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Wednesday, January 6, 1993



Announcement from **Mentone School**

The secretary at Mentone School reported that a ring was found and turned into the office. It is a woman's ring and may be claimed by identifying it.

Red Cross Bloodmobile

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Rochester Thursday, January 7, 1993 at the St. Joseph Parish Hall from 11:30 - 5:30 p.m.

There is a great need for donors - the supply has been greatly depleted over the holidays.

GED classes

El-Tip-Wa Adult Learning Centers in Fulton County are offering free GED classes and practice testing. The classes can be started at any time. For more information call 223-

Science Fair Workshop

The Fulton County Public Library will be sponsoring a Science Fair Workshop in the Community Room at the library on January 9 from 9:30-11:30 a.m. The featured speaker will be Mr. Bill Leininger, a science teacher from Mentone and also the Science Fair Coordinator.

Akron W.C.T.U. to meet

The Akron W.C.T.U. will meet on Wednesday, January 13 al 7:30 p.m. in the Akron Library. Janet Hawley is the program leader and Nora Hoffman is the devotional leader. A silent auction will be held. Each member should bring things for the auction. hostess is Rosemary Kindig.

All members are urged to attend and visitors are always welcome.

Mentone is the setting for a book

Akron, Indiana

Ed and Anne Kolaczyk, writing under the pen name Andrea Edwards, are the authors of more than 45 published romance After hearing about the egg that graces Mentone's Main Street, they have chosen Mentone as the setting for their newest novel. The their newest novel. The Kolaczyks live in South Bend and write books for Silhouette. One of their recent titles is Home Court Advantage, a centering romance story around basketball and set in Warsaw

They have chosen the title Do Your Believe in Magic? for the Mentone-based novel. It is the story of a young widower whose 5 year old son lives in Mentone with his with grandparents. The story unfolds as the man returns to Mentone for the holidays. Several Mentone residents are mentioned in the book, as well as familiar landmarks such as The Egg, Tippecanoe Valley High School, Death Valley, Teel's Restaurant, and King's Memorial Home. Mary Ann King's new rooster that stands on the corner across from her home plays an important part in the plot of this novel. Watch for this exciting and romantic Christmas story, sure to thrill Mentone residents. The book should make an appearance on newsstands November.

Vikings fall to Comets

The Caston Comets rallied from an 11-point deficit to defeat the Tippecanoe Valley Vikings 74-69 last Saturday

night.

Valley led by as much as 14

Valley led by first half of points during the first half of the game. The Vikings led 21-15 after the first quarter, 44-30 at the half, and 60-49 going into the final quarter.

Costello Caston's Cory Costello scored 15 of the Comets' 25 fourth-quarter points.

fourth-quarter points.
Scoring for Valley were
Ryan Bowers with 21 points;
Scott Finney with 15; Brandon
Hackworth, 13; Brent Paxton,
9; Jeremy Cox, 5; and
Brandon Loer, Justin Davis
and Jay Dunnuck with two

points each.
The Vikings are now 4-4 and travel to Argos January 9.

Mentone Town Council hires deputy



Town Attorney Lee Bazini is shown swearing in new Mentone Deputy Marshal Tim Carpenter.

(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

In the first ten minutes of the Tuesday, December 29th meeting of the Mentone Town Council, council members made two important announcements. The first was that they have decided to rescind the lease of the two new police cars and will, instead, purchase one car. The second order of business was to hire a deputy for Mentone. Lynn Phillips made a motion to hire Tim Carpenter and Mike Casper seconded the motion. Town Attorney Lee Bazini stepped in and Carpenter was swom in.

In other business, \$20,219.41 was transferred to the appropriate accounts in order for the town to begin 1993

Council members had previously agreed to rotate the office of president and Lynn Phillips agreed to take over for 1993

Council members discussed with Bazini a letter received from the Praters concerning the dog ordinance. Bazini stated that Mentone does have a valid ordinance and the council decided to pursue the matter in court on Jan. 8.

Mentone Marshal Curtis Ebersole told the council the applications for either the Marshal School or Indiana Law Enforcement Academy need to be submitted this week in order for him to attend in April. He recommended ILEA as he believes it will soon be required. The course is for twelve weeks and two days and Ebersole plans to return to Mentone for Friday and Saturday night patrol during this period.

The only expense to the town will be Ebersole's salary as the cost of attending the Academy is funded by the state.

Casper said he had learned that in 1994 the Academy would probably be required for the officers. The council decided to send Ebersole to the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy in April and Carpenter in July.

Ebersole requested the purchase of business cards for himself and Carpenter. "Cheap, basic, generic cards would be fine," said Ebersole. "They would cost about \$9.00 for 500 cards." The decision was tabled until the next meeting. Ebersole was asked to get exact quotes by then.

Barb Ross reported one person still hasn't paid the town for sidewalk installation. She was advised to send another letter to the resident requesting payment.

Casper told the council he had a message from the Oak Cable Company representative stating he couldn't be at the next meeting.

The next meeting will be Jan. 4 at 7 p.m. in the clerk's office.

Akron's Most Wanted!



The following students have been selected as "Akron's Most Wanted!" for displaying excellence at Akron School. Most Wanted!" for displaying excellence at Aktoli Schlool. Pictured above in the front row are: Heather Ramsey, Tonia Ammerman, Craig Bailey, Jessica Davis. Middle row: Jenny Seitz, Jamie Brown, Jeff Funk, Kyle Bruner, Michael Trosper, Amber Norman. Back row: Mandy Dugan, Lindsey Amett, Mindy Dugan, Amber Harmon, Erica Pontious, Dustin Ruff. Not pictured: Melissa Moseley, Jamie Adams, Tyler Sweeney and Amy Spangle.

(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

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Airman James P. Stevens II has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air

Force Base in Texas.

During the six weeks of training the airman studied Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through Community College of the Air

Stevens is the son of James P. and Laveta K. Stevens of 3227 S. County Farm Road, Warsaw.

He is a 1992 graduate of Warsaw Community High

Marine Lance Cpl. Tracy A. Marshall, son of Gloria J. Marshall of Silver Lake, recently returned with the 26th Marine Expeditionary Unit, Camp Lejeune, N.C. from a six month deployment to the Mediterranean as part of Mediterranean Amphibious Ready Group 2-92.

The Navy and Marine Corps "sea-air-land" team is capable of a full range of action--from port visits and humanitarian relief to major offensive operations.

Marshall visited ports in Spain, Greece, Israel, Italy, France and Morocco.

The 1989 graduate of Warsaw Community High of School, Warsaw, joined the Marine Corps in May 1989.



Crime of the Week January 4

The robbery at Pantry Plus, 1024 Main St., Rochester, has een chosen by Fulton County Crime Stoppers as their first Crime of the Week

On Wednesday, December 17th, at approximately 11:19 p.m. a black male entered Pantry Plus. After a short time he walked to the counter and demanded no less than \$100.00. The person then left the front door of the store and went North from there. He was described as 5'6" to 5'7" tall, 130 to 140 lbs. He was wearing a blue nylon jacket, brown corduroy pants, blue sock cap with Georgetown logo on the front. As the person left the store it was noticed that he walked bowlegged.

If you have any information on this case, give Crime Stoppers a call at 219-223-7867. You could earn up to a \$1,000.00 reward if the information leads to an arrest or indictment, Callers do not have to reveal their names and all calls are confidential. Crime Stoppers, it PAYS.

"MERLEE" CHRISTIE Mary "Merlee" Christie, 59, Urbana, died on Monday, Dec. 28, 1992 at 7:15 p.m. in Wabash County Hospital.

She was born Jan. 18, 1933, in Lagro, to Clark B. and Ada Rinearson Kerr. On Feb. 28, 1954, in North Manchester, she married Robert L. Christie. He survives.

She was a lifetime resident of Wabash County with a summer cottage at Little Barbee Lake. She was a nurse for 19 years and was a member of St. Peter's United

Church of Christ, Urbana. Surviving with her husband are one daughter, Mrs. Edward (Carla) Howard, Urbana; one brother, Rex Kerr, Roann; two sisters, Mrs. Danny (Debbie) Fruitt and Barbara Kerr, both of North Manchester; and three granddaughters.

Services were held Thursday, Dec. 31, 1992 at 10:30 a.m. at the Manchester Avenue Chapel of Grandstaff-Hentgen Funeral Service,

Wabash. with Mark McKinney officiating. Burial in the St. Peter's Cemetery, Urbana.

FLOSSIE L. SCOTT Flossie L. Scott, 67, Warsaw, died Dec. 31, 1992 at 6:45 p.m. in Kosciusko Community Hospital

Community
following an extended illness.
She was born Aug. 7, 1925,
in Huntington County, to Otto
and Vera Minton Heitz. On
Dec. 16, 1944, she married
Burl L. Scott, who survives.

She moved to Warsaw in 1969 from Huntington. She retired in 1985 after 16 years

retired in 1985 after 16 years with Zimmer Inc.
Surviving with her husband are three daughters: Kay Clark, Fort Wayne; Mrs. Terry (Peggy) Henry, Warsaw; and Mrs. Dail (Jan) Barber, Jr., Akron; one sister, Mrs. Gaylord (Mercedes) Williams, Warsaw; five grandchildren. Warsaw; five grandchildren, two step-grandchildren, and two step-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Monday. Jan. 4, 1993 in Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw, with the Rev. Donald Shanks officiating. Burial was in Lancaster Cemetery, Huntington.

Dickeys celebrate 50th anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dickey of 508 W. 2nd St., North Manchester, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 7, 1992 and Mr. Dickey's 80th birthday on Dec. 14, 1992. They were married in Wabash, Indiana by the Dr. O.T. Martin. They have also lived in the Akron and Laketon communities.

Mrs. Dickey has worked in several restaurants and currently works at the Historic Manchester Inn. Mr. Dickey retired from the North Manchester Farm Bureau Coop.

They are the parents of Mrs. Robert (Christine) Randall of Warsaw and Mrs. Jack (Cheryle) Wulliman of Pierceton. They have one granddaughter and one great-granddaughter. They also have six step grandchildren, one of which is deceased, and seven step great-grandchildren.

An open house is being planned for the spring because of Mr. Dickey's health.

Variety show at Mentone School



Bonnie Kramer's fourth grade class at Mentone School recently performed their annual variety show. The show was complete with magicians, singers, gymnasts, ventriloquists, and more. Pictured are Aaron Sponseller, Noah Silveus, Amber Calvert, Kylie Romine, Lindsay Stephens, and L.J. Swick.

Thank You

We wish to thank the Foster & Good Funeral Home and the Rev. Dennis Shock for their words of comfort, the Akron United Methodist Church for the lunch they so caringly provided, Drs. Negreros and Walker for their help and understanding and a special thanks to friends and neighbors who helped our mother, Jenny Moore, during her illness in so many, many ways. Your kindnesses made a difficult time, and Jenny's passing a little bit easier.

Doug and Joyce Moore Harold and Margie Secrest Joe Moore & families B

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Deck the halls contest



Students at Akron School participated in a Deck the Halls contest recently. Grades K-6 decorated the halls at the school. This is an annual event at Akron School. Winners receive a class popcorn party. Pictured are representatives from each classroom: Wade Stark, Kevin Day, Matt Beery, Geoff Reesor, Ashley Powell, and Jessica Honeycutt.

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Without freedom of thought, there can be no such thing as wisdom; and no such thing as public liberty without freedom of speech...Whoever would overthrow the liberty of a nation and begin by subduing the freedom of speech... Reniamin Franklin



Bobbie Glingle works at her easel, set up in the dining room her home southwest of Akron. (Photo by Tonia Weller) of her home southwest of Akron.

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Bobbie Glingle still finds time for her art

by Tonia Weller

While her current schedule doesn't allow her much time to paint at home, or do commission work, art is a very important part of Bobbie Glingle's life.

The Akron mother of two works full-time as a secretary in the art department at Winona Lake's Grace College, is taking classes to complete her own double major in art history and graphic design, and also tutors other Grace students in painting.

Most of what I do now is for assignments, or if we have a juried exhibit at the college, then I'll try to get something togeth-

er to enter - a sketch, a drawing or a watercolor," she says.

Her entries have been very successful, winning first place in oil, watercolor, drawing and sculpture categories at various Grace shows. In addition, her art work has been awarded two champion and a reserve champion ribbons at the county fair, Best Copy at the Pulaski County show and Honorable Mention at the Bowen Center's Lakeland Art Fair.

During the month of December, her work, along with that of fellow Akron artists Jennie Michael and Patty Schultz, was chosen for the Artist of the Month display at the Fulton County

Public Library in Rochester.

While she also works in acrylics, pastels, pencils and design markers, her favorite mediums are oils and watercolors. "I enjoy the watercolors a lot because I can do them quickly. They are a

very fast medium," she says.

Raised in Ohio, Bobbie displayed a talent for drawing at a young age. She started kindergarten early and then, because of a change in age requirements, had to sit out a year before entering the first grade. So her parents enrolled her in pre-school art classes. "I don't remember that much about it, except that it was fun and we finger painted a lot," she says.

Throughout her high school years, art continued to be her favorite subject. "I was one of those kids who always had a notebook for sketching and drawing little cartoon characters," she recalls.

After graduation she attended Grace College for a year, where she met Rudy Glingle. She and Rudy were married and moved to Akron in the fall of 1977, when he accepted a teaching position at Akron School.

