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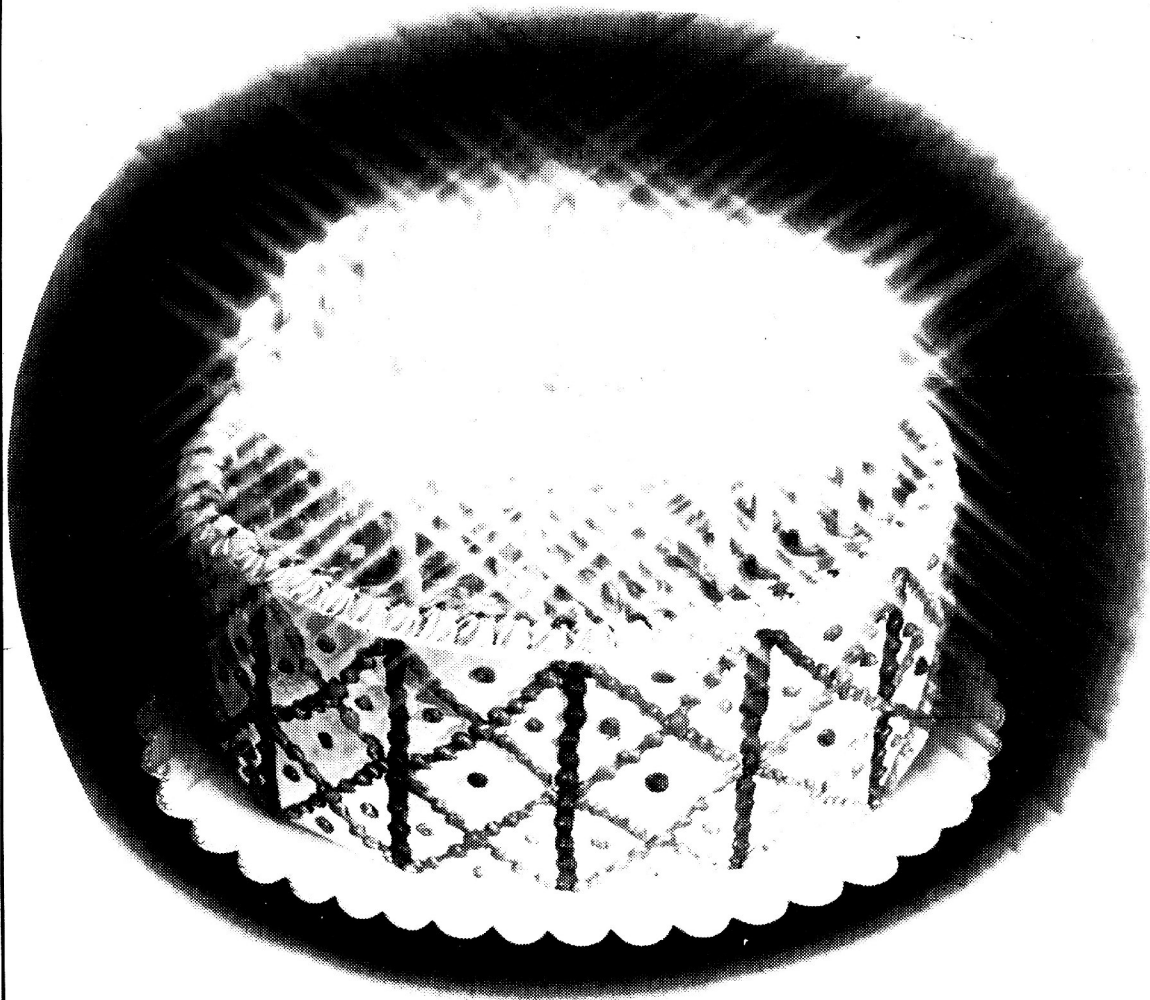
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- 4 Customer's account number.
- 5 Last date for net amount.
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- 7 Total amount due on date bill is issued.

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- 8 NIPSCO district customer service office.
- 9 That office's telephone number.
- 10 Service name and address.
- 11 Date bill issued.
- 12 Balance on date customer bill is issued.
- 13 Applicable billing rate.
- 14 Meter reading dates.
- 15 Number of days service (number of days between meter readings).
- 16 Meter readings.
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# The early days of The NEWS

(Editor's Note: This issue of The NEWS marks our 90th year of continuous service to the Akron and Mentone areas. As a special remembrance of the occasion, we are re-printing the following article written by the daughter of NEWS founder Sam Shesler, Mrs. Amy Shesler Walton. The article originally appeared in the 75th anniversary issue of The NEWS in 1964. The Akron News merged with the Mentone News September 12, 1968.)



Shown here in the shop of the News which was built following Mr. Shesler's disastrous fire are Ella Shesler (now Mrs. Scott Stinson,) Josephine Shafer, and Editor Sam Shesler. Pictures loaned by Mrs. Amy Walton and Mrs. Frank Dawson.

On September 1, 1887 Dad Shesler with his wife and four children moved to Akron, Indiana.

Two brothers, Scott and John Johnson, (Bless that name Johnson) owned a dry goods store in Akron. Dad was buying a farm in Pulaski County.

Dad knew these boys in his boyhood days. They were more than middle aged, and Dad less than 30 years, when he moved to Akron. They wanted his farm. After some dickering they chiseled him out of it, leaving him stranded and penniless with a family and no place he could call his own. To appease him, they moved him to Akron and gave him work in their store.

Dad was a friendly person and quickly made friends with the Akron people. He was a teacher, and soon found a place in the schools, working part time in the Johnson store. Later, the Johnson store was taken over by Strong Bros. He painted with Frank Weaver and Bill Kreighbaum when they needed him.

Dad was business minded and dreamed of a business of his own. Being a newspaper man appealed to him. Mr. Samuel Flora, a Silver Lake man, owned a small printing press in Akron. Dad approached him to tell him his desires. He told him he had no money but owned ten acres of timber land in Missouri, if he would consider a trade. Mr. Flora was interested and went to Missouri to investigate the land. He returned with the trade

in mind which was consummated on November 10, 1889.

The land was not much good, but probably had a future - the press was not much good so it was an even trade.

Taking over a newspaper under slim circumstances was a task and elicited the eldest members of the family to get the News out weekly. Don't remember of the typesetter if he had one or not. Mr. Flora stood by for a while. Lulu and I learned to fold papers for mailing. Even mother did her bit various ways. She made paste we used in wrapping papers sent out of town.

This was the usual program every day until August 17, 1899 when a fire razed all the buildings (one housed the Akron News) on the east side of the street and two buildings east of Strong's store which was the corner building.

Then came trying times again.

Dad was out of business - no job; all was gone but our home which was being built. His offices was in ruins, not a scrap of paper saved; not a copy of his subscription lists; nearly 300 names; not any insurance; all was gone.

At 5 o'clock as the sun was coming up in the east, the atmosphere dimmed with smoke. Dad stood looking at the ruins and debris, holding Lulu by one hand and me by the other, tears rolling down his cheeks. People talked to him, offered sympathy, wondering how Akron could get

along without a newspaper. Mr. Bill Kreighbaum stepped up with his bit of sympathy and said, "What will you do now, Sammy?" Dad said, "I have these two girls and three more children at home, a wife a garden and a home ready to move into. We will get along. At this phase of the dilemma, there was a delightful break. Some one whose name I have forgotten, slipped into Dad's hands a subscription list of about 300 names and \$200, collected to apply on a new printing outfit. All told, the subscription list amounted to about \$400, \$200 to be paid later. Dad was elated. He knew the people had faith in him. He went to tell Mother the good news and hastened to get ready to leave for Spindler Brothers Printing Supply House in Chicago. He told them his story and laid the list and money before them. They said, "We will set you up but it will be six weeks before it is shipped." He reached home safely and happy with his thoughts in mind. He could once more serve his community.

In the meantime, Dad moved his family into the new home on September 17, 1898, one month after the fire.

The old house in which we lived was a one story two room building. It was moved to a lot where E. L. Scoot's residence stands. That accomplished and the new buildings being built, the new Akron News was ready for work. It took several days to set up the machinery. Schools

were in progress and Dad needed help. Elma Day came to his rescue.

After many months, the buildings were completed. The printing office was moved to the upstairs of one building where it lived a few years. There it took on new life and grew to be quite an establishment. Dad still wanted more. Across the street stood a building owned by Mr. William Patterson. Dad wanted it; purchased it, then moved into it for two or three years. Then he decided to replace it with a new building in about 1910. Mr. Patterson was one of the organizers of the Akron Exchange Bank in 1891. Dad always attributed much of his success to the Akron Exchange Bank, the rock from which the horey came many times.

A while before he moved into his own building, Elma Day Haldeman retired. Josephine Shafer succeeded her and remained in that capacity for 27 years, a reliable and efficient help at the press.

On December 19, 1896, a little baby girl was born into our family. We older girls were slipping away unto other careers, then Mildred slipped into space to do her bit and served there until the time of Dad's retirement.

By this time, Dad became postmaster of Akron and two of his girls served him there. Lulu was his first postmistress, until one day she slipped away to become the wife of Otis Munter. Ella, after so efficiently ser-

ving in the News office, was given the place as postmistress until in 1908 she slipped out to be the wife of Scott K. Stinson.

By now Dad's hardships turned into more and better business. The presses were rolling. People visited the News office and many times left a dollar or two for new subscriptions. Dad was settled again, had almost forgotten the hardships he endured in the early days of his career of the News. To sum up his life until his retirement, I know of no better words than the Editor used in his obituary:

Quote: Mr. Shesler was a good newspaper man. He founded and published a paper of which the community could well be proud. He carried on under many adverse circumstances that would have stopped a less stout hearted soul, and like all well rounded men, he had many and varied interests in life but his first mind absorbing interest was always the Akron News." Unquote.

Yes, Dad always visioned a better paper and many times related his desires to that end. Surely he never ceased mentioning the good people of Akron, how they rallied to his support. Always praising Mother for her part of the work and saying he never could have succeeded had it not been for his girls.

May God bless all of you is my prayer.

Mrs. Amy Shesler Walton  
Dedicated to the Akron News



## My Side by Vern Hucks

Apparently, someone in California recently discovered a good reason for heeding medical advice against siphoning gasoline. Far from being overcome by gasoline fumes, this would-be fuel filcher was rudely introduced to one of the seamier consequences of his profession.

According to reliable sources, a lady in the Tri-Valley area looked out her window and spied a hose emerging from the family motor home and disappearing into a gas can below. Upon investigation, the lady's husband found a trail of vomit leading away from the "scene of the crime" but no culprit. It seems that our thief made one major mistake. Instead of opening the cap to the vehicle's gas tank, he had dropped his hose into the sewage holding tank.

You know, there's been a lot of people lately urging us to switch from gasoline to methane and I think they may have a point. Methane is most commonly made from animal wastes and, if our California culprit's experience is any indicator, gasoline siphoning may be a thing of the past.

## This Was News

60 YEARS AGO

The following Akron men attended the banquet given Tuesday evening Royal Arch branch of the Masonic Lodge at Rochester: Harry Showalter, Roy Jones, W. C. Miller, E. J. Walton, A. B. Slaybaugh, S. R. Thompson and D. M. Whitcomb. Following the banquet, the work was given to nine candidates.

Ralph Merley has resigned as assistant cashier of the State Bank and will leave soon. Mr. Merley will engage in the life insurance business and will remain his interests with the local institution.

Akron's Overall Factory, after being in operation for nearly seven weeks, is now employing 23 women, and by the last of January, expect to have employment for 50. Mr. Gilbertson, the company's machinist, from Warsaw, was here this week, installing more new machines. They have plenty of applicants for the machines, as soon as they are installed.

The Exchange bank has just completed a sign for the main door of which is made of gold leaf, inlaid with pearl.

Mrs. L. A. Krieg, last week received from her cousin in Washington, a seven pound salmon, as a New Year's gift.

Orvil Craig is advertising a sale for Tuesday, Jan. 13th when he will offer for sale 100 head of stock.

Town Health Commissioner Harley Secor Tuesday placed quarantine flags on all of the houses in Akron whose inmates were suffering with measles or chicken pox. The members of the family will not however be compelled to remain in the house.

39 YEARS AGO

The Akron High School band will initiate their new black and gold uniforms at the Akron-Etna Green basketball game tomorrow night at the local gym. The uniforms were purchased by the Band Parents Association.

Tryon Ferguson, Manager of the local factory of the American Fork and Hoe Company, was elected president of the Akron Chamber of Commerce for 1941 at a meeting of the board of directors held Monday night. Other members of the board and their official jobs are: Ralph Leininger, civic affairs; Joe Bidwell, membership; Rev. D. L. Slaybaugh, legislation; Charles Irelan, Commerce and industry; Dr. Virgil Miller, roads; H. D. Stoner, rural affairs; and F. F. Rae, transportation.

H. J. Halstead, who is the Fulton County Chairman for the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis, Inc., announced today the reappointment of Mrs. Irene Bolley as local chairman for the Akron district.

25 YEARS AGO

Two new boilers were installed at the Akron School during the recent holidays and were placed in operation for the first time Monday. A stoker break-down caused a one-day shut down Monday but that was not the fault of the contractor who installed the new boilers.

Effective January 1st the local elevator is doing business as Ireland and Baum, Incorporated, as a result of a change in name.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eber have purchased the Emahiser building directly west of the, which formerly was used by Dr. Virgil Miller as an office. The Ebers have a variety store next to the building and plan to occupy their new quarters soon.

The alley between the Palace garage building and Texaco Service Station will be widened into a street this spring, and the town of Akron is now engaged in clearing off trees on the back of the lot. The land was donated by Ted Jontz.

10 YEARS AGO

Burglars broke into the Mobil Farm Center located 1½ miles north of Akron and stole 590 pounds of Atrazine weed spray that was valued at \$2 a pound and an electric adding machine valued at \$100 and a fire extinguisher. Gordon Groninger, manager of the center, discovered the break-in.

Happiness Is: Our great basketball team, and their coaches, cheerleaders, pep block, the parents, and faithful fans.



"But you must come! We're only having people who hate New Year's Eve parties!"

## It Happened in Mentone

Taken from the January 7, 1953 issue of *The Northern Indiana Co-Op News*:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hudson are the parents of a 6 pound, 2 ounce daughter, born January 7 at the McDonald Hospital. The new daughter has been named Jody Sue.

John Boggs, of the Mentone Motors, announces that the new 1953 Chevrolet will be on display at his place on Friday. The new model has many new added features and he extends an invitation to everyone to come in and look over the new car. John has a number of souvenirs for visitors, so be sure and stop in.

Rex Borton left Friday noon for his Navy base at Norfolk, Va. after spending two and a half days at home with relatives and friends.

Neighbors and friends gathered at the Harry Sullivan home a few days ago to help out with the farm work. Harry has been confined to the hospital since December 19th, due to injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

Larry Simpson, 13, of Newcastle township, is displaying a second prize ribbon, and a check for \$5 which he just received from the Chicago International Livestock Exposition. Larry's entry of yellow corn, placed second in the 4-H Club division of the show, which included exhibits from Region 7. This region includes a strip of territory approximately 100 miles in width running from Illinois line through New York State.

Mrs. Gene (Lefty) Stavedhal and son Rickey were the guests of her parents, in Mentone, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Alber were the guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Alber, Wednesday evening.

There were several sports fans from this place attended the Holiday Tourney at Mentone on Monday and Tuesday evening.

Miss Joyce Staldine, a student nurse at the Memorial Hospital in South Bend spent the weekend as the guest of her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Saldine.

Jackie Dowden underwent a tonsillectomy at the McDonald Hospital last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welch of Warsaw, were New Year's Day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Mentzer and Anna-belle.



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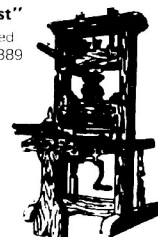
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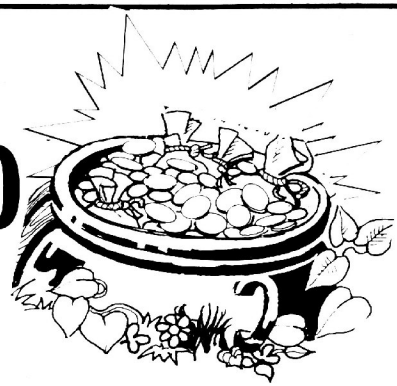
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Each week a lucky winner will be selected, and he/she will receive \$100.00 in Mentone Money.

After 12 weeks, a total of \$1,200.00 in Mentone Money will have been given away FREE!!!!



Last weeks winner of \$100 in Mentone Money was Bill Baker of Talma. Baker's lucky ticket was drawn at the Broadway Tavern.

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1. Stop by any participating business.
2. Fill out entry
3. Deadline for this week's drawing is end of business day Saturday
4. Mentone Money may be spent at any participating business, at anytime.
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## Family Life

By Diana Streevey Bucher

I hate this time of year. Christmas is over, the tree is down, the presents opened, the pastries devoured, and I'm left facing the most guilt-producing ritual ever invented by civilized (?) man. I'm speaking, of course, of the dreaded New Year's Resolutions.

I think it's a federal law that everyone make a set of Resolutions, but I cannot understand it since no one seems to be able to keep their Resolutions. For the first two days in January, I hide out at home so I can avoid the crowds of people who are dieting, quitting their smoking habits, trying to be patient and understanding with their children, or attempting to become Super Spouses. Everyone is so testy! It's safer to stay home, because I know that eventually all their good intentions are going to crack, and it's best not to get caught in the fallout.

There are advantages for some people at this time of year. Alcohol, cigarette and candy companies love New Year's Resolutions. My theory is that a grape grower, a candy maker, and a tobacco picker invented this whole situation for their own material gain. They knew if it caught on they would make a fortune. And see what has happened? On December 31, people all over the world fortify themselves with liquor and wine to face their upcoming deprivation. And on January 3 hordes of crazed people buy mass quantities of cigarettes and chocolate bars, which they consume as they make huge bonfires with their lists of Resolutions.

Oh well, I don't have a problem, I cogly solved my dilemma last year. I became perfect. Now the only New Year's Resolution I have to make is this: I resolve never to make a list of Resolutions again.

## Mentone sorority treats senior citizens to special Christmas



Psi Iota Xi Sorority Christmas party.

by Mrs. Ron Scott

On December 22nd the members of the Beta Epsilon Chapter of Psi Iota Xi Sorority truly got into the Christmas spirit. On that day 44 senior citizens of Mentone and nine members of the Golden Agers Symphony of Rochester, were the guests of the sorority for a Christmas dinner.

The gathering place was the United Methodist Church. The guests were greeted by Annabel Mentzer, a charter member of the sorority, and Peg Eaton, president of the chapter. Martha Shireman served the punch.

The guests were seated at tables decorated with pine branches, red candles, and red poinsettias. Mrs. Eaton led the sorority members in the sorority prayer, after which a dinner of turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, and gravy, green beans, rolls, cranberry salad, ice cream, and coffee was served.

The members of the Golden Agers Symphony of Rochester entertained after dinner. The group consists totally of senior citizens and the oldest member of the group is 91. They had

everyone laughing with their jokes, readings, dancing and singing.

The poinsettias decorating the tables were given to 12 lucky people. As the guests departed we watched their glowing faces and we felt that we had found the true spirit of Christmas. We all went home with a warm feeling in our hearts and a smile on our faces.

Those present were: Ima Taylor, Virginia Peterson, Mildred Carpenter, Winifred Smith, Lois Lemler, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mollenhour, Ruby Miller, Rosalind Mentzer, Cleora Quier, Violet Overholt, Bernice Rush, Annabel Mentzer, Katherine Cantlon, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Cox, Alice Brugh, Ruby Smith, Golda Mollenhour, Lola Parker, Geo. Parker, Harry Smythe, Buthene Smythe, Mary Barkman, Joy Miller, Joe Miller, Garnet Gible, Harry Gible, Pearl Horn, Howard Horn, Geo. Bellerville, Ralph Beltz, Arthur Gullium, Ruth Cullium, Gerry Clark, Gladys Stewart, Dick Stewart, Helen Brown, Snowden Halterman, Hazel Linn, Yvonne Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Waech and Iris Fitzgerald.

Committees for the day were: food, Diana Hoyt, Doris Ross, Eva Belle Smith; invitations, Iris Anderson; decorations, Marsha

Scott, Iris Dickerhoff; transportation, Anne Utter and Jo Nelson. Other members helping were: Peg Eaton, Bernice Jones, Judy Laferty, Sandy Leckrone, Louise Long, Jeanette Mollenhour, Pauline Riner, Phyllis Riner, Barb Riner, Martha Shireman and Mary Utter.



Who's new?

Andrea Wright

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wright, R. 1, Akron, are the parents of a seven pound, seven and one-fourth ounce daughter, Andrea Ellen, born December 19 at Woodlawn Hospital.

Grandparents are Charles Wright, Niles, Mich., Mrs. Erma Inks, Shipshewanna and Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Schultz, Akron. Great-grandparents are Mrs. L. J. Nielsen, Los Angeles, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. M. Shirley, Elkhart, Ill.

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Mon., Jan. 7 - Marionettes at Weidas, 7:30 p.m.  
Tue., Jan. 8 - Women's Bible Study (Nursery), 1:30 p.m.

**OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD**, Hazel Comer, pastor; Mike Reed, supt.; Minnie Ellison, asst. supt.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer Group: 7 p.m.  
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

**AKRON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, Gary D. Frey, pastor; John York, lay leader.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

**MENTONE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**, Charlie Jones, Youth director.  
Rev. Kenneth Marken, Pastor  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Training Hour: 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service: 7:30 p.m.  
Tues., AWANA at 6:30 p.m.  
Thurs., Bible Study and Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. - Choir rehearsal at 8:30 p.m.

**BEAVER DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Worship Services: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:25 a.m.  
Thursday: Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.  
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Harold Utrey, Pastor. He has just moved to Akron for his home and can be reached at all times. Phone 893-4118.

**AKRON CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**, Harold Miller, minister.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Church: 10:30 a.m.  
Choir rehearsal Thurs. evening.

**MENTONE CHRISTIAN FELLOW SHIP**, Rev. Robert Morgan, pastor; Thomas W. Herman, co-pastor.  
Sunday afternoon: 4 p.m.  
Tuesday evening: 7:30 p.m.  
Everyone welcome.

Services held in the new hardware building in Atwood.

**MENTONE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, E. R. Heckman, minister; Paul Halst, lay leader; Dr. Wymond Wilson, Ad. Board chairman.  
Worship: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.  
YF: 5:30 p.m.

**BURKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, Don Poyser, pastor; Vernon Meredith, supt.; Dennis Burch, asst. supt.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Church: 10:30 a.m.

**OMEGA CHURCH**, Lee Stubblefield, pastor; Emerson Burns, supt.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Missionary Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Meeting: 6 p.m.  
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**MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST**, Billy Steele, minister.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship and Communion: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday Evening: 7:30 p.m.  
Monday - Childrens Bible Story hour, 3:45.  
Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class, 1:30 p.m.

**SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD**, Fred Landolt, minister; Richard Hoffman, supt.; Sam Brown, asst. supt.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service: 7:30 p.m.  
Jr. & Sr. CGYA: 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday Evening Prayer Service: 7:30 p.m.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 7

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# Help available for older Hoosiers to pay utility bills

by Diana Streevey Bucher

Governor Otis Bowen announced earlier this year that he had expanded his Project SAFE program to assist more elderly and disabled Hoosiers than ever before. I had never heard of Project SAFE, so I wrote to the Governor hoping to obtain some information that might be useful to some of our readers.

It turns out that Project SAFE is a program designed to help eligible persons meet their electric and fuel bills. To be eligible a person must:

1. Be 65 years or older, or receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) for blindness/disability, or receive Social Security Disability Income (SSDI).

2. Meet the income requirements. A household of 1 can have an income no greater than \$4,250, while a household of 2 can have an income no greater

than \$5,625. The amount increases \$1,375 per additional household member.

If a person meets the above guidelines, he/she should apply for Project SAFE through the electric company that serves them. The electric company makes verification of either age or disability payment and forwards the application to Indianapolis for processing. Project SAFE has 60 days to notify the applicant of eligi-

bility.

The applicant does nothing except fill out the application. If notified he or she is eligible or the program, the electric companies and fuel companies do the rest. They receive monthly print-out sheets from Project SAFE which lists eligible persons and states how much assistance is to be rendered. The electric company will then start deductions of \$10 a month for five months from

the actual bill of the eligible person, while the fuel company makes a \$30 deduction on their bill.

Project SAFE is funded from the electric and fuel company's sales tax. They deduct the assistance given from their monthly payments of sales tax to the Indiana Department of Revenue.

If you have questions concerning this year's program or your possible eligibility, Project SAFE has a toll-free number. Dial 1-

800-622-4973. They will be able to answer any of your questions.

**Erickson**

**Maby wed' in**

**Wisconsin**

Joyce Maby and Bill Erickson were united in marriage Saturday, December 22, at the First Congregational United Church of Christ, Tomahawk, Wisconsin. The candlelight ceremony was performed by the Rev. Jennifer C.M. Dawson in the presence of the immediate families. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Neal Erickson of Saukville, Wisconsin, brother and sister-in-law of the groom.

Following the ceremony a wedding reception and dance were held in the Tomahawk Pub and Dine.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Maby and Mr. and Mrs. August Erickson.

Mrs. Erickson and her parents are former residents of the Akron community and she is a graduate of Akron High School.

## Area woman selected to musical group

Susan Fellers has recently been notified that she has been selected for membership in the 1980 Jazz Abroad group. This highly select jazz group, composed of outstanding High School and University students from all over the United States, will tour several European countries next July 7-July 27.

Susan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Fellers, Rochester, is a member of the Ball State University Jazz Ensemble, directed by Larry N. McWilliams. Susan is a senior at Ball State majoring in Instrumental Music.

The itinerary for the group will include Paris, Montreux, Venice,

Innsbruck, Heidelberg, Amsterdam, and London. Highlights of the tour will include concerts in the concert hall and parks of Europe. Students will visit many sites of musical and historical importance as well as the popular tourist attractions.

## Meals on Wheels

The Mentone Meals on Wheels drivers for the week of January 7-11 are as follows:

MONDAY: Mary Cox,  
TUESDAY: Mary Hammer,  
WEDNESDAY: Sub,  
THURSDAY: JoAnn Welborn,  
FRIDAY: Lyman Mollenhour.



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## the side lines

by Vern Hucks

By now, the rumor mongers would probably have you believe that Tippecanoe Valley High School has been forever banned from participation in any IHSAA sanctioned event. As is the case with oysters, the rumor spreaders do have a grain of sand on which to build their "pearl". TVHS has been placed on athletic probation by the IHSAA for a period of one year retroactive to November 16, 1979. In a letter from IHSAA Commissioner Ward Brown to Loran Skinner, principal of TVHS, the reason for the probation was given as "inappropriate action" on the part of some players PRIOR to the State Championship game.

What this means is that athletes in all 16 of Valley's sports programs must watch their steps for the remainder of the year. It does NOT mean that Valley will be ineligible for sectional or play-off competition in any sport.

According to Skinner, "All (disciplinary) matters pertaining to this incident have been handled internally".

The IHSAA declined to disclose what actions they felt were inappropriate but whatever they were, it's a shame that a team which has always exhibited exemplary conduct should mar such a great season.

## Upcoming Sports

JANUARY 3-10

January 3	Valley (Wrestling) vs. Caston at Caston	6:30
	Valley (Swimming) vs. No. Judson at N.J.	6:30
	Valley (Freshman Basketball) vs. Warsaw at Warsaw	6:30
January 4	Valley (Basketball) vs. Southwood at TVHS	
January 5	TVAC (Jaws) vs. Goshen at TVHS	9:00
	Valley (Wrestling) Knox Tourney	7:30 a.m.
	Valley (Girls Basketball) vs. Warsaw at TVHS	6:30
January 8	Valley (Freshman Basketball) vs. Manchester at TVHS	6:30
	Valley (Girls Basketball) vs. Oak Hill at O.H.	6:30
	Valley (Wrestling) vs. Manchester at Manchester	6:30
	Valley (Swimming) vs. Knox at Knox	6:30
January 9	Valley (Gymnastics) vs. Manchester at TVHS	6:30
January 10	Valley (Girls Basketball) vs. CGA at Culver	6:30

"Your descendants shall gather your fruits." Virgil

## Lunch menu

The Mentone School lunch menu for the week of January 7-11 is as follows:

MONDAY: Pork & gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, peaches.

TUESDAY: Hamburger sandwich, tator tots, harvard beets, apple-sauce.

WEDNESDAY: Turkey roll, mashed potato and gravy, green beans, pears.

THURSDAY: Chili soup and crackers, peanut butter sandwich, apple crisp.

FRIDAY: No School - end of 1st semester.

Bread, butter, milk, carrots and celery served each day.

Menu subject to change by the cooks.

## Public Notice

**NOTICE TO HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS:**  
Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the construction of certain highway improvements as described below, will be received by the Indiana State Highway Commission, Room 1313, at the Indiana State Office Building, Indianapolis, Indiana, until 10:00 A.M. Eastern Standard Time on the 15th of January, 1980, and all proposals will immediately thereafter be taken to the Great Hall on the Main Floor of the Atkinson Hotel, Illinois Street at Georgia Street, where they will be publicly opened and read.

The regulations related to the Goals and Timetables for Female and Minority Participation in the Construction Industry as outlined in the Federal Register of Friday, April 7, 1978 with supplements apply to all Federal-aid projects in this letting.

The Indiana State Highway Commission hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

**CONTRACT M-12399** - Bids are invited on **ROADSIDE MOWING** in the LaPorte District on the following:

**STARKE & MARSHALL COUNTIES** - on US 30, from LaPorte-Stark Co. line to Marshall-Kosciusko Co. line.

**STARKE & LAPOORTE COUNTIES** - on US 35, from US 30 to LaPorte City Limits.

**LAPOORTE & ST. JOSEPH COUNTIES** - on SR 2, from LaPorte city limits to South Bend city limits.

**LAPOORTE COUNTY** - on US 20, from SR 212 to SR 2.

**ST. JOSEPH COUNTY** - on US 20 by-pass, from US 20 to US 31.

**FULTON & MARSHALL COUNTIES** - on US 31, from Nyona Lake Rd. to Marshall-St. Joseph Co. line.

Plans and proposals may be examined or purchased at the Office of the Indiana State Highway Commission in the State Office Building, Room 1313, Indianapolis, Indiana.

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# Less farm land: But demand for food keeps growing

by Vern Hucks

Three million acres of American agricultural land are disappearing every year. One out of every three of those acres can be considered prime farm land. United States Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland states: "The U.S. is losing one million acres of the world's best and flattest agricultural land each year to urban sprawl. In my lifetime, we've paved over the equivalent of all the cropland in Ohio. Before this century is out, we will pave over an area the size of Indiana."

Along with the desire for land for development purposes has come an increased demand for agricultural products. This constitutes a "vicious circle" which must be ended.

A recent report prepared by the National Conference of State Legislatures for the Council on Environmental Quality reveals that "48 states and many local governments have adopted agricultural land retention programs of one form or another."

In New York, agricultural districts have been established. All taxes and value appraisals are based on the agricultural district.

At one time there were roughly 300,000 acres of prime land on Long Island, N.Y. Now there are less than 55,000 and all of these are in Suffolk County. In September of 1970, citizens of the county voted to purchase the development rights for certain strategically located prime acres. The county has so far spent ten million dollars on development rights for 52 farms totalling over 3,000 acres. By purchasing these development rights, the county has the right to determine what may or may not be done with the land. Although the program seems to be working well for Suffolk county, there have been some questions about the constitutionality of the practice raised in other areas.

Other agricultural districts have attempted to retain their prime lands by requiring a minimum purchase of farm land for each house purchased in the area. For instance, if you were to want to build a home in an area labeled "prime farmland", you may be required to own at least 40 acres before being allowed to build. This policy was designed to eliminate the spread of "backshot urbanization."

Another approach which has been attempted in some areas is the regulation of property sale. In this approach, an agency would be able to have a voice in to whom a piece of property may be sold and for what purpose. As might be expected, this lends to some touchy situations and has met with opposition when tried.

One of the most prominent tools for the regulation of land use is zoning. Zoning specifies areas or districts within the community where certain uses are allowed. One of the problems with zoning is that it tends to become a "political football" with local enforcing agencies coming under a variety of pressures from special interest groups.

Zoning does show promise as a method of regulating land use through the utilization of several techniques that are now emerging. These techniques, of ways of using zoning, include planned unit development, performance standards, clustering, conservation districting, and increasing the use of exclusive agricultural districts.

Perhaps the greatest single problem with public regulation (zoning) is in consistency. Government actions sometimes contradict them-

selves and thus create mistrust and bitterness among the local citizens.

Taxes may also be used as a tool for influencing land use decisions. The most obvious tax which can be used for this purpose is the real property tax but other taxes such as inheritance, income, severance of minerals, and those on the sale of property can also play a part.

In most states, property taxes were begun simply as a tax on the value of the land. Today more than 30 states, including Indiana, have taxes whose purpose is to affect land use.

Indiana uses "preferential assessment" for agricultural land. Under preferential assessment, land is assessed in terms of its present value for farming and not in terms of market value.

Soil surveys and estimated corn production are the basis for land tax in Indiana. If a farmer holds land which is classified as being able to produce 100 bushels of corn per acre, then his land, for tax purposes is valued at \$450.00 per acre. This 100 bushels = \$450.00 figure is used as the index. Any land rated as above or below the 100 bushel figure will be assessed at a life percentage of \$450.00.

Use-value tax laws have not been used long enough to provide conclusive findings but it appears that such laws may not be adequate to preserve open space. According to the Cooperative Extension Service publication "Indiana Land Use Issues", "the use-value tax may slow down transitions in land use if (a) the open space area to be protected is planned to advance; (b) the benefits can be confined to "bonafide" agriculturalists. Under present laws speculators can qualify for the use-value tax by holding the land in open space while it "ripens". Land held for second homes, recreation, mining, and development may masquerade as agricultural land."

The same publication says that our income and capital gains tax systems could be revised to have an impact on land use. The policy of a progressive income tax and a flat-rate capital gains tax has made it inevitable that ownership of real estate with the ripest prospects for capital gains will concentrate in the hands of a small number of wealthy owners. Massachusetts and Vermont have initiated such changes in capital gains taxes.

