

On thankfulness —

This marks the fourth consecutive Thanksgiving that we have felt compelled to remark upon the limits of our collective thanks.

There are many, including us, ourselves, who have just and proper cause to complain. Complain of what? Why, complain that it is not all milk and honey. And, truth to tell, it is not all milk and money. Not by a long shot.

One looks out through the rain and reflects that we are not what we once were. Only Sunday, in the middle of the Public Square, a bold footpad pried the lock off the door of a business, went inside and rifled the place. Where half a generation ago there were 10 businesses, today there is nothing. Nothing but empty rooms, echoing the tread of customers long gone.

We have just passed through a mild political campaign at the municipal level with nothing so clear as that down the road we must either dig deeper into our pockets or do without. There is no free lunch and the Great White Father will no longer pony up the money to fund our wants.

We submit below the thoughts of two whose mark upon us lays deep and strong after, yea, 362 and 196 years. They are reassuring, even to the pessimistic, among whom we confess our membership.

On this special national day, let us all offer up our thanks to Him who has preserved us and dedicate ourselves to resolve our problems vigorously, in peace and in friendship.

In as much as the great Father has given us this year an abundant harvest of Indian corn, wheat, beans, squashes, and garden vegetables, and has made the forests to abound with grain and the sea with fish and clams, and inasmuch as he has protected us from the ravages of the savages, has spared us from pestilence and disease, and has granted to us freedom to worship God according to the dictates of our own consciences; now, I, your magistrate, do proclaim that all you Pilgrims, with your wives and little ones, do gather at the meetinghouse, on the hill, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the day time, on Thursday, November 29th of this year or Lord 1623 and the third years since you Pilgrims landed on the Plymouth Rock, there to listen to your pastor, and render thanks to Almighty God for all His Blessings.

William Bradford,
Governor of the Colony

"By the president of the United States of America,

"A proclamation.

"WHEREAS it is the duty of all nations to acknowledge the Providence of Almighty God, to obey His will, to be grateful for His benefits, and humbly to implore His protection and favor; and

"WHEREAS both Houses of Congress have by their joint committee requested me to recommend to the people of the United States a day of Thanksgiving and prayer, to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many signal favors of Almighty God, especially by affording them an opportunity to establish a form of government for their safety and happiness:

"Now, therefore, I do recommend and assign Thursday, the 26th day of November next, to be devoted by the people of these States to the service of that great and glorious Being who is the beneficent author of all the good that was, that is, or that will be, that we may then all unite in rendering unto Him our sincere and humble thanks for His kind care and protection of the people of this country previous to their becoming a nation; for the signal and manifold mercies and favorable interpositions of His Providence in the late war, for the great degree of tranquility, union and plenty, which we have since enjoyed; for the peaceable and rational manner in which we have been enabled to establish constitutions of government for our safety and happiness, and particularly the national one now lately instituted; for the civil and religious liberty with which we are blessed and the means we have of acquiring and diffusing useful knowledge; and in general for all the great and various favors which He hath been pleased to confer upon us.

"And, also that we may then unite in most humbly offering our prayers and supplications to the Great Lord and Ruler of Nations, and beseech Him to pardon our national and other transgressions, to enable us all, whether in public or private stations, to perform our several and relative duties properly and punctually, to render our National Government a blessing to all the people by constantly being a government of wise, just and constitutional laws, discreetly and faithfully executed and obeyed; to protect and guide all sovereigns and nations (especially such as have shown kindness to us) and to bless them with good government, peace and concord. To promote the knowledge and practice of true religion and virtue, and the increase of science among them and us, and generally to grant unto all mankind such a degree of temporal prosperity as He alone knows to be best.

"Given under my hand at the City of New York the third day of October in the year of Our Lord 1789.

"G. Washington."

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Santa to visit here Dec. 7, 14

Santa Claus has been invited by Plymouth Area Chamber of Commerce to visit Plymouth.

He will be at Miller's Hardware Dec. 7 and 14.

Shiloh's kin, E. Mollenkopf dies at 75

Step-father of Mrs. Betty Steele, Shiloh, Emanuel R. Mollenkopf, 75, New London, died there of a lengthy illness Nov. 19.

Born in Crawford county, he lived in Galion and Crestline before he moved to New London in 1974. He was employed many years by the Pennsylvania railroad. He was a member of the United Methodist church, whose minister, the Rev. Myron Ramsey, conducted services at New London Friday at 1 p.m. Interment was in Grive Street cemetery there.

His first wife, Gertrude, died in 1973.

He also survived by his wife, Margaret; two sons, Richard and James, both of Independence, Mo.; four stepsons, Joseph Wolfe, New London; William Shick, New York, N. Y.; Terry Shick, Crestline, and Loren Shick, Elyria; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Shirley Bowen, Crestline; Mrs. Norma Brown, Victoria, Tex., and Mrs. Theima Weidrick, Spencer; 32 grandchildren.

