

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schreiber and son Richard returned Wednesday from Grand Rapids, where they had spent Christmas with Mrs. Schreiber's father, Rev. Edward Jewell and Miss Eleanor Jewell. Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. J. D. Snyder were her son, Floyd, and his son, Roy.

Miss Ruth Greene spent Christmas day with friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Allen Nelson were guests at an anniversary party at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Walter M. Nelson, of Palmer Woods, last Thursday.

Miss Carol Harger and James Phillips of Detroit attended the performance at the Cass Theater Wednesday afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Higgins of Detroit were Mr. and Mrs. John Lapham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lapham and Miss Margaret Rudberg, of Farmington, and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lapham and son of Columbus, Ohio.

Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Auten included Mrs. Auten's sisters, Miss Mable Brandt of Flint and Mrs. Florence Young and children Elizabeth, David and Robert, and Mrs. Charles Smith of Oxford, Robert Muehler, Miss Marvel Auten, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Westfall and Diane.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burnett of Detroit spent Christmas with her son, William and family.

Mrs. H. A. Speely was a guest of her brother and family at Royal Oak, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dagg entertained their Christmas guests, Mrs. Dagg's sister, Mrs. Max Crawford and son Joe of Detroit, Mrs. Augusta Delling and Mrs. Phebe Ross.

James M. McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. McDonald, graduated December 21 from Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, with a class of 70.

Warren M. Jones, a student in the Theological Seminary at North Park College, Chicago, is spending Christmas vacation with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones, of Miller Road.

Miss Lena Himmelsbach and Miss Carol Harger, John McNair and Richard Johnson of Detroit were guests at a dinner dance given by the Alpha Chi Omega Sorority at the Detroit Golf Club, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Nichols spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Nichols of Port Huron.

Christmas dinner guests at the W. Allen Nelson home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bakeman and children of White Plains, Miss Margaret Nelson of Urbana, Illinois and Miss Virginia Plech of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grimwade, daughter Miss Olive Grimwade, Angelina Andrews and Mrs. Mrs. Kreeger of Northville were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Grimwade and family of Chelsea.

Miss Genevieve Greene spent last week end in Grand Rapids visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vitter entertained a group of friends at a Christmas party Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fisher of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. B. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bickling and daughter Christine were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Turner of Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blair and John Quinitt, all of Detroit, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chamberlain and mother were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bligham.

Dr. Dewla DeMay of Detroit was a Christmas dinner guest of Mrs. E. A. Fink.

Mrs. J. C. Gravitin entertained members of her family on Christmas Day, at the American Legion home. 30 guests were present from Pigeon, Lenawee, Redford, Franklin and Farmington.

John Grace left Thursday night for his home in Texas. The safe which was taken from his Clariceville home, and all the contents were found by police at Hamilton, Ohio.

Mrs. Clyde Snyder of Detroit was a Wednesday guest of Mrs. Glen Greene.

Mrs. Max Shadley of Detroit was a Christmas dinner guest of Mr.

and Mrs. F. P. McCaskill and son John.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graham and son Morris were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richmond entertained fourteen guests at a Christmas dinner. Those attending included members of the family from Sterling, Saginaw, Lansing, Brighton and Chilesen.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Larson are entertaining their daughter and son of Buffalo, New York.

Miss Frances Brown entertained a group of friends at a Christmas party Friday evening.

Richard Schreiber has recovered from a week's illness.

Mrs. J. B. Snyder entertained as Christmas guests her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bell of Wixom.

Mrs. Doris Turner spent Christmas with her son, Harold Turner and family, of Rosedale Park.

Rev. and Mrs. Elbert Walling and son of Lam, visited over Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Poet, and with his family, Charles Walling and daughter Marie and Mr. and Mrs. William Burnett.

Mrs. Albert McDonald has been quite ill with pneumonia at her home on Power avenue, but is now much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lapham entertained at family dinner, Christmas day.

David Young, who is spending his vacation from college with his mother at Oxford, was a week end guest of his cousin, Bud Auten.

Mrs. H. A. Barrons of Detroit was a Christmas guest of her son, Norman Barrons and family.

Christmas guests at the Robert Bowerman home included Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowerman and baby of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carpenter spent Christmas with Mrs. Carpenter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Poquette at Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Darling were the Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Layn.

The Sunshine Harmony Circle of the Methodist church will hold their regular business meeting Thursday, January 4, at the home of Mrs. Clyde Adams on Grand River avenue. Desert luncheon will

be served at one o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Adams entertained as their Tuesday and Wednesday guests, Mr. Adams' cousins, Mrs. Helen Cooley of Detroit and Mrs. Bess Learman of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers of Ithaca spent the Christmas week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. James Layn entertained as their Thursday night dinner guests, Mrs. Layn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Parmenter of Detroit and Miss Mary Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hake of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Adams spent Sunday afternoon in Milford with Mrs. Hake's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Beckwith.

