

### "Any Way You Slice It"

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I got a real thrill this morning, as I stepped out onto the front porch to retrieve the morning paper. I say retrieve because that's the word that fits best. The thrill came from greeting a cold crisp dawn and a bright sun coming up over the eastern horizon. I loved it as the little bits of brittle snow crackled under my step. It was cold, but dry; and even though I was in my shirt sleeves I was comfortable as I picked up the paper and took a look at the thermometer which registered just a few degrees above zero.

Now, if I may digress for a moment from the subject of the weather, I would like to explain why I use the term retrieve to explain how we get our cloms on the newspaper at our house.

You see, it was very nice out this morning, cold, but no precipitation or other disagreeable phase of weather. As I would expect under those ideal conditions, the paper was neatly folded and lying on the porch, very near the door. If it had been raining or snowing, sloppy or blowing, the paper would have been out in the yard under a rose bush.

Worse yet, if the coal strike had ended this morning or if the government had decided to cut out all taxes, or some other startling news development made the paper a thing that me and my family just couldn't miss (the Tigers might even have signed Neuhouser), you could bet your bottom dollar that the paper would have been on the roof and if I wanted it I could obtain the services of a ladder.

Anyway, this morning everything was okay. As I mentioned, the weather was to my liking. It was snappy and bright and the only thing that spoiled it for me was the thought that it was eating up dwindling stocks of coal more rapidly than would milder weather. The coal strike is another subject and my liking for cold clear weather is under normal conditions. The warmer the better right now.

There are any number of reasons for liking, or at least tolerating cold weather and beautiful snow. Most of these are obvious. From a health point of view alone, a crisp winter without too much variation of temperature is worth a lot. Vegetation and soil conditions prosper with a good blanket of snow and cold weather enough to kill off many of the harmful bacteria and insects that plague countries with a continually mild climate.

For myself I prefer a winter in which the cold weather comes and goes gradually. I would prefer that it wouldn't rain from October to March. I definitely will forego mild weather in the winter if it means it won't rain. Freezing rain and sleet is my opinion of the worst weather which the weather man has to offer and I don't like an over abundance of wet snow.

If it would snow enough to cover the ground well by the early part of December and then repeat the performance often enough to keep it reasonably clean throughout January and February, it would suit me fine. I wouldn't like too much snow at a time, so that automobiles are stuck all over town. However, once the snow has fallen and is placed off the thoroughfares of the community and then a temperature lower than freezing is maintained so there is a minimum of slush and frozen ruts, automobile operation is not too unpleasant.

This morning is ideal. The sun is high and bright. As I write the mercury is rapidly climbing up to the mid-twenties. Earlier at the Birmingham National Bank, I voiced my approval of the weather to Merrill Adams, saying that I could stand about 40 mornings a winter just like this one. He told me that if I would take the zero off of my figure I would have just about hit his quota.

### Committee Discusses U. of M.'s Memorial at Meeting Tonight

A meeting of the Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills committees of the University of Michigan Memorial Phoenix project will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Cunningham in Bloomfield Hills. The group will hear Marvin L. Niehus, vice-president of the university, and other Michigan leaders speak on the plans and progress of the project.

Purpose of the Phoenix project is to conduct research in peacetime uses and development of atomic energy. The university intends to provide a board study of the effect it will have on the nation's social and economic life.

The research center will be established on the campus at Ann Arbor where all research will be conducted. Their aim is to show the world that American private enterprise is capable of making

itself felt in a field which has formerly been monopolized by the government.

The university is asking its friends and graduates throughout the country to raise \$5,500,000 for the project, which will be a memorial to the 520 men and women of the institution who died in World War II.

### City to Pay Cost of Repairs to Car

A bill for \$98.50 to repair a car damaged by a city truck in a collision Saturday will be paid by the city, commissioners decided Monday night.

The accident at Webster and Eton involved John Johnson, driving a city vehicle, and Edward Luth, driver of the other car.

Commissioners determined that both parties were negligent, but agreed to pay for the damage to the Luth vehicle. The city truck will cost an estimated \$50 to repair.



**RABBIT ROYALTY**—This little girl receives a royal audience from the kind of rabbits, "Jeanette II" and his queen at a Paris exhibition. The show featured various exhibits of family activities, in addition to the multitude of toys.

### Cranbrook Museum's Recent Acquisitions Being Exhibited

Highlights of interest in the March exhibition of "Recent Acquisitions" at the Museum of the Cranbrook Academy of Art include two French bronzes, a collection of 17th and 18th century drawings and contemporary prints, drawings and ceramics.

known French sculptor, Aristide Maillol, in a half life size reduction made by the sculptor in 1945 after one of his most successful early works executed in 1910. "La Danse" by Charles Maillol is the other large piece of French sculpture. This bronze represents one of the last experiments in haut relief made by the sculptor several years before his death in 1940.

The additions of the 17th and 18th century drawings by Tiepolo, Zuccaro, Natouze, de Wilde and other Italian, French and English

masters provide a remarkable complement to the museum's print and drawing collection. There are also two zinc woodcuts by Albrecht Durer and four of the seven engravings made by William Blake in 1827 as illustrations to Dante's "Inferno".