Mrs. Wilson New Haven, dies at home

Mrs. Harry Wilson, 78, a life resident of New Haven, died at her home in West street Nov. 19. Born Florence Violet Miller, daughter of Simon and Hattie Miller, on Nov. 23, 1906, she was a member of New Haven United Methodist church and of the Moose Heart. She was retired after more than 25 years in the employ of Pioneer Rubber Co., Willard.

Her husband, Harry, and a sister, Mrs. Edna Covert, died earlier.

She is survived by a daughter, Linda, now Mrs. Darrell Phares, Loudon, Mont.; four sons, Charles and Leon, New Haven; Donald, Willard; and Kenneth, Brenham, Tex.; 25 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.

Her minister, the Rev. Clark Hogue, 3rd, conducted services at Willard Friday at 1 p.m. Interment was in Maple Grove cemetery, New Haven township.

William Mink succumbs at 84; kin of villagers

Step-father of Robert Brewer and uncle of Raymond Babcock, William C. Mink, 84, Willard, a retiree of New Departure-Hyatt Bearings division, General Motors Corp., Sandusky, died in Hillside Acres Nursing home, Willard, Nov. 20 of a lengthy illness.

Born Dec. 26, 1900, in Norwich township, son of Calvin and Margaret Kautz Mink, he was a member of Trinity Lutheran church, POBogies and of UAW Retirees in Sandusky.

His wife, Hester, was for long office nurse for Dr. Charles O. Botner, Shiloh.

She survives. So also do a son, Richard, Kearney, Neb.; a step son, Wesley Brewer, Dunham, N. C.; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

His minister, the Rev. Edward Brandt, conducted services at Willard Saturday at 11 a.m. Interment was in Greenwood cemetery, Willard.

Councilmen split vote on approval of Caudill as chief

By vote of four to two, Steven J. Caudill was appointed police chief by village council Nov. 19.

A special session was called to deal with the nomination.

He is the survivor of 27 applications, including three by local officers.

Caudill was the choice of the safety committee, comprised of Councilmen Roy Barber, E. Adrian Cole and Terry Hookins.

Their choice was supported by Mayor Keith A. Hebble. They subjected their choice to rigid physical and psychiatric examination.

Councilmen Bill Taulbee and Mrs. Terry Jump voted nay.

They did not explain why.

There was no discussion after the balloting.

Immediately after the voting, Caudill was sworn by Ronald Catron, court bailiff and dispatcher, also a notary public.

The appointment takes effect from Nov. 20.

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Villager's kin, girl, 19, dies in Rt. 39 crash

Daughter of Mrs. William Hopkins, Plymouth, Kathleen Rae Marcum, 19, Shelby, was killed Saturday in Route 39 in a traffic collision.

Her 1981 Ford Mustang slid and struck a southbound 1970 Chevrolet truck operated by Miles Wilmer, 27, Mansfield. Both drivers were thrown from their cars. Born Sept. 26, 1966, at Mansfield, she lived most of her life in Shelby, where she graduated from high school in 1984, having attended Pioneer Joint Vocational School. She also attended Barbizon School of Modeling, Akron.

She was a cosmetologist at Stylistics, Ashland road, Mansfield.

She is also survived by her father, Donnie Marcum, Ontario; three sisters, Mrs. Martha Sprang, Shelby; Penny, now Mrs. Gregory Gardiner, Denver, Colo., and Joyce, now Mrs. Glen Robertson, Batley; three brothers, Joey, Ashland, and Jerry and Darrell, Mansfield; her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Kidd, Mansfield; her paternal step-grandfather, Max Kidd, in Kentucky.

The Rev. Joe McGlone, Findlay Church of God and the Rev. Monte Perry, Shelby Freewill Baptist church, conducted services from 29 Road Freewill Baptist church near Shelby yesterday at 10:30 a.m. Interment was in Mansfield Memorial park.

Yule baskets for needy require application

Registration for Christmas baskets will be accepted from needy families or those who can verify such need by Ecumenical church council in First United Presbyterian church Dec. 3 through 7 from 9 a.m. to noon.

Applicants must reside in Plymouth Local School district.

Proof of need will be required.

Man, 28, held for violence at Norwalk

A 28-year-old Plymouth man, disgruntled with service at Ohio Job Seekers office at Norwalk Thursday was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct.

Arnold Hall, Jr., was said by police to have been slamming the door of the unemployment office when they arrived at the scene on complaint of an employee there.

Miss Haas succumbs at home; '65 alumna

Miss Jennifer L. Haas, 38, elder daughter of Mrs. Robert C. Haas and the late Mrs. Haas, a 1965 alumna of Plymouth High school, was found dead at her home, 360 West Broadway, Monday.

Her mother is in the Holy Land and funeral arrangements are pending her return.

She was found by an aunt, who lives in the household.

Dr. William Holman, Huron county coroner, will rule on the cause of death.

She is also survived by a sister, Eleanor, now Mrs. Dennis Miliron, Shelby.

Paper drive set here Saturday

Paper collection Saturday will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Bundles left at kerbside will be picked up.

Bundled papers may be left in the truck in St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church parking lot.

