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## LEGION POST ARRANGES PATRIOTIC RALLY

### Gratiot Township Meeting Termed "Hilarious Affair"

[Editor's Note: The Grosse Pointe Review is not responsible for the opinions expressed in the following article.]

Many questions were asked and many questions were answered at the Gratiot Township Board meeting held in Eastwood School last Monday evening.

According to Supervisor Provo a certain group was asked to come to the meeting and ask these questions.

The first question was "Why were taxes raised?" Provo stated taxes were not raised. The county equalized the valuations in Gratiot Township, which was one of the last to be equalized in Wayne County. The county received this authority by a statute written in 1933.

The question came up about the officers receiving expenses for last year, and Provo stated according to the statutes the people have the right at the annual meeting to set the wages of the township officers and answered this by saying the annual meeting and the records of the township show that the people did set the wages at the annual meeting and they likewise granted the

supervisor, treasurer, and clerk expenses for last year. Provo said at this point just why should Mr. Jones want that question asked while he, himself, received expense money.

Another question asked, "Why is the general fund low?" While Provo was not aware of the fact that a check had arrived in the amount of \$451.73 to be deposited in the general fund, Frank Jones would not make this public and did not. Provo states the general fund is not nearly as low as Mr. Jones tries to lead the people to believe it is. Between the general fund and the zoning fund, at this writing, there is over \$1,100 in the bank, not counting the \$8,000 in the water fund. If the \$1,700 had not been spent for Beaconsfield and the \$765 for rubbish removal, there would be nearly \$3,500 in the bank just before collection time, but Provo stated Jones evades these issues in his attempts to mislead the people.

Provo stated he would like to ask Mr. Jones why he opposes a skating pond for the children?

Among other questions Provo claims he will ask Mr. Jones in a series of articles to follow, which will show exactly where monies have been spent since Provo took oath of office. "Mr. Jones, please tell the people why your books have never balanced since you have held the office of treasurer; and, likewise tell the people of Gratiot Township why a shortage existed in your water account in the amount of \$25,807?" Provo states at this point that he could have ordered the bond of the treasurer forfeited for this shortage as Jones, at first refused to pay it, but when it became evident that drastic measures would have been taken, Mr. Jones did pay the shortage. Provo says this is what caused the break between him and Jones, stating he could

### Lions Committee Prepare For "Newsboy" Day



The Grosse Pointe Lions Club "Goodfellow" committee, under the direction of Nelson L. Korte (seated, right), met at noon on Monday and discussed plans for the street sale of The Grosse Pointe Review on "Old Newsboy Day" December 17. (From left to right)—Charles Nightingale, L. B. Oldham, Carl Schweikart, Norbert F. Denk and (seated, left) George Elworthy. Picture by Review Staff Photographer.

### Ex-National Commander Will Address Audience At High School Dec. 9

Major Burns Henry, American Legion Post No. 303, is sponsoring an Americanization and national defense rally to be held in the Grosse Pointe High School Auditorium on Monday evening, December 9, at 8 o'clock.

A short musical program by the Grosse Pointe High School band, under the leadership and direction of W. J. Watkins, supervisor of music, and D. D. Kalember, director, will be presented.

The program includes:

Invocation by Rev. Albert L. Melvin of St. Paul's Catholic Church.

Address by past national commander of the American Legion, Raymond Kelly, who will cover "The American Legion—Americanism—National Defense—Community Service" and other items pertinent to current day problems.

Movies taken at Fort Benning, Ga.—"The Army on Wheels"

Benediction by Rev. Francis B. Creamer, Christ Church.

Invitations have been extended to all Parent-Teacher Associations in Grosse Pointe, as well as the Lions Club, and the Rotary Club, various village, city and township officials. Members of these organizations are strongly urged to attend, as the American Legion and the Major Burns Henry Post in particular, have a very important message for each individual.

This is the first of a series of community service programs to be sponsored by the Major Burns Henry Post.

Major Burns Henry Post has organized and maintained for over three years the only blood transfusion corps in this vicinity. Many more features of community service will be announced at this rally. No admission charge.

#### SPECIAL NOTICE

The special attention of persons or organizations who intend to sell Christmas trees in the City of Grosse Pointe, is called to the ordinance regulating and licensing the use of vacant lots, recently published in The Grosse Pointe Review.

#### REMEMBER?

The Grosse Pointe A. C. basketball team won its fourth straight game.

#### 10 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

A Boy Scout court of honor was held in Grosse Pointe High School. . . . The will of the late Frank E. Harris was granted another hearing in Circuit Judge Moynihan's court.

#### 5 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

Members of eighth grade students were invited to an open house at Grosse Pointe High. . . . The Grosse Pointe Choral Club made final preparations for its annual party to be held next week.

#### 1 YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

Edwin Kriehoff Jr., of 1111 Nottingham, was exonerated of blame by a Holland, Mich., coroner's jury in a recent traffic accident involving the death of a fireman. . . . Varsity football letters were given to 23 Grosse Pointe High students.

(In an effort to familiarize Grosse Pointe residents with the broad historical background of their community, each week for an unlimited time, "Remember" will include highlights of the "History of Grosse Pointe" as written by a well-known local real estate dealer.)

"Previous to May 8, 1907, the Village of Grosse Pointe Park was part of the old Village of Fairview, which then extended from Bewick avenue to Cadieux Road. In 1907 that part of the Village of Fairview running from Bewick avenue to a point 200 feet east of Alter Road, was taken into the City of Detroit and the balance of the territory now comprising the Village of Grosse Pointe Park was incorporated. What is now Grosse Pointe Park was then known as Cottage Grove Post Office."

From The Review Files.

concerns in mention, regarding the glaring weaknesses and outright inefficiencies in the treasurer's office.

The City of Detroit Water Board is busy flushing and chlorinating the last of the lines in Gratiot Township. The gate well has been installed at Eastwood Drive and Kelly Road.

Both master meters are in, and it is expected that by December 9 the lines will be complete in their entirety. The meters will then be read and the master meter opened.

This move will increase the township profit on water by more than \$300 per month.

### Killer Stands Mute At Examination

Standing mute without the slightest signs of emotion, Wilfred Bonno, 23-year-old slayer of taxi-cab driver William Arbuttle, was given an examination before Township Justice Kenneth M. Thomas in the Grosse Pointe Woods court room last Tuesday night. The County Coroner took the stand during the examination and diagnosed the cause of death as pneumonia following a gun shot wound in the lungs and liver. Several local police officials testified as witnesses. Bonno's case may be placed on the January Circuit Court docket, Thomas remarked.

Bonno will be held without bail in the county jail pending trial, Justice Thomas stated. Arbuttle, robbed and shot in the back near Broadstone avenue on November 25, died in Cottage Hospital three days later. Bonno was captured by Grosse Pointe Farms Patrolmen James Furton and Albert Crooks near Chalfont and Madison avenues less than 20 minutes after the shooting.

Formerly employed as a WPA worker before a recent disagreement with his boss, Bonno had traveled from Maryland to Detroit two years ago. Deformed by the loss of his right arm, Bonno admitted robbing Arbuttle of a wallet containing less than \$10.

### Rotary Club Is Host To Pointe Officials

How the Grosse Pointe Rotary Club is eager to perform worthwhile community service was graphically visualized last Monday noon, when the club entertained officials of the various

### Grosse Pointe Lions Push Plans for "Old Newsboy" Sale Dec. 17

Rapidly formulating plans for the annual "Old Newsboy" street sale of The Grosse Pointe Review on December 17, Chairman Nelson L. Korte and his

### Woods Firemen Kept Busy By Three Fires In A Single Day

Grosse Pointe Woods firemen had a very busy day last Sunday, battling three separate blazes in less than 11 hours.

### Around-table Discussion by the Community Service Committee

A round-table discussion by the Community Service Committee was the highlight of the program. This discussion, led by Chairman Dick Maxon, was participated in by Walter Cleminson, Fintan Henk, Edward Pongraz and Alfred Herrmann, who revealed facts about the many local activities of the club.

It was shown that the club is awarding books to all Grosse Pointe High School students averaging "A" in their studies; it is furnishing funds to send children to summer camps; two honor students were sent to Boys' State at Lansing for a week period. Among many other community activities, it was shown that the Rotary Club performed yeoman service in helping stage the recent Halloween party.

