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HEADLINES of the WEEK

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Park's First Woman Judge Takes Oath



As Mayor MATTHEW C. PATTERSON, (left), looks on, BEVERLY C. GROBBEL of Three Mile drive, The Park's fourth municipal judge, and the first woman to be elected to that post in the city's history, was sworn in on Tuesday, De-

cember 13, by Judge GEORGE R. DENEWETH of the 18th Judicial District. Judge Grobbel will assume office on Sunday, January 1, succeeding Judge John R. Urso, who after serving one four-year term, did not seek re-election on November 8.

Woods Receives Assistance on Pair of Fronts

Commissioner Steiner Helps City with Road Commission on Installation of Barricades in Brys Drive Area, Also with Mack Maintenance Proposal

By Roger A. Waha

Two matters related to the Wayne County Road Commission, (WCRC), were addressed by the Woods Council at its rescheduled regular meeting Monday, December 12, and County Commissioner Erv Steiner. One viewed the installation of temporary barricades at the crossovers at Brys drive and Roslyn road on Mack avenue, and the other focused upon conditions along Mack in the winter and summer.

In an attempt to alleviate the heavy volume of traffic in the Brys area, the council at its November 21 meeting approved the blocking of the Brys-Roslyn crossovers on Mack.

After being sent a copy of the report prepared by Traffic Safety Officer Paul Crook viewing the area's condition, Mr. Steiner wanted to specifically learn which cross-overs were to be temporarily closed.

Concern Expressed
At the same time, the council unanimously approved a resolution requesting the WCRC to install the barricades.

With Mr. Steiner's assistance, the barricades were put up Friday, December 16. Officer Crook, in his November report, which also viewed a meeting with representatives from The Woods, Harpers Woods, and Roslyn Shores Police Departments, the AAA and planning consultant Brandon M. Rogers, felt such blockage would alter the traffic pattern to the vicinity from the expressway exit area.

It was believed this action would help dissipate traffic to all streets in the immediate area, thus equalizing the volume and curtailing the flow along Brys.

While this action could readily ease the amount of traffic on Brys, it apparently is causing some concern among nearby businessmen.

City Administrator Chester E. Petersen, who sent Mr. Steiner a copy of Officer Crook's report, noted on Monday, December 19, that the city has received some complaints from merchants, who claim the barricades have caused a hardship on the part of citizens trying to reach their establishments.

Cites Difficulties
If other problems ensue in what was said to be a six-month trial period, the council (Continued on Page 10)

Issue Important
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Variance Sought by Operators

Farms Council Zips Through Agenda, Form Committees to Study Items

By Wendy K. Settle

The Farms Council kept its regular meeting on Monday, December 19, short and to the point. The gavel fell at 8 p.m. to open the meeting and again at 9:30 p.m. to adjourn it.

During that time 14 items on the agenda were raced through at an average rate of around four and one half items per half hour.

Only two items were voted upon, the remainder were postponed for review or set for public hearings at later meetings.

The first vote allowed the Punch and Judy Theater to continue holding live performances, even though that use of the theater is prohibited under an ordinance.

Show Gets Nod

Larry Lyman and Chris Jaszczak, representatives for the Punch, approached the council requesting a public hearing before the Zoning Board of Appeals to grant a variance to the ordinance to allow live shows.

The public hearing was set for the first meeting in February, but the Punch has already scheduled a live show for the weekend of January 20-21. So the council voted to allow that performance, before voting on the variance to the ordinance.

The variance only applies to live shows at the Punch. Movies are not affected, as the ordinance allows films to be shown under the theater's non-conforming use.

The second item voted upon authorized the city to change the city treasurer's signature in the files from Fleurette Nelson to Fleurette Schultz. Miss Nelson recently became Mrs. Schultz and because of her marriage, the city had to approve the name change on file for banking purposes.

Discussion on the other items was kept to a minimum.

A proposed amendment to (Continued on Page 2)

Accosting Case Probed by YSD

Two Woods boys, one six-years-old and the other seven, reported that they were accosted by a man while walking home from school on Friday, December 16.

The mother of the younger boy told police of the incident at the station on Saturday afternoon, December 17. Neither boy was hurt and the case has been assigned to the Youth Service Division for investigation.

After getting out of school around 3:30 p.m., the mother said her son crossed Mack avenue at Cook road and, as he approached Manchester boulevard, he spotted a man standing near a station wagon. The suspect addressed the boy, saying, "Come on, let's go have some fun in the car."

The boy, who began to back away, didn't respond to the man, who entered his vehicle and drove from the area.

After leaving the station, the mother called police to report that her son's friend was with him at the time with the seven-year-old also reporting the incident to his mother.

His mother stated the man said, "Your mother is sick. I'm a policeman and I'll take you to the hospital." The suspect then walked up to a car which pulled up behind his vehicle and then entered his own car and drove away.

He was described as white, in his 30's, tall and of a medium build. His vehicle was described as a small station wagon, red with a white stripe.

YSD Views Many MDP Incidents

Total of 29 Such Cases Reported Last Month; Overall Load Higher Than Last Year

Malicious Destruction of Property, (MDP), cases inexplicably took a huge leap last month when 29 such incidents were reported to the Youth Service Division, (YSD), for investigation.

A total of 85 complaints were referred to the YSD, three of which proved to be unfounded. The case load through November was placed at 783, higher than the 705 for the same period last year.

The MDP load was an increase of over 100 percent above the rate of October and a 50 percent increase over November 1976, when 19 such cases were reported.

The most frequent types of vandalism were "lawn jobs," (sometimes including fence damage), and window breakage.

"Getting Kicks"

Fifteen of the incidents occurred in The Woods, nine in The Farms and five in The Park.

"Eggs thrown at private residences not only create a clean-up mess but often break windows as well," says the division. "In one incident, a paint-filled balloon was lobbed against the second floor of a home front, breaking through the window."

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Computer at New Career Resource Center at NHS Will Aid All Job Hunters

State Department of Education Grant to Pointe School District Helps Pave The Way; Project Coordinator Eyes February Opening

By Susan McDonald

Job hunters can soon add one brand new computer to the list of resources available to them in the schools, thanks to a grant to The Pointe district from the State Department of Education. The computer, tied in to state vocational information sources, will be part of the new Career Resource Center at North High School, aimed at serving the entire community—including students and adults—in their search for a satisfying job.

Users will be able to sit down, plug in and find out all they ever wanted to know about jobs, from how many openings there are for surveyors in the upper peninsula, to how many math credits are needed to learn to fly a jet.

The center was one of 13 in the state recently funded by \$5,000 grants from the Michigan Department of Education, along with matching funds from the school systems involved.

All in One

Project coordinator, Dr. Kathleen Herschmann, hopes to have the center in operation by late February.

It will be a chance for teachers, counselors and administrators to consolidate their resources, including dozens of catalogues, publications and film strips in one, easily-accessible center.

From the center, Mrs. Herschmann plans to coordinate all kinds of career and vocational programs, catering to students from seventh through 12th grade and adults of all ages.

The entire community will be welcome to use the center's facilities and special, after-school hours will be arranged to make sure adults have a chance.

"An important part of my proposal was getting the community, as well as students at both high schools, involved in the program," Dr. Herschmann said. Information about the offerings will be made available to the adult students in community services and War Memorial classes.

Big Growth

In the high schools, Dr. Herschmann hopes the center will serve on two levels: as a resource for counselors directing students in their search for a career, and for regular classroom teachers to supplement their "career awareness" discussions of specific academic disciplines.

The whole realm of career, vocational and cooperative education programs in Pointe schools has grown tremendously over the past few years, with administrators taking their cue from a 1975 com-

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Board Nixes Class Size Grievance

Trustees Uphold Administration But Issue Remains Point of Concern

By Susan McDonald

The School Board voted unanimously last week to deny a grievance charging the administration with violation of class size ceilings in its contract with the Grosse Pointe Education Ass'n., (GPEA).

Trustees concluded at a special meeting Tuesday, December 13, that administrators had made the "reasonable effort" called for in the contract to keep classes under the ceiling, which is based on 1975 class average.

This was the first test of the class size language that became part of the union's three-year contract with the Board last year.

The ceiling is based on a recommendation made by a labor department fact-finder, who was called in by the state in the fall of 1976 to settle the contract dispute after teachers threatened a strike.

GPEA officials said they have not decided if they will take the grievance to arbitration.

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Park Police Chief Cites Officers in R/A Arrest

A Detroit man was arrested within minutes after allegedly holding up a woman on Maryland, north of Jefferson, due to the relentless and determination of two Park police officers who searched Park and Detroit streets until the suspect was apprehended.

Police Chief Henry A. Coome gave credit for the arrest to Officers Steven Molitor and David Hiller, who drove up and down the streets until they saw a man, later identified as Karry Davis Brown, 25, of Mariborough, at Philip and Jefferson, Detroit.

"Brown fit the description of the armed man given by the holdup victim. The woman identified Brown at The Park station, from a position

where Brown could not see her.

According to the woman, she was at Maryland and Hampton, at 7:16 p.m., on Monday, December 12, when Brown approached her and demanded that she hand over her purse. When she refused, she said Brown struck her in the face and produced a knife, after which she relinquished the purse.

Before running from the scene, Brown made a sweeping slash with the weapon, but luckily the woman was quick enough to move away and was not hurt, police said.

Her assailant fled toward Jefferson and disappeared, and the woman ran to The Park station to report the robbery. Within three to five

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Do Not Forget Local Helpers

While writing those checks for Christmas gifts and year-end charitable donations to get under the tax deduction deadline, don't forget the local public servants who do so much for us all year long.

High on the list of those we should remember generously at Christmastime are the police, firemen and public works employees who stand ready at all times to serve us.

These groups in all of the Pointes have their own funds with which they carry on a great deal of charitable activity during the year. Give them all the help you can.

Destructive Fire Brings Response of Love, Help

By Wendy K. Settle
"When my salon burned down, I thought I was wiped out. But I realize now that it was a stepping stone, a new beginning. The love that everyone has expressed to me... well, it's just been beautiful."

That's Bart Edmond's attitude toward rebuilding his business. Only three weeks after his salon in Mack avenue was completely gutted by fire, Mr. Edmond has kept working and will reopen a new salon in St. Clair Shores.

The new salon, located in the Shores Shopping Center, 31065 Harper avenue, will open on Monday, January 16. Until then, Mr. Edmond and his staff will continue to service their customers at

the various salons in the area which have opened their doors and given them the space to continue their work.

Mr. Edmond's story is a Christmas story. As Christmas is a time of giving, the love and caring response which he has received from other professionals in his field has been overwhelming.

Darlene Doetsch, owner of The Image Makers, 19877 Mack avenue, has given Mr. Edmond and three of his employees space in her salon to continue working.

Matilda Hairdressers, 20951 Mack avenue, has taken in three of Mr. Edmond's staff and the Grosse Pointe Coliseum Salon, 20335 Mack, is housing two.

Mr. Edmond also has re-

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Good jobs are held only by people who can make good. Many keep the truth pretty busy in the struggle to rise.

P & J Hearing Set

(Continued from Page 1) The General Offenses Ordinance regarding drunkenness was discussed and a public hearing was set for Monday, January 16, to consider adopting the amendment.

Form Committee
The amendment basically incorporates guidelines from the state statute on drunkenness into the city's ordinance.

Committees were appointed to review and report back to the council on other agenda items.

Councilmen Lloyd Semple and Harry Fruehauf were instructed to meet with Municipal Judge Robert Pytell regarding his request for an increase in salary based upon the adoption of an amendment to the city charter, by voters in November authorizing the council to set such salary.

Meanwhile, City Manager Andrew Bremer was asked

to research the feelings of the other Points councils regarding Superintendent of Schools Dr. William Coat's request to discuss, with all the councils, the summer tax collection date.

Farms Comptroller Carol Lock and Councilman Joseph Fromm were appointed to a committee to research the cost of purchasing additional electronic office equipment for municipal offices.

These three committees are expected to report their findings at the January 18 session.

Talk Too Much
The other seven items on the agenda were matters of form, i.e., roll call, minutes, other business, et al.

"I've suggested in the past that we have shorter meetings," Mr. Fruehauf said. "It's ridiculous to sit there for two or three hours. People get tired mentally."

This is the first Farms Council meeting which has adjourned before 11 p.m. since August.

"I think we got everything done," Mr. Fromm noted. "I think we should have more meetings like it."

City Clerk Richard Solak said, "All current business that was supposed to be on the agenda was on the agenda. If it was short . . . all the better . . . we got everything done."

The meetings around the holidays are usually short," Mr. Semple added. "I think more meetings should be short, but some council members, including myself at times, talk too much."

Trio Charged In Woods B-E

Three youths, two 16-year-old Woods boys and a 16-year-old Farms boy, have been charged with the breaking and entering of an occupied dwelling stemming from their alleged involvement in burglarizing a Hollywood avenue home on Wednesday, November 23.

Youth Service Division Det. John Albrecht, who investigated the case in which an estimated \$3,240 in jewelry was taken and subsequently recovered, said petitions charging the trio with the burglary were filed last week with Wayne County Juvenile Court.

Through confidential informants, the detective was able to discover who the alleged perpetrators were.

He said the jewelry included a charm bracelet, rings, earrings, necklaces and brooches. The youths, who said they hid the bagged articles in a box behind Barnes School, turned the items over to the detective.

In the incident, the house was entered via a rear door off the porch where a window was broken. The thieves then reached in to unlock the door. The break-in occurred sometime between 10:30 a.m. and 2:15 p.m.

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(Continued from Page 1) munity survey that revealed a strong demand for such programs.

Career education begins as early as kindergarten, when teachers begin discussions of various occupations the children may have encountered in an attempt to encourage a sound career awareness in the students.

In middle schools, emphasis switches to career exploration as students are tested as to their talents and interests and are supplied with information about career clusters and their educational requirements.

Broader Program
In high school, the program is more broad, with options to take part-time jobs under the co-op program, receive training for specific jobs skills in pre-vocational classes or to continue to explore the hundreds of career possibilities.

Dr. Herschelmann, former counselor at South High School, now serves as North's assistant principal in charge of instruction. For the time being she also is working as acting coordinator for career programs from seventh through 12th grades.

The Career Resource Center will be administered by career counselor Bonnie Garr, with assistance from a career coordinator, who has not yet been hired.

One of the laws of nature seems to be that dollars and sense seldom travel together.

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Fire Guts Living Room of Lakeshore Road Home

Careless smoking was blamed for a two-alarm fire which destroyed the entire contents and gutted the living room of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Thomas, of Lakeshore road, on Thursday, December 15, said Shores Public Safety Director Joseph Vitale.

One officer suffered a badly gashed leg from breaking glass while fighting the fire.

With the aid of Farms firefighters, the fire was confined to the one room, although smoke damage permeated the house. There was no water damage, the chief said.

PSO Archie Grieve, who suffered the leg injury, was patrolling Lakeshore when he was stopped at 8:32 p.m. by a passing motorist, who stated he saw smoke and flames coming from the side of the residence. The officer sped to the location, radioing in the alarm en route.

He arrived at the house and entered seconds before Shores officers and all equipment arrived.

Officer Grieve, who was successful in leading Mr. and Mrs. Thomas out of the house, saw that the flames had a good start in the living room wall, at the southeast corner of the building.

While battling the flames, Officer Grieve suffered a severe gash on the calf of his left leg. He was taken to Bon Secours Hospital, where he received 12 stitches to close the wound. Because of the severity of the injury and the pain and discomfort, he was relieved of duty for the balance of his shift.

Chief Vitale said he ordered an investigation into the cause of the fire because it was not known if it originated because of shorted Christmas tree lights around the living room window, or if it had been caused by a cigarette.

Flames ignited the curtains first, spread along the wall and then to the rest of the room, he said.

The investigation was assigned to Det. Sgt. Frank Mustazza, who on Friday, December 16, determined that the fire was started as a result of careless smoking.

Mrs. Thomas, it was said, told the officer that she had placed a lighted cigarette in an ashtray near the curtains and this apparently touched off the flames.

Chief Vitale expressed his deep appreciation for the assistance rendered by Farms firefighters.

"The Farms firemen did a fabulous job in assisting the men of our department," the chief said. "When our public safety officers got to the Thomas residence, the fire had a good start, but with the aid of The Farms' crew, the fire was contained to the one room."

"I am deeply grateful to Sgt. Mauck and his crew for their assistance and so informed (Farms) Fire Chief Warren Schultz to whom I extended my personal thanks."

"I also expressed the thanks of our department in behalf of the people of the Village. It was a job well done."

Chief Vitale said it is not known what the extent the monetary damage was to the Thomas residence. That will have to be determined by agents of the insurance company.

Theft of Coat by Pair Foiled

The attempted larceny of a full-length mink coat, valued at \$4,395, at the Alaska Fur Factory, 19525 Mack avenue, went astray when the two suspects fled the store after another person entered.

The incident, which took place Wednesday afternoon, December 14, was reported to Woods police the following day.

After entering the store, the male suspect asked the complainant for several business cards and then asked if he could look at some boots located at the rear of the building. As the complainant showed the man some boots, his female companion looked at some fur coats at the front, ultimately trying some on.

