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## 472 ARE EXAMINED IN DENTAL CLINIC

Report For November Shows 107 School Students Will Receive Free Treatment

A total of 472 school children were examined by Birmingham dentists during November in connection with the free dental clinic sponsored by the Birmingham Exchange Club, according to a report submitted to the Board of Education at its meeting last Thursday night.

The examinations were all of children in Adams, Burton and Florence Schools. Students in other schools are being examined this month. Indigent children found to have dental defects will be treated free of charge in the clinic, an arrangement for which has been established in Barnum School, and others will be referred to their family dentists.

Of the 472 students examined in November, according to the report, 329 were found to have dental defects. Of these, 107 were

## Christmas Comes Tonight For 300 Boys and Girls

Officially, Christmas is still four days away, but 300 Birmingham boys and girls, tonight will be the real and only Christmas.

Those 300 boys and girls, members of indigent families in the village, will be guests at the Birmingham Lions Club's third annual Christmas party to be held in the Community House from 7 to 9 P. M.

Deprived, because of economic hardships suffered by their parents, of the joys that Christmas brings to other children, they will nevertheless, in those two hours, be treated to a program of music and stunts, and be given generous helpings of genuine Christmas atmosphere.

Admission will be by invitation only. The program will include a ventriloquist act by Kare Rickerson, an exhibition of magic by Clarence Cummings, the recitation of a Christmas story by Mrs. J. B. Hasberger, reading of a Bible story by Rev. B. D. Hopkins, selections by the Baldwin High School Band, songs and dances by Lillian Wilson and Lorraine Elliott, and songs by a choir of 60 voices from the three junior high schools in the village, under the direction of Mrs. Edith Roach Correll. Mrs. Correll will also lead the children in group singing.

Eight or 10 minutes of the Lions Club's Blind Children's Home of Detroit will be special guests. Members of the Birmingham Service League have volunteered their services in helping the club with arrangements.

Plans this year are for a party to be even larger than those of the past two years. Last year the youthful guests numbered 285. The committee in charge includes Arthur Wingerden, chairman; C. J. Brannan, Floyd Swartz, Maurice Kimmins, Claude Morrow and Clarence J. Bienna.

## RESUME CAGE CARD TONIGHT

Teams In 177 League To Meet Again; Full Schedules Drawn

Three more games will be played at Eastern School tonight in the Birmingham V. M. C. A. Basketball League. The schedule opened last night with games in which Vanc's Pharmacy opposed Mulholland's Fellowship (Clayton DeLoach) and Miller and Falberg used Eastern Michigan.

The remainder of the schedule including tonight's games, follows: Eastern Michigan vs. Miller and Falberg; DeLoach vs. Mulholland's Fellowship Club vs. Eastern Michigan; Vanc's Pharmacy vs. Eastern Michigan; Falberg vs. Miller and Falberg; DeLoach vs. Mulholland's Fellowship Club vs. Eastern Michigan.

Jan. 12—DeLoach vs. Vanc's Pharmacy; Fellowship Club vs. Miller and Falberg; Mulholland's vs. Eastern Michigan.

Jan. 19—Miller and Falberg vs. DeLoach; Vanc's Pharmacy vs. Eastern Michigan; Mulholland's vs. Fellowship Club.

Feb. 2—Vanc's Pharmacy vs. DeLoach's Fellowship; DeLoach's Fellowship vs. Falberg vs. Eastern Michigan.

Feb. 9—Fellowship Club vs. Eastern Michigan; Falberg vs. Miller and Falberg; DeLoach vs. Mulholland's.

Feb. 16—DeLoach vs. Vanc's Pharmacy; Fellowship Club vs. Miller and Falberg; Mulholland's vs. Eastern Michigan.

Feb. 23—Mulholland's vs. Fellowship Club; Vanc's Pharmacy vs. Eastern Michigan; Miller and Falberg vs. DeLoach.

Mar. 2—DeLoach vs. Eastern Michigan; Miller and Falberg vs. Mulholland's; Vanc's Pharmacy vs. Fellowship Club.

## That M. S. C. Fracas

Editor's Note: Following is several several articles by Michigan editors on the resignation at Michigan State College which contained in the discussion of the membership of the faculty.

Michigan editors are beginning to inquire what other reasons impelled the State Board of Agriculture to fire three faithful servants of the state college, besides the one given, namely, that "they talked too much." They wonder that there was kept in the dark about that the Board of Agriculture talked. It will all come out in time. Meanwhile, of course, nobody would head had come off—so they picked out that of the venerable president emeritus—E. O. Giffard in a fit of statin.

Another odious chapter in the history of Michigan State College mismanagement was written recently when the position of the chairman held by Ex-President Frank S. Kedzie for 51 years connected with an ill-fated resignation situation was abolished, and resignations were asked of Dean Roscoe J. Cramer of the division of farm crops and James H. Hamann, director of publications. Probably Cox is the most recently resigning man on the campus. He had been a valued official of the college for 32 years.

The two whose resignations were asked for were "three" without a certain, and investigation as was made was behind closed doors and the "special" investigation of the resignation to the case had only recently been admitted to the bar—this being the usual case. And still no one knows what the charges actually were.

Thus, it strikes us, is a mighty poor method of trying to build confidence in a public institution. It is almost a miracle in the Howa City Record.

It looks to us as though there is going to be a whole lot more to that rumormongering in the college at East Lansing. It is supposed to be a fact that a certain number of faculty members are losing confidence in the institution. Not many farmers are in the habit of losing confidence in their neighbors—George English in Huron County Tribune.

