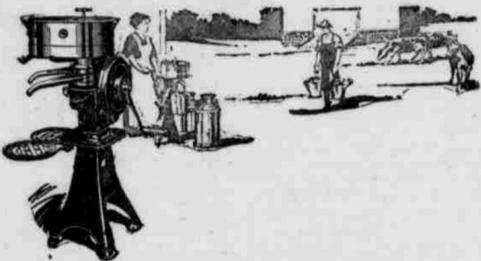


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Happy New Year!
No shopping days left. The old year is fast dying. Our next issue will be in 1919. Was Santa Claus generous to you? Did we ever have a more perfect December?

J. F. Cryslar attended the Chicago horse sale last week.

Leta and Bernice Holden were in Port Huron Monday.

H. P. Ohmer was at Port Huron the first of the week.

Mrs. Benj. Lane visited with her son Will at Flint this week.

N. B. Herbert was in Detroit the first of the week on business.

Mrs. E. J. Rice left Tuesday morning to spend the holidays in Detroit.

Port Huron City has adopted Eastern Standard time for the year round.

Chas. Montney spent Christmas with relatives and friends at Algonac.

Mrs. Purl W. Harding, of Melvin, was in Yale on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Chas. Rounds is at Bennington, Ont., on a visit to relatives and friends.

Snow Tuesday morning gave us a white Christmas instead of a green one.

Jas. Mann, of Detroit, has been here this week on a visit to his parents and friends.

John Irving left Monday morning for a week's visit to relatives in Grand Rapids.

Floyd Ferguson and family are spending Christmas with relatives in Inlay City.

Capt. F. W. Sheehy is now employed with the Michigan State Telephone Company at Detroit.

Rawley G. Hallman is home from Camp Custer on a furlough. He will return to Camp Friday.

Mrs. Wm. K. Tomlinson, of Albion, is spending Christmas week with her parents and friends here.

Our merchants report a very satisfactory trade last week, notwithstanding the awful condition of the roads.

Henry Pearce and daughter Mayme are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Locke in Port Huron.

Harvey Sayles, of the Great Lakes Training Camp, is spending the holidays with his wife and friends in Detroit. He will return to camp Jan. 4.

Saturday's casualty list contained the name of Lumber Taylor, Abbotford, among those who were wounded severely. He is a nephew of Fred Taylor, of this city.

E. J. Rice was home from Detroit over Sunday. Ensign Harold E. Rice, who is stationed at Pensacola, Fla., and who is home on a furlough, accompanied him.

The total number of country weeklies and dailies that have gone out of business in this country since we got into war is 2,136 and they are falling by the wayside everywhere.

Rex Holden is home from the Training Detachment of the University of Indiana, Bloomington, Ind., receiving an honorable discharge. He is in good health after being in the hospital for several weeks.

The bad roads and rainy weather of last Saturday failed to keep the farmers from coming to town to do their Christmas shopping. The stores were crowded with people from early in the morning, and our merchants report a large business.

Sgt. F. M. Conway, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leacock, of Old Brockway, has arrived home from a port of embarkation to visit his wife and daughter Agnes at 218 Broad St., Port Huron. Sgt. Conway was formerly of Old Brockway.

The Michigan Training School for Women, a new reformatory, will be started next spring on a 90 acre tract bordering Cedar river near Okemos, five miles east of Lansing. The building of the necessary cottages was authorized by the 1917 legislature.

The attention of Expositor subscribers, who are reading the serial, "Bride of Battle," now running on the inside pages, is directed to that part published on the supplement in this issue before reading chapter XVII in the regular section of the paper. This will give you the chapters omitted last week.

The Christmas mail at the Yale post-office was heavy on Monday. Over 1500 packages were mailed, a majority of them being insured and each one had to be sorted into zones and weighed. Besides there were 300 or more post cards and an unusual number of letters. Each rural carrier was loaded down with packages. Postmaster Farley says it beat anything since he has been in office.

The learned physician in the East, who calls it a pneumonic plague, and says it is a combination of pneumonia and bubonic disease germs, communicated to the German army by Chinese coolie prisoners, will not receive the thanks of humanity for airing his knowledge or theories just at this season. Apparently Kaiser Bill did not order them to be handled with "tongs,"—another blot on his 'scutcheon. Sit tight, and it will "flu" away in time.

Ten pages this week.

Earl Pratt, of Detroit is visiting his parents this week.

Bob Brown is home from Camp Custer for Christmas.

Ruth Menzies is home from Port Huron this week.

Clifford Hutton is home from Camp Custer on a short furlough.