Some 15 to 20 minutes later, as the pair started to

leave through the front door, the complainant noticed that the woman had the mink coat under her own coat.

After unsuccessfully trying to remove the coat, the complainant stood in front of the pair near the door. At this point, the man grabbed the complainant by her arm and attempted to pull her away.

As this was happening, the owner of Hill and Hill, 19529 Mack, entered and after the suspects saw her, they dropped the coat and fled to an old, beaten up green Chevrolet Impala which had its license plate covered up. The vehicle was last seen going toward Moross road.

The complainant told police she didn't notify the department the day of the incident because she was scared and upset.

Both suspects were black with the male described as in his early 20s, about 6' tall and around 165 pounds. He had a thin scar from the left corner of his mouth to the right side of his chin. He was described as having a huge afro haircut, long and wide sideburns, a thin face and a very light complexion. He was well dressed, (in black clothes), and wore a rust coat.

The woman also was in her early 20s, about 5'3" tall and around 135 pounds. She wore a curly afro wig and was described as "very pretty." She wore a white sweater, brown slacks with "western style pockets" and a long, brown wool coat with an attached scarf.

Clothing Taken In Farms B-E

Approximately \$12,000 in clothing was stolen from Hughes and Hatcher's, 18920 Mack avenue, on Wednesday, December 14, Farms police said.

The robbers entered the store sometime before 5:27 a.m. by breaking a window at the rear of the building with a hammer.

The security alarm system operating in the store went off and the police were notified. When officers arrived, they found the hammer and some clothing laying on the floor in front of the racks.

Hughes and Hatcher's estimated that 30 to 60 men's suits were stolen.

Police also found a suit coat laying on the sidewalk outside of the store near the curb. They suspected that the coat was dropped while the robbers were getting into their car.

"We have no suspects," Det. Earl Field said. "Nobody saw or heard anything."

A similar robbery occurred at Hughes and Hatcher's last April. The robbers entered through the same window and took the same kind of stock at that time.

Pointer Goes On National TV

Channel 7's Science Editor, Pointer Jerry Hodak, will give the national weather forecast on the "Good Morning America" programs of Friday, December 23, and Monday, December 26. The segments will originate from Chicago and will be seen locally at 7:55 a.m. and 8:55 a.m.

He will be substituting for John Coleman, while the latter takes a holiday break.

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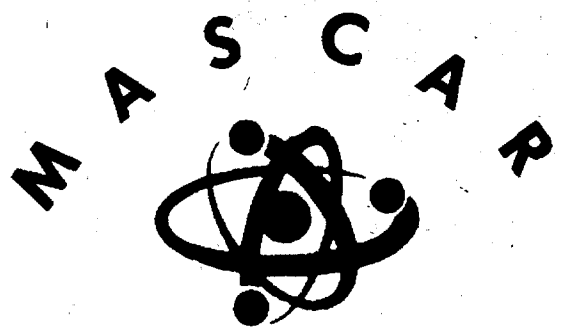
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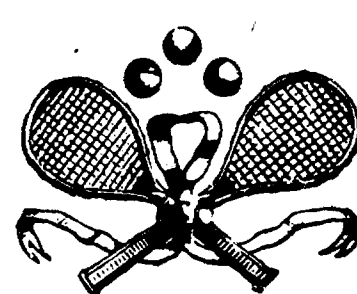
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Treasurer Retires

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comes to the city in July and August and Mrs. Fox makes it a point to get the best of terms on the investment front in such areas as treasury bills, certificates of deposit and savings deposit receipts.

Can Take Pride
Saying she will miss the many contacts acquired in behalf of the city and her associates around city hall, Mrs. Fox stated she and her husband, Kenneth, hope to do some traveling, while she also plans to do volunteer work to help the needy, particularly the blind.

As her retirement day draws near, Mrs. Fox, in noting that the city was "financially sound," can reflect back over her 37 years of service and take pride in the fact that she played a major role in keeping the municipality active and solvent.

If Mrs. Fox will miss many associations over the years, she, too, will be missed by city officials.

When the council at its rescheduled regular meeting Monday, December 12, unanimously accepted the letter announcing her retirement, Mayor Benjamin W. Pinkos said, "I've known Helen a long time, and I feel sad that she is leaving."

Saying he hoped she enjoys her retirement, the mayor wished Mrs. Fox and her husband health and happiness on behalf of the council and Woods citizens.

"Uncanny Ability"
The solons also unanimously approved a motion by Councilman George Cueter authorizing Mr. Petersen to have a plaque made for presentation to Mrs. Fox citing her dedicated service to the community.

"She has had the longest tenure of any city employee as of this date," said Mr.

Petersen last week. "She has handled literally millions of dollars of tax money over her career and never once has her honor and integrity been questioned."

As administrator of the employee pension system, Mr. Petersen noted Mrs. Fox "leaves this system, (which he said has been referred to as a model system), in the best condition of any pension system, not only in the state, but throughout the United States."

He also praised Mrs. Fox for her "very uncanny ability for the investment of idle funds."

Her colleague "down the hall," City Comptroller-Assessor Frederick G. Hornfisher, also wished Mrs. Fox the best.

"It has been my pleasure to work with Helen Fox the entire time I have been with the city, (13 years), and a person could not find a more dedicated and conscientious employee than Helen," he said.

Party Planned
"She has seen and been a part of the growth and development of what was a village and is now a successful and fully developed city."

"I sincerely wish Helen good health and much happiness in her retirement years."

Her friends and associates will have an opportunity to personally wish her well on Friday, January 6, when a retirement party will be held in her honor at the Barrister House, 21001 Harper, St. Clair Shores.

The cocktail hour begins at 7, dinner at 8 and dancing at 9 p.m.

Tickets at \$12 per person, including the cost of dinner, dancing, gift, cocktails and open bar, may be obtained at the city hall, 20025 Mack avenue.

The appointment of a new treasurer awaits the screening of applications of a selection committee made up of Councilmen E. D. Grady, Robert E. Novitsky and John Sabol, and an ensuing report back to the council.

Crisis Center Staff to Train

To further their emergency-handling knowledge, Center Point Crisis Center's volunteer staff will attend a three-hour training session in CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation), techniques

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Cites Officers

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minutes after the incident occurred, Officer John Brown and Officer John Brown in custody, Chief Connee said. The stolen purse was recovered later on a lawn on Philip, the chief added.

Brown was arraigned before Municipal Judge John Urso on a warrant charging him with robbery armed, (R/A), and felonious assault. The accused man was ordered held on \$10,000 bond, two sureties, and was remanded to Wayne County Jail when he was unable to post the bond. Examination was scheduled for yesterday, December 21.

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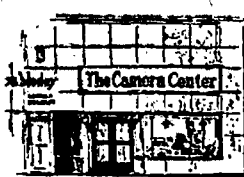
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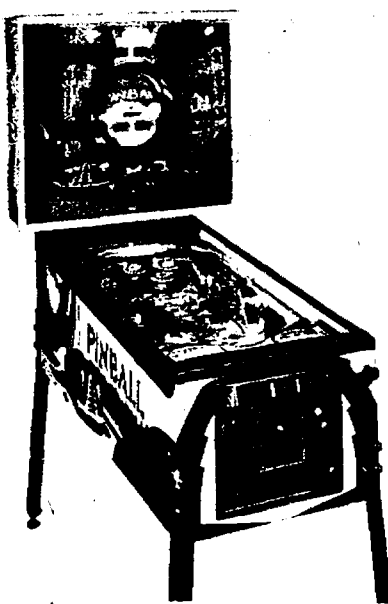
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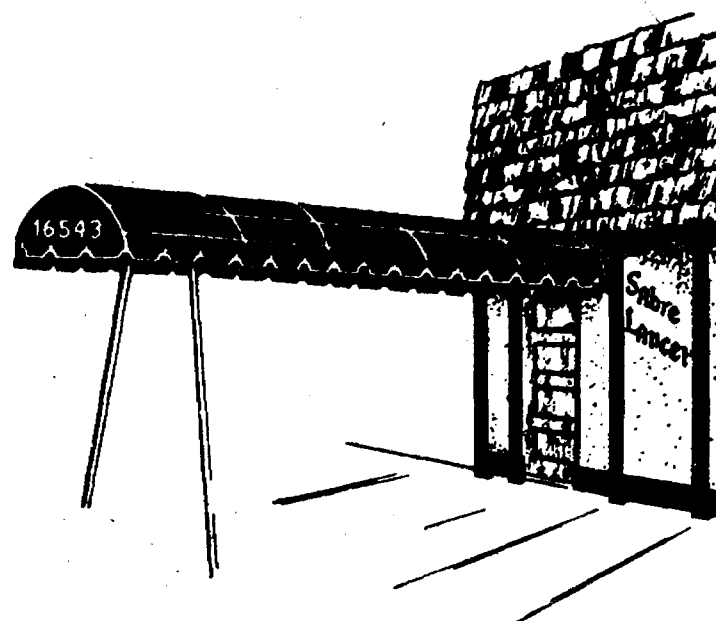
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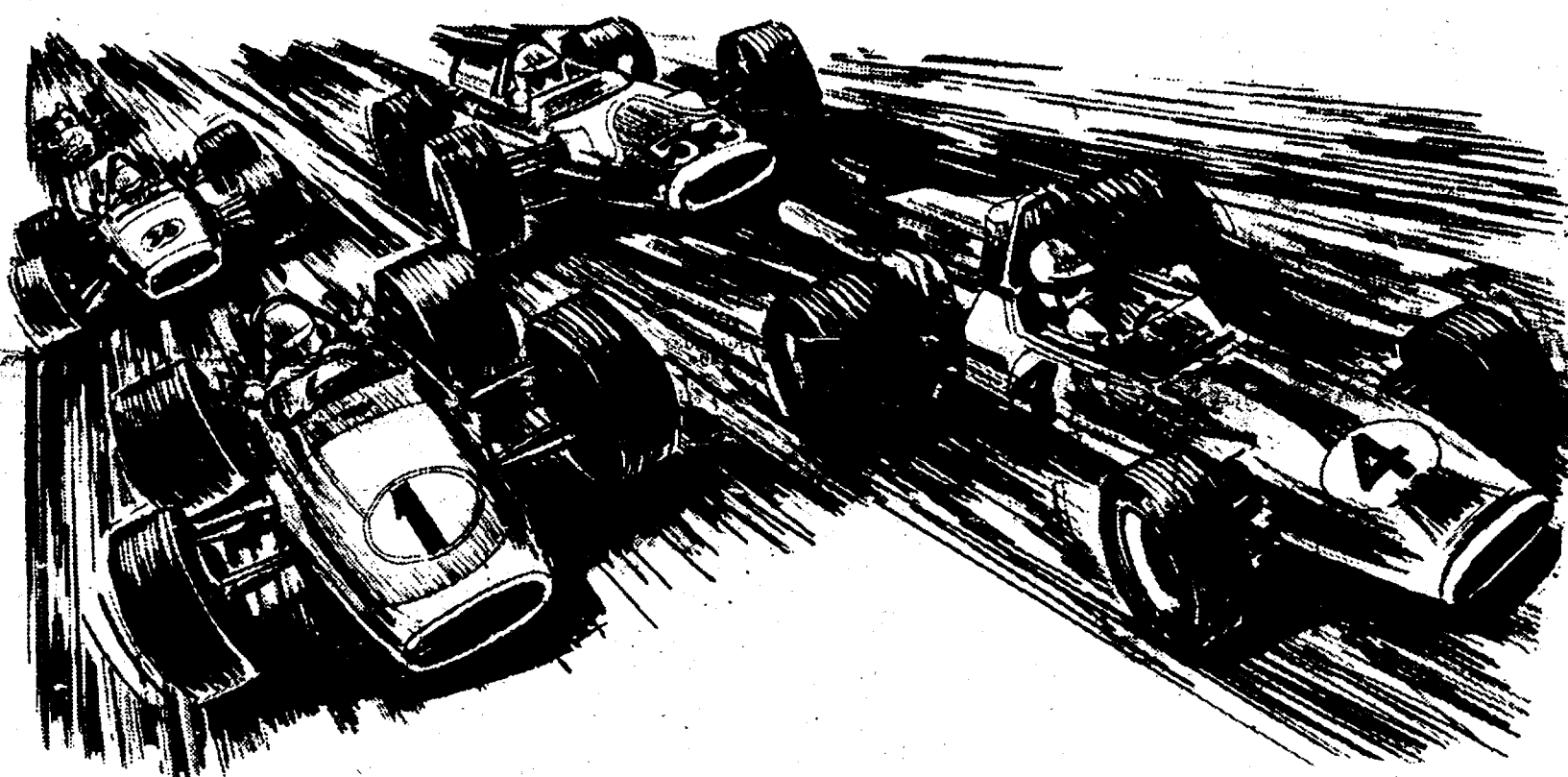
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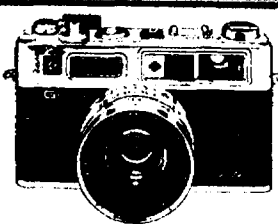


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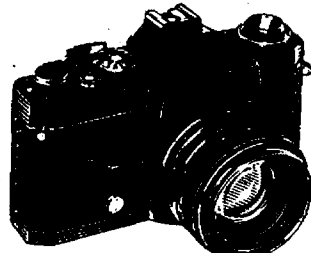
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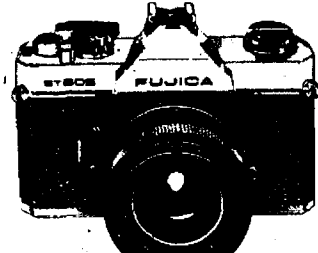


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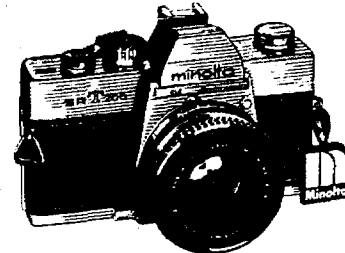
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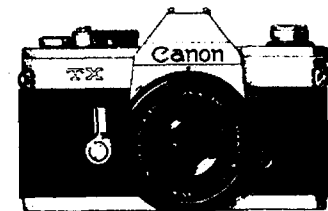
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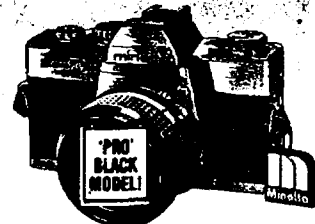
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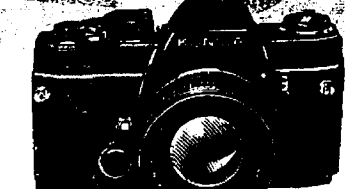
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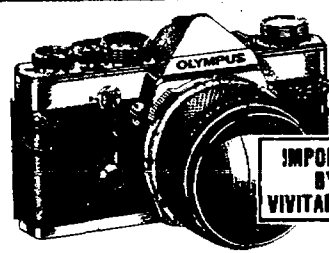
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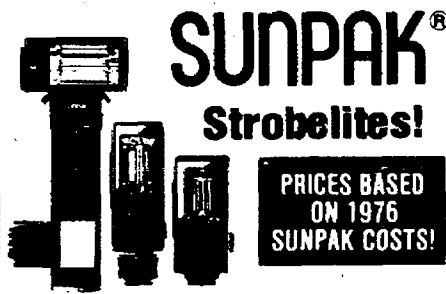
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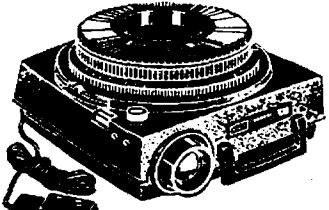


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Those cited included Police Chief Henry O. Coonce, who received a gold pin for his 25 years with the department. Patrolman William Crandall was awarded a pin

for 30 years of service, while Patrolman Richard R. Wedding was cited for his 20 years.

In the Electrical Department, Leonard Padmos received a pin for 25 years of service.

On the administrative staff side, City Attorney Richard D. Rohr, was presented a pin for his 15 years as legal advisor to the council and the city.

Let's Talk Real Estate

by John E. Brink

Writing a column like this every week is about like writing a letter to yourself! It seems that hardly anyone reads it and just when you're about to concede that it's a lost cause, someone will remark about something that's been said in our column. I've even tested it a couple of times on some friends and they haven't even acknowledged!

But we're going to try once again. This time all of us at Grosse Pointe Real Estate Co. would like to thank all of the fantastic people who either listed and sold or bought their homes through our office. You all helped us to have the largest year of our history and it's such a good feeling to be appreciative to so many very nice people, all in Grosse Pointe, except for just a few!

We're expecting an even greater year in 1978! Our community development program—Cul-de-sac, is really just beginning to become understood and the reception and acceptance is great! We have a number of new sales associates, all of whom you will be meeting through our cul-de-sac plan.

Have a Merry Christmas and we'll be seeing you through the holidays. Oh yes, in case you want us—882-0087.

Group Shares Yule Spirit

Forty-two men of the Grosse Pointe Chapter of SPEBSQSA, (Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America), which has 104 members, worked over eight hours Sunday, December 18, spreading the good spirit of Christmas music to over 900 sheltered people.