Responding to requests for suggestions as to other community activities, Dr. Van Kleef of the Board of Education told of the part the Rotary Club played in endorsing the new Pierce Junior High School project, which resulted in obtaining one of the finest schools of its kind in the country (Continued on Page Two)

### Why are drivers whose passengers are not related to them more likely to speed than drivers who have their families or relatives in the car?

Responding to a call from Mrs. Emma John, 2014 Kelly road, Gratiot Township, at 5:00 p. m., Fire Chief Alex Rose and Asst. Chief Harry Duross and their crew extinguished a stubborn chimney blaze.

Six hours later at the home of Lee Weil, 1268 Hampton road, firemen disposed of a conflagration in a living room davenport. Fire authorities believe a discarded cigarette was responsible.

CATCH IT EARLY—Let us briefly consider appendicitis. I know that all will agree that it should be recognized early and that operation should be performed early. Yet vital statistics show that 25,000 people die every year because of it. Purgatives, cathartics, and laxatives have been taken by most persons whose appendix have ruptured, they having mistaken their trouble for "old-fashioned stomach ache."—Dr. Charles W. Mayo, of Rochester, Minn.

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### Reckless Driver Fined \$100 By Township Justice DeBaeko

James Erickson, of 3334 E. Jefferson, St. Clair Shores, was given the choice of a \$100 fine or thirty days in jail by Township Justice Victor H. DeBaeko during last Tuesday evening's court session in the Grosse Pointe Shores Municipal Building.

Erickson paid the fine, which was the limit for a reckless driving ticket. Erickson struck a Lake Shore road light pole and two signs while traveling 70 miles an hour on Nov. 20, completely wrecking his car.

Police officials stated that Erickson, who suffered a broken shoulder bone, was intoxicated.

### Gratiot Township Club Dedicates New Building

The progressive Gratiot Township Club dedicated its newly-constructed meeting house with impressive ceremonies last Saturday night, November 30. The new building, located on Roslyn Road near Mack avenue, just east of Eight Mile Road, was visited by over 125 residents during the evening's entertainment.

A Boy Scout guard of honor was present during the dedication. Modern and old time dancing followed the formal ceremonies.

Plans for the organization of a scout troop are now under way in Gratiot Township.

The club will hold a regular business meeting on Sunday afternoon, December 8, beginning at 2 p. m.

### ARE YOU LUCKY?

Read This And Turn To Page Two

Do you feel lucky? If you do, here's an excellent opportunity for you to take advantage of your good fortune!

A new and exciting game has been started in The Grosse Pointe Review, and sharp-eyed readers, both young and old, may find themselves the winners of two free tickets to either the Equinox or Punch and Judy Theatres.

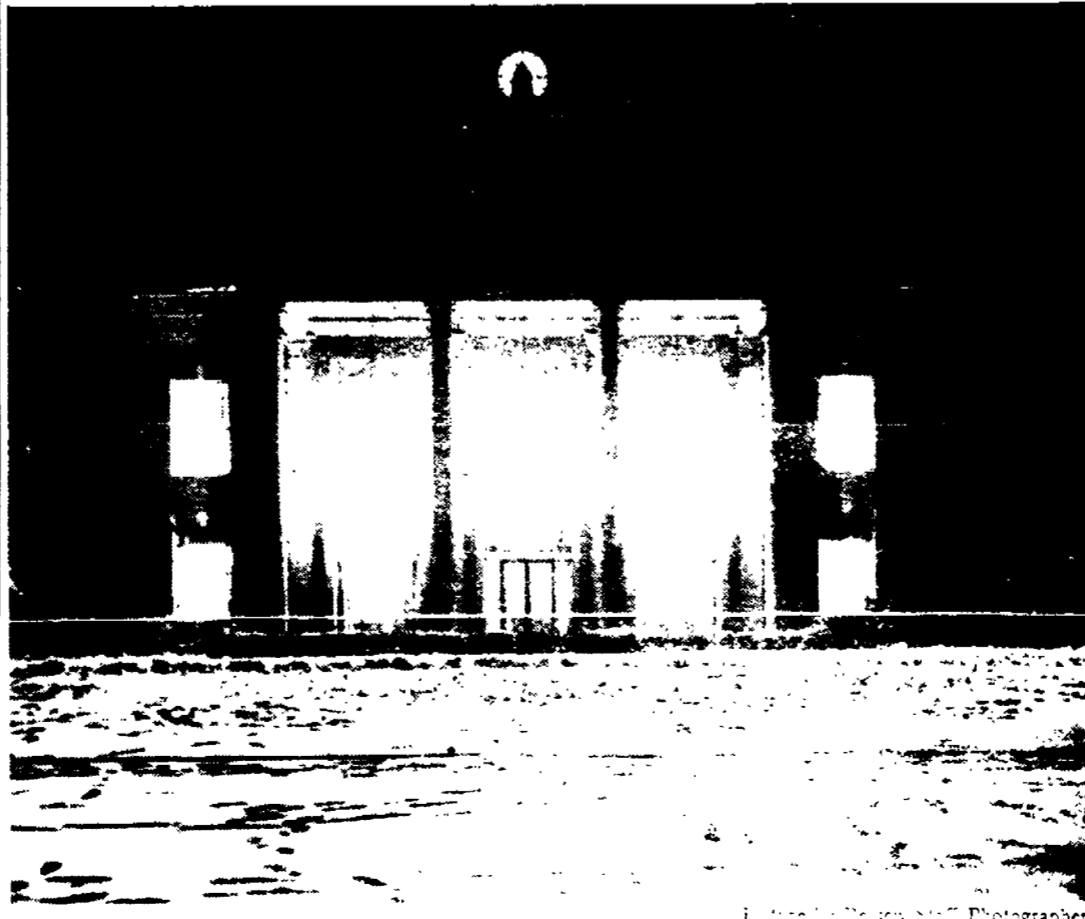
On page two a section of voters outside a polling booth during the November 5th election will be found. Three sets of faces in that group are encircled with a white ring. Is your face one of them? If it is, two free movie tickets await you at our office, 15121 Kercheval, between Maryland and Lakepoints. These tickets are yours after identification, with absolutely no strings attached.

The wheel of luck may have missed you this week, but don't give up. Next week, a new group photograph will be published. Perhaps you recognize a friend! If so, pass along the good word!

Remember this kindergarten game? "Ring round Rosie, pocket full of—" free movie tickets!

Turn to page two and pick out your face!

### FIRST SNOWFALL



The first snowfall of the season was captured in all its beauty by the Grosse Pointe Camera Club, under the supervision of Edward A. Ketterer and William Mann. This outstanding picture was snapped at 2 p. m. one evening early this week.

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# News Digest

By DICK BODYCOMBE

Long Island University, one of the nation's foremost college basketball teams, will visit East Lansing on February 19 and cross dribbles with Michigan State's potent "Spartans."

Flushed by the success of "The Ramblers Wa. Watch," the "March of Time" is busily working on another full-length feature which will include large portions of smuggled film on the Miraculous of Poland and Finland.

Over \$225,000,000 worth of national defense contracts have been placed with Detroit firms, ranking the city second in the country's current "general manufacturing of goods and parts" list.

Six Wayne and Macomb County police officials who assisted in the arrest and conviction of confessed murderers John Kasap and John Kursawa, have received citations from the State Crime Commission.

The "Foreign Correspondent" didn't survive his plane crash.—The official commission report, "Ralph D. Barnes, New York Herald Tribune writer, was among four persons killed in the crash of a British bombing plane on a Yugoslavian mountain side." Barnes' death was the first fatality among American newspapermen in World War No. 2.

Losing it the hard way.—After battling through 60 scoreless minutes of grinding gridiron mayhem, two top Chicago high school squads slipped a coin to decide which team would meet the leading Catholic League eleven in a much-publicized charity game.

'30' in the News.—The Empire Gold Mine in Grass Valley, California, has been mined continuously for 90 years, and now contains over 190 miles of cross-crossed underground tunnels.—A 70-year-old preacher from Sanger, California was married for the fourth time recently, after officiating for 15-year-old "bride" through a matrimonial agency.—The Milwaukee Railroad celebrated its 70th anniversary last week, and every locomotive and shop building along the company's 15,000 mile system "went in a toot."

An ex-Department of Public Works employee is seeking a 14-year-old chain saw to use in a case which may result in court by 1941!

