



# Headlines of the Week

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nation-wide hope is that this hiatus will mark the end of the strike... news men and commentators generally agree that the recess marks a definite defeat for Lewis, whose unvarying cry has been "no contract, no work."

**Saturday, May 11**  
**THE STATE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION** today confirmed the dismissal of Harry H. Jackson, Warden of the State Prison at Jackson, and four of his top assistants: George I. Francis, deputy warden; Walter L. Wilson, chief guard inspector; Joseph G. Poirier, accountant of inmate funds; and Richard Riley, athletic director... orders the reinstatement of H. C. Watson,

chief clerk in charge of records and assignments. Also confirms the dismissal of D. C. Pettit, assistant deputy warden, who was fired last July with the other six officials but withdrew from the appeal fight on the eve of the hearing.

**RECENT DRY WEATHER** IN THE SOUTHWEST reduces the Government's estimates of the wheat crop from the figure of 830,636,000 bushels made a month ago to 742,887,000 bushels... will have harmful effects on our promised food relief for the famine sufferers.

**BITUMINOUS COAL MINES** will reopen on Monday, under terms of the recess agreed to by John L. Lewis and the operators yesterday... miners expected to produce 22 million to 26 million tons in the two weeks' run. National fuel saving program to continue.

**SHEAN McCAGHY**, the former adjutant-general of the Irish Republican army, who has been on a hunger strike for the past 23 days, died yesterday in Maryboro Prison.

**TWO NAVY FOUR-MOTORED BOMBERS** collide in mid-air at Munson, Florida, and crash to earth, with a known dead of 28 and two others missing... accident reported by a Florida Forest Service witness to have been caused by unexplained interference of a smaller Navy fighter plane.

**ARMY ROCKET EXPERIMENTERS** are a captured German V-2 rocket at proving grounds at Las Cruces, N. M. ... goes 75 miles into the air and crashes into thousands of fragments 35 miles away.

**JAMES HOFFA**, business agent of the Teamsters' Union, will be named in a warrant today for criminal extortion in the union's activities against the meat dealers in Detroit... at Mayor Jeffries' insistence a hearing had been held before Judge Stein.

**Monday, May 12**  
**FIRST PEACETIME MOTHER'S DAY** in four years is observed throughout the Nation with varying emotions.

**THE EASING OF THE EMBARGO ON FREIGHT SHIPMENTS**, following the fifteen day truce in the coal strike, suggests the opinion in informed circles that the coal strike will be settled during the armistice... nevertheless, great industrial establishments like Ford and Briggs continue their plans for layoffs because of the uncertainty of the outlook for permanent settlement.

**AN AMERICAN MILITARY COURT** at Dachau, Germany, in the greatest mass trial of war criminals, convict 61 defendants of killing and torturing thousands of prisoners in the Mauthausen concentration camp... the accused, guilty of 70,000 deaths, will be sentenced tomorrow.

**THE ALTERNATIVE OF GRAIN FOR AMERICAN HOGS** or for the starving people of Europe, prompts Secretary of Agriculture Anderson to call on American farmers to reduce their hog production by 10 per cent this year.

**ONE HUNDRED MONKEYS**, escaped from a pet shop on lower Manhattan, make monkeys of people.

**MICHIGAN CONSOLIDATED GAS CO.**, according to Free Press staff writer Ralph Nelson, is engaged in a struggle to bring natural gas from Texas in its own pipe line, the Michigan-Wisconsin Pipe Line Co., in anticipation of expiration of its contract with the Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Co., in 1951 through which it now gets its Texas gas... Michigan Consolidated will not renew its contract with Eastern Pipeline of which it is now the largest customer... would also be Michigan-Wisconsin's largest customer... the public's interest; the rates that would be charged for gas?

**FREZZING TEMPERATURE** OF 23 degrees in Kansas wheat belt hits the already drought stricken area.

**GOD-SPED BY THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR** and serenaded by an Army band, the first shipload of emigrants from Germany, 800 Nazi victims, sail from Bremerhaven for America.

**35 YEAR OLD CHARLES GILBERT**, a Muskegon foundry employe, confesses to Newaygo County officers that he killed his 26 year old pregnant wife Gladys because she taunted him... also kills her 4 year old daughter, Karen, because "she was old enough to tell"... his supreme punishment under Michigan law will be to be fed, clothed and sheltered for the rest of his life.

**Monday, May 13**  
**MOST OF THE 400,000** soft coal miners are ready to go back to work this morning in accordance with John L. Lewis's two weeks' recess agreement but the lag in the new working contract results in nearly 30,000 remaining away from the pits.

**MILK PRODUCERS'** request for a two cent per quart increase in price, will, if granted, add about \$10,000,000 yearly to Detroit's milk bill.

**THE PARLEY ON FREE INDIA** in progress at Simla, in which the British Cabinet Mission has been attempting to reconcile the opposing cultures of India's 350,000,000 agglomeration of races and tongues, preparatory to arranging the largest possible measure of self government, breaks up in a row.

**BRAZILIAN POLICE** in Santos, the world's largest coffee port, take up strategic positions about the city in a long contemplated campaign against communists.

**PREMIER OF SPAIN'S** former Republican government says he has proof that Franco's Ordinance Corps is working with Germans on Atomic energy in Granada and Murcia.

**Tuesday, May 14**  
**JOHN L. LEWIS**, miners' leader, gains the agreement of the operators to pay \$3,000,000 in back holiday pay, and with this obtained immediately demands a \$75,000,000 annual payroll levy of 7 per cent as a health and welfare fund, of which he would be the custodian.

**WITH THE DRAFT LAW** expiring at midnight tonight the House throws the controversial issue back to the Senate by amending stop-gap legislation which aimed to extend the present law to July 1 to permit time to enact legislation which will determine the life or death of Selective Service.

**THE COMMON COUNCIL** OF Detroit will receive from the United Public Workers of America tonight a petition asking that a sufficient sum be set aside to grant to every worker a pay increase of \$500 this year... at the same time Frank X. Martel, a member of the Wayne County Board of Supervisors, speaking for the Wayne County Federation of Labor, asks the Board of Supervisors to provide money for pay increases for County Employees comparable to those granted in private industry.

**HERBERT HOOVER** back from his world food survey, says the world grain supplies are about 3,600,000 tons short of the actual amount needed to prevent starvation... thinks the gap might be bridged by better cooperation on the part of Great Britain and Russia.

**JOHN D. SMALL**, Civilian Production Administrator, says that the Government's goal of 1,200,000 homes built this year



**Rabaut Backs Henry Wallace**  
 Despite a solid Republican vote in the House of Representatives, GOP legislators recently failed to prevent drastic increases in the annual appropriation for the Department of Commerce for 1947.

**TEEN-AGE CRIMES** have had an alarming increase in the last six years, according to Attorney General Clark... arrest of girls under 18 years has jumped 198 per cent since 1939... says records show that high delinquency and lack of recreational facilities go hand in hand.

**THE U. S. SUPREME COURT** rules that the machinery owned by the Defense Plant Corporation, a Federal Agency, is subject to taxation in states which regard machinery as real property.

**THE FORD MOTOR CO. OF CANADA** signs up with the UAW-CIO to cover office employees... statement is confirmed by both company and union officials.

**THE SENATE STRUGGLE** over strike-control legislation sees bitter clash over Senator Byrd's proposal to outlaw payment of money to labor unions for production.

**Wednesday, May 15**  
**WAYNE COUNTY** circuit court judges name Judge George B. Murphy, a one-man grand jury, to investigate "certain crimes and offenses, including felonies" committed in Wayne county... action is obviously aimed at actions of teamsters' union, and will stay temporarily any further high pressure by the union directed at the small food dealers.

**THE GOVERNMENT** intends to continue skimping of the nation's wheat use for the next 13 1/2 months to swell our shipments to the famine areas.

**GENERAL EISENHOWER** will be in Detroit on June 3 to address the Michigan Post of the Army Ordinance Association in the Book-Cadillac.

**SOFT COAL OPERATORS** express strong opposition to the John Lewis scheme for a 7 per cent payroll levy for health and welfare fund, to be administered by the union... their stand shatters hope for early settlement of strikes.

**2,000 HUNGRY JAPS** range themselves before the Imperial Palace in Tokyo and stage a five-hour sit-down strike for more food.

**MOUNT ETNA** is showing renewed activity, blowing out ashes and molten lava with successions of explosions... present activity "moderate" but, according to seismologists, capable of rapidly becoming dangerous... recalls preliminary warnings prior to the tragic eruption in 1909 when 100,000 lives were lost at Messina.

**100 AMERICAN MISSIONARIES**, representing 21 denominations, land at Cape Town enroute to their respective mission stations throughout Central Africa.

**Spurns Offers**  
 Chet Aubuchen, All American basketball player at Michigan State College in 1939, who recently signed to play with Dow Chemical Co. of Midland, Mich., spurned several offers to enter private business in order to stay with the game he loves. Aubuchen was recently discharged from the Navy where he held the rank of lieutenant after serving 27 months on an attack troop transport in the southwest Pacific. His home is in Gary, Ind.