They traveled to seven institutions starting at the Moroun Nursing Home in East Jefferson avenue. The second stop was the Barrett House, 600 East Grand boulevard, which has been a stopping point for the past four years.

A visit to the Mount Carmel Convent, Belmont Nursing Home, Saint Joseph Nursing Home and Rose Haven Nursing Home filled most of the day plus a short stop at the River House complex in East Jefferson.

Grosse Pointe Chapter president, Sterling Berry of Lakeland Court, said, "For many chapter members, this tour has become as much a part of Christmas as the Christmas tree... a moving experience to share their music with so many people less fortunate than they are."

The Grosse Pointe Chapter meets weekly and represents the community with the support of over 35,000 members of SPEBSQSA internationally.

Response of Love, Help

(Continued from Page 1) received numerous letters from customers, fellow salon owners, the editor of "American Hairdresser and Salon Owners" publication, Louise Cotter, and writer Helen Steiner Rice. Some of the letters are from people who Mr. Edmond has never met, citing similar disasters and offering help.

"A friend told me," Mr. Edmond smiled, "that you have to take a negative situation and make it a positive one. I've gotten through this terrible situation because of 'the light,' (i.e., God). There is a light that guides me, because without 'the light,' you have darkness and you are blind."

Mr. Edmond mentioned that some salon owners have claimed "their good fortune from the burning of my salon."

"Some salons have offered a few of my people more money and tried to take them away from me... but I have a firm commitment from everyone on my staff to come back to the new salon."

Mr. Edmond believes that there was a reason for what happened. He noted that, what he calls the "all powerful force," has given him the opportunity to grow.

"I think the reason was to grow, to grow stronger and do more good, I mean inwardly growing. With this new beginning, we will be more complete and more aware of what we're doing," he noted.

"I was so depressed after

the fire," said Mr. Edmond, who dropped his head with tears filling his eyes. "My friend, Exio Tamberrinene, and his wife came over for Thanksgiving. His clear understanding of the 'all powerful force' helped so much. The help of a person with that much understanding and love outweighed all the pettiness which had gone on."

Mr. Edmond's salon was insured at the time of the fire. But it was not insured for the salon's full value. The paper work involved with the claim has held him up financially but Mr. Edmond has no doubts about reopening.

"I have a three-month lease on the shop in St. Clair Shores," Mr. Edmond said. "I can renew it if I want... I may rebuild and come back to my own salon... I'm not sure right now. I just want to work and get back to my people again."

It won't be long until Mr. Edmond is back to his people again.

It appears that in an age of commercialism and mistrust, Bart Edmond still believes in miracles. And why not? After all, he's lived through one.

Mr. Edmond concluded, "I was wiped out and I got it all back. I've come back stronger. There is more... you just have to know it's there. I have lost nothing, I've gained. That is the beauty in the world."

Rape Charge Is Dismissed

A charge of rape was dismissed against Michael Quatro of Pemberton road by Park Municipal Judge John Urso, following an examination held on Wednesday, December 14.

The judge accepted a plea of guilty to contributing to the delinquency of a minor, in that he allowed a school age youngster to remain in his house when he should have sent her on her way to school.

Quatro was arrested when the 16-year-old Park girl claimed that he had raped her on November 16. Park police obtained a warrant charging Quatro, a musician and singer, with third degree criminal sexual conduct, which, under a Michigan statute, refers to rape where force or weapon is used.

Judge Urso ordered a presentence investigation and set sentencing date for Wednesday, January 18.

"This has been one heck of an experience for me, and a shock not only to myself, but also to my family," Quatro said. "I am at a loss why this girl put me and my family in this terrible predicament."

"This girl has been in my house on several occasions, as have many other people who come to see me because of my profession as a musician and singer. I never hired her, nor has she ever been my cleaning lady. This last time she came to my home, she was allowed in by my children."

Quatro said that during the few hours that the girl was in his house, and during the time she claimed that she was raped, his 24-year-old sister, who resides with him, also was home the entire day.

He said that he is slowly recovering from the shock of the accusation the girl made against him.

Gets Probation In Sexual Case

A 25-year-old Woods man originally charged with criminal sexual conduct, third degree, and who pled guilty in October to a charge of criminal sexual conduct, fourth degree, was placed on one year's probation with the condition that he goes to Florida, reported the Youth Service Division office last week.

He also was fined \$500.

This action was taken during the sentencing of Thomas Walter Bayer last month in Wayne County Circuit Court.

He was reportedly involved in having sexual relations with a 14-year-old Farms girl at his Vernier road residence in February, according to Woods police.

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GP Woods Accepts Bid for New Fire Apparatus

By Roger A. Waha

The Woods Council, based on the recommendation of a specially formed public safety committee, unanimously accepted the bid of the Young Equipment Co., Inc., of Southfield, in the amount of \$74,000 for a new Seagrave 1,250 gallon per minute fire pumping engine.

This action was taken at the rescheduled regular meeting Monday, December 12.

City Administrator Chester E. Petersen, who requested that the committee be formed to review and evaluate six bids, was authorized to issue a purchase order for the apparatus with the expected delivery date being in 12 to 14 months.

"We have been planning for the replacement of the apparatus for several years," said Mr. Petersen. "We have put money aside in our vehicle replacement fund each year for this purpose."

With the new pump, he emphasized that the city's firefighting equipment will be further improved. Upon receipt of the apparatus, the 1956 American LaFrance,

which will be utilized as a reserve, will be sent in for a complete body and engine overhaul, while the 1949 Detroit General will be retired.

In vying the age of equipment, Mr. Petersen noted, "No fire equipment because of age is necessarily outdated and cannot be used. The equipment has to pass various pumping tests prescribed by testing agencies."

In a joint memo to Mr. Petersen, the committee comprised of Lts. Jack Patterson, Bernard Kelly, Allan Selby and Peter Thomas, along with Officers Robert Kwiatkowski and William Desilets, said the Young Equipment Co. fire apparatus "will most likely meet the requirements of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods and is of the proper quality."

Saying the city has dealt with the company before and their product and service is good, Lt. Patterson stressed,

"It won't hurt us to have two similar trucks," (i.e., Seagraves).

With the American LaFrance in the "bullpen" and with the 1965 snorkel and the new pump, the city will have solid pieces of equipment with which to serve the citizenry, he felt.

At the same time, Lt. Patterson said former Public Safety Director Henry Marchand primarily drew up the specifications for the new apparatus, while noting, "He did himself proud."

Thirty specifications were stipulated by the city and in its report, the public safety committee said Young Equipment Co. contained only two exceptions to the "specs."

The specifications covered such areas as a guarantee, cab, engine, transmission, wheel base, steering, wheels and tires, pump, pump panel, water tank, booster reel, hose body, compartments, handrails, electrical system, light-

ing equipment and warning lights and signals.

Other base bids included the Michigan Fire Rescue Equipment Corp., of Fraser, Mich., \$73,698, (this listed 10 exceptions to the "specs"), Peter Perisch and Sons Co. of Kenosha, Wis., \$78,228, and Stephen Corp. of Amherst, O., \$78,156.

The other pair of bids were alternate ones and reportedly not in compliance with the specifications. They were from Hilt Fire Apparatus of Northville, Mich., \$58,547, and Car-Mar, Inc., of Berwick, Pa., \$65,500.

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GP Crisis Club Elects Officers

The Grosse Pointe Crisis Club at its regular annual meeting Wednesday, December 7, elected its officers to serve during the club's calendar year, beginning Sunday, January 1.

Elected for a one-year term were John L. Marley, president, Charles J. Merrill, vice-president, Merritt L. Deary, treasurer, and A. Jay Louwers, secretary.

Executive Secretary George A. Sylvain, Crisis Secretary Gregg D. Bader and Special Events Chairman William A. Schultz were re-elected for another year's term.

At the annual session, held in the Detroit Athletic Club, 241 Madison, Detroit, incumbent trustees Deary, Louwers and Roger J. Rinke were re-elected, and newcomer James J. Kearney was elected to the board of trustees for four-

year terms.

Retiring President John J. Van De Graaf Sr. passed the gavel to President-elect Marley at the Crisis Club's Annual Christmas Ball on Wednesday, December 14, at the DAC Building.

Music for the evening was by Eddie De Santis and his orchestra. The Singing Strings entertained during the cocktail hour, and later joined Comedian Harry Jarkey for the floor show.

The Grosse Pointe Crisis Club, which has grown through the years, is now comprised of 380 business and professional men from The Pointe, Detroit and nearby communities. It will complete its 24th year of providing emergency assistance to families and individuals in times of extreme crisis.

It was founded and organized in 1953 for just that specific purpose by Charles A. J. Kotcher of The City, who is still an active member, and his late brother, Hamilton Kotcher, who also was a resident of The City.

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GPW Gets Assistance

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 cil could order the barricades removed. Mayor Benjamin W. Pinkos, in relation to this, said at the meeting, "If we can't live with it, (i.e., the situation), we can change it immediately."
 Besides the barricades recommendation, the council on the 21st also approved three other recommendations including re-signing the exit ramp of the expressway in such a manner that will clearly explain the Vernier/Eight Mile designations and provide a truck route to Eight Mile, the public safety department would give the area special attention on the enforcement front and Mr. Rogers would include some long range plans in his current study.

Meanwhile, Councilman E. D. Grady, who told Mr. Steiner he appreciated his visit, cited the difficulty citizens faced along Mack during the recent heavy snowstorms in relation to quicker action from the WCRC in salting the thoroughfare.
 In response, Mr. Steiner said the WCRC is short of funds, with some areas of the county not being salted at all. "I'll voice it, ride 'em but they're short of money," he said.

To View Proposal
 Noting that the WCRC is a secretive, autonomous group but a good one, Mr. Steiner stated he has good relations with them and will share the city's concern. Mr. Pinkos said he wanted to know what it costs to do the maintenance work and felt perhaps the WCRC could turn over care of Mack to the city upon payment of a fee for such services.

"Maybe we can do it cheaper than they, (the WCRC), can," he stated, while asking Mr. Steiner to come up with a figure after contacting the commission.
 Mr. Steiner said on Monday that he's already been in touch with the WCRC and made a proposal on behalf of the city. Saying he sees some problems in this respect, the commissioner doesn't feel the WCRC will act on the proposal right away.
 "The road commission will give it some consideration and I'll get back to the mayor as quickly as I can," added Mr. Steiner.

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Class Size Grievance

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 ures tell only part of the story. He said there are at least 300 individual classes not named in the grievance that are actually over the 1975 averages.
 "I don't see how this can be seen as a 'reasonable effort' on the part of the administration," Mr. Whall said.
 The administration countered with the argument that the contract was not intended to force a comparison of individuals grade's class sizes, but of overall elementary, middle school and high school class sizes.

Cites Big Effort
 On the basis of such a comparison, the administration has stayed within the 1975 ceiling.
 To substantiate its argument, the administration referred to a letter written by the fact-finder several months after the contract was ratified.
 Personnel Director Lawrence Kennedy said he felt this year's class size averages "represented an extraordinary effort" on the part of the administration.

On Interpretations
 "That," he added, "is not reasonable and would be a severe hardship on many teachers."
 To resolve the grievance, the union had requested formation of one extra class at each of the elementary levels named.
 Much of the testimony before the Board hinged on the contract's phrase "subject area and level."

Union officials interpret the phrase to mean that the comparison should be made between specific grade levels at the elementary school, such as sixth grades, for instance.
 Administrators argued that the phrase means overall, elementary, middle school and high school levels should be compared.
 Other than those named in the grievance, all other grade levels compare favorably to 1975 averages. There are dozens of individual classes, however, that exceed 1975 averages.

Gehrke Elected By Auto Club
 Shores resident Hans Gehrke Jr. was elected third vice-president of the Automobile Club of Michigan at the annual meeting of the organization's board of directors on Tuesday, December 13.
 Mr. Gehrke, 65, was also elected to his second full term as a director of the 1.2-million-member Auto Club.
 He is a board chairman of First Federal Savings and Loan Ass'n. of Detroit and a director of Detroit Renaissance.

Mr. Gehrke is a trustee of both the United Hospital of Detroit and Detroit Medical Center Corp., and is past chairman of the Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce and the Detroit Central Business District Ass'n.
 He is past president of the U.S. Savings and Loan League, the Michigan Savings and Loan League, Detroit Real Estate Board and Mortgage Bankers Ass'n.
 Richard C. Van Dusen of Birmingham, former U.S. undersecretary of Housing and Urban Development, was elected president of the Auto Club.

PWP Presents Christmas Sing

Members and prospective members of Grosse Pointe Chapter 182, Parents Without Partners, (PWP), will participate in songs for the Christmas season when they meet for their general meeting on Friday, December 23.
 Coffee and conversation will begin at 7:30 p.m. at the War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore road, and the meeting and program at 8:30 p.m.

Midge Klein of the Grosse Pointe Chapter, who's a member of the Sweet Adelines, will lead the group in song. The accompanist will be Vi Wisniewski of the Mount Clemens PWP chapter.
 A Mixer Dance open to all PWP Chapter members and prospective members will be held Friday, January 20, at the Georgian Inn, Gratiot and 13 Mile roads.

Dancing will begin at 9 p.m. and a session of dance instructions in the "Hustle" will be given at 10 p.m.
 Tickets for PWP members are \$3, for prospective members, \$4.
 Dorothy Brannon may be contacted at 824-9268 for further information.

Pointe Clowns Join Parade

Several members of the Grosse Pointes Bicentennial Clown Corps took part in the J. L. Hudson Thanksgiving Parade. This was the second successive year in which corps members participated.
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Burglar Robs City Residence

City Det. Lt. Robert Van Tiem said there were no signs of forced entry into the home of Joseph Beirne, of Maumee avenue, but the burglar, or burglars, who entered the house did get away with some loot.

The lieutenant said the incident occurred sometime between 3:45 p.m. on Sunday, December 18, at which time Mr. Beirne left home, and 12:30 a.m. on Monday, December 19, when he returned.
 Officers dispatched to the residence to take the initial report said that during their search of the house, they discovered the rear door open, which could mean the avenue by which the culprit escaped.

Mr. Beirne told the authorities that the thief fled with a portable 19-inch color television set, approximately \$10 in pennies taken from a glass jar and \$12.13 in change that was in a beer mug. The set was taken from the living room, but it was not disclosed where the change had been kept.
 Lt. Van Tiem said the incident is still under investigation.

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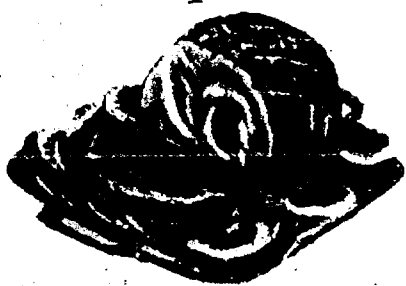


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Boy Scout Troop 471, which meets at Salem Memorial Lutheran Church in Moross road, held a Court of Honor on Monday, December 12. At that time, RUSS LIVERMORE III, (left), of Manchester road and ROBERT IGNASIAK, (right), of Dorthen road received their Eagle awards. Scoutmaster WILLIAM GRACEY gives the pair a proud hug for the boys are the first Eagles the troop has had in the last three years.

Driver Freed after Mishap

Ronald Alan Mueller, 20, of Foed, Warren, was not ticketed by Shores officers when he became involved in an accident on Sunday, December 18, but he is still liable for damages incurred to Village property, authorities said.

An accident report revealed that Mueller was driving south on Lakeshore road at 12:45 a.m. when he left the roadway, just north of Fair-lake lane, near 1100 Lake-shore.

His vehicle careened into, and ran over, two reflector poles, sheared an Edison light pole from its base, continued on and scraped a large section of bark from a tree near the driveway of No. 1100, then crossed the drive-way and slammed into a stone wall on the property.

Officers at the scene said there appeared to be no damage to the wall, but Mueller's car, which sustained moderate damage, was towed to a service station. Mueller had been drinking, it was said. He was not injured.

Mueller was taken to The Shores station to make a formal statement and to fill out an accident report. He stated that the roadway was wet from melting snow, and as he rounded the curve at No. 1100, he lost control and his car left the roadway.

Authorities said although Mueller was not charged and was not issued a violation ticket, due to lack of witnesses, he was still liable for damages to Village property.

The Village owns all Edison poles within its limits, having purchased them from Detroit Edison. Edison is contracted to maintain all poles and fixtures, and to replace all, or any of the parts of the poles.

Mueller, who is insured, was released to a relative who arrived at the station to pick him up.

There will be no regular residential or business mail delivery or lobby window service at the Detroit post office, (PO), and its stations and branches on Mondays, December 26 and January 2, in observance of Christmas and New Year's Day, reports Postmaster Joseph J. Leukotka.

However, he said special delivery service will be provided on a holiday schedule.

On Saturdays, December 24 and 31, mail will be picked up from residential collection boxes on a regular

Goodfellow Paper Sales Contain Disappointments

By Wendy K. Settle

The Goodfellow paper sale was not as successful as its sponsors, the Grosse Pointe Lions and Woods Lions Clubs, had hoped it would be. Members of the two clubs were "hawking" their special edition Goodfellow papers from dawn till noon on Monday, December 12. In the middle of a monstrous snow storm, the men stationed themselves at intersections throughout the Pointes to raise money for the club's charitable endeavors.