After the birth of their oldest daughter, Darcy, now 14, friends and family members encouraged Bobbie to study painting seriously. She took lessons from Marilyn Kruger for three years, before quitting to pursue her own style.

Bobbie worked as a teachers' aide at Akron School for several years before the teachers there convinced her she should return to college and complete her degree. "They said to me, 'Bobbie, you're doing the work of a teacher now, you might as well get paid for it," she remembers. She began by taking night classes, but soon exhausted the

savailable options and needed to find a job that would allow her to take classes during the day. "That's when Gary Neider, a photography and pottery professor at the school, suggested I check about a job as secretary in the art department at the college," she says. "They didn't have a full-time opening at the time, but two weeks after school started, they called me and I've been there four years now. It is about the most perfect job I could have."

If all goes according to plan, Bobbie will receive her degree in

1995. "My goal is to graduate before my daughters do," she laughs. In addition to Darcy, the Glingles also have another daughter, Tiffany, 13.

Concerning her double major, Bobbie says, "My preference is art education, but I've taken on the graphic design because I see more and more of it incorporated into the schools now. I love working on computers and I enjoy that aspect of layout, surworking on computers and I enjoy that aspect of layout, sur-prisingly so, because I didn't know I'd enjoy it as much as I do. I'd probably like to teach secondary or college level, but I'm an all-grade major, so I'll take what I can get!" Ideally, Bobbie hopes there might be a teaching opening at Grace after she grad-

Besides her more serious art vork, Bobbie is also well known for her very creative face painting, which she has done at the Akron School Carnival for the past four years, Grace's Fun Fest and Sonoco's family picnic. "The Ninja Turtles are the most popular," she says.

When asked about how she manages her busy life, she laughs and says, "There is no system, it's total chaos! One of my pet peeves is when someone complains they don't have time to do something. I work 40 hours a week, take college courses, tutor, keep house and help Rudy with the farm. He teaches a full week, is an assistant basketball coach, farms 95 acres and pure-bred hogs and We know about being raises cattle. busy! But when school lets out, that's family time. I treasure that time. We try to make up then for the busy

Bobbie doesn't have a favorite artist although she prefers more traditional styles and doesn't care for most modern artists. "I believe artists should be responsible for the art they produce. Truth needs to be ex pressed and it's not always pretty, but some so-called artists seem to take advantage of people for their own benefit. life is based on the Bible and there is just too much beauty in the world to focus on the other aspects of life.'

She explains her philosophy on teaching by saying, "I hope to help students to be more observant. To see what they're missing. To value their gift and to be able to express how they feel through their work To look at a tree and see all the colors and the values and the form. To develop a healthy view of the world. The visual arts are all around us. And almost everything around is a product of artists or the arts."

Man the Man we want

New (?) sign above entrance to **Mentone School**

Four years ago, Arlie Hartman routered stenciled a sign in Industrial Arts class at Mentone School. Arlie was an eighth grade student at the time and he wanted to donate something to the school that would leave a lasting impression.

Over the years, the sign was painted green and white, Mentone's school colors, but it didn't look right against the building so the paint was removed and it got placed

Jon Parker, Mentone's new principal, saw the sign and decided it was time something was done with it. The sign was recently repainted to complement the brick facade of the building and has been proudly installed above the entrance doors of the school.



Marsha Scott and Gene Hughes accept the key to the EMS's new apartment from owner Rita Simpson.

Mentone EMS rents apartment

"We have had a problem drawing people from the outer part of the Mentone Community," said Gene Hughes, director of the 4-Way Ambulance Service. "Some people have said they would help but feel the ten minute or so it takes to get here from their homes would be too long. Also, we now have two people from outlying areas who are certified and it is difficult for them to be

there on call when they live farther away."

The solution to the problem seemed to be renting an apartment for the use of EMT's on call in Mentone. So, the 4-Way Ambulance Service rented the front half of Valley Furnishing's warehouse, which has been converted into an apartment. This is the building that once house Elick Welding at 116 W. Main St.

Jack and Rita Simpson rented the apartment the them on a six month trial basis to give the EMS an opportunity to see if enough interest can be generated to make the project worthwhile

Among the items still needed to furnish the apartment are a microwave, chest of drawers, night stand, end tables, and, of course, cash donations are always welcome. If you have an item you no longer need and feel they might be able to make use of it, call Marsha Scott at 353-7460.

EASY TOMATO MINESTRONE

(Makes approximately 8 servings)

3 slices bacon, diced 1/2 cup chopped onion

garlic clove, pressed

1 large garme (tove, pressed 3 1/2 cups water 2 2/3 cups (two 10 1/2ounce cans) beef broth, <u>undiluted</u> 2 cups (15ounce can) great northern beans, <u>undrained</u> 2/3 cup (6ounce can) Contadina Tomato Paste

1/4 cup chopped parsley 1 teaspoon dried oregano leaves, crushed 1 teaspoon dried basil leaves, crushed

1/4 teaspoon pepper 1/2 cup dry pasta shells, or vermicelli, broken into 1-inch pieces 1 package (16 ounces) frozen mixed Italian vegetables

cup grated Parmesan cheese (optional)

In large saucepan, sauté bacon, onion and garlie until onion is translucent. Stir in water, broth, beans and liquid, tomato paste, parsley, oregano, basil, pepper and pasta. Bring to a boil, reduce heat, simmer for 15 minutes. Mix in vegetables, cook for 10 minutes. Serve with Parmesan cheese.





Gael Johnson bagged a deer on December 13, during the second archery season. The deer weighed in at 119 pounds, field-dressed. But this was more than just a deer for Johnson; it was the first time since 1983 he has been able to hunt.

Johnson has had a problem with chronic bronchitis since his

'I lived with shortness of breath my entire life but didn't know anything was wrong," said Johnson. "It hindered me in

sports during high school."

After graduation from Beaver Dam High School in 1955, the condition progressed to emphysema. By 1984, Johnson was unable to work and had to go on disability. Frequent trips to hospitals where he was hooked up to a ventilator and recuperative stays in nursing homes dominated his life for the next seven years.

March of 1991 brought an incident that changed Johnson's life. He became ill and, struggling to breathe, summoned help. The EMT that assisted Johnson, insisted on him being taken to Woodlawn Hospital in Rochester because it was closer than Plymouth, where he was usually treated. Dr. William Fish decided Johnson's case wasn't hopeless and that perhaps the IU Medical Center could repair his damaged lungs.

Repair was deemed too traumatic and Johnson was placed on a national organ transplant waiting list. Although Johnson now had reason to hope for life again, it was dimmed by the fact that he had a rare B-type blood, making the chances of a perfect

organ match slim.

Johnson lived at Rochester's Life Care Center, receiving

Johnson lived at Rochester's Life Care Center, receiving respiratory therapy every two hours to prepare for his new lungs and conserve what was left of his old ones.

On October 9, 1991, Johnson was told by his transplant coordinator that he would have to be taken off the transplant waiting list because his weight had dropped to just barely over 100 pounds and his condition was deteriorating rapidly. With that little hope he had taken away, Johnson's future looked bleak. Later that same morning, he received word that his new lungs were available. Johnson was taken to the Indiana University Medical Center where doctors were shocked at his condition. Fortunately for Johnson, they decided it was too late to reevaluate the case and decided to go ahead with the transplant. After all, he didn't have much to lose.

By noon the next day, Johnson's new lungs were functioning. Although Johnson knows his life will never by normal by many

standards, to him it is a new chance. He will be on medications the rest of his life, but like he said, "At least now I have a life."

Side effects of some of the medications to prevent rejection have caused him back pain from compression fractures. He had to add a new medication to add calcium back into his system to prevent further bone deterioration. Johnson considers these minor irritations compared to what he was facing without the

Life is great," said Johnson, "I can walk, drive a car, hunt...I

still have to pace myself but I'm living again

Johnson's avid interest in photography afforded him the first glimpse at the buck he shot. Last August, he saw it in a soybean field behind his home and was able to get close enough to get a picture. On December 13, he got his second shot at it, this time with a crossbow, which he has a special permit to use because of his disability.

his disability.
"For me, it wasn't just getting the deer," said Johnson. "It was doing something normal again. I made up my mind last summer to try for this buck and I got him." Johnson knew it was the same deer because of a deformity of its antlers and a twisted knee on one of its front legs, things he had noticed when he photographed the animal.

Johnson resides near Mentone



KATIE LOUISE SEARS

Frank L. and Stacy J. Sears. Rochester, are the parents of a daughter, Katie Louise, born Saturday, Dec. 26, 1992 at 3:20 a.m. at Kosciusko Community Hospital. She Community Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces and measured 20 inches

Grandparents are Sid and Joan McKain and Robert and Sondra Cumberland, all of Akron. Great-grandparents are Eldon and Mary Taylor and Vernon and Virginia Cumberland.

Katie joins a sister, Chelsea Frances, 15 months.

LAUREN ELIZABETH SULLIVAN MILLER

Drs. Scott and Kelly Miller, Melbourne Indianapolis, are the parents of a daughter born at 6:45 a.m. on Sunday, Dec. 6, 1992, at Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis. Lauren Elizabeth Miller weighed 7 pounds, 13

Maternal grandparents are Dr. Robert and Peg Sullivan, Fort Wayne. Paternal grandparents are Dr. Charles and Marilyn Miller of Akron. Paternal great-graare Robert and Swygart of Laketon. great-grandparents and Maxine

ALEXANDRA ANN ROCKHILL

Chuck and Terry Rockhill, Claypool, are the parents of a daughter, Alexandra Ann, bom Monday, Dec. 28, 1992 at 3:47 a.m. in Kosciusko Community Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 3 1/2 ounces and measured 22 1/4 inches.

Grandparents are Barbara Sechrist, Rockhill, Warsaw: Alvin Goshen; Sheets, Milford; and James Anderson, Mentone. Great-grandparents are Paul and Iris Thompson, Yuma, Ariz.; Elva Great-Longbrake, and t Raymond Longbrake. the

Alexandra joins Chad, 11; Joshua, 7; and Zachariah, 17



CHRISTOPHER JACOB MESSERSMITH Angela Messersmith, Rt. 1,

Box 299, Akron, is the mother of a son born at 2:04 p.m. Dec. 25, 1992 in Woodlawn Hospital.

The baby weighed 6 lbs. 7 oz. and has been named Christopher Jacob.

Maternal grandparents are Darlene Hinson, Akron, and Joseph McElfresh, Rensselaer. Maternal great-grandparents are Lori Hinson and Charles Hinson, Rochester.

Business of the Week



Service on home becomes business

by Rosa Hatfield

When Rick Rogers brought a 500 pound pressure washer home from work to use on his house, he never thought he would be doing it for a living.

"Marcia saw me using it on our house and said maybe I should open a business doing it," said Rick.

In December of 1991, Rick and Marcia Rogers decided to do just that and started Roger's Power Wash. Rick does the manual labor and Marcia answers the phones and sets up appointments. labor and Marcia answers the phones and sets up appointments for him. Although Rick does most of the bookwork, Marcia helps with some of it and buys the supplies.

Rick does commercial and individual powerwashing. He also

Rick does commercial and individual powerwashing. He also does liquid sand blasting and steam cleaning.
"I do farm equipment, semi trailers, houses, antique cars..." said Rick. "I sand blasted a boat lift over at Barbee, stripped a house at Denver this fall, and once, I sand blasted a bam that was 35 feet tall. For that kind of job, you fasten yourself to the ladder and have somebody holding the ladder."

Rick schedules jobs ahead and hires part time help for the big

When asked why he got into this kind of business, Rick said, "No one else around was doing it, so I decided to give it a try."

The business started out slow the first winter but has picked up steadily since. Work is done on an hourly basis or bid by the job. Appointments may be made by calling 353-7915.

Happy Birthday to You!

If you have a January birthday, you're in good company! Take a look at this list of well-known people who share your birthday month



ack Shambaugh, Owner

Paul Revere, born January 1, 1735 Betsy Ross, born January 1, 1752 Mel Gibson, born January 3, 1951 Rod Stewart, born January 10, 1945 Kevin Costner, born January 18, 1955 Mary Lou Retton, born January 24, 1964 Phil Collins, born January 31, 1951



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Community News





Senior Citizens come join for a well-balanced meal and fellowship. If you are 60 years of age or older, please call 893-1287 for your meal reservations. No walk-ins please. all meals are ordered in advanced. The Nutrition Site is located in the Akron Lions Club building, 108 North Maple Street. The Site is open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, except for holidays. Lunch is served at 11:30 a.m. on a donation basis.

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Monday, January 11
Chef's special.
Wednesday, January 13
Fried chicken, mashed
potatoes with gravy, tossed
salad with tomato and green

pepper, peaches, roll, milk.

Friday, January 15

Spaghetti with meat balls, Cal. blend vegetables, apple, garlic bread, milk.

Mentone **Nutrition Site**

Real Services Nuurtion programs invites persons age 60 or older to attend the Meal Site at the Community Room, Fire Station, Mentone. The telephone number is 353-7555. Please make reservations 24 hours in advance.

The menu for the week of January 11 through January

Monday- Cranberry juice cocktail, BBQ pork ribette on bun, macaroni and cheese, fresh broccoli salad, pineapple, milk, tea, coffee. 36 grams fat/61 milligrams chol.