The National Agricultural Lands Study, initiated in June of 1979, is focusing on our farm land problem. Public workshops are being held nationwide and citizens are being asked to share their knowledge, experience, and viewpoints on a broad range of questions such as:

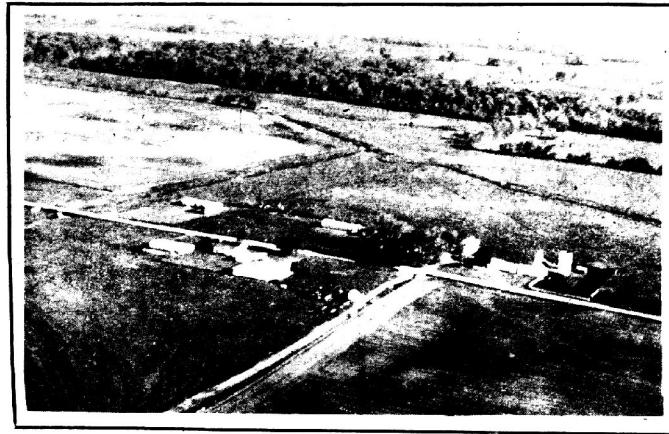
\*What is being done throughout America to retain farm lands for agricultural use?

\*What state and local programs have been successful, and what programs have failed in slowing or preventing the conversion of agricultural lands to urban use? and,

\*How long will we be able to produce sufficient food to meet domestic and foreign needs?

Citizens who are concerned about the loss of our farm lands and wish to participate in public meetings across the country may obtain further information by writing the National Agricultural Lands Study, 722 Jackson Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006.

If you are unable to attend a meeting, you may write directly to the Executive Director at the above address.



## 4-Way EMT'S elect officers

New officers were elected at the Dec. 17 meeting of the 4-Way Ambulance Service. New officers are: President, Anne Utter; vice-president, Janice Hatfield; secretary-treasurer, Ron Scott; training officer, Dave Peffley. Supply officer and maintenance officer will be appointed by the president. We would like to thank those who volunteered to help the ambulance service. These people will

be contacted in the near future. We are still in need of more help. Please contact any member of the ambulance service if you can donate your time to help others of your community.

Training was held on treatment of bone fractures.

Schedules for 1980 were distributed.

Sandy Simpson, secretary

## Help available for heating

Poor people in Indiana should not have to wrestle with the question of whether to heat or eat this winter.

The federal Energy Crisis Assistance Program (ECAP) that has been on hold since November 30 because of a funding snag is ready to go.

Elderly people, 65 and older, receiving Social Security benefits, may be eligible for up to \$400 in energy aid, \$200 from ECAP and \$200 from SAFE, depending upon their income. All applicants must qualify according to CSA Income Guidelines.

Heating bill aid this winter can

be offered on current bills. This differs from past projects when the poor had to have past due bills to qualify.

All assistance provided under ECAP will be in the form of direct vendor payments. The applicants will receive no direct payments.

People interested in this type of assistance may apply at the Fulton County Development Council, Civic Center, 7th & Pontiac Sts., Rochester, IN. (or call 223-3701).

Please bring proof of all sources of household income when applying.

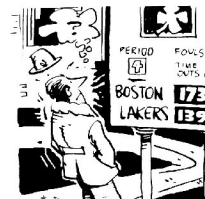
## Mentone items

Mrs. Elmer Hammond is in satisfactory condition recovering from a second surgery in South Bend Memorial Hospital.

Hugh Aughinbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Olson, Jenny, Steven, Mark and Janet, all of So. Bend, Mr. and Mrs. David Steffen, Debbie, Philip, Michael and Betsy, of Elkhart, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey J. Melton, David and Donald of Winona Lake spent Christmas with June Aughinbaugh.

## Akron items

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Brown and family, Shepherd, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Malott and sons; Macy, Koudy Malott, Macy; Kim Helvey, New York; and Cora Coplen spent Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.



The most points scored by an NBA team in a single game was when Boston beat Minneapolis, 173-139, February 27, 1959.

## Calendar

MONDAY, JANUARY 7

There will be a meeting of members of Milbern School Association and those interested in the Mentone Area History at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Frank Smith.

## The NEWS asks:

by Diana Streevey Bucher

"What event of the 70's do you think will have the most far-reaching effect in America?"

Deb Wise, Mentone "The way the moral attitude in America and the world is going down instead of towards God. People in their moral standards are moving away from God."

Russell Hart, Mentone "I think probably the gas situation and OPEC control and so on."

Isabelle Peterson, Mentone "Let's see, there are several things. What about the Iran question, even though it hasn't been settled. Right at the present this is what I think of, it will probably have an effect on the elections and all. There are so many things that happened, if I thought a while my answer might be different. But



Diana

right now this is what I think of." Bonnie Daub, Akron "I suppose the boys who were taken prisoner in Iran."

John Weida, Akron "I'd have to say Watergate myself, or actually all the events surrounding it. It changed the way people feel about politics and government in general. A lot of people lost their confidence and trust in government."

Roy Mercedub, Akron "The biggest event to influence most of us is the drastic increase of the price of crude oil. It may affect us for a long time and alter our life styles."

Carol Nixon, Mentone "Probably Watergate."

## Olive Bethel news

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey spent Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs. Don Butts and Jill, Barbee Lake. Mrs. Milo Hott spent Friday morning with Mrs. David Sheetz and Angela.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Safford spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Norm Grando, Ft. Wayne.

Brad and Angela Sheetz attended Christmas parties at the Akron Methodist Church and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan.

Mrs. Jack Curtis, Chicago, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Omer Leininger.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lukens and Dan, Elkhart, and Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Lukens and Jennifer spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sheetz.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. John Meredith and Mark, Ft. Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bunch and family, Edwardsburg, Mich., Mrs. Jack Curtis, Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Leininger and family, Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Omer Leininger were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Leininger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family spent Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs. John Hott, Kewanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cox and Aletha; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bash-

am, Mishawaka; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox and family; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Snavely, Wabash; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cox and family, Fulton; Gail and Norma McKenzie, So. Whitley; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Claxton and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rose and family; Donna McKenzie and Bill McKenzie; Kim Workman; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crook, No. Manchester; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kerby, Barbara and Susan, Galveston; Dorotju Cox; John Grable, So. Whitley; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cox, Doug and Greg spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox. Also attending were Mrs. Bill Kratzer and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter, Larry and Penny.

Jill Butts, Barbee Lake, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Safford, Alisha and Angela Culver spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Safford.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sheetz were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family.

Dorothy Cox was a Monday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ooley, LeRoy and Darrell, then called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen.

## Bower (Sie) Day

Bower D. (Sie) Day, 66, R. 1, Macy, died at 8 a.m. Thursday, December 27, 1979, at his residence.

Mr. Day was born July 4, 1913 in Akron to Ralph K. and Esta Engle Day. He had lived most of his life in the Akron and Macy areas. He was married February 24, 1941 in Hammond to Rosellen Robins. He was a retired employee of the Peru Square-D Company. He was a member of the Manitou Moose Lodge, Warren Street Baptist Church in Peru, was a veteran of World War II, and a retired Macy volunteer fireman.

Surviving are five sons, Myron (Bud), Chili; Rex, Ft. Worth, Texas; Raymond, Peru; Robin, Macy, and David, at home; a daughter, Mrs. Jerry (Sianna) Deeds, Macy; a brother, John Day, Akron; a sister, VeVillie Day, Macy, and 12 grandchildren. Two sisters and a brother preceded in death.

Services were Sunday, December 30, in the Sheetz Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. Norris King officiating. Burial was in the Plainview Cemetery, Macy.

## OBITUARIES

### W. Pearl Loher

W. Pearl Loher, 67, R. 1, Akron, died December 31, 1979 at the Woodlawn Hospital, after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Loher was born February 25, 1912 in Fulton County to Eron and Mary (Kercher) Fellers. She was married to Thomas A. Loher, June 29, 1929, he died October 23, 1976. She was a member of the Akron Church of God.

Surviving is one daughter, Mrs. Senora Brinson, Akron; two grandchildren, Chas. Sagun, Mentone, and Roxie Ann Tolay, Germany; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday, January 3, at the Sheetz Funeral Home with the Rev. James Hall officiating. Burial was in the Akron Cemetery.



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### Robert Utter

Robert R. Utter, 76, Akron, died at 8:30 p.m. Sunday, December 23, 1979, at Woodlawn Hospital where he had been a patient for five days. He had been in failing health the past year.

Mr. Utter was born Jan. 4, 1903 in Henry Township to Jacob and Mary M. Shobe Utter. He had lived in the area most of his life. He was married June 18, 1921 in Rochester to Bina E. Swartzlander, who survives. He was a farmer and retired employee of Morry's Ready-Mix and a former owner-operator of the Rochester Cities Service bulk plant and two gas stations.

Surviving with the wife are three sons, Cedric D., R. 2, Rochester; Morse, R. 2, Rochester, and Jackie, Rochester; a daughter, Mrs. Leonard (Margurite) Swick, R. 2, Rochester; 10 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren, and a brother, Chester, Rochester. Two sisters and three brothers preceded in death.

Services were Wednesday, December 26, in the Foster and Good Funeral Home, Rochester, with the Rev. Kenneth Leininger and the Rev. Mrs. Hazel Comer officiating. Burial was in the Athens Cemetery.

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In memory of Chester L. Walters who passed away Jan. 3, 1978.

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## THANK YOU

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to all our neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness and sympathy during the illness and passing of our loved one, Robert R. Utter. Also thanks to Dr. Davis, the nursing staff at Woodlawn Hospital, Olive Bethel Church, Beaver Dam Church, the Rev. Kenneth Leininger, the Rev. Hazel Comer, Foster and Good Funeral Home and the pall bearers. BINA E. UTTER AND FAMILY. 1/3 1p

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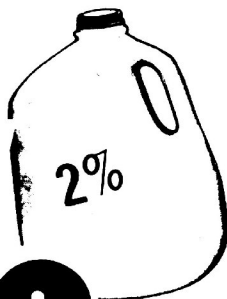
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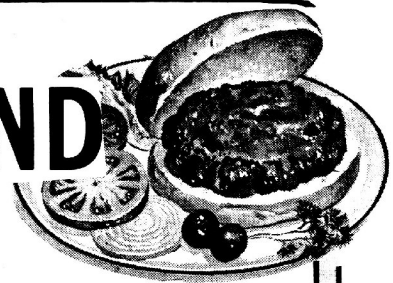
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# Area man to appear in Charlton Heston movie

by Diana Streevey Bucher

If you're not doing anything special next spring, I would advise you to go see the movie **THE LAST OF THE MOUNTAINMEN**, starring Charlton Heston, Brian Keith and...Larry Houchin?

Larry Houchin lives at Lukens Lake, and while Columbia Studios didn't single him out to appear in their movie about mountainmen, they well might have. Larry belongs to the American Mountainmen Association (AMA), the most exacting mountainmen organization in the United States, and it was this organization that received the call for extras from Columbia Studios.

In June of 1979, Larry and Lynda Capocci went to the filming site on location near Jackson-hole, Wyoming, where he work-

ed as an extra for two weeks. Larry and other AMA members were needed to film a major feature of the movie, a portrayal of a rendezvous.

This was an easy assignment for the AMA extras, because they hold authentic rendezvous and trade fairs year round. The Indiana, Illinois and Iowa area comprise the central area for rendezvous, although these gatherings are also held at other sites all over the country. There are also mountainmen groups besides the AMA that sponsor trade fairs, like the Mountainmen of the Wausatch, the Kikiongers at Fort Wayne and the National Muzzle-loading Rifle Association at Friendship, Indiana. Probably the largest meeting is the AMA-sponsored rendezvous that is held annually at Henry's Fork on the

Utah-Wyoming state boundary and lasts for a full week.

The purpose of the original trade fairs was to give the isolated fur trappers, scouts and other free-spirited mountainmen an opportunity to meet with their friends, barter and trade the furs and crafts they had acquired over the winter, and hold councils and contests with Indians and fellow trappers. Larry explained, "Everyone had a certain amount of trade goods or plunder they brought to a rendezvous, because they used the barter system then. The meetings were called rendezvous or trade fairs, because it was part of the trade system..."

"The mountainmen all came in with pack animals and the things they had trapped or made in winter and early spring to trade at the rendezvous. At the end of the



Lynda, Charlton Heston, and Larry on location.

rendezvous they would try to set a date and place for the next year's meeting.

"Today people from all walks of life join this (the rendezvous). They save up all their cache and bring things to trade. We (he and

Lynda) have jewelry, decorated powder horns and ornaments, and we'll trade with knife makers, tomahawk makers and such at one rendezvous, then take those things to other fairs and trade them for different items."

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Thursday, January 10, 1980



Guy Beasley, right, was honored for 27 years of service at Chamberlain products recently. Story on page 9.

## Mentone Board discuss election

The Mentone Town Board, meeting in their regular monthly session Monday, discussed the idea of establishing a "staggered" board and clerk election procedure for the town.

Under such an election process, every two years, either one or two board candidates would be elected instead of the current system under which all three trustee positions are elected once every four years.

Board president Frank Hardesty suggested the idea to other members Wayne Tombaugh and Jim Miller.

Miller was the only newly elected trustee at the first meeting of the Board this year. Hardesty and Tombaugh, as well as clerk-treasurer Kate Whetstone were re-elected for four year terms in November's election.

After some discussion, with advice from town attorney Lee Bazzini, the board agreed to act on the change in the future after further studying the procedures

necessary to enact such a change. Hardesty explained that such a change would prevent the possibility of an all new board and clerk coming into office "cold" at once, which has happened in past elections.

In other action: \*Tombaugh made a motion that a new police radio be purchased under a service agreement. Miller seconded the motion, and it passed.

\*President Hardesty asked the other members to begin consideration of allowing some Federal Revenue Sharing monies, over the next couple years, to be moved in the Fire Prevention Fund towards to purchase of a new fire-truck pumper. The current pumper in use will probably have to be replaced in 1982. The board agreed, and took the idea under advisement.

\*The board agreed to ask the same Park and Cemetery, and Aviation Board members to retain their positions for the next

term. Four residents will be contacted also, to become members of the newly formed Mentone Planning Commission.

\*The board announced that on December 11, the town water rate increase request of 32% was presented to the State Public Service Commission for their consideration. The PSC stated they would inform the board of their decision in the near future.

*TVHS probation:  
another view by  
Vern Hucks on  
page 10 of this  
edition.*

## Valley faculty to host WOWO Air Aces

The WOWO Air Aces Basketball team will face the faculty of TVHS in a basketball game on Jan. 22, 8:00 p.m., in the Tippecanoe Valley High School gym. The game is being sponsored by the Student Council to raise money for the purchase of a lighted marquee to be placed in front of the school and/or a

flagpole for the football-baseball fields.

"The hotshots of the hard-court" once again will be led by Bob Stevers and Jack Underwood. The WOWO Aces team will include air personalities Chris Roberts, Ron Gregory, Robb Westaby, and Farm Service Director Dugan Fry. From the News de-

partment there's Art Saltsberg, Jaunita Hayes, Linda Losch and Cynthia Harris.

The Valley "Wizards" will feature such outstanding stars as Skinner, Wortinger, Fleetwood, Sipe, Smith and Harmon, along with several other members of the faculty. A complete roster will appear in next week's paper. Don't miss the rare occasion to see a performance you won't forget.

While the WOWO "Black and Blue Brigade" doesn't pretend to set the world on fire with breathtaking basketball skills, they are proud of their record as fund

raisers, helping bring in almost \$140,000 for high school projects in the past 11 years.

Tickets will be on sale in the high school office starting Wednesday, Jan. 9, at the Jan. 19 home

varsity basketball game, and at the door the night of the game. Price for adult tickets will be \$2.00 and \$1.00 for student tickets.

## The trashmen cometh

The newly hired Mentone trash pickup service, Larry Smith Trucking, will continue to pick up garbage on Wednesdays the Mentone Board announced Monday.

The Board has asked residents, in case of heavy snows in alleyways, to please leave their refuge along main streets in areas visible to the truck driver.

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## Dr. Harrell returned to Board meeting

by Diana Streevey Bucher

The Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation School Board met in a short meeting Monday, January 7, 1980 in the lecture room at Tippecanoe Valley High School at 7:30 p.m. Board member Lee Norris was absent. Superintendent Lloyd Harrell, attending his first board meeting since his recent illness, thanked everyone for their "thoughts and concern and prayers".

Business included: A transfer of appropriations. Examples given to justify the transfer included an appropriation of \$40 thousand for gasoline, but an expenditure of \$53 thousand.

—Board members signed contract for Davenport Associates to work on Burket School.

—Loren Skinner, TVHS principal reported the high school has about 40 mid-term graduates. He also reported the high school will be mailing first semester report

cards for the first time. One copy will still be handed to students at school, but an additional copy will go through the mail.

—Grade school principals reported their Christmas programs had been well-received, and basketball season for both boys and girls have started at Akron and Mentone.

New books received at the Akron Carnegie Public Library include the following:

MARVELLA, A PERSONAL JOURNEY by Marvella Bayh. An extraordinary story of love and politics, triumph and tragedy, self-discovery, and a battle for life that brought abiding faith.

HAROLD E. HUGHES, THE MAN FROM IDA GROVE by Harold E. Hughes. This man who became Senator tells a compelling,

unforgettable story of how an average person can overcome incredible obstacles to become one of the most important men in the government of the United States.

HOW TO IMPROVE YOUR CHILD'S BEHAVIOR THROUGH DIET by Laura J. Stevens and Rosemary B. Stoner. Recent medical evidence suggests that many childhood behavior problems - including hyperactivity, bed wetting, poor school performance, and learning disabilities - can be traced directly to poor nutrition or to a child's hypersensitivity to specific foods.

THE TRUTH ABOUT SENILITY - AND HOW TO AVOID IT by Lawrence Galton. This sensible, much-needed book dispels the misconceptions and myths that surround the term senility, and offers new hope for the aging.

MERCHANT PRINCES by Leon Harris. This is an intimate history of Jewish families who built great department stores.

LEAVE YOURSELF ALONE by Eugenia Price. For twenty-five

years Eugenia Price has been challenging and encouraging readers with her quiet faith and her practical, honest Christianity. Here again, in her inimitable and charming style, she prods her readers to move beyond the self-knowledge syndrome of today into real Christian living. If we mean to leave ourselves alone, we must keep a hand free to reach out for what He has to give us. He always knows exactly what we need.

102 FAVORITE PAINTINGS by Norman Rockwell.

QUEEN JULIANA by William Hoffman. This is the story of the richest woman in the world.

On December 29 Todd DeWayne

## Mentone Police Report

Miller, 18, St. Rd. 25 E., Manwarings Parking lot, Mentone, was cited for no license in possession. Court date set for January 16.

On December 29 Arthur D. Walsh, 52, R. 1, Rochester was cited for speeding (44 mph in a 30 mph zone). Court date set for Jan. 9.

On December 31 David C. Weber age 20, R. 1, Akron, was cited for operating while intoxicated. Court date set for Jan. 16. David C. Weber was also taken to Kos. County jail and booked for illegal consumption of alcohol.

On December 28 Virgil Leroy Cooper was arrested for public intoxication and operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. His address is R. 5, Rochester.

On December 29 Todd D. Miller, R. 5, Warsaw, and Timothy D. Leiter, R. 1, Akron, were arrested for illegal consumption of alcohol.

The Mentone Police Department logged 1,551 miles on the police vehicle while answering 33 calls of service for the month of December, 1979.

The following is a list of the complaints received and handled by the department for the month of December: Disturbance, 5; accident, 6; extra patrol, 1; information, 2; vandalism, 2; prowler report, 1; death message, 1; agency assist, 2; stolen car report, 1; battery, 1; dog complaint 2; title check, 1; and public assist, 1.

Four adults and three juveniles were arrested, and sixteen citations were issued for the month of December.

## Bayh book now at Akron

## Akron Fourth of July committee begins

July 4, 1980 - does it seem far away? Well, it's not as far away as you think.

The 4th of July committee in Akron is organized and hard at work. Items of interest concerning the celebration will be printed in The NEWS at various times.

Members of this years committee are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Studebaker, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bahney, Mr. and Mrs. David Haynes, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Loer.

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## Newsview

by Bob Norlander

Positive statements about ourselves and others are important as we head into the new decade. I learned this when I read in the New York Times that fountain pens are making a comeback. People are paying as much as \$250 for fountain pens made by Christian Dior. Why?

"Fountain pens make a positive statement, like a Burberry raincoat or a Rolex watch," said Frank Lassman, co-owner of Paper and Ink in New York City.

A positive statement says something good about a person, as opposed to a negative statement which says something cheaper. For instance, it is reported that in the divorce settlement between Christina Onassis and Sergei Kauzov, she will give him a 60,000-ton ship. That is a positive statement by Christina. A canoe would be negative.

When a man takes a \$250 fountain pen out of his pocket and uncaps it to sign a contract, he is saying he really doesn't need to sign that contract to survive. He is saying if there doesn't happen to be any ink in his fountain pen, he will forget signing the silly contract and go play polo instead. This is a positive statement.

Joe Slob, who is signing the contract with the polo player, will be awed by the fountain pen. If he is fairly young, it may be the first time Joe has seen a non-disposable pen. If the owner of the fountain pen fills it in Joe's presence, Joe will probably wonder why nobody ever thought of such a marvelous pen before.

Joe will rush home to tell his wife about the wondrous invention he has seen and he will say: "By golly, if they can invent a pen that never has to be thrown away, the next thing you know, orange juice will come in oranges instead of cans."

Joe will be so anxious to do business with such an impressive person, he will sign without reading the fine print. The next time the seductive pen runs dry, Joe will discover he unwittingly sold his soul for use as a polo ball.

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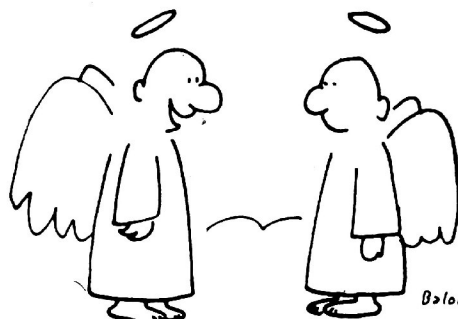
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"Of course I look healthy — I died jogging."

## It Happened in Mentone

Taken from the January 14, 1953 issue of *The Northern Indiana Co-Op News*:

The trustees of the town of Mentone are advertising for bids for a new pickup truck to be used by the street, water and police departments.

The local boy scouts, with the assistance of their scout master, Wayne Tombaugh, will have a paper drive on Saturday morning, January 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manwaring left last Friday for Florida where they will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Grindle, of Mentone, are the parents of a daughter, weighing eight pounds, six ounces, born at 2:36 a.m. Sunday at the Murphy Medical Center. The new daughter has been named Diane Kay. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Whetstone are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. Lester Grant is the new pastor at the Mentone Church of Christ. He with Mrs. Grant and their small daughter, Cindy, are now living in the parsonage. The Grants' former home was at Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

The Stutch and Stir 4-H Club met at the home of Rita Olson Tuesday evening January 13th

to organize for the coming year.

Officers were elected as follows: president, Rita Olson; vice president, Betty Lou Mellott; secretary, June Romine; treasurer, Beverly Tinkey; reporter, Janet Romine; song leader, Dorothy Christian; Health and Safety, Sue Barkman, and recreation committee, Donna Eaton, Mary Bell Mellott, Linda Blackburn and Elaine Dunnick.

The Merry Mollys Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Eugene Sarber with

Mrs. Carl Whetstone as co-hostess.

Mrs. Whetstone, Mrs. Eugene was in charge of entertainment, Mrs. Betty Hirschman won the door prize. Mrs. Hershel McGowan, president, presided with the business.

The members of the Worth While Class of the Local Methodist Church will hold their monthly class meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duzan on Friday evening, January 16, at 6:45 p.m. for a chili supper.

### Andy Knoop elected student treasurer at Huntington College

Robert "Rob" Skilling, a Huntington College junior from Caledonia, Michigan, was elected this month to the highest student office of the Huntington College student governing body, the Student Senate.

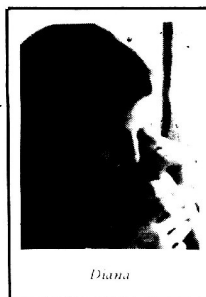
Andrew "Andy" Knoop, a junior majoring in business administration, was elected to the position of treasurer of the Student Senate. Knoop will begin his

fourth term on the senate, having served two terms as class senator to the senate, and a term as the class president.

Knoop has been a member of the Concert Choir, the Wind Ensemble, Pep Band, Chamber Orchestra, and played in the spring musical orchestra for two years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul N. Knoop, R. 1, Mentone.

## The NEWS asks:

"Last Wednesday night, Bert Parks was fired from hosting the Miss America Pageant after hosting it for 25 years. What is your reaction to this?"



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Phyllis Thompson, Akron: "I think he should still be doing the show. It's not fair to fire him after all these years."

Debra Layne, Mentone: "It doesn't make much difference to us, we don't watch it. Maybe he got a raw deal, but if they got a younger host they might get a younger audience."

Don Beoney, Silver Lake: "I cried (she was laughing). I didn't think it was fair, but we didn't hear the full particulars. They said he was too old, but there may be other reasons."

Joe Wahlig, Akron: "He's a good narrator, but I suppose there's always someone to replace him. No one is irreplaceable, and he's done it a lot of years."

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## Ralph Rader named to Akron Library Board

Ralph Rader has been appointed to serve on the Akron Carnegie Public Library Board replacing Clair Ellis who has served on the Board since 1953. Mr. Ellis cannot be reappointed because of the maximum number of years served according to the law.

The board met in the library Wednesday evening for their regular meeting. Following the meeting Clair Ellis was presented a book

by the board members and librarians. Refreshments were served by the librarians, Velma Bright and Gloria Bowen.

Board members present were Harold Gearhart, president; Mrs. Larry Wood, vice-president; Mrs. Con Shewman, secretary; Kim Lewis, treasurer; Mrs. Ed Gray and Randall Leininger. Mrs. Clair Ellis was a guest.

## Franklin trustee asks owners to confine dogs

Donald Smalley, Franklin Township Trustee, has brought to the attention of all dog owners in Franklin township, accord-

ing to state law, all dogs must be confined to your property. If caught running loose they will be disposed of.

This is a reminder to dog owners in an effort to curb dog problems in the township.

## This Was News

### 60 YEARS AGO

The Staten school house, west of Akron, caught fire from the stove and burned to the ground. Rex Johnson and Orville Moore discovered the blaze as they were passing. They stopped and with the aid of Frank Merley, Trustee William Morrett and E. O. Strong, who were called, every effort was made to extinguish the blaze. The stove fell thru the floor and set the entire floor ablaze.

At a recent meeting of the directors of the State bank, Jacob Snerly was elected president to take the place of V. J. Lidecker, who has served for several years.

The Linc Lukens and Sons' hog sale last Saturday amounted to more than \$41,000. The top price was paid by Wrigley, of chewing gum fame, \$4110. The animal was shipped to one of Wrigley's farms at Geneva, Wisconsin.

Walter Haldeman, who recently purchased an interest in the F. Stoner Elevator Co. and who intended to leave the Exchange bank, said this week that he would probably remain at the bank for the coming year.

### 39 YEARS AGO

K. Stuart Gast, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gast, has become a member of the Horner and McDowell law firm at Winamac.

Irvin McHatten recently purchased a complete shop and equipment and is preparing to do furniture repairing, refinishing, re-gluing and upholstering.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boswell entertained New Years Eve at a pot-luck supper and Euchre party the following: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waechter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Groninger, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bucher.

Akron lost their last game in 1940 to Mentone by a score of 28 to 32. The Flyers put up a good fight but not quite good enough for the Bulldogs.

On Tuesday of last week the senior class presented the school with a Zenith portable radio. The radio is to be used in Miss Miller's room and taken to other classrooms for any special programs.

### 25 YEARS AGO

Mr. H. D. Stoner has retired as President of the Akron Exchange State Bank. His resignation was accepted by the Board of Directors at a special stockholders meeting Monday January 10. After the meeting, the newly elected Board organized and subscribed to their oaths of office. They then elected H. L. Groninger, president; J. R. Emaser, vice-president; and A. M. Price, cashier.

Ralph Rader, joint representative from Fulton and Pulaski counties, has been appointed to six committees during the present session of the General Assembly. Rader is the ranking member of Drains, Dikes and Swamplands, and is also serving on the Labor, Ways & Means R, Railroads, and World War and Soldiers Memorial committees.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamoin Hand and daughter, Tamara, are leaving Ft. Wayne Friday by TWA plane to spend the weekend with their son, Rev. Quentin Hand and family, at Sunkirt, New Hampshire.

### 10 YEARS AGO

Bob Herendeen is described as "King of the Pitts Special" in an article by Kenneth Don Wilson in the December 1969, issue of SPORT FLYING.

Gail Hammond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hammond, R. 2, Akron, will be one of 36 Manchester College students to study in Central America during the month of January.

The Akron Flyers defeated the Whites' Institute Warriors Friday night, 70-63. Bob Bryant paced the Flyers with 35 points and Dave Cumberland scored 15.

## News Almanac

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Tuesday, Jan. 1	30	21	trace
Wednesday, Jan. 2	31	29	trace
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## Attorney appointed in Akron stabbing

Saturday morning at 1 a.m. Akron Deputy Town Marshal, Charles Clawson, contacted the Fulton County Sheriff's office requesting assistance with a stabbing at Lot 3, Sunset Trailer Court, Akron. Sheriff Bob Newgent, Deputy Sheriff Robert Bryant, and Rochester City policeman Paul Saygers responded to the call.

Upon arriving at the mobile home, they found Donald A. De Monia, 39, 212 N. 3rd Street, Goshen, had been stabbed in the back with a six-inch kitchen knife. He was taken to Woodlawn Hospital where he was listed in poor but stable condition.

Akron Town Marshal Ed Hauser and Detective Sgt. Donald Smith of the Indiana State Police assisted in the investigation which culminated with Michael Estep, 22, being taken into custody the same morning. Estep was living with his mother, Lona Estep, at Lot 3 of the trailer court. He was charged with battery causing serious bodily injury and bond was set at \$12,500.

On Monday, January 7, James O. Wells was appointed attorney for Estep.

## Mentone Lions collecting old glasses

The Mentone Lions Club is collecting used eye glasses and hearing aids.

Boxes are located in Cooper's Store, Farmers State Bank and The Pill Box.

The eye glasses and hearing aids will be used by doctors in various parts of the world to provide better sight and better hearing for poor people.



**\$100 winner**

Bill Baker, Talma, shown left above, was last week's lucky winner of \$100.00 in Mentone Money. Baker, whose winning entry was submitted at the Broadway Tavern in Mentone, receives his prize from John Williams, from the Mentone Chamber of Commerce.

## Film on book heroine slated

A new color motion picture honoring the life of Corrie ten Boom will be presented at the Silver Creek Church of God, R. 1, Silver Lake. Entitled **CORRIE: THE LIVES SHE'S TOUCHED**, the film, produced by World Wide Pictures, will be shown on the 13th of January, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Filed in Denver before a live audience of more than 2,000 persons gathered to pay tribute to Corrie's ministry of love and compassion, the book shares in greater detail the events that have taken place in her life.

Corrie's story has been shared with millions around the world through the book and motion picture, **THE HIDING PLACE**. A 1975 World Wide Pictures release, **THE HIDING PLACE** has been dubbed into several foreign languages, and has been well received in England, Holland, and West Germany, as well as throughout the Far East.

According to the Rev. Fred J. Landolt, pastor of Silver Creek Church of God, the showing is free and open to the public.

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## Area man dies in car accident

David E. Harmon, 23, R. 1, Romann, was killed in an accident involving his car and a truck on Saturday, January 5, at 1:30 p.m.

Harmon was traveling west on St. Rd. 14 when his car veered across the center of the road and into the path of a pick up truck operated by Tim D. Weaver, 21, R. 1, Akron. Weaver attempted to avoid collision by swerving off

the road, but his truck was hit head-on by Harmon's vehicle. Harmon was killed instantly of a broken neck. Police were unable to determine why Harmon lost

control of his vehicle. Weaver was admitted to Woodlawn Hospital and treated for facial and leg lacerations. He was released Sunday.

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# The Last Of The Mountainmen

From page 1

To join the American Mountainmen Association you must prove your skills and abilities to provide for yourself in the true mountainman tradition, and you must be sponsored by a member. Your first test involves surviving in the woods for about a week with only a knife, flint and steel (to start fires) and a blanket; you are accompanied by a current AMA member. Then you must provide yourself with an outfit that is totally authentic to the era, which ranged from the late 1700's to about 1840. According to Larry, the period ended by 1840 because the style of men's hats in Europe changed from beaver to silk, lessening the demand for beaver which the trappers had supplied up to that time!

Women are not accepted as members of the organization, although they are welcome to accompany male members. This isn't a sexist move, as Larry explained. "This is one of the strictest organizations in the United States. The AMA is keeping the mountainmen tradition true by doing extensive research on the mountainmen's life and trying to do things exactly the way it was done then. Women are not included as members because this isn't the way it was."

Lynda, who is always included in Larry's invitations to AMA events, added, "I have always found these people are friendly, nice, good people. While women don't have membership cards, they become members through their men, like it really was. And when you become a member, you are automatically a brother. There is a very close feeling among the members."

During the two weeks Larry worked as an extra for *THE LAST OF THE MOUNTAINMEN*, he worked 10-14 hours a day. "To walk on set you needed your own outfit and a black powder rifle. This entitled you to \$50 a day and time-and-a-half for overtime. We made about \$75 or \$80 a day."

"The weather in the Teton Mountains ranged from hot 80 degrees to hail to sleet to snow to rain."

While the extras didn't see any of the film footage, Larry is fairly certain he will be in one scene, because it was only filmed once.

In the scene, Brian Keith is sitting by a campfire with several men (Larry included), telling grizzly bear stories. He picks up a twig from the fire to light an unusual pipe, and when he tosses the twig behind him, a man catches on fire, starting a chain of events.

The unusual pipe Keith lights in the movie was made by no other than Larry Houchin. It's made of elk horn, with an ivory tip and hardwood bowl, and is inlaid with a piece of scrimshaw Lynda carved. Both Brian Keith and Charlton Heston admired Larry's pipe, but it remains in the creators' hands.

Lynda, though not used as an extra because of her light skin and hair, visited the movie site, and she did a leather painting of Heston's head. She then copied it in scrimshaw on an ivory disk, and Heston bought this from her.

Lynda Capocci was born and raised in Ipswich, England, and she came to this country in 1974. She lived in Pittsburgh and worked for Federated Investors as an Account Executive. Several of the



Larry and Lynda in authentic mountaineer outfits. Lynda's is made of deerskin, Larry's is moosehide.

people she worked with were interested in different types of arts and crafts, and in their spare time they tried many things. It was then she first started painting Indians and mountainmen portraits on buckskin. A fur and leather goods store in Pittsburgh,

TOM'S FUR SHOP, displayed her art and she began selling it.