Nick Leto, co-chairman of the sale for the GP Lions, was disappointed with the results. The GP Lions goal was set at \$6,500 and the club raised just under \$4,000.

"I think every club is having the same problem," Mr. Leto noted. "I really believe it may be the lack of publicity." He continued to say that the Lions didn't get as much assistance from the police and fire departments this year as they have in the past.

Co-chairman for the Woods Lions, Ray Grudzinski, was more disappointed with the membership turnout than the monetary goal. Their goal was set at \$1,500 and members collected \$1,978.

Mr. Grudzinski considered that only 21 men turned out for the sale. In the past, the turnout has been closer to 25. He also noted that the club has sold more papers in past years.

When the sale ended at noon, the Woods Lions took \$200 worth of toys and games to Saint John Hospital's pe-

diatrics department. The \$200 was part of the monies raised from the sale.

The rest of the funds raised by both Lions clubs will be distributed among the various organizations which the clubs support.

Some of the institutions benefiting from the Goodfellow sale are the Leader Dogs for the Blind, CARE, the War Memorial, Welcome Home for the Blind, Grand Rapids, Mich., the Boy Scouts of America and the Michigan Lions' Eye Bank.

BURKE RECEIVES HONOR

Thomas J. Burke, of The Shores, was recently honored by Villanova University by receiving the "Loyalty Award." This annual award is presented to a member of the alumni for loyal support of the university. Mr. Burke graduated from Villanova in 1949 with a B.S. degree in Civil Engineering.

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The telephone reassurance service for all Pointe senior citizens is well underway.

Sponsored by the Wayne County Office on Aging, in conjunction with Christ Episcopal Church and with the support of the OWLS, (seniors at the area nutrition site housed in the Grosse-Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church, 19950 Mack avenue), the service helps citizens who live alone or are temporarily alone to live independently.

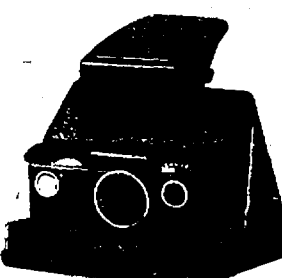
A daily telephone contact for these people is of particular value since those who live alone are in special jeopardy from falls, strokes and sudden illnesses, says the Office on Aging.

A call at a pre-arranged hour once a day provides a regular check on the person's well being.

If telephone contact is not made as agreed upon by the service's subscriber, appropriate steps ensue. If a medical crisis is discovered, the senior's doctor is called, relatives notified and other action taken.

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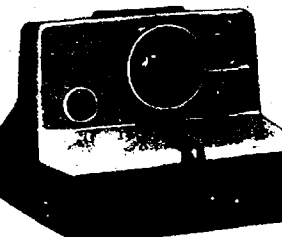


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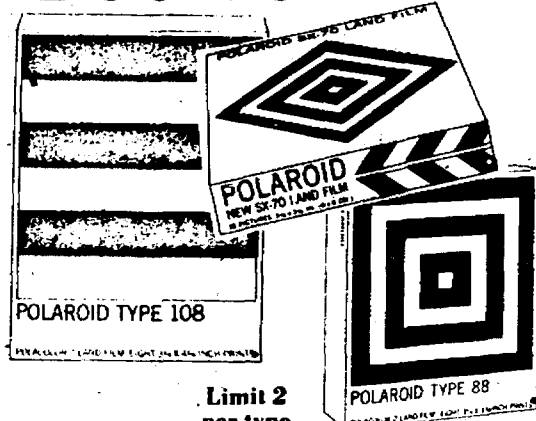


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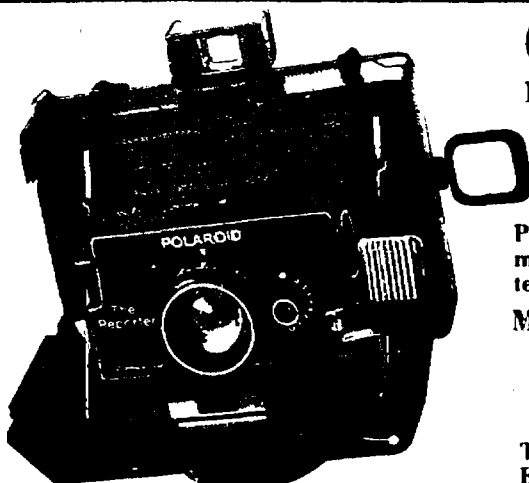
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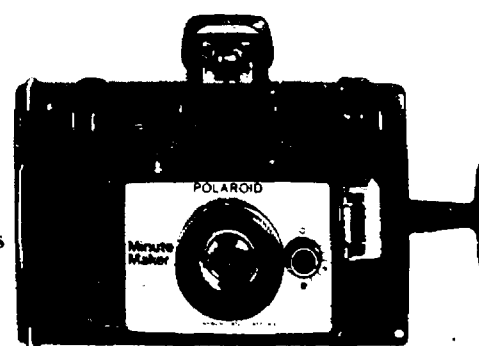
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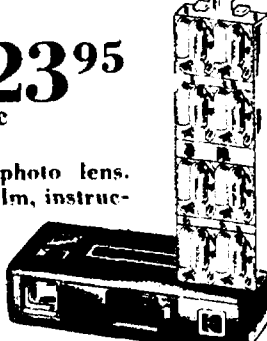
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Obituaries

RALPH THOMAS
Services for Mr. Thomas, 81, of The Farms, were held Thursday, December 15, at the Verheyden Funeral Home and the Grosse Pointe Memorial Church.

He died Monday, December 12, at Cottage Hospital.

Mr. Thomas, who has served continuously on Auto Club's board of directors since 1932, was board chairman of Speaker-Hines and Thomas Printing Co. of Lansing.

He was a life advisor of the national AAA Advisory Council and served as national AAA secretary from 1948-49 and president from 1952-54. He was Auto Club president in 1942-43.

Chairman of the Michigan Liquor Control Commission in 1942-43, Mr. Thomas was

a former president of the Michigan Tourist Council, now the Michigan Travel Commission, and past president of the Detroit Rotary Club. He has been president of Builders, Inc., since 1938.

Mr. Thomas also was a member of the Grosse Pointe Senior Men's Club.

He is survived by two sons, Ralph Jr. and Edward; one daughter, Mrs. Sally Jansen; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Interment was at Woodlawn Cemetery.

DR. CECILE M. DACEY
Services, including a Mass, for Dr. Dacey, 73, of The Park, were held Monday, December 19, at the Verheyden Funeral Home.

She died Friday, December 16, at Bon Secours Hospital.

Before Dr. Dacey's retirement in 1962, she was a teacher in the Detroit schools and also an attorney. She was active in religious, educational, civic, legal and musical activities.

In 1967, she received a trophy from the University of Detroit as "Woman of the Year."

Dr. Dacey was a former Michigan governor of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae and president of the Catholic Extension Society.

She was recognized as an "outstanding American" of 1976 in "Who's Who in Michigan" for her work with the Inter-American Bar Ass'n. in the field of family law.

Dr. Dacey is survived by her sister, Rosemarie Dacey. Interment was at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

THOMAS W. SMALE
Services for Mr. Smale, 42, of The City, were held Monday, December 19, at the Verheyden Funeral Home.

He died Thursday, December 15, at Bon Secours Hospital.

Mr. Smale is survived by his wife, Janice; one son, Daniel; one daughter, Susan; his mother, Marjorie Smale; and one sister.

Memorial contributions may be made to the M.S. Society, 6181 W. Outer drive, Detroit.

Interment was at White Chapel Cemetery.

MRS. VIRGINIA MAUL
Services for Mrs. Maul, 87, of The City, were held on Monday, December 19, at the Verheyden Funeral Home.

She died Friday, December 16, at Saint John Hospital.

Mrs. Maul is survived by her father, Vearl E. Davis, one son, Robert, and one sister.

Interment was at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

MRS. MARY (SCHOONOVER) MAIBAUER
Services for Mrs. Maibauer, 67, of The Farms, were held Wednesday, December 21, at the Verheyden Funeral Home.

She died Saturday, December 17, at Bon Secours Hospital.

Mrs. Maibauer was on the board of directors of the English Speaking Union and a member of the Hiawatha Sportsman Club.

She is survived by her husband, Dr. Fred P. Maibauer, and two sisters.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Bon Secours Hospital Assistance League.

Interment was at Woodlawn Cemetery.

JOHN L. BAKER
Services for Mr. Baker, 90, of The Farms, were held Thursday, December 15, at the Verheyden Funeral Home.

He died Monday, December 12, at Cottage Hospital.

Mr. Baker is survived by his wife, Florence.

Interment was at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

HENRY VAN HOET
Services for Mr. Van Hoet, 79, of The Farms, were held

on Wednesday, December 21, at the Verheyden Funeral Home.

He died Sunday, December 18, at Bon Secours Hospital.

He is survived by two sisters and two brothers.

Interment was at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Students Published
Several Austin Catholic Prep School students have received certificates signifying the publication of their works in the semi-annual anthology, "Young America Speaks."

Included are Bruce Bober, John Bayer, Timothy Mulligan, Dennis Poupert, Robert Teiber, Jameson Cook, Craig Piscopink, Terry Hopran, Kevin Hurst, Chris Ahee, Terrence Fleming, Edward Tindall, Tony Yeorego and George Grifo.

Interment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

MRS. ISABEL DUCHARME
Services for Mrs. DuCharme, 87, formerly of The Farms, late of Tryon, N.C., were held Sunday, December 18, in Tryon. Arrangements in Michigan were handled by the William R. Hamilton Co.

She died Friday, December 16, in Tryon.

Mrs. DuCharme was an accomplished horsewoman and owned the stable in North Carolina that housed horses for the U.S. Olympic Equestrian team. She was a member of the Junior League of Detroit and a trustee of the Detroit Orphanage.

She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. George S. Brannon; one son, Jerome; 10 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Interment was in Tryon, N.C.

MRS. RACHEL J. WOOD
Services for Mrs. Wood, 80, of The Farms, were held on Tuesday, December 20, at the Verheyden Funeral Home.

She died on Saturday, December 17, at Holy Cross Hospital.

Mrs. Wood had been a resident of the Detroit area since 1917. She was a member of the Grosse Pointe Memorial Church.

She is survived by three daughters, Elizabeth, Mrs. Jerome F. Driscoll and Mrs. Richard J. Murphy; 10 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and one sister.

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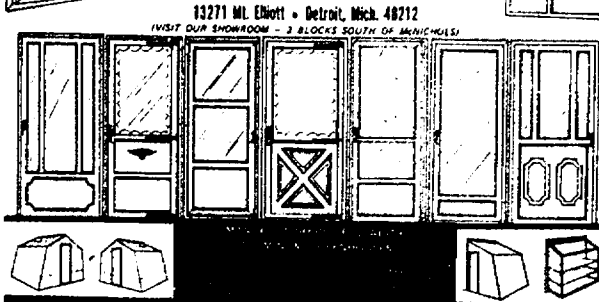
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CODE NO. 6-08—ALARM REGULATION ORDINANCE

Ordinance No. 219

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A LICENSING FEE FOR ALARM SYSTEMS; REGULATING ALL ALARM SYSTEMS; CONTROLLING EXTERIOR LIGHTING AND SOUND DEVICES OPERATED IN CONJUNCTION WITH ALARM SYSTEMS; ESTABLISHING A PROCEDURE FOR THE REVOCATION OF ALARM LICENSES AFTER RECEIPT OF FOUR FALSE ALARMS WITHIN A CALENDAR YEAR AND THE FAILURE OF THE LICENSEE TO TAKE CORRECTIVE ACTIONS; AND GOVERNING POLICE AND FIRE RESPONSES FOR ALARMS WITHIN THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MICHIGAN.

THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE FARMS ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. No resident, business, corporation, institution, or agent thereof, within the City shall use or operate, attempt to use or operate or cause to be used or operated, or arrange, adjust, program or otherwise provide or install any device or combination of devices that will upon activation, either mechanically, electronically, automatically or upon any other means initiate the intrastate calling, dialing or connection directly, or indirectly by means of a second person caller, to any telephone number assigned to any subscriber by a public telephone company; or alarm system located within the City's Police or Fire Departments, without the prior written consent of the Chief of Police, as specified in Section No. 3 of this Ordinance.

SECTION 2. Definitions of Terms Used in this Ordinance.

(a) The term "alarm system" means an assembly of equipment and devices (or a single device such as a solid state unit which plugs directly into an electrical line or battery operated) arranged to signal the presence of a hazard requiring urgent attention and to which Police and Fire Departments are expected to respond. In this ordinance, the term "alarm system" shall include the terms, but not limited to "hold up alarm systems," "intrusion or burglary alarm systems," "fire or temperature alarm systems," "smoke alarm systems," "ambulance alarm systems," "gas or sniffing alarm systems" and "attention alarm systems."

(b) The term "false alarm" means the activation of an alarm system through mechanical failure, faulty equipment, malfunction, improper installations, or the negligence or the improper use of the owner or lessee of an alarm system or of his employees or agents which shall be established when there is no evidence of criminal activity, fire or need for medical attention upon the activation of the alarm system with the following exception:

- (1) A testing of the alarm system when prior notification has been received by the Police or Fire Department; and,
- (2) Alarms caused specifically by hurricanes, tornadoes, earthquakes or unnatural catastrophes.

(c) The term "telephone number" means any number assigned to a person, firm, municipality or corporation by a public utility company engaged in the business of providing communication services and facilities, including without limitation any additional numbers assigned by a public utility company engaged in the business of providing communication services and facilities to be used by means of a rotary or other system or means to connect a subscribed to such primary number when the primary telephone number is in use.

SECTION 3. Prior written consent to connect users to the City's Police or Fire Departments' communication systems telephone number or numbers, or facilities, may be obtained by completing the City's alarm licensing application and the payment of the licensing fee as set from time to time by resolution of the City Council. Such license being valid for a period of five years from the date of issuance, or until a change of occupancy if such occurs during such five year period. No alarm system company or alarm system seller or installer shall receive written permission to connect alarm systems to the assigned Police and Fire Departments' communication systems telephone number or numbers, or facilities, until such items as the user of such alarm system has obtained a license as specified in this Section.

SECTION 4. Revocation of the alarm system license issued by the City without reimbursement of any portion of the licensing fee may occur under the following circumstances:

- (a) Fraud or willful or known misrepresentation or false statement made in an application for a license.
- (b) Four false alarms within a calendar year providing:
 - (1) That upon the third false alarm, the Chief of Police or Fire Chief, or their agent, has given written notification to the user of the requirements of this section;
 - (2) That upon the fourth false alarm and upon written notification by the Chief of Police or Fire Chief, or their agent, the user shall have the opportunity to have the alarm system inspected by an alarm system contractor and within 15 days of the receipt of such notification, report in writing to the Chief of Police or Fire Chief, the results of the inspection, the probable cause of false alarms and the recommendations for eliminating false alarms;
 - (3) Failure of the user to act as specified in Section 4, (b2) of this ordinance and/or additional false alarm(s) during the calendar year.

SECTION 5. No alarm system regardless of the need for license as required by this ordinance may operate outside lighting or audible sounding devices which are activated by an alarm system unless such lighting or sounding devices are programed to deactivate in a period no longer than thirty minutes after the activation of the alarm. Any malfunction of such equipment unless caused specifically by hurricanes, tornadoes, earthquakes or unnatural catastrophes shall constitute a violation of this Ordinance and subject the user, institution or agent thereof to the penalties of this ordinance.

SECTION 6. Any person, business, corporation, institution, or agent thereof violating any provisions of this Ordinance shall upon conviction be subjected to a fine of not more than \$500 or imprisonment for not more than ninety days, or both, in the discretion of the court. Continuing acts of violation and each day upon which such violations shall occur may be charged as separate offenses.

SECTION 7. If any provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the remainder of the Ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 8. This Ordinance shall take effect twenty days after its enactment or upon its publication, whichever is later.

Enacted: December 5, 1977

RICHARD SOLAK
City Clerk

St. Clare Has Six New Bells

A Chronobell System was recently installed at Saint Clare of Montefalco Church, Mack and Whittier.

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GROSSE POINTE WOODS — 3 bedroom, 1½ bath bungalow with dining room, natural fireplace, rec room with wet bar, 1½ car garage and priced in the \$40's. Occupancy at close!

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GROSSE POINTE WOODS — Just off Morningside — enjoy the coming holidays in this brand new builder's home. Center entrance brick colonial, featuring 5 bedrooms, marble foyer, circular stairway and balcony, large kitchen, family room with wet bar, 1st floor laundry, central air, tiled basement, carpeting allowance to enable purchaser to choose own color preference.

HARPER WOODS — All brick custom built ranch, built in 1956, features include large country kitchen, family room, 3 large bedrooms, living room with natural fireplace, finished recreation room, 2-car brick garage, third windows, birch wood throughout, central air, gas FA heat. Priced to sell at \$50,500.