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"reached too deeply into the problems of individual management."  
 One Republican in debating the measure said, "we remember the days when certain things were plowed under and other things were killed off... He (Wallace) might decide to kill off and plow under too much of the small business..."  
 Declaring that failure to reduce the appropriation would add to bureaucratic growth, Rep. Thomas D. Winter, R-Kan., who introduced the measure asserted, "We better wipe it out or we are going to have business controlled worse than it has ever been by a Federal agency."

## Another Busy Titan Week

The big week in the University of Detroit spring sports schedule is coming up.

During the next eight days, four Titan athletic teams will be facing the strongest opposition of the spring campaign.

Coach Lloyd Brazil's baseball team will take on four foes in six days, facing Toledo, Hillsdale, Michigan State and Wayne without respite. The Titans will travel to Toledo for the second of a home-and-home series with the Rockets on Saturday. The Titans topped the Rockets in their first meeting last week, 11 to 4.

Monday, Hillsdale College comes to Detroit for the second game of a series with the Titans. Detroit won the first meeting between the two outfits, 15 to 5 Tuesday. The Titans are scheduled to meet Michigan State at East Lansing, in a game that was rained out earlier in the season, and Thursday they will wind up their most strenuous six days of the season by meeting Wayne University in the first of a two-game series for the Detroit city title.

Coach B. F. Landuyt's Detroit track team will play host to Toledo's Rockets Friday, and will travel to Bowling Green on May 24.

The Titan golfers take on Indiana Friday, in their only activity of the week, but Coach Ed Barbour's tennis squad will meet Western Michigan in Kalamazoo Saturday, and will come back home for matches against Wayne Tuesday, and Michigan Normal Thursday.

**TAX REFUNDS**  
 Tax refunds, credits and interest totalling \$1,034,475,000, were allowed in the fiscal year ended June 30, according to the Bureau of Internal Revenue. The previous year's total was \$171,284,083. The increase was attributed principally to "refunds made to individuals whose income tax prepayments exceeded their liabilities."

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# 1500 New Homes Expected To Be Built in Gratiot as Soon as Water Is Provided

### Laterals Already Installed, But Main Along Harper Is Awaited; Several Large Tracts Available

Gratiot Township has more substantial assurances of a great growth in the immediate future than probably any other municipal community in the whole greater Detroit area. It shares with Grosse Pointe its desirability as a residential area; it is convenient for those residents whose business still makes it necessary for them to have daily contact with Detroit, and fine home sites abound in the area.

The Township Board is alive to the situation and recently, on its initiative, a special election was held on April 8 when the citizens authorized a bond issue of \$24,000 to provide for a suitable combination building for a fire station and the township offices.

The area in which the township looks for its greatest residential growth is in the general location between Vernier road and Huntington and the Grosse Pointe Woods limits and Beaconsfield with Harper as the backbone of the area. This circumstance poses for the township a major undertaking.

Already the area has been entered by subdividers and extensive building sites have been plotted. Water service laterals have been installed but the Township still awaits the installation of a water main service along Harper. Shortly the township will install such a main, by an issue of water service bonds. These will not figure in the general debt and the increased growth of the township, which is assured, will make it unnecessary to increase the general water rates.

On the unanimous judgment of realtors and others in touch with the situation, the township authorities are convinced at least 1500 new houses would be erected within the year after water service is provided. These will be largely homes for veterans and will be a part of the nationwide program which tops all priorities. There will be no question of the early completion of this big development as soon as water service is assured. The sewage problem for the area has already been met by the arrangement which the township made with The Woods village.

During the war period priorities were denied by the government for water pipes unless it could be shown that the area was 40% built. This provision barred out this area for water service as it was largely unpopulated and remains still the township's largest undeveloped area. Another large tract awaiting development with homes is between Eastwood drive and the Detroit City limits east of Harper. It is estimated there are locations here for at least 500 more homes. The parties controlling this tract also have extensive holdings in Grosse Pointe Woods.

## Honored



**VICTOR SYLVESTRE** of Grosse Pointe, a Past Grand Regent of the Royal Arcanum of Michigan, has recently been appointed State Chairman of Juvenile Department of this Fraternal Society, according to word just received from Mr. Archie W. J. Vick, Grand Regent of Michigan.

Mr. Sylvestre, active for many years in Fraternal circles brings a wealth of experience to his new assignment.

He is a former District Governor of National Exchange, Past president of the Northeast Community Council and is active in Club work in Metropolitan, Detroit.

"Uncle" Vic as he is called and known by the many juveniles in this area, is now planning a Junior Rodeo Round Up to be held in this city some time in July.

## Beaupre Issues Refund Notice

Francis A. Beaupre, assessor of the Village of Grosse Pointe Farms, has issued a notice to servicemen and veterans of World War II concerning homestead tax refunds.

Under Act 24, Public Acts of Michigan, Extra Session of 1946, these persons are entitled to refunds of certain taxes which may have been paid on their homesteads during service in the armed forces and for one year thereafter.

The notice states: "You are entitled to a refund of taxes paid to the amount of \$2,000 of equalized (assessed) value of your homestead for each of the years 1940 to 1944, inclusive, subject to the following:

1. You must have entered the armed forces after December 31, 1939.
2. You must have owned your homestead during the year, or years for which the refund is claimed.
3. The taxes must have been paid while you were in service or during the first year after your discharge.
4. You must not have been the owner of more than \$5,000 of taxable property for any year for which the refund is claimed.
5. You must make a refund affidavit and file it with the assessor of the village.

"WIDOWS of servicemen of World War II who died in service under honorable conditions are also entitled to these refunds.

"Refund affidavit forms are available at the office of the Assessor, 90 Kerby Road, who will assist you in making application."

To control the new atom, control the Old Adam.

## Young Wanderer Returned to Fold

Little David Allar is only five, but his memory is much more mature. His yen to travel is also fairly well developed.

Farms police received a lost child report at 7:20 p. m., May 14. Officer Hilgendorf picked David up at Manor and Mack and he told him he lived at 1580 Lake-pointe.

The Park police were brought into the picture when they took over David's custody and delivered him to the address he had given. The residents there didn't know David, so he was taken to Park police headquarters.

Within a few minutes the Farms police received another call, this one from Mrs. Haggman at 461 Cloverly road, also reporting a lost child. She was told the wanderer could be claimed at the Park police station.

Further developments revealed that David was accompanying his aunt on a visit to the Cloverly road address and had wandered from the premises quite a distance. He had only been a few numbers off on the home address he had given the police.

## Park Budget \$823,706.42

### No Questions Asked at Advertised Public Meeting As Council Approves

The municipal budget for the Park village for the year was approved, finally, by the Board Monday night. It calls for a total expenditure of all departments of the municipality of \$823,706.42. It was the last opportunity for the citizens to interrogate the budget and was so advertised.

There was a numerous company of citizens present but not a single question was raised.

## Boarder's Drinks Bother Landlady

"Roomer trouble," read an entry on the City police docket last week. A woman living on St. Clair had phoned in that her "star boarder" was drunk and raising Cain in her house.

The officers called and discovering that the noisy one was merely suffering from an overdose of bottled enthusiasm, put him to bed tenderly, convinced that quick and deep slumber would solve the domestic disturbance malady.

**NEW VETERANS CLUB**  
Lt. Governor Vernon J. Brown, Mayor Edward Jeffries Jr., and Rev. Victor Halboth, an ex-Army Chaplain, have been invited to participate in the formal opening of the new club rooms of the Detroit Lutheran Veterans Club, at 1502 Randolph Street, on Sunday, May 19, at 3 p.m.

## Asks Schools to Straighten Twisted Signs on Streets

### Farms Resident Sees Opportunity to Curb Practice Which Causes Much Needless Confusion

School authorities have been requested to take a hand in straightening out the Pointe's twisted street signs. The request comes from Stephen J. Ernst of 203 Lakeview, Grosse Pointe Farms, who furnished the NEWS with a copy of the following letter he has sent to Dr. Paul L. Essert, superintendent of Pointe schools:

Dr. Paul Essert, Supt. of Schools, Board of Education, 389 St. Clair, Grosse Pointe 30, Mich. Dear Sir:

Until recently, I noticed with complacency, the utterly deplorable condition of the street signs indicating intersections in the village of Grosse Pointe Farms.

Yes, I know that youths jump up and bat the signs askew, hence I am appealing to you as the fountain-heads of education and law enforcement (am sending a similar letter to commissioners in the Village of Grosse Pointe Farms) to instruct the children that such behavior defeats the very purpose and intention of such signs.

Nowhere in the entire district of Greater Detroit does a similar condition exist as in our Pointe districts.

This letter to you is the product motivated by an incident experienced recently, wherein I placed an emergency call for medical attention and the physician was delayed 45 minutes due to faulty street signs. Deliveries are delayed, visitors

## Company to Add Ten Large Buses

The Lake Shore Coach Lines, Inc., is going to put into service ten new, large buses on July 1.

In discussing the waiting room matter the other day Walter Schweikart, the president of the bus company, said he was quite sure that the addition of this equipment to the service for Grosse Pointe would largely do away with the agitation for a waiting room on Jefferson avenue.

There will be a more frequent service and the waits for transfers will be much shorter.