Larry Houchin was encouraged to draw from the time he was a child growing up in Columbus, Ohio. Though he didn't have much formal training until he was in the service in New York City, he always considered himself a painter. While in the service, he attended the American Art Institute in Manhattan full-time at night for one-and-a-half years, where he studied drawing and painting.

Larry moved to Colorado in 1960 and spent the next eight years as a water softener salesman. This only took four to six hours a day, so he had the time to pursue his art. While in Colorado, he began displaying paintings in "after-hours" clubs and selling them. Larry knew an Apache who made Indian pottery, and he showed Larry how to make and decorate it with pre-historic Indian designs. Thus, Larry came to this area in 1970 where he made pottery to sell in Chicago.

In 1971 he took a short hiatus to go to school in Mexico to learn tapestry weaving and silversmithing and work on his painting. His last formal training was in 1973-74, when he studied under Thad Miller, who taught oil painting at the Wabash Vocational School.

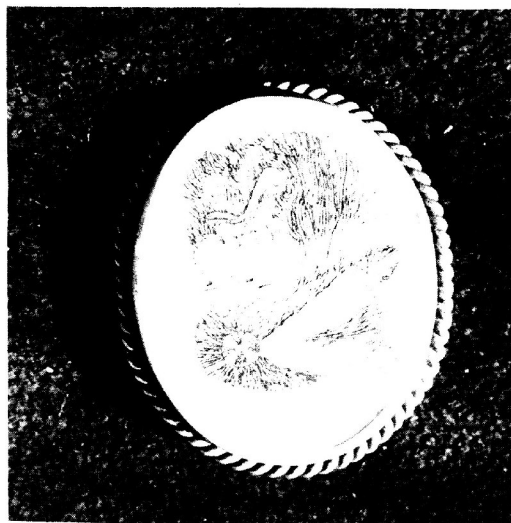
In 1977 Larry visited a friend from Pittsburgh he had met at a rendezvous in Friendship, Indiana, Tom Kording. Kording owned TOM'S FUR SHOP, and he introduced Larry and Lynda to each other.

Now Larry and Lynda work together crafting their art to sell, and they do a lot of traveling all over the country to attend rendezvous. Larry works mainly silversmithing jewelry, and Lynda works mainly with scrimshaw.

Authentic scrimshaw, an English art, was etched or carved on ivory, bone or whales teeth, and Lynda uses mainly ivory. The work is extremely delicate and painstaking, but she enjoys it.

"One can make any type of jewelry, from elaborate bracelets to stickpins or cufflinks. One thing I really enjoy doing is portraits. I've done several. They take an awful lot of work, but I don't mind putting time into it. I like to bring out a personality and character in a face, I almost put the person into the ivory. And I love to do cats. I identify with them, because I look at them and see a triple personality. They are elegant, intelligent, but so dangerous they will tear you to pieces!"

Lynda hopes to start a wholesale scrimshaw business supplying store with this work. She will be looking for people who



This etched brooch of fellow mountain man David Wright, was done by Lynda on a piece of ivory. The art is about half the size of a half dollar coin.



Lynda demonstrates how she etches scrimshaw. The tool used is a scrimshanders tool, a very fine, sharp carving tool.

are interested so she can train them in the art of scrimshaw.

As I took one last look around their home, at the buffalo skins tossed casually over chairs, the buffalo skull and hoofs, leather paintings, Navajo rugs, antique snow shoes, rawhide and willow canoe chairs, and the many sets of antlers hanging on the wall, I felt as though I had fallen into a different age. One where life was basic and the things that surrounded you were familiarly yours. Life was not simpler then, it was just more predictable. But as I observed the success Larry and Lynda enjoy in their unique and colorful lifestyle, I defined the twinges I felt as definite envy. I will be the first in line to see our neighborhood mountainman in his movie debut, and if I'm lucky he might let me wear his buffalo head hat.

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## Jabberwocky

By Diana Streevey Bucher

Well, we lost Bert Parks last week, and is America up in arms? I should hope so! Good grief, what will the Miss America Pageant be without Bert's throaty rendition of "There she is ..."? For that matter, what is the Miss America Pageant anyway? But really, it is not fair to do away with the man because of 'old age', the reason pageant officials gave for his dismissal. If he was losing his voice I'd understand this better, but Bert Parks has ALWAYS sounded the same.

It is reported that pageant officials are considering... John Davidson...Mac Davis...Merv Griffin...or Gavin MacLeod as potential replacements. Spare me.

I for one am overjoyed that Johnny Carson immediately formed a SAVE BERT'S JOB campaign. Armed with WE WANT BERT buttons, bumper stickers and posters, Johnny started a nationwide protest geared to re-instating Bert to his hallowed position. I support this action by Carson. Golly gee, I firmly believe that if we are to continue with the antiquated tradition of the Miss America Pageant, we should keep the antiquated host.

If you want to help keep Bert out of the Atlantic City unemployment line, write to the following address and say:

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### Akron item

Mrs. Bonnie Wagoner is confined to Parkview Hospital and would appreciate hearing from friends. Her address is: Bonnie Wagoner, Room 524, Parkview Hospital, Ft. Wayne, IN 46804

Mr. and Mrs. Doin Smoker entertained on New Years Day Mr. and Mrs. Odie Sausaman, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Swick, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Myers, Mrs. Goldie Ferree, Mrs. Margaret Slaybaugh and Mrs. Nina Clemons.

## Harmon, Bartlett wed

Gerald Harmon, R. 1, Roann, and Bev Bartlett, R. 2, Macy, were united in a double ring ceremony Saturday, December 22, at the Olive Branch Church of God, Roann, by the Rev. Lowell Burrus.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilden Bartlett, R. 2, Macy. She is employed by Dean Foods Company, Rochester. She is a 1975 graduate of North Miami High School.

The groom graduated from No. Miami High School in 1973 and is employed by Sonoco Products, Akron.

Honor attendants for the couple were Pat Hall, maid of honor, and Dave Harmon, best man.

The couple are residing on R. 1, Roann.



## Baton and Tumbling classes set

The second semester baton and tumbling classes have been scheduled to begin this Saturday, January 12, at the Burket gymnasium. Price for the 10-week class is \$10, and is open to anyone. Lisa Boggs, TVSC elementary gym teacher, will teach the classes.

The schedule is as follows:  
8:00-9:00 a.m. - 3rd, 4th, 5th grade baton twirling.  
9:00-10:00 a.m. - 3rd, 4th, 5th tumbling.  
10:00-11:00 a.m. - 1st and 2nd tumbling.  
11:00-12:00 a.m. - 1st and 2nd baton twirling.

If you have any questions call Rick Ralston at 893-7221 or 353-7888.

## Women's Club hear talk on citizenship

The Akron Woman's Club met in the library basement recently with the president, Elizabeth Gray, calling the meeting to order.

The Invocation song and pledge to the American flag were given. Rozella Tinkey sang two songs accompanied by Bernice Bowen in honor of Richard Rogers.

Kay Klein presented the slate of new officers: Betty Stutzman, president; Judy Hill, vice-president; Sherri Shewman, secretary; and Edith Sheetz, treasurer.

Sherri Shewman, Grace Waechter and Judy Hill were appointed to serve on a committee to help select the Girl's State delegate, which the club will help sponsor.

Mrs. Richard (Patti) Mimms, formerly from England and now a citizen of the United States and a resident of Akron told of how she recently acquired her citizenship and what is required of one wishing citizenship in the United States.

There were 23 members and one guest present.

Hostesses for the day were Imo Tucker, Elsie Hall and Lucile Doering.

## Calendar

### MONDAY, JANUARY 14

Akron World War II Mothers will meet for lunch at noon in the home of Marilyn Stafford.

## Church News

**AKRON CHURCH OF GOD**, James F. Hall, pastor; Myron Kissingner, asso. pastor; Larry Klein, supt.; Judith Hill, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening Service: 7 p.m. ACTIVITIES Mon., Jan. 7 - Marionettes at Weidias, 7:30 p.m. Tue., Jan. 8 - Women's Bible Study (Nursery), 1:30 p.m.

**OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD**, Hazel Comer, pastor; Mike Reed, supt.; Minnie Ellison, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. Prayer Group: 7 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m.

**AKRON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, Gary D. Irey, pastor; John York, lay leader. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

**MENTONE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**, Charlie Jones, Youth director. Rev. Kenneth Marken, Pastor Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Training Hour: 6:30 p.m. Evening Service: 7:30 p.m. Tues., AWANA at 6:30 p.m. Thurs., Bible Study and Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. - Choir rehearsal at 8:30 p.m.

**CLAY DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** Worship Services: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School: 10:25 a.m. Thursday: Bible Study: 7:00 p.m. We have classes for ages and a hearty welcome to all people. Visitors welcome always to all services.

Harold Ulrey, Pastor. He has just moved to Akron for his home and can be reached at all times. Phone 893-4118.

**AKRON CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**, Harold Miller, minister. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Church: 10:30 a.m. Choir rehearsal Thurs. evening.

**MENTONE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**, Rev. Robert Morgan, pastor; Thomas W. Harman, co-pastor. Sunday afternoon: 4 p.m. Tuesday evening: 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Services held in the new hardware building in Atwood.

**MENTONE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, E. R. Heckman, minister; Paul Halst, lay leader; Dr. Wymond Wilson, Ad. Board chairman. Worship: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School: 10:30 a.m. VF: 5:30 p.m.

**BURKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, Don Poyser, pastor; Vernon Meredith, supt.; Dennis Burch, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Church: 10:30 a.m.

**OMEGA CHURCH**, Lee Stubblefield, pastor; Emerson Burns, supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Childrens Bible Story: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service: 11:00 a.m. Youth Meeting: The youth group will meet at 1 at Harter's to go cross-country skiing at Potatoe Creek. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.

**MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST**, Billy Steele, minister. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship and Communion: 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening: 6:30 p.m. Thursday Evening: 7:30 p.m. Monday - Childrens Bible Story hour, 3-4:45. Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class, 1:30 p.m.

**SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD**, Fred Landolt, minister; Richard Hoffman, supt.; Joe French, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening Service: 7:30 p.m. Jr. & Sr. CGYA: 6:30 p.m. Thurs., Prayer Service: 7:30 p.m.

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## Who's new?

AMY ELAINE GEARHART

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Gearhart, R. 2, Macy, are parents of a eight pound, one and one-half ounce daughter, Amy Elaine, born January 7. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gearhart, R. 2, Macy, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker, Peru.

## Meals on Wheels

The Mentone Meals on Wheels drivers for the week of January 14-18 are as follows:

MONDAY: Mary Cox,  
TUESDAY: Nancy Alsbaugh,  
WEDNESDAY: Rosie Mentzer,  
THURSDAY: Judy Laferty,  
FRIDAY: Harold Utter.

## Mentone item

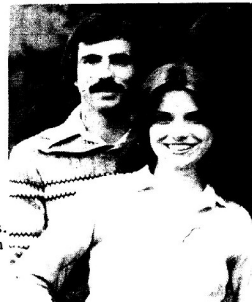
Mrs. Elmer Hammond is listed in critical condition at South Bend Memorial Hospital as of Tuesday, January 8.

## Guy Beasley is honored by Chamberlain's

Mr. Guy Beasley retired from Chamberlain Products after 27 years of active service. Originally, Guy was employed at Chamberlain's in South Whitley in the shipping and receiving departments.

After working various production jobs, he was promoted and transferred to the Akron plant as a General foreman in 1957. Since then, he has supervised the second shift along with other special plant responsibilities. His future plans are not determined yet.

All of the fellow employees at Chamberlain's wish Guy continued success and happiness.



## Akron man is honored

Charles W. (Bill) Whittenberger, son of Bernice and Charles Whittenberger of near Akron, has been promoted to the position of Manager of Quality Assurance of Resin Coated Sand for the Acme Resin Corporation, a division of CPC International.

Bill has been employed there for 16 years. He was previously Assistant Plant Manager of the Oregon, Illinois plant.

In his new position, Bill will be responsible for the resin-coated sand laboratories and quality aspects, of all Acme resin-coated sand products.

Acme Resin has an outstanding record of producing excellent quality and uniformity in the resin-coated sand field.

Bill will continue to be headquartered in the Oregon, Illinois plant.

## Akron items

Josephine Robinson was taken to St. Joseph Hospital, Ft. Wayne, early Sunday morning. She is in serious condition in room 535-3.

## Family to honor

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haney Sr. will be honored by their children and grandchildren at a reception given on Sunday, January 20, from 2 - 4 p.m., at the Beaver Dam Church, in observance of their Golden Wedding anniversary. They were married at Plymouth by the Rev. B. F. Datson on Jan. 15, 1930, at the United Brethren Parsonage.

Children of the couple are Fred Haney Jr., Maurice, and Marilyn Adams of Akron and Leslie of Goshen. A son, David Lee, is deceased. They also have 16 grandchildren.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend and the couple ask that gifts be omitted.

## OLIVE BETHEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hott of Kewanna recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kerby, Barbara and Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter, Penny and Larry spent News Year Day with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen. Mrs. Harold Claxton and family visited also.

Virginia and Evan Fish, Warsaw, spent Monday evening and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cox and Aletha.

Jane Buits and Mike Ehly of Barbee Lake called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey Wednesday afternoon.

Bill McKenzie, Donna McKenzie and Kim Workman, all of North Manchester, visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox and family over the weekend.

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1975 Chevy Monte Carlo, 2 Dr. H.T., One owner, very clean.

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1974 Pinto, All standard, new paint and ready

1974 Ford Elite, fully equipped, well taken care of, sharp.

1979 Bronco Wagon, very low miles, priced low!

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## the side lines

by Vern Hucks

Contrary to what some other media sources in our area have been hinting, the Tippecanoe Valley football team has not been "staking their claim" on football fields for several seasons. The "ritual" was begun spontaneously before Valley's homecoming game with Southwood.

On Thursday before the game, Coach Smith, in a motivational play, related to his players a story told to him by a friend. This friend, who had a two week try-out with the Green Bay Packers several years ago, had told Smith about a speech given at dinner one night by legendary Packer coach, Vince Lombardi. Lombardi told the prospective Packers that if they made the Green Bay squad, they'd have enough pride to go to any corner of the field and "mean and green" and then come to the center of the field and defy any team to take it from them.

According to Smith, when calisthenics began that night, one Viking slowly left the group and unexpectedly "staked out his claim" on one corner of the field.

Valley claimed the field for the game and also for their games with LaVille and play-off foe Central Noble, all three at home.

The only "claimed" field other than Valley's home turf was at Lawrence Center for the championship game. Smith takes the dubious credit for that action. "We were 5-2 in play-off competition with all 5 wins at home and both losses on the road. Since it had worked at home, it was worth a try away."

The only non-Valley witnesses to the "claim staking" were two men believed to be Lawrence Central's Assistant Principal and Athletic Director. Apparently one of those two reported the incident to the IHSAA without speaking to Valley officials about it.

The IHSAA refused to allow anyone from Valley other than Principal Loran Skinner to attend the hearing and passed out probations to two other schools at the same time. Both of those however, were for the more serious offense of interfering with an official.

Well, if they want to play that way then there's not much anyone can do about it. But...considering the success of Valley football, the IHSAA will probably see more schools trying the same tactic in the future.

## Swimmers win second

Led by first place finishes by Dave Reuter, Brett Cumberland, Rex Swihart, Joe Harter and the free relay team, the Tippecanoe Valley swimming team chalked up their second victory of the season, edging North Judson 92-80 at North Judson.

Reuter took firsts in the 200 and 500 yard freestyle and Cumberland won the 100 yard free and the 200 individual medley. Swihart won the 100 yard butterfly while Harter took Valley's seventh first place finish in the 50-yard freestyle.

With the victory over the Blue Jays, Valley's record is 2-6 and leaves the Vikings only one victory shy of the best record of the school's history.

## Vikes now 6-3

# Valley tops Southwood

One of Valley Coach Roger Fleetwood's instructions to his team is to come out strong in the first four minutes of a ball game. The Vikings did just that against Southwood last Friday night.

After allowing the Knights to draw first blood, Valley poured in the next 14 points and Southwood was done for the evening. Valley built their lead to 30 points once and only a sloppy fourth quarter accounted for the final 17 point margin at 74-57.

Valley senior forward Scott Tilden came through for the Vikings again. With Valley effectively attacking the much taller Knights on the inside, Tilden poured in 27 points and cleared 10 rebounds. Tilden was again outstanding from the floor hitting 10 of 15 shots for 67%.

Other Valley players in double figures were Mike Coplen and Jeff Murphy with ten apiece. In addition to their scoring contributions Murphy passed out eight assists and Coplen gathered in seven rebounds.

Southwood got good offensive play from Merlin Nice and Brian Thompson who scored 20 and 11 points respectively.

The loss dropped Southwood to 3-6 overall and 0-4 in TRC competition. The Vikings are now 6-3 on the season and 3-1 in the conference. Valley's only conference loss was to TRC leader Whitko.

Valley faces a strong test on Saturday when they travel to Wawasee to play an improving Warrior team.

## Valley girls fall

With leading scorers from both teams having their problems, the No. 2 ranked Warsaw Tigers relied on a 23 point outburst by guard Pam Shively to hand the Valley a 52-38 loss.

Warsaw's All-stater, Claudia Krieger was held to nine points before fouling out in the fourth quarter. Valley's leading scorer, Kay Hively, could manage only six before meeting the same fate as Krieger.

Tippecanoe Valley outrebound-

ed (33-28) and outshot (38% - 29% from the field) the Tigers but also committed 17 more turnovers which was the story of the game.

Sue Gall led the Valley scoring attack with 9 points while Staci Hartzler and Virginia Arven each scored 8. Gall and Hartzler both came off the bench to make their contributions.

Valley's record is now 6-3 and the Vikings will meet Oak Hill in a TRC game on Tuesday.

## JAWS to South Bend

Four Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club swimmers traveled to South Bend on Sunday to swim in the Michiana Marlins "Swim Your Own Age" meet. Swimmers from six states participated in this meet.

Chris Paris (8) received a 2nd in the 25 fly, 3rd 25 back, 50 free (A cut), 25 free, and 100 IM.

Sam Manwaring (10) swam to a

2nd in the 100 breast (AAA cut), 5th 50 free (AA cut), 6th 100 free (A cut).

Dayne Manwaring (10) won 3rd in the 50 back (AAA cut), 4th 50 free (AA cut), 5th 100 free (AA cut).

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## Wrestlers traveled

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Leading Valley were Mark Quinlan (98 lbs.) and Lonnie Manns (132 lbs.) with second place finishes. Ted Vogel (155 lbs.) and Dan Fenix (167 lbs.) each took thirds and David Chaney (112 lbs.) and Robert Reed (126 lbs.) finished fourth in their classes.



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## Lunch menu

### Akron

The Akron School lunch menu for the week of January 14-18 is as follows:

MONDAY: Corn dogs, tator tots, green beans, banana pudding.

TUESDAY: Chili soup, crackers, cheese squares, peaches, cake or rolls.

WEDNESDAY: Ham salad sandwich, cottage cheese, potato chips, mixed fruit.

THURSDAY: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, buttered corn, applesauce.

FRIDAY: Macaroni and cheese, lunchmeat, cole slaw, wacky cake.

### Mentone

The Mentone School lunch menu for the week of January 14-18 is as follows:

MONDAY: Corn dogs, escalloped potatoes, peas, applesauce.

TUESDAY: Ham & beans with cornbread, cole slaw, banana pudding.

WEDNESDAY: Deep dish pizza, buttered corn, toss salad, pineapple.

THURSDAY: Chicken, mashed potato & gravy, buttered carrots, jello.

FRIDAY: Fish & chips, green beans, peach cobbler.

### TVHS

Lunch menu for the week of January 14-18 for Tipton Valley High School is as follows:

MONDAY: Cheeseburger, green beans, cottage cheese, red-hot applesauce.

TUESDAY: Vegetable beef stew, cheese slices, hot roll with butter, lettuce salad, peaches.

WEDNESDAY: Ham patty sandwich, rice with brown sugar, buttered carrots, pears, chocolate frosty creme.

THURSDAY: Creamed turkey on bisquit, mashed potatoes, cole slaw, mixed fruit, ice cream, peanut butter sandwich.

FRIDAY: Fish and chips, bun, macaroni salad, buttered peas, cookie, pineapple.

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If you're running into trouble paying an electric bill, that's the time to come in and talk. Before the problem becomes unmanageable.

## how can we help?

- We offer a customer who is behind in his bill payments a formal way to repay... an installment plan for repayment that lets us continue or resume service as he restores his account to a current basis. (Even partial payment and a mutual agreement for repaying the balance will prevent service from being disconnected).
- We actively support Project SAFE, the state energy assistance program for the low income, elderly and handicapped. We help customers apply for aid and forward applications to the state for approval.
- We offer an Equal Payment Plan to eliminate the sharp peaks in electric bills even during high-use months. Available to residential customers, EPP lets customers better budget utility payments, which could be especially helpful to those on Social Security or pensions. (Some 18,000 customers now take advantage of this service.)
- If a customer is financially unable to cope with current living costs, we help direct him to a social service agency and cooperate with that agency in assuring continuity of electric service.
- We can arrange for a third party to pay a customer's electric bill should it become delinquent.

## just what is Public Service Indiana's shutoff policy?

- A warning of a service shutoff on the customer's bill is given 17 days before any cutoff could be made. This provides ample time for arrangements to be made with us or assistance to be obtained from another source.
- No service is shut off during extremely cold weather.
- No disconnections are made on weekends or holidays and none are scheduled after noon on Fridays or days prior to a holiday. No shutoffs are made after 3 p.m. on all other work days.
- Every effort is made to make personal contact with the customer before service is shut off.
- Any customer with an illness can forestall a shutoff for 10 more days by presenting a physician's written confirmation. A further 10-day extension can be obtained in the same manner.
- Every effort is made to identify nursing homes and individual residences with electrically powered life support equipment such as iron lungs and kidney machines to avoid any preventable disconnection of service.

## why do we ever disconnect service for failure to pay a bill?

Most customers pay their bills on time. But some who are able to pay, don't. Losses from accounts that go unpaid must be shared by those customers who do meet their obligations. (Last year electric utilities nationwide reported more than \$66 million in uncollectable bills.) An across-the-board moratorium on service disconnections would encourage abuse and be unfair to the majority of our customers. Such a policy would also let bills grow so large they would be even more difficult to repay.

So when a customer has bill-paying problems, this is why we say, "Let's work it out together."



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## TVAC wins fourth

The Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club "Jaws" hosted Goshen in a dual meet on Saturday at the Tippecanoe Valley High School pool. The final score was TVAC 278-GSC 187. The team is now 4-0 for the season.

Seventeen team records were shattered during the meet. Six of the records were relay records. Individual record setters were: Jennifer Seerist, Long free, IM; Kim McCuan, back; (8 unders) (9-10) Dayne Manwaring long free, back, IM; Sam Manwaring, fly; Ellen Burdge, back, fly, IM; Jolie Skinner, breast. Thirty-one of the thirty-six swimmers participated in the meet had at least one personal best time.

The team will host the Rochester Royals in an AAU sanctioned meet next Saturday, January 12, warmups will begin at 9 a.m.

The meet results follow:

8-Under Girls: Free and medley relays first; Kim McCuan, 1st 50 free, 25 fly, 25 back; Jennifer Seerist, 1st 100 IM, 2nd 25 breast, 3rd 50 free; Barb Burdge, 2nd 25 fly, 25 free, 3rd 100 IM; Johna Weida, 3rd 25 back; Lindy Skinner, 1st 25 breast; Robin Hucks, 3rd 25 free.

8-Under Boys: Free and medley relays first; Chris Paris, 1st 50 free, 25 fly, 100 IM; Craven Lynn, 1st 25 breast, 3rd 50 free, 100 IM; Tim Seerist, 2nd 25 breast, 3rd 25 fly, 25 free; Toby Green, 1st 25 back, 25 free; Scott Smith, 2nd 25 back, 3rd 25 breast; Derek Manwaring, 2nd 25 free.

9-10 Girls: Jolie Skinner, 1st 50 free, 2nd 100 free, 50 breast; Ellen Burdge, 1st 50 back, 2nd 200 IM, 50 fly.

9-10 Boys: Free and medley relays first; Ronnie Lafferty, 2nd 50 free; Clinton Alexander, 2nd 50 breast; Dayne Manwaring, 1st 100 free, 50 back, 200 IM; Thomas Alexander, 1st 50 free, 2nd 100 free, 50 fly; Sam Manwaring, 1st 50 fly, 50 breast, 2nd 200 IM; Brian Peterson, 3rd 50 fly,

50 back, 50 free.

11-12 Girls: Sue Lafferty, 1st 50 fly, 50 breast, 50 free.

11-12 Boys: Free and medley relays first; Randy Paris, 1st 100 free, 50 fly, 200 IM; Keith Corbett, 3rd 100 free, 50 back; Jeff Feldman, 2nd 50 fly, 50 back, 3rd 200 IM; Karl Leininger, 3rd 50 fly, 50 free; Deron Manwaring, 1st 50 back, 50 free, 2nd 50 breast; Roy Laughlin, 3rd 50 breast.

13-14 Girls: Diane Good, 3rd 200 IM.

13-14 Boys: Free and medley relays first.

## Ray Circle met

The Akron United Methodist Church Ray Circle met with new officers taking over their posts for the year - Karna Dubois, chairman; Darlene Drudge, vice-chairman; Diane Sheetz, secretary; Cathie Lukens, treasurer; and Suzie Baker, card detail.

The meeting was held January 3rd, at 9 a.m. in the U.M. annex with Karna Dubois, Darlene Drudge, Suzie Baker, Shirley Gray, Patti Mimms, and Diane Sheetz attending.

Books were made out to schedule the year. Also calling committee and babysitters were discussed and updated for the coming year. The Christmas decorations were taken down in the church and put away for another year.

A soup luncheon is scheduled as a general meeting for the United Methodist Women on January 15, 11:30 a.m. at the church annex.

Patti Mimms read a poem, Twas the Night Before Christmas and a story Putting Away Christmas. Karna Dubois was hostess.

## Summit news

Ruth Bammerlin spent New Years Day with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fites and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rensberger and Lori had as their guests last Saturday for a Christmas get-together Mr. and Mrs. Keith Butt of Ft. Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Oldfather and Sara, No. Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bammerlin and Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Butt, Mrs. Earl Butt, and Troy, Dan and Jill Butt.

Mrs. Earl Butt had as guests on New Years Day Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Butt and Mrs. Earl Boggs of Warsaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fouts of Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. George Klein had as their guests on Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kenney, Diane and Debbie of Edwardsville, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Mike Jones, Elkhart, Don Hall, So. Bend, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Klein and Beth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hileman, Mrs. Ruth Hileman, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Barnes, Randall and Dale Hileman, Akron, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hileman and family, Warsaw and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hickman were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hileman of Ft. Wayne celebrating Jan. birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stout and daughters were guests of LaVon Stout at Christmas time.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bowen and daughters and Thelma Kanouse were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stout and daughters Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Paxton and children had as their guests Sunday in honor of January birthdays, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kroft, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sells and children, and Joann Kroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schipper and Chris had as their guests for dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Dan Yoder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Arthur and daughters were Christmas Eve supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Klein and Beth of Gilead.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Arthur and daughters were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood and family. They later called on Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. David Zartman and family.

A New Years Eve party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Scott and sons of near Tiosa. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sheetz and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cannedy and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Alderfer, Mishawaka, entertained Sunday a belated Christmas dinner in their home. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Arthur and daughters, Mrs. Lois Kamp, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Kamp, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Shidler, and Mrs. Mabel Alderfer.

Mrs. Mabel Alderfer and Mrs. Lois Kamp recently returned from spending a week at Salem, Oregon visiting with Dennis Kamp, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Alderfer and sons of Yula City, California also spent a few days visiting with his mother and sister in Oregon.

Ruth Bammerlin and Marie Craft were supper guests of Vera Butt Wednesday.

## Obituary

## Merle J. Holloway

Merle J. Holloway, 66, died Thursday, January 3, 1980, at 2:30 p.m. at the Richmond State Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Holloway was born May 30, 1913, at Mentone to Irvin and Zella (Whetstone) Holloway.

Surviving are two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Wilber (Erma) Holloway, Albion, and Mrs. Jim (Mary Alice) Holloway, Miami, Fla.; and two nieces, Mrs. Brenda Miller, Akron and Mrs. Pat Dominique, Miami, Fla.

Services were Saturday, January 5 at 3 p.m. in the King Memorial Home, Mentone. The Rev. Don Poyser officiated and burial was in the Mentone Cemetery.

## Opal Tucker

Mrs. Opal Tucker, 79, R. 1, Mentone, died at 11:30 p.m. Thursday, January 3, 1980, at her residence.

Mrs. Tucker was born Dec. 23, 1900 in Athens to Edward and Etta Blue Halterman. She had lived her entire life in the Mentone area. She was married August 26, 1923 in Michigan to Chancey Tucker, who survives. She was a housewife.

Surviving with the husband are a daughter, Mrs. James (Iola) Goshert, Mentone, and five grandchildren. A brother and sister preceded in death.

Services were Monday, January 7, in the King Memorial Home, Mentone with the Rev. Kenneth Leininger officiating. Burial was in the Mentone Cemetery.

## Lewis McIntire

Lewis M. McIntire, 80, 60209 Pennbrook Lane, Elkhart, died at 4:50 a.m. December 31, 1979, at the Elkhart Health Care Center where he had resided since July of 1979.

Mr. McIntire was born November 26, 1899 in Fulton County. He married Hazel R. Gohn in Chicago on November 26, 1924, she survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Marilyn McIntire, Elkhart; two sons, Robert A., Prairie Village, Kansas, and Richard L. Winnetka, Illinois; four grandchildren; and two brothers, Russell McIntire, Lake Placid, Fla., and Donald, Akron.

Mr. McIntire retired in 1967 as an engineer for Penn Central Railroad. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, also a member of Penn Central Pensioners.

Services were January 3, 1980 in Elkhart with the Rev. Earl Sharp officiating. Burial was in Olive Cemetery.

## Forrest Mac Grubbs

Forrest Mac Grubbs, 65, R. 1, Leesburg, died Monday, January 7, 1980, at 1:38 a.m. at the Caylor Nichol Clinic, Bluffton.

Mr. Grubbs owned and operated the Highway 13 Antiques at No. Webster and drove truck for Liberty Homes.

Mr. Grubbs was born February 17, 1914 at Mahaska, Kansas to Orla and Bessie (McClone) Grubbs. He was married November 29, 1968 to Bessie McClain who survives. He was a member of the Eagles and the Moose at Warsaw.

Surviving with his wife are one son, Kirby, Syracuse; three daughters, Mrs. Phyllis Neer, Plymouth, Mrs. Carol Johnston, Nappanee, and Mrs. Sherry Cook, Nappanee; one step-son, Richard Smith, Leesburg; one brother, Herschel Grubbs, Mentone; five grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and three step-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday, January 9, at 1:30 p.m. in the King Memorial Home, Mentone, with the Rev. Lloyd Howard, Argos, officiating. Burial was in the Harrison Center Cemetery.

## David Harmon

David E. Harmon, 23, R. 1, Roann, died Saturday, January 5, 1980, at 1:30 p.m. in a car-truck accident on State Road 14 just west of county road 250E.

Mr. Harmon was born December 2, 1956 in Rochester to Harold and Virginia (Reed) Harmon and had lived in the Miami County area his entire life. He was a 1975 graduate of North Miami High School and Upper Wabash Vocational School. He was a member of the Olive Branch Church of God.

Surviving with the parents are two brothers, Willis and Gerald, both of R. 1, Roann.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Olive Branch Church of God with the Reverends Lowell Burrus and Gerald Bricker officiating. Burial was in the Roann IOOF cemetery.

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1/10/1p

The family of Opal Tucker would like to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends, neighbors and relatives who have been so thoughtful and kind at this time of our sorrow. Each and every word of comfort, each prayer in our behalf, each handshake, the cards, the abundance of food supplied to our homes, the memorials and the many beautiful flowers will never be forgotten.

Special thanks to the Rev. Kenneth Leininger, Mrs. Turi Kessler and the pallbearers. Thanks, thanks, thanks. CHANCEY TUCKER, MR. and MRS. JAMES (IOLA) GOSHERT. Janet, Kay, Faith, Kerry, and Jerry Goshert.

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Thursday, January 17, 1980

## New owner at Airport

### From here to ... Hawaii (each week)

by Diana Streevey Bucher

On Monday morning, as I drove out to interview the new owner of the Mentone Airport, little did I dream I would be treated to a bird's eye view of Mentone, Akron and the surrounding countryside.

Owner Robert Clupper, who bought the airport in August 1979, and his son Martt came to this area from Aurora, Illinois, where they had lived for the last ten years. Robert is not a new Hoosier, as he grew up in La Fontaine, Indiana. He has been an aviation enthusiast since he was eight years old and his father took him to Wabash to fly in a Ford Tri-motor. As he laughingly explained, "I've never really landed, my head is still up in the air. It's been airplanes first and everything else is subsequent to airplanes."

This was shown to be fact as Robert briefly outlined his career. After graduating from LaFontaine in 1947, he joined the Air Force and was a B-17 mechanic for three

years. Then he went to Purdue and studied Air Transportation for one and one-half years before he was hired by United Airlines as a co-pilot for a DC-3 flying from Chicago to Fort Wayne. He's been flying ever since, working for United for twenty-seven years.

Every Wednesday Robert leaves for Chicago and his weekly, non-stop flight to Honolulu. There is a layover of about twenty-four hours in Hawaii before he turns his Boeing 747 toward Chicago and home. In his career as a captain and co-pilot for the airline he has also flown a Convair 340, DC-4, DC-6, DC-7 and a DC-8, which was his first jet.

Robert has transmitted his love of flying to his son, eighteen year old Martt. Martt has been working for two years on a plane called a Pober Pixie, which is powered by a re-built Volkswagen engine. Robert is also building an airplane called a Breezy, an open seated aircraft. He estimates there are 100 Breezys in the U.S. today.



Martt Clupper in his "Pober Pixie".

There is more local interest in airplanes and flying than one would at first suspect. The Mentone Flying Club is twenty-three years old and boasts a membership of fifty-three members, the Cluppers included, and the Mentone Airport houses the Club's two planes, a Cessna 172 and 182. The Flying Club sponsor flying lessons and four of its members are qualified instructors. The Cluppers also helped form a local chapter (Chapter 549) of the Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA), which calls themselves the Tippecanoe Valley 49ers. The EAA is an organization for people who are either building their own planes or who have plans to do so in the future. The 49ers already have thirty members.