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GROSSE POINTE WOODS — Custom built in 1961, 3 bedroom, 2½-bath, center entrance colonial, features family room with beamed ceiling, natural fireplace, formal dining room, living room with natural fireplace, country kitchen with all built-ins, 2-car attached garage, electric door, central air. Best of all, there is an assumable mortgage. Located between Morningside and Van K — Hurry for your personal inspection — \$84,500.

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MDP's Inexplicable . . .

The total of 29 malicious destruction of property (MDP), incidents reported to the Youth Service Division, (YSD), last month would be a startling amount at any time. (See story, Page One.) But with the report being completed and distributed during the Christmas season, the timing alone adds a painful irony.

In the document, the YSD said vandalism inexplicably took a huge leap in November — an increase of over 100 percent above the rate in October and a 50 percent hike over last November's total of 19.

With the gains made through the interest and cooperation of various segments in the community to limit such actions, for instance, during the Devil's Night-Halloween Day period, the number "29" for a single month readily proves that the problem will be with the community in varying degrees, i.e., numbers, for a long time.

Woods Det. Lt. Jack Patterson, YSD supervisor in the detective bureau, felt that criminals weren't performing these deeds. Rather, they were mostly juveniles who commit such acts for no reason at all. "It's a sad commentary," he stated. "They must have something better to do than this," (considering the wide variety of programs, school-related and otherwise, offered in the community for young people).

Saying he was personally astounded by the monthly total, Lt. Patterson said reasons for such acts were difficult to explain. In many past instances, they were performed by individuals who knew their prospective victims. But now, he said he didn't know if this still holds true.

Such acts are difficult to clear at the police level, unless a citizen witnesses an incident, and can identify the individuals involved, obtain a license number, et al.

As police officials and the NEWS have noted before, the acts are senseless, can, on occasions, cause a great deal of monetary damage, (something insurance companies, you can be certain, take note of), and can detrimentally affect the spirit of a community.

Besides the need for parental interest and discipline toward eliminating the reasons for such destructiveness and the "getting my kicks" syndrome, the courts can play a strong role in the important "certainty of punishment" area upon conviction of an offender.

Why the exceptionally high total for November? For that matter, why are there any MDP reports at all? Well, it appears inexplicable.

After all, no person in his right mind would deliberately destroy another's property . . . or would he?

. . . But Not Love

While startled and concerned over the number of reported MDP incidents, the NEWS is delighted to point out a story which is a witness to the Christmas spirit and more specifically, Jesus Christ.

This is seen in the case of beauty salon owner Bart Edmond, whose establishment was completely destroyed by fire on November 20, and the many adjustments he has had to make, including those related to staff, toward getting started once again. (See story, Page One.)

Mr. Edmond told the NEWS after his salon was gutted by the blaze, he thought he was wiped out. But as the days passed, he began to realize that what happened was actually a "stepping stone, a new beginning."

For not only was the response from his fellow salon operators and customers sympathetic, but the assistance of other businesses in helping him along until he could open his new shop next month was of great comfort.

More important, Mr. Edmond stated he has survived this situation because of the guidance of God and through his tragedy, he has had the opportunity to grow.

Surely this is not only what the meaning of Christmas is all about but more than this, what a personal relationship with Jesus is all about, the time of year notwithstanding.

On this note, the NEWS wants to wish all its readers and advertisers a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year.
R.A.W.

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Know Your Schools

By Dr. William Coats,
Superintendent of Schools

Residents who attended the Monday, December 12, meeting of the Board of Education know that the trustees voted to make a formal request of the six municipalities in the school system to collect all school taxes in the summer, a half-year earlier than the usual collection date.

As a result of this action, we have received some calls and letters from interested citizens seeking more information on the proposal.

Following are answers to the most frequently-asked queries which have reached me:

1. Why does the Grosse Pointe Board of Education seek to collect school taxes beginning in July rather than in December?

Because the school system's fiscal year begins July 1, collection of tax money in the summer will eliminate the need to apply yearly for a tax anticipation loan, (\$9.5 million in 1977), to operate the system from July 1 until it begins collecting taxes in December.

2. What will this mean in terms of increased operating revenues for the school system?

It is impossible to make a totally accurate forecast, but best estimates place additional revenues at between \$350,000 and \$450,000 per year.

3. How would the system generate this much additional revenue?

The Board of Education would no longer have to pay interest on a tax anticipation loan to operate the schools from July 1 until it begins receiving tax revenues in December. In addition, it will earn interest on taxes collected in July until they are spent.

4. What plans does the Board of Education have for the use of this additional revenue?

The funds would be earmarked for critical capital outlay such as roof, asphalt, window and other renovation projects which could not be financed out of the regular operating budget.

5. How would the shift in tax collection dates affect homeowners whose school tax funds are escrowed with their mortgage payments?

Citizens who escrow their taxes through mortgage companies will have about 12 months to make up their payments for the earlier than usual collection.

6. How would the shift in tax collection dates affect homeowners who do not have tax payments escrowed with a mortgage company?

They would pay their taxes between July 1 and September 15 instead of between December 1 and February 15.

7. How would the proposed shift in tax collection dates affect senior citizens?

Senior citizens with a total household income of \$10,000 or less could defer the summer taxes until the following February 15 by filing with the treasurer of their municipality an intent to defer the homestead property taxes without penalty or interest.

Selection of Architect For SHS Work Postponed

By Susan McDonald
The School Board has postponed the selection of an architect to plan a massive renovation of and, possibly, addition to, South High School's Industrial Arts Building, vocational facility, until it meets next year on Monday, January 9, at South High.

Trustee Joan Hanpeter requested the vote be delayed on Monday, December 12, because she needed more time to investigate the finished works of the four architects bidding on the project.

The trustees are looking at bids for a study of the facility and how it may be improved. Bids for the study ranged from a low of \$3,500 from John Stevens to a high of \$13,000 from William Kessler. Wakely-Kushner came in at \$10,000 and Ellis-Naeyart-Genheimer at \$12,200.

What Goes On at Your Library

By William T. Peters,
Director of Public Libraries

Behold, a virgin shall conceive,
And bear a Son,
And shall call His name Immanuel.
(Isaiah vii. 14.)

The prophet, Isaiah, announced the advent of Christ and the birth of the Christ Child that followed has been hailed as the world's second birthday.

Our libraries are filled with books about Christmas, its customs and festivities. CHRISTMAS IN NEW ENGLAND, (Holt, Rinehart and Winston, 1972), with text by Joanne Young and photographs by Taylor Biggs Lewis Jr., captures the essence of the New England Christmas in a magnificent album of full-color photographs and descriptive text that recalls the sights and sounds of the holiday season.

New England towns in mid-December give you the feeling that you have been magically transported into a Currier and Ives etching or at least a Christmas card.

The ski lodges throughout the White Mountains, the Green Mountains and the Berkshire Hills are shown, along with the cabins and farms of Vermont, the inns of Massachusetts and the churches of Boston.

An old fashioned Christmas may still be found in New England.

J. R. R. Tolkien died in 1974 but his imagination and humor lives on in his books from THE HOBBIT and FARMER GILES OF HAM to THE LORD OF THE RINGS and SMITH OF WOOTTON MAJOR. Now his daughter-in-law, Baillie Tolkien, has edited THE FATHER CHRISTMAS LETTERS, (Houghton Mifflin, 1976).

John Ronald Reuel Tolkien wrote a letter to his children every year, in which he described in words and pictures his house, his friends and the events, hilarious or alarming, at the North Pole.

The first letter came in 1920 when John, the oldest of his four children, was three-years-old. Letters continued for the next 20 years through the childhoods of the three other children.

In typical Tolkien style, the Father Christmas' household became larger and larger as the author became more involved with each passing year.

The book has only a few examples of Father Christmas' shaky handwriting and the decorations of the letters and envelopes, but almost all the pictures he sent are here reproduced.

The last paragraph of the last letter contains a sentimental goodbye.

"I suppose after this year you will not be hanging your stockings any more. I shall have to say 'goodbye,' more or less: I mean, I shall not forget you. We always keep the names of our old friends, and their letters; and later on we hope to come back when they are grown up and have houses of their own and children . . . Father Christmas."

THE SANTA CLAUS BOOK, (Walker, 1976), is a colorful, definitive and jolly pictorial biography of Santa Claus by Willis E. Jones.

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The book is fun to read, a pleasure to look at and contains a wealth of information.

When Christmas is over, what do you do with all the Christmas cards you received?

Margaret Perry in her book, CHRISTMAS CARD MAGIC, (Doubleday, 1967), tells us that cards are a veritable treasure house. For craft minded adults, teachers and youth group leaders there are dozens of clever ideas contained in this how-to-do-it book.

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

The surprise blockade of Brys drive and Roslyn road at Mack avenue last Friday evening, (December 16), can only be described as Grosse Stupidity.

Not only is vehicular traffic impeded, but pedestrian and bicycle traffic is forced to travel three blocks out of the way in order to patronize shops on both sides of Mack avenue.

The sloppy alternative is to jay-walk through the slush on the boulevards, (with a stroller or a bicycle?), to

Other safety hazards effected by this scenic barrel arrangement include restriction of police and fire department protection and patrol.

I am aware that the residents of Brys drive resent the traffic their street has carried. If they wish to have their street decorated with orange and white barrels for the holidays, (or permanently closed by the dumping of a load of concrete, as has been suggested), the problem should be decided without disruption of the rest of the neighborhood.

The traffic safety officer who initiated this program should not take it upon himself to block access to a county road, (Mack avenue), or make this section of The Woods unsafe for persons driving or walking.

Sincerely,
Sheila Barton
Of Brys drive,
Grosse Pointe Woods

Editor's Note: Actually, it was the council who initiated the temporary barricades action based upon the traffic safety officer's report. The council can, based upon further developments and input, have the barricades removed.

Blaze Started By Electricity

The cause of the fire which destroyed the interior of a home at 1740 Hollywood avenue Friday afternoon, December 6, has been attributed to an electrical circuit in the basement, said Woods Building Inspector Earl Wakely last week.

At the same time, he noted that one of two containers of Sterno blew up in the fruit cellar which helped feed the fire, which ultimately swirled up the stairs into the kitchen area.

No one was seriously hurt in the two-alarm blaze, although a Woods firefighter did receive a contusion near the eyebrow from a falling object in the ceiling.

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Society

WOMEN'S PAGES

From Another Pointe of View

By Janet Mueller

Christmas visitors are coming from all over to converge on the Norman Gilmore home in East Ballantyne court this year.

Prize for "Longest Distance Traveled to Get Here" goes, without question, to the Gilmores' niece, Rita, who spent her college years at Wayne State and Oakland Universities, with the Gilmore house as her headquarters.

Rita's been living abroad for the past few years, an employee of the Wells-Fargo Bank's European branch in Luxembourg. Late in November—the 25th, to be exact—she was married to Alain Wengler, also working at Wells-Fargo and a native Luxembourger.

Alain has been transferred to Wells-Fargo's main office in San Francisco. He and Rita are working their way west with a Christmas stopover at the home of her aunt and uncle.

The Wenglers will get a preview of what to expect in the City by the Bay from Harry Altick, (Continued on Page 28)

Short and to The Pointe

Pointer DR. GEORGE LEONARD is a faculty member for Wayne State University's program in Guidance and Counseling in the College of Education which was recognized in the September issue of the Personnel and Guidance Journal as being second in the nation in the average number of presentations, publications and leadership positions with the American Personnel and Guidance Association during 1975-1976.

Recently initiated into Sigma Alpha Chi honorary scholastic fraternity at General Motors Institute was Pointer SUZANNE WIGHTMAN ALTMAN, daughter of MR. and MRS. DAVID G. WIGHTMAN.

Army Staff Sergeant FREDERICK L. SETELIN, a radio repairman with the 73rd Signal Battalion, whose wife MITSUE lives in Lakepointe avenue, recently completed the Headstart program in Germany which is designed to acquaint new arrivals with German culture. Training is given in fundamentals of the German language, German customs, geography and history.

Among the freshmen class at Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, Ind., are Grosse Pointe North High School graduate KATHLEEN A. KEEGAN, daughter of MR. and MRS. MICHAEL KEEGAN, of North Oxford road, and Grosse Pointe South High School graduate ERIN M. KELLY, daughter of DR. and MRS. THOMAS KELLY, of Touraine road.

JOHN J. VERPOORT, of West Williams court, is among the 1,140-member freshmen class at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N.Y.

Airman JO A. CARNES, daughter of MR. and MRS. OSCAR CARNES, of Wayburn road, is stationed at Almaden Air Force Sta-

Christmas Comes to Grosse Pointe



Rejoice! It's Christmas time in Grosse Pointe, and all the hustle and bustle and sloshing through snow to pick up last-minute presents was worth it, and now it's time for quiet time, and the contemplation of the True Meaning of Christmas: the Birth of the Child who brings Peace. Among the loveliest of our creches is this one, in front of Saint Paul's-on-the-Lakeshore. It's a work of art, by a working artist: V. DURBIN

THIBODEAU, who maintains a studio next door to Saint Paul's, in the Grosse Pointe Academy's Convent Art Complex. The picture credit goes to BERNADETTE THIBODEAU, the artist's daughter, who took it last year during her annual Christmas visit home. Bernie is in town again this year, celebrating the holidays with her parents, GINNY and BOB THIBODEAU, in Broadstone road.

tion, Calif., following completion of course training in operating and maintaining electrical power generating equipment which applies toward an Associate degree in Applied Science through the Community College of the Air Force.

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Cadet MICHAEL MISZCAK, son of MR. and MRS. EUGENE J. MISZCAK, of Shoreham road, is among nearly 300 students enrolled for the 1977 through 1978 year at Missouri Military Academy, Mexico, Mo.

Recently named as assistant news editor for the Chicago Tribune was KAREN

Boys' Clubs Share Preview Proceeds

Prior-to-Public Opening Auto Show Evening Will Benefit Three Charities, All Concerned with Children's Welfare

Members of the Boys' Clubs of Metropolitan Detroit Women's Association recently began their sale of advance tickets for the Charity Preview of the 1978 Detroit Auto Show. It's set for Friday, January 13, at Cobo Hall.

Tickets are \$12.50 per person, tax deductible. Proceeds from the event, sponsored by the Detroit Automobile Dealers Association, will be shared by the Boys' Clubs, the Northeast Guidance Center and the Easter Seal Society.

"This is the third year that DADA has invited the Boys' Clubs to participate in the benefit preview of the Auto Show," notes Pointer Mrs. Robert Lynch, president of the BCMD Women's Association, "and we're extremely grateful for the opportunity."

"Last year we were able to raise over \$17,000 for the Boys' Clubs. We hope to do even better this year."

Funds raised from the preview will be used to build an outdoor sports activities center at the Boys' Clubs summer resident camp on Harsens Island, according to Mrs. Victor Wertz, also a Pointer, chairperson of the Women's Association charitable preview ticket sales committee.

"The center will provide year-round sports and recre-

CALLAWAY, daughter of MR. and MRS. ROBERT CALLAWAY, of Fisher road. Ms. Callaway is a 1964 graduate of Grosse Pointe High School and a 1968 graduate of Northwestern University with a major in Journalism.

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ational activities such as tennis, volleyball, ice skating, hockey and basketball, and will include outdoor lighting and an equipment storage facility," Mrs. Wertz explains.

"It will provide additional opportunities for the hundreds of Boys' Clubs members who visit the camp each year."

"The 240-acre camp is located about 55 miles north-east of Detroit, and serves as a great escape for inner city youngsters who might otherwise spend a long, hot summer on the streets."

"Many of our youngsters come from one-parent homes and have little or no opportunities for wholesome activities and concerned professional guidance."

The BCMD has nine building-centered units located throughout Detroit and its suburbs, providing for the social-recreational, educational, health and character development of more than 8,000 youngsters.

It is supported in part by the United Foundation Torch Drive, but must annually raise nearly 50 percent of its operating budget through foundation and corporate grants, endowments, bequests, private contributions and activities like the Detroit Auto Show Charity Preview.

Ticket information is available from any member of the BCMD Women's Association, or by calling 894-8500.

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GPHC to Greet The New Year

New Year's Eve at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club will offer "something for everyone" according to Jean Schwartz, of North Oxford road, who, with her husband, Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Cobau, of Oxford road, and Dr. and Mrs. Sallah Gouda, of Lakeshore road, is co-chairing the gala's activities.

Mixed doubles tennis starts at 6 o'clock. Cocktails and a filet mignon dinner will be served in the main clubhouse. Hank Warren will provide the music for dancing, along with terpsichorean instructions by Ricky Dove.

Open tennis is available at 10:30 o'clock. Dancing will be continuous, and there'll be champagne and special favors for members and their guests.



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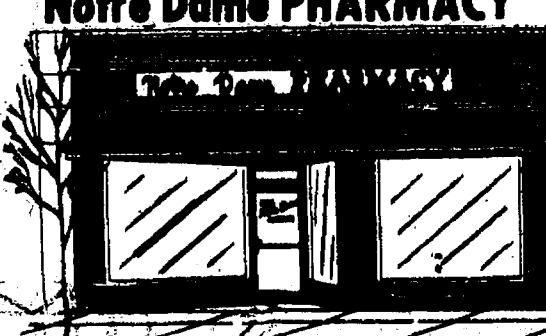
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New ABWA Chapter Named 'Silver Oaks'

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At a meeting presided over by Pat Goyeau and Marilyn Trux, president and vice-president of the sponsoring Twelve Oaks, Vivian Nosakowski was installed as president of the new chapter.