## Hawthorne Road Owners to Meet

The property owners of Hawthorne Road, Grosse Pointe Woods and Shores will meet at the Village Hall, Grosse Pointe Woods, Mack avenue on Friday, May 24, for election of new officers and to determine plans for future handling of the subdivision.

The meeting will start at 8 o'clock and all interested property owners are urged to attend.

Instilling in them the nucleus and the germ of civic pride.

Trusting that through these suggestions you may see a course to remedy the above mentioned condition, I am,

Respectfully yours, Stephen J. Ernst.

Until educators learn to warm our hearts, our intellects will just grow colder by degrees.

Love hearted dies.

## WOMAN IS LOSER

A fight between a man and a woman in a parked car on Mack avenue was stopped early in the morning of May 13 by Farms Patrolmen Sylvester and Roberts. The woman had a black eye, but was able to drive herself home in the car. Her opponent was put on a bus when she refused to press charges.



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## Knife Sharpener Looks Suspicious

Mrs. N. Sherwood of 829 Bal-four, reported to the police Thursday morning that a man about 50 years of age came to her home and inquired whether she had any knives to sharpen. She told him she had none, and with that he departed. She noticed him a little later lingering in front of the house looking at it intently.

The fact which aroused her suspicions was that he had no appliances with him such as knife sharpeners usually carry. This prompted her to notify the police. They were unable to locate him when they arrived to question him.

## Annual Meeting Planned By Pointe Unitarians

The members and friends of the Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church will gather at the church on Friday, May 17, at 6:30 for dinner, after which they will hear annual reports and elect officers for the ensuing year.

**PRICE OF IDLENESS**  
The Michigan Unemployment Compensation Commission paid out a total of \$3,321,562 to unemployed people in Michigan during the week ending May 4, 1946, it was announced by Eugene T. Dormer, Executive Director. The money was paid to 48,253 industrial claimants and 44,831 unemployed World War II veterans.

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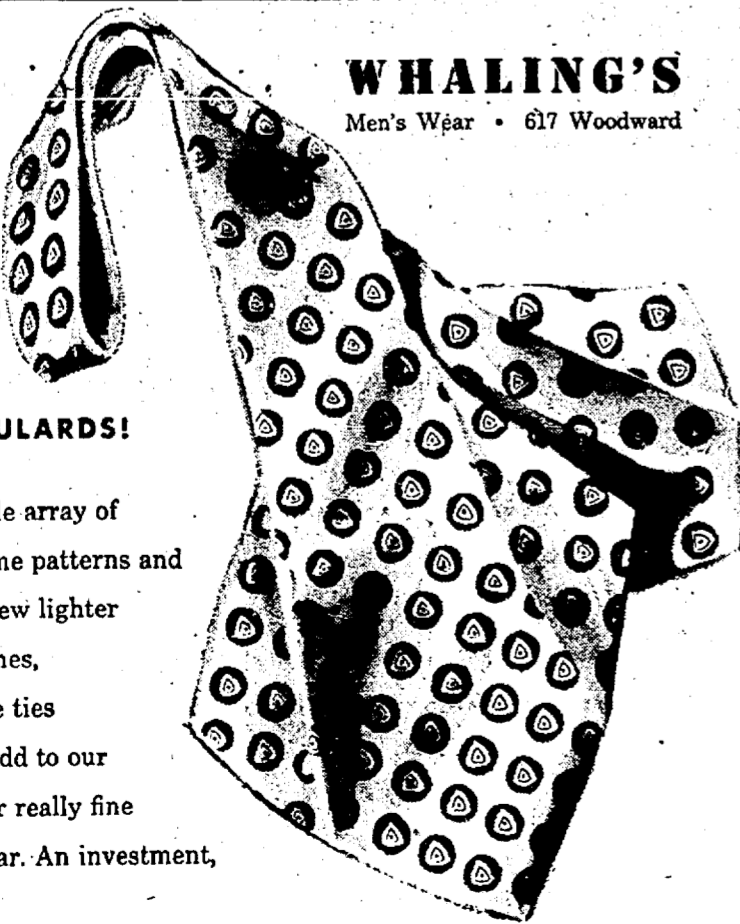
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# Madge Marie Dougher To Wed Lieut. Breer

### Attractive Miss Who is Professional Model Will Be Pointer's Bride in Wedding This Summer

Mr. and Mrs. James Dougher have announced the engagement of their daughter, Madge Marie, to Lt. Carl F. Breer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Breer of Windmill Pointe Drive.

The attractive Miss Dougher is at present following a professional model career in New York City.

Her fiance, who has been in the United States Navy for the past two years or more, is stationed in Washington, D. C., and expects to be released in June. They plan to be married sometime this Summer.

# Columnist Sobol Hands Out Free Advice to Fairer Sex

**BY LOUIS SOBOL**  
I cannot understand why a girl whose mirror tells her she is beautiful immediately assumes she may become arrogant and discourteous to the extent of arriving from 15 minutes to an hour late for an appointment with her escort of the evening. If the man is even a minute tardy, she will fret and pout and sulk—and the chances are that if he, taking a leaf from her book, were to arrive half an hour late, he'd encounter no frozen stare nor rebukes—because the lady would simply have walked out.

pend upon girdles, stays, corsets and other concealed contraptions to keep their figure seemly. Poor dears—why hold that against them? But must they tug and pull at their under-dress armor in public? Can't they retire to a corner or to the ladies' lounge to make the adjustment? Romance gets a terrific buff to the solar plexus when your honey, half a dozen times through what was to be a tender, inspired evening, pulls away at her girdles.

I am not at all opposed to women smoking in public or private provided they handle their weed with decorum (pipes and cigars are out—no cuteness there as far as this reporter is concerned). But a doll who persists in carrying on a conversation with a cigarette drooping from her lips and ashes dripping down like dandruff on her frock is as unattractive a sight as ever depressed, masculine eyes.

Consider the frail darlings who greet your telephone calls with pained, tired, indifferent, "O, hello's"—who then carry on the conversation in dreary, weary undertones, making a fellow wonder why he was the sap to call at all. These are the ladies who are a toss-back to the era of the bustles and the faints—when it was considered so gentle to be a droopy Camille to excite the gentleman friend. These, too, are the lovely dears who, when the urge is upon them, will call you frantically and with breathless importunity, plead with you to rescue them from Loredon and take them out of the town. But if you, following their example, were to accord them the same weary, indifferent response—brother!!!

Let us face it—85 per cent of our feminine population must de-

Even more abhorrent is the impetuous queen who plunges into an orgy of table-hopping. She will move from table to table chattering away merrily, holding hands here and there, leaning over confidentially, occasionally laughing herself fit to kill, while

# Mrs. William McKinley Thompson



MISS DOROTHY MARCIA NETTING, daughter of Mayor and Mrs. Ralph B. Netting of Lincoln road, was married on Friday, May 10, to William McKinley Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Thompson of Ann Arbor. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Frank Pitt in Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. —Picture by Paul Gach.

you sit there at your own table, toying with your drink, self-conscious—and wondering what mad impulse inspired you to pick upon this one gadabout for your evening's companionship. You're ready for mayhem when, finally returning, delirious with delight at the perfect evening she's had away from you, she starts to regale you with all the wonderful and brilliant things she has heard—from those other men.

### G. P. Taylors Entertain Visitors from Brazil

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Weaver of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Taylor of Hawthorne road, on May 9 and 10.

Mrs. Weaver is engaged in the work of combating leprosy in Brazil. She is president and founder of the Federation of Societies for Assistance to Lepers and is now on a world tour in behalf of that organization.

# Jacobson's

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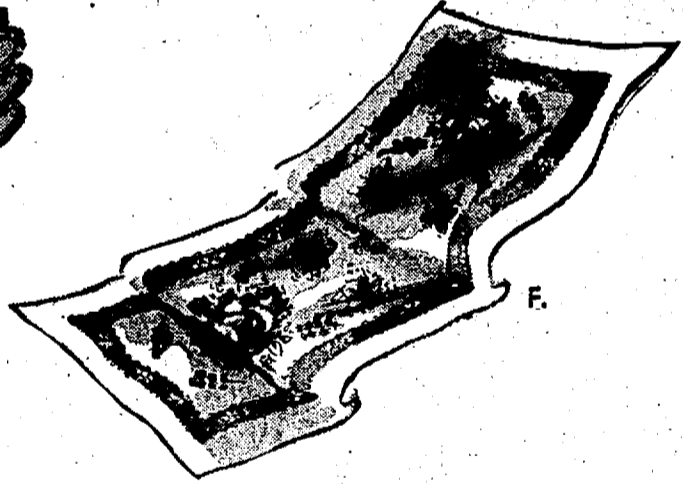
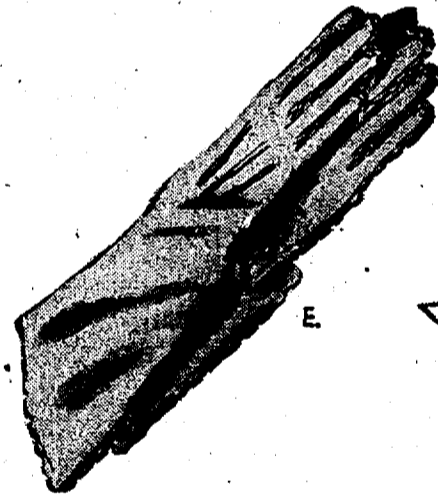
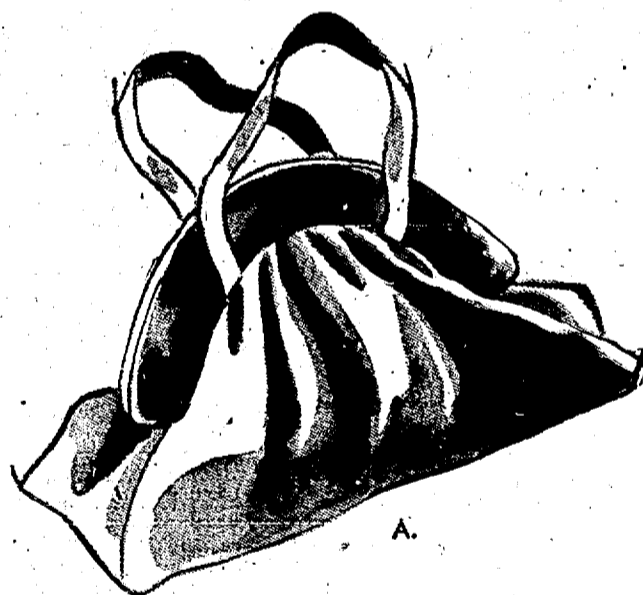