Tuesday- Tomato juice, chicken a la king over biscuit, spinach with vinegar on side, fresh seedless grapes, milk, tea, coffee. 25 fat/78 chol. Wednesday- Apricot

Wednesday- Apricot nectar, Swiss steak in gravy, mashed potatoes, succotash, whole wheat bread with margarine, double chocolate birthday cake, milk, tea, coffee, 38 fat/79 chol.

Thursday- Congo interests

Thursday- Orange juice, hot sliced turkey on bun with lettuce and mayo, green bean casserole, peaches, milk, tea, coffee. 14 fat/77 chol.

Friday- Apple Jules, spaghetti with meat sauce, Parmesan cheese on side, salad with green tossed salad with green pepper, shredded red cabbage and creamy Italian dressing, white bread with margarine, fresh orange, milk, tea, coffee. 23 fat/101 chol.

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Menus subject to change without notice. Due to the diets of some people the food is not highly seasoned.

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On Dec. 26, Elmer Dickey elebrated his 93rd birthday at Miller's Merry Manor.
Attending the event were
Vernon and Marcella Meredith, Melinda Webb, and Carol Ann Shewman.

Bill and Norma Bemenderfer of Indianapolis were at the home of Nora Hoffman for two days. She returned home with them and spent the Christmas holidays at the home of Norma Bemenderfer. While there, she visited with all the Bemenderfer families. Also Mr. and Mrs. Larry Burch reutrned home New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bemenderfer and Nora.

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Tuesday, Dec. 29 ADMISSIONS: None DISMISSALS: Terry Rockhill daughter,

Claypool BIRTHS: Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Rockhill, Claypool, a daughter

Thursday, Dec. 31 ADMISSIONS: Mary J. Puterbaugh, Mentone: B. Rockhill, Zachariah Claypool DISMISSALS: None

Saturday, Jan. 2
ADMISSIONS:
Whetstone, Mentone Ethel DISMISSALS: Joyce Prater, Claypool

Woodlawn Hospital

Tues., December 29
ADMISSIONS: Charles
Ashby, Silver Lake; Phillip
Michael, Akron.
DISMISSALS: Angela

Messersmith and son, Akron. Wed., December 30

ADMISSIONS: Jennifer

Garringer, Akron.
DISMISSALS: None.
Thurs., December 31
ADMISSIONS: Fruitt, Tippecanoe DISMISSALS: Phillip

Michael, Akron. Sat., January 2 ADMISSIONS: V William Dudgeon, Macv: Linda Akron; Rosco Gillman.

Williams, Tippecanoe.
DISMISSALS: Paul McFarland, Akron; Flynn, Macy; Garringer, Akron. Mon., January ADMISSIONS: Evelyn Jennifer

Garland

Sparks, Akron. DISMISSALS: Ashby, Silver Lake; William Dudgeon, Macy.

Olive Bethel News

Mrs. Marcia Pugh and sons, Indianapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Dobbins and Drew of Warsaw spent Christmas Eve with Mr. and Mrs. Milton

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kindig Mr. and Mrs. Faut Kindig and Marla Kindig of Ft. Wayne, spent Christmas Day with her sister, Helen Spaulding and family, Spaulding Zionsville.

Zionsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kerby of Galveston spent Christmas Eve with Paul Cox and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz, Brad and Angie and Mark Lukens of Elkhart spent Christmas Day with Mr. and

Mrs. George Sheetz.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cox and children of Beaver Dam Lake and Debbie Fish and Evan, Warsaw, spent Sunday a week ago with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cox for their Cox Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Safford were Walter Sunday Christmas dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Lowell Safford and

family of Elkhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Estep,
Rachel and Kristi, Burket, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Marshall, Scott and Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Devon Cox, Tangula, Dusty and Ashley and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cox and Shane were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cox were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Dobbins, Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ellison and Charles were Christmas Day guests of Edith Dixon of Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Basham, Mishawaka; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Snavely, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hall, Tom and Kate, Wabash; Mr. and Mrs. John Grable, Albion; Mr. and John Grable, Albion; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Medley, Heather and Aaron, Liberty Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Barker, Amanda, North Manchester, Mrs. Wm. Crook, North Manchester, Mrs. Harold Claxton, Mrs. Pete Cabrera, Joshua, Peter. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Hodge and Danielle, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cox, Fulton were Christmas Day dinner guests of Paul Cox and Helen.

School Lunches

Area School lunch menus for the week of January 11 through January 14 are:

T.V.H.S.

Monday- Spanish hot dog, celery and carrot sticks, tator whole kernel corn, peach cobbler, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk.

Tuesday- Macaroni and

cheese, smokie link, bread, butter, peanut better and jelly, frozen peas, cole slaw, red-hot applesauce, fruit juice and Wednesday-

wednesday- Mighty-rib sandwich, candied sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, chocolate pudding, sliced peaches, fruit juice and milk.
Thursday- Chicken nuggets with BBQ sauce, hot roll with butter and jelly, seasoned green beans, lettuce salad, pineapple tidbits fruit inice. pineapple tidbits, fruit juice and milk.

Friday- No school.

Students have choice of main entree or salad bowl everyday. A'la carte items available daily. Menu subject to change.

Akron

Monday- Hot ham on bun, French fries, peaches, baked

Tuesday- Johnny Marzetti, sliced carrots, jello with whipped topping, hot rolls with butter.

Wednesday- Pancakes and

syrup, sausage, tator tots, applesauce, carrot stick.

Thursday- Com dog, mixed vegetables, parfait with fruit, potato chips.

Friday- No school.

Burket

Monday- Beef ravioli, green beans, applesauce, bread vith butter, milk.

Tuesday- Hamburger gravy with biscuits, potatoes, stuffed mashed celery, pumpkin bread, milk.

Wednesday- Sloppy joes with dill pickles, seasoned peas, sliced peaches, cookie,

Thursday- Macaroni and cheese, Harvard beets, jello with fruit, bread with peanut butter, milk.

Friday- No school.

Mentone

Monday- Vegetable beef stew, cottage cheese, pineapple, rice krispie square, bread with butter.

Tuesday- Ham indwich, cheese sandwich, cheese slices, French fries, buttered peas, strawberry shortcake.

Wednesday- Sliced turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, mixed vegetables, pudding, bread with butter.

Thursday- Chili, crackers, peanut butter sandwich, apple juice, apple sticks.

Friday- Teacher work day. No school lunch.

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Mighty-rib Wool producers asked to file

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service reminds wool producers to file their 1992 sales receipts by January 31, so that the documents can be used in determining the national average market price.

Although the deadline for filing 1992 receipts to qualify for a 1992 price support payment is March 1, 1993, ASCS encourages wool producers to file in January because USDA's National Statistics Service needs the data in February to compute wool market prices.

"Since national average market prices are the basis for wool payment rates, producers are urged to submit their sales documents to us at least by the end of January," Steve Rodenberg said.

He reminds producers that "actively engaged in farming" and "person" determinations must be made to be eligible for a payment. "For 1992 and subsequent marketings, the status date for a wool producer's eligibility producer's eligibility determination is the date the first application is submitted but no later than December 1 but no later than December i of the applicable marketing year," Rodenberg explained. "Additionally, the policy regarding payments to no more than three entities under the acreage reduction program applies to wool producers, as

Wool producers required to certify that they are in compliance with highly erodible land and wetland conservation provisions.

"We encourage producers to bring in their 1992 sales receipts as soon as possible,'
the ASCS official said.



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In any free nation, at regular intervals the people are called upon to choose their leaders, and there are always divergent views about who is best qualified to lead the nation and try to find the solutions to its problems. However, once the choices have been made, we must put aside any disappointments in the outcome of the election and unite behind the winners, whether they be

incumbents re-elected or new ones, and wish them success. After all, their destiny is ours, so attend your House of Worship and pray that their actions and decisions, with God's guidance, will always be the right ones for our nation. Also, they're not mind-readers, so write to them about your concerns. Most of all, remember that they will need your prayers, as well as all the luck they can get.

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SERVICES: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Services, 10:45 a.m.; First Wednesday of each month, United Methodist Women meet. Pastor Jeff Taylor. Church office, 223-3375; home 223-4648.

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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD TIPPECANOE VALLEY SCHOOL CORP. Joseph Crill, President

The Calendar

RUBY BOWERS & MARY DUNNICK Saturday, January 23 at 10:30 a.m. Located at 1228 Franklin St. or 3 blocks eard of courthouse on 9th St. to Franklin, south to auction in Rochester, Auctioneer - Wendell Kuhn.

It Happend In Akron

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON TAKEN FROM THE AKRON NEWS **JANUARY 4, 1968**

Did you know?

Mrs. Clifford Bright, Nora Hoffman, Velma Bright and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Floor of Warsaw visited Mrs. Rosetta Oliver

Saturday at the Simpson nursing home in Goshen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Metzger called Monday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. Dow Landis.

Men in Service

Erik Yoder is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Yoder. He completed his basic training at Ft. Jackson, So. Carolina. After his leave he will report to Ft. Dix, N.J. and from there will be sent to Germany.

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP JANUARY 6, 1944 50 YEARS AGO

Did you know?

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Showalter are leaving Friday to Quantico, Va. to be present when their son, Sgt. Billy Showalter, receives his commission as second lieutenant in the Marine

Jack Sausaman, Byron Leininger, and Bud Heeter spent from Saturday until Monday in Decatur, Ind.

Mrs. Nettie Engle spent Monday with Mrs. Richard Coplen

Brook Bryant and Frank Dawson were in South Bend Tuesday on business.

It Happend In Mentone

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE TAKEN FROM THE MENTONE NEWS **JANUARY 10, 1968** 25 YEARS AGO

Men in Service

Army Private First Class Larry R. Sullivan, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sullivan, Mentone, was assigned to Company A, 1st Battalion of the 25th Infantry Division's 5th Infantry near Cu Chi, Vietnam, Dec. 20.

Did you know?

Mrs. Howard Holbrook called on Mrs. Chloe Griffis Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Russel Eber returned Satruday from a trip to

Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Parker and daughters, of Kimmel, spent

Sunday afternoon and evening with Mrs. Parker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warren.

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE

TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP

JANUARY 6, 1943 50 YEARS AGO

News of Mentone and Vicinity

Miss Jean Burns was reported as a weekend guest of friends in Mentone

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Cloud of So. Bend, called on Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Foor on New Year's.

Margaret Ann Ward returned to Evanston and Northwestern University Monday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rea H. Ward.

The AKRON-MENTONE NEWS

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Wednesday, January 13, 1993

Area rivers flood



This photo, taken last Wednesday at Camp Shahola along the Tippecanoe River, shows the flooding that plagued residents throughout north Indiana last week.

(Photo by Tonia Weller)



Friends of the Akron Library

A business meeting of Friends of the Akron Library will be held at the library on Tuesday, January 18 at 2:30

The main purpose of the meeting is to discuss the purchase of a computer and software for the front desk of the library.

Mentone Fish Fry

The Mentone Fire Department will hold a carry-out fish fry January 16 beginning at 4:00 p.m. until sold out. The accompanying bake sale will be sponsored by the Jack & Jill Nursery School.

Notice

Due to state requirements concerning the selection of depositories for public funds, Bell Memorial Public Library's Board of Trustees will hold their monthly meetings for January and February on the third, rather than the last, Monday of those two months. The board's

meetings are at 6:30 p.m. in the library.

Chili supper

The Akron E.M.S. will hold their second annual chili supper on Friday, January 15 from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at the Akron Fire Station. There will be chili, pie, and drinks. Cost is \$3.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12.

Early dismissal at Valley

The Indiana Department of Education and the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation Board have approved early dismissal of students Wednesday, January 20, to allow staff development activities to be conducted. The activities are a part of the Performance Accreditation process as established by the Indiana State Board of Education. Students will be dismissed after lunch. If you are in need of child care for Wednesday aftermoon, please call your child's school.

Akron-Mentone News to cease publication January 27

Don Towle, publisher of *The Akron-Mentone News*, regretfully announced today that the January 27 issue will be the newspaper's last.

"Due to declining advertising revenue and the escalating cost of doing business, it is no longer feasible to continue operations," Towle said. "The same economic conditions have forced many small, weekly newspapers throughout the country to go out of business, and we are no exception."

"I want to thank our faithful, regular advertisers and our subscribers for their support over the past years," Towle added. "Without that support, we would not have been able to publish the paper as long as we have."

The closing of the newspaper marks the end of an era for the Akron and Mentone communities. The Akron News was first published November 20, 1889 and has been in continuous operation since that time. The Mentone News was first published in February of 1885 and was combined with the Akron paper in 1968.

Akron's first newspaper, *The Globe*, was published in 1866. In the 23 years before the founding of *The News*, five different papers came and went. They were the *Globe*, *Signal*, *Echo*, *Eagle* and *The Fulton County News*.

The latter, published by Roswell Kroft and Samuel Flora, was on its last legs when S.N. Shesler traded 80 acres of timberland in the Missouri Ozark Mountains for Flora's printing plant, sight unseen. The two men met Nov. 10, 1889 at ten o'clock, on a dark and rainy night, on the bridge south of Mentone to complete the transaction. Shesler's daughter later recalled that the land wasn't much good, but then neither was the printing press, so it was considered an even trade.