Serving with her are Lee Carroll, vice-president, Norma Romberg, recording secretary, Mary Ann Mosher, corresponding secretary, and June Floyd, treasurer.

Committee people were selected and the W.O.A. and Means committee announced a Christmas party and craft sale. The December meeting will be a Christmas party at the home of Mary Berndt.

Saint John Orthodox Slates Dinner Dance

George Savalas, (Telly's brother), will entertain Saturday, January 7, at Saint John Greek Orthodox Church's annual dinner dance. Reservations for the \$35-per-person donation party at Royalty House may be obtained by calling 791-6382, 759-4171 or 886-5405.

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Women's Page—by, of and for Pointe Women

Seek Support for National Cathedral

Five members of the Eastern Michigan board of the National Cathedral Association — Mrs. James Humphreys, Jr., Mrs. Henry B. Kinzie, Mrs. George W. Syler, Mrs. Anthony Vincel and Mrs. Alexander L. Wiener — traveled to Washington this fall for the association's national conclave.

All returned with renewed dedication to work toward furthering the cathedral's building program — and with awe over the glory of the completed nave and west rose window.

Since 1907, approximately \$40 million dollars has been

spent on building the cathedral. The figure sounds astronomical — until one considers that it is less than today's cost for one bomber, or that the Pontiac Silverdome's construction cost was \$55 million.

"The cathedral remains unfinished," notes a summary report from Brakeley, John Price Jones, Inc., of New York, engaged by the Cathedral Chapter to undertake a fund-raising study, "but what remains is measurable and possible."

Yet the financial difficulties of the National Cathedral cannot be minimized.

There is currently a moratorium on building, with \$850,000 needed to complete the Pilgrim Gallery.

"There is a real need for the National Cathedral to be completed before the stone carvers depart the scene," reports Shirley Humphreys. So far, the National Cathedral Association has raised \$386,000 for the Pilgrim Gallery.

The \$850,000 needed to complete the gallery is based on the premise that work would begin immediately; a 10 percent cost increase is anticipated with each passing year.

The National Cathedral Association in Michigan has contributed generously to the Pilgrim Gallery. The association is the cathedral's only parish.

All present members are encouraged to renew their memberships. All are urged to solicit new members.

Each member receives a quarterly magazine, "Cathedral Age," which keeps members abreast of the cathedral's progress and current programs.

Membership categories are Endowment, (lifetime), \$1,000 or more, and Annual: Sustaining, \$250 or more; Supporting, \$100 or more; Contributing, \$25 or more; Active, \$15 or more; Group, \$10 or more; and Special, \$10 senior citizen or student.

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Post-Holiday Bridge Slated

Members of the Grosse Pointe Women's Club will get together for a post-holiday afternoon bridge Wednesday, January 4, at noon in the Reception Room of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial's Alger House.

A sandwich and dessert buffet luncheon will precede the afternoon's card playing.

All members of the Woman's Club who enjoy playing bridge are invited. Reservations are required, and may be made by contacting the chairman, Mrs. Dick Warner, or co-chairman, Mrs. Lampton J. Cardwell, by Friday, December 30.

To Marry



Mr. and Mrs. George D. Henry, of University place, are announcing the engagement of their daughter LINDA LEE to Thomas Lynn Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wilson, of Plymouth. An early summer wedding is planned.

Miss Henry was graduated this month from Western Michigan University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Merchandising.

Her fiancé, a former WMU Business student, is currently attending Lawrence Institute of Technology, enrolled in the School of Architecture.

retire January 17, after 26 years' service to the cathedral. The honorable David Acheson has been chosen as new president of the National Cathedral Association. He is also a member of the Cathedral Chapter.

Mrs. Syler is the present chairman of the NCA's Eastern Michigan Chapter.

Poison Center Provides Tips on Holiday Safety

As the holiday season approaches, so do some dangers unique to this time of year. Here, courtesy of Children's Hospital Poison Control Center, are a few precautions that should be taken in order to keep your family's holiday happy and safe.

HOLIDAY DINNER: The traditional turkey feast may hold hidden danger of food poisoning if the cook is careless in food preparation and storage of leftovers.

The two major spoiled food hazards are an intestinal infection called Salmonellosis, (especially from poultry and eggs), and a type of poisoning from Staphylococcus, (often found in turkey dressing, pumpkin pie and cream or custard desserts).

Fresh fowl should be kept in the refrigerator until ready to cook. Frozen fowl must be thawed in THE REFRIGERATOR for several days, depending on the

weight of the bird. Fowl should be cooked thoroughly.

If possible, the dressing should be made just before the cooking. Dressing prepared a day ahead should be refrigerated separately until cooking.

(For double protection against food poisoning, cook fowl and dressing separately. If stuffed turkey is a must, place the bird in the oven immediately after stuffing.)

After the dinner, remove

dressing and wrap and refrigerate both dressing and turkey immediately. To freeze leftover fowl and dressing, wrap separately — and plan to use within six weeks.

All other leftovers should be refrigerated as soon as possible. Custard and cream-filled desserts could be especially dangerous if left unrefrigerated.

HOLIDAY DECORATIONS: (Continued on Page 22)

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The Paul D. Cencers



At an early evening ceremony Saturday, October 1, in Saint Patrick's Catholic Church, Ann Arbor, BARBARA MARY SIERON, daughter of the Erwin M. Sierons, of Ann Arbor, and Mr. Cencer, son of the James P. Cencers, of Elford court, exchanged marriage vows.

GPHC to Greet The New Year

New Year's Eve at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club will offer "something for everyone" according to Jean Schwartz, of North Oxford road, who, with her husband, Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Cobau, of Oxford road, and Dr. and Mrs. Sallah Gouda, of Lakeshore road, is co-chairing the gala's activities.

Mixed doubles tennis starts at 6 o'clock. Cocktails and a filet mignon dinner will be served in the main clubhouse. Hank Warren will provide the music for dancing, along with terpsichorean instructions by Ricky Dove. Open tennis is available at 10:30 o'clock. Dancing will be continuous, and there'll be champagne and special favors for members and their guests.

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At a meeting presided over by Pat Goyeau and Marilyn Truax, president and vice-president of the sponsoring Twelve Oaks, Vivian Nosakowski was installed as president of the new chapter.

Serving with her are Lee Carroll, vice-president, Norma Romberg, recording secretary, Mary Ann Mosher, corresponding secretary, and June Floyd, treasurer.

Committee people were selected and the ABWA and Means committee announced a Christmas candy and craft sale. The December meeting will be a Christmas party at the home of Mary Berndt.

Saint John Orthodox Serves Dinner Dance

George Savalas, (Telly's brother), will entertain Saturday, January 7, at Saint John Greek Orthodox Church's annual dinner dance. Reservations for the \$35-per-person donation party at Royalty House may be obtained by calling 791-6382, 759-4171 or 886-5495.

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Women's Page—by, of and for Pointe Women

Seek Support for National Cathedral

Five members of the Eastern Michigan board of the National Cathedral Association—Mrs. James Humphreys, Jr., Mrs. Henry B. Kinzie, Mrs. George W. Syler, Mrs. Anthony Vinci and Mrs. Alexander L. Wiener—traveled to Washington this fall for the association's national convocation.

All returned with renewed dedication to work toward furthering the cathedral's building program—and with awe over the glory of the completed nave and west rose window.

Since 1907, approximately \$40 million dollars has been

spent on building the cathedral. The figure sounds astronomical—until one considers that it is less than today's cost for one bomber, or that the Pontiac Silverdome's construction cost was \$55 million.

"The cathedral remains unfinished," notes a summary report from Brakeley, John Price Jones, Inc., of New York, engaged by the Cathedral Chapter to undertake a fund-raising study, "but what remains is measurable and possible."

Yet the financial difficulties of the National Cathedral cannot be minimized.

There is currently a moratorium on building, with \$850,000 needed to complete the Pilgrim Gallery.

"There is a real need for the National Cathedral to be completed before the stone carvers depart the scene," reports Shirley Humphreys. So far, the National Cathedral Association has raised \$880,000 for the Pilgrim Gallery.

The \$850,000 needed to complete the gallery is based on the premise that work would begin immediately; a 10 percent cost increase is anticipated with each passing year.

The National Cathedral Association in Michigan has contributed generously to the Pilgrim Gallery. The association is the cathedral's only parish.

All present members are encouraged to renew their memberships. All are urged to solicit new members.

Each member receives a quarterly magazine, "Cathedral Age," which keeps members abreast of the cathedral's progress and current programs.

Membership categories are Endowment, (lifetime), \$1,000 or more, and Annual: Sustaining, \$250 or more; Supporting, \$100 or more; Contributing, \$25 or more; Active, \$15 or more; Group, \$10 or more; and Special, \$10 senior citizen or student.

Checks, payable to the National Cathedral Association, should be sent to Mrs. Alexander Wiener, 6 Woodland place, Grosse Pointe, Michigan 48230.

The National Cathedral is not only a national symbol of the Episcopal Church but a church for all people in the nation's capital.

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Post-Holiday Bridge Slated

Members of the Grosse Pointe Women's Club will get together for a post-holiday afternoon of bridge Wednesday, January 4, at noon in the Reception Room of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial's Alger House.

A sandwich and dessert buffet luncheon will precede the afternoon's card playing.

All members of the Woman's Club who enjoy playing bridge are invited. Reservations are required, and may be made by contacting the chairman, Mrs. Dick Warner, or co-chairman, Mrs. Lampton J. Cardwell, by Friday, December 30.

To Marry



Mr. and Mrs. George D. Henry, of University place, are announcing the engagement of their daughter LINDA LEE to Thomas Lynn Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wilson, of Plymouth. An early summer wedding is planned.

Miss Henry was graduated this month from Western Michigan University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Merchandising.

Her fiancé, a former WMU Business student, is currently attending Lawrence Institute of Technology, enrolled in the School of Architecture.

retire January 17, after 26 years' service to the cathedral. The honorable David Acheson has been chosen as new president of the National Cathedral Association. He is also a member of the Cathedral Chapter.

Mrs. Syler is the present chairman of the NCA's Eastern Michigan Chapter.

Poison Center Provides Tips on Holiday Safety

As the holiday season approaches, so do some dangers unique to this time of year. Here, courtesy of Children's Hospital Poison Control Center, are a few precautions that should be taken in order to keep your family's holiday happy and safe.

HOLIDAY DINNER: The traditional turkey feast may hold hidden danger of food poisoning if the cook is careless in food preparation and storage of leftovers.

The two major spoiled food hazards are an intestinal infection called Salmonellosis, (especially from poultry and eggs), and a type of poisoning from Staphylococcus, (often found in turkey dressing, pumpkin pie and cream or custard desserts).

Fresh fowl should be kept in the refrigerator until ready to cook. Frozen fowl must be thawed IN THE REFRIGERATOR for several days, depending on the

weight of the bird. Fowl should be cooked thoroughly.

If possible, the dressing should be made just before the cooking. Dressing prepared a day ahead should be refrigerated separately until cooking.

(For double protection against food poisoning, cook fowl and dressing separately. If stuffed turkey is a must, place the bird in the oven immediately after stuffing.)

dressing and wrap and refrigerate both dressing and turkey immediately. To freeze leftover fowl and dressing, wrap separately—and plan to use within six weeks.

All other leftovers should be refrigerated as soon as possible. Custard and cream-filled desserts could be especially dangerous if left unrefrigerated.

HOLIDAY DECORATIONS: (Continued on Page 22)

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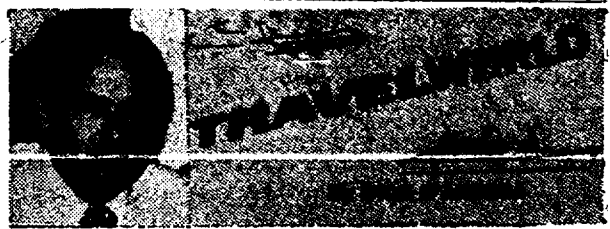
Pointe Sojourn for Cromwells

Dr. and Mrs. Rue L. Cromwell, formerly of Rivard boulevard, now residents of Pittsford, N.Y., were recent houseguests of the Arthur J. Ferdinands in Hillcrest road.

Dr. Cromwell will deliver a Clinical Colloquium on Recent Studies of Attention in Schizophrenia at Wayne State University.

He is currently director of Research at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry.

The Cromwells' daughter, Lita, a Physical Education major at Western Michigan University, and the Ferdinands' son, Andrew, who also attended WMU and recently received his Associate degree in Applied Science, with a Business Management major, from Kalamazoo Valley Community College, will marry May 27.



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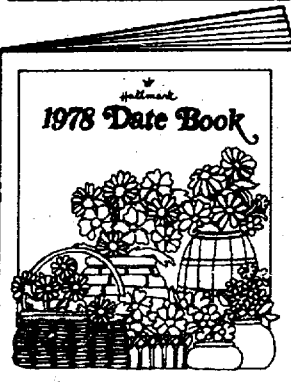
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Exchanging marriage vows in the garden of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial Saturday, August 20, were **MARY MARGARET DUFOUR**, daughter of the George A. DuFours, of Yorkshire road, and **Mr. Boehm**, son of the Jerome E. Boehms, of Orleans, Mich.



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DIA Headlines Pair of Shows

Two exceptional exhibitions are leading holiday attractions at the Detroit Institute of Arts this season.

"Henri Matisse Paper Cuts" is considered so extraordinary that the Art Institute will set a precedent — this show will be open to the public on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve, from 8:30 to 5:30 o'clock, although other museum galleries will be closed December 24 and 31.

The entire museum will be closed on Christmas and New Year's Day.

The Matisse exhibition, here through Sunday, January 8, continues to receive praise from national and international critics. It was visited by some 17,000 persons in the first 10 days following its introduction November 22.

The bold and brilliantly colorful assembly of cut-paper paintings by the French 20th century master, (1869-1954), was organized by the Detroit Institute of Arts and the St. Louis Art Museum.

General admission is \$2.50. Admission for students and senior citizens with ID is \$1.50. Sponsoring members of the Founders Society Detroit Institute of Arts and children under 12 with an adult are admitted free.

Regular exhibition hours are Tuesday through Sunday, 9:30 to 5:30 o'clock. The color-saturated show, featuring loans from European, Japanese and United States public and private collections, fills two levels of the Art Institute's Ford Wing.

An imported show of Turner Watercolors from the British Museum opens today, Thursday, December 15, and will run through February 18. It features 73 fine examples of Joseph Mallord William Turner's brilliant treatment of panoramic subjects in a few inches of space.

The show reveals a surprising, intimate aspect of the painter, (1775-1851), best known for massive, dramatic oils of marine subjects, historical scenes and landscapes.

The annual Wassail Feast arranged by the museum's Performing Arts Department had capacity attendance December 13 through 17 for its Old English revelry and feasting.

The Art Institute ticket office, 832-2730, is now providing information for Wassail — 1978, and advises early reservations for this popular event.

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In the garden of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial where a dinner reception followed in the Crystal Ballroom, Mary Margaret DuFour spoke her marriage vows to Kenneth J. Boehm.

Presiding at the 6 o'clock rites Saturday, August 20, was The Reverend Father James Trent.

During the mass readings were read by Martin A. Bergeson, of Laguna Hills, Calif., brother-in-law of the bride, and Mrs. Jeffrey DeMasco, of Detroit, the bridegroom's sister.

Lisa, Laurie, Lynn and Daniel Bergeson, the bride's nieces and nephew, presented the gifts at the altar.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. DuFour, of Yorkshire road, wore a cap-sleeved gown of white Qiana styled with an Alencon lace bodice.

Her fingertip length, illusion veil fell from a Juliet cap trimmed with matching, scalloped lace. She carried white Sweetheart roses, stephanotis and baby's-breath.

Renee M. DuFour was honor maid for her sister. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Bergeson and Donna Boehm,

the bridegroom's sister.

Their floor length, Empire frocks were fashioned of lettuce green Qiana. Each carried a large, yellow glamelia and wore a small, yellow glamelia in her hair.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome E. Boehm, of Orleans, Mich., asked Ronald K. Stavale, of Detroit, to act as best man.

Ushers were Ronald and Douglas Boehm, brothers of the bridegroom, and the bride's brothers: Thomas, James and Michael DuFour, all of whom reside in Grosse Pointe, Richard DuFour, of Chicago, Patrick DuFour, of Las Vegas, Randy DuFour, of Carmel, Calif., and George A. DuFour, II, of Laguna Hills, Calif.

The mother of the bride wore a long-sleeved, floor length gown of dusty rose Qiana. She pinned a pink-tinged white glamelia to her purse.

The bridegroom's mother's

long gown was fashioned of pastel flowered chiffon. She wore her pink-tinged white glamelia as a wrist corsage.

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Miss Bachrach is a graduate of Grosse Pointe University School, Colby Junior College, the University of Michigan and the Sorbonne. She received her Masters degree in French Literature from Wayne State University.