Miss Valmar Oleska

Personal Representative of Alexandra de Markoff who will be with us May 17th and 18th

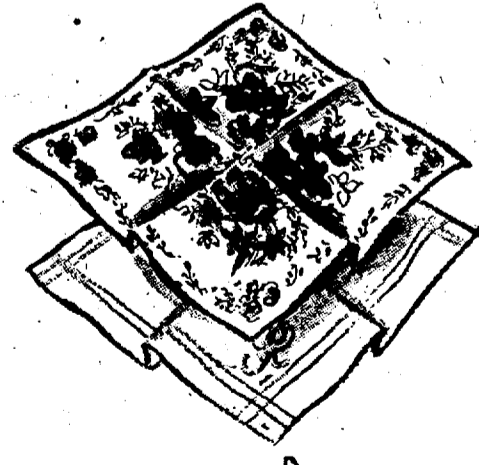
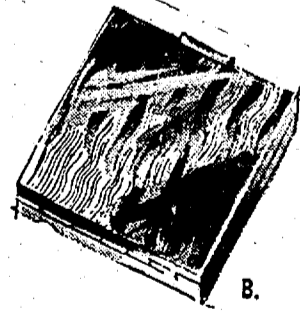
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# Woman's Page . . . by, of and for Pointe Women

## Marcia Netting Weds William M. Thompson

Reception Follows Memorial Church Ceremony in Grosse Pointe Yacht Club; Will Live in Plainfield, N. J.

The Rev. Frank Fitt officiated at the ceremony which joined in marriage Marcia Netting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bruske Netting of Lincoln Road, and William McKinley Thompson Friday afternoon.

The bride wore white taffeta with a net yoke and trimmed with an off-shoulder band of Venice lace. Her full skirt ended in a circular train and a halo of the Venice lace held her double-tiered veil of illusion. A cascade bouquet of Easter lilies completed her bridal array. Marilyn Netting was her cousin's honor maid in a Nile green taffeta frock, fashioned with an off-shoulder neckline and a very full skirt. Her matching picture hat was trimmed with black velvet and her bouquet was of white daisies. Cynthia Netting was her sister's junior bridesmaid and the other attendants included Marian Jerome of Rochester, Mich., Phyl-

is Crawford of Niles, Mich., Dorothy Castricum and Mrs. Roy D. Fairlamb. All these attendants wore yellow taffeta made like the honor maid's and they carried yellow daisies. William L. Hurley was best man and Richard McKinley, John McKinley, Robert Porter, James Bourquin and Richard Jerome seated the guests. For her daughter's marriage, Mrs. Netting chose fuchsia crepe with a blending flowered hat and orchids. Mrs. Thompson wore an aqua jersey gown and orchids. A reception was held at Grosse Pointe Yacht Club, after which the young couple left to make their home in Plainfield, N. J.

## Pointers to Hear Paulist Choir

Fr. Eugene O'Malley will bring his world famed Paulist Choristers of Chicago into the Masonic Auditorium Monday, May 27, for a concert sponsored by the League of Catholic Women to benefit St. Peter Claver Nursery.

Grosse Pointe chairman for this affair is Mrs. Clune Walsh with Mrs. Thomas Clancy and Mrs. Glen Wallace assisting with the sale of tickets and the placement of posters.

Mrs. Sidney Willis is general chairman for the concert with Mrs. William F. Connolly, chairman of boxes; Mrs. Harry S. Sharkey, Mrs. Anthony S. Herr and Miss Grace Lockerbie, patrons; Mrs. Carl H. Anderson, tickets and Mrs. John T. McGee, posters.

Already a lengthy list of box holders have made reservations for the concert.

A box has been reserved for Edward Cardinal Mooney and Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Connolly, Mrs. Walter O. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Francis H. Bourke, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Malley, Mrs. James P. Curpmiskey, Fred Nagle, Mr. and Mrs. George Carter, Mrs. Oscar Lingeman, Mr. and Mrs. Hanley Dawson, Mrs. William H. Traub, Mrs. Arthur Cronin and Mrs. William R. Yaw.

Patrons' tickets have been taken by Mr. and Mrs. G. Russell French, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. DeGalan, Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Anderson, Judge and Mrs. D. J. Healy, Dr. and Mrs. Louis J. Morand, Mr. and Mrs. Vorce Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Prescott G. Brown, Miss Veronica Conway, Mr. and Mrs. Roswell J. Conroy, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Egan, Miss Mildred Feely, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Feely, Mrs. W. B. Groves, Cyril Grobel, Mrs. Harry B. Sharkey, Miss Gertrude Healy, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Miriani, Raymond J. Pfeiger, Mrs. Sumner Steele, Mrs. John M. Thompson, Mrs. Joseph F. Verhelle and Mrs. H. L. Warner.

## Hear Address On Seeing Eye

Grosse Pointe committee workers on the Seeing Eye membership enrollment met in the home of Mrs. James B. Webber, Jr., on Lothrop road, on Monday, May 13, to report the progress made to date toward enrolling 400 new members for The Seeing Eye. The enrollment opened May 6. Mrs. Webber is co-chairman with Mrs. Oscar L. Buir of the Grosse Pointe Division of the membership committee.

Miss Frances Wilson of Detroit, who went to The Seeing Eye school two years ago to get her guide dog Toby, was the guest speaker at Monday's meeting. Miss Wilson is a young college woman in her second year of graduate social work in Detroit. Miss Wilson described her work in her talk and explained what it meant to her to be able to go about alone with her dog.

The Seeing Eye enrollment will extend through May 20. Miss M. Romayne Thompson of Birmingham is chairman of the committee.

Vice-chairman of the Grosse Pointe Division are: Miss Ann Adelle Brown, Mrs. Paul H. Sutherland, Mrs. Nelson Holland, Mrs. Clarkson C. Wormer, III, Mrs. James McMillan and Mrs. Harry J. Mack.

## A Bride of May



Before her marriage on May 11 in St. Paul's Church, Lake Shore road, Mrs. WALTER VICTOR DESIMPEL was Lorraine Beyer, daughter of Edward J. Beyer of Lincoln road. Mr. Desimpel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Desimpel of Buckingham road. Following their wedding reception in the Detroit Athletic Club, Mr. and Mrs. Desimpel left on a Western motor trip and upon their return they will make their home in Detroit. photo by Deigh-Navin

## Committee Plans Yacht Club Party

Plans for the final Grosse Pointe Yacht Club Ladies' Bridge Luncheon for this season, scheduled for Tuesday, May 21, at 12:30 o'clock are well under way. The Committee for this event is comprised of Mrs. E. C. Baumgarten as chairman assisted by the following:

Mrs. Arnold Malow, Mrs. R. B. Netting, Mrs. Joseph M. Croman, Mrs. George Slocum, Mrs. Raymond H. Berry, Mrs. Harry Mook; Mrs. Otis U. Walker, Mrs. C. B. Thomas, Mrs. X. L. Kessler, Mrs. E. W. Marvin, Mrs. Manfred Burleigh, Mrs. George Schadt, Mrs. G. W. Chamberlin, Mrs. H. Murray Northrup, Mrs. Ward Peck, Mrs. Walter S. Clark, Mrs. Curtis Ziegler, Mrs. J. H. Flavell and Mrs. Allan A. Wales.

## Buffy Derrick's Party Honors Charles A. Meyers

Buffy Derrick was hostess, last Saturday, with a cocktail party at her home in Ridge Road. The event honored Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Meyers who are currently visiting Mrs. Meyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesson Seyburn, of East Jefferson ave.

