ride will return to Fellowship hall for games and refreshments.

### Gift Wrapping Party

The Post-Hi will meet at the Matthew's home, 1550 Thornapple River Dr., on Friday evening, December 23rd at 7:30 p. m. to wrap their Operation Santa Claus gifts and to go tobogganing.

### Tri-Cees to Have Holiday Party

The Tri-Cee's group of the Cascade Christian church will put on a Christmas party at the Juvenile Detention Home in Grand Rapids on Thursday evening, December 29th. We must leave the church by 6:45 p. m. The group will return to Fellowship hall for any business that should be taken care of, and refreshments will be served.

### Cascade Christian Ref. Church Sunday School Christmas Program

The Sunday School will give their Christmas program on Friday evening, December 23rd at 7:30 p. m. at the church. There will be slides shown in conjunction with the songs sung by the choir.

### Regular Services Sunday

There will be regular services on Christmas day. The choir will sing in the morning service.

### Ada Community Reformed Church

#### Senior Choir Officers Elected

The Senior Choir has elected the following to office: President, Mrs. Verne Ouendag and Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. George Wierenga.

#### Guest Minister

Rev. George Douma of Grand Rapids will be the guest minister on Sunday, December 25th.

#### Sunday School Program

Sunday evening, December 25th at 7:30 p. m. the Primary department of the Sunday School, in conjunction with the adult and junior choirs will present the program.

### Ada Christian Ref. Church Christmas Service

A Christmas service will be held at the regular hour, 9:30 p. m. on Sunday, December 25th.

#### Sunday School Program

The Sunday School will present their Christmas program on Monday evening, December 26th at 8 p. m. in the church. There will also be a hymn sing.

### Latter Day Saints Church Fund Raising Campaign

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ, Latter Day Saints of Alaska began a fund raising campaign on Thanksgiving Day, for the building of a new church.

#### Christmas Program

The Children's Christmas program will be presented at the church on Friday evening, December 23rd at 8 p. m. The title of the play to be given is "Jesus Visit."



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Bids must be mailed to Thomas B. Hill, M. D., Secretary of the Lowell Area Schools Board of Education, Lowell High School, Lowell, Michigan, and must be postmarked not later than January 9, 1961. Bids will be opened at the Lowell High School at a meeting of the said Board of Education at eight o'clock P. M. E. S. T., Monday, January 9, 1961. Conveyances will be by quitclaim deeds, and no abstracts will be furnished. The legal descriptions of the property to be sold and any other information relative to the title may be obtained from George R. Cook, attorney-at-law, attorney for the Lowell Area Schools, at his office at 835 West Main Street, Lowell, Michigan. The Board expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Terms will be cash.

Thomas B. Hill, M. D. Secretary, Lowell Area Schools Board of Education c-35-38

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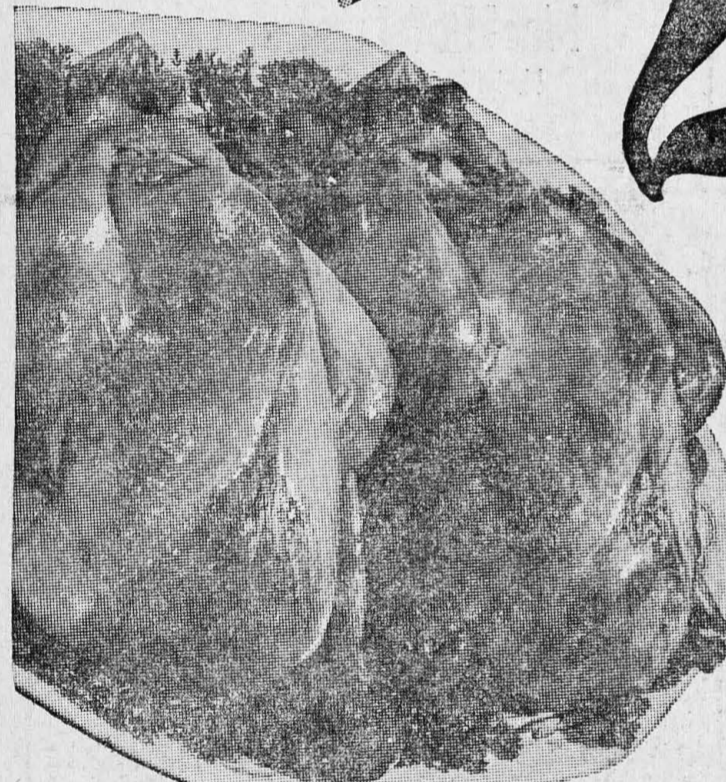
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**Community Tree**

The custom of community Christmas trees, which will be observed this year by thousands of towns and cities, started in 1909 in Pasadena, California, when citizens erected a tree on Mount Wilson.

The first National Christmas Tree was set up on the Capitol steps in 1923 and came from Vermont.

The tallest Christmas tree on record was erected by the Northgate Community near Seattle in 1950. It was 221 feet tall when cut. After trimming, it weighed 25 tons and towered 212 feet in the air.