Shesler and his employee, Eddie Sausaman, named the paper *The Akron News* and published it from the second floor of an old frame building located where Karl Gast's theater later stood. Subscriptions grew steadily, but Shesler's success was short lived. On August 17, 1890 the building and all the printing equipment were destroyed by fire. Shesler had no insurance, but the town's residents passed the hat and raised \$97.50 to help with the purchase of a new printing press. In October of 1909, the business moved to the newly constructed brick block building named "Akron News Home". That building is now the home of Doering's TV and Appliance business.

S.N. Shester retired in 1919, selling *The News* to Bernard Clayton. Clayton later raded the paper to DeWitt Hosman for a Tipton County paper, who in turn sold the paper to Garland Kline.

In 1932, Claude and Esther Billings dropped into Akron to visit their old friend, Professor Roy Jones. They liked the town and ended up purchasing *The Akron News* from Kline. Their tenure as publisher and editor lasted 30 years. In 1957, the Billingses built a new building on Walnut Street and moved the business. Several years later Jack Miller bought the building and turned it into apartments.

In 1962, Loren and Ann Sheetz purchased the newspaper and the building from the Billingses. In 1964 they also purchased *The Mentone News* and, in 1968, combined the two publications into one, known as *The Akron-Mentone News*.

On October 8, 1977, Robert and Renee Norlander, of Niles, Michigan, purchased *The News*, with Renee running the Mentone office and Robert running the Akron office, which had been relocated to the last office along South Mishawaka St. in the back of what is now the Lake City Bank building.

In May of 1980 the Norlanders sold the publication to Richard Lynn, of Lagro. He published the paper for less than a year, with most of the typesetting being done on equipment owned by former owner Loren Sheetz.

On March 27, 1981, Richard and Mary Edith McKee, of Rochester, owners of the Shopping Guide, purchased The News, and moved it to the first building north of what is now Akron Video. The McKees closed the Mentone office and later purchased the old Akron Hotel building, moving The News to its present location.

In September of 1983, Don Towle and Dave Ruff, owners of Plymouth's Bowen Printing, bought both *The Akron-Mentone News* and the *Shopping Guide*, with Towle being named publisher.

While the various owners, publishers, editors and employees have worked hard to keep a paper in the community, it is ultimately the subscribers and the advertisers who deserve the credit for the paper's 104 years of success. Likewise, it is ultimately the lack of enough subscribers and advertisers which had led to the paper's demise.

The Akron office will remain open on Mondays from noon to 5 p.m. and Fridays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. until the end of January. Anyone wanting to place an ad or news item in the remaining issues, or with questions may contact the Akron office or the Shopping Guide News at 223-5417. Refunds on subscriptions will be handled on a pro-rated basis.

News items from Akron and Tippecanoe Valley High School Corporation will be published, in the future, in the Shopping Guide News.

OBITUARIES

GLADYS KNOOP Gladys Knoop, 79, Warsaw, died Monday, January 4, 1993

died Monday, January 4, 1993 at 11:20 p.m. in Parkview Memorial Hospital, Fort Wayne, following a short illness.

She was born July 11, 1913, in Warsaw, to Clever and Grace Piatt Munson. On Oct. 6, 1934, she married Paul Knoop, who survives.

She was a home maker and

She was a home maker and a lifetime resident of Kosciusko County. She was a member of United Pentecostal Church of Warsaw.

Surviving with her husband are one daughter, Mrs. Phillip (Marva) Kammerer, Muncie; one son, Burl Knoop, Warsaw; one brother, Harry Munson, Claypool; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. She was preceded by two brothers.

Services were held Thursday, Jan. 7, 1993 at 10 a.m. in Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw, with the Rev. Dan Cox officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Grove Cemetery, Warsaw

LARRY G. FLENAR

Larry G. Flenar, 60, Rochester, died unexpectedly on Monday, January 4, 1993 at 8 p.m. in Woodlawn Hospital, Rochester.

He was bom Jan. 26, 1932, in Mentone, to Seth and Mildred Robbins Flenar. On Sept. 25, 1950, in Mentone, he married Carol Peterson, who survives

He was a lifetime resident of Mentone and retired from Biomet, and the U.S. Air Force in 1971 after 21 years of service. He was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars, Nappanee, and American

Legion, Warsaw.
Surviving with his wife are his mother, Mildred Carpenter, Mentone; two daughters, Mrs. James (Pamela) Jack, Leesburg; and Donna Flenar, Rochester, four sons, Troy L. Flenar, Fort Recovery, Ohio; Larry D. Flenar, Idaho Springs, Colo.; Rick Flenar, Oswego; and Seth Flenar, Gowego; and Seth Flenar, Bourbon; one sister, Mrs. Leslie (Doris) Grubbs, Bourbon; four brothers, Robert and Don Flenar, both of Mentone, and Max and Kay Flenar, both of Ema Green; and 12 grandchildren.

Services were held Thursday, Jan. 7, 1993 at 1 p.m. in King Memorial Home, Mentone, with the Rev. Don Poyser officiating. Burial was in Mentone Cemetery.

DOLLIE HOWARD

Dollie Howard, 93, Pierceton, died Tuesday, January 5, 1993 at 8:30 a.m. in Whitley County Memorial Hospital.

She was born Feb. 22, 1899, in Salyersville, Ky., to Walker and Susann Whitaker Allen. In May 1918, she married Bass Howard, who died Oct. 17, 1987.

She was a member of the Packerton Free United Baptist

Church

Surviving are four sons, Rosco Howard, Pierceton; Cisco Howard, Loughman, Fla.; Lonzo Howard, Printer, Ky.; two daughters, Anzona Mullins, Pierceton; and Mrs. Ed (Betty) Allen, Warsaw; 26 grandchildren; 36 greatgrandchildren; and 15 greatgreat grandchildren.

Services were held Friday, Jan. 8, 1993 at 11 a.m. in Packerton Free United Baptist Church with the Revs. Willy Collins, James Row and Arthur Hale officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery, Pierceton.

JOHN B. MCFALL

John B. McFall, 73, Muncie, died Thursday, January 7, 1993, at 7:30 p.m. in his home after a brief illness.

He was born in Soddy, Tenn. and moved to Muncie in 1943. he was married for 45 years to Pauline McFall, who survives

He lived in Warsaw from 1972 to 1982. He worked for 40 years for Owens-Illinois, both at the Muncie plant and Warsaw plant.

Surviving with his wife are four brothers, Bruce McFall, Muncie; Gene and Floyd McFall, both of Tennessee; and Randall McFall, Florida; three sisters, Barbara Verneman, Winchester; Margaret Russell, Bowling Green, Ky.; and Thelma Dodd, Mentone; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held Monday, January 11, 1993 at 3 p.m. in Parson Mortuary, Muncie, with burial in Gardens of Memory Cemetery.

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Kos. County 4-H'ers to test curriculum

A Chinese proverb says, "I hear and I forget, I see and I remember, I do and I understand". 4-H programs echo this proverb by providing hands-on learning opportunities for our youth. The "I do and I understand" philosophy has been followed for the development of new 4-H curriculum materials. Kosciusko County 4-H'ers will have the opportunity to pilot test the 4-H Foods curriculum during 1993.

To follow the philosophy of "I do and I understand", a 4-H curriculum training workshop will be presented on Saturday, January 23 from 9:30-4:30 p.m. at Edgewood Middle School in Warsaw. This workshop will be conducted by State 4-H Staff and will give participants lots of handson experiences with the new curriculum. All 4-H leaders, punior leaders, parents and judges are welcome to attend this workshop. To attend, you need to submit your name and \$5 to the Kosciusko County Extension Office by January

It is an exciting opportunity for Kosciusko County to pilot test the new 4-H Foods curriculum in 1993. The new 4-H project materials focus on nelping youth learn both project and life skills. Those who will be in attendance at the workshop on January 23rd will be better prepared to answer questions and to assist in the implementation of the new foods curriculum.

Viking Freshmen lose 52-29

The Tippecanoe Valley freshmen boys' basketball team lost to Northwood Tuesday, January 5. This brings their record to 4-3 for the season.

the season.

Travis Dittman led the Vikings with seven points and four rebounds followed by Aaron Leininger with six points and four steals. Quentin I am had three assists

Down and four stears, Quentin Law had three assists. In the B game, the Vikings lost 37-24, dropping them to 3-3 for the season. Nate Bradley led the Viking B team with seven points.

Valley beats Argos 70-40

The Tippecanoe Valley Vikings defeated the Argos Dragons 70-40.

Although Valley's leading scorer Scott Finney injured his shoulder in an auto accident on Friday, he still gave the team a boost by scoring four points and making a strong defensive effort.

The Vikings led by eight at the end of the first quarter and by ten at the half. The score was 47-32 going in to the final quarter of play

was 47-32 going in to the final quarter of play.
Senior Ryan Bowers led the Vikes with 26 points, followed by Junior Justin Davis with 12. Other Valley scorers were: Jeremy Cox, eight; Brandon Loer, six; Jay Dunnuck, six; and Brent Paxton and Brandon Hackworth, with four points each.

The Vikings will travel to Northfield on January 15 and host Wawasee on January 16.

Lady Vikes lose to Kokomo

After pushing for 18 points in the fourth quarter, the lady Vikes lost to Kokomo 38-30 Tuesday, January 5. Jenny Van Ness and Jennie Cumberland each scored eight points for Valley during this freshman game.

DAR Good Citizen chosen

Miss Tisha Pletcher, daughter of Clint and Cheryl Pletcher of Pierceton, has been chosen by the Agnes Pruyn Chapman Chapter of DAR as their DAR Good Citizen for the year 1992-93.

Candidates from the senior classes of Tippecanoe Valley High School, Wawasee High School and Warsaw Community High School are chosen from their respective school.

They are judged on a point system, with the possibility of receiving 50 points for the personal qualities of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism. Up to another 50 points could be awarded for an essay each applicant is asked to write. The subject of this essay is given to the student and they are allowed up two hours to write 500 words or less on a given subject. This year's essay title was "Our American Heritage and My Responsibility to Preserve It". The writing is supervised by either a faculty member or DAR member, no reference materials may be used.

The National Association of Secondary School Principals has placed this program on the National Advisory List of Contests and Activities for 1992-1993.



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Without freedom of thought, there can be no such thing as wisdom; and no such thing as public liberty without freedom of speech...Whoever would overthrow the liberty of a nation and begin by subduing the freedom of speech...

Benjamin Franklin

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

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ne of After serving on the Akron Unit of the EMS for 11 years, I have decided to retire off the unit for various reasons. There are several people that I would like to thank over those years.

First of all, I would like to thank the firemen that responded with the ambulance on calls that I was on. Their help in getting equipment, helping in lifting patients, and driving was invaluable at times.

I would like to thank the many police officers that were at the scenes. Their help was also greatly appreciated at scenes where more control was needed. They were almost always considerate and willing to help if they could.

I would like to thank the community of Akron. I have made a lot of friends from working on the EMS. And have enjoyed the time that I could serve the community. It has been a great

experience for me.

I would like to thank the people on the unit themselves. The party the other night it was nice to be able to sit and talk about the pure that we had together. I would like to thought the country.

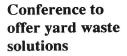
party the other night it was nice to be able to sit and talk about the runs that we had together. I would like to thank the group for the nice party that they gave for Carolyn Petrosky and myself. And a very special thanks for the very nice plaques that were given to us.

Most of all, I would like to thank my family for enduring the years that I was on. Sometimes it was a hassle and they gave up a lot so that I could take call. Now it's time for me to give comething back to my family.

something back to my family.

I have truly enjoyed the years I have served and it was good for me that I did something that I loved to do. I am still involved in EMS on another level and am enjoying that now. Akron is a good community and I strongly recommend that if others think they would like to help this community, they should think about volunteering. It was a good experience for me that I will never forget.

Thank you all again, Debbie Clark



The Indiana Department of Environmental Management, Indiana Recycling Coalition and Purdue University Cooperative Extension Programs announced that the first conference on yard waste management will be held January 27-28, 1993, in conjunction with the Midwest Waste and Recycling Expo and Conference at the Indiana Convention Center.

During the next two years, one of the biggest challenges facing municipalities and homeowners is developing programs to divert yard waste from landfills and incinerators.

Yard waste - leaves, grass or limbs - makes up about 18 percent of the waste going into Indiana landfills, according to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Under terms of Senate Enrolled Act 25, yard waste will be banned from final disposal facilities at landfills and communities will need to have a complete diversion program ready by the fall of 1994.

The two-day conference is scheduled to go from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on January 27 and 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on January 28.

Registration fee for the conference will be \$65 until January 17 and \$80 after January 17.

For registration information, contact Janet Neltner, Indiana Recycling Coalition, P.O. Box 20444, Indianapolis, IN, 46220-0444, or call 317-283-6226.

Arrow Head looking for ideas

David Clauson and Gary
Troutman, Fulton County's
representatives on the Arrow
Head Country Resource
Conservation and
Development Board of
Directors are looking for input
on the concerns, resource
needs and types of projects
which should be planned for
this area

In the past the organization has worked on erosion control, water quality and recreational development.

development.

If you have ideas or comments please contact David Clauson or Gary Troutman, or the RC&D office at 633 East 13th Street, Winamac, IN 46996 (phone 219-946-3022). You can make a difference, contact them with your ideas and needs.

Ag Census

Some area farmers are being asked to complete a 1992 Census of Agriculture report for the Bureau of the Census, US Department of Commerce. The agriculture census is conducted on five year intervals and provides vital statistical data about American agriculture. While individual information remains confidential, the data collected valuable and useful for farmer and rancher associations; agricultural agencies; Congress: equipment, seed and chemical companies; university agriculture departments; and many others. Fulton County farmers are encouraged to complete and return the report form as soon as possible to the Census Bureau.