Two plots in village change hands

Lester D. Shields has bought from Randy A. Adams a 3.2-acre plot, comprising 5.4 acres, at Lofland and Walnut streets, Huron county recorder reports.

Michael J. Dick has acquired from Glenn W. and Zora Dick, Lots 51, 52, 53, and 100 in West Broadway.

Stole from Christian —

Accused flees, jury convicts

Accused of breaking and entering and theft at the lodge of Miles Christian along the Huron river at Steuben, Gary Lacey, 27, Willard, flew the coop at Huron county courthouse Thursday night after the fourth day of his trial on charges of breaking and entering, grand theft and receiving stolen property.

Nevertheless, on instruction of Judge Robert W. Smith, who found that Lacey's absence was voluntary, the trial proceeded and the jury convicted him.



Beck feted for 25 years on job

Twenty-five years in the employ of Service America Corp., formerly Servomation Corp., Mansfield, was recorded Nov. 6 at a surprise dinner for him and his family.

He joined the firm as a route man in August of 1960. He is now an area supervisor with responsibility over Norwalk-Shelby-Willard.

Beck resides with his family at 390 Walnut street. They have four sons, David, Willard; Michael, USAF, Chanute AFB, Rantoul, Ill.; Robert, Willard; and Jamie, at home. There is one granddaughter.

Prater to run gas station

Sidney Prater, 140 Plymouth street, is the new operator of Plymouth Sunoco Service at 38 Sandusky street.

He recently took early retirement as a district representative of Sun Oil Co. and he and his son will operate the station. The building has been divided between Prater, the new operator, and Richard Paulo, who will continue to operate a repair service at the address.

Prater's business will deal with sale of gasoline, oil, tires, batteries, small replacement parts such as windshield wiper blades, and such.

He is only the eighth principal at the site since the business was organized by the late Ray Dinginger over 60 years ago.

Hasp pried off door, coins taken

Theft of money in coin-operated billiard tables was the only loss apparent after thieves pried the hasp off the front door of the Video Game parlor at 6 East Main street early Sunday.

Loss was discovered by the proprietor, Joseph Deskins, when he came to open the premises sometime after noon on Sunday. Police are investigating but found only a few clues.

A bench warrant for Lacey's arrest was issued at once. He had been free on bond of \$15,000.

His attorney, Gregory McDowell, said by an informant and by Billy Sexton, who has local roots, Lacey was convicted of theft of about \$2,600 in property belonging to Christian.

Here's what folks did 25, 20, 15, 10, 5 years ago

25 years ago, 1960
Harley Nesbitt retired after 35 years in the employ of the Fate-Roost-Heath Co.

Betty Sprowles will marry Charles Neumann on Dec. 3.
Huron county welfare funds are exhausted and the case load is increasing. George W. Lawrence, welfare director, told commissioners.

Thomas Grohol, 45, Mansfield, en route here to conduct a music lesson with a 13-year-old junior high school student, struck a bridge east of Shiloh and died in the fiery wreck.

Bernard A. Garrett will be married Dec. 30 to Shirleen Allen. Ret. 60, Buckeye Central 55, Jim Russell scored 25, Ray Lynch 12.

Harry Lee Seaman, 18, a 12th grader, lost his left thumb in a carpenter accident.

Thieves ransacked Bob's Cafe and made off with liquor and tobacco.

Mrs. Christian Shelby, 78, Plymouth, died at Norwalk.

20 years ago, 1965
Arthur H. Weaver, 55, died at Shelby.

Clarence C. Cadwell, 52, a Plymouth native, died at Mansfield.

The Verne Coles will mark No. 25.

Rep. Harry V. Jump must run against Rep. Ethel Swanbeck or opt for a state senate seat, owing to redistricting that eliminated a Huron county seat in the General Assembly.

Victoria Lynn was born at Shelby to the Frank Fitzgeralds. Mohr is the former Ida Mae Beck.

Gregory Lee was born at Willard to the Cecil Mulvane.

Five Plymouth players were accorded honorable mention on the annual Johnny Appleseed conference football team: Jim Clark, Dick Foreman, Norm Howard, Billy Golt, Sid Allen, offense; Allen, Golt, and Foreman on defense.

Lexington, Clear Fork and Crestview are expected to settle the 1966 Johnny Appleseed conference basketball title among them. Plymouth is regarded as a third



Nov. 28
Robert Duffy
John E. Frederick
Dale Kagle
Andrew Knaus
Mrs. James Hawk

Nov. 29
Mrs. H. H. Dague
Donna Sillman
Kim Kamann

Nov. 30
Edward Croy
Mabel Dent
Geoffrey Hilton, Sr.
Mrs. John A. Tursion
John Holderby
Michael Lasch
Rebecca Caray

Dec. 1
Mrs. Roy Evans
Candice Owens
Mrs. Ivan Bowman
Dwain T. Cronin
Mrs. Luce Williamson
Mrs. John Ray
Amy Ruth Keene
Anita Lee Keene
Ann Marie Keene

Nov. 2
Matthew L. McClain

Nov. 3
Roger Grabach
Mrs. Fred L. Buzard
Mrs. Miles Christian
Harm S. Kruger
James D. Kaywood
Kay Elaine Pittenger
Mrs. Florian Brown
Mrs. Scottie L. Smith
Annette Dostier

Dec. 4
Mrs. Mark G. Maingie

Wedding Anniversary
Dec. 2
The Walter Porters

flight consideration. Red squad: Rod Huston, Duane Keene, Phil Bushey, Ken Clabaugh, Roger Cross and Jim Conley, 12th graders; Billy Golt, Bob Phillips, Dave Root and Steve Rackman, 11th graders; Dave McKown and Jon Dauph, 10th graders. Ron Foster is again coach.