Have trouble remembering telephone numbers?—An 11-year-old Oklahoma school boy can recall an entire telephone book of 1,200 names, addresses and numbers from memory!—"Yeshee"—quoting Jim Farley is vaguely interested

in the case, evidently figuring that he can handle the names and faces, while the lad "dreams up" the phone numbers!

There is a distinct possibility that President Roosevelt will be given the opportunity to appoint three more Supreme Court Justices during his next four-year term. Chief Justice Hughes and Justice McReynolds, both 78, are eligible for retirement, with Justice Stone making it a threesome on Oct. 11, 1942. Frank Murphy and William O. Douglas, two of five Justices appointed by Roosevelt since 1936, are rumored anxious to get back into "political circulation."

Lovers, don't pass this one by!—An unbiased report from a New York institute explains why "most women close their eyes when kissed," stating, "the drooping of the eyelids in a woman



about to be kissed is an emotional reaction. However, women consciously aid their eyes to close. By closing her eyes a woman shuts out her visual contact with everyday objects, relaxes and slips into a world of make-believe. Ah, ain't love grand!

Twenty-seven states have adopted new color schemes for their 1941 automobile plates, while the remaining 21 have simply reversed the numerals and the background.

It's been "Sadie Hawkins Day" for nearly a month now, and Lil Abner is still running. What endurance!

Both Sides of the Question Department.—Columnist Dorothy Thompson said recently that "popular democratic forms of government will not survive," while U. S. Ambassador to Mexico has forecast "that the coming century will witness the rise of a new type of government which will have the same characteristics as the present one."

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Lee, of 384 University place, has been granted a divorce from her husband, Edward F. Lee, by Circuit Court Judge James E. Chesot.

A Nashville resident has filed a \$1,000,000 suit against the Hudson Motor Car Co., charging infringement of a patent he had received on an "instrument panel device."

Take a snappy glance at the bottom picture on this page and see if you've been "ringed."

## St. Claire Church Women Plan Sale



Picture by Review Staff Photographer.

Arranging final preparations for their Christmas Tea Sale, on December 10, ladies of the Arch-confraternity of St. Claire Church met in the home of Mrs. John Moteschall, 1120 Three Mile Drive, last Monday afternoon and exhibited a portion of the gifts which will be placed on sale. (From left to right)—Mrs. L. L. Smith, Mrs. B. H. Chartier, Mrs. J. E. Burns, Mrs. Arthur Fushman, Mrs. T. E. O'Connor, Mrs. Fred E. Boylan, Mrs. Moteschall, chairman (seated).

### Christmas Tea Sale Planned By St. Claire Church Archconfraternity

During the afternoon and evening of December 10, the ladies of the Arch-confraternity of St. Claire Church will hold a Christmas Tea Sale in the church auditorium, Audubon and Charlevoix.

This unusual event, combining social activity with the display and presentation of beautiful gifts, is open to all. Under the sponsorship of Mrs. John Moteschall, the ladies will receive their guests at tea in a Christmas season setting, "reminiscent of the magical creations of the fabled geni of Aladdin's lamp."

The proceeds of the sale of gifts, available at bargain prices, will be contributed to the charitable cause. A highlight of the affair will be a raffle, an Afghan throw, and an electric iron are but a few of the surprises awaiting prospective purchasers.

Surrounding the festivities will be these "abodes of charm": Mrs. S. Ishadi—"Country Store." Truly complete with all that may be needed. Mrs. F. Wurm—"Christmas goodies," such as cookies with points and things delightfully delicious. Mrs. L. Werner—"Toys and Dolls," such as bring that look of ecstasy to the face of a child.

Mrs. A. Fushman—"More Fun!" Outsmart Cupid and win a prize with darts furnished by Lady Luck. Mrs. B. Chartier will preside over the tea. There will be ample parking facilities. Visit this sale and be assured of a new thrill in shopping—so complete the assortment, so gracious the service. The "Cutest Puppy" will go home with some lucky winner of the raffle.

### Drivers' School Draws Eighty-Five Persons At Third Session

Over 85 people were present at the third session of the newly-inaugurated monthly drivers' school held in Grosse Pointe High School last Tuesday evening.

Ellsworth E. Rockwell, Detroit police official and director of the school, presented slides illustrating the rights and wrongs of safe driving.

In the past 10 days, City of Grosse Pointe police officers have been issuing drivers' school tickets to minor traffic violators. Over 25 of these tickets have been handed out, Chief Thomas V. Trombly remarked.

### Park Firefighters Hold Annual Party

The Grosse Pointe Park Firefighters' Association, Local No. 533, will hold their annual charity party on Saturday evening, December 14, in the Park bath house at the foot of Alter Road. Jimmy Conahan and his orchestra will supply dance music from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. The entire proceeds will be turned over to the Grosse Pointe Lions' "Goodfellow Fund."

Tickets may be secured at the fire department headquarters, E. Jefferson and Maryland, or at the door. A buffet dinner will be served.

### Pierce Concert Band Prepares For Program On Tuesday, Dec. 10

Boasting a newly augmented instrumentation, the Pierce Jr. High band will make its first public appearance of this year next Tuesday, Dec. 10, when Director Samuel Trickey will present his seventy musicians in the school auditorium at 8:15 p. m.

The band, which won highest honors at the Southeastern Michigan Music Festival last year, now has added to the ensemble, bass violins, tympani, chimes, marimba, oboes, bassoons, tenor and baritone saxophones, and bass clarinet. In all, nineteen new instruments have made a larger repertoire and fuller orchestration possible.

Featured with the band will be Dean Hirt, flutist, Robert Seeber, cornetist, and Allan Howell, saxophonist. Marilyn Rogers and Walter Albrecht will appear in a fast-paced baton twirling routine.

William J. Watkins, director of music for Grosse Pointe Schools, has remarked, "We are proud of the Pierce Concert band. In junior high school music, it is rapidly making an enviable name for itself."

### Rotary (Continued from Page One)

for Grosse Pointe. The wave of traffic accidents was discussed and it was shown that concerted efforts are being made along educational lines, so that young drivers will be impressed with the necessity of safe driving.

Norbert F. Denk, supervisor of Grosse Pointe Township, bespoke the desire of township officials to co-operate in all community service. Among other officials present were Karl E. Goddard, president of the Park; Norbert Neff, clerk, and Neil Blondell, assessor of the City of Grosse Pointe; Alois Ghesquiere, president of Grosse Pointe Woods; Charles Poupard, treasurer of the Board of Education; Harry Furton, clerk of Grosse Pointe Farms, and Carl Schweikart, clerk of the township.

### Women Republicans Plan Annual Meeting

On Monday, Dec. 9, the annual luncheon meeting of the Women's Republican club of Grosse Pointe will be held in the Whittier Hotel at 12:30 p. m. Mrs. Lloyd A. Hooker is general chairman.

Club members are urged to make their reservations early, as seating capacity will be at a premium. Mrs. Douglas Crane is ticket chairman.

Mrs. Edwin Kreghoff, retiring chairman, will preside at the meeting immediately following the luncheon. The program will be opened with patriotic singing.

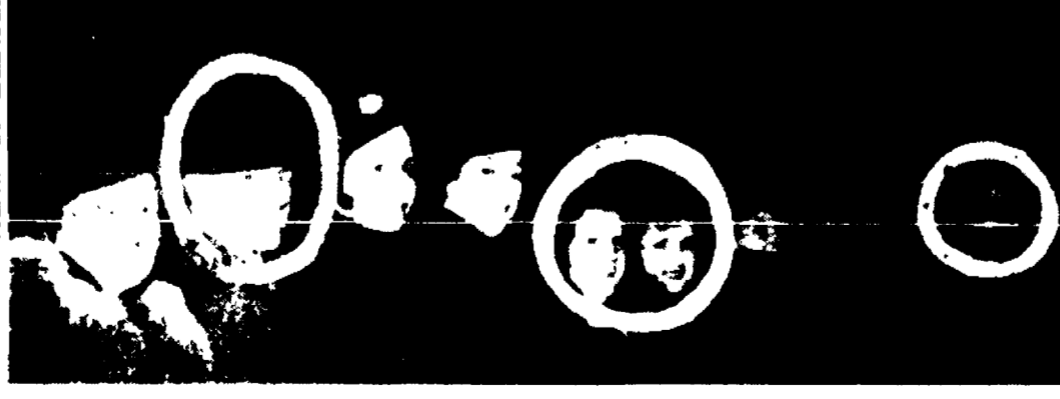
There will be short reports on the year's outstanding events and accomplishments, and announcements of future plans. Election of officers for the ensuing year will also take place. Mrs. Donald Stevenson, nomination chairman will present the slate. Mrs. Dudley Hay will head the tellers and Mrs. Cameron Waterman will have charge of flower arrangements.