Mr. Schroeder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick John Schroeder, of St. Paul avenue, was graduated from University of Detroit High School and Georgetown University, Washington, D.C. He received his Masters degree in Business Administration from the Harvard Business School.

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Women's Page—by, of and for Pointe Women

Five Pointes Club Gathers

Members of Five Pointes Garden Club gathered at noon Wednesday, December 14, at Lochmoor Club for their annual Christmas luncheon, each bringing an item central to her personal Christmas tradition for a holiday show-and-tell program. Mrs. Edward Weber was in charge of arrangements.

Constance Is Coming Home for Christmas

Constance M. Drake, a student at Western Washington University, Bellingham, Wash., visited friends in Aspen, Colo., where she has spent several seasons, en route east to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth S. Drake, of Touraine road. Connie previously attended Elmira College, Elmira, N.Y.

Betrothed



A February wedding is being planned by BEVERLY ANNE CLEMENT and David L. Granger whose engagement has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Marjorie I. Clement, of Blairmoor court.

Fall Bride



A September wedding is being planned by CHARLENE MAE AUSTRERBERRY and James William Yetter whose engagement has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Charles F. Austrerberry, of Berkshire road.

The bride-elect was graduated from Grosse Pointe South High School and Western Michigan University. Mr. Granger, son of Dr. Francis L. Granger, of Detroit and Rose City, and the late Mrs. Granger, was graduated from Michigan State University.

The bride-elect, who is also the daughter of the late Mr. Austrerberry, was graduated from Grosse Pointe South High School and received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Administration from Rollins College, Winter Park, Fla., where she affiliated with Kappa Alpha Theta sorority, last May.

Texas Is Setting for Margaret Millenbach's Marriage

Margaret Ruth Millenbach and James Malcolm Harless designed the rings they exchanged at their early October wedding in Saint Mary's Church, Austin, Tex.

They also wrote their vows, in conjunction with Father Michael Fritzen, D.V.M., who presided at the ceremony.

Peggy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mathew King Millenbach, of Three Mile

drive, and granddaughter of Mrs. Mathew N. Millenbach and the late Mr. Millenbach, and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Nicholl, all of The Pointe.

James' parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. Malcolm Harless, of Beaumont, Tex.

Inserts of ribbon and lace extended the length of the sleeves and skirt of the bride's ecru batiste gown. Her bouquet of white and

yellow roses and baby's breath was centered with a white orchid grown by the bridegroom's mother.

Mrs. Nicholas Shock came from Detroit to attend her sister. Suzanne's dress was rose and blue crepe, jacket style. She carried matching chrysanthemums.

Thomas Millenbach, of Austin, brother of the bride, was best man.

The bride's mother wore a floor length gown of aqua crepe, with a matching stole of sheer nylon. The bridegroom's mother chose a long, yellow shirtwaist with a sheer, matching overskirt.

Both mothers wore deep purple Vanda orchids grown by Mrs. Harless.

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Society News Gathered from the Pointes

Poison Is Danger During Holiday

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There is approximately two-thirds of a teaspoon of fluid in each Christmas Tree Bubbling Light Bulb. When a bulb is broken and the remainder of the contents ingested it is unlikely that a child could receive a toxic quantity; however, central

nervous system depression and excitation is possible. The family doctor or the Poison Control Center should be contacted.

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ach and intestinal irritation and other toxic manifestations. Contact your doctor or the Poison Control Center if any of this substance is ingested.

Christmas tree ornaments made of thin metal or plastic, (mold or foam), are only of concern by virtue of their mechanical potential to cut or obstruct. Paint or coloring on these objects has no reputation for causing poisoning.

Spun glass "angel hair" can cause irritation of the eyes, skin, stomach and intestinal tract.

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HOLIDAY PLANTS: Many traditional holiday plants are highly toxic. Ingestion of mistletoe, especially the berries, causes stomach irritation, slow pulse and collapse. Boxwood leaves and twigs cause stomach irritation and convulsions.

The fruit of the Jerusalem cherry causes stomach irritation and depression. Shock is possible.

Delayed stomach irritation, shock, coma and trembling are symptoms experienced following ingestion of the Jequirity bean, (rosary pea).

Ingestion of yew species, (all parts), causes stomach irritation, shortness of breath, weakness, shock, coma, convulsions and slow pulse.

Decking Webster House



Henry Ford Museum photo

The Noah Webster house at Greenfield Village has been decorated for the holidays with the help of a pair of Pointers: MRS. ROBERT PALMER, (right), and MRS. FREDERICK SCHUMANN. The Webster House project was undertaken by District One of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan. Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Schumann were members responsible for the creation of a beautiful, fruit-filled centerpiece. Other homes and buildings have been decorated by Village staff, Christmas cooking emanates from Early American kitchens and sleigh rides—weather permitting—add a special treat during "Christmas in Greenfield Village," which runs through Saturday, December 31.

Minor stomach irritation is a result of ingestion of Pyracantha berries.

Continue Symphony's Christmas Festival

After three highly-successful, capacity-audience Christmas Pops concerts, the Detroit Symphony Orchestra has moved into the second week of its 1977 Christmas Festival.

Tomorrow, Friday, December 23, at 8:30 o'clock, the Detroit Symphony Chamber Orchestra, under the direction of Raymond Leppard, will present a chamber concert with Robert Williams, DSO principal bassoonist, as soloist.

On the program are Boyce's Overture to "The Cambridge Ode," Handel's Concerto grosso Op. 6 No. 11, Haydn's Symphony No. 73, ("La chasse"), Vivaldi's Bassoon Concerto in A minor, RV 497, and Bach's Overture, (Suite), No. 4.

There are still tickets available for other DSO Christmas Festival favorites, including tonight's Messiah. It begins at 8:30 o'clock.

In addition, tickets are still available for six performances of the Nutcracker ballet: Wednesday, December 28, at 8:30 o'clock; Thursday, December 29, at 2 and 8:30; Friday, December 30, at 2 and 8:30; and a special New Year's Eve performance at 9 December 31, with a gala celebration in the Social Room of Ford Auditorium following the ballet.

Tickets may be purchased at the Ford Auditorium box office, (dial 962-5524 for Master Charge and VISA charge card orders), Hudson's and Ward's ticket outlets and the Detroit Tonight desk at the Plaza Hotel in Renaissance Center.

Ticket prices for the DSO Chamber Orchestra Concert are \$8.50, \$5 and \$3.50.

Messiah prices are \$7.50, \$5.50, \$3.50 and children 12 and under half price.

Nutcracker evening prices are \$7.50, \$5.50 and \$3.50; matinees are \$6.50, \$4.50 and \$2.50 with children under 12 half price, (\$6.50 tickets are sold out for December 29 matinee); the special New Year's Eve performance is \$8.50, \$7 and \$4.50, with the audience invited to the celebration afterwards.

Robert Leppard, DSO Chamber Orchestra conductor, is a world-renowned authority on Baroque and Renaissance music, composer, editor, onetime Cambridge don, harpsichord virtuoso and conductor of a widely eclectic repertoire for both large symphonic orchestras and smaller aggregations.

The list of his recordings is long and distinguished.

His catalog of works made with the English Chamber Orchestra for Philips ranges from Monteverdi to Dvorak and includes all the great chamber orchestra music of Bach, Handel, Haydn and Mozart.

Mr. Leppard was born in London. He entered Trinity College at Cambridge Uni-

versity as a choral scholar.

In 1958 he returned to Cambridge as a University Lecturer, and for 10 years taught a wide range of sub-

jects. In 1968 Leppard left the academic world to devote himself completely to conducting.

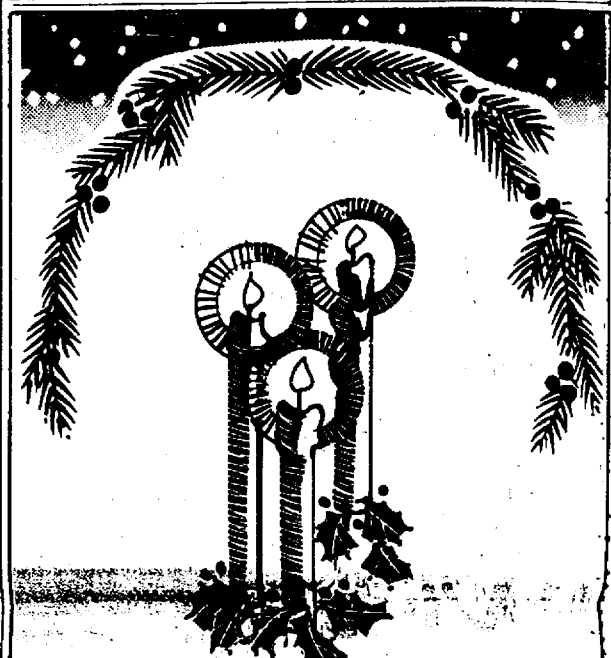


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Small World Is on Display

An exhibit of miniatures and child-sized furniture, "Lilliput, U.S.A. and the World of Miniatures," recently opened at the Detroit Historical Museum.

It spotlights the museum's fine collection of small-scale furniture, dollhouses and miniatures from the late 18th and early 20th centuries.

In addition there are related pieces, including houses and accessories, from private collectors as well as a travelling exhibit from the Smithsonian Institution featuring items from the nationally-renowned Margaret Woodbury Strong Museum in Rochester, N.Y.

Some of the dollhouses on display are intricately decorated in authentic accessories of the era they represent, such as a Victorian mansion and a New Orleans townhouse complete with an elevator.

The child-sized pieces include pianos, chairs, couches, desks, kitchen appliances and dishes.

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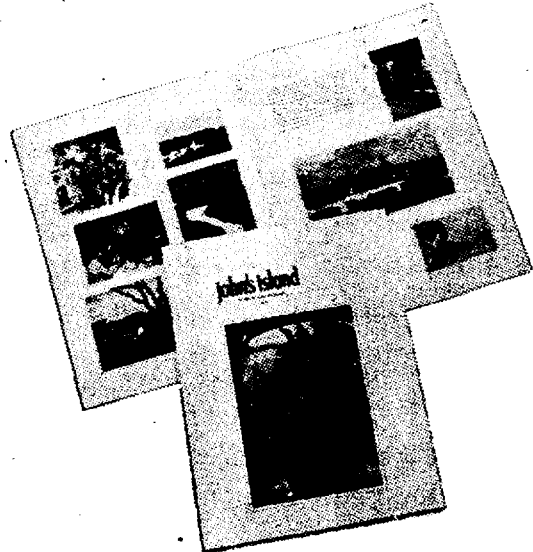
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Women's Page—by, of and for Pointe Women

Engaged

July Bride



The engagement of MARY LEAH HANGER and Michael Lee Marshall has been announced by her father, Stuart T. Hanger, of Radnor circle. A September 23 wedding is planned.

Miss Hanger, who is also the daughter of the late Mary Campbell Hanger, was graduated from Grosse Pointe South High School and received her Bachelor of Science degree in Teaching from Grand Valley State College, where she majored in Art. She teaches art at St. Paul's Elementary School.

Mr. Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo R. Marshall, of Coopersville, Mich., is an alumnus of Coopersville High School and has served in the United States Navy. He expects to receive his Bachelor's degree next year from Grand Valley State College, where he is majoring in Biology.

Try Shopping In Old Detroit

Stocked on the shelves of the Old Detroit Shop in the Detroit Historical Museum and displayed in its cases are reasonably-priced items of high quality and craftsmanship.

The shop always has glassware and pewter, brass and wooden items including paperweights, candlesticks, flatware and intricate "show off" cases.

Among its specialties are dollhouse miniatures, cast-

A July 7 wedding is being planned by SUSAN ELIZABETH WILLETTS and Jeffrey Holbrook Wardwell whose engagement was announced during Thanksgiving festivities by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burton Willetts, of University place.

Miss Willetts was graduated from Grosse Pointe South High School in 1975. She has transferred, after two years at Western Michigan University, to Michigan State University, where she is majoring in Advertising.

Mr. Wardwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Otis Wardwell, of Kercheval avenue, was graduated from University Liggett School in 1973 and received his Bachelor's degree this year from Albion College, where he affiliated with Sigma Chi fraternity.

He is presently working for the Lincoln-Mercury Division of Ford Motor Company in Denver, Colo.

iron banks, prints, posters, jewelry and unique children's toys.

Books on Detroit and Michigan history and old-fashioned crafts are available, as are craft kits.

Each Christmas the shop reproduces an historic illustration which appears in limited edition Christmas cards.

Also for sale are reproductions from the museum's collection, such as a Civil War recruiting poster and an 1840 inkwell produced by a 19th century Detroit office supply company.

Weekend College to Be Offered by Mercy

A Weekend College is being instituted by Mercy College of Detroit for its spring 1978 term.

The pilot program will afford students an opportunity to earn or complete a Bachelor of Science degree by attending full-credit college classes on Saturdays only.

During the initial 15-week semester, six three-credit hour courses will be offered leading to a degree in either Business Administration or Health Services. Additional programs and courses will be

added in the future.

Requirements for admission to the Weekend College include a high school diploma or General Education certificate, an interval of at least three years since the applicant last attended formal classes, and an admissions interview.

Academic standards and course content will be identical to Mercy's regular day or evening courses. The major difference is that Weekend College students will attend classes on only five Sat-

urdays each semester and will be able to earn their degree in four and two-thirds years or less.

Courses available in the spring semester are: Theory and Techniques of Adult Education, Health Facilities, Introduction to Business, Organization and Management, College Study: Skills and Techniques, and American Values in Transition.

Tuition will be \$219 for each three-credit hour course. Financial aid is available for students who are enrolled for

a minimum of six credit hours per semester.

Further information and an admissions application to the Weekend College may be obtained by writing to Mercy College of Detroit, 8200 West Outer drive, Detroit, Michigan 48219, or by calling the Weekend College Office, 531-7820, Extension 373.

LIEUTENANT TODD M. REMUS, son of MR. and MRS. STANLEY T. REMUS, of Severn road, a senior member of the Battalion

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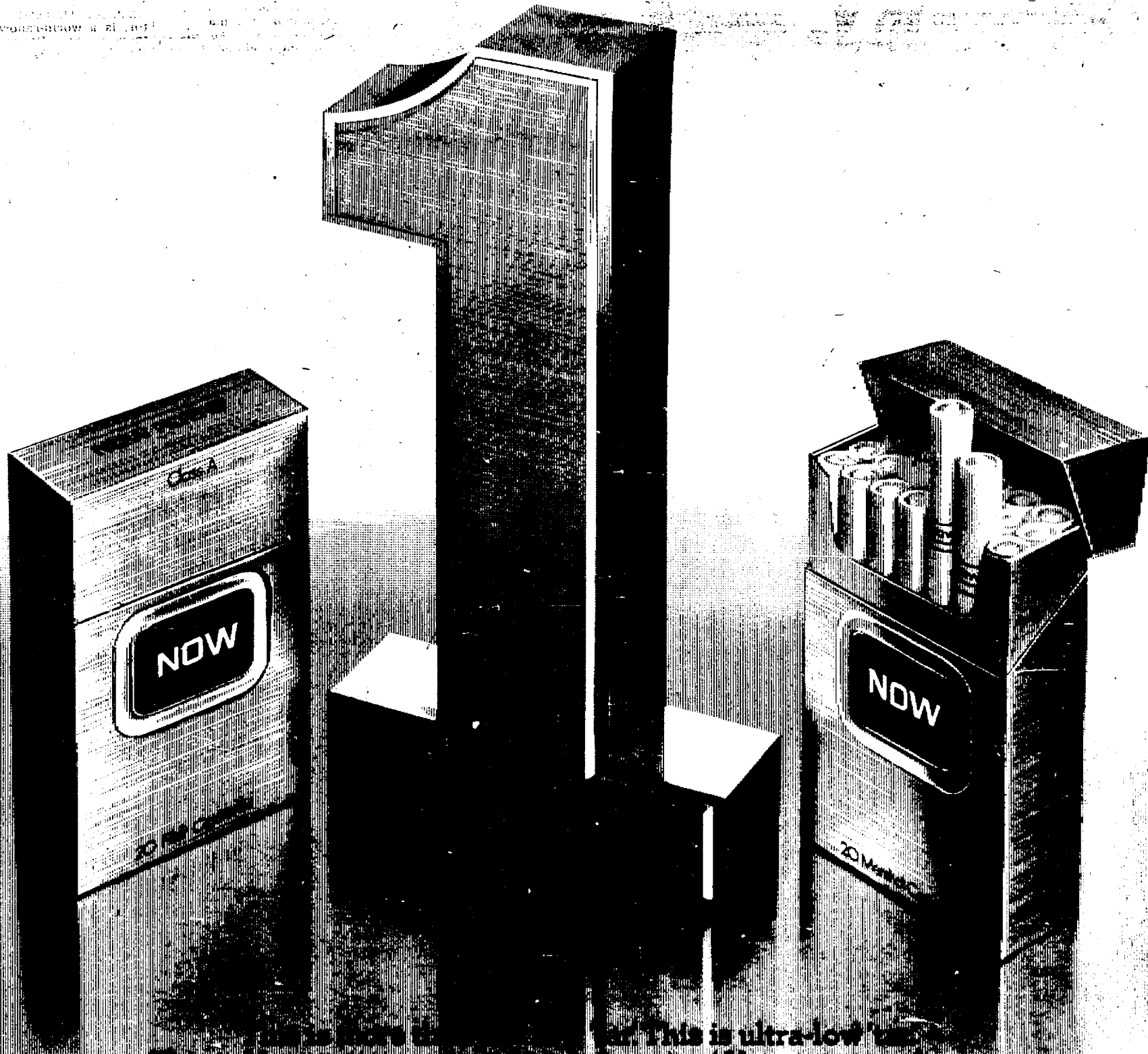
Stress, a frequent cause of physical and mental ills, will be explored as a positive force in a nondegree management course to be offered by the Division of Continuing Education at Oakland University beginning Thursday, January 26.

