

EXTRA LIGHTING BILLS DISCUSSED

School Board May Ask Groups To Pay For Electricity in Schools, At Night

When \$20,000.00 in bills for school expenses was allowed by the School Board Monday night, the matter of \$700 for electric lights and power came in for a vigorous discussion. Barnum's total was \$178, Quorton's \$174, Adams \$156, Baldwin High School \$125, and Pierce \$78, while the small Hill school bill was less than \$3. Various club activities in the

school buildings at night cause increased lighting bills, and some of the board members felt that clubs should be asked to pay proportionate expenses when using the buildings at night. Ray Palmer, on the contrary, felt that the matter of modern school theory needed consideration, since adults are supposed to use school facilities to the fullest extent for social and recreational activities. Consensus of opinion was made of the actual additional cost of lights and janitor service and heat, on an hourly basis, and that clubs might be asked to pay this small extra charge in cases where payment would be no hardship.

5,775 Deer Slain Up To December 1

Lansing, Dec. 11. Conservation officers located at Mackinac City and St. Ignace report the following game and predatory animals transported south up to Dec. 1: 5,775 deer; 13 coyotes; 9 timber wolves; 47 bear; and 8 bob-cats. The deer brought across the Straits represent about one-third of the total kill, according to the Conservation Department, and of course this number does not include those taken out through Wisconsin, or those killed and kept within the upper peninsula which are open to deer and bear hunting.

Church News

First Baptist Church
Willetts at Bates St.
David Leon Woodward, R. D.
Rev. 111 Bates St.

This church opens wide its doors to all who will come and worship. The following services are for everyone.

Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Every member of the family can find a place in one of the classes of this school.

Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
The sermon will be on the Lord's Prayer, the subject being "The One Bread, One Cup." Special music will be furnished by the choir under the direction of Prof. Frederick A. Frothero.

Young People's Union, 6:30 p. m.
Love B. Y. proves interesting to all Juniors. Come and bring another.

Senior B. Y. is having a contest with a Pontiac B. Y. All members are wanted at these meetings and newcomers are most welcome. A fine program is assured.

Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.
The sermon of the evening will be on the subject: "If Christ Came to Birmingham." The ordinance of baptism will be observed. The Thursday Musical under the direction of Mr. Fred A. Frothero will give a special program of Christmas music.

Church-Night Dinner, Wed., 6:30 p. m.
This is the regular monthly fellowship dinner to which all members and friends of the church are invited. A beautiful program "Passing On The Light" will be given by the World Wide Guild girls.

First Presbyterian Church
10 a. m. Sunday School. Come and get the Sunday School habit.
11 a. m. Dr. M. C. Pierson of Detroit will occupy the pulpit. His subject will be "Essentials of Growth in a Child."
6:35 p. m. Young People's social hour and regular meeting.

Christian Science Church
Center and Willett Streets.
Church each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Reading room in the church building is open from 11:30 a. m. until 4:30 p. m. daily except Sundays and holidays. It is also open on Wednesdays before and after the service.

"God the only Cause and Creator" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches on Sunday, December 7.

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness and all manner of disease among the people" (Matt. 4:23).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "When man is governed by God, the ever-present Mind who understands all things, man knows that with God all things are possible. The only way to this living Truth, which heals the sick, is found in the Science of divine Mind as taught and demonstrated by Christ Jesus" (p. 180).

Chapel of the Holy Name
Harmon at Woodland
Rev. William W. Ryan, Pastor
Sunday Masses, 7:30, 9, 10:30, 12.
Holy Day Masses, 7, 9.
Daily Mass, 7.
Baptisms Sunday at 2 p. m.
Confessions: Saturday afternoon, 4 to 6; Saturday evening, 7:30 to 9; before the early Masses.

Christ Church Cranbrook
Rev. Dr. S. S. Marquis, Pastor
Rev. W. H. Aulenbach, Assistant
11 a. m. Prayer and Sermon.
4:30 p. m. Vespers.
Holy Communion Service First Sunday of Each Month.