Gloria Marie Buzzelle, daughter of Mrs. E. M. Bird, 432 Fisher road, and a junior at Michigan State, has been named to membership in Tau Sigma, science and arts honorary. Miss Buzzelle is also a member of Le Tricolore, French language honorary, and Sigma Delta Pi, Spanish language honor society.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN

A meeting of Eastern Deanery of the Detroit Council of Catholic Women will be held on May 21 at 8 p.m. in Annunciation Community Hall located at 1318 McClellan. The Right Rev. Monsieur J. C. Vismara will talk on family life and review his trip to Rome.

## Church to Hold May Breakfast

The women of Unitarian Church will hold their annual May Breakfast at 12:30 o'clock on Wednesday, May 22. Ed Hinkle of WWJ will be on hand with his microphone as a feature guest.

Mrs. Julia H. Finster and Mrs. Richard T. Gerathy will furnish music from the library while luncheon is being served in the adjoining rooms. There will be prizes and novelties.

The program committee includes Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. A. DeValenzuela, Mrs. Arnold Zelesnik and Mrs. Eugene S. Jeseph. On the luncheon committee are Mrs. Thomas P. Henry, Jr., Mrs. Alfred G. Engelhardt, Mrs. Franklin C. Treat and Mrs. John H. Flancher.

Reservations may be made through any member of the committee.

## Unitarians Plan Friendship Tea

Invitations to a Friendship Tea to be held at the Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church on Sunday, May 19, at 4 o'clock, have been received by friends and members of the church. A musical program will be presented at 4:45 by Hixie Boykin Hatten, Florence Adams McKinstry, and Mildred Briggs.

The Hospitality Committee is headed by Mrs. John Newbury Bagley. Assisting her are: Mrs. Edward S. Bennett, John A. Herrmann, Dr. Raymond B. Baer and Emil Leidich, Mrs. Thomas P. Henry, Jr., is chairman of the Tea Committee and Mrs. Robert B. Hoyt, Mrs. Lot Hamlin, Sn., Mrs. Julia A. Finster, Mrs. Max L. Hofmann, Mrs. John R. Decker, Mrs. James K. Watkins, Mrs. Carl A. Fetting and Mrs. Hazel B. Shaw will pour.

## AAUW to Hold Luncheon Party

The East Side Group of the Detroit Branch of the American Association of University Women will meet for a dessert-luncheon at 1 p. m. on Tuesday, May 21, at the home of Mrs. Raymond H. Wertz, 1056 Balfour road, Grosse Pointe Park.

A program of music and poetry has been arranged by Mrs. William J. Irwin. Mrs. Kurt Keydel will give two vocal solos; Miss Joanna Freeman will give piano selections, and Mrs. Irwin will read a poem, "My Grandmother's Country Garden."

Reservations will be taken by Mrs. Harvey Wagner. All East Side members are invited.

The future of democracy depends on whether it is able to depend on us.

## Betty Small Marries Ralph H. Rowland, Jr.

Reception Follows in Grosse Pointe Club Before Couple Leave for Honeymoon in South

Delphine Duckett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ward Duckett of Moran road, became the bride of Lt. (j.g.) Lester G. Bratton at a morning wedding held at St. Paul's on the Lake Shore on Saturday.

Betty wore her mother's lovely wedding dress of white satin and heirloom filet lace.

Her headdress was of Rose-pointe which belonged to Mrs. Small's grandmother.

She carried white stephanotis and gardenias.

Mrs. Frederick E. Harris Jr., was her sister's matron-of-honor while Katherine Kidner was

maid-of-honor. They were dressed alike in dusty-rose crepe with Swiss horsehair hats in delphinium blue edged with lace braid.

They carried loose bouquets of pale blue delphinium with sprays of pale pink snapdragons. Peggy McIvaine of Philadelphia, Mrs. Joseph Hoopes of Wilmington, Del., Mrs. Roger Morris, Mrs. Charles Backus, Anne Collins and Barbara Fitch were bridesmaids. They wore frocks similar to the honor attendants' but in pale blue with pink hats and their arm bouquets were the same, also, but in reverse colors.

Mrs. Harris' small daughter, Wendy, was flower girl in a charming Kate Greenway frock of dusty rose pink and she carried a miniature bouquet of pale blue delphinium and sweetheart roses.

Frederick E. Harris III was ringbearer in white gabardine.

Frank W. Rowland was his brother's best man and seating the guests were Sidney R. Small Jr., Henry G. Husted, John R. Kelsey, Barnes and Edward Rathbun, Melvin T. Lewis and George F. McKasson.

The Rev. Francis B. Creamer officiated before an altar simply decorated with calla lilies.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Small wore a floor-length gown of turquoise crepe with net insets and a matching straw hat with pink ostrich tips. Her flowers were gardenias.

Mrs. Rowland chose gray crepe with which she wore brown accessories and lavender orchids.

Following the wedding, a reception was held at the Grosse Pointe Club from which the young Rowlands left by motor for the South, the bride traveling in a gray tweed suit with navy accessories.

## Richard Ortwein Bitten

Richard Ortwein, aged 5, of 488 Moross road, was bitten on his right hand on May 7 by a dog owned by Robert Benkert of 452 Moran road.

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# Springtime Color Breaking Over Great Smokies Mts.

By The Old AAA Traveler  
Down in the Great Smokies in Tennessee the rhododendron is beginning to show color and the white violets are out and the sound of mountain music is in the air. The majestic hills are in their tender green dress of early spring, and the air is like rare old wine.

The Smokies are a favorable playplace for Michigantians mainly because of their ineffable beauty, but also because they are within easy driving range of Detroit, a matter of about 550 miles into Gatlinburg, the true gateway into the national park.

Gatlinburg in itself is a story for any man's book, because it is the biggest little tourist town in the world, with a matter of 600 or 700 permanent residents, but with accommodations for about 7,000 overnight guests.

I will recall the day when my old friend, Andrew Jackson Huff, went into Gatlinburg to build a 10-room hotel. Through all of that hill country his project was known as "Huff's-Folly." Well, that 10-room hotel grew into the magnificent Mountain View Hotel of today, and there are a half dozen other ambitious hotels in that town.

Just as interesting as the country itself you'll find the natives through those Smokies—the famous Walker sisters; Wiley Oakley, "the roamin' man of the mountains"; Mary Ormzoy, the country's only woman gunsmith; and



Here are the Chimney Tops in the Great Smokies, one of the highlights in that country now breaking into Springtime color, a favored playplace for Michigantians.

a hundred others equally fascinating. In the Smokies you'll dance the old dances brought from Ireland, Scotland and England more than a century and a half ago, and back in the hills you'll actually hear Archaic English spoken. You'll thrill to Tennessee ham and mountain grape jelly and honey taken from "bee trees" which have been found by the native "bee hunters". You'll eat sourdough biscuit and poke greens and you'll drink sassafras tea—and you'll love it all.

From the spring of today until late fall, paints the mountains in silvers and reds and golds, the Great Smokies are a vast mosaic of colors blended beyond description. And, of course, over on the Carolina side of the park you have the Qualla Indian Reservation, where the Cherokees hold forth in all their glory.

Yes, the Smokies are tops in any man's book.

# Another Pointe of View

(Continued from Page 8)  
Mrs. William Brown... Mrs. Gordon Stoner... and Mrs. Mary Wilcox...  
Mrs. George W. Williams... and Mrs. Marcus Kalbfleisch... were among hostess who entertained for Mrs. Johnston during her visit...

**KAREN CHRISTIANSEN TURNS SEVEN**  
That dazzling seven year old... Karen Marie Christiansen... daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Christiansen of Lakeland avenue...  
Was feted at a birthday dinner party last Saturday (5:30 p.m. for dinner, please)... when her mama entertained members of her class at Sacred Heart Convent, Grosse Pointe... besides several other close playmates...  
The party started at 3:30... with a magician, William S. Smith... who enchanted the children with live birds and rabbits rushing from hats, etc...  
And when the pink and white birthday cake... turned out to be a musical one... even though the magician had packed his magic and left... all the little guests were positive he had something to do with making the birthday cake play tunes...

**GUESTS AT BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
The little hostess... and sister, Wilma (aged: one and a half years)... were in blue and white printed ogandy sister dresses for the afternoon...  
Birthday party guests included: Mary Bush... Donna Carriegen... Catherine Chester... Kitty Cumiskey... Catherine Carpenter... Margie Cooper... Judy Cook... Patsy Joy... Kathy Keenan... Margie Lundberg... Jean McKinnon... Donna McKenzie... Judy Mueller... Michael Ann Mullen... Sally Murphy... Barbara Anne Netschke... Alice Ann Ortvad... Carol Pez... Anna Petzold... Julie Pierce... Beth Verbiest... Marcia Wade... Marilyn Wood... and Georgia Zimmerman...

# Ethics Lecture At Sacred Heart

"The Ethics of the Home and of the Family of Nations," is the topic of an address which Don Thomas Verner Moore, O.S.B., Ph.D., M.D., will give on Sunday, May 26, at 3:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the Academy of the Sacred Heart, Lake Shore drive, Grosse Pointe.

Fr. Moore is professor of psychology and psychiatry at Catholic University, Washington, D.C., and director of St. Gertrude's School, Brookland, D. C.

# Woman Breaks Shoulder As Car Skids into Tree

Saturday morning shortly after 2 o'clock as Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Boyd of 662 Sunningdale road, Grosse Pointe Woods, were driving east on Jefferson avenue, their car skidded on the wet pavement and jumped the curb, sideswiping a tree.