Human kidneys clear wastes from more than a ton of blood in a day and have about nine times the capacity needed to maintain health. If one has to be removed, the remaining healthy kidney can do double duty.

**Michigan Quizdown**

Can you answer these questions about the Water Wonderland State?



1-ICEBOATING IS CONSTANTLY GAINING NEW FANS IN MICHIGAN. YET IT IS ACTUALLY ONE OF THE OLDEST KNOWN WINTER SPORTS. CAN YOU GUESS HOW OLD IT IS?

2-WINTER MEANS HOCKEY IN THIS UPPER MICHIGAN TOWN. ITS TRAINING PROGRAM FOR BOYS OF ALL AGES IS PRODUCING BOTH AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL HOCKEY PLAYERS. CAN YOU NAME THIS TOWN?



3-A NORTHERN MICHIGAN COUNTY HAS ONLY FIVE VILLAGES, BUT 75 LAKES. ITS PUBLIC LANDS AND WATERS OFFER SKIING, ICE FISHING, HUNTING AND CAMPING FACILITIES. WHICH COUNTY IS THIS?

4-ORGANIZED SKIING IN AMERICA WAS LAUNCHED BY THE FOUNDING OF THE NATIONAL SKI ASSOCIATION IN ISHPEMING. DO YOU KNOW WHEN IT WAS FOUNDED?

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QUIZDOWN ANSWERS:

1- Originated about 1766 2- Marquette 3- Oscoda 4- 1904

**Holiday Accidents Bring Death to Record Numbers**

The Michigan State Police, urging all-out motorist and pedestrian co-operation in preventing holiday accidents, will operate increased patrol schedules for the 78-hour Christmas and New Year week-ends.

Accenting holiday season traffic hazards is the fact that almost twice as many people, 103, were killed in Michigan in the final 16 days last December compared to 53 in the first 15 days. There were 30 deaths during the Christmas period and 36 over New Year's.

Patrol officers will exert every effort to keep accidents to a minimum but the final traffic record will depend on how safely motorists and pedestrians drive and walk, Commissioner Joseph A. Childs emphasized.

Fifty National Guardsmen will assist in six State Police lower Michigan districts while another 50 will help 14 county sheriff departments.

State Police shifts will be lengthened to 10 hours Christmas weekend from noon Friday, December 23, until midnight Monday, December 26, and New Year's from noon Friday, December 30, until midnight Monday, January 2.

Principal patrol emphasis will be on state trunk lines with special attention to high accident areas.

**Warns Old-Fashioned Winter May Return**

If you're shivering now, beware! According to a Michigan State University geologist, the weather's due to turn colder.

"Average temperatures may drop over the next 50 years to what they were in the 1880's when the winters were much more severe than they are today," says Dr. Maynard M. Miller.

Dr. Miller's research, coupled with that of some meteorologists, indicates that weather, at least for the past 300 years, has run in cycles corresponding with changes in solar energy.

Full cycles are estimated to last 90 years. The warm phase of the present cycle, notes the MSU geologist, apparently reached its maximum temperature during the past 10 years, which should indicate that the weather is now due to become colder.



Michigan's Little Lion



Mich. Dept. of Conservation

**Books Beat TV For Education, Authority Says**

Books are the most efficient teaching aids and television the least efficient, a specialist in instructional materials declared at The University of Michigan.

Perfection of a teaching aid as an educational tool hinges on the degree to which individuals can use it on their own terms, explained Louis Forsdale, of Horace Mann-Lincoln Institute of School Experimentation at Columbia University's Teachers College.

Forsdale described his method of evaluating teaching materials: "Place all teaching aids on a line, with those most accessible to

individuals at one end and those farthest removed at the other. Nearest the student would be books. At the opposite pole would be television. Films would be in the middle. Degree to which aids could be moved down the line towards individual control defines their effectiveness as teaching tools."

Forsdale said this principle assumes that individuals operate at various paces due to differences, that motivation changes with time and situation, and that repetition is desirable or necessary in the education process.

With television, individuals exercise no control over what they see and when, he said, adding that they can't repeat the experience as with books. "It would be absurdity for individuals to ask television stations to televise this or that program for his benefit."

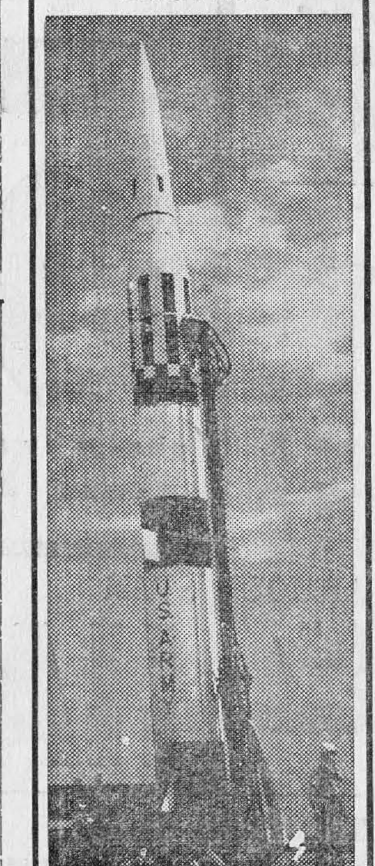
Forsdale said extensive educational use of video tape would be economically taxing, since taping machines cost upwards of \$50,000 and require extensive training to operate.