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## "RING 'ROUND ROSIE"



Picture by Review Staff Photographer.

Here's a picture from a back issue of The Review. We see a line-up of Grosse Pointe Park veterans on their way to do their duty. While somewhat belated, we want to ask the two smiling ladies, the gentleman interested in what the camera man is doing, and the lady with the glasses to come to The Review office, 18121 Kercheval avenue, between Maryland and Lakepointe, and receive two free tickets to the Punch and Judy or Esquire theatre. Watch for another picture next week and good luck to you.

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**Founders And Patriots Society Arranges Fall Luncheon**

The Michigan chapter of the National Society, Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America, will meet today, Thursday, December 5, at the Colony Town Club for their semi-annual fall luncheon meeting.

Mrs. Henry Bourne Joy, honorary national president and now state treasurer, will be present to receive dues. Many out-state as well as local members will attend.

Reservations for the luncheon, set for 12:30 p. m., are being received at the residence of Mrs. Metcalf on Dickerson avenue.

Perishing Second Lieutenant Gen. John J. Pershing's first military service was as a second lieutenant of cavalry in the Arizona Indian campaign in 1885 and 1886.

**Dresses Contributed To Goodfellows**



Grosse Pointe Board of Education employees, 12 of whom are shown above, have contributed 34 dresses (hung in the background) to the current Goodfellows' charity drive. (Left side, back row)—Margaret Locke, Grace Barley, Mary McKnight. (Front row)—Janet Clark, Edmond West, Betty Grubb. (Right side, back row)—Mary Kerr, Kathleen McKnight, Marge Moutha. (Front row)—Marion Letstrang, Albert Clark, Luella Appel. Mrs. Margaret Locke organized the collection and purchase of the dresses.

**State Traffic Deaths Well Over 1939 Record**

Automobile fatalities in the State of Michigan during the month of October totaled 194. This increase over September's record was the biggest one-month jump in the last 10 years, the Michigan Department of Health reports.

October is normally a big month for automobile deaths, but an increase of 53 lives lost over the September total is more than has occurred since 1930. The total for the year now stands at 1,332, as compared with 1,192 for the first 10 months of 1939.

Advertisements in our classified department.

**Alger Auxiliary**

On Sunday, Dec. 8, the Alger Auxiliary will hold another of its monthly dinners at the Alger Club, 1745 St. Paul. Every one is welcome to attend. Reservations are not necessary.

On Tuesday, Nov. 5, the Gen. R. A. and Col. F. M. Alger Auxiliary presented a flag pole and standard to Cub Scout, Dir. No. 2. On Armistice Day, Nov. 11, the Auxiliary presented nine flags and standards to the Robert Trombly school.

The presentation was beautiful, as each flag for each different grade was received by a pupil of that grade. The program was put on by all the various grades.

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**Public Letter B—O—X**

Editor, The Grosse Pointe Review:  
At the beginning, we would like to say that we have read all the various articles in your paper concerning taxes and other subjects. We feel all the people should be allowed to partake in these discussions. That is what we, the Gratiot Township Improvement Association, propose to do.

We feel something should be said about our principles and policy. We pledge that we shall endorse no candidate for any political office. It is our opinion that the residents of Gratiot Township can and do know our politicians better than we do.

But we say it is our duty to the people to bring such matters as resolutions by the board or any other action taken by the township board or officers to the attention of the people, and we pledge to do this, no matter who holds the offices.

We have all heard quite a little about taxes being raised in Gratiot Township. Now we shall discuss this at the next meeting and in our open forum your voice will be as good as anybody else. We feel that at this meeting the voters and taxpayers shall speak. Let us consider some of the things to be discussed:

We have a law that says you cannot tax any township resident more than 15 mills. But they can and did raise your valuation. So what's the difference?

We shall endeavor to have definite proof of who and what caused this increase.

We could talk about whether or not the increase will benefit the township or county. This may give you some idea of the increase over last year: Total increase, 59 per cent; county tax, 75 per cent; township tax, 150 per cent; school tax, 28 per cent—over last year.

We could talk about why a law passed in 1893 should be put into effect in 1940. This job of assessing was formerly a job for our supervisor. Did you get your tax bill this year? I did. Perhaps when you see it you may have some idea of what to speak on.

Let us remind you that we have no other purpose in mind but to let you discuss and take what action your desire.

Shall we sit idly by, or will we come to the Eastwood School on Thursday, December 12, at 8 p. m., and make our views public to our fellow taxpayers and voters?

Board of Gratiot Township Improvement Association,  
GEO. H. SCHMUCK,  
Secretary.

**Draft Board 57 Moves Headquarters To Park Municipal Building**

Draft Board No. 57, comprised of Grosse Pointe Park, City of Grosse Pointe, Grosse Pointe Farms, Grosse Pointe Shores, Grosse Pointe Woods and Gratiot Township, has announced the removal of its headquarters from 16338 E. Warren to the Grosse Pointe Park Municipal Building at 15115 E. Jefferson, corner of Maryland.

C. Joseph Belanger, board vice-president, stated that Grosse Pointe registrants can now be served with greater ease and convenience. Belanger remarked that the many facilities and advantages obtainable at the new offices will allow the board "great efficiency and the opportunity to render the type of service to which registrants are so justly entitled."

**William Lyon Phelps Speaks A Good Word For Baseball Umpires**

"Baseball umpires are a race apart, and I admire them," remarks Dr. William Lyon Phelps, long-time Lampson professor of English literature at Yale University.

Dr. Phelps, "Billy" to his students, commenting on the recent death of Ernest L. Thayer, author of the famous poem "Casey at the Bat," adds a good word for umpires at the same time.

The humor of "Casey," Dr. Phelps believes, is in the fact that it is what so many of us know, that we can do a thing a dozen times in a row if nothing depends on it, but when we come up to the "clutch" we strike out. Any duffer, Phelps reminds, can sink a dozen or more two-foot putts on the practice green, but many a professional has blown up with a mere 24 inches between him and a title.

But the surprising thing in Phelps' article is the fact that he comes to bat himself for the umpire. "Although a few players have been convicted of 'throwing' games," Phelps writes, "during the entire history of America's national game not a single umpire has ever been convicted or suspected."

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**Kerby School Notes**

Over 160 Grosse Pointe parents visited Kerby School during American Education Week. Each grade offered interesting special programs which collectively illustrated the work of the school. In addition to individual group entertainment, the entire school celebrated with a "play day" and a school sing.

The same Kerby school teacher who not long ago rolled 205 in one bowling game, has been listed among the prize winners of a recent nation-wide contest and will receive a pair of bowling shoes.

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**What Do You Think?**

War toys for children? That's a question in the minds of many parents during the pre-Christmas shopping season. Some say yes and others say no, but most of them do not believe that it makes any difference, according to a poll of opinion taken in the current issue of a national magazine. Twelve parents, both fathers and mothers, from Canada to Argentina were queried in assembling these opinions, and they vary as much as the climates of the countries.

For the most part, the mothers think that war toys have a definite bad influence. "Marital toys are uncivilized," writes Mary G. Phillips, wife of a Cornell Professor. "They give importance to the savage, brutal side of a child." "Constant association with playthings of a martial nature would make war seem reasonable," fears Josephine Powell, wife of a physician.

But John Girdler, superintendent of schools in Arizona, considers the whole thing "Gettysburg on a down quilt." "Really, after watching children for a great many years, I believe this is all much ado about nothing." From Hawaii comes a complete agreement with Mr. Girdler; but Sergio Herrera of Havana, Cuba, feels that "a child's lack of experience may permit them to think of war as something pleasant." Yet Dr. W. H. Spence, a retired clergyman from New Hampshire, agrees with the majority when he says: "Up to a given point, they will do no harm."

What's your opinion?