Mrs. Boyd was taken to Bon Secours hospital with a fractured right shoulder. Mr. Boyd was given a ticket for failing to have his car under control.

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By **BETSY NEWMAN**  
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Combining two or more vegetables gives them a different flavor and appearance, even the familiar one of carrots and peas. If your family isn't too fond of carrots, the peas help to make them more palatable, and a carrot ring with the center filled with creamed peas or beans is attractive and tasty.

**Today's Menu**  
Baked Potatoes Meat Hash  
Carrot Ring or Carrots and Celery  
Raw Greens Salad  
Sponge or Spice Cake with Whipped Cream  
Coffee

**Carrot Ring**  
2 1/2 cups cooked, mashed carrots  
1 cup milk  
2 eggs  
1/2 cup bread crumbs  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 1/2 tablespoons butter or margarine  
1/2 teaspoon sugar.

Large carrots may be used in this dish, and about 6 will be needed. Scrub and scrape, cut in strips lengthwise, cook in boiling water until tender, adding salt during the last part of cooking; drain and mash. Use one medium sized ring mold or 6 individual molds. Grease them and prepare a large pan that will hold them all for setting in to bake. Add bread crumbs to mashed carrots; beat eggs and blend in; add milk seasonings, butter, and turn into molds.

Set the mold or molds in a pan containing 1 in. of hot water, and bake until firm, from 30 to 40 mins. at 350 deg. F. You may add nut meats to this mixture if you like, but they are not needed. The center of the ring may be filled with buttered or creamed green peas.

# Pointers Are Delegates To Jersey Convention

Mrs. Harold M. Hastings, president of Michigan Society, Daughters of Colonial Wars, will head the Michigan delegation to the annual meeting of the National Society, Saturday and Sunday, May 18 and 19, in the Ambassador Hotel, Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Representing Michigan will be Mrs. Henry Bourne Joy, national vice-president; Mrs. George W. Moran, national color-bearer; Mrs. Albert L. Hart, state vice-president; Mrs. Curtis T. Wolford, Mrs. Edward H. Eichelzer, Mrs. Marvin L. Hoagland, Mrs. Albert E. Stewart. Others are Mrs. Zeben R. Peterson, Mrs. Lloyd DeWitt Smith, Mrs. Edward J. Savage and Mrs. William F. Turnbull.

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# Neighborhood Club News

**GIRLS BASKETBALL.** All out for practice Thursday nights at 6:30 p. m. on the Neighborhood Club playground. Bring your team. Sign up for the annual Grosse Pointe League. A beautiful trophy will be presented to the winning team. This trophy will become the permanent possession of a team winning it, three years in a row. For further information please call Miss Masak, NL 4600.

# Pointe Library Group Organized

A Grosse Pointe "Friends of the Library" group has been organized. A group of men and women met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd G. Hooker on University place Monday evening and effected the organization by electing: president, Mrs. Lloyd G. Hooker; vice-president, Kenneth L. Moore; treasurer, Mrs. Cyril H. Moore; recording secretary, Mrs. Andrew C. Janis; and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Alger Shelden.

In a preamble declaring the purpose of the organization issued to the press by Mrs. Henry A. Gripkoven, the publicity chairman, the purpose of the organization is set forth to be: "Friends of the Library" is one of more than 200 such groups in the United States whose purpose is to maintain an association of persons interested in books; to increase the facilities of the library; and thus to enrich the cultural opportunities available to the citizens of Grosse Pointe.

# Junior Sports Club

Members of the Junior Sports Club have ordered pins. New members include Marilyn Barba, Lucy Sossi, Susie Ball, Mollie Patter, Maureen Ferris, Nancy Hitchens, Mary Lonskey, and Ginger Van Antwerp.

# Junior Boys' Baseball

Junior Boys' Baseball League is being organized by the Neighborhood Club. Boys who are 15 years of age and under will be eligible. Games will be played after school on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, and Saturday afternoons.

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### Casey's Dart Game Slowed Up Building of High School

Martin A. Preston, president of the firm of contracting engineers which bears his name, gave his fellow members of the Grosse Pointe Rotary club an interesting talk Monday about the building of the Grosse Pointe High School.

Mr. Preston's talk was particularly interesting as it was taken out of his own experience as the consulting and advising engineer for the Board of Education when the building was built. His talk was replete with incidents of the interest and often would-be interference of a righteous and aroused citizenry as well as of the technical problems of construction which were encountered.

There was a lively ruckus at the outset over the location, he said. After much ado it was decided to build on Fisher and Grosse Pointe boulevard.

Soil tests that were made early in 1927 disclosed there would be a quiksand problem. This in turn caused an increase in the estimate of the total cost and from then on public interest never slackened in the "extra foundation costs." The public estimates of this additional expense to the taxpayers went as high as \$500,000. The actual extra cost was \$120,000. It was true, that the quiksand presented many serious engineering problems. Before the superstructure was finished a total of 785 concrete piles were a part of the foundations, but it stands now as permanent as the pyramids of Egypt.

The concrete complications presented several human interest sides as well as engineering problems. "On one occasion two laborers working in the quiksand got caught and had to work furiously to prevent their sinking deeper. When their cries disclosed their plight at the bottom of the pit the foreman looking down said: "Those idiots are so busy digging each other out they will have to be helped." A steam shovel was brought into service and by this means the men were rescued.

On another occasion, Casey (that was his name) a typical Irish laborer, needed some water so proceeded to take it from the City side of Fisher. This caused high dudgeon among the frugal City Fathers and they ordered Casey's arrest for "stealing the City's water."

The police took Casey to the hoosegow but the building firm needed Casey's services, pronto. So they sent an emissary down to pay his fine, or what not, but Casey was enjoying himself immensely and didn't want to return to ershwile toil. He had gotten into a friendly game of darts with the police officers and had already won a goodly part of their money. He said he wanted to stay a little longer and he would "get it all." Casey was finally persuaded to give up his lucrative calling, but refused to walk back to his work. He said, "They brought me down here and they will have to take me back." They did, in the village Black Maria, that being the only means of mechanical locomotion then available to the police department. But the ride back suited Casey ok; he was not particular.

The building was finished in February 1928 in time for occupancy at the beginning of the second semester.

Its total cost was \$1,500,000, a figure, Mr. Preston says well under a half million dollars what

its replacement cost would be today.

By common agreement it is one of the handsomest high school properties in the entire country and a property which in all its appointments as well as its appearance is proudly approved by the citizens of the Pointe.

### Promotion

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before semi-annual promotions are eliminated from the elementary grades. Through this means of accomplishing this change in organization, no children who are now enrolled in the "mid-year" groups will in any way be affected. These children will continue on through their elementary grades according to the present "half-grade" plan. As this program works through the grades, mid-year graduation classes will be eliminated.

In the future, however, beginning with the next school year, only one group of children will be enrolled during the year. This will eliminate the beginning kindergarten groups in the mid-year. In view of this, henceforth, children who will be five years of age on or before January 1 of the current school year will be eligible to enroll in kindergarten in September, rather than, as in the past, only those children who will be five on or before November 1 of the current school year.

Among the important reasons given by the committee which recommended this change from semi-annual to annual promotions are the following:

1. Improved educational opportunities for many elementary children who would be seriously handicapped if semi-annual promotions were continued. This improvement will result from the elimination of most of the "combined sections," i.e., two or even three half-grades included in one teaching group. At the present time, in spite of all that can be done to eliminate such combined grade-groups, roughly 25% of all elementary children are enrolled in such groups. The change to annual promotions will almost entirely do away with these combined groups, as the plan moves on up through the elementary grades. Another improvement will result in the elimination of many over-sized groups which have resulted from the organizational problems growing out of semi-annual promotions.

2. Elimination of the present unnatural and wasteful gap which occurs for mid-year pupils during a ten or eleven week summer vacation mid-way in the work of a school grade. For example, a pupil in grade 1B, whose readiness for reading has been fairly well established by the close of school in June is now forced to wait ten or eleven weeks during the summer vacation before continuing his reading instruction. This occasions much reteaching and a consequent loss of time the following semester.

3. Elimination of changes of teachers and groups at the mid-year. Semi-annual promotions often result in shifts in teacher assignments and reorganization of teaching groups in the mid-year which create adjustment problems for both teachers and pupils. The annual promotion plan will virtually eliminate such unnatural breaks in class groups in the middle of the year.

In commenting on this change in organization, Dr. Essert stated that he felt this was an important step towards the improvement of educational services in Grosse Pointe. He stated that this change in organization is in line with trends throughout the country, and that most forward-looking school systems comparable to Grosse Pointe have either already changed to the annual promotion plan or are in the process of making the change at the present time.

### INJURED IN CRASH

Rose Ciramitaro, aged 18, of 1302 Kensington, was driving south on Cadieux Sunday afternoon when she was hit by a 1946 Ford car driven by William H. Bridge also going in the same direction. She was taken to Bon Secour hospital suffering from abrasions on her knee.