Film is in the middle of the scale, he commented—one innovation and another that is desired could move it closer to individual control.

Introduction of eight mm. sound film and development and production of a cartridge loading film projector could lead to greater individual use of motion pictures as instructional materials, Forsdale said.

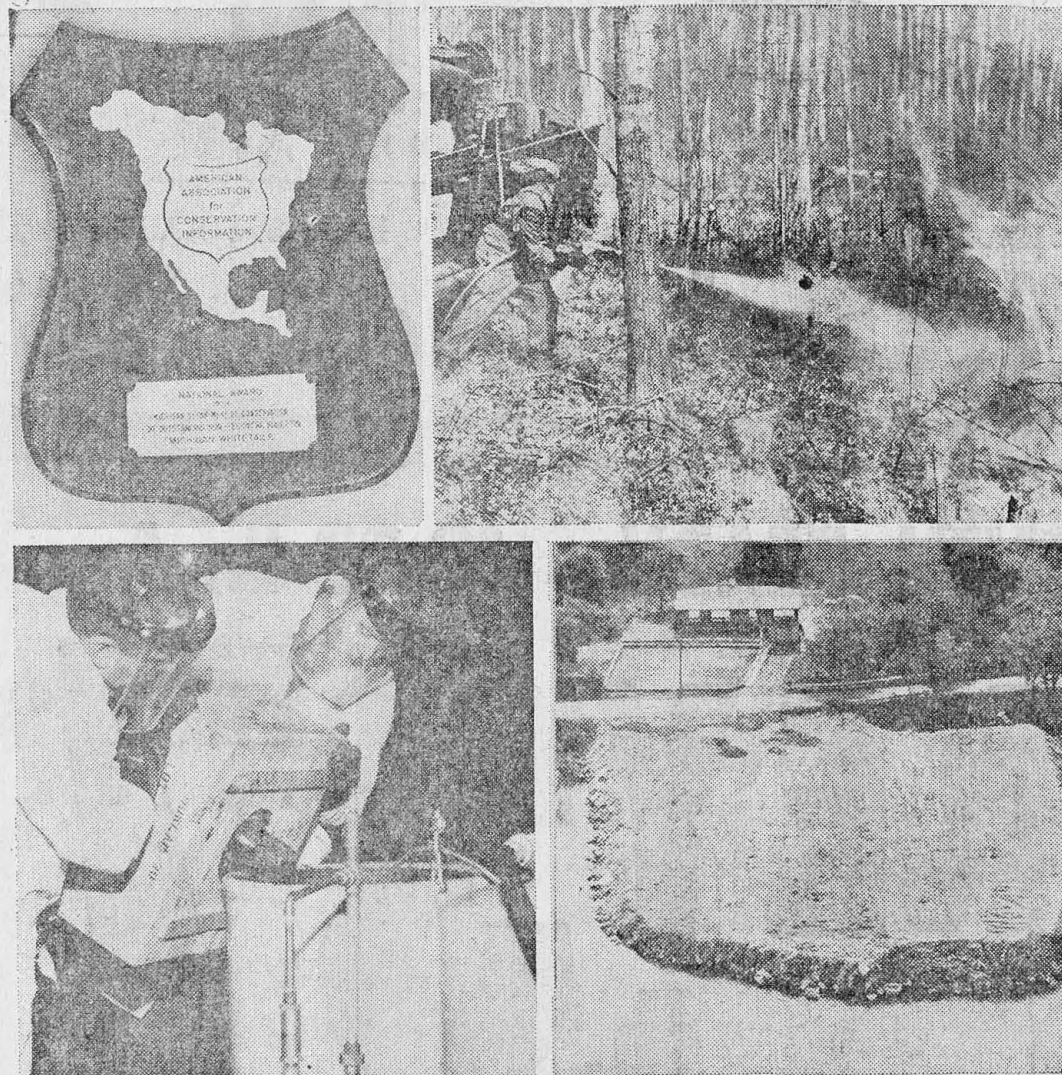
Use of cartridge loading projectors would make a variety of subjects available to school libraries and classrooms. Use would require skills any six year old possesses, he explained.

**Late Photo**



CAPE CANAVERAL—The US Army fired its PERSHING Ballistic Missile Nov. 16 from Cape Canaveral, Florida, in a successful test of the two-stage missile. The second stage motor drove the warhead higher, faster and farther than in any previous test firing of the PERSHING. The Army said the missile satisfied test objectives.