Sandra Sammons was chosen FHA queen.

15 years ago, 1970
Jacob Schneider, 75, died at Willard.

Lonnie Tackett, 62, died at Willard.

Miriam Hill won a four-year scholarship to attend Indiana State University, Terre Haute, Ind.

Cadet Thomas L. Root led the Howe Military school debating team to first place in the Indiana State High School Debate contest.

Nate A. McKown, co-captain of the Howe Military school football team, Howe, Ind., on which he plays fullback, was chosen all-conference fullback and all-Northern Indiana fullback.

Eugene Roder paid \$700, Mrs. Mae Sourvine estate and Earl C. Cashman \$350 a piece and Bachrach Cattle Co. \$200 to lay a water service in Springfield road.

Mrs. Cloyd Backenst, 79, died at Shelby.

Brother of Mrs. Ralph Daron, Arthur Christie, 6, an accountant, died at Rock Springs, Wyo.

David J. Kilgore is a freshman in Mt. Vernon Nazarene College, Mt. Vernon.

Formerly chief operator here, Mrs. L. Muriel Vinson retired from her telephone work after 45 years.

10 years ago, 1975
James M. Donnerwirth, 43, a Plymouth native, died at Mansfield of cancer.

Mayor Elizabeth G. Paddock



Mrs. A. L. Paddock, Jr., 78, Plymouth street, slipped and fell in her yard Thursday afternoon and fractured the head of the humerus of her left arm. She will be incapacitated for eight weeks.

Mrs. Robert Tackett was taken to Galien Community hospital Nov. 20 by Plymouth Ambulance Squad for treatment of injuries received in a fall early that morning in her home.

Sarah Riedinger, Chalmers Spencer, and Sidney Prater, Plymouth, were admitted to Willard Area hospital over the weekend. Spencer was discharged Sunday.

A. L. Paddock, Jr., 78, Plymouth street, underwent surgery in Willard Area hospital yesterday.

Randall Wallace, 30 Cleveland street, Shiloh, was admitted to Shelby Memorial hospital Sunday.



A son was born Nov. 20 in Shelby Memorial hospital to the Charles Miller, Shelby route 3.

Five seek election to ASC

Five nominees for ASC committee in New Haven township: Lee Buckingham, Verne LeSage, Richard Reber, Cloyce Slesman and Roger Smith.

Election by mail will take place until Dec. 2.

Here're menus in cafeteria —

Here're menus in Plymouth school cafeteria for the week:
Today: No classes;
Tomorrow: No classes;
Monday: Coney, hot potato rounds, peach slices, cookie;
Tuesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, cheese slice, bread and butter, green beans, pear half, milk;
Wednesday: Barbecued beef sandwich, buttered rice, peas and carrots, fruited gelatin, milk.

polled 60 per cent of the vote in a successful bid for a second term.

Miss Anita Riedinger polled 63 per cent of the vote in defeating William G. Hamilton, incumbent clerk-treasurer.

Six pupils were declared winners in the annual Americanism and government test conducted by the American Legion, W. Todd Root and Libby Justice, 12th graders; Michael Dick and Gloria Bailey, 11th graders; Shannon Hamons and Justine Lynch, 10th graders.

Nancy Willard Miles was married in the spring to William W. Ross, 3rd.

Jerrold Harrington will be married here Dec. 5 to Molly Hanson.

The Joseph R. Bikas, Shelby, will mark No. 25. She is the daughter of the Vincent Alexanders.

Andrew Martin Miller was baptized at the church.

Charles Guthrie, Shiloh, marked No. 75.

Five years ago, 1980
Mansfield Christian 61, Plymouth 53 in overtime. Marty Carty scored 14, Brad Postema 10.

Two councilmen at Shiloh resigned: Mrs. Audrey Lemaster and Harry Foster.

The Rev. Grover L. Kennering, 80, formerly of Plymouth, died at Ayon.

Mrs. Willie Nester, 58, 126 Beelman street, died at Mansfield.

Strike forced a temporary furlough of 24 employees by Plymouth Locomotive Works, Inc.

Buckeye Central girls 54, Plymouth 48. Becky Turson netted 14.

Plymouth 53, Hopewell-London 47, in girls' play, Renee Taylor scoring 20.

Matmen placed sixth in the New London Invitational.