### New Building Starts Fight

#### House on Yorkshire Road Causes Argument in Commission Meeting

At the Park village Commissioners' meeting Monday night, Charles W. Morris of 1043 Yorkshire road was on hand with a snickersnee against all and sundry who had permitted a party to build a house on Yorkshire between Maumee and St. Paul which he, Mr. Morris, claimed was in violation of the restrictions imposed in that area.

Mr. Morris apparently labored under the impression that it was the official duty of the municipal officials to see to the enforcement of the original restrictions.

His ire was especially aroused by the fact that a permit for such a building had ever been issued. Nothing short of the scalp of City Clerk Stamman would satisfy him. "If Stamman willfully issues permits," he said, "in violation of restrictions, Council should take him out of the job of issuing permits." Stamman shot back that he didn't issue the permits at all. His job, as village clerk and assessor was to certify to the ownership of the land, describe its measurements and see that no violations of the village zoning ordinance was done.

President Parshall patiently explained to Mr. Morris the wide variance between the village's powers under its zoning regulations and the restrictions within a given plot which related to the sale contract which obtained between the original subdivider and the subsequent owners of the lots therein. The enforcement of these subdivision restrictions was largely the responsibility of the owners of the lots.

Still Mr. Morris was not satisfied. He insisted it was the duty of the municipal officials to stand between the property owners and any violation of their restrictions. When suggested to him that the owners within the subdivision should get together and defend their area, Mr. Morris spoke up, "And what; spend maybe \$2,000 in lawyer's fees?" Village Attorney Pierre V. Heftler said someone would have to spend it, whatever the litigation might cost, and did he suggest that the village do this to defend private interests? This met with a subdued response.

However there was a general sympathy with Mr. Morris' problem. Commissioner McMillan said he thought it quite proper that Mr. Morris should bring the

matter to the attention of councils. Commissioner Gillett thought this case should be kept in mind when the village started the revamping of its building regulations, which is expected in the near future, with the idea of rendering greater service to the citizens.

Mr. Stamman stated that when the applicant for the permit, a Mr. Rink, first came in to make application for his permit, he told him he thought it might be in violation of the restrictions applying on that property. This was as far as he could go within his province and he certified measurements, title, etc. over to the City Manager whose business it was to pass final judgment on the permit.

Mr. Lane, the Manager, said that when he found that the applicant contemplated a story and a half house he persuaded him to alter his plans to that the second story would cover 75 percent of the floor space of the first floor, which would qualify it as a second story as required by the restrictions for that plot.

### Detroit Approves Land Exchange

The Detroit Common Council on May 7 passed the legislation which finally approves and clears the way for the exchange of properties between it and the Augustinian Fathers in the general location of Radnor and Canyon avenue.

In this transaction the large tract which the City of Grosse Pointe is selling to the Augustinian Fathers, and land which the City of Detroit has acquired through various channels in past years, is involved.

When the final exchanges are consummated, which will quickly, the Augustinian order will be in possession of a generally square-shaped property on the Mack avenue end which is to be the site of its 1500 capacity high school with spacious grounds for athletic fields and future expansion.

### THREE CARS RIFLED

Mrs. J. Hartke of 1059 Whitfiet, reported to the Park police that three cars owned by guests who were attending a social function at her home on Saturday night had their cars tampered with while parked near her home. One of them was forcibly broken into and property stolen.



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ly-legged children of Europe, for statewide cooperation in the campaign of food conservation which would make it possible to send food to these pathetic children.

A sentimentalist? No, he was just a typical American youth who had always been accustomed to seeing happy, well-fed children. His senses were shocked at the plight of the unfortunate youngsters of Europe. His heart went out to them. Nationality meant nothing to him. He instinctively knew that children were innocent irrespective of place of birth—that loving care and kindness were necessary to their young lives—that food was essential—and lacking.

This veteran's plea for conservation of food at home in order to send food thus saved to the helpless children of Europe is probably representative of the thinking of many veterans who served overseas. It merits our serious thought and should inspire our cooperation in the food conservation program. The fighting is over, but the war is far from won. Nor will it be won until hate, prejudice and selfishness are replaced by tolerance and generosity and by the practical realization that want and suffering always engender the next war.

He came to the OVA to register his plea, as coming from one who had seen at first hand the starving, hollow-cheeked, spind-

Michigan Bank Expands Space

"The Michigan Bank is rapidly outgrowing its new office space and arrangements for necessary expansion have been made," George H. Zimmerman, chairman of the board, announced today.

"Since December, The Michigan Bank has occupied the entire first two floors of The Michigan Bank Building at 600 Woodward avenue. With activity increasing at the new downtown office and the opening of a new Branch Office at Grand River and Northlawn Avenues, this space has become inadequate."

"As soon as alterations are completed, the Bank will occupy a large portion of the Third Floor of The Michigan Bank Building in addition to its present space."

"This additional space will enable us to keep service facilities at the highest possible efficiency for Savings and Loan customers and dealers and contractors who use our time payment facilities," Mr. Zimmerman stated.

Mother-Daughter Party Planned

The Grosse Pointe Yacht Club will hold a Mothers' and Daughters' luncheon on Saturday, May 25, starting at 12:15 p. m.

"There will be special entertainment including the Bethward School All-Girl Talent Show, strolling musicians, prize awards favors for all and Myrtle Labitt as mistress of ceremonies."

Mrs. H. N. McMenimen, Jr. is chairman with Mrs. V. Graf as co-chairman. Others on the committee include Mrs. Navarre Bennett, Mrs. John R. Sutton, Jr. and Mrs. Adolph Jacobson.

Reduction Plant Site Retained

In the deal whereby the City of Grosse Pointe sold its property in Detroit, running from Mack to Canyon avenue, to the Augustinian Fathers, the reservation is agreed to that the present site of the reduction plant which the City of Grosse Pointe has at Radnor and Warren will be retained by Grosse Pointe City until September 1, 1947.

At the end of that time the City will have the right to remove its machinery now on the premises, including fences and buildings, if it so desires.

Brown to Be Speaker At Real Estate Meet

Dave Franklin, president of the Eastern Detroit Realty Association, announces that Lieutenant-Governor Vernon J. Brown will address the members of the Eastern Detroit Realty Association at their next meeting to be held Tuesday, May 21, at 8 p. m. at the Burton-Abstract building, 15023 Harper avenue.

Richard A. MacRae, legal counsel for the association and former State Senator, will also make a short address.

All East Side brokers are invited to attend this meeting. The Lieutenant-Governor will discuss the current real estate situation in Detroit and the state of Michigan.

Jane Mueller to Have 10th Birthday Party

Janet Mueller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mueller, will have her 10th birthday party in the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club on Friday, May 17.

Her guests will include classmates from the Sacred Heart convent, among them: Sally Mitchell, Judy Staff, Bonnie Lorange, Emmy Bishop, Sharon Carrigan, Sheila Bourke, Grace Robinson, Anne Goodrich, Mary Ellen Murphy, Beverly Trott, Judy Kane, Elizabeth Remick, Margo Fisher, Mary Alice Beaty and Kitty Leach.

Also present will be Jane Harper, Sally Jo Rich; Meg Morang and Janet's sister Judy.

Starlet Peggy Knudsen and juvenile actress Patti Brady have been added to the cast of Warner Bros.' forthcoming drama, "Stallion Road."

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Park Studying Somerset Plat

The Somerset plat, now controlled by the Contract Investment company, has been submitted for acceptance by the Park village. The situation has been complicated by the fact that the original owners still have hanging over the tract the unpaid claims of the village for improvements put in which the village itself eventually had to pay for.

At the Commissioner's meeting Monday night Commissioners Sage, Gillett and Manager Lane were appointed a committee to sit around the table with the Contract Investment company and determine what arrangement could be made on a just basis between the village and the plat owners, precedent to its acceptance by the village.

Ex-War Plant Being Moved

A letter was received at the Park village council meeting Monday night from Elmer Grade, of the E. and G. Engineering company, notifying the village that it is removing its machinery as fast as possible from its former plant at 15132 Kercheval and expects, in a very short time to be wholly removed.

This is pursuant to the understanding between the village and the small war industries which were permitted to operate temporarily in the village during the war period.

Inspection Stamp Needed on Meat

Shortage of meat in Detroit is not acute as in other large cities. Dr. Bruce H. Douglas, commissioner of health, says this advantage to consumers here comes about because approximately 70 per cent of the meat sold in Detroit is killed locally.

Consumers are cautioned not to buy meat from sources which they suspect of black market operation because eating this un-inspected meat may be hazardous to health. At this time, it is particularly important before meat is bought from any source to be sure that it carries an official inspection stamp.

Evening of Plays Set for Friday

On Friday, May 17, the Brown-ell Junior High School Dramatic groups will present an Evening of Plays. The plays will be given in the High School auditorium, and are scheduled to begin at 8:15 p. m.

