

Mr. and Mrs. James Nicholas and sons Bill and Jimmie and Miss Elsie Hazy of Detroit spent Sunday at Ypsilanti visiting relatives.

WEST FARMINGTON By MRS. SARAH KNAPP

Mr. and Mrs. William Knapp attended the Good Cheer Class party at the Walled Lake Baptist Church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gimm.

Mrs. Wilson of Boyne City is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. James W. Phelps of Hagerly Road.

Mrs. Sarah Murray of Pontiac and Mrs. Grace Helker of Ann Arbor called on Mrs. Charles Helker Wednesday.

Mrs. Aldo Smith and two daughters, Marlene and Hilda of Williams Lake, called on their grandmother, Mrs. Edith Graham Wednesday.

William Westlake of Detroit called on Mr. and Mrs. William Knapp and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Giegler spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Starr Graham.

The West Farmington Extension group held their Christmas party Wednesday evening at West Bloomfield Town Hall. About 15 people attended. Mrs. Paul Button arranged the tables and decorated them with red table spreads, Christmas decorations, and place favors. A lunch of cake and ice cream was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rexin spent Monday in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. John Palacky are leaving for Florida where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Anna Westlake, Mrs. Edith Sarantos, and Mrs. William Knapp spent Saturday in Detroit with Mrs. Ray Raoia on her birthday anniversary.

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Decorating With Christmas Cards

THE habit of taking a hasty glance at Christmas cards to note the sender and then tossing them aside is not a very satisfying one for either you or the friends who graciously remember you with greetings.

This year, why not put your cards on display to preserve their warmth of feeling throughout the holidays, and to lend a bright Yuletide appearance to your home.

There are numbers of tricks for using Christmas cards in your decorative scheme. Try draping an arch or doorway in greenery, bedecking it with colorful cards as they arrive.

If your window curtains are a solid color, they'll serve as an attractive background for cards that have been attached to ribbons and hung from the curtain rods. A few sprays of greenery, tied with wide red ribbons, should be placed at the top of the window to give a finished look to your exhibit.

Homemakers are given assistance in finding interesting ways to display their holiday greetings by the manufacturers of the Christmas cards themselves, some of whose offerings this year can double as ornaments.

These include the cardboard variety, which fold flat for mailing, and a plastic kind, which may be removed from the card to add a sprightly sparkle wherever it's needed.



An archway, adorned with greens and holiday cards, contributes to a festive atmosphere and offers a Christmas welcome to entering guests.

CLARENCEVILLE NEWS

By MRS. FRED GROSE

21160 Tuck Road Telephone 2546-R

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Smith of West Virginia are spending a few weeks with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith on Han-

mon in the theme "Unto You A Savior Is Born".
A 5 p.m. candlelight vesper service with Mrs. Newman reading, special music by the choir, and a brief message by the pastor will also be a December 24 event. No other services will be held that day.

The church of the Clarenceville Methodist Church presented a lovely Christmas musical on Sunday evening under the direction of Mrs. Paul Aremans.

The Sunday School Christmas program with Santa Claus will be held at the church on Friday night at 7:45 p.m.

The Henry South Bible Class will hold its Christmas party at the home of the pastor on Thursday evening in Highland Park.

It's so nice to hear from friends you've known for years but haven't met recently — just to hear their voice and to be wished a Merry Christmas makes the holiday that much nicer. We've had two such calls in the past week and it's meant much to us. May we wish all of you a Merry Christmas.

Obituaries

Hattie J. McLeod
Mrs. McLeod died at her residence, 563 Maple Avenue, Plymouth, Michigan, on December 11.

She was born in Danville, Illinois, February 16, 1873 and had resided in Plymouth 51 years.

She was the daughter of James and Alice (Howard) Long and was married to Jasper R. McLeod 55 years ago on October 30, 1895.

Besides her husband she leaves three daughters, Mrs. Roy T. Jans (Irene) of Atlantic City, N. J.,

Corporal Janette A. McLeod, U. S. Army, Tokyo, Japan, and Mrs. Spencer J. Heene (Florence) of Farmington; one grandson and two granddaughters, also one brother, Walter Long of Manchester, Michigan.

Funeral services were held from the Spencer J. Heene Funeral Home December 16 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. P. Ray Norton of the Cass Avenue Methodist Church, Detroit, officiating.

Interment was in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Adelbert Noble
Mr. Noble died at his residence, 29539 West Ten Mile Road, December 16, 1950.

He was born in Farmington Township September 2, 1851, and had lived in Farmington all of his 99 years and was engaged in farming.

He leaves one daughter, Martha Noble of Farmington; three sons, Harold of Marquette, Ralph and Charles of Farmington; two granddaughters, Mrs. Keyes and Mrs. Turner, both of Marquette, and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the Spencer J. Heene Funeral Home at 2:00 p.m. Monday with the Rev. Harvey Lucey of the Southfield Community Church officiating.

Interment was at Oakland Hills Memorial Park, Walled Lake.

Baby Boy Manz
Baby boy Arthur J. Manz, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Manz of 31855 Grand River Avenue, died December 12 in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac. Mr. Manz is a science teacher in the Farmington High School.

The baby rested at the Thayer Funeral Home until 10:00 a.m. Thursday when graveside services took place in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Scattered throughout 23 states, most of them many miles inland, coal mines have never required for defense the camouflage and anti-aircraft protection necessary for other key industries.

Smith-Berling Employees Win In Ford Contest

Edward Perry and Steve Malch of the Smith-Berling Company dealership, Farmington, were among the winners in a recent sales contest held by the Detroit Sales district of the Ford Division, Ford Motor Company.

They were among the more than 400 Ford dealers, parts and accessories and service managers from the Detroit district, who boarded a special train Sunday, December 17, for a three-day trip to French Lick Springs, Indiana. It was announced by A. P. Vauerbach, Detroit district sales manager.

The dealers and managers are those who qualified in an "All American" sales contest in the Detroit sales district during October and November.

Ruth Priest Miller, Max Trudeau Wed

Ruth Priest Miller and Max Trudeau were married December 8 in a quiet ceremony at the home of Dr. F. R. Campbell, Dean of The Bible Institute. The bride is the daughter of Mr. Emory Priest of Redford, and the groom the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Trudeau of Redford.

A gold color suit dress, with charcoal blouse and brown accessories, was chosen for the bride's costume. With a white carnation corsage. The maid of honor, Miss Grace Priest, also wore a steel length dress but of green wool.

Mr. Harold St. Marie was best man. Following the 8 p.m. double-ring ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bridegroom. The couple are now at home at 21238 Jefferson Street.

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