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# D.A.R. Regent Plans Tea Honoring Mrs. Henry B. Joy Dec. 8th

## Xmas Greens And Holly Will Decorate Rooms Of Newberry House

Newberry House will be gaily decorated with Christmas greens and Michigan holly for the open house, which Mrs. Paul Hale Bruske, Regent of Louisa St. Clair Chapter, D. A. R., is giving in honor of Mrs. Henry Bourne Joy on Sunday, December 8, from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Receiving with the hostess will be the guest of honor, Mrs. Henry B. Joy, honorary vice-president general, and Mrs. Arthur Maxwell Parker, honorary regent.

Greeting the guests will be Mrs. Lloyd DeWitt Smith, chapter house chairman, and her committee, Mrs. Alfred W. Crabb, Mrs. Louis M. Edgar, Mrs. Louis Gascoigne, Mrs. Harold M. Hastings, Mrs. E. St. Elmo Lewis, Mrs. Forest E. McKee, Mrs. Charles E. Swales and Mrs. Chester W. Tullar.

## Women's Clubs Promote "Carnival Of Foods"

The Detroit Federation of Women's Clubs, in co-operation with wholesalers and manufacturers, is promoting an educational carnival of foods on Thursday and Friday, December 5 and 6, at the federation club house, Second at Hancock.

Mrs. Charles W. Wing and her committee are sponsoring this project which is one of several planned to help finance the work of the federation. Mrs. Ralph B. Scott is in charge of the sale of tickets, which may be obtained from any member of a federated club or purchased on carnival days at the club house.

Foods to taste, samples to take home, moving pictures of various phases of the food industry shown in the auditorium twice each day, and door prizes in the form of 48 baskets of food, are included in the program. Baskets will contain regular size packages of foods displayed by the exhibitors. It will not be necessary to be present at the actual time of the drawing to claim the prizes.

A sale of miscellaneous articles suitable for gifts and the carnival and Christmas spirits will combine in this gala two-day event, which will undoubtedly interest every Grosse Pointe woman.

Forest E. McKee, Mrs. Charles E. Swales and Mrs. Chester W. Tullar. Mrs. Frederic Zeigen will have charge of the tea table. Assisting her will be Mrs. Clarence A. Fiske, Mrs. Harold R. Smith, Mrs. James E. Morrison, Mrs. Herbert F. Poshle, Mrs. William H. Holmes, Mrs. Carl E. Huyette, Mrs. Robert June, Mrs. V. H. Kendall, Mrs. Claude L. Kniffen, Mrs. Gordon K. MacEdward, Mrs. Julia S. Miller and Mrs. Norman J. Miller. Mrs. Truman H. Newberry, Mrs. Griffith Ogden Ellis, Mrs. Lyman P. Johnson, Mrs. George V. Candler, Mrs. Murray W. Sales, Mrs. Harry M. Jewett, Mrs. Francis C. McMuth, Mrs. Edward N. Eichelzer, Mrs. Charles W. Brooke and Miss Abigail M. Smith will pour at the tea table during the afternoon.

The decorations are in charge of Mrs. Lloyd L. Hodges, Mrs. Louis J. Flint, Mrs. Raymond H. Berry, Mrs. Basil L. Connelly, Mrs. Hansel D. Wilson, Mrs. Frank L. Scott Jr., and Mrs. William F. Streit.

The Louisa St. Clair Chapter, D. A. R., is also making preparations for the Christmas tea of the Historic Memorials Society to be held at Newberry House on Friday, December 6, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Lloyd DeWitt Smith has charge of the tea, and Mrs. Henry B. Joy will speak on "Her Travels Aboard."

Assisting Mrs. Smith on the committee for the tea are Mrs. Alfred W. Crabb, Mrs. Lewis C. Dunn, Mrs. George H. Elliott, Mrs. Howard B. Holden, Mrs. William H. Martner, Mrs. Charles E. Swales and Mrs. Charles B. Warner.

## Grosse Pointer Cast In Wayne University Theatrical Production

Robert Standert of 810 Washington Road will portray Tony Kirby, a juvenile lead in Wayne University's undergraduate production of "You Can't Take It With You" to be presented on December 5, 6 and 7, in the school's main building auditorium.

Standert, a sophomore, will be playing his third role since becoming a member of the university's theatrical unit, "Student Stage," in 1938. "Cast as a love-stricken youth, Standert's part involves him in the mad but happy family created by George S. Kaufman and Moss Hart, stressing the fact that the primary purpose of life is to enjoy it. Standert is a former graduate of Grosse Pointe High School.

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## Society Notes

By MARCIA NETTING

An informal dance, called the Yule Ball, will be held on Friday, December 6, in the grand ballroom of the Hotel Statler at 9 o'clock. The dance is being sponsored by the Detroit Association of the University of Michigan women, assisted by the East Side Junior Alumni Group, the Grosse Pointe University of Michigan Club and the Men's "M" Club. Mrs. Kenneth Koppitz will be chairman of the affair.

With 40 friends on hand for festivities, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thiede of Berkshire Road, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a buffet supper party on November 23.

The Cadillac Society, Senior Group, is planning their next meeting for the evening of December 7. The program will include a community dinner, an American Music Content under the direction of Nelda Alger, and the collection of Christmas gifts for the students of Krosnor, the mountain school of which the society is patron.

Yearly dues will be payable during the meeting to Bob Catlin, treasurer. Reservations may be obtained from Mrs. Tolbert Grimm, TO. 5-8124.

Grosse Pointe High's junior class has invited the 12B and 12A grades to their prom, to be held on Saturday evening, December 7, from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Jean Neff, vice-president of the junior class, is general chairman of the dance. The music committee includes Dona Lee Henderson, Doris Roberts, Conrad Williams and Fred Jean. Ralph Bowen and his orchestra will supply the dance rhythms.

The theme of the decorations, supposedly a secret, promises an unusual setting.

Mrs. Donald Johnson of St. Clair avenue, left last week for White Plains, N. Y., where she met her husband, U. S. N. Ensign D. H. Johnson, who is stationed on the U. S. S. Dubouque.

Mrs. Frank Andrus of Merriweather Road and Mrs. Thomas D. Hann Jr., of Grayton Road entertained at a dinner party in the Hann home last Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Frances Fanning, former Grosse Pointe resident.

Mrs. Frances Fanning will be honored at a tea in the Lincoln Road home of Mrs. F. R. Weisgerber on Friday.

Hank Kaine, son of the Louis Kaines of Balfour Road, will be home from

Ann Arbor this week-end. Mrs. G. M. Endicott of Three Mile Drive left for New York late this week to meet her mother, Mrs. Charles Bohn.

The Chi Omega Alumni group met at the home of Mrs. Norma Stroh Hansen on Bishop Road last Wednesday evening for dinner and a meeting. Mrs. Fred K. Hauck gave a book review in the evening.

Mrs. George M. Endicott entertained at a bridge luncheon in her home on Three Mile Drive last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Chestnut and their sons, Dan and Bill, moved from Notre Dame Road to their new home at 311 Grosse Pointe Blvd. last Tuesday.

Last Monday Mrs. H. J. MacBeth of Maumee entertained at a bridge-luncheon.

Old St. Paul's on the Lake is sponsoring a desert bridge on Saturday, December 7, in the school auditorium at 1 o'clock. There will be attractive door and table prizes.

Mrs. John B. Mays is general chairman, and assisting are Mrs. Harold G. Frear, Mrs. Arthur Fauser, Mrs. William A. Gant, Mrs. Joseph W. Leinweber, Mrs. Russell J. Megargle, Mrs. Van Husan Moore, Mrs. James Rasmussen, Mrs. Dalton Snyder and Mrs. Leo C. Thibodeau.

Paul Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Chapman of 661 Washington Road, has been elected a new member of the crack squad at Shattuck School, Faribault, Minn. Chapman's election came after a training period of three months, during which the 50 boys who began the trials were eliminated until the final 10 chosen remained.

Chapman, who is a senior, is a corporal in the cadet battalion.

## Pierce Teacher Shows Motion Pictures At Education Conference

Ernest LaFollette, social studies teacher at Pierce Junior High School, was one of the speakers at the conference on Educational Production of Motion Pictures held at Ohio State University last week.

LaFollette showed his colored motion picture films of Grosse Pointe Public Schools and the community, including the photographic record of the Pierce Junior High's construction.