Robert Clupper, besides being an ardent pilot, is an avid parachutist and hang glider. Again, he

acquired his love of parachuting as a child at the Bluffton Fair. A skydiver giving an exhibition demonstrated a "cut-away" using seven canopies (parachutes), and from then on Robert wanted to skydive. His biggest dream now is to fly a sailplane in the Swiss Alps.

Being a pilot has its advantages. When Robert was a counselor at the Boy Scout's Camp Crossland in Pierceton (from 1942-47) he would fly over the camp in his father's plane and drop candy bars by parachute to the boys below. The camp didn't sell candy then, and Robert remembered the candy tasted awfully good to the isolated Scouts. Being a pilot also comes in handy for occasions like Sunday evening; Robert flew to Rochester to pick up a pizza for their supper.

Robert's plans for the future of

the Mentone Airport includes updating the buildings, adding commercial hot air balloons and starting a glider school. He and Martt are going to build a barn-style home this year, so it may be two or three years before they are able to make the additions to the airport.

When Robert and I concluded our interview, he offered to take me up in the Mentone Flying Club's single-engine Cessna 172. We flew over the area, admiring the sunny day and the beautiful aerial view of our communities, and I had to agree with his words, "There are so many things in life to enjoy, but too many people miss them. They don't take time to smell the roses, like the song says. I don't miss much, hardly anyone has more fun than I do."

I'll buy that.



Airline pilot Robert Clupper in his open-air airplane "Breezy".



Martt shows the Volkswagen engine used in his airplane.

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JANUARY 17, 1980

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GENERAL FUND		Receipts:	
Balance, January 1, 1979	8,427.60	Cigarette Tax	3,667.17
RECEIPTS:		Interest Earned	84.79
Property Taxes	37,564.50	Total Balance and Receipts	7,866.36
Bank, Bldg. & Loan Tax	3,835.15	Disbursements:	
License Excise Tax	6,969.21	Building Supplies	1,482.70
Less Audit Fee (100.00)		Investments Purchased	2,000.00
Certified Shares (Local Option)	830.50	Engineers Fees (Proposed Sewer)	1,998.00
Property Tax Replacement (Local Option)	830.50		5,480.70
Liquor Excise Tax	600.00	Balance, December 31, 1979	2,385.66
Alcoholic Beverage			
Gallionage Tax	1,608.92	FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUND	
Cigarette Tax	1,000.15	Balance, January 1, 1979	3.53
Fines	1.00	Receipts:	
Permits	9.00	Revenue (Fed.)	11,856.00
Misc.	2,611.41	Total Balance and Receipts	11,859.53
	55,760.34	Disbursements:	
Total Balance and Receipts	64,187.94	Operating Expense	11,313.56
DISBURSEMENTS:			11,313.56
Salary of Town Trustees	600.00	Balance, December 31, 1979	545.97
Salary of Clerk-Treasurer	1,050.00	WATER UTILITY	
Salary of Marshal & Deputies	12,061.78	Balance, January 1, 1979	7,130.04
Building Inspector	240.00	Receipts:	
Other Compensation	3,593.60	Collections	33,515.61
Services Contractual	20,557.69	Rentals	10,938.00
Supplies	2,781.42	Interest	66.27
Materials	125.00	Other	1,353.13
Current Charges	13,422.78	Transfers	9,277.30
Current Obligations	1,980.94	Total Balance and Receipts	62,280.35
Non-Appropriated Charges	110.10	Disbursements:	
	56,523.31	Operating Expense	52,543.37
Balance, December 31, 1979	7,664.63	Transfers	2,500.00
MOTOR VEHICLE HIGHWAY FUND			55,043.37
Balance, January 1, 1979	1,684.42	Balance, December 31, 1979	7,236.98
Receipts:		BOND & INTEREST REDEMPTION FUND	
Gasoline Tax & Motor Vehicle Fees	8,784.51	Balance, January 1, 1979	5,026.12
"Special" MVH & Local R&S Allocations	3,822.11	Receipts:	
Other	565.00	Investments Sold	9,277.30
Total Balance and Receipts	14,856.04	Interest on Investments	375.92
Disbursements:		Transfers	2,500.00
Maintenance	1,496.17	Total Balance and Receipts	17,179.34
Investments Purchased	10,000.00	Disbursements:	
	11,496.17	Bonds Paid	5,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1979	3,359.87	Interest on Bonds	2,451.27
CEMETERY FUND		Transfers	9,277.30
Balance, January 1, 1979	124.58		16,728.57
Receipts:		Balance, December 31, 1979	450.77
Property Tax	2,829.29	CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	
Bank, Bldg. & Loan Tax	260.68	Balance, January 1, 1979	612.38
License Excise Tax	565.17	Receipts:	
Interest on Investments	1,375.38	Collections	485.00
Other	390.00	Total Balance and Receipts	1,097.38
Total Balance and Receipts	5,535.10	Disbursements:	
Disbursements:		Investments Purchased	500.00
Operating Exp.	2,030.82	Refunds	292.52
	2,030.82		792.52
Balance, December 31, 1979	3,504.28	Balance, December 31, 1979	304.86
CUMULATIVE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND		Total Indebtedness, Water Revenue Bonds, December 31, 1979	\$51,000.00
Balance, January 1, 1979	4,114.40		
INVESTMENTS ON HAND			
FUND	December 31, 1979		
Motor Vehicle Highway	Cost of Investment	Maturity Value	
Local Roads & Streets	10,000.00	10,000.00	
Cumulative Capital Improvement	6,400.00	6,400.00	
Cemetery Endowment	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Water Meter Deposit	18,600.00	18,600.00	
	1,500.00	1,500.00	
	39,500.00	39,500.00	

Clerk-Treasurer  
Catherine Whetstone

1/17/1c/3p

## Smith with NIPSCO 33 years

Marion M. Smith, Mentone, recently retired from Northern Indiana Public Service Company, completing nearly 33 years of service.

Smith, a groundman operator in the Warsaw district, began his NIPSCO career in 1947 as a laborer in the Hammond district. He also held the positions of driver-groundman and groundman in the Warsaw district.

A native of Mentone, Smith graduated from high school there and served three years with the United States Air Force.

He serves as a volunteer with the Mentone Fire Department.

Marion and his wife, Eva Belle, have two daughters and attend Mentone United Methodist Church.

## "Stripes" for college now an option

Seventeen to 27-year-olds with 45 semester or 67 quarter hours of college credits may now apply for enlistment in the Air Force in the rank of airman first class (two stripes). Air Force officials announced recently. Also, 20 semester or 30 quarter hours may qualify a person for a guaranteed enlistment in the rank of airman, said Staff Sergeant Benedict Janczewski, Air Force recruiter, 226 South 3rd Street, Logansport.

The Air Force implemented the new "Stripes for College Experience" options for people without military service to enhance the recruitment of highly qualified people for the Air Force.

For more information about the "Stripes for College Experience" options and what other opportunities are available, call Sergeant Janczewski at 219-753-3812.

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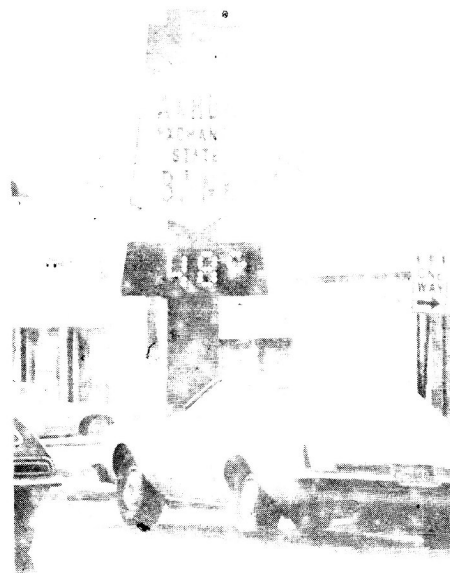
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Say what?

With weather reaching into the fifties and forties this week, many long-time area weather-watchers are saying this is the mildest winter they can remember. The trend is predicted to continue.

## TVHS Committee holds first meeting

The first meeting of the Advisory Committee for Intensive Office Lab at Tippecanoe Valley High School for the 1979-80 school year was held recently at the high school.

The advisor, Mrs. Juna Graham, reported on the trip to Cincinnati, Ohio to the National Contest, which was attended by Terri Walgamuth and Mrs. Graham. Terri was a state winner in Business Math and also won at the National Contest.

Tom Fugate, the chairperson for the committee reviewed some of the highlights of the previous years meetings.

It was decided to increase the membership of the committee from nine members to eleven for the 1979-80 school year. The committee made their recommendations for the new members and Mrs. Graham was to contact them as to their interest in the committee, then upon approval by the school board, they would be invited to attend meetings.

The Bee Line Fashion Show held by the IOL/OEA last fall was reported a success again this year. This is the only way the students have to make money to send contestants to district, state and national contests.

The O.E.A. has 33 members including two sophomores this school year.

A discussion of the new equipment in the office lab took up some time, as discussion carried forth upon the re-imbursement for machines, the need for an offset press (which was to be demonstrated soon to the lab members), the maintenance contracts, and some of the features on the electronic typewriter recently purchased.

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# Valley faculty to host WOWO Air Aces

The WOWO Air Aces Basketball team will face the Valley faculty on Tuesday, January 22, at 8 p.m. in the TVHS gymnasium. The game, sponsored by the Student Council, will provide area basketball fans with an exciting and entertaining evening of basketball skills and antics.

The old reliables, Bob Sievers and Jack Underwood, will again be leading the WOWO "Black and Blue Brigade" as the Aces team continue their efforts to help area schools in special fund raising projects. Giving aid to the "old reliables" will be such personalities as Chris Roberts, Ron Gregory, Robb Westaby, Art Saltsberg, Jaunita Hayes, Linda Losch and Cynthia Harris.

The Valley "Wizards" will con-

sist of 16 skilled and non-skilled male and female, faculty basketball players willing to give (and sacrifice) in this fund raising project.

The Student Council hopes to raise enough money to purchase a lighted marquee to be placed in front of the school to announce coming events and to add to the beauty of the school. We wish to extend a welcome to all area fans to see the well known WOWO Air Aces Team and personalities in action at the Valley. This will be the only visit of the Aces in this area during this year. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the high school office or at the door. Adult tickets will be \$2 and \$1 for students.



VALLEY WIZARDS: Mike Sipe, Dave Krieger, Cathy Ritter, Keith Wortinger, Cathy Harmon, Bob DuBois, and Roger Fleetwood. Front row: Sandy Carmichael, Judy Cumberland, Scott Carmichael, Jan Mills, Charlie Smith, Aaron Greve, and Bob Armstrong. Not pictured: Loran Skinner, and team manager Wayne (Fast Train) Cumberland.

## New way for clubs to make money

The National Arbor Day Foundation is now making it possible for organizations to sell trees as a fund-raising project.

Clubs, churches and other organizations can sell trees in their community to raise money for their activities, and the Foundation will mail the trees directly to the customers' homes. The local sponsoring organization never has to handle the trees, according to the Foundation.

The Arbor Day Foundation, a nonprofit organization, is working to improve the quality of life in communities throughout the country by encouraging tree planting.

"Trees are an unusual fund-raising idea, much different from the usual candy or cookies. Trees can be a profitable fund-raiser because many people will buy

several," a Foundation representative said.

Red Maple, Sugar Maple, Redbud, Weeping Willow, Tulip Tree and White Flowering Dogwood trees are sold for \$3.50, including a profit of \$1.25 per tree for the local sponsoring organization.

The trees are four to six feet tall and come with complete planting instructions. They are delivered at an appropriate time for planting. The Foundation says that for best results, trees should be sold from January 15 to March 15 for spring delivery.

Organizations may obtain free sales literature and order forms by calling (402) 474-5655 or writing the National Arbor Day Foundation, Arbor Lodge 100, Nebraska City, NE 68410. Organizations should indicate the number of persons who will be selling.

## THEN and NOW

The new world—our Western hemisphere—has become a haven for refugees from the old world.



THEN: In 1886 the Statue of Liberty went up in New York. Three years later, at the other end of our hemisphere, where they have winter when we have summer, 884 Jews fleeing from persecution in Russia were welcomed in Argentina.



NOW: Scores of millions of Americans have come from abroad, nearly half a million Jews live in Argentina, and both countries are examples of how working people children and grandchildren of immigrants can move upward in standard of living under the free enterprise system while resisting the forces of communism.

## MISS INFORMATION



## This Week's Rate:

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## Valley Furnishings

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## Newsview

by Bob Norlander

The NEWS is happy to announce that beginning January 14, our Mentone office will be staffed on a permanent basis. Running the office will be life-long Mentone resident, Betty Blackburn.

Betty and her husband Max own a hog and grain farm just east of Mentone and have two children, Greg (a senior at TVHS) and a married daughter, Debi McFadden. Max also works in maintenance at Cargill's in Mentone and is active in EMS work.

Betty is a member of the Mentone United Methodist Church where she is the Sunday School secretary. She's also a member of the choir and helps publish the church paper.

The Mentone office hours will now be 10 a.m. - noon and 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. on Mondays, 9 a.m. - noon on Tuesday's and Fridays. Why not stop in and help us welcome Betty to the NEWS staff?

## The NEWS Asks:

"Do you think the President should halt all grain shipment to the Soviet Union (Russia) in protest of their invasion of Afghanistan? And secondly, do you think the US should boycott the summer Olympics that will be held in Moscow?"



Diana

by Diana Streevey Bucher

**Doine Barnhisel, Akron:** "It seems to me it was a good move. Right now it may hurt me some, but later on maybe not." (On boycotting Olympics) "I haven't thought about it much, but I'd say it would be alright."

**Larry Floor, Akron:** "I don't know, I don't know all the situation. I don't think they tell us everything. I don't think it will necessarily hurt the farmer unless they (government) make it. They hold out on us on alot of this stuff. I'm not in favor of boycotting the Olympics, although there are maybe more important things for us to be doing. If there was more work and less play in the country, we might not be in the situation we're in."

**Richard Hoganwright, Mentone:** "Yes, if they hold everything else and hold all other products so everyone shares in it alike. The Olympics should be boycotted if they keep on with their aggression."

**Kenneth Goodman, Mentone:** "Sure. It might hurt for a while but it would straighten out. Somebody has to make a sacrifice, don't they?" (On boycotting Olympics) "Why sure."

**Roberta Sipe, Mentone:** "I have mixed feelings because my husband's father is a farmer and he might suffer. I believe the Olympics should be kept separate from politics."

**Kim Lewis, Akron:** "I think they're (Soviet Union) going to get corn from other places and we'll sell our corn to other countries. I'd say yes, because we may get a higher price from other countries to replenish their supply after they sell grain to Russia." (On boycotting Olympics) "No, I don't think so."

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Wins \$100

Isabella Lantz, right above, was last week's lucky drawing winner of \$100.00 in Mentone Money. Mrs. Lantz entered at several participating businesses including the Pac Rat Palace from which her entry was eventually selected. Ellanora Yazel, left, is owner of the antique store.

## Manager named at Akron

Edward T. McGoldrick, 32, has joined Sonoco Products Company as the manager - adhesives of the recently opened chemical facility at the Akron plant, according to Hal J. Ladue, general manager of the chemical division.

McGoldrick has an extensive background in marketing of adhesives. He joins Sonoco from a position as sales representative with Bostik division of the USM Corporation.

The branch facility in Akron is Sonoco's third adhesive operation. Other manufacturing locations are Hartsville, S.C., and Holyoke, Mass.

Ladue said the newly expanded operation at the Akron plant will supply adhesives to the midwest Sonoco plants and will also better enable Sonoco to develop outside sales in the midwest.

McGoldrick is a 1969 graduate of the School of Business of Western Michigan University. He and his wife and two children reside in Riverdale, Ill.

Sonoco, a major producer of paper, plastic and metal products for industry, has been producing adhesives for internal use since 1955. In 1975 the chemical division was formed to serve outside adhesive customers.

## Peterson announces new number

Senator Robert E. Peterson (D-Rochester) released the toll-free numbers of the Senate that voters can call if they have a problem or complaint.

The numbers are 1-800-382-9478 or 9467 and can be called anytime Monday through Friday between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Senator Peterson can also be contacted at the following address: Senator Robert E. Peterson, Indiana State Senate, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204.

## This Was News

60 YEARS AGO

Only a part of the supplies necessary to repair the breaks in the water lines at the grade school have arrived and it is very doubtful if school will again be in session by Monday.

The directors of the Exchange Bank met this week when all of the old officers were re-elected: W. A. Patterson, vice-president; H. D. Stoner, cashier; and Frank Pressnall, asst. cashier.

Attorney R. R. Carr of Akron has been acting as county attorney during the serious illness of Henry Bibler of Rochester, who is not expected to live.

Frank Kern, who recently sold his bus line, plans to leave next week for a trip through the south.

The local milliners are now showing new spring hats. The models are very pretty, while the prices show no great advance over those of last spring.

39 YEARS AGO

For the first time the Akron Flyers drew a bye in the county basketball tournament. The Flyers will meet the winners of the Leiters Ford and Fulton game, which will be played Friday night. Grass Creek is the defending champion.

In honor of her husband's thirty-seventh birthday, Mrs. Claude Billings entertained a few friends at a dinner party Tuesday evening.

The Home Economics Club met at the home of Mrs. Oscar Fites last Wednesday. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Dan Secor and Mrs. Virgil Miller.

E. E. Gerig is driving a new 1941 Oldsmobile.

The McHatton furniture store will change locations on Feb. 1st. Mr. McHatton purchased the grocery store to make a display room for his furniture. The grocery business will also be continued, and the furniture will be displayed in the three rooms formerly used as living quarters by the Gerald McHattons.

25 YEARS AGO

Coach Phil McCarter's Akron Flyers eliminated Kewanna Indians Wednesday night in the first session of the 30th annual county basketball tournament. The starting five for Akron were: Bob Cumberland, Gary Sriver, Jim, Jack and Kenny Jones.

Charles Miller, son of Dr. and Mrs. V. C. Miller will serve as a page in the state house of representatives next Monday.

Mrs. Marie Hand will be interviewed on radio station WIBC on Jan. 25th by Joan Evans, who conducts the Women's World program for 11:00 until 11:25 a.m. Mrs. Hand's latest book of poems, Ashes and Rainbows, will be discussed during the interview.

10 YEARS AGO

Larry Klein has been chosen General Chairman of the church building campaign now underway at the Akron Church of God. Akron Clerk-treasurer Merrill Kendall reported this week that the water bills for this quarter will be late due to the bad weather. Happiness is: The town employees' dedicated attempts to keep the main street clear of snow.

## Sound Off

"How nice it was to finally have the Star Spangled Banner played at the Girls basketball game Saturday night, not to mention the cheerleaders, band, etc."

"Why can't TVSC authorities place the safety of students above the starting of school on time when its foggy or icy?"

# Mailbag



## Energy meeting

### LETTER TO EDITOR:

The Indiana Energy Group is conducting 18 regional meetings for the public to obtain citizen input on energy issues.

Since the formal development of energy programs for Indiana in 1977, the Energy Group has assisted Indiana communities and citizens in developing their involvement in energy education, in fostering continuous energy programs and in sponsoring events which address important energy issues. The objective of the 18-city tour is to visit communities to further these efforts and to introduce energy conservation measures which can help save more Hoosier dollars and review the impact of energy conservation progress and potential.

We hope you and fellow citizens in your community can take the time to meet with us when we visit Fort Wayne on Thursday, January 24. We will meet at 7 p.m. in the Ft. Wayne City-County Building, 1 Main Street, in room 200.

Join us and take part in discussing hometown ideas to help find a solution for local, state and national energy problems.

Sincerely,  
Clarence D. Broadus  
Director  
Indiana Energy Group

# Milbern School group discuss restoration

Connie Haney conducted the combined meeting of the Milbern School Association and the Mentone Community History committee last week.

The next step in restoring the Milbern School is rebuilding the entrance at the front.

Those present considered the size and number of pages for the history book, types of bindings and size print. However, the big project for this year is to finish collecting information. Readers are encouraged to give information about area business organizations or families to the Bell

Library, members of the Milbern School Association or those working on the history.

Freeman Gruenewald is collecting information on Palestine and Sevastopol. Eva Ehrenman and Merdena Bechtol are working on Burket history, while Eula Smith and Lois Perry have been researching the Tippecanoe area. Some of the people working on the history of Mentone are Connie Haney, Jerry Smith, Marsha Scott, Fern Besson, and Lena Igo. Mary Ettlinger is working on genealogy, and Hazel Linn has agreed to share her research and pictures.

# Apply for insulation cost assistance now

Home insulation applications are now being accepted for persons renting and owning their homes. The program is of no cost to homeowners, tenant, or landlords, who qualify for participation. In the case of a renter, the tenant must apply and meet the following guidelines:

Family Size	Non-Farm	Farm
1	\$ 4250.	\$ 3638.
2	5625.	4800.
3	7000.	5963.
4	8375.	7125.
5	9750.	8288.
6	11125.	9450.

Add \$1,375 for each additional member in a non-farm family. Add \$1,163 for each additional member in a farm family.

Applications are being accepted at the Fulton County Development Council, 7th and Pontiac Streets, Rochester, Indiana, or call 223-3701 for additional information.

Outreach workers will be available at the Trustee's Office (Town Hall) from 12:30 to 2:30 and also at the Lions Den Senior Nutrition Site from 12:30 to 2:30 on January 31st in Akron.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### CLAIMS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

January 21, 1980  
K. Spice, Clerk, 479.16; J. Jenkins, Deputy, 350.00; T. Pfeiffer, deputy, 325.00; C. Bingle, deputy, 308.33; J. Wagoner, Part time help, 112.00; J. Garber, same, 140.00; H. Halterman, auditor, 479.16; L. Riddle, deputy, 350.00; N. Delworth, same, 325.00; P. Henderson, payroll clerk, 325.00; D. Cleland, full time help, 308.33; K. Carr, same, 308.33; D. Riddle, ex. help, 62.00; J. Bum, Treasurer, 479.16; J. Rouch, deputy, 350.00; M. Herkless, same, 325.00; M. Richter, recorder, 450.00; A. Clay, deputy, 325.00; S. R. Newgent, Sheriff, 550.00; E. Vance, deputy, 483.75; B. Baker, same, 483.33; R. Bryant Jr., Patrolman, 453.33; J. Fultz, same, 425.00; W. Hunneshagen, dispatcher, 312.50; J. Cunningham, jailer, 325.00; N. Rayl, dispatcher, 312.50; R. Shaffer, same, 312.50; E. Vance, holiday pay, 25.00; R. Bryant Jr., same, 25.00; J. Fultz, same, 25.00; J. Cunningham, same, 25.00; W. Hunneshagen, same, 25.00; R. Rayl, same, 25.00; D. Wentzel, ex. help, 78.00; E. Lowe, same, 169.00; E. Newgent, jail matron, 483.33; E. Newgent, holiday pay, 25.00; R. Daake, surveyor, 525.00; S. Daake, deputy, 300.00; A. Craig, full time help, 383.33; G. Clark, same, 383.33; D. Swano, part time help, 470.40; M. Shireman, Home Demonstration Agent, 187.91; P. Amley, youth agent, 247.50; A. Sheetz, clerical, 325.00; S. Tobey, secretary, 243.75; E. Russell, co. assessor, 458.33; T. Frettinger, deputy, 333.33; T. Newman, Roch. Two, Assessor, 350.00; C. Westwood, deputy, 308.33; G. Personett, Probation Officer, 433.33; L. Walters, Cir. Ct. Bailiff, 366.66; W. Pandiscio, Cir. Ct. Reporter, 403.33; J. Wells, Public Defender, 400.00; J. Delworth Jr., Co. Cr. Judge, 158.87; H. McAlister, Co. Cr. Re. porter, 354.16; T. Little, Co. Cr. Bailiff, 312.50; R. Holland, Court house custodian, 458.33; M. Holland, Court house matron, 147.91; R. Holland, Vet. Serv. Officer, 158.33; J. Good, coroner, 91.66; D. St. Clair, Weights & Measurer, 258.33; G. Townsend, Landfill Oper., 508.33; R. Smith, Civ. Def. Dir., 208.33; M. Echesman, Proc. Attny. Sec., 113.10; P. Miller, same, 152.10; B. Tinkey, V.D. child support, 270.00; D. Kuehl, Title IV-D Sec., 117.50; W. Deniston, Dr. Bd. Attny., 141.66; E. Braman, Dr. Bd. Sec., 176.00; R. Rentscher, Comm., 187.50; G. Craig, same, 187.50; F. Brown, same, 187.50; Wm. Deniston, Co. Attny., 166.66; K. Rans, Animal Warden, 312.50; K. Heit, CETA Highway Employee, 562.00; A. Rutledge, CETA Landfill Employee, 588.30; J. Sampsel, Dep. Prob. Off., 312.50.

## FULTON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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J. D. Richardson, M.D., 125.00; Carolyn Gohn, 300.00; Robert L. Gohn, Jr., Sanitarian, 475.00; Carole Paulik, R.N., 487.50.

### WELFARE CLAIMS

L. Seiwert Jr., 706.50; J. Burke, 522.00; K. Sirken, 572.00; J. Ludwig, 499.50; S. Reitz, 402.00; S. Zartman, 206.50; B. Wood, 350.00; S. Pea, 320.50.

### ROAD REPAIR

R. Kreamer, superintendent, 550.00; D. Zartman, clerk, 425.00; H. McIntire, foreman, 491.67; D. Hisey, truck driver, 496.60; H. Hoge, same, 500.50; M. Sutton, same, 504.40; J. Patterson, same, 523.90; E. Peters, same, 496.60; K. Bryant, same, 520.00; V. Zellers, same, 488.80; R. Ginther, same, 520.00; Robert Beck, same, 516.10; R. Schmidt, same, 500.50; L. Ackerman, same, 504.40; T. Vaughn, equip. oper., 516.10; N. Smith, same, 457.60; D. Sheetz, same, 457.60; R. Clark, same, 492.70; R. Thomas Jr., same, 488.80; T. Halterman, same, 291.20; L. Gordon, labor, 504.40; J. Tholl, same, 457.60; L. Eycheson, same, 527.80; M. Clark, same, 457.60; L. Castelman, same, 291.20; L. Young, extra help, 220.50; D. Baldwin, same, 235.20; C. Grogg, same, 222.60; K. Hinderlinder, mechanic, 553.90; R. Heit, same, 525.25; Rochester Glass Co., contract, 40.28.

Harrison R. Halterman  
Auditor Fulton County  
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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### ESTATE NO. E-80-2

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION IN THE FULTON CIRCUIT COURT OF FULTON COUNTY, INDIANA.

Notice is hereby given that Akron Exchange State Bank of Akron, Inc., was on the 4th day of January 1980, appointed executor of the will of Pearl W. Lohr dec'd.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the same in said court within five months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Rochester, Indiana, this 4th day of January, 1980.

Kathryn L. Splice  
Clerk of the Circuit Court for  
Fulton County, Indiana  
Susan Kenoe Atty.  
Address Rochester, IN 46975  
1/10/2c

# It Happened In Mentone

Taken from the January 21, 1953 issue of *The Northern Indiana Co-Op News*:

Ronald Severns served as Page for Senator Stevens at the State House at Indianapolis.

## Bible film set in Talma

A Distant Thunder, a Mark IV Pictures Incorporated production will be presented Sunday, January 20 at 7 p.m. at the Talma Bible Church.

A Distant Thunder, a seventy-eight minute color film, is a sequel to Mark IV Pictures' 1973 release, *A Thief In The Night*. It begins where *A Thief In The Night* ended.

Patty is among a large number of people held prisoner because they have not received the Mark of the Beast. Patty and her two friends escape the attention of the authorities for a time. When Wanda and Sandy attempt to help an elderly man, they are arrested by an armed patrol. Patty makes a daring attempt to outwit the soldiers sent to seize her.

Events foretold in the Bible as part of the Great Tribulation are vividly portrayed in *A Distant Thunder*. You will remember this film as long as you live...perhaps forever!

For directions to the church call 223-4730.

"My idea of an agreeable person is a person who agrees with me." Benjamin Disraeli

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Miner are the parents of a son born Tuesday, January 20 at McDonald Hospital. The new boy weighed seven pounds, 1 1/4 ounces and has been named Brett Emerson.

Through the courtesy of the Watkins Television Service the pupils of the upper six grades were privileged to view parts of the presidential inauguration and the inaugural parade on television on Tuesday. Dick and Bill Clark worked overtime to make the installation. Although troubled at times by static, the reception was clear enough to give the pupils a satisfactory view of the ceremony. Joe Baker had also offered the school a television installation for Tuesday.

Mrs. Ann Hudson and new daughter, Jody Sue, are home after spending a week in Pierceton with her folks. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Huff. Harry Sullivan was able to return home last Friday after spending about a month in the hospital following an automobile accident.

The Bulldogs have turned their attention from the county basketball tourney to the next regular game on Friday night against Beaver Dam at Beaver Dam. Mentone defeated Burket in the first round of the tourney 55-49, but fell before a sharp-shooting Sidney team 72-49. The Mentone varsity holds an eight won and six loss record for the season with six regular season games yet to be played.

# Church News

AKRON CHURCH OF GOD, James F. Hall, pastor; Myron Kissinger, asso. pastor; Larry Klein, supt.; Judith Hill, asst. supt.; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.; Evening Worship: 7 p.m.

ACTIVITIES:  
Tue., Jan. 22 - Women's Bible Study, 1:30 p.m.  
Wed., Jan. 23 - Women's Prayer Hour, 9 a.m.  
Thurs., Jan. 24 - Mid-week Serv., 7 p.m.; Called Business Meeting, Choir practice, 8:05 p.m.

OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD Hazel Comer, pastor; Mike Reed, supt.; Asst. supt., Minnie Ellison; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.; Prayer Group: 6:30 p.m.; Evening Worship: 7 p.m.; Thursday, Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

AKRON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Gary D. Irey, pastor; John York, lay leader; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

MENTONE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Charlie Jones, Youth director; Rev. Kenneth Markén, Pastor

Sungay School: 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.; Training Hour: 6:30 p.m.; Evening Service: 7:30 p.m.; Tues., AWANA at 6:30 p.m.; Thurs., Bible Study and Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m.; Choir rehearsal at 8:30 p.m.

BEAVER DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Worship Services: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:25 a.m.  
Thursdays: Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.  
We have classes for ages and a merry welcome to all people. Visitors welcome always to all services.

Harold Ulrey, Pastor, He has just moved to Akron for his home and can be reached at all times. Phone 893-4118.

AKRON CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN, Harold Miller, minister; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Church: 10:30 a.m.; Choir rehearsal Thurs. evening.

## MENTONE CHRISTIAN FELLOW

SHIP, Rev. Robert Morgan, pastor; Thomas W. Harman, co-pastor. Sunday afternoon: 4 p.m.; Tuesday evening: 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Services held in the new hardware building in Atwood.

MENTONE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, E. R. Heckman, Minister Paul Haist, lay leader; Dr. Wymond Wilson, Ad. Board chairman. Worship: 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.; YF: 5:30 p.m.

BURKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Don Poyser, pastor; Vernon Merced, supt.; Dennis Burch, asst. supt.; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Church: 10:30 a.m.

OMEGA CHURCH, Lee Stubblefield, pastor; Emerson Burns, supt.; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.; Youth Meeting: 6 p.m.; Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.

MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST City Steaks, minister; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Worship and Communion: 10:30 a.m.; Sunday Evening: 7:30 p.m.; Monday - Childrens Bible Story hour, 3:45; Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class, 1:30 p.m.

SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD, Fred Landolt, minister; Richard Hoffmann, supt.; Joe French, asst. supt.; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service: 7:30 p.m.; Jr. & Sr. CGYA: 6:30 p.m.; Thurs., Prayer Service: 7:30 p.m.

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## Jabberwocky

By Diana Streevey Bucher

In the past several months my husband has been building a new home for us. It is with justifiable pride that I pat his weary back, for with a little help from our friends he has built the entire house himself. It's terrific. We moved in last week, and when I walked into the house I went around and admired all the shiny new things, the appliances, the fixtures, the windows. . .

Have you ever tried to remove the stickers from a new window? Or from the glass of a new stove? Or, horror of horrors, from a fiberglass tub?

I have spent the last week scouring, scrubbing and scraping all the new things in the house, and I still have remnants of glue and tape and paper all over. What is wrong with these manufacturers? They either have a grudge against the world or they're out to get me, because on everything we bought they used Elmer's Stick-Forever Glue. It's bad that they print their name on one paper and plaster that onto their product, but it's downright insulting when they stick another gooey tag on the fixture with general cleaning instructions. The only thing they omit in the instructions is how to remove the blasted sticker! And I absolutely see red when I find a tag taped on that reads, "Inspected by Number 17". . .

I'm philosophical though, and big enough to take it. I won't let this one irritating little thing spoil my enjoyment of my nice, new home and my scratched, chipped, marred new fixtures.

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## Busy Bees talk safety

On January 8 the Burket Busy Bees met in the Burket United Methodist Church.

Carolyn Williams led the American pledge, Penny Nichols led the 4-H pledge.

Carolyn Williams told how a bike rider should behave on the road, for health and safety.

Demonstrations were given by Jeff Rose on ceramic crafts, Tam-

my Rose on how to make jello, and Doug Hathaway told the parts of a dairy animal.

Martha Spangle provided refreshments.

Enrollment cards and dues should be turned in as soon as possible.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 12.

## Calendar

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18

The Akron L.T.L. will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the library basement. There will be an election of officers at this meeting. We urge all members to attend and new members and guests are always welcome.

## Connie Doering to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Doering, Akron, announce the engagement of their daughter, Connie Jean, to Mark E. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson, Yoder.

Miss Doering is a 1976 graduate of Ball State University and teaches math at the Crest View Jr. High in Huntington. Mr. Anderson is a 1976 graduate of Purdue University School of Engineering and is employed by Konkle Valve of Ft. Wayne.

A June 18 wedding is being planned at the East 8th Street Church of God, Huntington.

## Akron item

Velma Bright and Gloria Bowen, Akron librarians, attended the Northern Indiana Library Administrators meeting at the Argos United Methodist Church Wednesday.

## Dylan LP at Library

New records received at the Akron Carnegie Public Library include the following:

KEEP THE FIRE by Kenny Loggins.

I MUST HAVE BEEN CRAZY by Chicago.

SLOW TRAIN COMING by Bob Dylan.

MISS THE MISSISSIPPI by Crystal Gayle.

MATHIS MAGIC by Johnny Mathis.

WILLIE NELSON SINGS KRISTOFFERSON by Willie Nelson.

JOHNNY CASH SILVER by Johnny Cash.

