## No Operator License; Girl, 17, Gets Ticket

Miss Madeline Pease, 17 years old, of 1251 Buckingham road, was given a traffic ticket last Thursday afternoon for having no operator's license on her person, after an automobile collision at Henrietta and Townsend streets.

The car of Miss Pease collided with one driven by Fletcher J. McCallum, 26 years old, of 119 Murphy street, Pontiac. None was hurt.

## Drive-Yourself Car Abandoned in City

A for-rent-to-the-public automobile owned by a Detroiter was found abandoned last Friday near the Trading Post on Pierce street. The owner, George Williams, 2239 Superior street, Detroit, was notified. The car had stood for two days.

### MEET AFTER 47 YEARS

CEDAR SPRINGS (MPA)—Charles Booth of Grand Rapids learned only recently that Ed Hearrington of Solon Center was his neighbor 20 miles north. They were boyhood friends, who had not seen each other for 47 years.

**To My Family—Dec. 25, 1939**

As I sit alone and ponder Christmas Day is nearly done,
And my thoughts fly back in swift delight to each and every one;
I wonder if you'll ever know how bursting is my heart
With love, and pride and happiness, in which you've had a part?

Your gifts to me more precious far than gold can ever buy,
Are tucked away in memories that will not ever die.
With thankful, grateful heart, I pray, that I may worthy be
Of such a jolly, happy group and loyal family.

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## *From the Women's Angle*

**By NELLIE HURLEY MINIFIE**

In common with many others of my sex I have definite ideas on how to produce the perfect race. Like all childless women I have theories on how to produce another Menuhin, Nijinsky or a Shakespeare. And so herewith I present to you, for what it is worth, my own theories on how to develop a cultural appreciation for say music, for instance.

Miss Minifie

What is the musical upbringing that a child might expect, when does it begin and of what does it consist? It should begin, I should say, at about the age of six months. The course of instruction at this age consists of playing the child music at a definite hour each day. The important thing is to see that he has music as a part of his daily life. Probably the best time of the day for his music—which must be gay and rhythmical—is in the late afternoon, some time between his nap and his bath.

This daily period should continue until he learns to talk. When he begins to develop conversational powers take up the second stage of his training. Proceed, then, to introduce him to music by associating it with words. Buy records of folksongs and nursery rhymes and teach them to him. Let folksongs—which can be found in the works of Beethoven, Brahms, Wagner, Rimsky-Korsakoff—be his main diet.

As he begins to grow older, bring him in contact with the more complicated forms of music. Introduce him to all kinds of orchestral and chamber music, not only the so-called "popular classics," but symphonic poems and parts of symphonies.

This program sounds ideal on paper. Will it work? Frankly, I don't know and yet at the same time I can't imagine why it shouldn't. A child's intellectual curiosity is insatiable and by directing it into definite musical channels cultural returns will be reaped later on. I don't maintain that intellectual giants will arise from culturally barren backgrounds, but I do feel that within certain limitations an appreciation for the so-called "finer things in life" can be stimulated in anyone.

**By KATHERINE W. GEORGE**

Little Finland offers the world her second example. Her first was in honesty and honor, set with her first payment of her war debt to the United States and renewed each year up to and including 1939.

This is remarkable in view of the diminutive size and lack of wealth of the country, and it should put to shame the larger, wealthier nations, such as England, France, Italy, who talk loudly and often of honor while spurning one and all to pay their justly-owed millions to the over-generous U. S. A. Finland, as everyone knows, is the only nation which has never defaulted in her war debt payments!

Mrs. George

And now Finland, sets an example of courage. She stands up to her greedy big neighbor, Russia, which is reaching out to engulf her, and fights back with the ferocity and ingenuity of a small boy battling the neighborhood bully.

What is more, this tiny northland country seems, if not to be winning, at least to be holding her own in what should be an unequal struggle. She is so far outnumbered in manpower and outclassed in equipment, that the feat seems superhuman and should enlist not only the admiration of the world, but its active support, as well, in everything but men.

Finland, assuredly, has our sympathy, but she can't win a war on sympathy; she must have ammunition, planes, guns, food supplies and other equipment. Funds sent to Finland through channels already set up for her aid, will be funds spent well and worthily.

**By MYRTLE B. KNOWLTON**

When winter is young and its newness is upon us, we welcome the change and beauty that it brings; the brightness and luminosity of the first heavy snow, with hurrying snowflakes that seem to have no definite course, are reflected into our homes, as though the heavens had turned on more light. We are conscious of a vague happiness, associated with former winters when hearts were light and the family circle unbroken. We come in from out of doors, happily stimulated by the cold, vital air, to the welcome warmth of home, and go about the business of living with renewed and zestful purpose. Healthy children run in and out, with spirits effervescent and cheeks aglow, for they find that winter is good and rejoice in the gifts that it brings. The trees, even without their leaves, have a charm belonging to the season, etched as they are in black defiance against the storm-soiled sky, and we think of summer's beauty asleep under its soft, white protection.

Mrs. Knowlton

The home is more often filled with the scent of sweet, spicy cookies and cake, and the fragrance of winter cooking teases hearty, winter appetites already vitalized from contact with the cold, outside air. Friendship's quiet hour, a cup of tea and log fires belong to winter, as do the magenta hued sunsets which send cloud filtered light through the living room window and across the floor. When we venture out of doors at night we are compensated by the sight of beautiful, starlit skies, with the milky way, that nebulous pathway of the gods, bisecting the heavens, and we drink more deeply of the oxygen laden air. When the cold clear moon shines through the bare branches of the birch tree, forming sharp shadows on the snow and illuminating the rock garden, the picture is a close rival of the most beautiful that summer can produce. Yes, we like winter and welcome its coming provided it doesn't overstay and prevent the timely arrival of Lady Spring.

## *SOCIAL BRIEFS*

Mr. and Mrs. Norman G. Currin held a watch night party at their home in Franklin on New Year's Eve. Among those who attended were Bert D. Wood, Mildred Wood and Mr. and Mrs. John Currin. On New Year's Day the Currins were hosts at dinner at their home for Mrs. Currin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Heacock of Bloomfield Hills, Florence Bingham of Franklin and Margaret Balabanian of Birmingham.

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Mrs. A. W. Grigg of Franklin was hostess to about 25 members of the Friendly circle of the Franklin Community Church at a luncheon at her home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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Robert Gregor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gregor of Franklin, left Tuesday to resume his studies at Michigan State College after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Currin entertained Tuesday evening at dinner at their home in Franklin for Mrs. Lottie Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pickering and Mr. and Mrs. Norman G. Currin of Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beardslee and Bert Foreman of Pontiac, Mrs. Edna Love of Farmington and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Heacock of the Hills.

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Mrs. John J. Hamel, Jr., of Southfield road will entertain eight members of her bridge club at a luncheon at Devon Gables on Friday afternoon. Those who plan to attend are Mrs. Richard Dubois Young, Mrs. Claud W. Behn, Mrs. John G. Wood, Mrs. Fritz Kleene, Mrs. William A. Kindley and Mrs. George J. Thomas. Out of town guests will be Mrs. Frederick Darden of Rochester and Mrs. George Shupert of Detroit.


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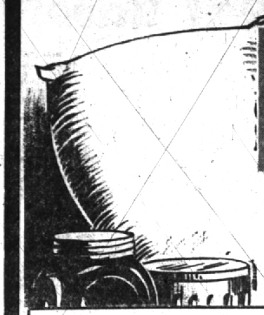

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