Among the Discs

By MARCIA NETTING
Of outstanding importance among recent Victor records recorded in Europe is "Pania Angelicus" (Franck), sung by Beniamino Gigli with the Bergamo State Opera Orchestra and chorus.

Victor Red-Seal records offer Ricard Crooks, the well known American tenor, in a number of Wagnerian arias. Worthy of particular note are the "Prize Song" from the Des Meistersingers and "In Foreign Lands" from Lohengrin.

For the jivers interested in smooth swing, Artie Shaw has recorded a lively new tune for Victor called "If It's You".

Nelson Eddy fans note: The "Everedy" club is open to all persons 18 years old or over in the Detroit area. It is an opportunity to meet new friends and be on hand for Nelson Eddy's concert here in March.

Radio Jake

WJR will build an entirely new type of antenna to replace the 733-foot mast blown down in a recent wind storm. The station has bought 10 acres adjoining the transmitter plant at Trenton to make possible the erection of the latest type aerial.

Uncle Sam is now getting 70 billion a year... little Henry of the treasury says a 100 billion will be a cinch.

By 1942 we must build military airplanes at the rate of 50,000 units per year. A year ago we made 1,000 annually.

Mary Morgan's morning Homekeeper Show, is the voice of 2,000 dairy farmers telling the housewife, thousand of ways to use butter, better than ever.

Deanna Durbin, so the gossip goes, will star in a Metropolitan Opera soon. A program that hints at possible weapons of defense in the future, along with some hair-raising fifth column adventures to thrill young and old is that "Peter Quill" show on CKLW at four Sunday afternoon.

Wasum's Good Food you'll remember. German-American and Seafood Specialties. Beers, Wines and Liqueurs. 1564 Broadway at Grand Circus Park. Listed in Duncan Hines' "Adventures in Good Eating".

Heigh-Ho! Heigh-Ho! Here's Just the Place to Go! HOOP-DE-DO formerly LOGIER'S GROVE. 2000 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods.

A SUNDAY TREAT for the whole family at the EDGEWOOD INN HARPER at 7 MILE ROAD. Frog Legs, Steaks, 5-COURSE DINNERS, 75c. Specializing in Bar-B-Q Ribs and Chicken.

to his friends, he raises them in his back yard... Don't forget Jake... I Hope, I Hope... I Hope... Unable to take the Greenfield Village program at the regular time, WJR records it and presents it at 9:45 Saturday mornings.

HERE and THERE

By LEE BALINGER
Mussolini says to his Romans, live dangerously... and speak loudly. Can it be that the hardy Macedonians are hard of hearing?

Bankers are unhappy because the Reconstruction Finance Corporation offers to finance industrial defense expansion for 1 1/2 per cent... which makes private investment very uninviting.

It is rumored that the third inauguration of President Roosevelt will be viewed by the dirtiest face in Washington... the bronze Goddess of Freedom on the Capitol dome...

We know how tired the Senators must be... but Congress feels the boys should stick around just in case a fire engine goes by.

The President's fishing trips always put him in the pink of condition and discover latest powers... 1933 money program, 1936 Supreme Court packing, 1937 spending for recovery.

Uncle Sam is now getting 70 billion a year... little Henry of the treasury says a 100 billion will be a cinch.

By 1942 we must build military airplanes at the rate of 50,000 units per year. A year ago we made 1,000 annually. At present the rate is about 15,000.

New rules in Cinema Land... exhibitors are now to have the privilege of getting the pictures they want.

John L. Lewis hopes Republic Steel will soon sign on collective bargaining. Tom Girdler says nothing has been done about a contract in any way, shape or form.

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Circle says he feels the steel industry will run "full" through 1941 and will depend a lot on Hitler and Churchill.

Print Exhibition At High School This Week

Eighty prints by prominent American artists are now on display in corridor show cases at Grosse Pointe High School this week.

The works of nearly forty painters, including such well-known names as John Taylor Arms, Stow Wengenroth, Peter Hard, John Stewart-Curry, Leo Meisner, Birger Saundzen and H. M. Laquien are included in the exhibition.

A variety of printing techniques will be shown, and the observer may study expert workmanship in etchings, dry points, aqua-tints, wood engraving, soft ground etchings, and lithographs.

The complete showing has been secured and hung by the high school art club, under the supervision of Miss Marian Lammiman.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

Three special jobs must be done by the Young Women's Christian Association in the national defense program, according to Miss Mary S. Sims, executive of the committee on national Y. W. C. A. interpretation and support.

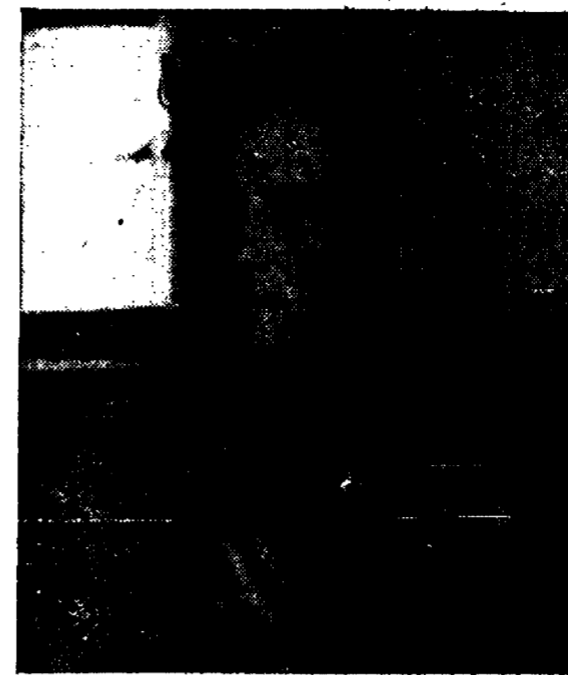
Miss Sims said, "First, it is the job of the Y. W. C. A. to see that women and girls working in the defense program are not lost sight of. In the days to come there will be much talk of the enlisted men, but war is no longer just a man's job, and there must be many plans made for the comfort and welfare of the women working on defense."

"Second, it is our job to remember that the Y. W. C. A. is a worldwide organization and even though it is not possible at the present time to communicate with the associations in many European countries, we must hold fast to the bonds of this great international fellowship so that it will endure."

THE DOLLAR AND THE CENT

(Balance it or not, it's from The Wall Street Journal that we have clipped the following poem): A big silver dollar and a little brown cent, Rolling along together they went. Rolling along the smooth sidewalk, When the dollar remarked—for the dollar can talk: You poor little cent, you cheap little mite, I'm bigger and more than twice as bright; I'm worth more than a hundred-fold, And writes on me in letters bold. Is the motto drawn from the pious creed "In God we trust," which all can read. Yes, I know, said the cent, I'm a cheap little mite, And I know I'm not big, nor good nor bright. And yet said the cent, with a meek little sigh, You don't go to church as often as I.

At Punch and Judy



Laraine Day clings to Joel McCrea after a harrowing experience at sea where their Clipper plane was forced down in a tempesty dramatic scene from Walter Wanger's "Foreign Correspondent."

Breathtaking excitement, romance and drama, mystery and intrigue are unfolded in the thrill packed story of Walter Wanger's "Foreign Correspondent," which was directed by Alfred Hitchcock with a prominent stellar cast and is slated for the Punch and Judy Theater Friday through Monday. Mr. Wanger decided to make "Foreign Correspondent" in recognition of the intrepid group of American newspapermen who are serving as the nation's eyes and ears during the European debacle, risking their lives daily in order to keep their own people informed of the rapidly shifting panorama of war.

High School Choir Plans "Trial By Jury" Show Over WWJ On Dec. 10

Final preparations for the presentation of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Trial By Jury" over radio station WWJ on December 10, are being rushed to completion by the Grosse Pointe High School A Cappella Choir, under the direction of W. J. Watkins.

The selection of the cast was made in very democratic style, with members of the choir awarded parts by the vote of the players after preliminary try-outs were completed.

The role of Angelina will be shared by Virginia Dupuis and Jean Schultz. Oreste Fossati will sing the part of the wayward hero, Edwin, while Sidney Efronson will perform as the Judge. Other players include Donald Niesch as the usher and Bill Boyd in the part of the consul.