ALWAYS KNOW by Theltonious Monk.

BARBRA STREISAND WET by Barbra Streisand.

HANSEL AND GRETTEL by Engelbert Humperdinck.

DOHNANYI-BEETHOVEN SERENADE by Ludwig Van Beethoven.

VICTORIA DE LOS ANGELES by Geoffrey Parsons.

## Akron item

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Slaybaugh, Trafalgar, and Ni ta Lewis were weekend guests of Mrs. Lewis Slaybaugh. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Slaybaugh, Mrs. Homer Hoover and Mrs. Goldie Ferree.

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## Olive Bethel news

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Gagnon visited Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family Wednesday evening.

Mrs. David Sheetz and children attended the Ray Circle at the Akron Methodist Church Thursday morning. Mrs. Sheetz and Angela and Betty Miller attended the Stringtown Club Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. George Sheetz.

Mrs. Gail McKenzie, So. Whitley, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family spent Saturday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hott of Kewanna.

Donna McKenzie, No. Manches-

ter, was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen.

Mrs. David Sheetz and Debbie Gray attended Sharing Time at Conners Monday evening.

### Seward Club met

The Seward Home Extension Club met Wednesday, January 9, at 1:30 p.m. in the social room of the Burket United Methodist Church with the president, Ruth Igney, opening the meeting as she led the group in repeating the club creed and pledge to the flags.

Eva Eherenman led the group in singing, Rella Hatfield gave devotions and the secretary and treasurers reports were given for November and December and approved. Cards were signed and sent to some members unable to be there.

President Igney reported on the county president council meeting, Garnet Latimer gave Health and Safety remarks, Edna Sarber gave garden hints, Anna Williamson gave citizenship and energy reports and Hester Clinger gave cultural arts report.

The lesson "Cheeses" was given by Mary Rose.

Refreshments were served to 15 members and one guest by Eva Eherenman and Marcella Meredith.

The next meeting will be in the church social room February 13.



Look Who's Here

### Jennifer Day

Mr. and Mrs. W. David Day, R. 2, Akron, are the parents of a six pound, two ounce daughter, Jennifer Renae, born December 28, 1979, at the Wabash County Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gail Hartman, R. 1, Akron, Wm. Day, Roann, and Ella Mae Bowman, Lagro. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Mabel Kinney and Mrs. Flossie Drudge.

Jennifer has one sister, Michelle Gail, three and one-half years old.



### Stamp Center opens

Akron Supermarket announces the opening of a new Top Value Stamp Gift Center located at the Uncommons Shopping Center, 1500 Goshen Road, Fort Wayne. The Top Value Gift Center will be managed by Cheryl Applegate. The Gift Center will be open from 10:30 to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday. Shown at the ribbon cutting ceremonies are (left to right) Mary Walton, Account Executive; Sue Barah, Clerk; Mr. Roy Schomburg, Ft. Wayne Councilman, 3rd District; Ruth Waite, Merchandise Manager; Jerre Nichols, Indiana Zone Manager; Cheryl Applegate, Manager.

### Meals on Wheels

The Mentone Meals on Wheels drivers for the week of January 21-25 as follows:

MONDAY: Eva Mae Haist,  
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WEDNESDAY: Norene Norris,  
THURSDAY: Jean and Merl Gibson, and  
FRIDAY: Kate Whetstone.

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## the side lines

by Vern Hucks

Well, another "Super Sunday" is almost here and the question on my mind is not "Will the Steelers win?", but, "How much help will they get from the officials?"

Can you really buy the official explanation of the call in the AFC title game that robbed Houston of a touchdown? I figure that if the receiver had enough control of himself to pull down a high pass, get both feet down, in bounds, crash full length to the astro-turf, and not drop the ball, then he must have had control of the ball.

There were a couple of other calls in that game that stood out also. Jack Lambert knocked another Oiler receiver almost out of his socks about 3 seconds after the play was blown dead. The Houston player jumped up to protest the late hit and was restrained by an "innocent" Steeler defensive back. When the dust cleared, the Houston player and the Steeler who held him were assessed off-setting penalties while Lambert didn't receive adequate recognition for his performance.

In last years' Super Bowl, Lynn Swann obviously tripped a Dallas corner back, but the resulting penalty was called defensive interference. The penalty led to the deciding Steeler touchdown.

I don't want to take anything away from Pittsburgh, but wouldn't a non-controversial victory in a big game be more meaningful?

Beat Zs 44-40

## Girls outlast Rochester

Led by the long-range bombing of sophomore guard Carleen Clampitt, the Tippecanoe Valley girls basketball team over a 5 point third quarter deficit to beat Rochester 44-40 Monday evening.

Clampitt lead all scorers as she tossed in 15 points, most on shots that seemed to come from the parking lot. Virginia Arven also hit in double figures for the Valley, adding 10 points to the Viking attack.

Tippecanoe Valley led by six at the end of the first quarter, but Rochester rallied and the game was tied at 21 all at half-time.

The Zebras played tough defense in the third quarter and scratched out a 30-25 lead, only to see it dissolve as the Vikes exploded for 19 points in the final period.

The Vikings will travel to Plymouth on Saturday to participate in the Plymouth Tourney.

## TVAC to host AAU swim meet

The Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club (JAWS) has been selected to host the Indiana AAU Junior Championships at Tippecanoe Valley High School on March 21, 22 and 23.

In preparation for the meet, all JAWS parents are requested to attend an urgent meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday, January 24 in the high school lecture room.

### First time

## JAWS outswim Royals

The Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club was a poor host on Saturday when Rochester came to the Tippecanoe Valley High School pool for a dual meet. The JAWS defeated the Royals for the first time in the team's four years of existence. The final score was Jaws 280-Royals 242. This is the team's fifth win without a loss in dual meets.

Eight new team records were set. The 9-10 boys (Thomas Alexander, Clinton Alexander, Dayne Manwaring, Sam Manwaring) set records in the free and medley relays. Individual record setters were: 8-under Jennifer Secrist, 25 breast, Chris Paris, 25 fly; 9-10 Sam Manwaring, 50 breast, Dayne Manwaring, 100 free, 200 IM; 11-12 Randy Paris, 50 fly.

Thirty-two swimmers participated in the meet and twentieth-four had at least one personal best time.

The next dual meet will be at Marion on January 26.

The meet results follow:

8-Under Boys: Free and medley relays first: Green Lynn, 1st 25 breast, 2nd 50 free, 100 IM; Scott Smith, 1st 25 back, 2nd 25 free, 3rd 25 breast, 100 IM; Chris Paris, 1st 25 fly, 50 free, 100 IM; Tim Secrist, 2nd 25 fly, 3rd 25 free; Derek Manwaring, 1st 25 free, 3rd 50 free; Josh Beary, 2nd 25 back.

8-Under Girls: Free and medley relays first: Jennifer Secrist, 1st 25 breast, 2nd 50 free; Michelle Krueger, 3rd 25 breast; Kim McCuan, 1st 25 fly, 50 free, 25 back; Barb Burdge, 1st 25 free, 2nd 25 fly, 100 IM; Johna Welds, 3rd 25 back, 25 free; Robin Hucks, 2nd 25 free, 3rd 100 IM.

9-10 Boys: Free and medley relays first: Sam Manwaring, 1st 50 breast, 50 fly, 2nd 100 IM; Clinton Alexander, 3rd 50 breast; Thomas Alexander, 2nd 50 fly, 50 free, 3rd 100 free; Dayne Manwaring, 1st 100 free, 50 back, 200 IM.

9-10 Girls: Free and medley relays first: Sabrina England, 2nd 50 breast, 100 free; Ellen Burdge, 1st 50 breast.

## Upcoming Sports

January 17  
Valley (Swimming) vs. East Noble at TVHS 6:00  
Valley (Freshman BB) vs. Triton at TVHS 6:30  
Mentone (7 & 8 BB) vs. Manchester at Manchester 6:30  
Mentone (6th BB) vs. North Miami at Mentone 4:30

January 18  
Valley (Basketball) vs. Triton at Triton 6:30

January 19  
Valley (Basketball) vs. Maconaquah at TVHS 6:30  
Valley (Girls Basketball) Plymouth Tourney

January 21  
Valley (Gymnastics) vs. Wabash at Wabash 6:30  
Mentone (Girls' BB) vs. Northfield at Mentone 6:30

January 22  
Mentone (6th BB) vs. Bremen at Mentone 4:30  
Valley (Wrestling) vs. Concord at Concord 6:30  
Valley (Swimming) vs. Rochester at TVHS 6:30

January 23  
Valley (Girls' BB) vs. Northfield at Northfield 6:30  
Akron Vs. Mentone Girls BB at Akron 4:15

January 24  
Valley (Gymnastics) vs. Elkhart Center at TVHS 6:30  
Valley (Freshman BB) vs. Culver at TVHS 6:30  
Valley (Girls' BB) vs. Triton at Triton 6:30

## Vikings drop road game to Wawasee

Despite having three players score in double digits, the Tippecanoe Valley Vikings wound up on the short end of a 54-52 score at Wawasee last Saturday night.

Wawasee gained an early advantage over the Vikings and held off a fourth quarter Valley rally to preserve the victory. The real difference in the game was at the free throw line as the Warriors sank 10 freebies compared to Valley's 8.

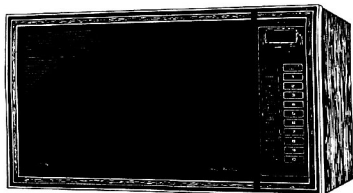
Valley's leading scorer, Scott Tilden, led the Vikes with 14 points followed closely by Mike Copien with 12 and John Dorsey with 10.

Tippecanoe Valley will travel to Triton on Friday before coming home on Saturday to host Maconaquah. Their record now stands at 6-4.

### TVHS pool schedule

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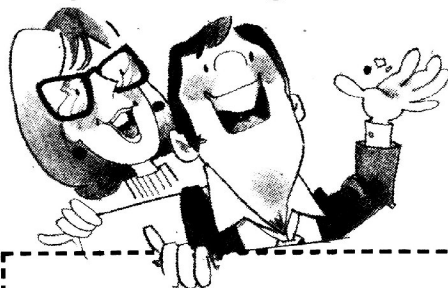
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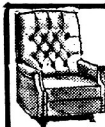
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## Obituaries

### John Mattson Jr.

John Edward Mattson Jr., 58, R. 2, Silver Lake, died of cancer Friday, January 11, at 4 a.m. in Parkview Hospital, Ft. Wayne. He had been ill seven months.

Born in Worcester, Massachusetts on March 26, 1921, to John E. and Elizabeth (Kline) Mattson, Mr. Mattson lived in Massachusetts and Florida most of his life. He had resided in Silver Lake for two years. He was married to Bonnie Swihart, October 15, 1977, who survives.

Mr. Mattson was a veteran of WW II and a member of VFW Post 1126 and the American Legion, Piercetown. He also attended the Silver Creek Church of God.

Surviving with his wife are: three sons, James, Richard Allen, Manchester, N.H., and John Edward Jr., at home; three daughters, Doreen Talbot, Florida; Patricia Merulla, Worcester, Mass. and Pamela Ann, at home; one stepson, Tim Swihart, Akron. Two sons preceded in death.

Services were Monday, January 14 at 10:30 a.m. at the Silver Creek Church of God, the Rev. Fred Landolt officiating. Burial was in the Silver Creek Cemetery.

### Nina DeFord

Mrs. Nina DeFord, 95, R. 1, Mentone, died Monday, January 14, 1980 at the Prairie View Nursing Home, Warsaw. She had been ailing for several years.

Born August 2, 1884 at Howard County to Wilson and Anna (Gregory) Butts, she had lived in Mentone for five years, coming from Frankfort. On July 31, 1907 she married Robert DeFord at Altus, Oklahoma. He preceded in death in 1942. She was a member of the New London Friends Church and retired from the Reliance Sewing Company.

Survivors include: one brother, Russell Butts, Mentone; two stepsons, Arthur Kenworthy, Kokomo and Lloyd Kenworthy, Marion; several nieces and nephews.

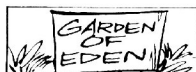
Services will be Thursday, January 17 at 11 a.m. at the King Memorial Home, Mentone. Visitors may call after 2 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Don Poyser will officiate and burial will be in the New London Cemetery.

### William Bemenderfer

Services for William D. Bemenderfer Sr., 77, were held at 1 p.m. Friday, January 11, 1980, in the G. H. Herrmann Funeral Home, Indianapolis. Mr. Bemenderfer died Tuesday, January 9 at the Winona Memorial Hospital.

Born in Wabash County, Mr. Bemenderfer resided in Akron for several years. He lived in Indianapolis for 39 years and was employed at the Allison Division of General Motors Corporation, retiring in 1966 after 26 years. He attended Castleville Baptist Church.

Surviving with his wife, Verna Bahney Bemenderfer are: two daughters Mrs. Donna McAlister and Norma J. Bemenderfer; three sons, William D. Jr., Harry L., and Frederick L.; two sisters, Nora Hoffman, Akron, and Estella Raester, Maywood, Ill.; 8 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.



One legend places the Garden of Eden between the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers in today's Iraq.

## Lunch menu

### TVHS

The Tippecanoe Valley High School lunch menu for the week of January 21-25 is as follows:

MONDAY: Hot dog, baked beans, cottage cheese, applesauce.  
TUESDAY: Pizza, green beans, jello salad, pears.

WEDNESDAY: Stromboli, buttered corn, cole slaw, mixed fruit.  
THURSDAY: Hot turkey and gravy, mashed potatoes, stuffing, lettuce salad, peanut butter sandwich, peaches.

FRIDAY: Lil-Abner sandwich, french fries, buttered peas, rice krispie square, pineapple.  
Celery and carrot sticks, fruit juice and milk served every day.

Menus subject to change.

"The strongest man is the one who stands most alone."

### Mentone

The Mentone School lunch menu for the week of January 21-25 is as follows:

MONDAY: Sausage, creamed rice, tator tots, pears.  
TUESDAY: Turkey salad sandwich, french fries, creamed peas, applesauce.

WEDNESDAY: Chicken & dressing, sweet potatoes, toss salad, cookies.

THURSDAY: Beef Manhattan, mashed potatoes, California blend vegetables, peaches.

FRIDAY: Grilled cheese, potato salad, mixed fruit, brownie.

Bread, butter, milk, carrots and celery served each day.

Menu subject to change by the cooks.

### Akron item

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Slaybaugh and Mrs. Slaybaugh's sister of Trafalgar called on Marie and Velma Bright Saturday afternoon. Marie Bright has a fractured wrist.

## Service news

Marine Pfc. John S. Harman, son of Norman G. and Madge J. Harman, R. 2, Claypool, has completed the Basic Avionics ("aviation electronics") Technician Course.

A 1978 graduate of Warsaw High School, he joined the Marine Corps in December 1978.

Pfc. Randy R. Nellans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Nellans Jr., and husband of the former Vicki Arnett is now stationed at Baumholder, Germany.

His address is: Pfc. Randy R. Nellans, 303-72-8334, CSC 2d Bn. 68th Armor, APO New York, NY 09034.

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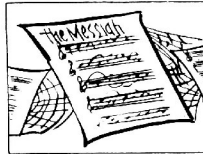
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## Valley board requests BAC to re-organize

The regular meeting of the Tippecanoe Valley School Board was held January 21, 1980, at 7:30 PM in the lecture room at Tippecanoe Valley High School.

Representatives of Daverman's Associates presented slides of the various projects as redone on a \$7 million budget as directed by the board at the last meeting. They suggested that the Board set a special meeting on January 28 to approve the schematic drawings for Akron, Mentone and Bur-

ket schools and give them further direction. They also recommended that Building Advisory Committee (BAC) members be appointed for each school to function during the design development phase. At that point the BAC adjourned to meet with the architects in another room.

A number of parents, represented by Richard Lowe, spoke concerning Larry Bibler, a fifth grade teacher at Akron. He presented orally a list of 22 specific complaints a-

gainst Mr. Bibler. Several other people in the audience spoke concerning Mr. Bibler, including Karen Brown, Tom Hathaway, Joyce Steven, Della Leckrone, Lyle Bamberlin and Charles Brallier.

Board member Vernon Meredith moved to buy Mr. Bibler's contract and replace him with another teacher, but was not seconded. Board member Don Snipes recommended Mr. Bibler be given an opportunity to answer the charges, and a hearing before the Board was

set for Tuesday, January 22.

In Other Business: Con Shewman was elected President of the Board of Finance and Don Snipes was elected Secretary of the Board of Finance.

Jeanette Shoemaker was appointed to the Vocational Advisory Committee.

It was reported the third graders in the corporation are planning their trip to the Shrine Circus.

Loren Skinner reported the

second semester enrollment is 625.

The Board requested that the BAC be re-organized to operate on a community-wide basis, to use Parliamentary procedure and to keep minutes of their meetings to present periodically to the Board.

Steve Bruner, Chairman of the BAC, noted all members of the BAC should try to attend the special meeting on January 28.

# The AKRON NEWS MENTONE

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Thursday, January 24, 1980



**Winner  
selected**

DAVE AND DORIS COOPER are the owners of Coopers Store in Mentone where the lucky winning ticket for \$100.00 in Mentone Money was deposited. David Spencer, Fort Wayne, was the lucky winner last week, but was not available for a picture.

## Akron Board met

A meeting of the Akron Town Board was held on Tuesday, January 15 at 7:30 pm in the town office building.

The board re-organized for 1980 by re-electing Ronald Fenimore President and Dr. Charles Miller Vice President. The other board member is Vernon Waymire.

Mike Lyle, a representative from

Public Service, explained some of the details that will be involved if the board puts street lights in the Saner Addition. He told the board he will gather additional information for their perusal within a couple of weeks.

The next meeting of the town board will be February 19 at 7:30.

## Mentone sets Egg Festival dates, June 5-7

The Mentone Chamber of Commerce has set the dates of June 5, 6 and 7 as Mentone Egg Festival Days. They also have announced that the annual Mentone-Burket

basketball clash will be played March 14 in the Mentone School gym.

The annual game is played between the 4th and 5th grades at Mentone and Burket schools.

## Akron Lions sponsoring benefit fish fry

The Akron Lions Club will be sponsoring a benefit carry-out fish fry on Saturday, January 26 for the Richard Moyer family of Macy.

Moyer suffered the loss of both

hands in a farming accident last fall. The benefit fish fry will be held at the Akron Fire Station between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m. All proceeds will go to the Moyer family.

## Area phone help has new number

General Telephone officials announced recently that a new special service code to reach directory assistance has been implemented for telephone customers in the Atwood, Burket, Mentone, Millwood, and Tippecanoe telephone exchanges.

General Telephone customers in those exchanges should now dial "1411" to reach directory assistance instead of the old "411" number. The company will be sending further information in the U.S. mail to all affected customers this week.



**Letters  
to Carter**

CHARLES MOORE, U.S. Postal employee in Akron, demonstrates the automatic postal cancelling machine to members of Mrs. Gearhart's 3rd grade Akron class. RThe class had written letters to President Carter expressing concern for the hostages being held in Iran.

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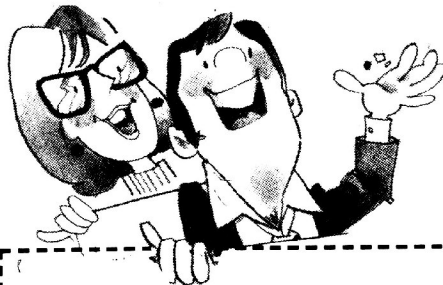
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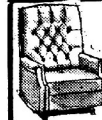
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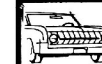
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## REMEMBER WHEN

## Railroads sparked area rapid growth

by Eula Romaine Smith

One hundred fifty years ago Indians inhabited this area, but pioneers came here in the late 1830's and 1840's. Providing shelter and clearing land were high on their list of priorities, so stores and post officers were usually located in someone's home.

Soon roads, mills, churches and schools were built. When the railroad came through Warsaw, Etna Green and Bourbon in the early 1850's, manufactured products came closer, but it was the Nickel Plate Railroad that really influenced our lives.

Construction began in 1881, and the new railroad was open for business Oct. 16, 1882. In May of that year, soon after the tracks were laid, Albert Tucker, surveyed the plat where Mentone now is located and laid out the town from Morgan Street to Etna Street except the northwest corner.

Albert Tucker's associates were William E. Hackedorf and George Myers. After Mrs. Myers read a newspaper article about England's Queen Victoria visiting the resort at Mentone, France, she suggested that the new town be called Mentone.

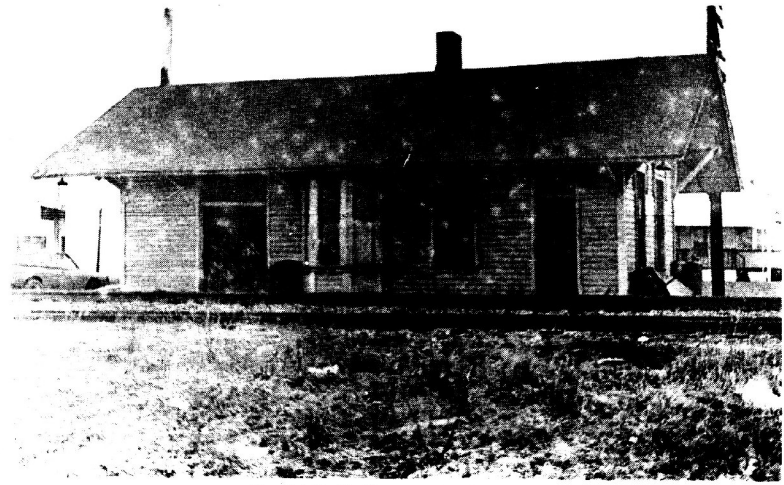
Growth was rapid. By 1886 Mentone had a population of 700 and was incorporated. However, some of the growth was at the expense of nearby villages.

Oak Ridge post office was in John Johnston's store which was about one mile east of Mentone (where Abe Whetstone lived for many years, now Rex Zimpelman). Yellow Creek post office was about a mile west of Mentone (corner of State Road 19 and County Road 1200W) in a village called Little Chicago. It consisted of a church, three dwellings and about a half dozen businesses. Among those were a sawmill and a general store. Most of these were moved into Mentone.

Kingman's 1879 Atlas of Kosciusko County tells us that Sevastopol, established in 1856, had two resident physicians, two mills, two factories and a blacksmith shop, plus a variety of retail stores. Also there were a church, a school and a lodge. Several of these were transferred to Mentone.

In the Spring of 1882 Elias Burket surveyed and platted a town on part of his farm in Seward Township. According to William Guido Davis, he named the town Bellview, Ohio, located along the new railroad, so this one became Burket.

The first business was a sawmill which provided material for the new drugstore, hotel and other buildings. Population increased to 300. Two more sawmills came to Burket, and an estimated five million board feet of lumber were ship-



The Old Nickel Plate Depot in Mentone.

ped from there during the first three years.

In February of 1882 a town was laid out along the railroad in Tippecanoe Township, Marshall County, and it drew from Old Tippecanoe Town, about three-fourth mile north. From Marshall County History we learn that the

old town began in 1850 along the Tippecanoe River. The river provided waterpower for a flouring mill and a woolen mill, so a prosperous town developed. However, the woolen mill was destroyed by fire in 1878.

At first the new town was called Tippecanoe Town Station; then it was Ilion for about twenty years, and finally it became Tippecanoe.

The trains which stopped regularly at these three new towns provided fast, long-distance transportation of goods and people in the era before automobiles and trucks. In 1887 Mentone shipped more livestock than any other point on the line between Chicago and Buffalo. Eggs, maple syrup and pickles left this community by rail. Mail routes using horses were changed to mail by train.

## Area REACT team ready for motorist emergencies

Suppose you're traveling in unfamiliar territory, late at night, and your car breaks down. What do you do? If you have a CB radio in your car, you can get on Channel 9 and call the local REACT team for that area.

REACT teams are groups of individuals pledged to monitor Channel 9 (the channel reserved by the FCC for "Emergencies and Motorist Assistance") 24 hours a day, seven days a week. They also provide assistance to all local authorities in times of emergency.

Fulton County is served by REACT Team 2631 based in Rochester. In addition to monitoring Channel 9, the local team also sponsors such fund raising activities as "Coffee Breaks" and chili suppers. According to Gary Brensen, Public Relations for Team 2631, one "Mini-Break" sponsored by the team this fall

raised over \$5,000 for two little girls who had lost their father. The team also made Christmas possible for many area residents who would not have been able without assistance.

Team 2631 is also affiliated to the Indiana State Police through the INCERT program. INCERT is a State Police/Citizen Mobilization Plan that can be activated state-wide or locally when and where the services of the various citizens groups involved would be invaluable. Regarding INCERT, the Indiana State Police says, "The potential effectiveness of this project is unlimited."

The eligibility requirements for membership in the local REACT group are simple. You must be 18 years old, be licensed by the FCC, and have ready access to a CB radio and a telephone. There is also an associate membership

program for those who are under 18 and are relatives of members.

REACT Team No. 2631 meets on the second Sunday of every month at 2 p.m. Meetings are held in the City Council Chambers located above the Rochester Police Department in Rochester.

Fulton County REACT Team No. 2631

**CHILI SUPPER**  
January 26 at 5:00 p.m.  
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## Newsview

by Bob Norlander

On regular passbook savings, the most you can get in a bank is 5 1/2 percent interest. The savings and loans can pay 5 1/2 percent. To get more, you have to lock up your money for a longer time or have \$10,000 to buy a 6-month money-market certificate. On that you can get close to 12 percent.

Why can the people with plenty of money get 12 percent and the little savers not get quite half that?

The answer isn't shouted from the rooftops, but it isn't denied either. The reason, admit the government banking regulators, is that the money in these low-interest accounts is mostly used for home construction.

If the government allowed the banks and S&L's to pay more interest, they will also have to allow them to charge more interest on home mortgages.

It's understandable why the lid is kept on. Understandable and unfair. The small saver is subsidizing home mortgages. The big saver gets the big interest and the little saver carries the housing industry on his back.

Where are all the liberal politicians, the consumer spokesmen, the union leaders, the bleeding hearts who are supposed to be looking out for the little guy? Could it be that most of them are too busy looking out for themselves?

## Sound Off

"I am a close follower of the girls' basketball team, and I agree that it sure was nice to hear the National Anthem played at the girls' basketball game. The pep band and the cheerleaders added alot and did a good job. But my question is that if they can go all out for only two games, why not go all out for all of the games, or none at all? What is so special about Warsaw and Rochester? I'd also like to take time to congratulate the girls on a fabulous victory over the Rochester Zebra's. Good luck in the Sectional!!!"

## Apply early for Social Security number

Anyone who expects to need a social security number should apply 6 to 8 weeks before the number will be used, Oscar Vela, social security district manager in Elkhart said recently.

Evidence of a person's age, identity, and citizenship status is required at the time of application. In addition, anyone 18 or over must apply in person at a social security office.

The best evidence of a person's age and citizenship status is a public or church record of birth recorded before the fifth birthday, or a baptismal record recorded before age 5, Vela said.

Many different documents can be used to provide identity, such as a driver's license, voter's card, some sort of ID card, club mem-

bership card, or similar items showing signature and personal information.

People born outside the United States should show their citizenship papers or immigration documents.

Photocopies cannot be used. The original of all documents should be submitted and all documents will be returned.

A leaflet, "Applying for a social security number," can be obtained at the Elkhart social security office, located at 327 W. Marion Street. The telephone number is 294-5666.

## Pictures that tell a story

"She wanders loving here and there,  
And yet she cannot stray,  
All in the pleasant open air,  
The pleasant light of day."

—R.L. Stevenson



## Mailbag



### Thanks!

DEAR EDITOR:

The Mentone Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors wishes to thank the following for furnishing power for the Christmas decorations which made our Christmas season so successful:

Bush Music Store, Kings Funeral Home, Valley Furnishings, Mentone Post Office, Farmers State Bank, J & J Service, Pill Box, Coopers Store, Dr. David Cook, Dentist, United Methodist Church, Franks Manufacturing Co., Frank & Jerry Grocery, and Mr. Lee Bazini, attorney.

A special thanks to all who helped in repairing the decorations, the erection and in taking down. A big job well done and only was accomplished by the cooperation of many individuals.

My personal thanks to all.

Sincerely,  
Guy Alspaugh, President

### Thanks, again!

DEAR EDITOR:

The Las Donas Club wishes to thank Harold Gearhart for the use of his real estate office. It made a very nice house for Santa.

We also thank Santa for coming to see us.

—Las Donas Club

## Dr. Herrick in Woodlawn

Dr. Charles Herrick was admitted to the Woodlawn Hospital Thursday, January 17, as a result of complications following a cold.

Mrs. Davis, the nurse at his Akron office, reported he was improved today and hopes to return home by Friday. Until then, he is in room 236 at Woodlawn.

## This Was News

### 60 YEARS AGO

Fred Blackburn and Eugene Woolpert, who have been dealing in real estate and insurance, have fitted up an office over Wilhoit and Hoffman's meat market.

Marshal Woolpert was off duty last week for four days because of an attack of grip. His place was taken by W. Van Lue.

High School students in Fulton county have been invited to engage in a state wide war essay contest according to County Supt. T. F. Berry. The state is offering five prizes totalling \$150.

### 39 YEARS AGO

The senior class of Akron High School presented the final performance of their play "Professor How Could You!" at the gymnasium. Charles Day attended a meeting of County Highway superintendents at Purdue University.

The Grass Creek Panthers retained their crown as Fulton county basketball champions when they defeated the Akron Flyers in the final game of the tournament 37-35 Saturday night.

C.C. Holmes, field worker for the Indiana State Chamber of Commerce was the speaker at the Akron Chamber of Commerce meeting. This meeting was held in conjunction with a benefit fish fry for the Paralysis Fund.

### 25 YEARS AGO

Martha Anne Sullivan, former resident of the Akron and Mentone communities has been transferred by the General Telephone Co. to Redonda Beach, California. Martha Anne was night operator at Mentone before her transfer to California. The Mentone exchange is installing dial phones.

Fire destroyed twenty one sows and thirty small pigs on the Eldon Cumberland farm early this morning. The fire was caused by an overheated furnace which was in the concrete block farrowing house.

The pigs died of suffocation. The Akron fire department answered the call at 7 a.m. and saved the building.

### 10 YEARS AGO

Harris Drug Store is to begin a remodeling program.

The Mentone Bulldogs suffered a 90-62 defeat Friday night at the hands of Wawasee Warriors. High scorers for Mentone were Steve Secrist with 13, Rick Stavedahl with 12 and Gary Welborn with 10.

Mrs. Harold Mentzger, Mrs. Robert Hill and Mrs. Bill Kneller cooked and served dinner to 30 Lion members on Monday evening. Mr. Owen Frey showed two films, "The American Trail" and "Journey Through the East".

## News Almanac

### ALMANAC

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Tuesday, Jan. 15, 1980	50	30	.00"
Wednesday, Jan. 16, 1980	50	38	.34"rain
Thursday, Jan. 17, 1980	57	31	.00"
Friday, Jan. 18, 1980	37	28	.00"
Saturday, Jan. 19, 1980	33	24	.00"
Sunday, Jan. 20, 1980	36	20	Frost

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## Akron EMS answered 84 calls in 1979

The Akron EMS unit had a very quiet month with five runs being made. There were 84 calls for the year of 1979.

On December 4, 1979, a carry-in supper and a Christmas grab-bag was attended by thirteen persons.

At the January 8, 1980 meeting there were nineteen present. The In-Service for the month was on Ambulance Orientation.

There are eight area persons taking the EMT course at Rochester, they are: Richard Smith, Todd Utter, Francis Utter, Joyce Hudson, Susie Caudill, Bonnie Hiers, Sheila Cumberland, and Doug Mappin. Guy Miller has also joined

ed the local unit, coming from Multi-Township Service.

Letters of recognition are to be sent to three members who have recently resigned. Two persons were elected to replace openings left by the resignations. Jack Miller as head driver, and Dixie Summe is to represent the local unit at the county board meetings.

### Mentone Item

Mrs. W. W. Clark, Harlan, is at the home of Mrs. Gerry Clark taking care of her while she is ill.

Charles and Pam Jones and two children have moved into the Leroy Norris property on North Broadway. Mr. Jones is the youth leader at the Baptist Church.

Jeanette Mollenhour has her great aunt back with her.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

CLAIMS APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS January 21, 1980

K. Spice, Clerk, 479.16; J. Jenkins, Deputy, 350.00; T. Pfeiffer, deputy Sm. Cl. Ct., 333.33; S. White, deputy, 325.00; C. Bingle, deputy, 308.33; J. Wagener, Part time help, 112.00; J. Garber, same, 140.00; H. Halterman, auditor, 479.16; L. Riddle, deputy, 350.00; N. Delworth, same, 325.00; P. Henderson, payroll clerk, 325.00; D. Cleland, full time help, 308.33; K. Carr, same, 308.33; D. Riddle, ex. help, 62.00; J. Burn, Treasurer, 479.16; J. Rouch, deputy, 350.00; M. Herkless, same, 325.00; M. Richter, recorder, 450.00; A. Clay, deputy, 325.00; S. R. Newgent, Sheriff, 550.00; E. Vance, deputy, 493.75; B. Baker, same, 483.33; R. Bryant Jr., Patrolman, 453.33; J. Fultz, same, 425.00; W. Hynnesnagen, dispatcher, 312.50; J. Cunningham, jailer, 325.00; N. Ray, dispatcher, 312.50; R. Shaffer, same, 312.50; E. Vance, holiday pay, 25.00; R. Bryant Jr., same, 25.00; J. Fultz, same, 25.00; J. Cunningham, same, 25.00; W. Hynnesnagen, same, 25.00; N. Ray, same, 25.00; D. Wentzel, ex. help, 78.00; E. Lowe, same, 168.00; E. Newgent, jail matron, 485.33; E. Newgent, holiday pay, 25.00; R. Daake, surveyor, 525.00; S. Daake, deputy, 300.00; A. Craig, full time help, 383.33; G. Clark, same, 383.33; D. Swango, part time help, 470.40; M. Shireman, Hosiery, 458.33; T. Frettinger, deputy, 333.33; T. Newman, Roch. Twp. Assessor, 350.00; C. Westwood, deputy, 308.33; G. Personette, Probation Officer, 433.33; L. Walters, Cir. Ct. Bailiff, 366.66; W. Pandiscio, Cir. Ct. Reporter, 408.33; J. Wells, Public Defender, 500.00; J. Delworth Jr., Co. Ct. Judge, 158.87; H. McAllister, Co. Ct. Reporter, 354.16; T. Little, Co. Ct. Bailiff, 312.50; R. Holland, Court house custodian, 458.33; M. Holland, Court house matron, 147.91; S. Smith, Vet. Serv. Officer, 158.33; J. Good, coroner, 98.66; D. St. Clair, Weights & Measure, 258.33; G. Townsend, Landfill Oper., 508.33; R. Smith, Ch. Def. Dir., 208.33; M. Ehesman, Proc. Atty. Sec., 113.10; P. Miller, same, 152.10; B. Tinkey, Title IV-D child support, 270.00; D. Kuehl, Title IV-D Sec., 117.50; W. Deniston, Dr. Bd. Attny., 141.66; E. Brame, Dr. Bd. Sec., 176.00; R. Rentschler, Comm., 187.50; G. Craig, same, 187.50; F. Brown, same, 187.50; Wm. Deniston, Co. Attny., 166.66; K. Rans, Animal Warder, 312.50; K. Heit, CETA Highway Employee, 562.00; A. Rutledge, CETA Landfill Employee, 588.30; J. Sampsel, Dep. Prob. Off., 312.50.