The course will cover how to recognize stress, how to turn it around and how to use it for optimum management effectiveness.

It is scheduled from 7 to 9 o'clock Thursdays, for 10 weeks. Other courses as well as diploma programs are offered at Oakland in the management area, at basic, advanced and executive levels.

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The game reached its peak when Country Day scored the winning basket with two seconds left on the clock. The score was tied at 42-42 with nine seconds remaining when ULS took the ball out and the inbound pass was intercepted.

With the interception, Country Day called time with seven seconds left. The rush that followed left ULS down two points as the clock ran out.

ULS was on top the majority of the game. At one time, during the third period, Liggett had a seven-point lead. Leading Liggett scorer was David George with 13 points.

ELECTED OFFICER

Dr. John Hartzell, of The Pointe, a neurosurgeon at Harper-Grace Hospital, was recently elected treasurer of the Detroit Surgical Society.

Court of Honor Held by Troop

The fall Court of Honor for Boy Scout Troop 156 sponsored by Christ Episcopal Church, 61 Grosse Pointe boulevard, was recently held at Alcamo's Hall in St. Clair Shores.

The highlight of the evening was the presentation of Scouting's highest award, The Eagle, to brothers James and Robert Grant, the sons of Mr. and Mrs. John Grant of Fleetwood road.

Assisting in the presentation of the Eagle Awards were former Woods Councilman Ronald R. Kegen, Robert Roddewig, longtime educator and former assistant scoutmaster from Parcels Middle School, Eaton Kelly, assistant scoutmaster from the Parcels Scout Troop, and Troop 156 Scoutmaster Dennis Crooks.

Life Scout Awards went to Christopher Delling, James Gibson and Jeff Judson.

Star Scout Awards were presented to David Centner, Jeff Clark, Robert Gall, Robert Kost, Willy Moyn and James Burke.

First Class recipients included Beau Burton, Tom Gentile, Chuck Gray, John Judson and Mark Opyd.

Second Class recognitions were presented to Craig Baetz, William Bonk, Robert Czajkowski, Sam Fuqua and Kurt Vining.

Tenderfoot awards were presented to Hoang Nguyen, Phuong Nguyen, Thach Nguyen and Patrick Twiddy.

New scout Eric Gustafson was presented his Scout Card and Badge.

Scout of the Year Awards for Troop 156 were presented to Eagle Scout Robert Grant and Life Scout James Gibson with Honor Scout awards going to Life Scout Jeff Judson and Star Scout David Centner.

A special tribute was paid to outgoing Troop Committee Chairman Wilson Moyn of Stanhope road for all of his valuable services to Troop 156.

Guest speaker for the evening was former television personality Dean Miller.

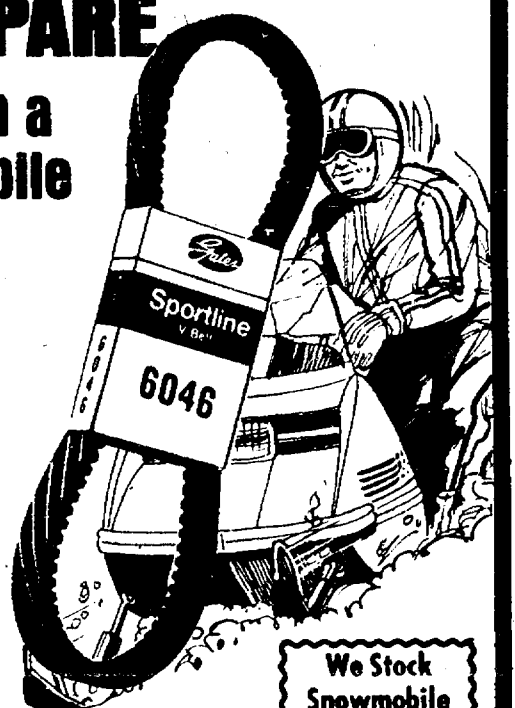
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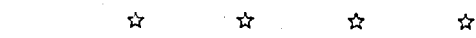
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By Pat Rousseau

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Pointer of Interest



ERNEST MOELLER, OF NEFF ROAD, WITH GRANDDAUGHTER KRISTI WALKER

By Ann Wallace

Christmas - dollhouses - grandfathers - grandchildren! This season of the year we can all very easily associate one of these words with another and so does Ernest Moeller, a grandfather to 14 children, who has made a Victorian dollhouse for one of them, six-year-old Kristi Walker, of Birmingham.

Mr. Moeller, a builder of many "grown-up" homes and apartments in the Grosse Pointe area, who retired in 1968, has spent some 200 hours in his labor of love—the dollhouse.

Weighing about 90 pounds, it measures 36 inches by 18 inches by 24 inches high and is constructed of white pine. The entire dollhouse, with the exception of the plastic windows and filigree trimming around the framework, was made by hand, including the 748 pieces of siding and 588 shingles, all of which were individually cut and glued to the framework of the house. What patience! The structure was then painted white and green.

Has Stairway Landing

In the center of the house is a stairway with a landing halfway to the second floor. Mr. Moeller has placed a viewing window at the rear of the house so that the stairway can be seen, as well as the rooms at the back of the house. He has plans for lighting the interior, but this will be completed some time in the near future.

There are six rooms, including a living room with a handmade fireplace, kitchen, bedrooms and a bathroom. (This could very well be a description of a home Mr. Moeller probably built before he retired.) Both Mr. and Mrs. Moeller have some ideas for furnishing the dollhouse. They hope to include handmade furniture as well as draperies, carpeting and rugs.

Needless to say, this will require many more hours of planning and carpentry, but each piece will be done, one by one, as time and patience will allow.

The Moellers certainly exhibit the TRUE spirit of Christmas—giving and sharing of one's self to another! Has Easy Access

Mr. Moeller, who made the house from plans that were purchased in Denver, Colo., notes that easy access by small hands to the interior of the house is made possible because the entire front of the house opens up. There are removable walls so that room size can be changed.

"As there is a tremendous amount of detail in the dollhouse," says Mr. Moeller, "I feel at this time that Kristi is a little young to play with it, as there are parts that are very delicate."

"As I continued to build it I realized this, so I decided to make her a second dollhouse that is almost identical but a little smaller and less delicate and elaborate. It will be easier for her to handle and also for the other grandchildren when they come to play."

Mr. Moeller adds, "Kristi will be a little more relaxed with it and I know I will be. When she is a few years older, she will appreciate the detail and fragility of the Victorian dollhouse."

The second dollhouse, which required about 40 to 50 hours of work, is identical in color and also has the same shingles and siding as the bigger house. It will be able to withstand the rigors of small hands moving furniture and dolls about from room to room.

Due for Surprise
Kristi has seen the big dollhouse many times as it was being built, but she has not seen the second house. Can you imagine the size of her eyes on Christmas morning when she will see the SECOND dollhouse?

An indication of the work involved is the knowledge that there are no nails in

either of the houses. Everything has been glued into place. Mr. Moeller, who built the houses in the workshop in the basement of his home, says, "I work on the houses after supper in the evening, but have to take a break after a while as my patience wears out."

"I will then stop and read the paper or watch television. Those shingles were the most tedious. Each one had to be cut individually. I was very happy when they were finished."

Mr. Moeller, since his retirement as a builder, has also been busy building many BIG pieces of furniture for his own home, as well as for friends, in his basement workshop which also includes a small room where he does decoupage which is used to decorate some of the pieces of furniture.

Enlists Cutter's Help
This is a self-taught art learned from a friend who supplied him with information about the technique. He continues to do it, but the cutting and trimming of the flowers or other subjects used in the decoupage is so time consuming that he asks someone else to do that for him.

Mr. Moeller uses the decoupage on top of jewelry cases or anything else he is making. All his pieces are made of solid cherry, mahogany or pine. Other items he has made include muffin stands, end tables of all sizes, apothecary cases, a beautiful grandfather's clock and two desks that are made of solid cherry, including even the sides of the numerous drawers.

"I used solid brass handles and hinges on the desks," notes Mr. Moeller, "but I am finding a great deal of difficulty in finding them now."

"I have spent as long as 50 to 60 hours in building a desk, from the time I decide the measurements to the time I put on the final coat of stain and varnish," Mr. Moeller says, "but since I am retired, I do have the time and I enjoy it very much. The nice part about it is that I can start and stop when I want to."

"There are no deadlines to meet, and having been in a business where deadlines are always at hand, I appreciate being able to come and go as I please."

Set Up Own Shop
When he retired from his business, which involved building homes and apartments in the Mack avenue, Lakeland avenue and Charlevoix avenue areas, Mr. Moeller moved much of the wood-working machinery and tools used when he was a carpenter into the basement of his home. These are still in continuous use, along with a

lathe that was given to him by Mrs. Moeller for Father's Day.

"I really appreciated the lathe," says Mr. Moeller. "I would never buy one myself as I felt they cost too much money! So it was a big surprise when I received this one as a gift. It opens up a whole new world of items I can now make such as end tables or chairs with spindle legs."

Winter is when Mr. Moeller spends much time building his furniture and doing woodwork, especially in the evenings. During the daytime, he is busy bowling and involved in other activities.

Have Heated Cottage

"But every now and then," continues Mr. Moeller, "my wife and I will travel up to our home in Lakewood Shores, near Oscoda, which is a winterized cottage. It is nice to take a break. Since it is winterized, we can just walk in the door and sit down without any special preparation."

"We go up there much of the time in the summer and I especially enjoy the golf course and spend many hours there. I am not much of a fisherman."

Michigan has been Mr. Moeller's home all his life. He was born and raised in the community of Kinde, 112 miles straight north of Detroit on Van Dyke road. He lived in the country, where the sleigh was the only means of transportation in the wintertime snows.

Over his desk on the wall in his home are two small replicas of sleighs that he built that were in great use at that time: a "cutter" sleigh which was used by the family members in doing shopping or going to church, and a much larger sleigh with space for hauling logs or supplies.

Mr. Moeller adds that since there were no automobiles in the area, the sleigh was a very valuable vehicle, the family's lifeline.

Have Five Children

Mr. Moeller and his wife, who was born in Toronto and moved to Detroit when two years old, have five children. Ernest, Jr., has followed in his father's footsteps and is a builder.

Richard lives in Denver, Lois is a Grosse Pointe, Wallace resides in Modesto, Calif., and Linda, who lives in Birmingham, is the mother of Kristi, the recipient of the dollhouse.

Mrs. Moeller has done some painting in the past. Now she needlepoints and sews clothing for her grandchildren. (She made the jumper that Kristi is wearing in the photograph with her grandfather.)

"My wife is a great reader," says Mr. Moeller. "She can finish a book in an evening. Along with these activities, she also is my book-keeper, and a very good one."

Along with his hobby of making the pieces of furniture, and dollhouses, Mr.

Short and to The Pointe

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JONATHAN PEPPER, son of MR. and MRS. JAMES F. PEPPER, of Hawthorne road, recently a staff reporter for the student news of the Bethel College publicity department, is a senior Speech Communications major who was appointed to the Student Affairs Policy Committee of the student senate.

Recently pledged to Alpha Phi fraternity for Women at the University of Michigan were University Liggett School graduate PATRICIA ELLEN PERRY, daughter of MR. and MRS. SAMUEL PERRY, of Manchester boulevard, a sophomore, and Grosse Pointe South High School graduate LISA BORDEAUX WOOD, daughter of MR. and MRS. JOHN H. WOOD, of Moran road, a freshman.

Participating in a concert of vocal music from the Renaissance to the 20th Century given by the Department of Music at Western Michigan University was CHRIS JANSEN, son of THE REVEREND and MRS. FREDERICK B. JANSEN, of Bedford road.

Our Lady Star of the Sea High School senior ALICE GAYNOR, daughter of MR. and MRS. ANNIS GAYNOR, of Shoreham road, has received a letter of commendation for outstanding performance on the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test—National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. Recipients of this award are in the upper two percent scholastically nationwide.

MR. and MRS. A. CHARLES MANNINO, of Clairview road, were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary Friday, September 23, at a dinner dance given at Lochmoor Club by their four children. An evening mass at Saint Paul's-on-the-Lakeshore, where they renewed their marriage vows, preceded the festivities. Mr. and Mrs. Mannino, who have 10 grandchildren, established the Hawthorne Restaurant and Bakery on the Punch and Judy block of Kercheval avenue, and operated it until their retirement.

JULIE ANN HAYDEN, daughter of MR. and MRS. FRANK HAYDEN, of Greenbriar lane, won two red ribbons at the Michigan State Fair for her embroidery work.

Pointer BRANDON BROSSY recently completed work toward a Master of Arts degree with a major in History at Marshall University, Huntington, W. Va.

Moeller has also made some kitchen cabinets for his daughter Linda, and will make almost anything as well as decorate. He was in the process of repapering a bedroom in his home, when interviewed. He is a busy man.

Likes Hobby Shows

The Senior Men's Hobby Show held annually at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial is a great interest for Mr. Moeller. He enjoys seeing all the hobbies of other men who have retired.

"I am considering entering the Victorian dollhouse in next year's show," he says. "Dollhouses have become very popular in the last few years."

So, this Christmas morning, because a grandfather understands what the true meaning of Christmas really is—the spirit of giving and sharing of oneself with another—there will be a little granddaughter who will just beam when she sees what's just for her under the tree. I think that grandfather will too, don't you?

From Another Pointe of View

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Jr., a Gilmore nephew, who's coming from San Francisco to spend Christmas in Birmingham with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Altick.

To add to the family gathering, Mary Jane Joslin, the Gilmores' daughter, will be arriving from Pittsburgh. She's just begun a new job there as director of Camp Fire Girls in the Allegheny County area.

And Judy Chambers, the Gilmores' other daughter, will be here with her family from Kalamazoo.

Coming in from Washington, D.C., is Mr. Gilmore's sister, Marguerite, who recently retired after many years as an executive in the United States Department of Labor.

Last but not least: the Gilmores' son, Bill, and his wife, Marianne, recently returned from several years in Brazil, will assemble their daughters, Shaun, from Chicago, and Chapin, from Ann Arbor, and journey from their home near Drayton Plains for Christmas-with-the-family.

Everybody is looking forward not only to getting acquainted with Rita's new husband but to showing him around Detroit. He's never been in this country before.

Everybody agrees that he's in for a few surprises. Wait until they take him to the shores of Lake St. Clair and point him south—to Canada! Wait until he experiences his first White Christmas, (keep your fingers crossed that the "white" holds out)—they don't have snow in Luxembourg.

Carol Sings in Amsterdam

Carol De Gaetano has added The Netherlands to the list of countries in which she's raised her voice in song.

Carol, back home in Beaufait road now, sang with the Jan Bruegel Orchestra in Amsterdam during her recent European tour with the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

Carol has sung in London, Florence, the Bahamas and Hawaii—always to enthusiastic crowds.

Ask A Busy Person...

It's often said that the busier people are, the more they do. Vi Larsen and Virginia Maguire are no exceptions to this rule.

The morning after she opened her home for the Junior Women's Association for the Detroit Symphony Orchestra's Grosse Pointe Christmas Walk—consider: just decking a home for the holidays by December 8 is no mean feat!—Vi (Mrs. Carl B. Larsen, Jr.) invited all the trustees of the Grosse Pointe Garden Center over for coffee, cookies and a trustees' meeting.

The group gathered in Hendrie lane at 10 o'clock and marveled at the fact that the spick-and-span house in which they were meeting had closed its doors to Christmas Walk-ers, (literally hundreds walked through), at 5 o'clock the previous afternoon.

They also marveled at Vi's Christmas Eggs, exquisite, intricately-detailed works of art that Vi creates from eggs as tiny as those of a robin, as large as those of an ostrich.

Virginia (Mrs. Clarence E. Maguire) presided at that morning meeting, then dashed off to her own home in Lochmoor boulevard where, at 1 o'clock that afternoon, she entertained members of the Elizabeth Ketchum Group of Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, gathered for their Christmas meeting and dessert.

How's that for a full day? Hats off to both these busy ladies, and our best wishes for Christmas joy...

AND A MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL OUR READERS!

Race with Squirrels for Special Acorns

Workers from Campus Park and Planning at Michigan State University had to race the squirrels for some pretty special acorns. The workers won.

In fact, they harvested some 200 pounds of acorns to be shipped to Oregon for propagation of English oak trees.

This particular type of oak, "Quercus robur," is indigenous to western Europe. MSU acquired a few specimens in the 1930's and found that they grew into hardy shade trees. They also proved to be good replacements for diseased American elms.

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