**Conservation Highlights in 1960**



Conservation again provided its share of the news in Michigan during 1960. Oil and gas production continued to make a booming comeback...the first round ended in a chemical fight to poison out sea lamprey in Lake Superior streams and prospects were encouraging that man had won...Conservation Department publications and programs earned several state and national awards...forest fire control reached its zenith...the State's right to control filling of bottomlands and construction of docks, piers, and other structures in the Great Lakes was buttressed by Michigan's Supreme Court for the first time...Michigan's new voluntary hunter safety program for youngsters got off to a flying start. These are, of course, but a few of the top developments which marked 1960 as an important year for conservation.

Mich. Dept. of Conservation

**Unique Decoration**

Christmas isn't exactly the season for moth balls, but they can be used to make a unique Yuletide decoration.

Use modeling clay to anchor a tall red or green candle in an apothecary jar. Put in a handful of moth balls and then a quarter cup of vinegar plus a teaspoon

of soda for every glass of water needed to fill the jar.

The results may surprise you. The moth balls will dance merrily around the candle for an hour or so. When they stop, another dash of vinegar and soda will start them dancing again.

Another advantage of owning a midget car is that it can double as a golf cart.

**Greetings**  
To you and yours, we extend warmest wishes for a holiday season that finds you all wreathed in happy smiles.  
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# Christmas, Or JUL: Baked Cakes & Boar

In Scandinavian countries, the celebration of JUL, or Christmas, begins on Christmas Eve and continues for 13 days, ending with a "twelfth night party."

Baked delicacies and sweets are abundant during the 13 days and cakes are baked in the shape of a boar, recalling the ancient feasts of the Norsemen which always centered around roast boar.

Scandinavian Christmas trees are decorated with bright gold and sil-

ver stars and long strips of gaily colored paper. A small figure of a goat constructed of straw serves as a reminder of the custom of saving the last sheaf of the harvest for the magic it was supposed to possess.

Presents are brought by the TOMTE, tiny, gnome-like figures dressed in Christmas outfits.

Life would be much simpler if we didn't try to make people think we're what we're not.

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We extend our warmest greetings with the hope that this Holiday Season brings you and yours a full measure of good health and happiness. May all the joys of Christmas remain with you throughout the coming New Year.

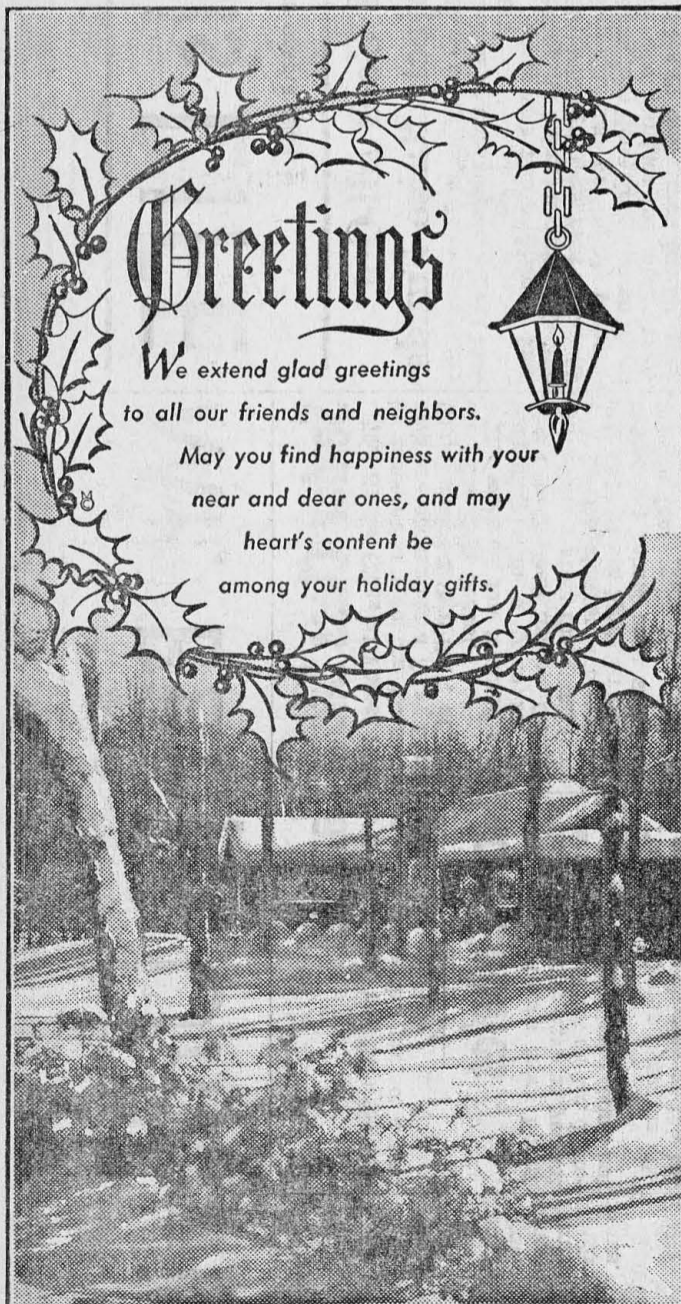
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## Christmas Joy

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## Greetings

We extend glad greetings to all our friends and neighbors.