- Whole Wheat Rolls
2 c. milk
1 cake compressed yeast
1 tsp. sugar or molasses
1 1/2 c. white flour
1 lb. melted butter or margarine
3 1/2 c. whole wheat flour
1 tsp. salt
Scald milk, cool to lukewarm. Crumble yeast into mixing bowl, add milk, sugar or molasses and salt, mix well. Sift white flour, measure and stir into mixture; add softened shortening, working in well; add whole wheat flour (do not sift), turn dough in bowl, cover; let rise to double bulk. Knead a short time, cut into rolls, let rise again and bake in hot oven. (450 deg. F.) 15 min., reduce heat to 375 deg. F. for 20 to 30 mins. longer. Or you may make 1 small loaf and 1 pan rolls. Prune Ice Cream
1 c. prune pulp
1/2 c. sugar
Juice of 1 lemon
Juice of 1 orange
1/8 tsp. salt
1/2 c. milk
1 c. heavy cream
Rub cooked prunes through sieve; add remaining ingredients, whipped cream last. Mix thoroughly and freeze. Serves 6.

Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets. Matthew 7:12

To The Editor

(Continued from Page 4)

May 7, 1946

My Dear Mr. Edgar: For some time I have wanted to tell you how much I am enjoying the NEWS, and particularly the feature page created by Olive Larned. As this seems to be the age of "Fan Mail", I thought a little word in her direction might not be amiss.

Always sincerely, Lorraine Hill Grace.

Dear Mr. Edgar:

In a radio broadcast last Sunday a commentator stated that the city of Orlando, Florida, had adopted a European city of its own size. The idea is to provide food and medical supplies for the starving people.

One of the ways being used to obtain food impressed me. A restaurant has a container into which to drop cans of food for the European city. Instead of serving dessert, the customer is given a can of food which he can deposit in the container.

There are of course many other ways which the Orlando Chamber of Commerce would probably be glad to explain. It seems to me that the Grosse Pointe community could adopt a plan of this kind to help the people of some stricken city.

Perhaps some local groups or organizations would be interested in carrying this idea out. Inasmuch as the NEWS has so successfully sponsored many worthwhile activities throughout and for the Pointe, it seems to me that this idea, conveyed to the public through your columns, might be very fruitful.

Very truly yours, Mrs. Wendell Fathers, 597 Neff Road, Grosse Pointe.

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Titan Weekly Sport Card

Friday, May 17—Golf, Detroit vs. Indiana University at Bloomington, Indiana. Track, Detroit vs. Toledo University, U. of D. Stadium, 3 p. m. Saturday, May 18—Baseball, Detroit vs. Toledo University at Toledo. Tennis, Detroit vs. Western Michigan at Kalamazoo. Monday, May 20—Baseball, Detroit vs. Hillsdale College, U. of D. Field, 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, May 21—Baseball, Detroit vs. Michigan State at East Lansing. Tennis, Detroit vs. Wayne University, Ford Field, 3 p. m. Thursday, May 23—Baseball, Detroit vs. Michigan Normal, Ford Field, 3 p. m. Friday, May 24—Track, Detroit vs. Bowling Green at Bowling Green, Ohio.

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Village of Grosse Pointe Farms MICHIGAN Notice of ASSESSMENT The Assessment Roll for the Village of Grosse Pointe Farms, Wayne County, Michigan, for the year 1946 having been compiled, a Meeting for the purpose of Reviewing of same by the Board of Review will be held on Friday, May 24, 1946 Saturday, May 25, 1946 at the Village Hall, 90 Kerby Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan, from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. each day. All those deeming themselves aggrieved by said assessment may then be heard. Francis A. Beaupre, Village Assessor. G. P. News, May 16, 1946





### Supreme Court Action Ends Ancient Pearl Adams Case

The Michigan Supreme Court, Monday dismissed the application of Pearl Adams for a writ of Habeas Corpus in connection with the long drawn-out litigation between her and the City of Grosse Pointe growing out of her running a rooming house in the old mansion at 314 University place. The beginning of the action goes back more than three years when Mrs. Adams was conducting a rooming house for presumable war workers.

The operation of such an establishment there was in violation of the City's zoning regulations and action was taken against her. She was found guilty in Justice's court and on appeal to Circuit Court was also found guilty by a jury before Judge Joseph A. Moynihan. She was placed on probation for two years and required to pay costs of \$200, which she has never done. She was directed to discontinue the use of the place as a rooming house. Through her attorney Mrs. Adams appealed to the Supreme Court for a writ of Habeas

### Models to Pose For Camera Club

Arrangements have been made by Stanley Kenn, president of the Grosse Pointe Camera Club, for character models to appear before the club at its next regular meeting on Tuesday evening, May 21.

The club has been purchasing new lighting equipment which will be used in modelling. The men who are acting as models on that night have appeared before many of the Camera Clubs throughout the city and are noted for their ability to put on make-up in keeping with the characters they portray.

In addition to the taking of pictures, there will be judging of the prints submitted by the various members.

The public is invited to attend the meeting which will be held at the Neighborhood Club.

### Promoting Paulist Concert



MRS. RICHARD STERR, left, and MISS HELEN WALSH, display posters announcing the coming of the Paulist Choir of Chicago, which will give a concert in Masonic Auditorium on May 27. Picture by Fred Runnells.

### Pointe Loses Mrs. O'Ferrall

Death Takes Wife of Dean of St. Paul's Cathedral; Funeral Thursday

The whole Pointe community is saddened by the death of Mrs. Ruth Robbins O'Ferrall, wife of the Rev. Dean Kirk B. O'Ferrall, of St. Paul's Cathedral. Mrs. O'Ferrall died Monday night in her home at 203 Lakeland, Grosse Pointe City.

She came to the Detroit area 16 years ago when her husband became Dean of St. Paul's and has been active in all the women's activities centering around the Cathedral.

Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Douglass R. Robbins; and a sister, Mrs. Fred A. Tobitt. She was born in Cincinnati.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Cathedral. The services will be conducted by Rt. Rev. Frank W. Creighton and Canon Charles W. Hughes with the vestrymen as pallbearers. Burial will be in Spring Grove Cemetery in Cincinnati.

Members of the Pierce Junior High School String Ensemble gave a program on Friday, May 10 in the Arthur Elementary School in Northeast Detroit.

The ensemble is a newly formed musical organization composed of Starrfith Goff, Mary Ann Patton, Judith Lyndrup and their teacher, Martha E. Ream.

**MILLER TO RETIRE**

Norman Miller, who has been a member of the Grosse Pointe City fire department for the past 23 years, will shortly retire from the service because of ill health. Mr. Miller will be the first man to go on the City's Pension and Retirement rolls since it was put into operation on April 1 of this year.

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### Park Once Again Escapes Stigma of Industrialism

One of the numerous small war industries permitted to operate in the Park Village during the war was located at Wayburn and Charlevoix and was known as the Wayburn Manufacturing company. The building, which is an old one, was used for a time as a garage.

Monday night at the Park Council meeting B. J. Mararak, the owner of the building, and several other parties, who represented themselves as the Illuminating Engineering company, were at the meeting to ask permission to operate an industry in the place which was to make cathode lamps and electrical fixtures.

They and their attorney labored long and earnestly to convince the commissioners that the industry they proposed to operate was a local concern catering to the needs of the community. But the Commission was unconvinced that it would come in the category of a milk station or even a garage. President Parshall naively suggested to the petitioners that they try to get the consent of all the neighbors living within 200 feet of the proposed plant to sign a waiver of protest against its location. With that obtained they should come back and talk it over with the commissioners again and a decision would be made.

This didn't suit the industrialists in the least. They would very much prefer to have a decision made on the spot. This, they were more emphatically told, could not be.

A stout gentleman, whose name could not be learned, who appeared to be the head of the Illuminating Engineering company, was especially distressed by the fact that he had already paid Mr. Mararak a month's rent in advance, and, what was he to do about that? President Parshall expressed the deepest sympathy with his plight, but really, it was a private matter which could not well be adjudicated by the Grosse Pointe Park Board of Commissioners.

Mr. Mararak, the owner, seemed to be sincerely anxious to rent his property for a longer period than that covered by the month's rent, already safely in hand. He would like an answer now, as he already had an opportunity to rent the place to a boat concern which wishes to make a display of craft in the windows. One of the Commissioners wanted to know whether he was going to exhibit battle ships or submarines in the window, but the proprietor was non-committal.

Shortly thereafter the group withdrew, minus both the permit and the vital decision.

And so the Park village has escaped again the threat of becoming a great industrial center.

### VFW Will Hold Special Service

Alger V.F.W. Post No. 995 is holding their annual Memorial Day Services at the Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, Jefferson and Fisher road. It is the custom of Alger Post to rotate their services each Memorial Day, one year in a Protestant Church and the next year in a Catholic Church. On May 26 the Alger Post has accepted Dr. Fitt's invitation to conduct Memorial Day Services in his church.

The Alger Post Memorial procession will begin at the Honor Roll at Grosse Pointe High School, and will follow Fisher road to Jefferson avenue, where services will be held in the Grosse Pointe Memorial Church.

Warren J. Lapiere, Alger Post Chaplain, was appointed Memorial Day Services Chairman, and is in charge of arrangements. The 330th Field Artillery, V.F.W. Post No. 995, and the 303rd American Legion Post have been invited to participate in a joint Memorial Day observance. The Wayne County Council Drum and Bugle Corps will perform and lead the services.

### White Cane Week Being Observed

White Cane Week is being observed from May 12 to 19 inclusive. Proclamations have been issued by Governor Harry Kelly and Mayor Edward Jeffries.

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