Mrs. Fred L. Cook and niece, Miss Catherine Harlan, spent Wednesday in Detroit shopping.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edgar were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Eason and family of Detroit. Mrs. Eason is a sister of Mrs. Edgar.

Edward L. Peckinpaugh, and family have been in Ohio this week where they were called by the death of his mother.

MICHIGAN INDIANS VACCINATED AS EARLY AS 1830

Geological survey in Michigan's early days embraced some practices for which the best trained of modern geologists might find themselves unprepared—the vaccinating of Indians, for instance.

A regularly-repeated entry in the notes of Dr. Douglas, Houghton, pioneer geologist who made known the value of Michigan's copper country in the 1830's, reads like this: "S. presented the Indians, and I vaccinated them all, 33 in number." The number ranged from less than a dozen to a couple of hundred, and Dr. Houghton, pre-emptive scientist, always recorded the number exactly, at every stop. The vaccination was against smallpox, then greatly dreaded by the Indians.

Notes of Dr. Houghton and other pioneer geologists have recently become readily available as the result of labors of WPA workers in typing from original field notes which were recorded not simply in manuscript but sometimes in German script or German words in English script.

Michigan's early geologists traveled by canoe on the streams and in small sailboats on the Great Lakes. They saw more than rocks, too. Their notes are replete with observations on mosquitoes, woods, frosty mornings followed by 88 degrees in the shade at noon, long and difficult portages, rare flowers, the variety of game, the abundance of fish, the customs of the Indians and frequently, also, the grandeur of the primitive scene.

An idea of the pace of travel in the 1830's may be seen in the notes

of the return in August, 1833 of the Schoecraft expedition from the sources of the Mississippi river. To traverse the length of the upper peninsula, from the Porcupine mountains to Sault Ste. Marie, took 14 days, from August 12 through August 25.

TO 4-H CONGRESS



JANET R. DUNSON, 16, of Belaire, is named by Dr. E. E. Ridd, state club leader, as a Michigan delegate to the 18th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Dec. 14, for her general excellence in home economics work. In seven years enrollment she made 17 garments, prepared 30 dishes, canned 240 plants of food, and raised one-half acre of garden. She also participated in demonstrations and judging contests, and led a food club four years. Her 4-H earnings are given as \$115.15 including awards on 18 exhibits. Miss Dunson will compete with other state winners for one of six \$200 scholarships provided by Montgomery Ward to addition to her trip.

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NYA Builds "Dad's Home" at Lake Linden



Lake Linden had no place where its old-timers, retired lumberjacks and miners, could gather. To provide a place where the old fellows could spin yarns and play their favorite games, the townpeople furnished the materials for building a club house. The Michigan National Youth Administration provided youth workers, and a log cabin was built and furnished with tables, a radio, benches, stove, a heater, fireplace, and electric lights. The business men have arranged to pay the monthly light bill.

Membership increased steadily as the popularity of the place grew. Old timers who once cluttered up the streets, now make a bookend for their own exclusive club and start the day's round of games and yarns. The oldest member, on the left in the above picture, is 92 years old; average age of the membership is 67 years.

Club members have become so attached to the place that their families have a hard time getting them home in time for meals.

Chairs for Park Visitors



Indian woodworkers, at Pellston, put finishing touches on rustic chairs which will be placed in state park buildings. Several hundred northern Michigan Indians are employed on a WPA Indian handicraft project sponsored by the Michigan department of conservation. Besides furniture, they

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Whither Away, Pretty Maids?



THESE four carefree lassies were snapped trying out the new sidewalk between the Ford Exposition and the General Motors Building at the New York World's Fair.

So many Fair visitors wanted to take a shortcut across the wide expanse of lawn between the two popular exhibit buildings this summer that the two great motor companies joined in laying this new 575-foot walk for the 1940 Fair. It will connect new side entrances to the two pavilions, which will be opened to help ease for the great crowds next summer.

Hardly was the new walk laid before these girls came swarming

along on an exploring trip around the Fair grounds to see what changes are under way. They have all been working at the Fair since the days when it was only an idea and a pile of blueprints. So there isn't much guess as to without them seeing and knowing about it.

They were interested in the new wing to be added at the rear of the Ford Exposition, and in the many changes to be made in Garden Court where free band concerts attract great crowds in Fair days. Left to right we see: Anne Stone of Seattle, Marjorie Tucht of Los Angeles, Kathleen Cody of Champaign, Illinois, and Georgia Thompson of Texas.