A jury of six members is headed by David Teague and includes Jack Fisher, Jim Lowmaster, John Kitchen, Bob Frye and Bob Everett. The group of bridesmaids is led by Grace Wotton. The others are Virginia LeDuke, Virginia Tyson, Grace Kline, Nancy Williams, Faye Barrett, Ursula Gerhard and Pat Heil.

Hannikainen Conducts Symphony Orchestra Next Thursday Night

Tauno Hannikainen, great Finnish conductor, and Gregor Platigorsky, so-knowledgeable as one of the foremost cellists of the day, will be the featured attractions at the concert of the Detroit Symphony orchestra in Masonic Temple on Thursday night, Dec. 12 and Friday afternoon, Dec. 13. Hannikainen is the second in a list of world-famous baton wielders scheduled to lead the orchestra this season.

GIRL Scouts logo featuring a girl in a scout uniform.

TROOP 124
The troop has been making plans for our Christmas play. We hope to hold it in the library of Trombly School but as yet nothing very definite has been decided.

On December 2 six girls joined the club. At the meeting one of the girls gave a magic show. It was extremely interesting.

At their meeting on Monday, November 25, the Girl Scouts of Troop 124 continued to make plans for their Christmas activities. The girls will take care of a poor family at Christmas time.

Mrs. Westerville has continued her lessons on hair arrangement and the girls made suggestions on how they could improve their hair arrangement.

TROOP 85
The Red Cross is \$3 ahead since last Tuesday. That is the amount the Girl Scouts took in by selling "calico cats and gingham dogs," and other animals at the Mason School Parent-Teacher Association meeting on November 26.

SID'S BREAKFAST BAR. OPEN 6 A. M. Week Days 9:30 to 11:30 A. M. Sundays. DINNER SERVED from 11:30 A. M. till closing on Sunday. The City-Wide FAMOUS SID'S CAFE. S. McQUEEN, Prop. 15241 E. Warren at Barham Phone NI. 9064.

Punch & Judy Theatre Kercheval at Fisher Road NI. 3898. Friday thru Monday December 6-7-8-9. Joel McCrea-Laraine Day-Herbert Marshall-Robert Benchley in "FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT". Sat., 11 P. M.—Rosemary Lane in "An Angel From Texas". Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday December 10-11-12. JAMES STEWART-ROSALIND RUSSELL "NO TIME FOR COMEDY".

ESQUIRE THEATRE. EAST JEFFERSON at NOTTINGHAM. \*\*\* FRIDAY and SATURDAY \*\*\* JACK BENNY "BUCK BENNY RIDES AGAIN". -SECOND HIT- CHARLIE CHAN AT THE WAX MUSEUM. Admission Adults 15c. Cartoon Party Saturday Matinee. \*\*\* STARTS SUNDAY \*\*\* Joan Crawford Clark Gable in "STRANGE CARGO". ADDED LATEST NEWS - DONALD DUCK. "THE LADY IN QUESTION" with Brian Aherne Rita Hayworth. ATTENTION FOLKS! Lovers, Sweethearts, Husbands, Wives HERE'S A SWELL TREAT FOR YOU! On Tuesday Night, Dec. 10th, two persons will be admitted to the Esquire for the price of one admission. Just clip this coupon and present at box office.

Buck Benny Rides Again



Buck Benny's Bery of Beauties. These are some cowgirls are just some of the extras in the Emmy Vary Wild West Show, which opens on Friday at the Esquire Theater, under the title "Buck Benny Rides Again." It's Rochester, Elton Drew, Phil Harris and others.

# SCHOOL SAFETY PROGRAM TRACED BY SUPERINTENDENT

## Harper Superhighway Sought By New State Highway Commissioner

The proposed Harper-McGraw cross-town super-motorway for Detroit will be the first construction project that G. Donald Kennedy, new state highway commissioner, will seek for his 1941 program.

Kennedy conferred with federal officials in Washington last week on plans to help finance the cross-town by long-term loans for buying right-of-way, and by special grants from appropriations that Congress is expected to make for highways valuable to the national defense program.

Kennedy stated that federal officials reacted "most favorably" to the proposal. "Within the next few weeks we will start conferences with Detroit and Wayne County officials, and with business and industrial leaders who will be affected by the expressway," Kennedy

Accompanying Kennedy to Washington were Murray D. Van Wagoner, Democratic governor-elect, and Leo J. Nowicki, Detroit engineer, who has recently completed engineering plans for the cross-town route.

Van Wagoner resigned as highway commissioner after his election as governor, and Kennedy was appointed to fill the highway vacancy. Van Wagoner remarked that he will now devote his time to studying problems he will face as governor when installed on January 1.

Providing a fast cross-town route bisecting all major Detroit industrial areas, the motorway should relieve downtown congestion by offering a by-passing road. The new highway would also lessen the traffic burden on the north arm of Grand Blvd., the city's most over-crowded street.

**New automobiles are involved in more accidents every year than older models!**

## Dr. Van Kleeck Explains Three Steps Undertaken By Board Of Education

In answer to the frequently raised question "What are the public schools doing to teach students traffic safety?" The Grosse Pointe Review has interviewed Board of Education officials and received a courteous, complete reply.

Outlining the present safety program, Superintendent of Schools Dr. E. R. Van Kleeck remarked: "Teachers and administrators in Grosse Pointe are very conscious of the need for helping boys and girls meet such problems as those involved in the above question. Our attack on the problem of safety has been made along three lines.

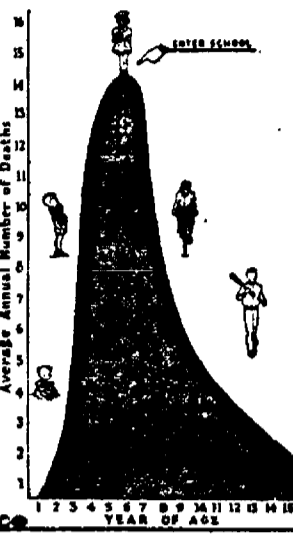
"1. An important aspect of our junior and senior high school guidance program concerns itself with the matter of safety, with specific relation to the automobile, the bicycle, and the pedestrian. These units are concentrated largely in the junior high school years. They are placed at this level for two reasons. First, we feel that the youngsters are at an impressionable age. Second, we realize that many of them are looking forward to securing their drivers' licenses all too soon after they reach their 14th birthday.

"2. In the ninth grade there is a required course in health and safety, which devotes nearly half of its content to safety problems with particular reference to the automobile. A wide variety of materials is used in this instructional program including materials from the American Automobile Association and the Metropolitan and Hartford Insurance Companies, as well as textbooks, reference books, sound motion pictures, talks by police officers, etc.

"3. Considerable use has been made of our assemblies for helping to deal

### Pedestrian Protection School Child Record Good

School Safety Programs Bring Sharp Drop in Child Pedestrian Fatalities



**SCHOOL AGE GROUP SAFEST:** One of the finest chapters in the annals of traffic safety has been written by school age youngsters. A four-year Massachusetts study reveals this encouraging drop in fatalities among children of school age, a record that can be duplicated in many other parts of the country due to splendid school safety educational programs and the work of school safety patrols.

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## SAFETY LETTER ADVOCATES CHANGE IN DRIVER'S LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

[Editor's Note: Early this week, The Review received the following letter from a City of Grosse Pointe resident who presents his opinions on the traffic accident situation. Answers to several of the author's questions may be found in another article on this page.]

To The Grosse Pointe Review:  
"I have noticed recent articles in your newspaper relative to the number of accidents that have been happening in Grosse Pointe. Children under 18 years of age driving automobiles, have been connected with several serious accidents.

"I personally have been teaching driving in the City of Detroit and Grosse Pointe for the last five years, and I have found that licensing children under 18 years of age to drive automobiles is murder in the first degree. You cannot blame police departments for doing the very best they can to control the situation, but when our laws read that they can license a boy 14 years old to go out and operate a high-powered car, which will do from 60 to 70 miles per hour, it's the same thing as giving a boy a high-powered rifle and if he accidentally kills himself or somebody else, his parents ask themselves why they let him have it.