TIFFIANI RACHELLE ROE

Cal and Sharon Roe, Warsaw, are the parents of a daughter, Tiffiani Rachelle, born Sunday, January 3, 1993 at 5:16 p.m. in Kosciusko Community Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces and measured 21 1/2 inches.

Grandparents are Lawrence and Magdalene Howard, Claypool; and Leon and Mary Jones, Fort Wayne. Chester Howard, Claypool, is the great-grandfather.

Tiffiani joins a sister, Tara, 14, and brother, Tim, 11.

REBEKAH SUE MINNICK

John and Jennifer Minnick, Rochester, are the parents of a daughter, Rebekah Sue, born Tuesday, January 5, 1993, at 5:46 p.m. in Kosciusko Community Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 10 1/2 ounces and measured 21 1/2 inches.

Grandparents are Lincoln and Cathie Lukens, Rochester, Chuck and Deb Minnick, Columbia City; and Linda Bonham, Warsaw. Greatgrandparents are Mary Lukens, Akron; the late Ronald Lukens; Alma Mansbarger, Jacksonville, Fla.; Edwin and Janice Newcomb, Rochester; and John and Grace Minnick and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Bonham, all of Marion. Donna Newcomb, Rochester, is a great-great-grandmother.

Rebekah is the couple's first child.

KIERSTON MISHEL PENCE

Jordan and Teena Pence, Warsaw, are the parents of a daughter, Kierston Mishel, bom Monday, January 4, 1993, at 9:27 p.m. in Kosciusko Community Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 10 ounces and measured 21 inches.

Grandparents are Richard and Sandra Pence and Pete and Niki Wolkins, all of Warsaw; and Eldon and Susan Kinney, Silver Lake. Greatgrandparents are Harold and Kate Kyler, Larwill; Mae Pence, North Manchester, Robert and Ruby Kinney, South Whitley; Gerald and Harriet Romine, Rochester, Mary Wolkins, Winona Lake; and Richard and Joyce Jordan, Peru. Elsie Linn, Mentone, is a great-great-grandmother.

Kierston is the couple's first



Academic Student of the Week

Tippecanoe Valley High School has chosen Jennifer Hatfield as Academic Student of the Week. Jennifer is 17 and a junior. She is the daughter of Robert and Susan Hatfield of Mentone.

Jennifer is a member of the Euchre Club at Valley and the Burket United Methodist Youth Group. She plans to attend college after she graduates but hasn't decided on a college yet. She plans to major in advertising. Her favorite subject is math and she finds chemistry the most difficult.

Jennifer has a 10.60 grade point average and said her most recent academic Acade achievement was being chosen Week



Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor

A hard-working ex-Akron Town employee felt he had to resign from his position due to a personal conflict that the town superintendent used to make his job more difficult. I have noticed that the person that caused the conflict in the first place is now working for the town of Akron. I wonder if anyone else was considered for this position or if this was the plan all along. I also wonder how qualified this new employee is to operate town equipment.

The town superintendent made a point of telling the people in the community that it was not a good idea to hire a friend. It was hard to be a boss when a friendship was involved. Now how can he justify hiring a relative or whatever this person is to him.

It seems to me there are plenty of more qualified people out there that need a job with families to support. It just shocks me that the town council can go along with something like this.

Concerned Citizen of Akron

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Viking of the Week

Mariah Weaver, cheerleader at Tippecanoe Valley High School, has been cheerleader chosen Viking of the Week. Mariah is 18 and is a senior at Valley. She is the daughter of Jim and Lynn Weaver.

has been Mariah Mariah has been a cheerleader for seven years, three in junior high and four in high school. Her favorite sport is football. She plans to attend Ball State University after graduation.

Mariah is a member of Spanish Club, cheerleading, Student Government, Art Club, Varsity Club, and is Student Body President at Tippecanoe Valley High School. She is also employed at the Added Touch in Mentone.

sports accomplishment was year.



getting the "Enthusiasm, Spirit and Pride" award for Mentone.

Mariah said her most recent cheerleading during her junior

Street light progress questioned

Lois Miller appeared at the Monday, January 4, meeting of the Mentone Town Council to ask when the town will be installing street lights at Mil-ler's Trailer Park in Mentone. She had appeared at the December meeting asking that the town keep its promise made when the trailer park was annexed into the town 15 years ago. At that time, they agreed to take over the cost of street lights and maintenance on the road. The council agreed in December to contact NIPSCO and have regular street lights installed with the town bearing the cost.

Lynn Phillips, town council president, told her at Monday's meeting that NIPSCO has been contacted but they haven't replied yet. The council agreed to reimburse her for the cost beginning with De cember and continuing until the proper lights are installed.

In other business: Sharon Heyvaert, owner of Broadway Tavern in Mentone, asked the council's permission to build a 22'x27' addition to be used as a cooler, office and storage area. Council advised her to check with Dick Webb of the

Zoning Board for a permit. Town marshal Curtis Ebersole presented the board with a leasing option for a second police car for Mentone. The option would provide for a total expense of \$15,606; with payments of \$5,202 each year for a period of three years. The council tabled the matter until a future meeting.

Brian Reed presented prices from Hoffman Simplicity for a used chainsaw. He said it had only been used for a couple of months and could be purchased for \$250. The council asked Reed to check on whether it has a warranty and get back with them.

The council agreed to Reed's request for him and Darrell Miller to attend the American Water Works Association convention held in February at the Adams Mark

Hotel in Indianapolis. Costs involved will be a \$25 registration fee each, hotel room for two nights, meals, and transportation. The men receive credit hours for their attendance.

Reed told the council he and Miller had been working with a lot of water problems lately. He said the main problems had been no pressure and low volume, and discussed replacing some of the goosenecks to try and alleviate the problems.

The council granted permission for Ebersole to purchase duty ammunition for deputy Tim Carpenter but decided against the purchase of training ammunition at this time.

Ebersole had requested the purchase of training ammunition, saving Al Rovenstein had offered the use of facilities for the officers to qualify. The council instructed Ebersole to see if they can qualify at Indi-ana Law Enforcement Acad-

Council reappointed members who are currently serving on the Park, Zoning and Cemetery Boards to continue. Also, the building inspector and sexton will remain the

Barb Ross was instructed to check with Marie Rathbun and see if she intends to continue taking care of the park reservations and donations. If she doesn't want to continue, they will need to find someone else to do the job.

Next meeting is February 1 at 7:00 p.m. in the clerk's of-

Lady Vikes emerge victorious borrowing at TRC match

The Tippecanoe Valley Lady Vikings earned a 50-39 victory against the Whitko Lady Wildcats Monday, January 4 at the Three Rivers Conference match in South Whitley.
Nicke Borem returned to

play after missing games with a foot injury and contributed ten points for the Vikings along with a pair of steals and one blocked shot.

Julianne Tucker led all

scorers with 12 points, pulled down 14 rebounds and blocked three shots.

Vanessa Gillman finished with nine steals and three assists. Betsy Bammerlin had three assists and scored six

The Vikings stand at 7-5 for the season and 2-0 in the TRC.

Valley's Renee Metzger hit a three pointer at the 3:38 mark. Valley Coach Duane Burkhart said his four insiders, lucker, Kalynn Parker, Addie Kramer, and Lisa Beery, did a nice job of containing Whitko's Holly Hathaway. Kramer came off the bench with four rebounds, a blocked shot and an assist.

Rochester Wrestling **Invitational**

Tippecanoe Valley, Tippecanoe Valley,
Rochester, and North Miami
combined to win six weight
classes at the Rochester
Wrestling Invitational
recently. The title was won by
Knox with 206 points,
followed by North Miami with 185-1/2. Rochester was next with 173-1/2, Maconaquah with 170-1/2, Bremen with 138, Culver Community with 78, Tippecanoe Valle 65, and Caston with 30.

Winning for Valley Jason Engle with a 14-1 decision over Wayne Krom of Rochester at 119 pounds and Jason Haines with a 9-4 decision over Jim Wildermuth of North Miami at 140. Engle jumped out to a 9-1 lead while Haines earned his victory late in the third period with a



PLAC replaces reciprocal

"Most of us aren't too happy with the Public Library Access Card (PLAC)," said Madeline Fisher, librarian at Bell Memorial Library in Mentone. "What we had be-fore worked. I feel like if it isn't broken, why fix it?"

A state law that took effect January 1, 1993, put an end to reciprocal borrowing, which was provided at no cost to anyone who had a resident li-brary card, enabling them to use the services of other libraries. Fisher said this was provided as part of the Library Service and Construction Act (LSCA) and was federally funded.

"Now." she said. "the Federal government has cut the funding and the state doesn't want to pick up the tab. They are hoping PLAC will fund it-

To obtain a Public Library Access Card, resident card holders purchase the card from their local library, paying a fee of \$16.77. They are then allowed to borrow books from any other Area Library Services Authority (AISA) library in the state. Only resident card holders are eligible to pur-chase the card. Non-resident users must still purchase li-brary service from each individual library they wish to patronize.

This came about without input from the libraries," said Fisher. "Most of us feel the state should take it upon itself to provide this service. We are very uneasy about PLAC. Any time you take away something people were getting free, there

will be unhappy people."

Fisher said the new law won't affect the Bell Memorial Public Library as much as it will affect the li-

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brary users. Many Harrison Township residents work or actually live closer to Warsaw actually live closer to Warsaw than to Mentone, and it is more convenient for them to use the Warsaw Library, Also, many Fulton County residents live near Mentone and use Bell Library. Without purchas-ing a PLAC, they won't be able to do this any longer.

Fisher said some area libraries are considering lending agreements but the state is

strongly discouraging this.

"A small library like ours can't afford to lose the state funding we receive," said Fisher. "We don't have any said choice but to go along with PLAC. Bell Memorial Public from other areas to PLAC." Library does require users

Dave Ewick of the Fulton County Public Library said they, as well as many other local libraries, are taking a wait and see attitude. Since legislation has already been intro-duced to repeal PLAC, they are allowing users to continue going by the same rules as before. If the Indiana legislature rescinds PLAC in February, anyone who has paid the PLAC fee will receive a fee will receive refund.

"If it is repealed, then what? We don't know," said Ewwick. "Since the federal funding for reciprocal borrowing has been cut, we just don't know what will replace it. There are about five or six dif-ferent ideas bouncing around but right now, nobody knows

what will happen."

Ann Zydek, Warsaw Community Public Library director, said that if library director, tors feel reciprocal borrowing is a valid program, they should state it should be the funded.

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Monday, January 18 Beef stew, tossed salad, mixed fruit, tapioca pudding, biscuit, milk.

Wednesday, January 20 Sloppy joes, three bean lad, creamed com, butterscotch pudding, bun,

Friday, January 22 Chicken dumplings, mixed vegetables, cherry crisp, apricot nectar, wheat bread, milk.

Mentone **Nutrition Site**

Real Services Nutrition programs invites persons age 60 or older to attend the Meal Site at the Community Room, Fire Station, Mentone. The telephone number is 353-7555. Please ma reservations 24 hours make

The menu for the week of January 18 through January 22 is:

Monday- Martin Luther King, Jr. Day- Orange juice, BBQ Chicken filet, potato salad, turnip greens with bacon, combread with margarine, lime gelatin with pears, milk, tea, coffee. 18 grams fat/117 milligrams chol. coffee. 18

Tuesday- Pineapple juice, eef and noodles, sauteed zucchini, tomatoes, and onions, whole wheat bread

omons, whole wheat bread with margarine, banana, milk, tea, coffee. 23 fat/123 chol. Wednesday- Apple juice, breaded fish square on bun with tartar sauce, marinated fresh carrot salad, cottage cheese in peach half on lettuce leaf, plain cake donut, milk, tea, coffee. 24 fat/42 chol. Thursday- Tomato juice,

salisbury steak in gravy, mashed potatoes, peas, whole wheat bread with margarine, oatmeal raisin cookies, milk, tea, coffee. 31 fat/85 chol.

Friday- Peach nectar, rowned fresh sausage, browned macaroni and cheese, green beans, whole wheat bread with

margarine, plums, milk, tea, coffee. 38 fat/78 chol.

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Menus subject to change without notice. Due to the diets of some people the food is not highly seasoned.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Halmes. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. John Charron, Noretta Spencer, Johnathon Spencer, Dorathy Stanley, and Dorathy Smith all of Lake Placid, Florida were guests of and Jessie Young Christmas Day.

Mentone News

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones. Chelsea, Caitlin, Jesse of Brookston, IN; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Yazel, Mentone: Mr. and Mrs. John Jewell, Rory, Cody, and Chaitra of Akron spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Yazel.

On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Lantz of Warsaw; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hodges and Tiffany, Pierceton; and Marty Lantz of Richmond, VA visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold

Mentone Mothers of World War II met with Mrs. Pearl Horn on Tuesday, January 5 The meeting was opened with prayer from the president.

Mrs. Marilyn Stafford. This was an informal meeting. Yearly reports to be sent in were the main topic for the afternoon. Cards were signed for Mrs. Ethel Whetstone and Mrs. Donna Rae Fuller. A letter from Eliza Rogers stating the District Convention be held March 9 at Mentone was read. Registration will be from 9:30-10:30 a.m. Seven members were in attendance. The February meeting will be the first Tuesday with Mrs. Mildred Grindle of Warsaw or Marilyn Stafford.