Cunningham buys firm of uncle

Donald C. Cunningham, Jr., has bought from his aunt and uncle, the Donald L. Brookers, their business, Ashland Schwinn Cyclery, in Ashland and will operate it.

Cunningham, who lives at 74 Sandusky street, will continue to reside here with his family. He also plans to continue his employment in UFORMA, Shelby.

His cousin, the Brookers' daughter, will assist him in managing the Ashland business.



CHURCH NEWS

Lutherans ...

Fifteen persons, four of them children, were received Sunday into membership of First Evangelical Lutheran church.

These are Mr. and Mrs. H. James Root, the Timothy Mocken (she is the former Susan Root), the Douglas Marquarts, Mrs. Charles D. Mack, the David Doves and their children, Timothy and Matthew, and the James Channing and their children, Aden and Jill.

Gowitzka kin succumbs at 76 at Sandusky

Uncle of Harold Gowitzka, Luther R. Gowitzka, 76, Castalia, died Friday morning in Firelands Community hospital, Sandusky, of a lengthy illness.

He was the brother of the late Oscar C. Gowitzka, once a businessman and later a councilman here.

Born in Castalia, he was a self-employed commercial fisherman.

He was a member of Grace Lutheran church, Castalia.

His wife of 56 years, nee Emma Burr; two daughters, Mrs. Norma Shelley, Sandusky, and Mrs. Nancy Daniels, Clearwater, Fla.; two sons, Arthur Vickery and Robert, Mass. Habor, N. C.; a sister, Miss Hazel Gowitzka, 18 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren survive.

His parents, the Rheinhold Gowitzkas, three brothers, William, Arthur and Calvin, and a sister, Mrs. Myrtle Duffett, also died seniors.

The Rev. Edward L. Winter conducted services from the church Monday at 1 p.m. Interment was in Castalia cemetery.

Who likes bears, and why? An old girl goes to the circus, hankers for chocolate

By AUNT LIZ
Now I think I know why little ones love bears so much.

They are so cuddly. I really realized this, what all little ones have known for years, the night that I sat through the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey circus at the Coliseum.

Out came a bunch of beautiful brown bears in the center ring. They did things, and even though they were about seven feet tall when they stood up on their hind legs and probably weighed 999 pounds, I had to hold myself back from rushing down the steps to hug them.

If you missed the circus this year, don't when it comes again. It is worth it.

People are hams and show-offs, but animals are worse. Everyone of them, from the elephants to the ferocious, dangerous white tigers, seems to enjoy it all.

You know, you sit and enjoy every bit of the clowns, the graceful figures swinging through the air, and it's a terrific experience, but did you realize what planning and work go into it all?

Being kind of queer about those good-looking people flying through the air, I watched what the ground crew was doing. The spotlights were way up, but you could see enough. It was amazing, the precision with which they were

putting the next big scene to work. Everything had its place, each crew member knew exactly what he was doing, it went like clockwork.

That is where the management missed the boat. All those people should have taken a bow at the end. They even carefully placed shoes that those flying people in the air kicked off when they started their act so they were right where they should be, so they could gracefully slip into them. Both shoes, you know how you can take yours off, then the next morning have to hunt around for one. This sort of thing happens most often in houses with playful dogs.

The circus is for every age and so are desserts. This is bad, bad news for those dieters, but desserts are back in style.

They never have been out of style, though, in just ordinary places which pride themselves on homemade pies. But now the most expensive ones are indulging, which puts them as the fashionable thing to eat.

Why do people judge things by the cost? They do, the more expensive, supposedly the better. And can you believe that bread pudding at something like \$10 a serving is a real yes-yes?

It's really not the kind we've made for those years, though. This is chocolate.

Try it, and you will be the best of cooks. You want enough bread cubes for three cups, but first butter each slice before you cut it up. Spread it in a baking dish, sprinkle a half cup of raisins that have been pre-soaked over it.

Meanwhile, melt a square of unsweetened chocolate, stir in two and a fourth cups of milk. Heat to scalding. Do not boil. Have two beaten eggs ready. Stir in some of the milk and chocolate, then put it all back in the milk mixture. Add a fourth of a cup of sugar, a teaspoon of vanilla, a half teaspoon of cinnamon, and salt.

Put this over the bread cubes, and bake at 350 degrees by putting the casserole in a larger pan with hot water. When a knife comes out clean, it is done.

Girl Scouts set village canvass to canned items

For the fifth consecutive year, Plymouth and Shiloh Girl Scouts will collect canned goods as a community service project.

Food collected will be turned over to the churches to use in Christmas baskets.

Canned goods will be collected Monday from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

All about town ...

The Garry Coles, Tiro, will be hosts for the holiday dinner today to his parents, the Verne Coles; his sister and brother-in-law, the James McClaure, and their children, Amy and Mark, and James McClaure's parents, the William McClaures, Mifflin.

Michael Beck is now at Chanute AFB, Rantoul, Ill., for cross training. He will be there until February, when he expects to be transferred to Langley AFB, Va. He had been in Great Falls, Mont., and spent two weeks with his parents, the Robert Becks, before reporting to Chanute.

