



Christmas Number 90

BINGHAM FARMS—Believed to be Southfield township's oldest resident, William Clemons, 24025 13 Mile road, celebrates his 90th birthday today. A second cousin of Mark Twain, Clemons has been a farmer. He was born in the Royal Oak area and has spent most of his life in the township. Because Clemons is an early riser, we had to get up with the chickens to take this photograph.

Yuletide Season's Rolling in Franklin

FRANKLIN—From where I sit, Christmas and the holiday week could be likened to a ride on a roller-coaster. No amount of preparation seems to offset the breathtaking feeling that this is the peak and from here you go plunging headlong into an abyss swirling with bright color, rich music, gay people and an exhilaration born of the prayer that all's right with the world.

The spirit of the season was taken to the children at Harper hospital last Friday by ballet pupils of Miss Dolores Ruhl. All glittering and frothy, a dozen little ladies danced to charm away any abut-in gloom. Ann Doty and Kathy Whiting performed solos on toe to the classic Slaters' Waltz.

Franklin
BINGHAM FARMS — WOODCREEK FARMS
Nita Hard — MA 6-3224

Franklin's Junior Players To Present Variety Show

FRANKLIN—What does Santa do after Christmas? An original fantasy written and produced by members of the Franklin Junior Players is designed to show local small fry that the ole gent has a pretty interesting time after his annual forays.

To be presented as "Santa After Christmas", a variety show, two performances are set for 2 and 8 p.m. Dec. 29 at the Franklin Community church.

Written by students Bob Esterline, Marilyn Owens, Greg Larkin, Larry Sarten and Mary Sue Wilson. The finishing touches have been added by adult advisor Mrs. Don Odle.

Willowgreen greeted about 30 guests at their annual open house held last Saturday night.

Down the road a piece, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Schobel will be greeting friends who'll come for cocktails Dec. 27.

On Rosemond court, the Gordon Titworth family will be making the most of a family Christmas since father leaves Jan. 2 for several months in France as a project consultant. If the American schools were not so overcrowded, the entire family would have gone this trip.

BINGHAM FARMS — A dazzling array of homemade cookies and Christmas goodies opened the Christmas season for Bingham Farms ladies last week. Mrs. Myrl Brede of Bingham Lane welcomed 30 of her neighbors for a carol decorated tea. Traditional holly and poinsettias enhanced the punch bowl while Mrs. Paul Clements presided.

The Edgar Guest, Jr. home will be ablaze Dec. 23 as about 40 of their Detroit neighbors gather to help in the traditional tree trimming. Nobody leaves this party before having played at least one ornament on the family tree. Son, Edgar III, and daughter, Jane, bounced in from Denison Friday night, happily shattering the peace and quiet of the finest house.

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Invitations from "Fred and Tom" were received by residents of Stonoak this week. Fred Schwedt, president of the subdivision group and Tom Barnes, V.P., are hosting a Dec. 26 Christmas party for all their neighbors at the Barnes home on N. Greenbriar.

Newcomers, Ralph and Shirley Holderness have five children the neighbors that can be seen from their home on Woodlore at an impromptu party held Sunday at the Robert Hampsons. The Holdernesses have five children and moved here from Detroit.

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