What you have builded by advertising do not destroy by neglect.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goeben visited relatives in Port Huron Christmas day.

N. B. Herbert and family spent Christmas with Port Huron relatives.

Frank Vancamp left Tuesday night for a week's visit at Davison and other places.

Mrs. Agnes Holden and daughter Fredda spent Christmas with relatives and friends.

Chas. Ohmer left this morning on a fur buying trip to Caseville and through the Thumb.

The New Year will be a pair of nineteens. It will be a year of new opportunities.

James Hoskin is home from Midland to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents.

Ed Andree and family took Xmas dinner with Chas. Noble and family in Brown City.

If we have missed your holiday visits or your guests, it is because we couldn't guess 'em out.

Merrill Higley is home from Camp Eustis, Va., having received an honorable discharge.

Peter Doelle will leave this week for California where he will spend the winter months.

Eli Sheffield is up from Detroit visiting friends and relatives during Christmas week.

James Wallace, who is employed in the P. M. depot at Kinde, is at home for Christmas.

Count us among those who wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and many of them.

Mrs. Mary Simmons is spending the Christmas holidays with her brother J. A. Rapley at North Branch.

J. K. Rassey and family moved to Port Huron Tuesday night where they will remain for a time at least.

Claude N. Pratt has received an honorable discharge from Camp Gordon, Ga., and has returned home.

The ladies of the Church of Christ had splendid success with their bake sale last Saturday, realizing about \$35.

How does your subscription account stand with the Expositor? You know you need the paper and we need the money.

Quite a number have subscribed for the Expositor to be sent to some distant friend. It makes an all year round present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mansfield, of Pinconning, are spending their Christmas holidays the guests of J. A. Menzies and family.

Helen Farley, Leta Holden, Dorothy Drouyer, Thelma Minnie and Beulah Shurt are home from Ann Arbor for the holidays.

Kenneth and Dorothy Lacy arrived home the latter part of last week from their respective schools in Boston and Washington.

Gordon Graham has returned to his home at Peck from one of the army training camps. He has been visiting friends in Yale this week.

If you are not now an Expositor subscriber, start the new year aright by ordering us to place your name and address on our list at once.

Frank L. Beadle, of the Aviation Corps of the U. S. A. at Vancouver, Wash., has received an honorable discharge and has returned home.

Grant Holden, Roger Welch, Frank Wilcox and J. A. Menzies will go to Caseville by this evening's train where they will spend a week fox hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wharton received word from their daughter Hazel last week that she was leaving to spend the holidays with relatives in Vancouver.

Grand holiday ball at the Auditorium, Yale, this (Thursday) evening. Music by Finzel's six-piece band. Bill \$1.50, plus war tax. You may look for a grand, good time.

Percy Hallead, of Detroit, Mrs. Ernest Carpenter and daughter Virginia, of Pontiac, and Mary Foster, of Grosse Ile, are Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hallead.

Roy Lawson, who has been in training at Indianapolis for some time, has returned to his home near Avoca, having received an honorable discharge. He visited with Yale friends today.

Mrs. Albert Thody, aged 48 years, died at her home in Lynn township on Monday morning last from pneumonia, following influenza. The funeral was held from the home Tuesday and interment made in Elmwood cemetery.

Mrs. J. B. Weymouth was operated on for appendicitis at her home in Yale last Monday. She came through the operation all right and is getting along as nicely as could be expected.

Drs. Wight and Pollock, assisted by Burnell Wight, performed the operation.

Expositor liners pay.



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Christmas Exercises

A church full of people listened to the pretty little cantata given by the young people at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. Much credit is due the leaders who made the evening such a pleasure and success.

On Monday evening the Sunday school pupils and teachers gathered at the church for a social time and a treat. The Christmas tree this year was dispensed with.

On Monday evening the Methodist Protestant church gave a splendid cantata, which was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience. A Christmas tree and Santa Claus with presents for all and a tableau which was given with fine effect completed an enjoyable evening.

This same evening the attendants of the Methodist Episcopal church prepared a social party for the Sunday school which gave the children something a little different but nevertheless very much liked. A Christmas tree with a Santa Claus helped in the distribution of gifts and a nice little lunch was served to all.

Sunday evening next holiday exercises will be given in the Church of Christ.

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Lynn Township Treasurer

Lynn Township Taxes.
I will be at the Yale State Bank Monday, Dec. 23rd and Monday, Jan. 5 and at Capac every Saturday until Jan. 11th for the purpose of collecting taxes.
A. J. Smith,
Lynn Township Treasurer