Mrs. Fred Port is spending the Thanksgiving holiday with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Port, Brooklyn, N.Y.

The Rev. and Mrs. Julian Taggart are in Washington, Pa., to spend the holiday with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Perc.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Liechty and their children, Cedarburg, Wis., are spending the weekend with her parents, the William B. O. Rooder will be her son.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Lewis will be hosts at a family dinner today for their daughter and son-in-law, the Kent Busbey, and their sons, Shelby, and his nephew, William Lewis, Sandusky.

Mrs. Ruth Clem, Newark, and Mrs. Clara Courtney and her two sons, Buckeye Lake, are spending the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Keith.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene O. Rooder will be her son, daughter-in-law, the Kelly Kimbles, Shiloh, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kimble, Willard.

Mrs. Inez Marshall will be hostess to the Robert Tacketts, the Jack Ross, and the Larry Laers at a family holiday dinner.

The Eldon Burdette are hosts at a family dinner today to the Paul Eggers and the David Eggers, Shelby, Grady, Buckeye, Columbus, his aunts, Mrs. Erna South, his aunts, Mrs. Erma Southard and Mrs. Cleo Curren, Shelby; the William Buzards, New London; the Shirley Ritchie and William Burket.

Mrs. Robert L. McIntire will be the holiday dinner guest of her daughter and son-in-law, the John Reider, and the Larry Laers.

The John E. Hedens are hosts today to their son and his children, Joseph and Melissa, New Haven, and the A. L. Paddocks, Jr.



Enzors to mark 40th anniversary

Married Dec. 8, 1945, at the home of the Harry Sillmans, the Boyd Enzors will celebrate their 40th anniversary Dec. 8 with open house in the American Legion post at Greenwich from 3 to 7 p.m.

She is the former Eleanor Marie Sillman.

They hope gifts will not be sent.

OES sets Yule party; question of survival to be discussed Dec. 10

Mrs. William Day, 2628 North street, New Haven, will be hostess Dec. 8 at 5 p.m. to the annual Yule potluck of Plymouth Chapter 231, OES.

There will be a \$1 gift exchange. Guests should carry a covered dish and their table service.

A special meeting has been called for Dec. 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic hall to discuss with Mrs. Marilyn Howley, a past grand matron, member of the grand chapter committee on dispensation, charters, and consolidations, whether the local chapter can continue.

In November no candidate to be worthy matron could be identified.

Five Cubs to vie in Olympics; four advanced

Five Cub Scouts will represent the local pack at the Olympics at Ashland college Dec. 7.

These are Devon Bailey, 10-year-old; Adam Taylor, principal, David Kristmeyer, alternate, nine-year-old; David Sheely, principal, John Hase, alternate, eight-year-old.

Paul Jellison, district commissioner; Lisa Inman, Scouting executive, and Daley Ferguson, Scouting commissioner, presented the pack with an honorable ribbon and awards to Mrs. Carl Hase for six years of service to the pack.

Devon Bailey, Brian Clabaugh and Stephen Kensingner received artist and athlete awards. David McClure was star.

Andrew Classen, Joshua Debins and Jason Rettig are new Cub Scouts.

Winners in the Pinewood derby were Glenn Coulter, first, Stephen Kensingner, second, 10-year-old; J. B. Neff, first, Korre Boyer, second, nine-year-old; Joey Robinson, first, Joshua Deskins, second, eight-year-old.

Chris McClintock won best design prize. J. B. Neff was second. Rodney Strohm, Richard Gullett and Darrell Rink were judges. James McClure was star.



Seasoned performers

Nucleus of Big Red team: from left, Steve Hall, Bryan Christoff, Eric Rath, Kevin Taylor, Troy Keene, Coach David P. Dunn.

Girls beaten by Wynford in opener, 55-33

Big Red girls opened their 1985-86 season on a sour note here Thursday, going down before Wynford, 55 to 33.

Plymouth made a game of it for 16 minutes. Then the roof fell in. The Royals outscored Plymouth by 18 to 6 in the third period and walked away with an easy victory.

They did so by outshooting the Big Red. The Royals fired for field goal 51 times, canning 20 of them. Plymouth's record was only 12 of 62, certainly not a competitive performance on a home floor.

At the free throw line the visitors missed six of 21, Plymouth seven of 16. And off the boards the Royals had a huge margin, 38 to 20. On offense they made more mistakes, 20 to 16.

Erika Striker, Heather Greenick and Vicki Dornbier combined for 38 points.

Miss Striker collected 16, Miss Greenick 12, Miss Dornbier 10. For Plymouth the leader was Michelle Collins with 10, the only

player in double figures.