The ceramics, including pieces by Maria Gredel, Henry Varum Poor, Gertrud and Otto Nagler and Edwin and Mary Scheier, were purchased by the museum from the second national biennial exhibition of contemporary textiles and ceramics. Also from this

exhibition is "Entrance," a ceramic sculpture by the Austrian-American Adolf Oporfer.

New techniques in etching and engraving are shown in the work of Mateo Lomasny, Stanley William Hayter, Ernest Freed and Gabor Peterdi. Among the contemporary prints are two Picasso lithographs, a Matisse, a Lipchitz etching and five lithographs by the Michigan artist, John de Martelly.

A drawing by Francis de Erdely entitled "Motherhood" is one of

the outstanding features of the 1949 accession. Museum hours are from 2 to 5 daily except Monday. This exhibit will be open through Sunday, April 2.

### To Audit City Books

The firm of Hogan, Janspel and Harding has been retained by the city to perform the audit for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950.

### Re-zoning Petition Will Be Studied

A petition asking the rezoning of the southern half of the two blocks bounded by Haynes, Hunter, Adams and London, has been referred by the city commission to the city plan commission for study.

The request suggests this property to be reclassified from multiple dwelling to business A.

# STORE HOURS

## 9:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M. Daily

### Friday Evenings Open Till 9 O'clock

# SHOP HERE WITH Confidence in QUALITY with SAVINGS

## Lenten Cheese SALE

- 2 lb. Kingsbury 69c
- 2 lb. Ri Cheddar 75c
- 2 lb. Velveeta 79c
- 2 lb. Pabstette 89c
- 2 lb. Chateau 99c

in Plastic Case

McMILLAN'S COUNTRY Roll Butter . lb. 67c	Rib End Baby Pork Loin . lb. 35c
Greenfield Brand Picnics . . . lb. 39c Small and Smoked	Lamb's Liver TENDER AND NUTRITIONAL AS CALVES LIVER . lb. 49c

## Pre Easter Canned HAM SALE

DAVIES, DUBUQUE, MAPLE LEAF, OSCAR MAYER OR TOBIN BRAND.

"Save" lb. **79c**

## TURKEYS

FRESH DRESSED HENS . lb. **59c**

## Ground Beef

LEAN AND FRESH . lb. **49c**

## Canadian Bacon

Maple Leaf Brand Imported Back Bacon . lb. **99c**

## Snow Crop Frozen Food Specials . . .

- FRENCH CUT GREEN BEANS
- FRENCH FRIED POTATOES
- BROCCOLI CUTS
- CHOPPED SPINACH
- GRAPE FRUIT JUICE
- SQUASH
- PEAS
- CORN

ORANGE JUICE can 31c

STRAWBERRIES Sliced—pkg. 39c

**23c** Pkg.

## Awrey Bakery

Chevy Almond Nut Cookies	per doz. 46c
Whipped Cream Coconut Pies	each 75c
Pineapple Filled Danish Horn	each 75c
Sweet Rolls	3 for 25c
Delicious Filled Nut Loaf Cakes	each 57c
Maple Walnut Taffy Frosted Cup Cakes	6 for 40c
Apricot Filled Danish Triangle Coffee Cakes	each 58c
Old Fashioned Crullers	per doz. 56c
(FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY)	
Royal Chocolate Layer Cakes	each 57c
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Butter Almond Pineapple Cream Layer Cakes	each 95c
(SATURDAY ONLY)	
Whipped Cream Chocolate Layer Cakes	each 95c

## Procter and Gamble

- Ivory Flakes
- Tide Lge. Pkg.
- Ivory Snow
- Dreft
- Oxydol
- Duz

**23c**

Florida JUICE ORANGES	2 doz. 79c
Idaho POTATOES	10 lb. bag 55c
Extra Large FRESH PINEAPPLE	each 39c
FRESH TOMATOES	14 oz. 19c
The Aristocrat of Salad Fruit CALAVOS	2 for 49c

## CHOICE STANDING Rib Roast

6th and 7th Ribs . lb. **59c**

## Sliced Bacon

LEAN IN LB. PKGS. **45c**

## HOME MADE ALL MEAT CHICKEN PIES . . . . . each 49c

## SALTED PISTACHIO and CASHEW Nuts

1/2 lb. . . . 49c  
1 lb. . . . 89c  
5-lb. Bag. \$3.69

## HEADQUARTERS FOR FRESH FISH

- LIVE MAINE LOBSTERS
- OYSTERS
- FILLETS OF PICKEREL
- FINNAN HADDIE
- SCALLOPS
- HADDOCK
- SHRIMP
- SMOKED TROUT
- HALIBUT

# Sires

## DURKEES Oleomargarine

Lb. Pkg. Reg. **14c**  
LB. PKG. COLOR EASE **17c**

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 5-lb. Bag 45c

HUNT'S Fruit Cocktail No. 2 1/2 Tin 29c

ROLLED OR FLAT ANCHOVIES 3 Tins 50c

Randall's Country Style Chicken 1 1/2-lb. Jar \$1.45

MAYWOOD JUMBO RIPE OLIVES Large Tin 39c

1c SALE ON Cameo Cleanser 3 Cans 24c