"The biggest trouble is that nothing is being done in our public schools to teach children to drive. About the only instruction that they receive is a traffic officer coming in perhaps once or twice a month explaining to them on blackboard and paper, rules and regulations, but you cannot teach a child how to drive by showing him on a

blackboard.  
"While this does no harm, it does not teach him to drive a car. I happened to be at a Grosse Pointe Police station the other day, and an officer showed me the number of tickets given to boys of 14 and 15 years, who had driven from 50 to 55 miles per hour on the main streets of Grosse Pointe. It might be a good suggestion to publish these tickets each week in your newspaper, then perhaps the parents would not let their children ride with some of the wild drivers. (This suggestion is being considered.—Editor.) Another thing that should be published in your newspaper each week is the fact that before a party can learn to drive it is necessary to get a permit from the police department, before going out with any of the instructors, whether it be a paid instructor or father or mother. The majority of people do not know this.

"Another one of our laws gives the police department authority to license a boy as a chauffeur to drive a truck or passenger car for hire at 18 years of age.  
"Personally, I don't believe a boy should have a license until he is at least 18, or a chauffeur's license until he is 21.  
"Take for instance, a 14-year-old boy. I have one of my own. He has no sense whatsoever of responsibility. He is a natural showoff and he wants to do everything that older drivers do. He has no fear and doesn't know what responsibility is.  
"Take another instance—the Grosse Pointe High School: I understand they

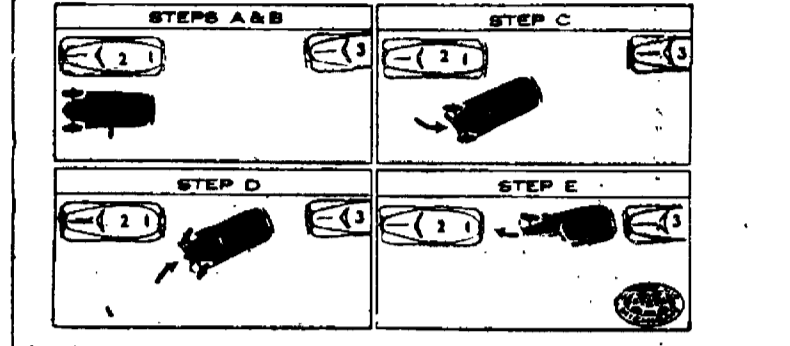
have 4,700 pupils in the school. Four thousand of these are going to be drivers someday, but what is being done to teach these children to drive so that they will not go out and kill themselves or somebody else?  
"Children are now learning to drive automobiles from one child to the other, so you can imagine that instructions they receive. The one in school who can drive a car 60 miles per hour and who can turn a corner on two wheels is rated as the best driver. Consequently, what do you expect when they are out with their best girl friend and want to show off their stuff.

"I've had this matter up with some of the automobile companies relative to installing a system in schools to teach driving, but the National Safety Council in Washington, D. C., states they get very little co-operation from the Board of Education in the different cities.  
"Grosse Pointe High School has been very interested in keeping up the high standard of their school, and it might be suggested to entertain the idea of giving a driving course to the children who are anxious to take it and no doubt could save a number of lives in years to come. It would also be an example to other schools around the country. I would be willing to gamble that many of them would be interested in following the example. If there is anything that I can do to help, I would be only too willing to do so.

"H. F. BROWN,  
"896 Rivard Blvd.,  
"City of Grosse Pointe."

## Diagram Illustrates Correct Way To Park Car Parallel To Curb

In one of a series of booklets on "Sportsmanlike Driving," the American Automobile Association candidly presents the various steps in the proper way to park a car parallel to the curb. (See diagram below.)  
In steps A and B, after making certain that the road ahead is clear and



ward slowly. If the motorist has carried out these steps properly, the car will be parked with both front and rear right wheels close to curb. If the car is not properly parked and one of the steps has not been carried out correctly, the best thing to do is pull out (after making the procedure again.)  
Step F, not shown in the illustration, is pulling on the hand brake, turning off the ignition switch, rolling up the windows and locking the car.  
Approximately six feet more than the overall length of the car is required for this method. Continued practice will make it a simple operation, and the motorist will become expert in judging whether or not the space is sufficient for parking.  
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**Defer School Notes**

During the observance of American Education Week, the early elementary children of Defer School invited their mothers and fathers to visit the school on Thursday afternoon, November 14. After inspecting various rooms until recess time, everyone met in the auditorium, where one of the third grade groups presented a Thanksgiving program. Tea was served later by the teachers in the kindergarten, Mrs. Van Kleeck and Mrs. Hobart poured, serving over one hundred parents who attended.

The Thanksgiving season was accentuated in the decorative scheme last week when the fourth, fifth and sixth grades held open house for their mothers. At the close of the session, mothers and teachers withdrew to the lunch room where pumpkin pie and whipped cream and coffee awaited them. The committee was very ably assisted by the 6A girls, who served, and by Mrs. Florence French and Mrs. T. E. Dale, who poured the coffee.

On October 15, Mrs. Brogan's and Mrs. Merritt's 5B groups visited The Detroit News and radio station WWJ.

These groups have been studying the subject of communication in their social science classes recently, making this trip especially interesting to them. At the News the boys and girls were taken through the building by a guide who explained the method of gathering news, preparing it for publication, and actual working of the huge printing presses.

After the asking and answering of many questions, the guide conducted the group to the WWJ station. Here the children saw the many rooms devoted to broadcasting and although they were not privileged to see a program broadcasted, they did see the "Old Dean" rehearsing for his noon program.

The upper grade pupils of Defer School observed Armistice Day, November 11, in their rooms by coming together for an assembly program.

Among the room activities, groups wrote stories of the armistice and what it should mean to us, made patriotic posters and discussed the circumstances relating to the day.

The assembly program was opened by Howard Cassel playing "To the Colors" and the entire group, led by

Shirley D'Hondt, announcer for the program, in giving the pledge.

George Cherpelis, Phyllis Freiwald and Ruth Engel gave poems suitable for the occasion and the girls and boys stood at attention to sing a group of patriotic songs. Gerald Thiede told about the occasion for celebrating Armistice Day and Jack Aikema read what he had written—"What Armistice Day Should Mean to an American."

**Monte Carlo Ballet Thrills Detroit Crowds**

After a summer crowded with triumphs in the important art centers of South America, the great Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo visited Detroit on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, November 28, 29 and 30, as part of its eighth consecutive tour of the United States.

Under the artistic direction of Leonide Massine and with Erem Kurtz as musical director, the ballet company of 125 dancers and musicians appeared with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra at four performances in Masonic Auditorium.

In all 12 productions were presented—three at each performance. Six of the 12 ballets were entirely new to Detroit. The programs: Thursday night—Serenade (Tschaiikovsky), The Nutcracker (Tschaiikovsky), Gaité Parisienne (Offenbach). Friday night—Les Sylphides (Chopin), Rouge et Noir (Shostakovich), Vienna-1814 (Weber). Saturday afternoon—Poker Game (Stravinsky), Spectre de la Rose (Weber), The Nutcracker. Saturday night—New Yorker (Gershwin), Petrouchka (Stravinsky), Capriccio Espagnol (Rimsky-Korsakoff). The productions new here will be Serenade, The Nutcracker, Rouge et Noir, Vienna-1814, Poker Game and New Yorker.

For the 1940-1941 season, Director Massine has kept practically intact his glittering array of dancing stars. Alexandra Danilova, Alicia Markova, Mia Slavenska and other ballerinas who have charmed thousands in past years again will dance spectacular roles. Still other favorites in the female dancing section will include Nathalie Krassovska, Lubov Rostova, Milada Mladova and Jeannette Lauret. Massine, himself, heads the list of male dancers, while this contingent contains the names of such thrilling artists as Igor Yonkevitich, Frederic Franklin, Andre Agleyevsky, Roland Guerdar, Marc Platoff and George Zoritch to mention only a few.

With chaos in Europe and creative art almost at a standstill, the world center of dancing has gravitated to the United States. The Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo, greatest of present-day dance companies has now become a permanent American fixture. The four leading choreographers of the day reside in this country and all have had a hand in devising new and novel ballets for the Monte Carlo organization.

**Trombly School Notes**

During the recently completed "National Education Week," more than 300 interested Grosse Pointe parents visited Robert Trombly School.

Both staff members and pupils were pleased that parents arrived at different hours of the day, making it possible for them to see many classes at work. Kindergarten and 6A students invited their mothers to a tea, with the girls of the 6A grade making all the arrangements. Frances and Letty Kretschmar poured, while the other girls served and acted as hostesses.

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