Mrs. Ethel Whetstone has been in Kosciusko Community with

pneumonia.

Mrs. Esther Wise called on Mrs. Lula Wise and Mae King

at Peru Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Pearl Horn called on Mrs. Evelyn Miller of Warsaw Friday afternoon.

The Widow to Widow meeting will be Wednesday Widow evening with a pot luck

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Thursday, Jan. 7 ADMISSIONS: Rut Ruth E. Heighway, Akron
DISMISSALS: Juanita G. Whitmyer, Claypool

Friday, Jan. 8
ADMISSIONS: Curtis L.
Banghart, Claypool; Tahnee S. Breeden, Bourbon

BIRTHS: Mr and Mrs Brian Breeden, Bourbon, a son

Woodlawn Hospital

Tues., January 5 ADMISSIONS: H Herbert Blankenship, Mentone. DISMISSALS: Roscoe

Williams, Tippecanoe.
Thurs., January 7
ADMISSIONS: None.
DISMISSALS: Paula Fruitt,
Tippecanoe; Linda Gilman, Garland Sparks, Akron.

Fri., January 8
ADMISSIONS: Nina Stacey, Macy.
DISMISSALS: None.

Mon., January 11 ADMISSIONS: None. DISMISSALS: Herbert Blankenship, Mentone.

School Lunches Area School lunch menus for the week of January 18

through January 22 are:

T.V.H.S.

Mondaysandwich, cheddar cheese
portion, celery and carrot
sticks, whole kernel com,
apple crisp, sliced peaches,
children and milk fruit juice and milk.

Tuesday- Chicken fried beef pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, mixed vegetables, lettuce salad, applesauce, fruit juice and

Wednesday-Pizza. wednesdayPizza,
seasoned green beans, mixed
fruit, jello with whipped
topping, fruit juice and milk.
ThursdayJohnny
Marzetti, hot roll with butter

and jelly, seasoned peas, lettuce salad, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk.

Friday- Fish and chips, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, whole kernel corn, pineapple tidbits, peanut butter cookies, fruit juice and milk.

Students have choice of main entree or salad bowl everyday. A'la carte items available daily. Menu subject to change.

Akron

Monday- Pizza, buttered

Monday- Pizza, buttered corn, pineapple, baked item.

Tuesday- Lasagne, green beans, peaches, oven toast.

Wednesday- Grilled cheese, buttered peas, pears.

Thursday-Beef noodles, mashed potatoes, mixed fruit, peanut butter

y- Sub sandwich, salad, applesauce, Fridaypotato celery stick.

Burket

Monday- Italian spaghetti, carrot chips, mixed fruit, garlic toast, milk.

Hot dog Tuesdaysandwich, succotash, potato

rounds, green apple jello, Girl Scout

Wednesday-Barbecue chicken, potato salad, cardinal pear salad, breath butter, cookie, milk.

Thursday- Ham slice, candied sweet potatoes, vegetables with dip, bread with butter, milk

Friday- Tacoroni, seasoned com, peanut butter peach crisp, bread with butter, milk.

Mentone

Monday- Hot dog with bun, beans, applesauce, cookie.

Tuesday- Ham sandwich, nachos with cheese, buttered

corn, orange juice.

WednesdayChicken sandwich, French
fries, peaches, chocolate cake. French

Thursday- Beef and noodles, cheese slice, mashed potatoes, green beans, jello with topping, bread butter. with

Friday- Open faced pizza sandwich, buttered com,

Kappa Delta Phi helps needy children

Kappa Delta Phi Sorority, along with Akron United Methodist Church, made Christmas a little brighter for 29 children in the Akron community with the purchase of coats, hats, gloves, socks and boots. Some of the names were picked off the Christmas tree that was started by Helping Hands.

Kappa Delta Phi would like to thank all who donated items, as well as the ladies who did the shopping and

delivering for the project.

Kappa Delta Phi is a nonprofit organization with all fund-raising money back into our going community.

> READ A GOOD **BOOK** LATELY?

Cookie Sale begins

Girl Scouts in Tribal Trails Girl Scouts in Tribal Trails Council will be going door-to-door taking orders for their famous Girl Scout Cookies from Saturday, January 16 through Sunday, January 31. These delicious cookies sell for \$2.50 a package and will be delivered February 22 through March 14. Girl Scouts throughout the

Girl Scouts throughout the United States of America have been selling cookies for over fifty years for many reasons: to learn life, communication and business skills; to earn their for money activities, badges and patches, and community service service projects; and to help fund the many exciting and educational girl opportunities offered by

their council. while participating in the Tribal Trails Cookie Sale Program, Brownie, Junior, Cadette and Senior Girl Scouts

may work toward earning recognitions and may also earn Cookie Credit to use toward handbooks, the official Girl Scout dress uniform, camp, and other program program opportunities such as trips, badge workshops, and career exploration. The top sellers in each county will receive a free session (up to one week in length) at a 1993 Tribal Trails Day, Core, or Resident camp.

The Girl Scouts believe they have cookies for everyone, from the traditional 30-calorie Shortbread Cookies to the ever-popular Thin Mints, Peanut Butter Patties, Lemon Pastry Creme, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Caramel deLites, and the Praline Royal, which was introduced last year.

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Akron Lions Club

Saturday, January 16 4:00-6:00 p.m. at the Lions Club With Bake Sale

It Happend In Akron

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON TAKEN FROM THE AKRON NEWS JANUARY 11, 1968 25 YEARS AGO

Silver Creek

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baun, Jr. and family of Indianapolis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baun, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kirk and family of Urbana called on Mr.

and Mrs. Ted Landis on Sunday evening.

Olive Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. George Sheetz were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Marie Hunter, Mary Ellen, and Alice of Roann.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox spent Wednesday evening with Mrs.

Harold Claxton and children of near Etna Green.
Dickerson Sells Manchester Business

Darwin DeLaughter has purchased the mortuary business and equipment belonging to Neville Dickerson and will assume operation of the North Manchester business under the name of DeLaughter Mortuary. Dickerson, who operated the business under the name of Dickerson's Wayside Chapel, also operates a funeral home in Silver Lake.

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP JANUARY 13, 1944 **50 YEARS AGO**

Cecil Kuhn Authors Fifth History Book Cecil Kuhn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kuhn, Rt. 2, and a former Akron High School teacher, has completed his fifth book on history, and it is now being published by the Lippincott

Company in Chicago.

Mr. Kuhn's book will be titled "Government of Indiana," and deals with state and local government since 1800. It is illustrated. He is a teacher at Central High School in South Bend. Mrs. Kuhn is also an Akronite, being the former Edna

It Happend In Mentone

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE TAKEN FROM THE MENTONE NEWS JANUARY 17, 1968 25 YEARS AGO

Larry Miller Completes Basic Airman Larry N. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Miller of Mentone, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training center at Sheppard AFB, Tex., for specialized schooling as an aircraft maintenance specialist. Airman Miller is a 1967 graduate of Mentone High School.

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP JANUARY 13, 1943 50 YEARS AGO

Surprised on Birthday A number of neighbors of Mrs. Effic Personette happened in to let her know that she had another birthday January 12th. The evening was spent in social conversation and a question contest. Cookies, grape juice, and popcom were served. All left wishing her many returns of the day.

News of Mentone and Vicinity
Mr. and Mrs. Vermon Jones spent Saturday afternoon in

Akron.

You've Got To Be Joking

How do we know that eating carrots is good for the eyes? Have you ever seen a rabbit wearing glasses?

What did the first alligator say to the second alligator? Nothing—he had a frog in his throat.

> What did the mother firefly ask the teacher? Is Junior bright?

Mentone Town Council meets in special session

The Mentone Town Council met in a special session Thursday, January 7 at 7:00 p.m. to sign a lease agreement for a second police car for Mentone. The car is being leased from Allgood Chevrolet in Spencer, Indiana. Lease payments will be \$5202 per year for three years. The car will be in Mentone as soon as Allgood can get it ready.

other business. council discussed the request of Jim and Lois Miller to have the town pay for the use of security lights at Miller's Trailer Park. The council Trailer Park. The council members determined that only one of the lights qualifies as a street light. They agreed to pay the Millers \$.38 per night beginning with December 1992 and continuing until Nipsco installs two regular street lights. Nipsco estimated the lights should be invalled. the lights should be installed within two to three weeks. After that time, the town will cease paying for the use of the security light.

The council also discussed

renaming the street that runs through the trailer park. It is currently called West Main. They will check with the Millers to see if they have a preference in naming it.

New books at the Akron **Public Library**

The Peculiar People, by Jan de Hartog- This book completes her three-volume epic of Quaker life in America, which began with The Peaceable Kingdom.

Artic School Teacher, by Abbie Morgan Madenwald-This personal account of life in a remote rural Alaskan village is one of several written by teachers who have wished to share their

experiences.

My Beloved Son, Catherine Cooksonand compelling wonderful story of a loving family dominated by one woman's suffocating desires.

Blessings, Mixed Danielle Steel- A powerful tale of three couples who face decisions about having children that will test, in unexpected ways, the ties that them as lovers, partners, and friends.

No Friends Mountains, by John Bulloch-The tragic history of the Kurds.

Showman, by David Thompson- The life of David O. Selznick, the legendary producer and maker of "Gone With the Wind".

The Venetian Mask, by Rosalind Walker- A lush new novel of romance and adventure set against the background of dazzling pageantry and tarnished splendor that was eighteenthcentury Venice.

Mentone shop projects

Seventh and eighth grade students at Mentone School work diligently on their wood projects in Industrial Arts class under the supervision of Mike Hoyt. Hoyt said he is very proud of the projects some of his students have turned

"It takes a lot of imagination and hard work to complete some of these projects," said Hoyt.



Pictured are seventh graders with their works-in-progress: Jimmy Gobel, Alan Young, Chad Brost, Josh Gilly, Jeremy Stambaugh, and Jason Hubbs.



Also pictured is eighth grader Daron Norris with his project, a very detailed gun cabinet, which, when finished, will include a top section to hold guns and a bottom section with storage drawers. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Views On Dental Health H. RAY HAZEN, D.D.S., M.S.D., P.C.

Inherited Gum Disease



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this trait, though it is more common among girls.
In one case, the history was traced to a great-grandmother on the mother's side of the family and several other female family members. In the present generation there were four girls and one boy in the family. Three of the daughters showed evidence of gum disease before they reached their teens. Whether there is a history of gum disease in your family or not, prompt treatment of this condition is needed to prevent soft tis-

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Subscription Refunds

Akron-Mentone News subscribers can expect to receive a refund check for the number of paid issues remaining on their subscriptions by the middle of February. Any out-of-county subscribers wishing to transfer their subscriptions to the Shopping Guide News may do so. The Shopping Guide will feature news from Akron and the Tippecanoe Valley school system.

If you have any questions or ish to transfer your wish to transfer your subscription please call 893-4433 or 223-5417. There is no need to call for refunds, they will automatically be sent.

Drawing Workshop offered

A workshop on basic drawing skills is being offered by the visual arts committee of the Rochester Arts Commission. It will be held on January 23, from 1 to 4 p.m. at

Rochester High School.

Akron artist Marilyn Kruger
will instruct the course, which is designed for both beginners and experienced artists. The class is a prerequisite for other workshops to be offered later by the Arts Commission.

The cost is \$10 and those attending should bring pencil and paper. For more information, or to pre-register, contact Don Kegarise at 653-2355 after 5 p.m.

Fleck delivery

Fulton County Sheriff's Deputy Tim Fleck had an unusual morning on Sunday, January 10. He helped his wife Sheriff's Lisa deliver their third child LISA UCHIVET INCIT THIRD CHILD ON the living room floor of their Akron home. Akron EMT Joe Sears assisted with the delivery. Lisa and Craig Allen Fleck are both doing fine.

Local memories of WPA and sculptures wanted

Glory-June Indianapolis, will present a program on WPA Projects in Indiana at the Fulton County Museum on Sunday, January 24 at 2 p.m. This is a Fulton County Historical Society County Historical Society meeting and the public is

The airport, fish hatchery and its buildings and stone bridge, inventory of records in courthouse, building roads and cournouse, outding roads and the Lake Manitou dam, and a sewing project for women were some of the local projects in the 1930's.

An index of names was published for five histories of Fulton County, namely, Kingman Atlas 1883, Elia Peattie 1896, Marguerite Peattie 1896, Marguerite Miller 1910, Henry Barnhart and Ida Brundidge 1923. FCHS wants to know if there were any others. People are urged to bring memories of in Fulton WPA projects

County to share. These will be published in Fulton County Images.

Some counties hired artists on the WPA program. Were there any art works done by WPA in Fulton County?

the Greiff is helping the Landmarks Historic Foundation of Indiana to inventory the outdoor sculptures of Indiana. The only ones known in Fulton outdoor County are the lions and stone faces on the courthouse. Bearing in mind that a sculpture is chipped from stone, does anyone know of any others in Fulton County?

If you can't come to the meeting and have information on WPA projects or outdoor sculptures, please contact FCHS at 223-4436.

The FCHS Board Directors will meet at 1 p.m. on the same day, Sunday, January 24.

Valley board approves salary hikes

The Tippecanoe Valley School Board met Monday, January 11 in a public meeting scheduled between two private executive sessions.