United Presbyterian Church
Henry S. Evans, Pastor
Bible School, 10:30-11:15 Morning Worship, 11:15-12:00
In this service we continue our study of the Bible, giving our attention to Paul's Epistle to the Romans. It is practically impossible to deal adequately with this book of the Bible in a twenty minute sermon. In order to find the sermon interesting or even profitable you will have to know what the preacher is talking about. To that end we ask you to read this letter to the Romans before church time on Sabbath. You will at least profit by your reading. Cottage prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

Methodist Episcopal Church
Maple Ave. West at Henrietta St.
Robert Marston Atkins, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a. m. Classes for everyone.
Morning Worship 11. Sermon Subject: "Thou Art The Lord."
Epworth League 6:15 p. m. For the Young people.
Fellowship service 7:45 p. m. Wednesday. Mr. Atkins theme is: "Disciplinaries in The Synoptic Gospels."

Einstein says space is eating up matter. Maybe when the feast is over there will be somewhere to park.

CARILLON RECITAL

Chapel Church Cranbrook
Sunday Afternoon, Dec. 14 at 2:30 p. m.
William Hall Maser, Bellmower Advent and Christmas Selections in Groups

Traditional
Veni Emmanuel
Great God, What do I see and hear!
We Three Kings of Orient are
Good King Wenceslas
God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen
Silent Night, Holy Night.
Narrative
O Little Town of Bethlehem
Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Devotional
Rejoice, Believers
Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus
As with Gladness Men of Old
Adeste Fideles

The usual Sunday Afternoon Organ Recital will be omitted this Sunday on account of The Service of Gifts which begins at 4:30 p. m.

SCHOOLS STILL MUST BORROW

Funds For Operating Activities Loaned By Banks; County Taxes Unpaid

Since \$114,000 in last year's county taxes is still unpaid, the School Board will have to continue to borrow from the three Birmingham banks until May to meet school running expenses.

Solving the problem of getting tax monies from the county in the summer, ready for fall school use, so interest can be earned by the School fund instead of the Board's having to borrow continuously to meet expenses until tax monies are turned over, is the special problem that may fall largely to the lot of Harlow N. Davock, the new member of the School Board, to solve, according to the suggestion of Leigh Lynch, president of the Board.

There is \$114,133.61 in the school fund today, and payrolls must be met within the next two weeks. The average monthly school expense is \$50,000.

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 <p>Erector Sets What boy wouldn't want to have an Erector under the tree on Christmas morning. Another constructive gift. \$1 up</p>	 <p>Bicycles Velocipedes Tricycles Scooters Electric Trains Construction Sets Buddy "L" Toys Chemistry Sets Sports Goods Toboggans Skis Tubular Skates</p>	 <p>Buddy "L" Toys Steam shovels, trucks, dump cars, fire engines and hydraulic lift toys. Those Buddy "L" toys are the sturdiest built. \$3.50 up</p>
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Gift Suggestions FOR All The Family

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TOILETRIES

A large selection of Toilet Articles and novelties in Soaps, Bath Salts and Perfumes. Many toilet articles are appropriate for both men and women, while others, of course, are daintily feminine and sure to please her discriminating mind.

Toilet Sets Powders Toilet Water Gift Sets Lip Sticks	Compacts Perfume Bath Salts Rouges Creams
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CAMERAS - KODAKS

Give Worlds of Pleasure
Year-round pleasure is sure to come to the person who receives a camera or kodak on Christmas morning. Check this suggestion now!

Kodaks \$5 up	Kodatoy \$12	Cameras \$1.49 up
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PARKER Duofold

A daily reminder of the giver is a pen or pencil by Parker. Or better still would be a set of both. In many attractive colors. These pens are guaranteed for life. Also desk sets as low as \$5 \$7 \$10

CANDIES

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