### FULTON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

JANUARY 1, 1980  
J. D. Richardson, M.D., 125.00; Carolyn Gohn, 300.00; Robert L. Gohn, Jr., Sanitarian, 475.00; Carole Paulik, R.N., 487.50.

### WELFARE CLAIMS

L. Selwert Jr., 706.50; S. Burke, 522.00; K. Sirken, 572.00; J. Ludwig, 459.50; S. Reitz, 492.00; S. Zarando, 208.50; B. Wood, 350.00; S. Pea, 320.50.

### ROAD REPAIR

R. Kreamer, superintendent, 550.00; D. Zartman, clerk, 425.00; H. McIntire, foreman, 491.67; D. Hisey, truck driver, 496.60; H. Hisey, same, 500.50; M. Sutton, same, 504.00; J. Patterson, same, 523.90; E. Peters, same, 496.60; K. Bryant, same, 520.00; V. Zellers, same, 488.80; R. Ginter, same, 520.00; Robert Beck, same, 516.10; R. Schmidt, same, 500.50; L. Ackerman, same, 504.40; T. Vaughn, equip. oper., 516.10; N. Smith, same, 457.60; D. Sheetz, same, 457.60; R. Clark, same, 492.70; R. Thomas Jr., same, 488.80; T. Halterman, same, 291.20; L. Gordon, labor, 504.40; J. Tholl, same, 457.60; L. Eytcheson, same, 527.80; M. Clark, same, 457.60; L. Castlemann, same, 291.20; L. Young, extra help, 220.50; D. Bathrick, same, 235.20; C. Grogg, same, 222.60; K. Hinderlinder, mechanic, 553.90; R. Heit, same, 525.25; Rochester Glass Co., contract, serv., 40.28.

Harrison R. Halterman  
Auditor Fulton County  
1/22/80

## The NEWS Asks:

"Last week the price of gold rose over \$800 an ounce. What would you do if you found a one-pound bar of gold in your backyard?"

Marilyn Craft, Akron: "Probably take it and cash it in. With the way prices are now it wouldn't be hard to get rid of it."

Ruby Dawson, Akron: "Leave it lay or give it away. I guess I'd divide it among different organizations. Yes, that's what I'd do, I'd give it to charity where it would do some good."

Violet Lash, Mentone: "I don't even know where to sell it! I would invest it in a money market."



Diana

Jane Kantner, Mentone: "I'd wonder where it came from. I guess I'd have the money to send my daughter to Finland."

Judy Marfitt, Akron: "Well, I would probably sell it because I'd be afraid the price of gold would go down. I think it's awful high and how high can it go? I'm not greedy, so I'd sell it now and if the price went up, good for the people who have invested in gold."

Donna Potter, Mentone: "I'd keep it for awhile and see if the price went up."

## 1979 Akron Financial Report

### ANNUAL REPORT - TOWN OF AKRON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1979

#### GENERAL FUND

Balance, January 1, 1979 4,320.31  
January 1, 1979 4,320.31  
Property Taxes 25,054.43  
Bank Building & Loan Tax 1,735.02  
License Excise Tax 5,131.24  
Liquor Excise Tax 933.34  
Alcohol Gallonage Tax 1,975.29  
Cigarette Tax 1,227.88  
Permits 100.00  
Park Rentals 302.50  
Investments Sold 44,400.00  
Interest on Investments 695.08  
Transfer from C.C.I. Fund 8,000.00  
Total Balance & Receipts \$9,875.09

#### EXPENDITURES

Salary Town Trustees 900.00  
Salary Clerk-Treasurer 1,125.00  
Salary of Marshal & Deputies 19,935.00  
Salary of Town Attorney 300.00  
Other Compensation 11,576.44  
Services Contractual 14,150.17  
Supplies 7,127.39  
Current Charges 7,744.16  
Current Obligations 2,077.90  
Properties 1,940.31  
Investments 26,000.00  
Total General Fund Expenditures 92,876.37  
Balance General Fund Dec. 31, 1979 998.72

#### MOTOR VEHICLE HIGHWAY FUND

Balance January 1, 1979 2,781.00

#### RECEIPTS

Motor Vehicle Highway Distributions 10,784.83  
Special MVH & LR&S Distribution 3,887.76  
Investments Sold 2,500.00  
Interest on Investments 564.04  
Total Balance & Receipts 20,517.63

#### EXPENDITURES

Operating Expenses 11,230.88  
Investments Purchased 7,000.00  
Total MVH Fund Expenditures 18,230.88  
Balance MVH Fund Dec. 31, 1979 2,286.78

#### M.V.H. SPECIAL DISTRIBUTION

Balance January 1, 1979 339.51

#### RECEIPTS

Special MVH & LR&S Distribution 1,159.88  
Investments 3,500.00  
Cashed 96.52  
Interest on Investments 4,756.40  
Total Balance & Receipts 5,095.91

#### EXPENDITURES

Operating Exps. 3,500.00  
Transfer to MVH Fund 95.91  
Inv. Purchased 1,500.00  
Total Expenditures 5,095.91  
Balance MVH Spec. Fund Dec. 31, 1979 .00

#### LOCAL ROAD & STREET FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 .00

#### RECEIPTS

State LR&S Special Distribution 4,417.15  
Interest on Investments 92.50  
Total Balance & Receipts 4,509.65

#### EXPENDITURES

Investments Purchased 3,800.00  
Balance December 31, 1979 709.65

#### CUMULATIVE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 3,194.57

#### RECEIPTS

Cigarette Tax 4,502.24  
Invest. Cashed 22,600.00  
Int. on Invest. 935.77  
Total Balance & Receipts 28,038.01

#### EXPENDITURES

U.S. Treas. Distrib. 8,321.00  
Inv. Cashed 27,000.00  
Int. on Invest. 1,138.15  
Total Balance & Receipts 37,259.15

#### REVENUE SHARING FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 -1,304.55  
U.S. Treas. Distrib. 8,321.00  
Inv. Cashed 27,000.00  
Int. on Invest. 1,138.15  
Total Balance & Receipts 37,259.15

#### EXPENDITURES

Emergency Medical Service 643.85  
Park 3,581.24  
New Police Car 5,515.25  
Police Equipment 345.00

#### EXPENDITURES

Investments 23,800.00  
Total Expenditures 33,885.34  
Balance Dec. 31, 1979 2,069.22

#### CUMULATIVE FIRE TRUCK FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 1,463.57

#### RECEIPTS

Property Tax 1,094.08  
License Ex. Tax 224.07  
Bank Building & Loan Tax 75.76  
Int. On Invest. 416.67  
Total Balance & Receipts 3,274.15

#### EXPENDITURES

Inv. Purchased 3,000.00  
Balance Dec. 31, 1979 274.15

#### C.E.T.A. FUND

Balance January 1, 1979 .00

#### RECEIPTS

Treas. Cass County 7,154.55  
Total Balance & Receipts 7,154.55

#### EXPENDITURES

C.E.T.A. Payroll & Fringe Benefits 7,154.55  
Balance December 31, 1979 .00

#### WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 -1,511.56

#### RECEIPTS

Collections 28,886.85  
Inv. Cashed 5,000.00  
Int. on Invest. 1,054.20  
Total Balance & Receipts 34,941.05

#### EXPENDITURES

Operating & Main. Gen. Expenses 14,114.54  
Gross Inc. Tax 7,195.62  
Sales Tax (collected) 308.27  
Transfer to Depreciation Fund 682.90  
Inv. Purchased 150.00  
Total Expenditures 32,451.23

#### DEPRECIATION FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 332.03

#### RECEIPTS

Transfer from Operating Fund 159.00  
Total Balance & Receipts 491.03

#### EXPENDITURES

Engineering Charges 4,039.36  
New Construction Inv. Purchased 10,000.00  
Total Exp. Balance Dec. 31, 1979 14,434.32

#### EXPENDITURES

New Water Meters 477.60  
Balance Dec. 31, 1979 \$ 4.43

#### CUSTOMER DEPOSIT FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 2,488.07

#### RECEIPTS

Customer Deposits 800.00  
Total Balance & Receipts 800.00

#### EXPENDITURES

Refund of Customer Deposits 599.80  
Balance Dec. 31, 1979 2,688.27

#### SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 6,265.32

#### RECEIPTS

Collections 53,911.48  
Inv. Cashed 105,000.00  
Int. on Inv. 4,717.78  
Total Balance & Receipts 169,894.58

#### EXPENDITURES

Oper. & Maintenance 13,576.08  
General Expenses 7,788.62  
Transfers 34,000.00  
Inv. Purchased 114,000.00  
Total Expenditures 169,865.70

#### BOND & INTEREST FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 859.40

#### RECEIPTS

Transfers 34,500.00  
Total Balance & Receipts 35,359.40

#### EXPENDITURES

Bonds Paid 20,000.00  
Int. on Bonds 14,788.13  
Total Expenditures 34,788.13

#### CONSTRUCTION FUND

Balance Jan. 1, 1979 548.65

#### RECEIPTS

Inv. Cashed 15,000.00  
Int. on Inv. 490.77  
Total Balance & Receipts 15,490.77

#### EXPENDITURES

Engineering Charges 4,039.36  
New Construction Inv. Purchased 10,000.00  
Total Exp. Balance Dec. 31, 1979 14,434.32

#### EXPENDITURES

Cost of Investment 2,600.00  
Maturity Value 2,600.00  
General Fund 10,500.00  
Motor Vehicle Highway Fund 3,800.00  
Cum. Cap. Imp. Fund 12,500.00  
Revenue Sharing Fund 16,000.00  
Cumulative Fire Truck Fund 9,000.00  
Water Utility Fund 24,000.00  
Sewer Utility Fund 107,000.00  
Total Investments 12/31/79 \$185,400.00

Ernest Smith, Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of Akron, Fulton County, Indiana hereby certifies that the foregoing statement of receipts and disbursements of the various funds of the Town of Akron is true and correct as taken from the records of said town.

Ernest Smith  
Clerk-Treasurer  
1/24/11/2p

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# Valley schools to "Brush-In" the new year

In the fall of 1967 a school dental health education and fluoride treatment program was initiated through the joint efforts of the Indiana University School of Dentistry and the Indiana State Board of Health. This program was designed primarily to provide decay-preventive benefits to those children who do not routinely obtain adequate dental care and, secondarily, to provide additional benefits to children who are regular patients of their family dentist. It should be emphasized that this program does not replace any procedures or treatments provided by the family dentist.

Since the inception of the program, the word "Brush-In" has become synonymous with the self-applied fluoride treatment program. The program has grown substantially with about 150,000 public and parochial school children participating in this program each year.

It is endorsed by the Indiana Dental Association and may be expected to reduce dental cavities by about 20 percent when used semi-annually.

The Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation is offering the fluoride Brush-In program to all children in grades 2, 3, 4 and 5. This fluoride treatment program involves the children applying a fluoride treatment paste to their teeth with a toothbrush under the supervision of the school nurse. Participating of the children is voluntary with signed parental consent required.

The cost of this program is 50 cents per child, who wish to participate, to cover the cost of the supplies they will use. Children will be bringing permission slips home during the week of January



## Tax help in Akron

If you have received those pesky booklets from the Internal Revenue Service, and you're wondering how to fill them out, fret no more. The Fulton County Development Council is once again having their Income Tax Service for low-income people.

The dates for these services are as follows: Saturday, Feb. 16, 1980, Saturday, March 1, 1980, and March 15, 1980, all from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The returns will be filled out, for no charge, by Drs. Kenneth Milani and James Wittenbach, CPA's from Notre Dame University, and senior students from Notre Dame's Business and Accountancy Department.

Since there is no charge for this service, the Council asks that people call 223-3701 to make an appointment to avoid delays and confusion. Those in the Delong-Kings Lake area may apply for an appointment at the office of the Gospel Lighthouse Church in DeLong on Tuesdays from 1 to 3 p.m. Also there will be representatives in Akron at the Twp. Trustees office on Jan. 31, from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. and at the Lion's Den at the same time.

It is requested that when you come for your appointment, that you bring your 1978 tax returns; 1979 W-2's and other records of earnings; casualty loss information, if any; form packets sent to the taxpayer by the Federal Government and the State of Indiana; and records dealing with medical expenses, charitable contributions, property taxes, interest, and child-care expenses.

## L.T.L. met at

## Akron library

The Akron L.T.L. met Friday night in the library basement with their leader Gloria Bowen.

Bill Kline served as president, John Stubblefield was secretary, Robin Hucks was song leader, and Todd Cooksey was flag-bearer.

After devotions the leader showed a film on marijuana.

Stacy Loer and Mindy Thompson helped serve refreshments to 32 members.

## COUNTY AUDITORS ANNUAL REPORT OF FULTON COUNTY

DECEMBER 31, 1979

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT, FULTON COUNTY, INDIANA

BALANCE	RECEIPTS	TOTAL RECEIPTS	COUNTY FUNDS	TOTAL DISB.	BALANCES
876,802.45	395,999.89	1,272,802.34	County Revenue	929,284.20	343,518.14
964,622.82	71,138.92	1,035,761.74	County Highway	703,703.94	332,057.80
162,323.18	59,033.15	221,356.33	Cum.Bridge	153,925.34	67,430.99
318,341.13	81,454.11	399,795.24	County Welfare	329,169.34	70,625.90
31,544.00	5,343.03	36,887.03	County Poor	22,858.28	14,028.75
170,413.85	-0-	170,413.85	Gen.Drain Imp.	27,317.06	143,096.79
120,827.58	107,153.61	227,981.19	Co.Hospital Debt	216,963.55	11,017.64
72,039.13	63.97	72,103.10	Gen.Drain Maint.	28,368.09	43,735.01
36,477.44	19,306.58	55,784.02	Co.Health	36,001.93	19,782.09
28,804.19	15,307.66	44,111.85	Co.Aviation	24,423.47	19,688.38
384,971.71	9,763.10	394,734.81	Local Rd.& St.	301,709.90	93,024.91
88,684.84	13,653.47	102,338.31	Red.Withholding	102,338.31	-0-
14,446.61	2,105.16	16,551.77	State Withholding	14,446.61	2,105.16
118,449.52	23,350.60	141,800.12	Social Security	109,152.19	32,647.93
5,509.58	-0-	5,509.58	Special Rd.& St.	-0-	5,509.58
2,641.42	292.89	2,934.31	Welfare P.E.R.P.	2,215.78	718.53
1,223.22	-0-	1,223.22	Congress.Principal	-0-	1,223.22
2,691.00	-0-	2,691.00	Congress.Interest	-0-	2,691.00
491,961.82	190,880.00	682,841.82	Mud Creek Drain	681,479.74	1,362.08
4,686.25	3,251.57	7,937.82	Surplus Tax	3,330.75	4,607.07
3,296.31	19.21	3,315.52	Tax Sale Redempt.	3,295.43	20.09
6,425.66	-0-	6,425.66	Tax Sale Surplus	23.58	6,402.08
1,699.86	-0-	1,699.86	Surplus Dog Tax	895.10	804.76
26,370.40	3,318.00	29,688.40	Fines & Forfeitures	23,993.40	5,695.00
1,859.84	-0-	1,859.84	Real Estate Gross	1,859.84	-0-
202,634.71	11,360.27	213,994.98	Inheritance Tax	142,804.01	71,190.97
16,005.00	1,356.00	17,361.00	St.Docket Fees	16,005.00	1,356.00
39,571.35	3,156.50	42,727.85	St.Prosecuting Fees	39,571.35	3,156.50
3,310.83	2,738.04	6,048.87	Cum Fire Truck & Loan	6,048.87	-0-
1,261.20	164.10	1,425.30	Sheriff Retirement	1,425.30	-0-
6,008.00	801.00	6,809.00	Judicial Fees	6,008.00	801.00
2,751.61	1,339.43	4,091.04	State Fair	4,091.04	-0-
5,110.21	2,487.52	7,597.73	State Forestry	7,597.73	-0-
40,301.03	35,797.56	76,098.59	Township Gen.Tax	76,098.59	-0-
187.90	162.86	350.76	Township Recreation	350.76	-0-
16,348.10	14,358.27	30,706.37	Township Fire Prev.	30,706.37	-0-
5,173.18	4,586.17	9,759.35	Cum Capital Imp.	9,759.35	-0-
117,469.46	76,041.02	193,510.48	Library Tax	193,510.48	-0-
1,728,761.82	855,204.78	2,583,966.60	School General	2,583,966.60	-0-
403,871.62	206,643.08	610,514.70	School Debt Ser.	610,514.70	-0-
109,936.38	60,207.49	170,143.87	School Cum Bldg.	170,143.87	-0-
209,701.17	181,800.23	391,501.40	Corporation Tax	391,501.40	-0-
16,466.00	14,590.38	31,056.38	Street Fund	31,056.38	-0-
13,986.44	10,318.55	24,304.99	Park & Recreation	24,304.99	-0-
4,907.05	-0-	4,907.05	Crime Control	5,093.65	-186.60
20,730.54	6,160.81	26,891.35	Mill Creek Conserv.	26,891.35	-0-
10,064.78	8,681.10	18,745.88	Minnow Creek	18,903.88	42.00
46,886.00	-0-	46,886.00	Cum Reappl.	23,528.81	22,357.19
56,222.64	15,307.66	71,530.30	Cum Reappl. (1981)	-0-	71,530.30
192,199.94	-0-	192,199.94	Fed.Revenue Sharing	171,488.31	20,711.63
9,360.49	1,417.50	10,777.99	Welfare Trust Fund	5,627.38	5,150.61
28,485.15	7,557.27	36,042.42	Highway P.E.R.P.	26,683.52	9,358.90
172,700.82	11,910.00	184,610.82	C.E.T.A.	184,607.90	2.92
702.02	-0-	702.02	Criminal Justice	688.68	13.34
328.00	-0-	328.00	Accident Report-Sheriff	328.00	-0-
3,254.00	224.00	3,478.00	Co.Judicial Fees	3,254.00	224.00
2,809.93	-0-	2,809.93	Fed.Antirecession	2,735.50	74.43
37,283.06	7,575.91	44,858.97	Co.Health Insurance	41,082.25	3,776.72
501.72	103.36	605.08	Judge Retirement	398.36	206.72
11,266.00	-0-	11,266.00	Sheriff Retirement	8,565.00	2,701.00
685.66	134.12	819.78	Fletcher Lake Drain	140.23	679.55
140,345.72	-0-	140,345.72	Co.Motor Veh.Hwy.Spec.	140,345.72	-0-
1,062.00	178.50	1,240.50	Violent Crime	1,062.00	178.50
17,379.83	6,221.10	23,600.93	Lake Manitou Conserv.	23,600.93	-0-
25,834.27	8,648.36	34,482.63	Co.Courthouse P.E.R.P.	24,150.25	10,332.38
1,445.70	-0-	1,445.00	Proh.Dept.Life-Line	1,398.20	46.71
7,560,424.44	2,558,967.86	10,219,292.30		8,773,794.63	1,445,497.67

Signed and sealed this 21 day of January 1980; Examined and approved this 21 day of January 1980

*Thomas H. Hultman* Auditor Fulton County

*John Bowen* Treasurer Fulton County

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

*Fred J. Brown*  
*Clayton W. Brown*  
*George Craig*

## Jabberwocky

By Diana Streevey Bucher

Many thanks for the suggestions I received on how to remove the tags off my appliances and fixtures. I'm happy to report the cures worked and my home is now sticker-free. Among the things suggested to me were vegetable oil, lighter fluid, alcohol (the rubbing variety), and turpentine.

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This is a depressing week for me. On Saturday I face another birthday. Birthday's weren't so bad until last year, when they quit carding me to go into R-rated movies. I'm beginning to feel very tree-ish; you can tell my age by counting the laugh lines around my eyes.

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This year looks exciting as we line up our candidates for national office. The Iowa Caucus determined the Iowan Democrats support President Carter, while the Iowan Republicans chose George Bush by a narrow margin over Ronald Reagan. If you're eligible to vote but aren't registered yet, I urge you to find out who your local committee people are. With things the way they are today, we should all exercise our right to vote.

## Calendar

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 24

There will be an Outreach worker at the Henry Township Trustees office and at the Lions Den in Akron to take applications for the Home insulation program.

### MONDAY, JANUARY 28

The Fulton County Republican Women's Club will meet at the Fulton County Civic Center cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. There will be a business meeting and an installation of officers for 1980-81. Anyone is welcome to attend. Rochester Township is the hostess for the evening.

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 27

The Fulton County Historical Society will meet at 2 p.m. in the Civic Center museum, 7th & Pontiac, Rochester, to hear a history of dolls and see the doll collection of Lucy Watts, Rochester. The Board of Directors will meet at 1 p.m. The public is welcome and refreshments will be served.

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 31

Cub Pack No. 3245 will meet at the Akron Lions Den at 7 p.m. The meeting will be a Blue and Gold Banquet celebrating the 50th anniversary of Cub Scouting.

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## Couple honored 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hammond were honored Sunday at their home by their children with a carry-in dinner for their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. Hammond and the former Annabelle Shriver were married

January 18, 1930 in Rochester.

They are the parents of five children, James of Akron; Arlene Cole, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Gladys Hight, Peru; Marla Miller, Bremen; and Bud, No. Manchester. They have fifteen grandchildren and

eight great-grandchildren.

Present were James Hammond and Bonnie Sophor of Akron, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hammond and family, No. Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hight, Peru, Marla Miller and family, Lori Bennett, and Isabell Hurley of Bremen.



Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hammond

## Mentone library has Erma's new book

New books received at the Bell Memorial Public Library include the following:

**THE FANNIE FARMER COOK-BOOK.** New revised 12th edition contains more than 1800 recipes, representing the best in American cooking, including the most outstanding recipes from previous editions, lost treasures, and superb new delights.

**THE WALKER IN SHADOWS** by Barbara Michaels. A novel of romance and overpowering suspense with a desperate race against re-

lentless evil forces to unearth the secrets of ancient twin houses.

**MARVELLA: A PERSONAL JOURNEY** by Marvella Bayh. The story of an extraordinary woman whose sensitivity, intelligence and religious faith sustained her to the end of her life.

**PROVENANCE** by Frank McDonald. "Provenance" - the origin of the source - of an object or painting. This word takes on a more personal and sinister meaning for Alex Drach, a specialist in recovering

stolen works of art, when a series of mysterious events link an ex-Nazi, a dead man, and a high-priced call girl, to the awesome catacombs of Rome.

**AUNT ERMA'S COPE BOOK** by Erma Bombeck. How to get from Monday to Friday in 12 days.

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CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION (Including Domestic Subsidiaries)			
LEGAL TITLE OF BANK Akron Exchange State Bank			
CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE
AKRON	PULTON	INDIANA	46910
STATE BANK NO.	FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO.	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
651	7	December 31, 1979	
ASSETS			
1. Cash and due from depository institutions		MR.	THRU
2. U.S. Treasury securities		1980	1979
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		2,729	2,729
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States		2,501	2,501
5. All other securities		331	331
6. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		290	290
a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)		14,987	14,987
b. Less: allowance for possible loan losses		182	182
c. Loans, Net		14,805	14,805
8. Lease financing receivables		14	14
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures and other assets representing bank premises		582	582
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises		24	24
11. All other assets		454	454
12. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 11)		24,014	24,014
LIABILITIES			
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		13,286	13,286
14. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		15,418	15,418
15. Deposits of United States Government		2,222	2,222
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States		2,094	2,094
17. All other deposits		1,385	1,385
18. Certified and officers' checks		22	22
19. Total Deposits (sum of items 13 thru 18)		5,144	5,144
a. Total demand deposits		16,222	16,222
b. Total time and savings deposits		670	670
20. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		63	63
21. Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued in the U.S. Treasury and other facilities for borrowed money		200	200
22. Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases		500	500
23. All other liabilities		23,162	23,162
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (including subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 19 thru 23)		24,014	24,014
EQUITY CAPITAL			
25. Preferred stock		0	0
26. Common Stock		0	0
27. Surplus		0	0
28. Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		0	0
29. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 25 thru 28)		0	0
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 24, 29 and 30)		24,014	24,014
MEMORANDA			
1. Amounts outstanding as of report date			
a. Standby letters of credit total			
b. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more			
c. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more			
d. Average or 30 calendar days (or calendar months) ending with report date			
e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 19 above)			
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer and attested to by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.			
We, the undersigned officers, certify that the Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT			
DATE SIGNED			
We, the undersigned directors, certify the correctness of the Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformity with the instructions and to the best of our knowledge.			
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR			
DATE SIGNED			
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR			
DATE SIGNED			



### Look Who's Here

David Martin Balmer

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Balmer, R. 1, Mentone, are the parents of a eight pound, three ounce son, David Martin, born January 17 at the Kosciusko Community Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Balmer, Akron, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Rochester.

Great-grandparents are Ford Perry, Bourbon, Elsie Hemlinger, Bremen, Ida Belle Travis, Rochester, and Esther Smith, Macy.

### Couple announces engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kamp, R. 1, Akron, and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Powell, R. 2, Macy, have announced the engagement of their children, Rebecca Sue and Mark Alan Powell.

Miss Kamp is a mid-term 1980 graduate of Tiptoncanoe Valley High School. The prospective bride-groom graduated from TVHS in 1977 and is employed with Smiley Construction in Rochester and also farms.

A February 23, 1980 wedding is planned at the Pleasant Hill Church.

### Claypool girl in contest

The Miss Indiana Holstein Dairy Princess Contest will be held January 25, 1980 during the 1980 Indiana State Holstein Convention at Stouffer's Inn in Indianapolis. Contestants for the contest include: Jane Berby, LaPorte; Tammy Bockelman, Larwill; Darlene Hathaway, Claypool; Kris Ingram, Boonville; Sharon Jackle, Jasper; Lois Michel, Ft. Branch; Pansy Miller, Grandview; Barb Newman, Culver; LuAnn Powlen, Kewanna; and Linda Spaid, Walkerton.

Each contestant will be interviewed by the judges and will give an oral presentation during a luncheon on January 25 at Stouffer's Inn. Judging will be based on beauty, neatness, personality, poise, the interview, oral presentation and extemporaneous questions. The new princess selected will be responsible for promotion of the Holstein Dairy Breed and the Dairy Industry in Indiana. She will also represent the Holstein Association in the 1980 State Fair Dairy Princess Contest.

### Beaver Dam 4-H Club elects new officers

Kris Hile, reporter

The meeting of the Beaver Dam Ag. 4-H Club was called to order by Maxine Weller, and devotions was presented by Kris Hile. The pledges were lead by Brian and Craig Adams. Health and Safety was given by Michael Walters.

Treasurer's report was given by Lisa Walters, and business was discussed. The club donated \$100 to the Beaver Dam Church. Refreshments were served by Jay Feldman.

The new officers for 1980 are, Maxine Weller, president; Brian Adams, vice-president; Tami Hile, secretary; Mark Quinlin, assistant secretary; Lisa Walters, treasurer; Melanie Jones, assistant treasurer; Mike Walters, health and safety; Craig Adams, assistant health and safety; Mike Quinlin, devotions; Chan Tucker, assistant devotions;

Jerry Cumberland, songs; Ginger Highway, recreations; Lori Quinlin, assistant recreations; Jay Feldman, refreshments; Elizabeth Walters, Assistant refreshments; Kris Hile, reporter; and Jack Sisk, assistant reporter.

### Mentone Meals on Wheels

The Mentone Meals on Wheels drivers for the week of January 28-February 1 are as follows: MONDAY: Lu Teel, TUESDAY: Mary Manwaring, WEDNESDAY: Fay and Carol Whetstone, THURSDAY: Elaine Fugate, and FRIDAY: Helen Good.

### A SPECIAL "THANK YOU"

To all our wonderful family and friends who, with their help, their cards, their presents, made our 50th Wedding Anniversary the great milestone that it was, we give our heartfelt thanks. May God richly bless every individual who remembered us on this occasion.

-Doris & Fred Haney



Thomas Jefferson suggested the invention of the stop watch for making astronomical observations.

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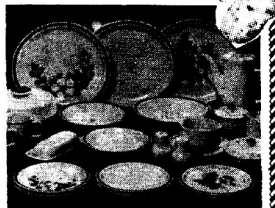
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# TVHS announces nine week honor roll

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10 sheets MOSS GREEN PALISADE	10.75	75.00
4 sheets RIVIERA WALNUT	17.95	45.00
3 sheets BLUE MIST	10.75	20.00
3 sheets 5/8 REVERSE BATTEN REDWOOD	24.00	40.00
4 sheets COLCHESTER CHERRY	24.00	60.00
2 sheets CABINET BIRCH HARDBOARD	11.50	15.00

Regular	Lot
Price Ea.	Price
24 sheets BANDSAWN CEDAR BUCKSKIN	12.75
23 sheets VENETIAN BLUE HICKORY	11.95
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Freshmen: High Honor Roll: Kelly Fitzpatrick. Honor Roll: Susan Alford, Angi Blackburn, Elizabeth Bornmann, Katrina Bush, Chuck Cullison, Neil Felts, Don Flenar, Jerry Goshert, Felicia Harrell, Dorothy Hathaway, Angie Hurd, Jerry Kindig, Marilyn King, Mark Kline, Cooper Krajewski, Pat Lafferty, Lisa Potter, Eddie Rose, Tamberil Rowland, Penny Sausaman, Penny Secrist, Brian Severns, Michael Shoemaker, Jed Smith, Brad Thompson, Laura Unzicker, Jeff Webb, Trena Williams, Melinda Yeager.

Sophomores: High Honor Roll: Lanette Hanes, David Jones, Kathleen King, Elsie Nyenhuis, Paula Shireman. Honor Roll: Sarah Baker, Jeff Boggs, Carleen Clamplitt, Doug Dickerhoff, Christine Duncan, Stephanie Farner, Jill Fites, Richard Goshert, Keith Haney, Brent Hoffman, Jerry Katz, Angela Keirn, Luann Knoop, Rex Laughlin, Janet Long, Gilbert Martens, Vicki Mattix, Lori Miller, Scott Miller, Sally Miner, Todd Peterson, Aimee Robinson, Ronda Russell, Todd Stokes, John Strong, Miles Thompson, Kathy Vogel, Teresa Weirick.

Juniors: High Honor Roll: Brett Cumberland, Charles Sheetz, Diane Hathaway. Honor Roll: Teresa Bazini, Jackie Brown, John Dorsey, Sandy Dunnuck, Marilyn Earl, June Ferguson, Beth Fugate, Lynn Fuller, Rebecca Haywood, Cheryl Howard, Tim Meadows, Donita Merley, Paula Ooley, Jerry Parker, Chris Peterson, Lou Ann Pyle, Chris Schwenk, Dawn Slone, John Stewart, Shelly Stokes, Sheryl Stokes, Tami Walgamuth, Darla Weaver, Mark Yates, Pam Zimmerman.

Seniors: High Honor Roll: Greg Blackburn, Kollene Bush, Janice Good, Kenneth Goodman, Crystal McConkey, Christine Rhodes, Steve Stamberger, Sharon Surface. Honor Roll: Tim Alspaugh, Jay Anderson, Todd Anglin, Karen Bartram, Deb Bollhoefer, Colleen Boyer, Sandy Brown, Stacy Burke, Brenda Burkett, David Cook, Mike Coplen, Greg Cumberland, Paige Cumberland, Becky Fisher, Sue Gall, Christie Gross, Theresa Goshert, Darlene Hathaway, Bruce Hill, Daphne Kepingler, Penny Kelly, Chris Kindig, Ann Kline, Norma Knoop, Joel Mathias, Kim McCloughan, Tonia Morris, Kim Nelson, David Newlin, Becky Perry, Cheryl Powell, Bill Ramsey, Tamara Reed, David Rhodes, Brad Romine, Kathy Runnells, Jackie Secrist, Ricky Sitts, Joel Smith, Johnna Stavedahl, Marsha Stayer, James Swihart, Lynn Utter, Breck Walls, Lisa Whitaker.

Dickerhoff named  
alternate director  
of association

Richard Dickerhoff, owner of Dickerhoff Trucking, Mentone, is representing the Indiana Motor Truck Association during 1980 as an alternate director to the American Trucking Associations.

Dickerhoff was elected during IMTA's 48th annual convention last September for the term that began January 1. He has 28 years experience in the trucking industry.

IMTA represents management of trucking companies, private carriers, and allied industry firms.

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Mrs. Elmer Hammond is in stable condition and will remain at South Bend Memorial Hospital for treatments.

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## Akron Scouts in district winter camp-out

Eleven Boy Scout Troups of the Chief Logan District gathered Saturday, January 12, 1980, at Camp Buffalo for the Annual Winter Event. Patrols competed against one another in events concerning lashing, distance estimation, compass reading, problem solving, and ice rescue.

Event Chairman Carl Cain announced that the winning patrol was the Badger Patrol of Troop 250, Walton American Legion. Second place went to the Raccoon Patrol of Troop 213, Logansport American Legion while Third place was a tie between the Bear Patrol of Troop 203, Logansport Market Street United Methodist Church and the Red Fox patrol of Troop 291, Izaak Walton League.

221, Izaak Walton League.  
Several troops camped overnight, earning the Freeze-Out Award. They were 202, Logansport Main St. U.M.Church; 215, Onward Christian Church; 227, St. Vincent's Catholic Church; 229, Rochester Kiwanis Club; 229, Winamac Kiwanis Club; 245, Akron Lions; and 247, Lake Cicott. Also participating was Troop 207, Logan-

Over one hundred Scouts and Scouters participated in the event.

Olive Bethel  
News

Mrs. George Sheetz and Mrs. David Sheetz attended the United Methodist Women's Soup Day Tuesday at the Akron church annex.

Mrs. Fred Keesey and Mrs. Neva Stackhouse spent Thursday afternoon with Bonnie Garber of No. Manchester.

