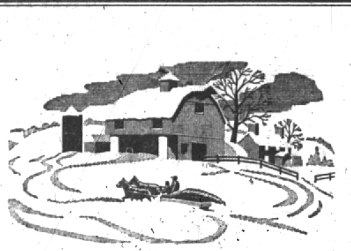


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### WORKERS RUSH TO FINISH CHURCH FOR CHRISTMAS EVE MASS

Our Lady Queen of Martyrs to hold opening service tonight (Eccentric Staff Photo)

### Services

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be held on Dec. 23, with a reception and tea at 4 p.m. in the church parlors for all students spending the holiday season at their homes here.

The 7:30 p.m. program will consist of the young people's presentation of "The Pageant of the Holy Nativity." The primary, antiphonal and young people's choirs will sing.

**CHRIST CHURCH** Cranbrook will have The Children's Hour from 4 to 5 p.m. This service is planned by church officers so little children may be brought to the church on Christmas Eve to "hear Christmas music on the organ, see the decorations, visit the Nativity Tableau in St. Paul's Chapel and say a prayer with their parents before going home to bed on the greatest night of the year."

At 8 p.m. the parish festival holy communion and service is planned, with an identical observance at 11:30. These will feature the full choir singing special Christmas music.

Only one service, holy communion at 10 a.m., is planned for Christmas Day.

The Rev. Carroll F. Deedy will celebrate a solemn high mass at Holy Name church at midnight on Christmas Eve, with responses by the school children's choir.

**BECAUSE OF** the large attendance, a second mass will be celebrated at the same time in the school auditorium by the Rev. Richard T. Parrish, with the adult choir of 25 voices participating.

Christmas Day masses will be at 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a.m. Franklin Community church has a service at 7:30 Christmas Eve which will consist of Christmas hymns and the presentation of "The Silent Angel and the Nativity Scene."

Two services on Christmas Eve and one on Christmas Day are planned for Redeemer Lutheran church.

At 7 p.m. Wednesday, the children of the Sunday school will give their eight-scene pageant of the Christmas story, with a music background by the children's choir.

**HAROLD WEINERT**, director, has been assisted by Mrs. Herman Fiebig, Bill Vanderkloot, Mrs. Frank King, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reilly, Bill Saunders, Mrs. Herb Seilon, Mrs. Russ Hibbard, Mrs.

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Wednesday, December 24:—

Children's Pageant 7 P.M.

Midnight Service of Lights and Carols 11:30 P.M.

Thursday, December 25:—

Christmas Day Service 11 A.M.

## Zoning Ordinance Contested

Claiming the city commission's recent action in denying a petition for a rezoning deprives the property owners of making the best use of their property, a suit was filed this week in Pontiac circuit court in an attempt to force the city of Birmingham to make the rezoning.

Plaintiffs are the Industrial Land Co. (a subsidiary of the Grand Trunk Western Railroad), and Frank and Hazel Newell, 593 N. Woodward.

Through their attorney, George Cram of Pontiac, the plaintiffs charged that the city commission's refusal in August to rezone a 4-acre triangular parcel north of E. Maple and west of Eton road "operates to deprive plaintiffs of making the highest and best use of their property."

City officials believe this is the first time since the zoning ordinance was adopted in February, 1927, that a suit has been filed against the city contesting the ordinance.

The city commission Monday night instructed City Attorney Forbes Hascall to make an appearance in court and answer the bill of complaint. The case then will be given a trial date.

Mayor Dean G. Heier indicated commissioners undoubtedly would hold a special session at which the case will be discussed and the city's defense action determined.

The rezoning originally was asked in a letter dated March 22, 1951, and sent to the city planning commission.

The letter asked that the property be rezoned from residential to business A use, if the business use was not approved, it then sought a substitute rezoning to multiple dwelling.

THE LETTER claimed "no takers" could be found who would purchase the property for residential use.

The complaint alleges that no immediate action was taken by the city plan board, but a hearing finally was called on Feb. 27, 1952, but no action resulted from it.

On May 21, the suit charges, the plan board again was asked to take affirmative steps, and a hearing was held on May 28. The plan board recommended to the city commission that the petition be denied but set forth no reasons for such denial. Cram said in the bill of complaint.

On June 11 the plan board considered the change to multiple dwelling, and decided to recommend a denial of this proposal, Cram charged.

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### Southfield Man Asks For Return Of Family Papers

A Southfield township man is not worried about the money or jewelry that was taken from his home in a burglary a week ago, but he is hoping that the papers, of no value to anyone but himself, will be returned.

Thieves broke into the home of Harold B. Leary, 16991 Dunblaine, Sunday, Dec. 14, and took, among other things, a drawer full of personal papers that included birth certificates, marriage license, car title, insurance policies and other papers.

Leary said that he only wants the return of the papers and not revenge. If they can be taken to him or mailed, there will be no questions asked, he said.

### Problem

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rides so very closely with my office file on the subject. In fact, all of the fencing through the Birmingham area, particularly near Graceland in the terrace development section, no later than Nov. 15, was again patched up or rebuilt.

"This naturally is an expense for the railroad, but we endeavor to protect young and old alike from getting onto our right-of-way."

### Kingswood Senior In Florida Play

Audrey Braun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold O. Braun, 1532 Tuttleham, Birmingham, has been invited to play in the annual Orange Bowl tennis tournament beginning Dec. 25 in Florida.

Audrey, presently a senior at Kingswood School (Cranbrook), is outstanding in both tennis and badminton and has served on Kingswood teams since she was 12 years old. She will be accompanied by Louella Householder, head sports instructor at Kingswood.



A TOY SANTA CLAUS heralded the engagement of Suzanne Caspar and Roger B. Vogel at a cocktail party at the Vernon drive home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jean Caspar, Jr. Miss Caspar attended Liggett School and Michigan State College where she was a member Alpha Phi. Her fiancé, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Vogel of Warrington drive, Detroit, attended Redford high school and the University of Michigan. His fraternity was Delta Upsilon. No definite wedding plans have been made.



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