May you find happiness with your near and dear ones, and may heart's content be among your holiday gifts.

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## New Parks Sticker



Come January 1, park users will need annual or daily stickers on windshields of their vehicles to enter 55 of Michigan's 62 parks. Annual stickers will go on sale late in December at hunting and fishing license dealers in areas covering these 55 parks. They also will be available at all parks. The annual sticker (above) will cost \$2 at parks and an additional 15 cents at dealers to cover their handling expenses. Aside from this handling charge by dealers only, all permit money will go directly toward retiring a bond issue which will finance a proposed \$3,000,000 parks improvement and lands acquisition program during the current fiscal year. Daily 50-cent stickers will be sold only at parks where they are required.

## No Birthday Party Without Christmas

Were it not for the observance of Christmas—the greatest of all birthdays—there would probably be no birthday parties throughout the rest of the year. In ancient times, only pagans took part in birthday festivities. Early Christians associated birth with the assumption of original sin and therefore did not look upon the birth date as a time for celebration.

The Pharaohs of Egypt celebrated their own birthdays, and we are told that King Herod did, too. But it was not until the 300's that the birth date of Christ was even noted. In the year 354 the Bishop of Rome declared December 25 to be the anniversary of the birth of Christ and from that date until now, Christians have observed this most wonderful of all birthdays.

It is a philosophy of BEING TODAY, instead of becoming in a tomorrow that never comes.

It is developing an awareness of the infinite possibilities in each magic moment.

## 'Diet Diplomacy' Advocated by MSU Food Expert

"Food could be America's most forceful weapon in the cold war," says a Michigan State University expert on world food problems.

Dr. Georg A. Borgstrom, a professor of food science, says in two years, with its food production capacity and surpluses, America could bring the nutritional standards of the Egyptians up to what they hope to attain in 1975, when the Aswan Dam, which the Russians are helping to build, is completed.

For a fraction of the cost of the man-in-space program, says Dr. Borgstrom, this nation could build modern, efficient fishing ships and develop a major program for a scientific study of the oceans' food resources. Such research and facilities would be valuable to countries whose land resources are inadequate to supply their nutritional needs, he asserts.

The pronghorn antelope can outrun a man when it is only four days old.

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## Michigan School Districts Working To Solve Building and Operation Needs

Most Michigan school districts are making increasing efforts through local property taxation to operate and build new schools, the research division of the Michigan Education Association reports.

This is reflected in the 1960-61 millage rates which show voter approval of millages for operation and capital outlay beyond the 15-mill constitutional limit.

In a survey of 553 Michigan school districts, which have about 92 percent of all the taxable property subject to local school taxation, the MEA found that only 2 districts did not levy the minimum millage required for state aid (8

millage). Although 133 districts levied only slightly above the minimum (3 to 9 mills), these districts contained only 12 percent of the total taxable wealth.

Voters in 65 percent of the districts surveyed approved operation millage beyond the amount allocated by the county allocation board. These "voted operational" millages range from 1 to 20 mills.

The average total operational millage for school purposes is about 11 mills, with some districts levying as low as 8 mills and others as many as 27 mills. The MEA also reports that 85

percent of the districts surveyed have voted and are levying in 1960-61 local property tax millages for the purpose of repaying bonds issued for school construction. These voted debt retirement millages range from less than one mill to 15 mills. In addition, 63 districts have voted millages for the purpose of acquiring sites and constructing buildings without issuing bonds.

Districts replying to the survey further indicate that the total levy for all school purposes varies from approximately 8 mills to 34 mills. The average total millage in 1960-61 for all school purposes is about 17 mills.

Too many Americans go in for weight-lifting with the wrong equipment—a knife and fork.

### CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Many are aware that the famous hymn "Silent Night" was written by Joseph Mohr, a German priest, but the origin of some of our other Christmas music is not so well remembered. "O Come All Ye Faithful" is a Portuguese hymn written in the thirteenth century. "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," and "Joy To The World" were written by Englishmen, Charles Wesley and Isaac Watts, respectively.

When it comes to doing for others, some people will stop at nothing.

Hard work never kills anybody, they say, but occasionally it wears us down.

**Season's Good Wishes**

As the holiday season glides merrily in, we would like to take the opportunity to express our appreciation to all the good people who have helped make this year such a wonderful one for us. Thank you... and best wishes for loads of Yuletide happiness!

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## Big Business

Trees are stacked by the thousands in collection yards. Conveyor belts carry them directly into railroad freight cars for shipment to all sections of the nation.

A spokesman for the Christmas tree industry reports there is a

trend toward nursery-raised trees. Big picture windows are partly responsible. Home owners want neighbors and friends to see trees that are symmetrical or unusual.

Also there is a great demand for very small trees. They are for trailer dwellers.

