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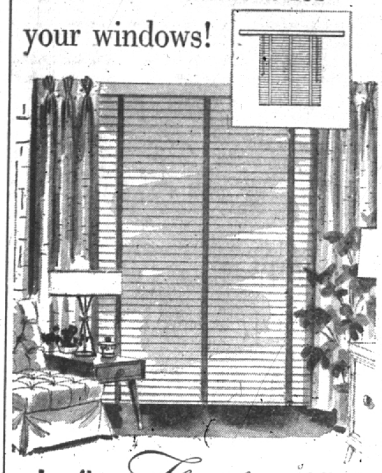

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THERE WILL BE many happy little girls when the Goodfellows distribute dolls to underprivileged children again this Christmas. Lee Bargar of Lone Pine road, Bloomfield Hills, left, and Virginia E. Kreuger of Manchester avenue, hold several of the over 140 dolls dressed by Dearborn Motors girls. The collection includes dolls of nearly every description, among them Indian princesses, roller skaters, and several sets of twins.

NEWS FROM

Southeast of Birmingham

By JANE STAGG

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Last Wednesday evening the Men's club of Upton school met at the school to report on the dance held Dec. 5 and elect officers. Committee chairmen for the dance, attended by 150 couples, were Wally Ronner, Berkshire road, general chairman, Virgil Lake, Berkshire road, refreshments; Art Dawe, Robinwood, decorations; Roy Holland, Coolidge highway, tickets; Art Gross, Berkshire, ticket printing.

Officers elected are Andrew Merrill, Fourteen Mile road, president; Wally Ronner, Berkshire road, vice-president; Virgil Lake, Berkshire road, second vice-president; Art Gross, Berkshire road, recording secretary; C. W. Jatho, Tonawanda avenue, corresponding secretary and Dan Sherban, Berkshire road, treasurer.

Sunday the group went to the school to spread several tons of slag to provide walks. Among those shoveling were R. L. Robertson, Dave Crooks, Bob Dikeman, Jeff Bilbrey, Fred Bertsch, H. D. Troutman, H. G. Prosser, Wally, Ronner, Charles May, C. W. Jatho, Andrew Merrill, Serg Stagg and Eugene Joyce.

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Saturday night the P. D. Moores of Guilford road, with their weekend guests the Robert Marcuses of Edmore, Mich., were guests at the home of the Walter Grants, Wing Lake, for cocktails and supper. The party preceded the first dance of the season by the Penguin Dance club at Glen Oaks Country club. The Stan Cregos, of Trafford, the Don Johnsons, of Guilford, and the Peter Deckers also attended the dance.

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Mrs. Dale F. Christman, Bembridge road, was general chairman of the Millionaires' party put on by the Art Centre hospital auxiliary. The party was a money raising project to provide a positive pressure oxygen machine for the hospital and some equipment for the nurses. The party was held Dec. 6 at the Park Shelton in Detroit. Another member of the committee was Mrs. Richard Murphy of Vinsetta boulevard. The Auxiliary is made up of doctors' wives and lay people.

Mary White, daughter of the Wayne Whites, celebrated her fourth birthday last Saturday with a traditional birthday party at her home on Glenwood. Gail Allston, Mary Ann Orlando, Susie Snell, Carol Goldsworthy, Joan Royster, Pamela Michaelson, and Mary's brother, David, were the guests.

Janie, daughter of the H. G. Whales of Robinwood, recently celebrated her sixth birthday with a dessert party at her home. Marcia Boettcher, Peggy Wolf, Betty Klein, Jimmy Heyl and Pamela Birchard were the playmates invited to join Janie on this occasion.

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Mrs. Robert Browning entertained the Elmwood street club at her home Friday evening. Christmas decorations were used and the individual gifts to be exchanged were heaped around a Christmas tree. Earlier the club sent a check to the Ruth Alden dress fund. Mrs. Don Dierkes, Mrs. Harry Fritzam, Mrs. George Arnold, Mrs. Frank Kelly, Mrs. Jack Stewart, Mrs. William Coatsworth, Mrs. Calvin Miesel, Mrs. Henry Reinhold, Mrs. Richard Strohm, Mrs. Nick Preda, Mrs. John Taepke and Mrs. Charles Colville were present for games and refreshments.

Birthdays, anniversaries, guests, births, parties are all news—call the society editor about them.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19
10:30 a.m.—Senior Workshop
12:00 noon—Senior Workshop lunch
3:15-4:30 p.m.—Girl Scout troop 333
3:45-6:00 p.m.—Pierce 6th Grade Christmas party

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22
12 noon—Rotary Club luncheon
3:30-5:00 p.m.—Brownie troop
3:30-5:00 p.m.—Girl Scout troop
6:30 p.m.—Hi-12 dinner
7:00-9:00 p.m.—Girl Scout Brownie troop 211

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23
10:00 a.m.—International Relations class
10:00-12 noon—Planned Parenthood
12:00 noon—Exchange luncheon
3:30-5:00 p.m.—Girl Scouts troop 307
3:30-5:00 p.m.—Girl Scout troop 219
3:30-5:00 p.m.—Girl Scout troop 233
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis dinner

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24
12:00 noon—Lions luncheon
3:30-5:00 p.m.—Girl Scout troop 306
3:30-5:00 p.m.—Girl Scout troop 363

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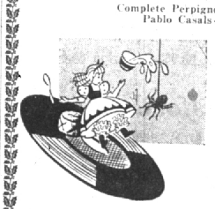

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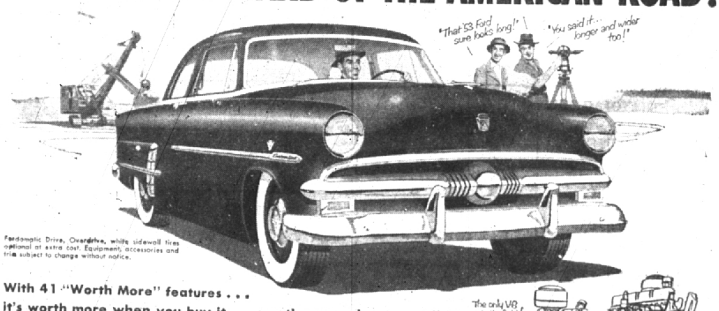

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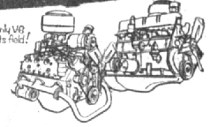

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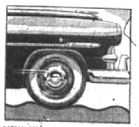

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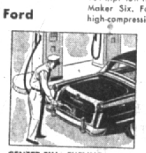

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