The board approved salary increases for administrators and head coaches and voted for two resolutions to transfer

funds.

With the exception of the superintendent salaries for superintendent Karen Boling and assistant superintendent Dr. Dan Kramer, the votes were all unanimous. Jeff Tilden and Forrest Kantner voted against those increases saying they felt the amounts were too large. Boling will earn \$69,000, retroactive to Nov. 5, 1992, compared with \$62,935 last year. Kramer's new salary, retroactive to July 1, 1992, is \$62,000 compared to

1992, is \$62,000 compared to last year's \$55,170.

Other salaries approved include: Brett Boggs, Akron principal, \$52,000; Diane Gorman, Akron assistant principal, \$40,000; Jon Parker, Mentone Charles Kitchell, Mentone assistant principal, \$50,000; Charles Mills, high school principal, \$38,000; Charles Mills, high school principal, \$56,000; Gary Bridwell high school assistant Bridwell, high school assistant principal, \$44,000; and Ted Straiger, half-time Burket

Straiger, half-time Burket principal and half-time special program director, \$40,777.

Coaching amounts are: Scott Bibler, varsity football, \$4,720; Gregg Sciarra, boys' basketball, \$5,449; Duane Burkhart, girls' basketball, \$42,50 \$4,720; basketball, \$5,4 \$4,250. Robert DuBois will receive \$8,543 for his work as athletic director and Joyce Harmon, girls' high school assistant athletic director will receive \$3,000.

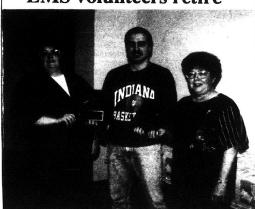
Funds were within the General. Transportation and Capital Project Funds.

In other action, the board: * Reorganized the Board of Finance, naming Joe Crill president and Mike McFarland secretary.

Granted leave of absence to Bill Ruppel to serve in the Indiana legislature.

* Accepted conflict of interest statements from Crill and McFarland. Mrs. McFarland is a teacher and Mrs. Crill, a bus driver, with continued on page 2

EMS volunteers retire



After 11 years of service, Deb Clark and Carolyn Petrosky retired from the Akron Ambulance Service. They were honored on January 4th with a party and each was presented with a plaque from the unit.

Pictured above left to right are: Advanced EMT, Deb Clark, vice president; Todd Helvey and aide, Carolyn Petrosky. (Photo by Laura Bickel).

Pages sought

1993 General Assembly has begun and State Rep. Walter Roorda, R-DeMotte, is looking for pages to serve for a day during the session, which began January 5th and will run until April 30.

"Pages will spend the day at the Statehouse experiencing government in action," Roorda said. "It is a way for students to learn about the legislative process firsthand."

Working directly with Rep. Roorda on the House floor, pages will be responsible for responding to representatives' requests, relaying messages and running errands.

Anyone who resides in House District 16 and is interested in serving as a page should send their name, address, phone number, age, and school to: State Rep. Walt Roorda, Page Request, Statehouse Room 401-2, 200 W. Washington Street, Indianapolis, IN 46204. You may request a date to serve, which the page office will try to accommodate, or the page office will assign a date you. Pages must be at least 14 years of age, and will be excused from school for the

Indian Awareness Center publishes newsletter

28-page newsletter reporting on the Trail of Courage Living History Festival and Apple Festival and Apology to the Indigenous was published by the Indian Awareness Center, branch of the Fulton County

branch of the runo.
Historical Society.
It also gives details on the plans for the Trail of Death
Commemorative Caravan from Indiana to Kansas in September.

The newsletter contains a poem about Menominee by Robert Deamer, Rochester, and poems about Indians by two other members.

Tom Hamilton's speech at the Oswego store-museum dedication in Kosciusko County telling the story of Chief Mus-qua-buck is included.

The newsletter sells for \$2 and is available at the Fulton County Museum, open Monday - Saturday from 9 to



SANFORD G. BOYER

Sanford G. Boyer, 85, East Circle Drive, Syracuse, died at 8:25 a.m. Jan. 11, 1993, in his residence. following extended illness.

He was born March 27, 1907, in Silver Lake, to Aaron and Effie Neal Boyer. On Sept. 8, 1934, he married Mildred Benge, who survives. He moved to Syracuse in 1066 from Moure Syracuse in 1066 from

1966 from Macy and retired in 1972 from Vega Corporation.

Other survivors include one daughter, Alberta Jones, Macy; two sons, Marshall Boyer and Douglas Ihnen, Syracuse; nine grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; step-great-greatgrandchildren.

Services were at 10 a.m. hursday, January 14, at Thursday, Janu Eastlund-Harris Funeral Home, Syracuse, with the Rev. Harlan Steffen officiating. Burial was in the Ulery Memorial Cemetery, near Silver Lake.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Lung Association.

THELMA SMITH

Thelma K. Smith, 75, Claypool (Beaver Dam Lake), died at 5:50 p.m. Friday, January 15, 1993 in Kosciusko Community Hersital Community Hospital following a brief Warsaw

She was born July 26, 1917 in Plymouth to the Rev. W. Ray and Mrs. R. Edna Cramer

On Dec. 10, 1937 in Anderson she married Kenneth A. Smith, who died Feb. 21, 1973.

She was a member of the Beaver Dam United Methodist

Surviving are a daughter, two sons; eight grandchildren; six great-grandchildren, and two sisters.

Services were Sunday at the Beaver Dam United Methodist Church, north of Akron, with

Potts officiating. A second service was held Tuesday in Owens Funeral Home, Alexandria with burial in the Alexandria IOOF Cemetery. Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, was in charge of arrangements.

HAROLD E. MADDUX

Harold Eugene Maddux, 75, Rt. 2, CR 650E, Rochester, died at 3:30 a.m. Jan. 9, 1993, at Lake Placid (Fla.) Medical Center. He had been in failing health for four years.

He was born Sept. 21, 1917. north of Athens, to Dee and

On Feb. 4, 1939, in Akron, he married Marjorie L. Towne, who survives.

He was a retired farmer and attended Athens Church. He spent winters in Lake Placid.

spent winters in Lake Placid.
Other survivors include one
daughter, Mrs. Roy (Betty)
Swick, Akron; one son, Joe
Eugene Maddux, Taipei,
Taiwan; five grandchildren;
one great-granddaughter, and
five step-grandchildren. He
was preceded by one sister.
Services were Thursday in
Foster & Good Fuerral Home

Foster & Good Funeral Home, Rochester, with the Rev. Irvin Behm officiating. Burial was in Athens Cemetery.

MIRIAM W. BYBEE

Miriam W. Bybee, 86, Phoenix, Ariz., died at 8:15 a.m. January 11, 1993 in Phoenix.

She was born May 6, 1906, in Cleveland, Ohio, to John and Helen Putnam Wenham.

Her marriage was to Lea Bybee, who died in 1977. She lived in Phoenix six coming from Fort vears.

lyers, Fla. Several nieces and nephews survive.

Graveside services were in Mentone Monday Cemetery. King Mentone, King Memorial was charge of arrangements.

Valley board

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the school system.

* Named Tana Tinkey as high school swing choir assistant and set her extra pay

* Granted a GED diploma to Paul R. Mullins.

Approved a six-week maternity leave extension for Diana Robison.

* Heard Boling tell of plans to limit school activities on Wednesday nights in order to prevent conflict with area church activities.

* Heard principals' reports from Boggs, Straiger, Parker and Mills.

The board's first executive meeting was described as being "with respect to an individual over whom the being "with resp individual over governing governing board has jurisdiction" and "to discuss before a determination the individuals status as an employee, a student, or an independent contractor who is a physician." The second session concerned the results of Boling's discussions with Brook Black, owner of property west of the new middle school site.

Grain reserve opened

Secretary of Agriculture Edward Madigan announced that producers may enter 1992-crop corn, grain sorghum and barley in the Farmer-Owned (FOR)

Producers must first obtain a nine-month regular, nonrecourse price support loan before they may obtain a FOR loan. They may enter the FOR at the expiration of the ninemonth regular loan. The FOR loan is an additional 27-month loan period. Producers will quarterly storage payments at an annual rate of 26.5 cents per bushel.

Producers are required to notify their local county ASCS office by April 30, 1993 of their intentions to place 1992crop feed grains in the reserve. Nationwide the total quantity of feed grains placed in the FOR may not exceed 600 million bushels.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Concerned Citizen

We do need many concerned citizens. However, we need to know all sides to a controversy.

1. You indicate there is another employee on the payroll. Has a paycheck been issued to the person you refer to? If not then this clearly is time donated by him/her.

2. Indeed, if this is the case, should we not be congratulating not condemning him/her. Seems a generous hearted good person

3. Is this the reason so few people are interested in community projects? Are too many people ready to find fault? Are we listening to gossip and half truths?
4. The "former employee", as I understand resigned. He was

not terminated. I think he is responsible for his own actions. Is it too easy to blame others?

Can we stop this tearing down of our own community?

Marty Gearhart is one of the finest, most caring, honest, men in town. He is an example we can be proud of. He gives of himself unselfishly. Give him the trust he deserves.

There is a song "Let There Be Peace on Earth". A line of this

song's is "Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me

Concerned citizen, maybe you and this community should learn this line from this song.

Another Concerned Citizen

Dear Concerned Citizen,

I am sure you were very proud of your letter in last week's paper. It must have taken a lot of time and intelligence to make so many inaccurate and slanderous statements, but then people like you have nothing better to do.

In the future please do us all a favor. Let the town take care of its business and you take care of your own.

Another Concerned Citizen

The Letter to the Editor policy of *The News* is as follows: Anyone wishing to express a personal opinion can write a letter to the Editor. The letter must contain the author's name, address and phone number for *News* office verification purposes only. If wish to remain anonymous, please specify and your name will remain confidential.

It is the right of The News office to reject any letters that we feel are in poor taste.



The European robin is about half as large as the

American robin

Thank You I would like to thank the people involved with snow clean up on Sunday, Jan. 10 and to let the community know that the following people donated their time and equipment:

Bridget Hoffman, Jeff Murphy, Pat Walgamuth, Dan Butt, Dave Chilcutt, Gary Rensberger, and Akron Concrete for the equipment.

Martin Gearhart, Superintendent th

Thank You

The Henry Township Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank the following people for donations to their soup supper: Dean Foods; Wilson Corn Products; Viking Foods; Larry & Lynn Kline; Mary Jane Gearhart; The Den; Merle & Florence Strong; Burger King; Akron Farm Supply; Sloane's Fine Foods; and everyone who donated pies.

Thanks again!

Henry Township Volunteer Fire Department

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January 18

Crime of the Week

The Fulton County Crime Stoppers Crime of the Week is a burglary that occured at a residence on State Road 14, 1/4 mile west of Akron

Between Aug. 29, 1992 at 6:30 p.m. and Aug. 30, 1992 at 2:30 a.m., the residence was broken into. Entry was made to the house through a door, being pried open. Taken from the house were 150 compact disc tapes, a variety of music-rock-country, 1 gold pocket watch, 1 diamond necklace, 1 pearl & diamond necklace, 1 mother's ring with four birthstones, 1 mother's ring with five birthstones, 1 man's gold wedding ring, 1 lady's gold & silver wedding band, 1 wooden Budweiser beer case, 1 sm. wooden trunk. The case and the trunk are believed to have been used to remove the items from the house.

If you have any information on this crime or any other crime, give Crime Stoppers a call at 219-223-7867. You could earn up to a \$1,000 reward if the Information leads to an arrest or indictment. Callers do not have to reveal their names and all calls are confidential. "Crime does not

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Without freedom of thought, there can be no such thing as wisdom; and no such thing as public liberty without freedom of speech...Whoever would overthrow the liberty of a nation and begin by subduing the freedom of speech...

Letters to the Editor

Dear Concerned Citizen.

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To set the facts straight to your letter in the Akron-Mentone News on January 13th. First of all the ex-employee didn't resign

from his job, he quit for another job.

The conflict was that I didn't get the respect as a boss from my employee that I thought I deserved. The other part about how his job was so difficult-I never asked him to do anything

that I haven't done or wouldn't do myself.

Second your so called new town employee isn't an employee of the town. I would consider this person to be a true concerned citizen along with the other five citizens that helped clean up the 8" snow fall in the Akron downtown business area on a Sunday

These people donated their time and equipment on a Sunday to clean the sidewalks and the parking area in front of all the businesses in the downtown area. This makes it easier for people to park and patronize our local merchants. As far as I am concerned the people who helped me were qualified to do the

Martin Gearhart Superintendent

Dear Concerned Citizen,

First, there was more than just personal conflict involved in this matter. I believe that this ex-employee never had to do more work than the superintendent did. I don't know what or who caused the trouble besides the ex-employee himself, and as far as I know, the superintendent hasn't hired anyone to fill that

Sunday night a group of volunteers decided to help remove snow. It was done as a donation of our time, not for any monetary reason. Everyone that was out there has had experience in running the equipment they operated. Now, if this concerned citizen would like to see how the equipment is run and usual like to help. I'm ever the uncontrappant can find and would like to help, I'm sure the superintendent can find something for you to do.

Regardless whether this volunteer is male or female, if they are qualified to run the equipment it shouldn't make a difference. The superintendent has been with the town for 8 years making wise decisions, with no reason to think that would

There's also the extra duties he has done off the clock with no other reward other than knowing he wants to make Akron a better place to live for himself and everyone else. Too bad the concerned citizen doesn't have the same attitude.