## Gift Giver Has Different Names

The Christmas-time gift-giver has many different names in the various lands of the world, and even in Russia youngsters annually await the arrival of two legendary benefactors.

Kolya (Nicholas) is supposed to go about Russia on Holy Night, leaving tiny wheat cakes on the windowsills and in addition there is "Babushka" who also gives gifts to little boys and girls (in repentance, a legend says, for supposedly mis-directing the Magi on their trip to Bethlehem).

Italian Children await the arrival of "Lady Befana," a fairy queen who presents gifts. Some Spanish children believe the gifts come directly from the child Jesus — "el Nino Jesus."

## TREE CUSTOMS

The Christmas tree custom was started in the United States by Hessian soldiers fighting with the British Army in 1776. German immigrants who later came to this country continued the custom as they had done in the "old country." Christmas trees were in general use in America by the mid-eighteenth century. The first White House Lawn Christmas tree appeared in 1923, placed there by President Calvin Coolidge.

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## About Holly

The popularity of holly as a Christmas decoration is not merely because the plant retains its prickly green leaves and bright red berries after winter's cold has withered other forest greenery.

Before the Christmas, Romans sent gifts of holly to friends to mark the December festival of Saturn. The superstitious Druids kept holly in their dwellings, as an invitation to the "spirits" to enter and seek shelter from winter cold and winter winds. The early Germans used holly in an observance which marked the return of the sun from its southward pilgrimage.

In medieval times, holly was used as a remedy to treat a variety

of aches and ailments. Some early American Indians even attached twigs of holly to their shields, in the belief that some special powers within the holly would make them more formidable in battle.

Holly, like mistletoe, is surrounded by legends and superstitions, dating back to pagan rites and rituals. We moderns attach no particular significance to our use of holly as a Christmas decoration—other than that it is "traditional" and "pretty." Yet, we use so much more holly than our ancestors used that today the plant has all but disappeared in some sections of the country.

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## Junior High School Goes All-Out To Help CROP Project; Raise Funds

The students of Forest Hills Junior High School are joining with CROP to help feed the undernourished and hungry children of Hong Kong.

The plight of the dangerously undernourished children in Hong Kong has touched the hearts of the students and they are contributing from their own spending money and Christmas money to the fund which has now reached the total of \$88.

One hundred and fifty thousand Hong Kong school children are dangerously undernourished, about half of them in the "starvation zone." Some faint from hunger in school. . . attend irregularly for lack of food. They live on scraps. . . from one week to the next they do not have a decent meal.

Most are refugees from China.

## Rangers Lose To Kelloggsville

The Rangers had another streak of bad luck Friday night. Besides losing their fifth game, 39 to 78, two of the Rangers were injured and forced to sit on the bench for the remainder of the game.

Dennis Graham started it off when he twisted his ankle in the middle of the first quarter. Then early in the second quarter, Harold Bailey was hit in the eye with an elbow.

The Rangers started out poorly and remained that way until the last few seconds, when they tried a vain attempt to control the boards, but were beaten down instead by the strong defense the Kelloggsville team put up.

### Reserves Lose

The Reserves lost their second of five games Friday night to a keen-eyed Kelloggsville. The Rangers started out strong, with the score at the half 19 to 19 and 29 to 27 at the conclusion of the third quarter in favor of Kelloggsville.

But in the fourth quarter Kelloggsville got hot and gradually pulled away from the outmatched Rangers Reserves.

The final score was Forest Hills 31, Kelloggsville 42.

Sy Dykhouse

Some are orphans. Parents of many are ill or unemployed. All are hungry.

To answer this problem, a joint effort is being undertaken. The Hong Kong government is providing kitchens for meal preparations. The Hong Kong Church World Service provides the labor; vegetables to be secured locally; pork solicited from Canada; and CROP has been asked to provide the rice. Four dollars given through CROP provides the rice, delivered for one hot meal for a child each day for a year.

Thus the students have already accumulated enough money to feed 22 children a hot meal each day for a full year and they hope to increase that number to at least 25. They are not canvassing or seeking contributions but are giving of their own money that these unfortunate children may eat.

Charles Taylor's class has decided to drink water at their Christmas party and put their pop money into the CROP fund. In this, and other ways, the students are learning the true meaning of Christmas.

## School Club Activities

Mr. Norman's Latin Club has had their annual Junior Classical League Initiation. Mr. Norman encouraged anyone who is interested to come into the room and examine the exhibits of ancient Rome and Latin today.

Mr. Shy's Varsity Club is doing nothing for Christmas. Soon after Christmas the football letters will be awarded.

The Spanish club is also making plans for a private party to be only for its members.

A Christmas pageant will be presented to the students this Thursday, December 22, by the Choir and Band. "March of the Toys" and "Yuletide Festival" are two of the numbers being used by the band.

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## Senior Class Snow Carnival

The Senior Class at Forest Hills in cooperation with the Booster's club are sponsoring a Snow Carnival, January 3 thru the 7 at Forest Hills High School.

