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E. Z. Mark, editor, being duly arraigned on a charge of having published gratis half a column or more of matter for the Inter-Community Choral Society, entered a plea of guilty, and confessed that he had received no part of the silver collection, nor any expression of gratefulness.

Sentence was suspended on the promise by the culprit that in future he will charge for entertainments at the rate of 5 cents per line on first page, and 10 cents per line among the home notes.

The linets are money getters.

Local News

Are those "resolutions still intact?"

Ellis Randall visited his mother who is ill, in Detroit, Monday.

Minnie Toomey in Detroit Monday on Red Cross business.

Miss Carolyn Morris spent last week with her grandmother in Detroit.

Howard Lord visited from Friday until Tuesday with friends in Davison.

Mrs. Florence Bachelor is visiting her son, Marl Bachelor, at Walled Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ely entertained their children at New Year's dinner.

Miss Ruth Miller, of Keego Harbor, spent last week with girl friends in this village.

John Voorhies has been on the sick list the past week, suffering with an attack of gangrene.

On account of the scarcity of coal the Baptist church will be closed for a couple of months.

Harry Habermehl is still unable to do any work, on account of blood poisoning in his hand.

Oliver Smith, of Cook & Co.'s, has been confined to his home part of the week with quinsy.

Mark Owen, of Camp Custer, visited the first of the week with his mother, Mrs. E. S. Grace and family.

Mrs. Edward Brown left Wednesday morning for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Ormiston, at Linden.

Mrs. N. H. Power, of Detroit, spent three days last week with her sister, Mrs. G. L. Francis and husband.

Ben Webber and daughter, of Ferriem Springs, visited his niece, Mrs. Leon Green and family, Saturday and Sunday last.

Miss Mildred Adams, of the Kowlerville schools, has been spending her vacation with uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Irish.

A reunion of the Tibbits family was held at the Duane Tibbits farm on Christmas day. The occasion is reported as a very enjoyable affair.

William Wick, of Camp Custer, and brother Herman, of Detroit, have been visiting with their parents, Chris Wick and wife, for a few days.

E. M. Sprague and family, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Katherine Sprague, of Winona, Minn., spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilber.

Mrs. L. H. Heywood and daughter Rose, of Chicago, have been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. P. Eisenlord, and other relatives and friends in town.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Auten, Beatrice Rebecca, who was very ill with pneumonia the latter part of last week, is rapidly improving.

Everybody who can is laying in a stock of wood. More wood has been cut in this vicinity this winter than in many years, and at \$5 and \$6 a cord is finding a ready market.

Mrs. Eva Dennis and daughter, Evelyn, were Pontiac visitors Monday. They also visited with her father, George Rear, in Birmingham, whose birthday occurred on that day.

The fire department was called out last Sunday morning about 7 o'clock by the burning out of a chimney at the Mark Wixom (old Hendryx place) home. No damage was done, except to get a lot of "late sleepers out of bed in time to attend church," as was remarked by the preacher.

Mrs. J. W. McGee, of Redford, formerly of this village, has been spending the past six weeks in Chicago, and at the home of her brother in Wilmette, Ill. Mr. McGee also went there the last of last week, and they will return after the holidays to their home on the Plymouth road, Redford.

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