Mrs. Mike Hall and Mickey, Wabash, spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen.

Georgia Gagnon visited Mrs. David Sheetz and children Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Safford and daughters, Culver, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Safford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey spent Sunday afternoon with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baber, Denver. Jessie Leonard, Rochester, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Omer Leininger.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rose, Beth and Brenda spent Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey visited Mrs. Peggy Curtis and Howard Kern at Woodlawn Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hott of Kewanna.

*Taken from the January 28,  
1953 issue of The Northern Indiana  
Co-Op News:*

Mr. and Mrs. Max Smith entertained with a farewell supper on Wednesday evening for their son and wife, Cpl. and Mrs. Robert C. Smith and daughter Sara Jo and Lt. Thurman Dennis of Berlin, Maryland who left Thursday morning for Oceanside, California, having spent the past 23 days visiting their respective parents. Lt. Dennis arrived in Mentone on Monday to accompany the Smiths back to the Marine base at Oceanside.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary, Unit No. 425, met at the Legion home Tuesday evening for their regular business meeting. Before the business session was

Las Donas met,  
appoint  
photographer

The Las Donas Club appointed a photographer for the club at the recent meeting, Melea Dittmas was appointed. We also started a scrap book, Merilee Fall and Kim Robinson are to be in charge of it.

We discussed our visit to the nursing home, we are planning to take cookies and some items they might need.

Remember our next meeting will be Jan. 28 at the home of Debbie

—Terry Grogg

# It Happened In Mentone

held, the unit held a very impressive initiation ceremony. Mrs. Dorothy Schudorick, Mrs. Marie Coleman and Mrs. Velma Horn were initiated into the unit.

Over one hundred students and teachers and their families enjoyed a pot luck supper and program given in honor of Mrs. Elwyn Weiss, new agriculture teacher at Mentone School. The affair was planned and carried out by members of the Student Council. The program consisted of three selec-

tions by the "Grusome Twosome" trombone duet, Charles Urschel and Jim Cullum. A clever skit "Rip Van Winkle" was presented by a group of students with Sheila Fitzgerald the narrator. The teachers came back with an impromptu creation "The News" with Miss Nell Herriman the hard driving editor. June Romine played several numbers on the accordion. Mr. Weiss spoke briefly, expressing his pleasure in becoming a member of the school.

## Summit News

The Summit Club met Tuesday, January 8th with Jean Stout. The meeting was called to order by Mildred Klein. After the business contests were given those in attendance. Contests were won by Jane Eckrich and Mary Buck. Betty Schipper was the lucky lady. Refreshments were served to Lottie Bammerlin and Betsy. Ruth Bammerlin, Mary Buck, Jane Eckrich and Brig, Vera Butt, Mildred Klein, Ruth Hileman, Betty Schipper, Ruth Kroft and Gladys Kroft.

Ruth Bammerlin and Vera Butt spent Thursday afternoon in No. Manchester where they called on Mrs. Randy Oldfather and Sara. Elizabeth Walters spent last Friday night with Beth Bammerlin helping her celebrate her eleventh birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kroft visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fisher of Wabash recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rensberger and Lori and Mrs. Earl Butt attended the second birthday party for Sara Oldfather at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Oldfather near Laketon, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Klein called on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Klein Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Klein visited with Mrs. Ella Morris Thursday afternoon.

Thelma Kanouse spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stout and daughters.

Ruth Bammerlin and Vera Butt attended the 50th anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haney at the Beaver Dam Church Sunday afternoon.

Maxine Fisher, Wabash, spent Monday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fites visited with Ruth Bammerlin Sunday evening.

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# Church News

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**AKRON CHURCH OF GOD, James F. Hall, pastor; Myron Kissner, asso. pastor; Larry Klein, supt.; Judith Hill, asst. supt.**  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.  
**ACTIVITIES:**  
Tues., Jan. 22 - Women's Bible Study, 1:30 p.m.  
Wed., Jan. 23 - Women's Prayer Hour, 9 a.m.  
Thurs., Jan. 24 - Mid-week Service, 7 p.m.; Called Business Meeting, Choir practice, 8:05 p.m.

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**OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD**  
Hazel Comer, pastor; Mike Reed, supt.; Minnie Ellison, asst. supt.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer Group: 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.  
Thursday Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

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**AKRON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Gary D. Irey, pastor; John York, lay leader.**  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

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**MENTONE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Charlie Jones, Youth director.**  
Rev. Kenneth Marken, Pastor.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Training Hour: 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service: 7:30 p.m.  
Tues., AWANA at 6:30 p.m.  
Thurs., Bible Study and Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. - Choir rehearsal at 8:30 p.m.

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**BEAVER DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Worship Services: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:25 a.m.  
Thursday: Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.  
We have classes for ages and a hearty welcome to all people. Visitors welcome always to all services.

**Harold Ulrey, Pastor.** He has just moved to Akron for his home and can be reached at all times. Phone 893-4118.

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**AKRON CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN, Harold Miller, minister.**  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Church: 10:30 a.m.  
Choir rehearsals Thurs., evening.

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**MENTONE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, Rev. Robert Mangan, pastor; Thomas W. Harnan, co-pastor.**  
Sunday afternoon: 4 p.m.  
Tuesday evening: 7:30 p.m.  
Everyone welcome.

**Services held in the new hardware building in Atwood.**

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**MENTONE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, E. R. Heckman, minister**  
Paul Halst, lay leader; Dr. Wymond Wilson, Ad. Board chairman.  
Worship: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.  
YF: 5:30 p.m.

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**BURKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Don Poyser, pastor; Vernon Meredith, supt.; Dennis Burch, asst. supt.**  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Church: 10:30 a.m.

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**OMEGA CHURCH, Lee Stubblefield, pastor; Emerson Burns, supt.**  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Communion service following.  
Youth Meeting: The group will go cross-country skiing at Potatoe Creek, if there is snow. Meet at Harlors at 1 p.m.  
Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.

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**NTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Jilly Steele, minister.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship and Communion: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday Evening: 7:30 p.m.  
Monday - Childrens Bible Story hour, 3:45.  
Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class, 1:30 p.m.

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**SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD, Fred Landolt, minister; Richard Hoffman, supt.; Joe French, asst. supt.**  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service: 7:30 p.m.  
Thurs. & Fr. CGV: 6:30 p.m.  
Thurs., Prayer Service: 7:30 p.m.



## the side lines by Vern Hucks

The Chambers of Commerce from Mentone and Akron are scheduled to meet to discuss the possibility of "State Champ" signs for our area. Signs are being considered for towns encompassed in the Tippecanoe Valley School District.

For those of you who have missed seeing former Valley star basketball player Eric Alspaugh in action, here's your chance. Alspaugh has transferred from Valdosta State in Georgia to Bethel College here in Indiana and will be eligible to play in Bethel's January 31 game with Grace College in Winona Lake.



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## 1979 Franklin Township Financial Report

### Kosciusko County

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE'S REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1979

#### FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP, KOSCIUSKO COUNTY

FUNDS	Balance Jan. 1	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance Dec. 31
Township	3350.58	3927.90	3810.45	3468.03
Dog	342.00	298.00	42.00	598.00
Fire Fighting	38.16	3570.78	3214.00	394.94
Library	0	3772.55	3772.55	0
Recreation	264.58	918.94	1050.00	133.52
Revenue Sharing	1.62	4971.19	4859.55	133.26
Rev. Shar. Trust Fund	3089.86	845.00	1439.86	2495.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>7086.80</b>	<b>18304.36</b>	<b>18188.41</b>	<b>7202.75</b>

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS		Source	Amount
<b>TOWNSHIP FUND</b>			
Property Tax	3365.90		
Local Option Tax	562.00		
<b>Total Township Fund</b>	<b>3927.90</b>		
<b>DOG FUND</b>			
Dog Tax	298.00		
<b>Total Dog Fund</b>	<b>298.00</b>		
<b>FIRE FIGHTING FUND</b>			
Property Tax	3570.78		
<b>Total Fire Fighting Fund</b>	<b>3570.78</b>		
<b>LIBRARY FUND</b>			
Property Tax	3772.55		
<b>Total Library Fund</b>	<b>3772.55</b>		
<b>RECREATION FUND</b>			
Property Tax	918.94		
<b>Total Recreation Fund</b>	<b>918.94</b>		
<b>REVENUE SHARING FUND</b>			
Jan., April, July, Oct.	3377.00		
Interest on C.D.s	194.19		
Trans. from Trust Fund	1400.00		
<b>Total Revenue Sharing Fund</b>	<b>4971.19</b>		
<b>REV. SHARING TRUST FUND</b>			
Purchase C.D.	845.00		
<b>Total Rev. Sharing Trust Fund</b>	<b>845.00</b>		
<b>DISBURSEMENTS TOWNSHIP FUND</b>			
Reub Williams & Sons, Inc.	112.22		
Akron/Mentone News	121.75		
Robt. F. Luckiewicz	30.00		
Hardesty Print Shop	27.10		
Business Equip. Co.	5.72		
Audrey Meyers	18.66		
Nichols Cerne, Assn.	200.00		
Minnie Smalley	200.00		
Linda Tucker	410.00		
William Balmer	145.00		
<b>Total</b>	<b>1439.86</b>		
<b>DISBURSEMENTS RECREATION FUND</b>			
Dorris Harrold	300.00		
Carol Sisk	400.00		
Mentone Little League	150.00		
<b>Total</b>	<b>1050.00</b>		
<b>DISBURSEMENTS REVENUE SHARING FUND</b>			
Beaver Dam Comm. Corp.	2000.00		
Tri-Township Fire Dept.	2000.00		
Farmers State Bank	845.00		
Reub Williams & Sons, Inc.	8.11		
Akron/Mentone News	6.44		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4859.55</b>		
<b>DISBURSEMENTS REV. SHARING TRUST FUND</b>			
Transferred to Rev. Shar.	1400.00		
Int. transferred - R. Shar.	39.86		
<b>Total</b>	<b>1439.86</b>		

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and disbursements of the above named township; that a complete and detailed annual report together with all accompanying vouchers showing the names of persons having been paid money by the township has been filed as required by law in the office of the county auditor, and that a copy of such annual report is in custody of the chairman of the township advisory board. Said report is subject to inspection by any taxpayer of the township.

Donald Smalley  
Trustee

Improve record to now 8-4

## Valley Vikings take two

Despite the temporary loss of the teams leading scorer, the Tippecanoe Valley Vikings came out on top in both of their two week-end games.

Scott Tilden, playing with pain, came through nonetheless scoring 20 points to lead Valley over Triton 62-54 on Friday night. Tilden had scored nine points in Saturday's contest with Maconaquah before a collision under the defensive board left him on the floor.

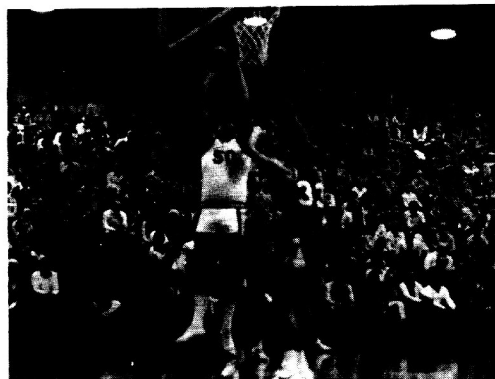
According to Valley coach Roger Fleetwood, Tilden had experienced problems on Friday due to a recurrence of a pre-season bout with tendonitis. While muscling for a defensive rebound against Maconaquah, Tilden cracked his sore knee against the knee of a Brave, fell, and struck the same knee on the floor. Tilden had returned to school on Tuesday but his status for this weeks game is questionable.

The Triton Trojans came out smoking and hit their first five shots to put Valley in the hole early. Triton held a 17-5 lead at one point but the Vikes closed the gap to 17-10 at the end of the first quarter.

Fleetwood gives Greg Utter credit for turning Valley around. Utter, plagued with the flu, came off the bench to pull down two rebounds and dish out two assists as the Vikings began to close the gap.

Valley caught fire in the second quarter, putting 24 points on the board to tie the Trojans 34 all at the half.

Six straight Viking points to start the third period sealed Tritons fate



BRENT ARVEN cans two of his 14 points against Maconaquah.

as Valley coasted on to an eight point margin of victory.

In addition to Tilden, Valley placed three other players in double figures. Jeff Murphy and Rex Holway each scored 12 while Chris Kindig added 11.

When the Vikes returned home on Saturday, Brent Arven responded well to his starting assignment and pumped in 14 points as Valley knocked off Maconaquah. Arven shot 5 for 5 from the field and 4 for 4 from the charity stripe as well as showing exceptional hustle defensively.

The entire Valley team played outstanding defense as they held the Braves to only 64 points, 21 below their season's average.

Senior center Mike Coplen came off the bench to pour in 24 points to lead all scorers. Chris Kindig was in double figures for the second time in as many nights as he added 10.

Fleetwood was pleased with Valley's victory over Maconaquah as he rates them "in the top four on our schedule as far as talent."

The Braves employed three different presses that gave Valley problems until late in the game. Despite heavy pressure, the Vikes did not give up the ball on a 10-second charge and had only a few bad passes.

Valley's next home challenge will come Friday night when the Manchester Squires are scheduled in a TRC clash.

# JANUARY ZINGERS FROM ZENITH

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## Upcoming Sports

<b>January 24</b>		
Valley (Freshman BB) vs. Culver at TVHS	6:30	
Valley (Girls BB) vs. Triton at Triton	6:30	
Valley (Gymnastics) vs. Elkhart Central at TVHS	6:30	
Mentone (8th A & B) vs. No. Webster at Mentone	6:00	
Mentone (7th A & B) vs. No. Webster at NW	6:00	
<b>January 25</b>		
Valley (BB) vs. Manchester at TVHS	6:30	
<b>January 26</b>		
Akron (Boys) Tourney (Akron, Rochester, Mentone, Pierceton) at Akron	8:30 a.m.	
Valley (Freshmen BB) JV tourney at Warsaw	9:00 a.m.	
Valley (wrestling) TRC tourney at Southwood		
<b>January 28</b>		
Valley (Swimming) vs. Knox at TVHS	7:00	
Valley (Freshmen BB) vs. No. Miami at N.M.	6:30	
Akron (6th BB) vs. Mentone at Akron	4:15	
<b>January 29</b>		
Akron 8th Boys & Girls Tourney	6:00	
Valley (Gymnastics) vs. Plymouth at Plymouth	6:30	
Valley (Wrestling) vs. Winamac at TVHS	6:30	
<b>January 31</b>		
Akron (7th & 8th B) vs. Manchester at Akron	4:00	
Mentone (Girls BB) vs. Pierceton at Mentone	4:15	

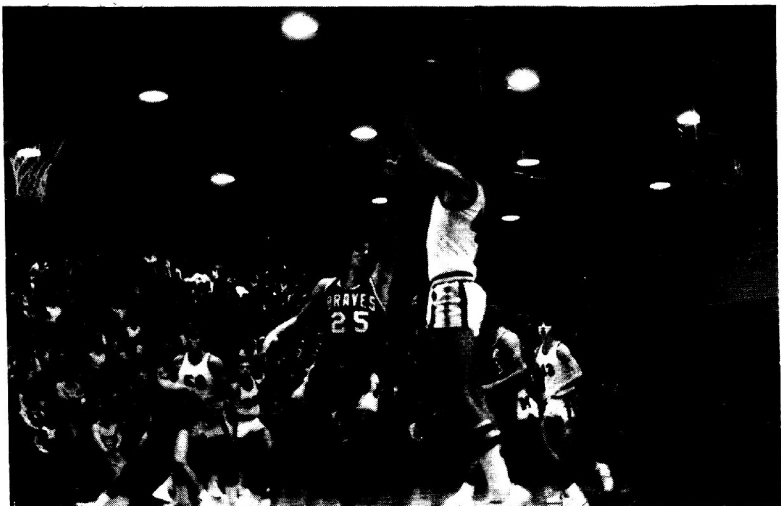
## Valley dunks N. Judson

The swim team of Tippecanoe Valley dunked North Judson 92-80 January 15, in a home meet which saw two TVHS records broken.

Valley's Joe Harter scored a new school record in the 100-yard free style and won the 50-yard

free style event with a time of 25.0.

Brett Cumberland captured first place in the 200-medley with another TVHS record time of 2:23.2. Valley's Dave Reuter won the 200 and 500 free style events.



JOHN DORSEY GOES up to launch a long shot from the corner during last Saturday's contest with the Braves of Maconaquah. Valley had a good week-end, winning games from both Triton and Maconaquah.

## Dick Geiger Jr. now managing baseball

A former Akron man, Dick Geiger Jr. recently opened the Boca Raton-Fort Lauderdale Baseball School in Florida.

Geiger graduated from Akron High School in 1971 and is now Assistant General Manager of the baseball school.

The school is operated 30 weeks each year and is the largest school of its kind in the country.

Among the famous baseball players on Geiger's staff are: former Chicago Cub great Ernie Banks; Mike Ferraro, New York Yankee third base coach; and Jack Hiatt, manager of the Cubs Triple-A Team.

## Auditions scheduled

The Fulton County Players will hold auditions for the spring production of Richard Nash's romantic comedy, "The Rainmaker", January 29, and 30, at 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the Rochester Civic Center, at 7th and Pontiac Streets.

Director Ted Denton states that there are 6 male parts, and 1 female part, and although the cast is small, people interested in working backstage, on make-up, costumes, helping with set construction and decoration, etc., are also asked to come to auditions.

The show will be presented March 27, 18 and 29 at 8 p.m. in the Rochester High School Auditorium.

## Public Notice

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF PROPOSED APPROPRIATIONS**  
Notice is hereby given the taxpayers of Burket Civil Town, Kosciusko County, Indiana, that the proper legal officers of said municipal corporation at their regular meeting place at 7 o'clock p.m., on 11th day of February, 1980, will consider the following appropriations for the budget for the current year.

<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	
Salary of Town Trustees	\$ 450.00
Salary of Clerk-Treasurer	600.00
Salary of Marshal	700.00
Compensation of Town Attorney	300.00
Compensation of Firemen	1000.00
Other Compensation (misc)	500.00
Services Contractual	2200.00
Supplies	300.00
Current Charges	925.00
<b>TOTAL GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>6975.00</b>
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE HIGHWAY FUND</b>	<b>2285.00</b>
<b>LOCAL ROAD AND STREET FUND</b>	<b>1500.00</b>
<b>CUMULATIVE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND</b>	<b>2225.00</b>
<b>REVENUE SHARING FUND</b>	<b>1680.00</b>

Taxpayers appearing at such meeting shall have a right to be heard thereon. The appropriations as finally made will be referred to the State Board of Tax Commissioners, which Board, upon receipt, will hold a further hearing within fifteen days at the county auditor's office of said county, or at such other place as may be designated. At such hearing taxpayers objecting to any of such appropriations may be heard. Interested taxpayers may inquire of the county Auditor when and where such hearing will be held.

Suzannah Kuhn  
Clerk-Treasurer

1/24/80

## 1979 Harrison Township Financial Report

### KOSCIUSKO COUNTY

#### TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE'S REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1979

##### HARRISON TOWNSHIP, KOSCIUSKO COUNTY

FUNDS	Jan. 1	5,527.48	6,941.81	Dec. 31	4,121.82
Township	5,536.15				
Dog	410.00		608.00		572.00
Fire Fighting	4,108.67	4,191.16	4,438.00		3,861.83
Civil Twp. Bond Fund	260.97				269.97
Recreation	76.48				76.48
Library	1,381.46	3,783.16	2,800.00		2,364.62
Revenue Sharing	15,156.64	9,681.00	13,654.53		11,183.11
Antirecession	1,133.00				133.00

**TOTALS** 27,072.37 23,952.80 28,442.04 22,582.83

<b>DETAIL OF RECEIPTS</b>	
Source	Amount
TOWNSHIP FUND	
Property Tax	4428.48
Local Option Tax	1099.00
<b>Total Township Fund</b>	<b>5527.48</b>
<b>DOG FUND</b>	
Dog Tax	488.00
Surplus from County	32.00
1978-79 fund	250.00
David Mikel-refund	250.00

<b>Total Dog Fund</b>	<b>770.00</b>
<b>FIRE FIGHTING FUND</b>	
Property Tax	4191.16

<b>Total Fire Fighting Fund</b>	<b>4191.16</b>
<b>LIBRARY FUND</b>	
Property Tax	3783.16

<b>Total</b>	<b>3783.16</b>
<b>REVENUE SHARING FUND</b>	
Jan. Dist.	2360.00
April Dist.	2360.00
July Dist. & reimbursement	2598.00
Oct. Dist.	2363.00

<b>Total</b>	<b>9681.00</b>
<b>DISBURSEMENTS TOWNSHIP FUND</b>	
Hammer Ins. Agency	64.00
General Tele. Co.	235.20
Ind. Twp. Trustees	50.00
Asm.	91.87
Audrey Meyers	120.13
Warsaw Times-Union	107.46
Akron/Mentone News	180.00
Atwood Post Off.	353.30
Pub. Emp. Ret. Fund	76.16
Riverside Graphics	150.00
Forst Dunnuck	6.00
Monteith Tire	80.00
Boggs & Nelson	14.38
Ins. Agency	50.00
Warsaw Off. Supply	50.00
Atwood American	50.00
Legion Aux.	104.55
Kenneth Boggs	
Hoffman Simplicity	

<b>Total</b>	<b>1631.99</b>
<b>REVENUE SHARING</b>	
Atwood Vol. Fire Dept.	2825.00
Norm's Farm & Garden Supply	156.75
Warsaw Off. Supply	293.61
Mentone Tri-Twp. Fire Control	5157.82
Bel Memorial Library	2200.00
Linda Stroup	225.00
Steve & Lenore Lewis	300.00
Beverly Clappitt	300.00
Connie Haney	375.00
Mentone Youth League	500.00
Bob Swanson	60.00
Chester L. Clappitt Sr.	583.00
Safe Way Door	451.50
Lectrom, Inc.	226.85

<b>Total</b>	<b>13,654.53</b>
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Chester Clappitt Jr.  
Trustee

## 1979 Newcastle Township Financial Report

### Fulton County

#### TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE'S REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1979

##### NEWCASTLE TOWNSHIP

###### ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

FUND	Balance Jan. 1	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance Dec. 31
Township	1631.89	6404.69	6528.85	1507.73
Dog	439.00	301.00	630.00	110.00
Recreation	289.50	.00	200.00	89.50
Revenue	1359.59	1697.00	2000.10	1056.49
Community Bldg.	.00	719.20	654.54	64.66
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 3719.98</b>	<b>\$ 9121.89</b>	<b>\$ 10013.49</b>	<b>\$ 2828.38</b>

DEPOSITORY STATEMENT AND CASH RECONCILIEMENT  
Cash in banks: 1st Nat. Bank, Rochester, Ind. 16975

**TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND CASH IN BANKS** \$ 1750.17  
Add: Deposits in transit December 31

**TOTAL** 4788.93  
Deduct: Outstanding warrant-checks December 31

**1960.55**  
**BALANCE** 2828.38

<b>SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS</b>	
TOWNSHIP FUND	
Property Tax	5405.12
License Excise Tax	999.57
	6404.69

<b>DOG FUND</b>	
Dog Tax Collected	301.00

<b>REVENUE SHARING</b>	
Federal Government	1697.00

<b>COMMUNITY BUILDING</b>	
Donations & Rent	719.20

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9121.89</b>
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<b>PAY OF TRUSTEE, RENT, CLERICAL HELP, TRAVEL &amp; EXPENSE</b>	
Lyman F. Dawson	1638.00
Doris M. Dawson	270.00

<b>BOOKS, STATIONARY, PRINTING &amp; ADVERTISING</b>	
The Book Store	32.95
Lease Office Supplies	9.27
Rochester Sentinel	61.15
Dave Burkett	6.10
Mentone Post Office	28.00
Leonard Supply	121.81
Mentone/Akron News	30.72

<b>CARE OF CEMETERIES</b>	
Willard Sheetz	300.00
Calvin Green	400.00
Merle McGowan	225.00
George Craig	225.00
The Book Store	9.64
Mentone Post Office	15.00

<b>FIRE PROTECTION</b>	
Tri Township	2258.00

<b>RECREATION FUND</b>	
Kessler Hardware	16.40
Willard Shortz	50.00
NIPSCO	34.79
Rochester Glass Co.	12.50
Millers Hardware	32.34
Thermogas	53.97

<b>DOG FUND</b>	
Don Craig	630.00

<b>COMMUNITY BUILDING</b>	
Smith Sawyer & Smith	627.00
Thermogas	27.54

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Willard Shortz	50.00
NIPSCO	34.79
Rochester Glass Co.	12.50
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Lyman Dawson  
Trustee

## Church group discuss new year projects

The Women's Fellowship of the Akron Church of the Brethren met in the home of Edna Mae Shewman for the January meeting. Betty Meredith, new president, opened the meeting with a poem, and discussed the district projects for the coming year.

Arlene Gearhart led devotions using the theme, "Working Willingly," and gave the closing prayer. Lavon Mark reviewed several books the group will be reading. Get well cards were signed. The remainder of the evening was spent rolling bandages and cutting out dresses. Refreshments

### Akron Item

Esther Fenstermaker and Mildred Harper went with the Fulton County bus going to the Birch Bayh birthday party on Friday, January 18.



One legend places the Garden of Eden between the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers in today's Iraq.

were served at the close of the meeting.

## Sorority initiates member

Beta Epsilon chapter of Psi Iota Xi started the new year by initiating Penny Jones into its chapter. The service was held at the Mentone United Methodist Church with Peg Eaton conducting. Seventeen members were present to welcome Penny into the group.

Following the service a business meeting was held. Discussion centered around the success of the candy and cheeseball sales and the senior citizen dinner held Dec. 22. Several thank you notes were read from those attending expressing their thanks for a wonderful time.

Hostesses for the meeting were Barb Riner and Jeanette Mollenhour.

Next month's meeting will be Feb. 5th with Bernice Jones as hostess.

## School Lunches

### Mentone

The Mentone School lunch menu for the week of January 28-February 1 is as follows:

MONDAY: Beef stew, cottage cheese, pineapple, peanut butter squares.

TUESDAY: Taco, tator tots, pears.

WEDNESDAY: Turkey & noodles, mashed potato, pea salad, applesauce.

THURSDAY: Submarine sandwich, french fries, green beans, peaches.

FRIDAY: Pizza, buttered corn, mixed fruit.

Bread, butter, milk, carrots and celery served each day. Menu subject to change by the cooks.

### TVHS

The Tippecanoe Valley High School lunch menu for the week of January 28-Feb. 1 is as follows:

MONDAY: Corn dog, tator rounds, green beans, applesauce, peaches.

TUESDAY: Johnny Marzetti, hot roll with butter, buttered peas, cole slaw, jello with topping, pears.

WEDNESDAY: Hot turkey sandwich, rice with brown sugar, lettuce salad, mixed fruit.

THURSDAY: Chili and crackers, cheese slices, peanut butter sandwich, cottage cheese, applesauce.

FRIDAY: Bar-b-que sandwich, chips, buttered corn, do-nut, pineapple.

Celery and carrot sticks, fruit juice and milk served every day. Menus subject to change.

### Akron

The Akron School lunch menu for the week of January 28-February 1 is as follows:

MONDAY: Bar-B-Que sandwich, french fries, baked beans, peaches. TUESDAY: Creamed chicken over biscuits, lettuce salad, applesauce and cookie.

WEDNESDAY: Tacco (Jr. High and 5th grade), grilled cheese (1st-4th grades), potato chips, buttered corn, chocolate pudding.

THURSDAY: Meat loaf, buttered potatoes, green beans, celery and carrot sticks, brownie.

FRIDAY: Lasagne, cole slaw, buttered peas, mixed fruit.

## GOP meet in Kokomo

The Fifth District Republican Women's Club had a meeting recently at the Kings Crown Inn in Kokomo. It was the last meeting for Donna Agness to serve as our president; she had several comments and concerns that she expressed. Nancy Oldham became our new president for 1980-81, and she shared her ideas with us, especially about the election year 1980. Those attending from Fulton County were Phyllis Whitmore, Mary Price (treasurer of Fulton County Republican Women's Club), Kathryn Hartzler (Vice President of the Fulton County Republican Women's Club), and Kaleen Kehoe (President of Fulton County Republican Women's Club).

## Obituaries

### Violet Bartley

Mrs. Violet Bartley, 63, R. 2, Pierceton, died at 1 a.m. Sunday, January 20, 1980, at her residence.

Mrs. Bartley was born November 8, 1916 in Akron to Pete and Lulu Wideman Riley. She had lived in Pierceton for two years. She was married in 1973 to Robert Bartley, who survives.

Surviving with the husband are a daughter, Mrs. Barbara Stokes, San Jose, Cal.; two grandchildren, and the mother, of Akron.

Services were Tuesday, Jan. 22, in the Hauptert Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. Robert Ritter officiating. Burial was in the Akron cemetery.

### Akron War

## Mothers select new hostesses

The Akron Mothers of World War II Inc. met recently in the home of Marilyn Stafford for a luncheon meeting.

The meeting was conducted in Ritualistic form with discussions on the up-coming meetings, district meeting, March 19; Unit meeting, Feb. 11 at Evelyn Hupperts with bingo to be included. Hostesses for the coming year were selected. New officers took over and business was taken care of.

Attending in addition to the above mentioned were Elizabeth Good, Catherine Rudo, Annabelle Hammond, Flossie Drudge, Cora Coplen, Marjorie McColley, Mabel Alderfer, and Esther Fenstermaker.

## 1979 Henry Township Financial Report

### Fulton County

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE'S REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1979

FUNDS	Balance Jan. 1	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance Dec. 31
Township	4200.56	8405.22	7007.76	5598.02
Dog	593.00		863.00	230.00
Fire Fighting		6600.10	7436.26	(836.16)
Fire Loan		1916.92	1900.00	16.92
Revenue Sharing	33.53	3744.00	3732.00	45.53
TOTALS	4827.09	21166.24	20939.02	5054.31

### DETAIL OF RECEIPTS

Source	Amount
TOWNSHIP FUND	
Property Tax	4678.74
Bank, Bldg. & Loan, Cr. Union Tax	76.85
License Excise Tax	815.57
Interest on CD	107.81
Field Examiner Adj	1710.12
Lost Check No. 421	16.13
Cashed Certificate No. 001395	1000.00
TOTAL TOWNSHIP FUND	\$ 8405.22

### DOG FUND

Dog Tax	500.00
TOTAL DOG FUND	500.00

FIRE FIGHTING FUND	
Property Tax	4262.30
License Excise Tax	687.80
Perry Township	1250.00
Franklin Township	400.00
TOTAL FIRE FIGHTING FUND	6600.00

FIRE LOAN FUND	
Property Tax	1652.38
License Excise Tax	264.54
TOTAL FIRE LOAN FUND	1916.92

REVENUE SHARING FUND	
U.S. Treasurer	3744.00
TOTAL REVENUE SHARING FUND	3744.00

DISBURSEMENTS TOWNSHIP FUND	
PAY TRUSTEE - TRAVEL EXP.	
CLERICAL HELP, RENT	
Clair Ellis	3300.00
Ruby Ellis	400.00
Ak. Exchange St. Bk. Rent	420.00

BOOKS, STATIONERY, PRINTING AND ADVERTISING	
The Rochester Sentinel	113.08
Akron/Mentone News	120.56
Harris Drugs	3.57
Audrey Myers	15.45
Leonard Supply Co.	107.15

CARE OF CEMETERIES	
Paul Bowen	100.00

### OTHER TOWNSHIP EXPENSES

Audrey Myers	23.46
Akron Ins. Agency	40.00
Ruth Hillemann	6.00
Post Office	66.16
Gen. Telephone	202.95
State Agency for S.S.	219.23
Akron Ex. St. Bk.	5.00
Leininger Ins. Agency	131.52
Ind. Dept. of Revenue	3.50
Lonzo Meredith	100.00
Fred Ogle	100.00
Robert Runkle	100.00
Murray McCarter	150.00
Jim Lease Off. Supply	164.00
Ind. Trustees Assn.	100.00

DISBURSEMENTS	
Fire Loan Fund	
Akron Ex. St. Bk.	1900.00

DISBURSEMENTS	
Fire Fighting Fund	
Amoco Oil Co.	177.70
Ak. Exc. State Bank	600.00
Tinkey Ins. Agency	1183.00
General Telephone	254.60

Fulton Co. License Branch	10.00
Leininger Ins. Agency	869.65
Equip.	460.00
Ful. Fire & Safety Co.	24.25
Ak. Ins. Agency	222.00
American LaFrance	1053.44
George Stephen	105.50
Mike Stephen	110.00
John Zimmerman	87.50
Ray Doering	96.50
Mike Gearhart	96.50
Ed Hauser	87.50
Duane Hackworth	91.50
Kevin Duzenberry	46.50
Bob Gray	110.00
Field Examiner Adjustment	1710.12

DISBURSEMENTS	
Dog Fund	
Byron VanDoren	60.00
Ronald Hoffman	350.00
Fulton County Treas.	233.00
Joe Shepherd	220.00

DISBURSEMENTS	
Revenue Sharing Fund	
Midwest Fire & Safety Co.	2642.00
Hosier Fire & Safety Co.	1090.00

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Clair Ellis, Trustee

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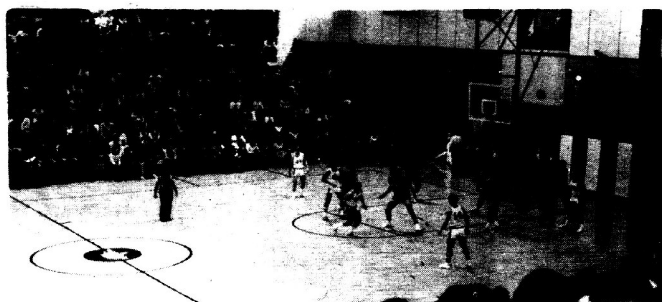
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# The AKRON NEWS MENTONE

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Thursday, January 31, 1980

Combining the AKRON NEWS with the MENTONE NEWS

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## State Legislature honors Valley football team

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating the 1979 Class A State Champion Tippecanoe Valley High School football team.