The week of fun features snow sculpturing with a prize for the club with the best exhibit. On Friday evening after the game there will be ice skating, tobogganing, and sliding with lights on the hills behind the school at a small admission fee.

Saturday afternoon's activities include ice skating, tobogganing and sliding from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. The snow sculpturing exhibits will also be judged.

Saturday evening will cap off a week's activities with a semi-formal dance for all residents of the Forest Hill's school district.

At this dance awards will be presented and the King and Queen of the Snow Carnival will be crowned.

Let's all get out and participate

## School's Out

Freedom at last: Forest Hills Schools was released on December 22, at eleven o'clock.

The slave's chauffeurs were waiting for the students to fill up the buses to begin their extensive vacation over the Christmas holidays. The students will have two complete weeks of freedom.

School will then resume Thursday, January 5, 1961.

Gwen Dowling

## Home Economics Club Hold Potluck Dinner

The Home Economics Club held their annual potluck dinner Monday, December 19.

The inexpensive gifts which everyone brought were hidden by someone throughout the room.

Each person got the gift they found. Later on they went caroling and then ice skating at Nancy Pyard's house.

## EGYPT GRANGE PARTY

The members of Egypt Grange will hold their annual Christmas party on Friday evening, December 23, beginning promptly at 8:30 p. m. Each person is to bring a 50 cent gift and homemade candy.

in this carnival, and help the senior class make this project a real success.

## More Debates

The debate teams from Forest Hills High School, have as yet not won one debate. But as Mr. Fletcher says "the experience counts not the winning."

The debate teams from the other schools are chosen at the beginning of the year and the 4 chosen are the only ones which participate at the League Debates throughout the year, where as our debate teams change every debate.

This means other schools practice with just four for the League while our school practices with about 48 students. Until we can have enough students to make up an advanced Speech class it will be the way it is now. Mr. Fletcher can only train the students in 1st year Speech.

Thursday night, the 15th of December at Grandville the second Tournament meeting of the Grand Valley Debate League was held.

The schedule was as follows:

### Before Dinner

Affirmatives, Hans Lucks and Janice Rondeau from Forest Hills against negatives from Lee. Negatives Mary Beth Geitzen and Rita Tazelaar from Forest Hills against affirmatives from Grandville.

After a chicken dinner, affirmatives, Gwen Dowling and Pat Harkiewicz from Forest Hills against negatives from Grandville; negatives Jeri Brian and Carol Crum from Forest Hills against affirmatives from Lee.

The school must give credit to those who participate in the League Debates for they are trying hard to win.

Mary Jervis

The phrase 'temporary tax' has replaced Methuselah as a symbol of longevity.

Watch Suburban Life Want ads for 'top grade' buys every week.

Play Mr. Banjo seemed to be the theme of the Junior High assembly Friday, December 16.

Their entertainment was furnished by Jose da Silva or better known as Senor Banjo.

Senor Banjo's act consisted of many wonderful individual highlights. He featured minstrel Stephen Foster, Gay Nineties, Blues, Dixieland, Vaudeville, and Latin American specials. He also performed with two banjos simultaneously; an act that only he performs.

In addition to banjoing, Senor Banjo is a vocalist, author, composer and lecturer. In his act was featured three independent voices simultaneously.

There was also given a one handed performance on the banjo. Senor Banjo also gave the largest repertoire of effects, such as, Rumba, Calypso, Scotch, Russian, Oriental, Silent Movies, Antique clock and many others. These are all performed without aid of gimmicks.

The Junior High students greatly enjoyed Senor Banjo's performance. Their views were not alone. From throughout the country. In Atlantic City, Silva's classic rendition of "Poet and Peasant Overture" and the "Second Hungarian Rhapsody" are acclaimed by a very enthusiastic audience.

Atlanta, the most exciting personality to hit this town in many years. His inimitable interpretations of Stephen Foster tunes, "Alabama Bound," "Showboat," "Jolson," and "Robert E Lee" brought back to life the nostalgic but gay era of minstrelsy. And in Chicago: Interviewed by Time magazine International News Service, Associated Press and Chicago Press in connection with his part in Keeping the Banjo alive!

Some articles by Mr. Silva are "Banjo Survival," "Tonal and Harmonic Requirements of the solo Banjo" and "Harmonizing The Frets."

Carole Pearson

The trouble with many hands that rock the cradle today is they are hired hands.

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## Greetings From Turkey

In spite of the quantity of food, the people in the country and villages are terribly poor and undernourished. Children die of malnutrition and women grow old in their twenties from overwork; Stark poverty at its worst is present in many areas.

There is such a variety of sights and sounds here—the old and the new side by side. Most people here in the city dress as we do, but the older generation and the country people mingle in the crowds with their colorful costumes. Some of the women wear long full bloomers fastened around the ankles and many still cover their faces with veils. One of the most fascinating sights we have seen is the women in veils enjoying rides on the ferris wheel, merry-go-round, etc. Light wagons drawn by small thin horses, burros carrying their riders (often gypsy women looking for useful items in the city) or packloads of wood or produce, camels, flocks of sheep or turkeys mingle with the fast moving car traffic.