Lineups:

	fg	ft	tp
Wynford	3	4	10
Dornbier	6	4	16
E. Striker	5	2	12
Greenick	3	1	7
Alban	1	0	4
Bowers	1	0	2
Scott	2	0	4
Ruehle	0	1	1
Cofman	0	2	2
J. Striker	0	1	1
Totals	20	15	55

	fg	ft	tp
Plymouth	4	2	10
Collins	3	3	9
Niedermeier	2	1	5
Martin	1	2	4
Tackett	1	0	2
Branham	1	0	1
Gibson	0	1	1
Roethlisberger	1	0	2
Totals	12	9	33

Score by periods:

W 14 8 18 15 - 55

P 7 10 6 10 - 33

In the reserve game, the visitors prevailed narrowly, 27 to 26.

5th graders defeated by Spartans, 21 to 6

Spartans of St. Peter's, one of three such teams in the competition, whipped Plymouth fifth graders, 21 to 6, in Friendly House play at Mansfield Saturday.

Mansfield Saturday at 10 a.m., its record now 2-and-1.

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Caudill named —

Caudill, formerly deputy sheriff of Ashland county and twice a candidate for sheriff there, is an alumnus of Crestview High school and of North Central Technical college, Mansfield, where he took an associate degree in police science. He has completed 21 short courses in police work and has attended additional training in Ashland college.

He is not married. He said he will seek living quarters in Plymouth at once.

Under Ohio law, he will remain on probation for six months. On or after Apr. 20, 1986, the village council must either confirm his appointment or reject him. If he is confirmed, he will have 30 days in which to find housing in the village.

The council also discussed purchase of a new "cherry-picker" or bucket truck.

Fire Chief Wayne E. Strine showed fire gear but no decision as to purchase was made.

The council had intended to discuss liability insurance coverage with Jay Langhurst, Langhurst Insurance Co., Willard, but he forgot about the appointment. Approval by the General Assembly and the governor of an act that restores some immunity to municipalities may influence the cost structure of liability coverage to villages, but there has been no indication so far of lower rates.



New coach, new faces

Girls' varsity: kneeling, from left, Kay Niedermeier, Barbara Click, Tami Tackett, Donell Branham, Karen Thornsberry; standing, Coach Mike Badertsch, Michelle Collins, Kim Gibson, Beth Roethlisberger, Angie Martin, Dianna Hudson.

Scrogie Colleen wins at Northfield in 2:02.4

Her dam, Woe Unto You, is dead. So is her granda, the ill-fated Melvin's Woe, winner of the Little Brown Jug and victim of, of all things, a kidnapping.

But four-year-old Scrogie Colleen is a serviceable mare that wins as often as not. And she did so Saturday night at Northfield Park.

Entered in a conditioned pace in the 10th race, Scrogie Colleen, trained by Lew Mellert, her trainer, broke from the pole hole and led all the way in the one mile event in finishing in a creditable 2:02 4/5. The mare, sired by Fareway Bay, defeated eight other seasoned pacers with fractions of :29 1/5, 1:01 2/5 and 1:31 4/5.

Five conference teams in action this week

Here's Firelands conference basketball slate for this week: **TOMORROW:** Monroeville at St. Peter's; Edison at Norwalk; Danbury at Western Reserve; Black River at Northwestern. **SATURDAY:** Clyde at St. Paul's; Danbury at Monroeville; Buckeye Central at Western Reserve; Wellington at New London; South Central at Crestline.

Here's Firelands conference girls' games for this week:

TOMORROW: New London in Wellington tourney. **TUESDAY:** Edison at South Central; Western Reserve at Crestview; New London at Monroeville; Black River at Mapleton; St. Paul's at Plymouth.

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Protect your house.

Lose some weight.

Grow tomatoes.

Keep records.

Get benefits.



Here're excerpts from PPD log —

Here're excerpts from the log of Plymouth Police department:

Nov. 18, 10:55 a.m.: Fire reported at 148 Walnut street.

Nov. 18, 2:55 p.m.: Collision reported at Plymouth East road and Route 81. Grant Milliron, 50, Mansfield, headed north, did not signal intent to turn soon enough and he was struck by Mark Marett, 31, Norwalk.

Nov. 18, 4:30 p.m.: Suspicious circumstances reported at Collins's Market.

Nov. 18, 5:04 p.m.: Civil grievance reported in Sandusky street.

Nov. 18, 5:21 p.m.: Suspicious vehicle reported at Plymouth Beer Dock.

Nov. 18, 10:45 p.m.: Alarm sounded accidentally at 262 Sandusky street.

Nov. 18, 11:10 p.m.: Domestic complaint received from Mulberry street.

Nov. 19, 12:40 a.m.: Domestic complaint received from Sandusky street.

Nov. 19, 1:50 a.m.: Suspicious circumstances reported east end of Plymouth Locomotive Works, Inc.

Nov. 20, 1:01 p.m.: Property damage reported at Sandusky and Brazilian streets.

Nov. 20, 3:21 p.m.: Domestic complaint received from 204 Sandusky street.

Nov. 20, 5:18 p.m.: Assistance requested at 85 Mulberry street.

Nov. 20, 6:12 p.m.: Assistance requested at 4357 Mills road.

Nov. 20, 8:15 p.m.: Assistance requested at 47 Pleasant street.