WHEREAS, The people of Indiana take great pride in the many academic and extracurricular accomplishments of the high school students of their state; and

WHEREAS, On Friday, November 16, 1979, the Tippecanoe Valley High School football team distinguished itself by winning the Indiana High School Athletic Association Class A football championship; and

WHEREAS, The Vikings of Tippecanoe Valley provided Kosciusko County with its first ever boys' state championship team, capping a perfect 13-0 season with a record breaking 44-14 victory in the title game; and

WHEREAS, All-state tailback Tim Alspaugh established five individual state records while amassing 240 yards rushing and scoring 5 touchdowns; and

WHEREAS, Mark Shireman received the Phil Eskew Mental Attitude Award for his sterling performance in the Class A football state championship games - the second Viking in three years to win that award; and

WHEREAS, The Green and Gold defensive line established a state record by allowing only 50 yards rushing and its offensive line was almost impregnable as Vikes' quarterback David Rhodes led his team to a record 437 yards in the final game; and

WHEREAS, Tippecanoe Valley High School coach, Charlie Smith, has proven his ability as a head football coach by guiding his team to a 46-6 five year record highlighted by reaching the state finals in 1977 and the State championship in 1979; and

WHEREAS, All members of the Vikings football squad and coaching staff deserve praise for their outstanding performance and contagious spirit during the entire year. Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF INDIANA, THE SENATE CONCURRING:

SECTION 1. That the General Assembly on behalf of the people of Indiana extends its congratulations to the Tippecanoe Valley High School football team on winning the Indiana High School Athletic Association Class A football championship, to Tim Alspaugh for his outstanding final game, to Mark Shireman for receiving the Phil Eskew Mental Attitude Award, to Charlie Smith its head coach, and to its entire football coaching staff for a job well done.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to Tippecanoe Valley High School Principal Loran Skinner on behalf of the team and coaching staff to Tim Alspaugh, to Mark Shireman, and to Charlie Smith.

## Teacher resigns

## Board appoints three new architect aid committees

by Diana Streevey Bucher

The Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation Board met in open meeting Monday, January 28.

The bulk of the evening centered around the building/renovation project and the Citizen's Building Advisory Committee (BAC). Mr. Meredith Donahoe, of the Davenport Associates Architectural Firm, re-iterated the need for each school (Akron, Mentone and Burket) to form a small committee of parents and teachers, with the respective principals as chairmen, to advise them on specific needs. He also stressed that the \$7 million guideline they had worked with was a tight budget considering the wants and needs of the communities. The original cost quoted for re-modeling the three grade schools was \$2,800,000, but to remain within the \$7 million figure, Davenport had to cut that figure to \$1,400,000. Mr. Donahoe described a stringent aesthetic picture of the three schools at that cost level.

Dr. Harrell congratulated Mr. Donahoe and Davenport Associates for the well-planned schemes they had developed under the constraints they had worked under, and he then requested the BAC, as individuals, make known their specific requirements or desires.

Many BAC members spoke. Teachers from all three schools named several classroom improvements they felt would be necessary in addition to those outlined in the latest plans. Included in these were: at Mentone, a larger or improved gymnasium and physical education facilities and a larger industrial arts department; at Akron, larger space for the physical education program, an additional storage space, two work rooms and two media centers. Saving the gymnasium at the old high school was also requested; at Burket, an additional art and music room, teachers lounge and private facilities and some interior re-modeling of the existing structure.

A question was raised concerning the \$7 million figure, and the Board members were divided as to whether



TVSC Superintendent Dr. Lloyd Harrell responds to a question.

that was a firm ceiling or a flexible figure. Don Snipes stated it was not a set dollar figure.

At approximately ten minutes to ten, the Board requested the BAC adjourn to a separate room and come to some solid decisions and recommendations for the Board. When the BAC re-joined the Board meeting at 11:30, they made the following recommendations:

That the Board work on the present plan with alterations and additions,

that the Board authorize three smaller groups to work with Davenport Associates (one from each school) and that the Board request Davenport draw up plans with a \$7 million budget including a middle school and the three grade schools. The Board followed the BAC's recommendation and the three proposals were passed.

The Board decided the smaller committees should be chaired by

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Still unidentified

# Body discovered in Talma area

by Vern Hucks

The publicity and public speculation surrounding the investigation of an unidentified body discovered in northeast Fulton county has resulted in a delay in the murder trial of Larry Williams scheduled to begin this week in Rochester.

Williams, in a case venued to Fulton Circuit Court from Marshall County, is charged in the death of Bourbon merchant, Claude Yarian.

According to the Fulton County Sheriff's Department, the body of what is believed to be a white male was recovered from a creek in the Talma area on Wednesday afternoon. The body has been sent to Indianapolis for examination and possible identification.

The court records in the Williams case indicate that the state had requested a continuance in the trial on Wednesday but that the request was denied.

On Friday, following release of a story in *The Rochester Sentinel*, the defense attorney for Williams, Jere Humphrey, requested a change of venue.

The defense and the prosecution then agreed to a continuance request which was granted. The continuance was granted until a change of venue hearing could be conducted, probably next week.

The *Sentinel* story concerning the investigation of the body discovery stated that "several reports have indicated that the investigation may in some way be related to the shotgun slaying of Bourbon store owner Claude Yarian on March 6, 1979."

Public speculation and opinion, as well as the published story, were reportedly cited as reasons for the change of venue request. If the change of venue is not granted, the trial will probably be moved back to April.

The cost to the State due to the delay will not be as great as it might have been. All possible jurors had to be contacted, generating some extra expense for the Sheriff's department but informed sources indicate that the major expense will be in last minute preparations of attorneys for each side.



All-American

TIM ALSPAUGH, center, was named Prep All-American and holds the plaque he received. Coach Smith, right, presented the award to Tim, while parents Mr. and Mrs. Guy Alspaugh looked on.

## Valley Board met...

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the principals from each respective school and have four patrons and two teachers as members. At the suggestion of the BAC, two students from grades 6, 7 or 8 will also be chosen from Akron and Mentone to sit on their committees.

The members were appointed as follows: Mentone: Larry Fisher, chairman, Pam Smith, elementary teacher, Mike Hoyt, Middle school teacher, and Joe Gamble, John Mellott, Marsha Scott and Sue Pyle, patrons. (Students will be chosen by principal).

Akron: Don Kramer, chairman; Betty Martens, elementary school teacher, Bill Ruppel, middle school teacher, Jim Morgan, Betty Stutzman, Mary Anne Kline and Roy Meredith, patrons. (Students to be chosen by principal).

Burket: Oliver England, chairman; Marna Riedel and Jean Smith, teachers, Alan Holsinger, Mrs. Dick Goshert, Mike Nelson and Rick Parker, patrons.

Dr. Harrell recommended the Board accept the resignation of Larry Bibler on May 23, 1980, the day his contract expires. Until that time, Mr. Bibler would be suspended with pay. Vern Meredith moved to follow Dr. Harrell's recommendation, Don Snipes seconded. It passed with the approval of all members except Lee Norris, who abstained.

The next Board meeting is set for February 18.

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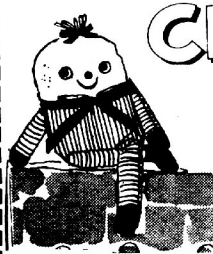
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## Honor Rolls announced for Mentone and Akron

The Mentone Junior High honor roll for the second grading period is as follows:

Sixth Grade: All A's, Phillip King, Deron Manwaring, B's, Aimee Anglin, Julie Baker, Angie Barkman, LeAnn Burkett, Danny Cave, Amy Hayden, Kathy Hudson, Jim Marcella, Ellen Oden, Randy Paris, Kevin Scott, Wendy Sparrow, Angela Swihart, Sandy Tyler, Julie VanDeWater, Shelli Warren, Sandy Wise, Tammy Carson.

Seventh Grade: A's, Kathy Helm-

reich, B's, Lori Anderson, Allyson Clappitt, Bebbie Craig, Shawnee Earl, April Gothan, Tonya Heisler, Mark Hughes, Sherry Irons, Mike Keirn, Elizabeth Kubley, Lori Marcella, Elaine Mikesell, Joe Ousley, Paula Riedel, Roger Scott, Dawn Smiley, Betty Smith, Mindy Sparrow, Pam Wallis, Nancy Weirick, Jennifer Johnson, Erin Fitzpatrick, Letitia Garrison.

Eighth Grade: A's, Laura Cochran,

Angie Fa'rner, Mike Martzloff, Tina Shepherd, Scott Teel, B's, Matt Brown, Mark Fugate, John Green, Joe Hughes, Patty Irons, Tom Lester, Julie Manwaring, Kim Martin, Annetta Metzger, Robin Smith, Greg VanDeWater, and Amy Engle.

The Akron Middle School honor roll for the second quarter is as follows:

Sixth Grade: A's and B's, Chad

Bibler, Dan Butt, Wendy Carter, Angie Evans, Tony Salmons, Cindy Severns, Julie Shafer, Jennifer Shewman, Sonya Sterk, Jane Stout, and Michele Vandermark.

Seventh Grade: All A's, Dawn Trippiedi, A's and B's, Amy Bibler, Troy Butt, Shawn Cumberland, Jenny Dotson, Lenae Dubois, Angie Harsh, Linda Kelly, Roberta Ladson, Steve Lester, Chris Schipper, Andrew Schwenger, and Angie Wood.

Eighth Grade: All A's, Dale Heltzel, Mary Mathias, Angie Thompson, Mark Toetz, and Sonya Unzicker, A's and B's, Brenda Arthur, Julia Bascom, Rob Cumberland, Lisa Duzenberg, Sherri Furnivall, Tammy Gearhart, Kisten Lackey, Gary Leningner, Frank Miller, Blake Myers, Rob Pinder, Lori Potter, Rick Ralston, Julie Rhodes, Angie Stavedahl, Patty Stout, Matt Thompson, J. C. Utter, and Brenda Wright.

### Students named to Dean's list

Scott A. White, Akron, is one of 182 students who earned a place on the Dean's List for the fall semester at Taylor University, Up-land.

Scott is a sophomore at the 134 year old Christian liberal arts institution and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. White, Akron.

To attain the Dean's List, a student must earn a 3.6 or better grade point average on a 4.0 scale for the semester, while carrying 12 or more hours of credit.

Sister M. Barbara Cison, undergraduate dean at Saint Francis College, has announced the Dean's List for the 1979 Fall semester.

April Cook, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Cook, Mentone, has been named to the honor list.

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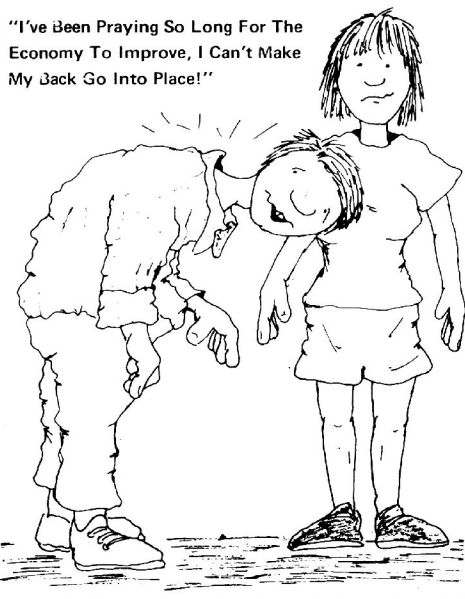
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"To the fans of the Valley Vikings. A very important basketball game is going to be played on February 5. As most people realize, this is the Valley-Warsaw battle. It would be super, if the whole Akron-Mentone community would show up to back up the TVHS basketball team. In the past years, Warsaw has thrown some jabs at TVHS. This year will be a year Warsaw will like, because of the school being on probation. Lets show Warsaw and the whole county who is No. 1. Get out and back the Valley basketball team to a big win at Warsaw this year!!!!"

## It happened in Mentone

Taken from the February 4, 1953 issue of The Northern Indiana Co-Op News:

The Mentone Reading Club will meet February 11, at 7:45 in the home of Mrs. Allen Shirey.

An anniversary dinner was held by the Jolly Jans Home Demonstration Club, Jan. 26, at the Harp Hotel. Mrs. Emma Clutter presented a talk and demonstration on "Fashions of the Centuries."

Charles Urschel, Elaine Dunnuck, Merlyn Holt, and Ronald Brown wrote on the State Scholarship exams.

The Mentone town board, in regular session Monday night, accepted the bid of the Mentone

Motor Co. for a new Chevrolet pickup truck to be used by the various departments of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellsworth, and daughter, Cynthia spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Mollenhour, it being Mrs. Mollenhour's birthday.

The Country Print Shop co-workers and their families met at the Artley Cullum home Saturday evening and enjoyed a potluck dinner given in honor of Floyd Dorsey, who leaves today for the army. Those present were Floyd Dorsey, Mrs. Orpha Blue, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Safford and son, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Scott and daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Reed, Arlo Knouff,

## Committee announces contest

The Akron 4th of July committee is sponsoring a "Brothers of the Brush" Beard Growing Contest for this years July 4th celebration.

Entrants are to register by March 1, 1980, at Cooksey Furniture Store. Registration must be made in person to Cathy Murphy to assure all contestants an equal opportunity, as each contestant must begin the contest clean shaven. Prizes will be awarded in two categories; "best groomed" and "longest".

Ladies, there will also be a hog calling contest just for the women. So, get your best hog calling voice in condition for the 4th. Both contests will be judged by the audience.

## Public Notice

LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: The Alcoholic Beverage Board of Fulton County, Indiana, at 1:00 P.M., on February 22, 1980, at the commissioners room Court House in the city of Rochester in said county, will investigate the propriety of holding an alcoholic beverage permit by the following person and location listed herein, to wit: DL 25-04782 Harris Drugs Inc. E Harris Pres Betty J Harris Sec Cor Rochester & Mishawaka St Akron Ind Liquor and Wine Dealer. Said investigation will be open to the public. Indiana Alcoholic Beverage Commission. By Bruce McLaren, Exec Secty James D. Sims, Chairman 1/31/1c/2p

## This Was News

60 YEARS AGO

Roy Morris will hold a big horse and cattle sale, February 12th, at the Palace livery barn in Akron when he will offer 40 horses and 60 head of cattle.

Ralph Merely, who was formerly with the State bank, has accepted the position of cashier with the Farmers State Bank at Colfax, Indiana.

Vern Overmeyer, who recently purchased the Walton grocery store, is moving his family into the property recently vacated by the Henry Meredith family on Mishawaka St.

According to reports from the county auditor's office trustees in the county paid \$3023.38 last year for sheep killed and maimed and also for ducks and chickens which perished.

39 YEARS AGO

The Home Bakery, operated by Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Weeks, was closed Wednesday. Lack of local support is believed to be the reason for closing.

Twelve local men drove to Ann Arbor, Michigan Sunday to be blood donors for Charles Halderman, who was a patient in the hospital there.

Tom Hauptert and Ralph Davis are going to Indianapolis to see Sonia Heinie's Ice Follies at the Stadium.

The Beaver Dam Home Economics club had an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Olive Swick. Mrs. Neva Kinding was assistant hostess. The morning was spent quilting and sewing carpet rags and at noon a delicious luncheon was enjoyed by nineteen members and one guest. A quiz test and a travelogue by Bertha Meredith completed the afternoon.

25 YEARS AGO

Sam Merley served as doorkeeper at the House of Representatives, as a guest of Leo Sullivan, Miami County representative.

Hobart Creighton was speaker for the annual dinner meeting of the stockholders of the Akron Exchange State Bank.

Two sows belonging to Harold Groninger evidently never heard of planned parenthood or birth control as they gave birth to 32 pigs Saturday night.

Carol Rathbun and Carol Ann Dickey were contestants in the District Piano Contest held in the Warsaw High School.

Whit Gast, president of the Indiana Potato Growers Association is now executive secretary and treasurer and William Gehring of Rensselaer is the new president.

10 YEARS AGO

Mrs. James (Janice) Felix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Mollenhour was honored by the Elkhart Jaycees as the second place Outstanding Young Educator.

Fifth District Congressman Richard L. Roudebush, Noblesville, announced he will be a candidate for reelection to the house.

Mrs. Gladys Whitkamp, who has been ill, was visited by two of her pupils who presented her with a plant and get well wishes. Happiness is hearing Pauline Starr's cheerful whistle.

Pam Abbey received word just before semester break that she was to play the starring role, Antigone, in the play by the same name.

## News Almanac

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Friday, Jan. 25, 1980	34	15	.00"
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## The NEWS Asks:

"Do you think President Carter should re-activate the Selective Service System? Do you think women, as well as men, should register with the draft boards?"

by Diana Streevey Bucher

Richard Kercher, Akron, "Yes I do. I spent three years in Viet Nam and it didn't hurt me a bit. A lot of the problem today is kids don't know what they want to do. In effect, it weans them from their parents and helps them grow up." (On women) "I do. I don't think they should have to fight, but they should hold up their end with office work and other things. There's plenty they can do."

Kim Norman, Akron, "I think he should if there aren't enough volunteers." (On women) "I've thought about it and I don't really know. Some women, yes, it seems a lot of them would want to. I don't personally think they should."



Diana

Saretha Shriver, Akron, "I believe so, yes. I believe we need to protect our country. I don't think women should have to go, I believe a woman's place is in the home."

Everett Busenbarg, Mentone, "It's according to world conditions." (On women) "Some who have wanted women's rights so bad should."

Carolyn Gates, Mentone, "No, mainly because I've got two sons. If there was to be a war now or in the next few years even my husband could have to go." (About women) "That would be debatable. Age would be a factor or if they had small children at home. If they are single, yes, I think they should."

Mrs. James Nixon, Mentone, "Oh yes, I just think it's good for everybody to serve their country. The way the ERA is now, I imagine they (women) should register or there will be a lot of conflict. I don't particularly agree with it, but if not there will be a lot more conflict."

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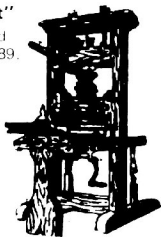
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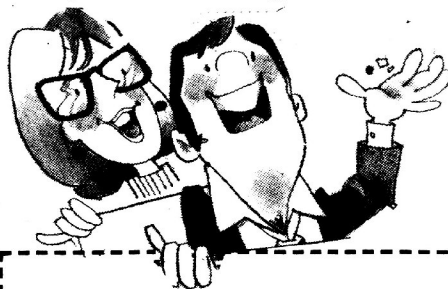
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## Jabberwocky

By Diana Streevey Bucher

I am a sucker for magazine tests and quizzes. Whenever I see the words, "Test Your: Skill/Logic/Aptitude/Knowledge/Agressiveness/Instincts/Luck/Etc./Etc., I can't rush fast enough to get a pencil and paper. Try your skill/logic/apptitude/knowledge/agressiveness/instincts/luck with these (Answers on page 11).

- How well do you know the United States?  
Which state is the  
Largest  
Smallest  
Northernmost  
Southernmost  
Easternmost  
Westernmost
- The name of an animal, insect or bird is hidden in each of the following sentences (some have more than one answer). Example: Do good boys eat dirt?  
a. Did you need a ride, Ernie?  
b. Big numbers are hard to add.  
c. Well, amateurs aren't allowed.  
d. Do you want to use a level, Kevin?  
e. How Lucy can do it, I don't know.
- Answer this multiplication problem in five seconds or less:  
 $1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5 \times 6 \times 7 \times 8 \times 9 \times 0$ .
- Tom, Sam, Kate and Joe live in a row of houses with red, black, blue and green roofs. Sam's roof is blue. Tom has one neighbor, Joe has two. The red roof is two houses away from the blue. The gray house is at one end of the block. Sam's only neighbor is a woman. Whose roof is black?



Lucky winner

HAZEL LINN, Mentone, was last week's Lucky Winner of \$100.00 in Mentone Money. Royal and Karen Baum, owners of Frank and Jerry's Bestmart, handed over the winnings, since her winning entry was deposited at their store in Mentone.

## Meals on wheels

The Mentone Meals on Wheels drivers for the week of February 4-8 are as follows:  
MONDAY: Jean Pritchard,  
TUESDAY: Carol Hurst,  
WEDNESDAY: Mary Manwaring,  
THURSDAY: Jo Manwaring, and  
FRIDAY: Lyman Mollenhour.

## Calendar

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

Mentone Mothers of World War II will meet at 1 p.m. in the home of Ethel Whetstone.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Mental Health will be the topic when the Rev. Teal Younce, Rochester, speaks at the meeting of the Akron Women's Club. Rev. Younce, pastor of the First Christian Church, Rochester, is former chairman of the Fulton Co. Mental Health Association. All clubwomen and their guests are invited to the 1:30 p.m. meeting in the library basement.

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Look Who's Here

## Orville Haney

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Haney, R. 2, Akron, are the parents of a seven pound, six ounce son, Orville Maurice, born Sunday, January 27, 1980 at 9:46 p.m. Mrs. Haney is the former Sharlene Bose.

Grandparents are the Rev. and Mrs. Junior Bose, R. 2, Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Haney, Akron. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Culp, Monticello and Mrs. Irene Bose, R. 2, Rochester. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haney Sr., and Mrs. Gerald Clinker, all of R. 2, Akron.

The baby is Orville Fitton's namesake.

## Surprise party for Mrs. Swihart

The children of Mrs. Russell Swihart had a surprise birthday party for her January 12, 1980.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ruff, Akron; Donna Ruff and Joe Sears, Akron; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hammond and children, Akron; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnhart and son, Warsaw; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Montague and children, Bourbon; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Swihart and family, Silver Lake, and Mrs. Patty Bungardner and daughter, No. Manchester.

## New members join sorority

Psi Kappa Chapter of Kappa Delta Phi sorority initiated two new members, Mrs. Dorothy Lynn and Mrs. Charlotte Trammel, in a combined initiation and social in the home of Mrs. Ralph Davis. Mrs. Tom Haupt was her assistant. Fourteen members were present to welcome the new members.

The evening was spent playing bridge and euchre.

The next meeting will be February 5 and all members are reminded to bring an item to be auctioned at the food sale.

—Kate Jennens, publicity.

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## Laetrile film at Manchester

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The presentation will be by William Smyka, an associate of Dr. Harold Manner of Loyola University. Dr. Manner is perhaps the leader in the drive to get the medical community to include the use of the complete laetrile program in the treatment of cancer. He had made significant progress, - perfecting the combination that has proven remarkably successful.

The Wampler Auditorium is next to the west building on the south

side of the campus. The meeting is open to the public at no charge.

## Mentone item

Mr. and Mrs. William Clipp and son, Elkhart, were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn.

## Akron item

Willard (Bill) Sitts has been admitted to the Parkview Hospital, Ft. Wayne, and would enjoy hearing from all his friends. He is in room 225, Parkview Hospital, Ft. Wayne, IN 46805.

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## TVHS faculty triumphs over WOWO

The TVHS faculty managed to overcome several handicaps Tuesday evening to post a 65-57 win over the famous WOWO Air Aces. The hot shooting of Roger Fleetwood with 20 points led the Valley to their victory.

The game was sponsored by the Student Council to raise money for either a lighted marquee or a flag pole, which netted the organization \$1243. The Student Council wishes to express their thanks to all who participated in making the evening a success and to the community for their support. Watch for the completion of one of the projects in the future.



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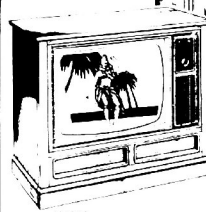
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## the side lines by Vern Hucks

Free throws, it would seem, should be the easiest shot in all of basketball. They're always shot from the same distance, time is not a factor, and no one is guarding the shooter. Taking all these elements into consideration, maybe Coach Fleetwood could explain to us how he could hit 10 out of 11 shots from the field (most of them long range) in last week's Faculty vs. VOWO game but miss his only freethrow attempt. Watch this column next week for Coach Fleetwood's explanation.

Tickets for the boys' regular season game to be played at Warsaw February 5th will be sold as follows:

Friday, Feb. 1, tickets will go on sale in the high school office to parents of players, student season ticket holders and corporation employees.

Monday, Feb. 4, Adult season ticket holders....a limit of 4 tickets (must be season ticket holders).

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## Vikes drop home game

Fundamental basketball is what Valley Coach Roger Fleetwood strives for but by his own admission is not what his team played in last Friday's 61-49 loss to TRC rival Manchester. Fleetwood adds that in the first half, "no one was a threat with the ball." Valley went to the locker room down by 11 points.

The Vikings shook off their lethargy in the third quarter to tie the Squires at 33 but Manchester's 30 second, 6 point spurt at the end of the quarter put down the Valley rally.

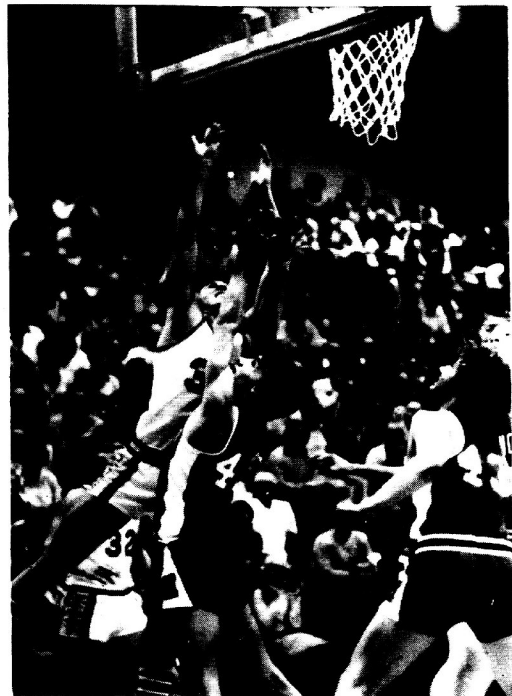
Not only were Valley players reluctant to put the ball in the air, they had problems getting it down when they did shoot hitting only 20 of 58 shots for a poor 34%. Manchester, meanwhile, hit 51% of their shots.

Viking Mike Coplen led all scorers with 20 points and Valley's leading scorer on the season, Scott Tilden, added 12.

Tilden is again troubled with tendonitis or "jumper's knee" and has had his leg placed in a splint. He will not play in Friday's game at Culver and will possibly be out of next week's game at Warsaw.

## TVHS pool schedule

Sun., Feb. 3 2-4 Open  
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SCOTT TILDEN drives the baseline for two of his 12 points in last week's loss to Manchester.

## JAWS compete at Fort Wayne

Nine members of the Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club, Jaws, swam at the Club Olympia "A" meet over the weekend.

On Friday evening the 8-under girls placed seventh in the free and medley relays. (Michelle Krieger, Barb Burdge, Jennifer Secrist, and Johna Weida).

Chris Paris finished 1st 25 free, 25 fly, 2nd 25 back, 100 IM. Craven Lynn placed 4th and 5th in the 25 breast and 25 back respectively. In the 9-10 age group Sam Manwaring was 3rd in the 50 breast and first alternate in the 50 fly. Dayne Manwaring finished

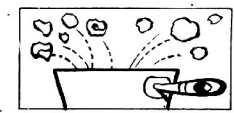
4th in the 100 free and 5th in the 50 fly. Dayne Manwaring finished 4th in the 100 free and 5th in the 100 back. 11-12 Randy Paris was 3rd 50 free, 6th 50 back, first alternate 100 fly, 100 free, and 3rd 50 fly.

Sam Manwaring, 50 fly, 50 breast. Twenty nine members swam in the meet and eighteen of them had at least one personal best time.

The next meet will be a 3-way meet at Logansport on February 3 with the Rochester Royals and Cass County Y.

On Saturday, January 26, Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club traveled to Marion for a dual meet. They came away with their first loss of the season. The final score was TVAC 200 - MAC 374. The Jaws are now 5-1 for the season.

Despite the loss five new team records were set. 8-under boys medley relay (Chris Paris, Derek Manwaring, Craven Lynn, Tim Secrist) 9-10 Ellen Burdge - 50 fly, 200 IM.



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## 1979 Rochester Township Financial Report

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE'S REPORT OF RECEIPTS  
AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1979  
ROCHESTER TOWNSHIP, FULTON COUNTY

FUNDS	Balance Jan. 1	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance Dec. 31
Township	4589.27	11314.66	5835.00	10068.93
Dog	940.10	903.00	640.10	1203.00
Fire Fighting	-0-	69101.25	62863.40	6237.85
Revenue Sharing Cash	-188.21	29675.95	29487.74	-0-
Rev. Sharing Investment	21682.00	2424.00	24106.00	-0-
TOTALS	27023.16	113418.86	112932.24	17509.78

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS		TELEPHONE, PRINTING, ADVERTISING, SUPPLIES
Source	Amount	
Property Tax	9197.74	Rochester Tele. Co. 129.00
Bank, Bldg. & Loan Cr.		Akron/Mentone News 125.70
Union Tax	346.54	Rochester Sentinel 112.97
License Exc. Tax	1738.09	Audrey Meyers (Trustee Supplies) 29.71
Total Township Fund	11282.37	

DOG FUND		PAY OF ADVISORY BOARD
Dog Tax	903.00	Kline Blackett Jr. 150.00
Total Dog Fund	903.00	Robert Gottschalk 150.00
		Warren Tatter Sr. 150.00

FIRE FIGHTING FUND		LEGAL SERVICES
Property Tax	7755.41	Fred Rakestraw 600.00
License Excise Tax	1560.44	
Fire Loan	30000.00	OFFICIAL BOND
Newcastle Fire Runs	500.00	Smith-Sawyer & Smith 120.00
Richland Center Fire Contract	1400.00	
Total Fire Fighting Fund	41215.85	FIRE PROTECTION

REVENUE SHARING FUND		Fire Contract (Bal. of 1978)
Dept. of Treasurer	2424.00	Fire Contract-City of Rochester 48982.00
Interest-Savings	721.05	Dan Banghart Fire repair 34.00
C. D. Cash	26530.00	Hosier Fire Equip. Repair 17.90
Total Revenue Sharing Fund	29675.05	Roch. Ins. Agency 1475.00
		Montlieh Tire Co. repair 8.00

DISBURSEMENTS ROCHESTER TOWNSHIP GENERAL FUNDS		Welding Shop 2433.50
		Hosier Fire Equip. 389.00
PAY TRUSTEE, CLERK, RENT		
Kenneth Blackburn	2350.00	CEMETERY CARE
Patricia Blackburn	550.00	Fred Vanduyne 200.00
City of Roch. Rent	240.00	Jack Townsend Jr. 300.00
Travel Expense	350.00	
		OTHER TOWNSHIP EXPENSE
		Marc Calvert New Lock & labor 22.95
		Roch. Schools 36.00
		Twp. Trustee Dues 70.00
		Pub. Employees Fund 177.77
		Ind. Motor Bus Ticket 32.30

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and disbursements of the above named township; that a complete and detailed annual report together with all accompanying vouchers showing the names of persons having been paid money by the township has been filed as required by law in the offices of the County Auditor, and that a copy of such annual report is in custody of the chairman of the township advisory board. Said report is subject to inspection by any taxpayer of the township.

Kenneth Blackburn  
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## THANK YOU

We wish to thank the Rev. Lowell Burrus, Olive Branch Church of God, our many friends and neighbors for the flowers, prayers, cards and the many deeds of kindness shown to us after the tragic death of David. May God bless each and every one of you. MR. and MRS. HAROLD HARMON, MR. and MRS. GERALD HARMON, WILLIS HARMON and PAT HALL  
1/31/1p

I wish to extend my appreciation and thanks for prayers, cards and offers of help during my wife, Ruth's, extended illness. May God bless you all. ELMER E. HAMMOND.  
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LOST: Small male dog, curly dark hair. Was wearing red collar. Little girl's pet. CALL 893-4284.  
1/31/1p

LOST: Small white male dog. Answers to name of Chang. CALL 353-7281.  
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## Obituaries

## Ruth Hammond

Mrs. Ruth Hammond, 70, Mentone, died at 10:15 p.m. Friday, January 25, 1980, in South Bend Memorial Hospital, where she had been a patient for a short time.

Mrs. Hammond was born May 25, 1909 near Akron to Jacob and Blanche Kroft Flohr. She had lived in the Mentone area for three years after moving from Mishawaka. She was married in February 1928, to Elmer Hammond, who survives. She was a member of the VFW Auxiliary.

Surviving with the husband are a son, Dick, Richardson, Texas; four grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Helen Irvine, No. Manchester; two brothers, Gilbert, So. Bend, and Bill, Carmel. A daughter preceded in death.

Services were Monday, January 28, at 10 a.m. in the Hauptert Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. James Hall officiating. Burial was in the Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, Osceola.

## Emma Kotterman

Mrs. Emma Mae Kotterman, 52, R. 1, Mentone, died at noon Thursday, January 24, 1980, at her residence.

Mrs. Kotterman was born Feb. 12, 1927 in Peru to Loren and Vera (Goldie) Everly-Bradley. She had lived in the Mentone and Talma area since 1960 after moving from Rochester. She was married Jan. 22, 1948 in Ft. Wayne to Clarence Kotterman, who survives.

Surviving with the husband are a son, David, Mentone; a daughter, Mrs. Linda D. Holloway, Mentone; a grandchild, and a step-grandchild.

Services were Monday at the King Memorial Home, Mentone, with the Rev. Don Poyser officiating. Burial was in the Mentone cemetery.

## Stanley Helvey

Stanley M. Helvey, 41, Osceola, died late Friday, January 25, 1980, in Granger, where he was employed.

He was born Dec. 29, 1938 near Akron to Maurice and Willodean Whistler Helvey and was employed by the E. L. Yoder and Associates Construction Company of Granger.

Surviving with the parents, of Akron, are a son, Michael, of Shepherd, Michigan; two brothers, Max, Portville, N.Y., and Dennis, So. Whitley, and a sister Mrs. Gary (Bonnie) Brown, Shepherd, Mich. Services were Tuesday, January 29, in the Akron Church of God with the Rev. James Hall officiating. Burial was in the Akron cemetery.

## Gary Smith

Gary Ray Smith, nineteen year old son of Edgar and Eva Smith, R. 1, Akron, died at his home at 7:30 a.m. January 29, 1980. Further details will be available in next week's paper. Services will be handled at the Steetz Funeral Home, Akron.

## Answers to quiz on page 6

1. Largest, Alaska; Smallest, Rhode Island; Northernmost, Alaska; Southernmost, Hawaii; Easternmost, Maine; Westernmost, Alaska.
2. a. deer; b. gnu, toad; c. llama; d. ant, seal, elk; e. owl.
3. Any number or numbers multiplied by 0 equal 0.
4. Kate's roof is black. They live in this order from left to right or vice versa: Tom, Joe, Kate, Sam.

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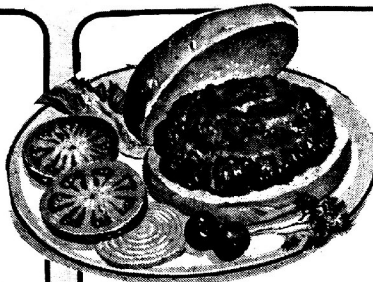
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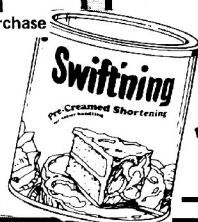
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