Considerable comment about Michigan State College affairs has been heard since the rather mysterious dismissal of three of the veteran members of the faculty. Those interested in the college matter more than in politics, wonder what it is all about.

The general explanations that have been made by the State Board of Agriculture do not seem to have hit upon the matter. Many wonder why the Board should continue to sit as the judge and jury on matters concerning the faculty and are wondering how they could be so much so much without any fire except the "firing" of three men whose discharge could have been warranted only by the proving of grave charges.

Secret handling of the state's affairs is not liked by the public. It would not be surprising if this Legislature, hearing all this unfavorable comment of M. S. C. affairs, really went to the bottom of the matter.—Floyd J. Miller is Royal Oak Daily Tribune.

Politics is a game played in every large institution, educational as well as political. The flare-up at Michigan State College is too connected to be understood except by those closer to the real situation. An investigation of certain of the affairs was demanded. This resulted in a white-washing of the charges directed against certain of the college officials, and how comes the announcement of the forced resignation of three other officials by whom it is claimed the rumors of improper handling of college affairs were given circulation.

Over a year ago street talk around East Lansing had it that a music institute was being run as a sort of racket. Profits from the enterprise, it was said, were going to private individuals, among them some of the official payroll of the college. The institute was getting certain advantages from college funds. Also some of the college officials were the holders of stock in an East Lansing bank, where considerable sums of college cash was deposited. These were only rumors but nothing in the reports of the investigation had been contented denying the connections.

Simply it is stated that there is nothing in the investigation to support the institution's affairs.

There is no denying that the investigation has been a complete failure to the school, and qualified for the work they are doing. James H. Hamann, a member of the Board of Agriculture, has done much to make Michigan a better place and for the taxpayers of Michigan was always the first consideration in his mind. He is well known throughout the state, trusted and respected, and few, knowing him, are willing to believe that he was selfish in anything he may have undertaken. If he did criticize, it was only because he believed certain practices would prove detrimental to the college.

The same might be said for Joseph J. Cox, dean of agricultural

## FELLOWSHIP CLUB HONORS GIBBONS

New President and Other Officers To Be Installed At Public Banquet Jan. 13

Wesley A. Gibbons, proprietor of the Birmingham Lawn and Golf Supply Company, was elected president of the Birmingham Fellowship Club at the annual organization meeting Friday night. He succeeds Arthur J. Kane—Other officers were chosen as follows:—

Manley, vice-president; Floyd Crum, secretary; Albert Forbes, treasurer; Elmer Hoesworth, corresponding secretary, and Jackson Haysan, auditor.

The new officers will be installed at a public banquet to be held Jan. 13, when George A. Dondoro, congressman-elect from the new 17th district, will be the speaker.

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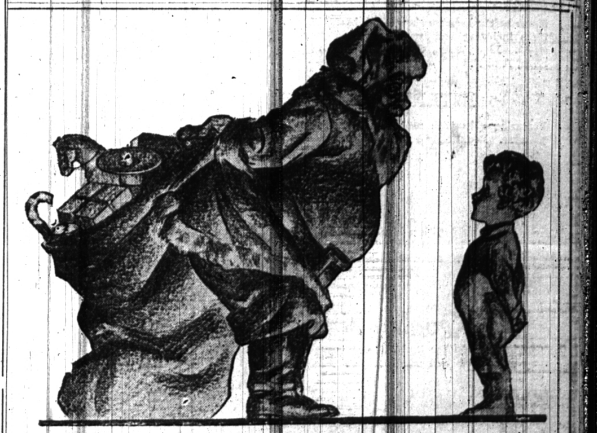
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Today, though the home-made tapers have given way to flashing and glowing electric lights and the bit of tinsel which gleamed feebly in the flickering flame has been replaced by myriad colorful adornments, the Christmas Tree still symbolizes the peace and love of Yuletide—the old-fashioned Christmas Spirit in which we extend greetings to you.

## STROUP'S MARKET

## New Trial Asked In Schwenk Case

A motion for a new trial in the case of John Schwenk, 711 Benaville Detroit, will be special guests. Schwenk is charged with the assault, Milton F. Cooney, Jr. if the motion is denied, the case will be appealed, Mr. Cooney said.

Schwenk, who is 49 years old, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 or serve 60 days in jail after a jury in Judge Frank L. Day's court had found him guilty of assaulting William Smith, 60 years old, also of Benaville avenue, as a result of a neighborhood quarrel last Aug. 26.

Schwenk testified that he beat Smith up after the latter had called Schwenk's wife abusive names and thrown rocks at Schwenk when the latter demanded an apology. Schwenk retaliated by striking Smith with a plaster ornament at the ensuing scuffle.

A new trial was asked on the grounds that the judge failed to instruct the jury in reference to provocation and justification for the assault. Schwenk was originally charged with assault to do great bodily harm.

**Sunday Evening, 7:30 THE Story of Christmas** A Cantata by MATTHEWS will be sung by the Presbyterian Double Quartette First Presbyterian Church North Woodward Avenue

## STOVE CAUSES FIRE ENDANGERING RABBITS

An accidental fire in a rabbit hutch at 104 Edgewood avenue owned by S. E. McNinney, caused a fire Friday morning which damaged one end of the roof and a quantity of stored lumber. The rabbits were quarantined and lost as a result of the fire. Fire Chief Vernon W. DeWitt.

**STEAM FILLS HOME** Firemen were called early Monday afternoon to the home of J. Parker. Smith at 104 Edgewood where coils in the furnace had blown out and filled the house with steam. There was no damage except to the coils.

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