Nov. 20, 9:39 p.m.: Assistance requested at 42 Trux street.

Nov. 21, 1:25 a.m.: Assistance requested at car wash.

Nov. 21, 9:38 a.m.: A.L. Paddock, Jr., 78 Plymouth street, summoned for income tax irregularity.

Nov. 21, 11:15 p.m.: Suspicious circumstances reported at 5 West Broadway.

Nov. 21, 12:21 p.m.: Domestic complaint received from 63 Park avenue.

Nov. 21, 10:22 p.m.: Disturbance reported at 6 East Main street.

Nov. 21, 11 p.m.: Darrell Hall, Shelby, arrested for failure to pay fine in mayor's court.

Nov. 22, 9:10 a.m.: Mary Ann Oney, 25 Plymouth street, summoned for income tax irregularities.

Nov. 22, 4:29 p.m.: Suspicious vehicle reported at West Broadway and Brooks court.

Nov. 22, 11:46 p.m.: DeWayne Deekina arrested at 112 Trux street on charges of drunken driving, improper backing and open container in vehicle.

Nov. 23, 2:19 a.m.: Juvenile complaint received from New street.

Nov. 23, 11:22 a.m.: Vehicle complaint received from 14 East Main street.

Nov. 23, 12:01 p.m.: Open burning reported at 359 West Broadway.

Nov. 23, 12:52 p.m.: Civil grievance reported at 6 1/2 East Main street.

Nov. 23, 5:28 p.m.: Juvenile complaint received from village parking lot.

Nov. 23, 5:38 p.m.: Juvenile complaint received from 9 West Broadway.

Nov. 23, 5:45 p.m.: Bicycle found at 9 West Broadway.

Nov. 23, 7:09 p.m.: Suspicious vehicle reported at 54 Plymouth street.

Nov. 23, 7:21 p.m.: Vehicle obstruction reported at West Broadway and Brooks court.

Nov. 23, 11:05 p.m.: Juvenile complaint received from West Broadway.

Nov. 24, 12:24 a.m.: Open door found at 122 Trux street.

Nov. 24, 2:03 p.m.: Breaking and entering reported at 6 East Main street.

Nov. 24, 4:26 p.m.: Assistance requested at station.

Nov. 24, 8:50 p.m.: Assistance requested at 126 Beelman street.

Nov. 25, 2:20 a.m.: Open door found at Lutheran church.

Nov. 25, 7:30 a.m.: Vandalism reported at 245 Riggs street.



Reserves

Eleven man reserve squad: kneeling, from left, Eric Breznicki, Kip Tucker, Ron Stephens, Lance Combs, Errin Echelberry, Brian Carnahan; standing, Troy Wilson, Terry Hall, Todd Wilson, Terry Wilson, Jim Rockford, Coach David Hirschy.



Jay Vees

Red reserves: front, Laura Sponseller, Coach Vicki Echelberry, Danielle Smith; rear, Amy Laser, Trena Snipes, Stacey Branham, Peggy Osborne.

Planners set meeting in village hall Monday

Village planning commission will meet Monday at 7 p.m. in the village hall.

Committees have been appointed thus:

The Thomas F. Roots and Mrs. James McClure, acquisition of a restaurant; Douglas A. Dickson and Mrs. Paul Jones, building restoration and repairs; James C. Root and Roy Barber, lighting; Dickson and Mrs. Kenneth Echelberry, historical identification plaques.

Also, Everett Eckstein and Miss Luella Vandervort, sidewalks and streets; Larry Johnson, signs and flags; Root and Barber, traffic pattern and parking; Mayor Keith A. Hebble, Sheryl Alsept, Sandy Elliott and Susan Beebe, trees and flowers.

Libby Karim, executive director, Erie County Visitors & Convention Bureau, Sandusky, and

Duane Yoder, executive director, Richland County Visitors & Convention Bureau, addressed the commission Nov. 4.

Richard Adair, Richland County Regional Planning and Development agency, will speak Feb. 3.

Huron and Richland county commissioners will appear together Mar. 3.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



So I think it is a shame when our people of Plymouth have to go outside of our town to choose a new chief of police when Plymouth has men that qualify and have lived in the community all of their lives or most of them. But when most of the people that voted in the new chief were not originally from this community (three out of four), what can you expect? I sure hope the voters of Plymouth will remember at the next election who voted which way! I just had to let the people of Plymouth know how I feel.

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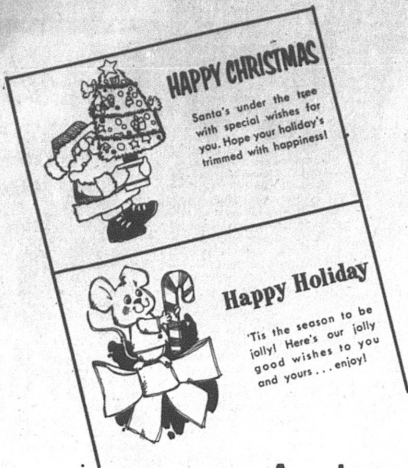
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