Small businesses flourish on the streets here. We see shoe shiners, taxi drivers, car polishers, basket makers, milk and yogurt peddlers, dealers in wood and kindling. Men offer dray service and carry heavy loads such as refrigerators on their backs. Boys balance trays of bread rings and cases of cheese on their heads to sell. Some offer corn

roasted over charcoal for sale. Other vendors sell beautiful balloons, pottery, dry goods—even water in jugs. All cry their wares as they go. The big business here in Ankara is the building of apartment houses. There are many going up all over the city, some many stories high.

This country is rich in Bible history. What these old hills could tell us if they could only talk! We have used week-ends with a day or two of vacation time added to see some of these places. In Ephesus we found the spot in the great amphitheatre where St. Paul stood and preached—the Greek silversmiths started a riot, for well they know that his teaching would be the ruin of their trade in household gods and goddesses. We saw where Paul was imprisoned there. Over the hills we found the last home of Mary where John the Apostle brought her for her last years and we found St. John's church being restored and his tomb.

One of the most thrilling things we have seen is the area near Goreme where the persecuted Christians of the first century made homes and churches in the cone shaped formations left by volcanic lava. They dug out the inside of these cones and lived there. There are 365 churches alone in this area and the walls and ceilings are covered with paintings telling of the life of Christ who is always pictured in the center of the ceiling. Paul's birthplace, Tarsus, and Abraham's home, Haran, are

in the southeast. Mt. Ararat still holds the secret of Noah's Ark and in many, many places there are the remnants of the early Christian churches in the ruins of Ephesus, Perge, Bergama, Sardis, Smyrna and Antioch.

We wonder why Christianity did not predominate after such beginnings here. Of course this country has had so many political upsets, so much war and bloodshed. The Reformation did not influence this area and the Crusades did not help to give the true picture of Christianity to these people. Since the republic was established in 1920, church and state have been separate and according to the constitution there is freedom of religion. People are free to choose whether they shall be Jewish, Catholic, Greek Orthodox, Protestant, in their religion, but missionaries are not welcomed as they feel that is forcing religion.

The Moslem religion predominates, of course, but it is not alive and flourishing—for one thing the Koran is not published in the Arabic so the people get very little religious instruction and have not advanced much beyond their superstitious animistic beliefs. The mosques are open for prayer and for Friday evening services but they are poorly attended and preference is so definitely given to men that the women are not too active. What a wide open chance for Christianity here, and I believe it will break forth for the seeds are here quietly growing. The Christians have been dealt with severely in

the past. The Armenians have been persecuted terribly but they still maintain their churches—are working away. Many are hoping and praying for Christian revival here.

There is so much to be done here and so little that one person can do. I work in the Sunday School of the American Protestants Chapel here—am giving time to an orphanage in Ankara each week working with the Turkish women there. It is good to see them becoming aware of the needs here and beginning to do something about it.

Our thoughts go out to all our friends and loved ones at home. We miss you all and home very much. We have never appreciated America enough, of that we are sure. We are happy to be learning more about this side of the world, and to find out that the people are like ourselves and our neighbors at home, having their ups and downs, joys and sorrows, hopes and disappointments. They share our love of freedom, our desire for peace.

We wish you could all come and visit us while we are here. We would certainly give you a royal welcome. The Holy Land is not far from here. Can't some of you manage it? AND letters from home are very welcome. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.  
Jim & Faith MacGregor,  
c-o ICA APO 254  
New York, New York

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## Dick Andre, Sarilyn DeLange Exchange Vows

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richard (Dick) Andre who were married Tuesday, December 13, in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Andre is the former Sarilyn DeLange, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth DeLange of 108 Dale N. W., Grand Rapids. Dick is the son of Mrs. Coral Andre of Grand Rapids.

## Hospital Notes

Mrs. Jacob Koenes, 8650 52nd St., returned home Monday after undergoing surgery at Butterworth hospital.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sabin, 6039 Hall St. S. E., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Ruth Marie at Blodgett hospital on December 3.

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7227 Thornapple River Drive  
Morning Worship... 10:00 A. M.  
Sunday School... 11:20 A. M.  
Evening Worship... 7:30 P. M.  
Pastor: The Rev. Lester W. Muller  
Phone OR 6-1685

We invite you to make this community church your church home. Welcome to all!

## Cascade Christian Church

Sunday School at 9:45  
Sunday School—11:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship—9:45 A. M.  
and 11:00 A. M.  
Pastor—Rev. Raymond Gaylord

## Cascade Christian Ref. Church

Morning Worship — 10:00 A. M.  
Sunday School — 11:15 A. M.  
Evening Worship — 7:15 P. M.  
Pastor—Rev. Roy Boeskool

## Eastmont Baptist Church

5038 Cascade Rd.,—US-16  
9:45 A. M. Morning Worship  
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Reverend E. V. Fitz, Pastor  
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