Thanks, **Bridget Hoffman**

Dear Concerned Citizen,

I and others were under the assumption that the Letter to the Editor columns were for making notice of things that concern the good of the town and not as a sounding board for personal grudges against any one individual.

The letter in the January 13 issue was incorrect in several aspects. First, the so called "new town employee: is not on the town payroll and has never received any money for any reason. second, if there was a problem between the ex-employee and the superintendent, it was between them and had nothing to do with the third party. And finally the relationship between the town superintendent and the so called "new town employee" is their business and has nothing to do with anyone else or town

You're bringing personal feelings into the public forum where it has no business being, with the intent of starting rumors about

the parties involved. What's worse, you're using so called "concern for the town" to do it. If you have something to say to these people, say it to their face and quit hiding behind the Letter to the Editor column.

Another Concerned Person

CONCERNED CITIZEN
First, thanks for being so concerned about WHO is doing
WHAT in our town. BUT -- I believe -- you need to know the
facts before you pass your judgment on the best town
superintendent we have had.
The personal myshems between the superintendent and the ax-

The personal problems between the superintendent and the ex-employee are their problems. THEIR problems--not yours or mine. Most people have enough to handle in their own lives. They don't have time to be concerned with the town superintendent and his ex-employee.

As far as who has been helping with the snow removal, all

that work was done a volunteer basis. The volunteers worked, without pay or thought of pay, to make shopping in our town more convenient. Maybe, you, CONCERNED CITIZEN would like to volunteer your time on Sunday. I'm sure the town would really appreciate your help.

Let's all support our town superintendent .. and just maybe give a word of thanks..once in a while, instead of tearing him down. He does a lot for our town which is not in his job description. He gives up vacation time and weekends to be on duty in case an emergency comes up. He doesn't hesitate to begin his day in the wee hours of the morning (while you're sleeping) and he continues to work, when needed, through late

AND YOU -- CONCERNED CITIZEN -- if you were any kind of a person at all - YOU would have signed your name. But maybe with a letter like that I would not have signed my name

Proud to sign my name and show support for our hard working town superintendent .. I am.... Lynn Kline

Name



TAYLOR BRYANT HOUCHINS

Bill and Mishay Houchins, 1010 #3 Continental Court, Vandalia, Ohio, 45377, are the parents of a son born at 1:30 a.m. January 3, 1993 in Grandview Hospital, Dayton,

The baby weighed 7 lbs. 6 ... and has been named Taylor Bryant.

Maternal grandparents are Terry and Sherry Leininger, Rochester, and the late Micki L. Walters. Maternal great-grandparents are Ernest and Dorothy Walters and Mary Overmyer, all of Rochester, Elnora Leininger, Akron, and the late Harry Overmyer Jr. and Omar Leininger.

Paternal grandparents are Raymond and Sandra Houchins, Dayton.





TONYA LYNN MAPPIN

Bryan J. and Dawn Mappin of Rochester are the parents of daughter born January 5 1993 in Logansport Memorial Hospital.

The baby weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. and has been named Tonya Lynn. Her siblings are Brittany, 8; Levi, 4, and Kathrin, 2.

Maternal grandparents are Sandy Wheadon, Twelve Mile, and Doyne Wheadon, California.

Paternal grandparents are Gene and Linda Dyson, North Manchester.

The Shopping Guide News will be expanding its news coverage in the Akron area. We are in need of a correspondent to cover town board meetings, local fires and accidents, news about townsfolk, etc. Payment will be "per column inch published" basis. If you are interested please fill out the application below and mail to the Guide News by Shopping January 29, 1993.

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It Happend In Akron

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON TAKEN FROM THE AKRON NEWS JANUARY 18, 1968 25 YEARS AGO

Irelan and Baum Firm is Sold

The Irelan and Baum Elevator and Lumber Yard has been sold to Forrest Roberts, Nashville, Ind. Roberts has been associated with his family in a hardware, lumber and construction business there.

Roberts has moved into the Bidwell apartment and has said he will change the name of the firm to Roberts Hardware, Lumber

Men In Service.

Marine Pvt. First Class David A. Tyson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford M. Tyson, Rt. 1, Denver, Ind., and husband of the former Miss Judy C. Koeninser of Rt. 2, Macy, Ind., has reported for duty with the First Force Recomaissance Battalion, First Marine Division, in the Republic of Vietnam.

The principal task of the unit is to penetrate behind enemy lines to obtain intelligence data to turn over to friendly

commands.

While on reconnaissance missions members of the unit call in direct artillery fire and air strikes on concentrations of enemy forces.

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP JANUARY 20, 1944 50 YEARS AGO

Billy Showalter Commissioned Lieut.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Showalter have returned home from attending the graduation exercises of their son, Billy J. Showalter, who received his commission as second lieutenant in the Marine Coms at Quantico, Va.

the Marine Corps at Quantico, Va.

This Officers Candidate class was composed entirely of enlisted men, many of whom had seen several months of active duty overseas. the commissions were presented by Admiral Harry Ervin Yarnell, U.S. Navy (retired), who complimented the class highly for having graduated with the highest average of any class ever to graduate from Officers Candidate School at Outstice.

Lieut. Showalter will continue training in reserve Officers Class for a twelve-week period at Quantico.

It Happend In Mentone

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE TAKEN FROM THE MENTONE NEWS JANUARY 24, 1968 25 YEARS AGO

Will Appear on Wide World of Sports

Mentone's Bob Herendeen will appear on "Wide World of Sports" Saturday afternoon. Bob, a champion aerobatic pilot, continues to wrack up impressive records with stunt flying.

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP JANUARY 20, 1943 50 YEARS AGO

News of Mentone and Vicinity

Pfc. Clifton Flora was here last week to see his mother, Mrs. Chas. Madeford.

Robert Tucker is spending a short furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Tucker.

Corp. Merl Harrold left Tuesday evening of last week for his camp in Washington after spending 10 days with his wife and parents.



It Works Wonders



Sports Roundup

The following is a summary of last weekend's area varsity basketball action.

basketball action.

Friday, January 15

The Rochester Zebras broke a nine-game losing streak by defeating the Southwood Knights 40-36 in a Three Rivers Conference game. Rochester is now 2-9 overall and 1-3 in the TRC. The Zebras will host the

Tippecanoe Valley Vikings on Friday, January 22.

The Caston Comets won their seventh game in a row, defeating the visiting Argos Dragons 57-43. The Comets' record is now 10-1. They will travel to Triton on January 22 and to North Miami on January 23.

The Tippecanoe Valley Vikings fell to host Northfield 68-57.
The Culver Cavaliers lost

The Culver Cavaliers lost 47-44 to visiting Jimtown. They are now 1-9 overall and 0-5 in the Northern States Conference.

The North Miami Warriors were defeated 75-55 at Manchester. The Warriors are now 6-4 overall and 1-3 in the Three Rivers Conference.

Saturday, January 16
The Tippecanoe Vikings
fell 81-52 to hosts Wawasee.

The Vikings are now 5-6 overall and 2-2 in the Three Rivers Conference. They will travel to Rochester on Friday.

Folk Finder publishes Hoosier Founder charts

Eight Hoosier Founder charts for local pioneer families were printed in the new issue of the Fulton County Folk Finder published by the Genealogy Section of Fulton County Historical Society.

This issue contains family charts and history notes for Troutman as submitted by James Coleman and Dr. Tom Troutman, Rhodes by Iva Nelson, Bruce by Bruce Foster and Barbara Hickle, Fultz - in behalf of Chelsea Jameson by aunt Carolyn Stephen, Hunter by Peggy Ehlinger, Braman by Marjorie Phillips.

The Folk Finder contains 28

The Folk Finder contains 28 pages and sells for \$2. It is available at the Fulton County Museum and Fulton County



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Akron Nutrition

Senior Citizens come join us for a well-balanced meal and fellowship. If you are 60 years of age or older, please call 893-1287 for your meal reservations. No walk-ins reservations. No walk-ins please. All meals are ordered in advanced. The Nutrition Site is located in the Akron Site is located in the Akron Lions Club building, 108 North Maple Street. The Site is open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, except for holidays. Lunch is served at 11:30 a.m. on a donation

Monday, January 25 Monday, January 25
Sweet/Sour meatballs,
scalloped potatoes, tossed
salad with pepper/carrot,
peaches and milk.
Wednesday, January 27
Creamed chicken, baked
potato, seasoned green beans,
cranberry salad, biscuit and
milk.

milk.

Friday, January 29 Beef and noodles, mashed potatoes, broccoli seedless grapes, bran muffin and milk.

Mentone **Nutrition Site**

Real Services Nutrition programs invites persons age 60 or older to attend the Meal Site at the Community Room, Fire Station, Mentone. The telephone number is 353-7555. Please make reservations 24 hours in advance.
The menu for the week of

January 25 through January 29 is:

Monday-sliced roast turkey, bread dressing with gravy, sliced cucumbers and green peppers with mayo, whole wheat bread with mayoratine feet conduction. with margarine, fruit cocktail, milk, tea, coffee.
25 grams fat/78 milligrams

Chol.

Tuesday- Tomato juice, sweet and sour meatballs, baked potato with margarine, seasoned winter squash, whole wheat bread with margarine, fresh red apple, milk, tea, coffee.

31 Fat/117 Chol.

Wednesday- Cranberry
juice cocktail, beef stew with potatoes, celery, carrots and onions, cole slaw, biscuit with margarine, pear spice cake with topping, milk, tea, coffee.
41 Fat/117 Chol.

Thursday- Orange juice, sliced baked ham, scalloped potatoes, succotash, whole wheat bread with margarine, lemon pudding, milk, tea,

27 Fat/102 cholesterol

Friday- Apricot nectar, broccoli cheese soup with broccoli cheese soup with saltines, grilled chicken fillet on bun with lettuce and mayo, mandarin oranges, milk tea and coffee.

17 Fat/124 cholesterol Menus subject to change vithout notice. Due to the diets of some people the food is not highly seasoned.

Akron News

Judith and Tom Hill have moved west of Akron to her family homestead.

The Hammond house was built by her grandfather in 1906. It is noted in the Fulton County Historic homes.

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Tuesday, January 12 DISMISSALS: Curtis L.

Banghart, Claypool.
Wednesday, January 13
ADMISSIONS: Thelma L Lockridge, Akron; Bonnie J. Owens, Silver Lake and Sheri Pierce, Mentone. BIRTHS: Sheri L. Pierce,

Mentone, a son.
DISMISSALS: Craig A.
Fleck, Akron, and Lisa Fleck,

Thursday, January 14
ADMISSIONS: Ethel M.
Whetstone, Mentone.

DISMISSALS: Sheri Pierce and son, Mentone. Friday, January 15
ADMISSIONS: Jeffrey C.

Ridenour, Claypool; Eleanor R. Rowland, Silver Lake. DISMISSALS: Ruth E. Heighway, Akron; Bonnie J. Owens, Silver Lake; Juanita

G. Whitmyer, Claypool. Saturday, January 16 ADMISSIONS: Elizabeth

Sausaman, Akron. BIRTHS: Bobie McClone, Mentone, a daughter.

Woodlawn Hospital

Tues., January 12
ADMISSIONS: Kimberly Rochester; Claypool; Rochester; Burns, Ruth Ousley, Erick Sayger, Rochester. DISMISSALS:

Gilliland, Rochester, Pearl Kerr, Rochester, Nina Stacey, Macy; Freddie Wolford, Rochester.

Wed., January 13 ADMISSIONS: Letha Miller, North Manchester DISMISSALS: Susan Hodson, Rochester.

Thurs., January 14 ADMISSIONS: Thompson, Rochester. DISMISSALS: Aimee Hammer and son, Rochester. Fri., January 15

David

Besse, Kewanna; Dorreta Hall, Rochester.

DISMISSALS: Robin Ewing and son, Rochester, Kara Sayger, Rochester. Sat., January 16

ADMISSIONS: None.
DISMISSALS: Steven Bretzinger, Rochester, Roy Case, Kewanna; Dorretta Hall, Rochester, Letha Miller, North Manchester, Erick Sarver, Rochester.

Mon., January 18
ADMISSIONS: Paul Lewis, Rochester, Dwayne McAtee, Macy; Rochester. Gary Hodge,

DISMISSALS: Jill Thompson, Rochester.

School Lunches

Area School lunch menus for the week of January 25 through January 29 are:

Monday- Chili, crackers, celery and carrot sticks, cheddar cheese portion, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, pumpkin bar, sliced peaches, fruit juice and milk.

Tuesday- BBQ chicken, augratin potatoes, seasoned green beans, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, lettuce salad, mixed fruit, fruit juice and milk.

Wednesday- Pig-in-a-blanket, baked beans, cottage cheese, applesauce, fruit juice and milk.

Thursday- Pork BBQ, dill slices, French fries, frozen peas, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk.

Friday- Nacho chips with meat and cheese, Mexican beans, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, chocolate cake, pineapple tidbits, fruit juice and milk.

Students have choice of main entree or salad bowl everyday. A'la carte items available daily. Menu subject to change.

Akron

Monday- Burrito, French fries, peaches, baked item.

Tuesday- Macaroni and cheese, buttered peas, pears, bologna sandwich

Wednesday- Hot dog on bun, sliced carrots, apple crisp, celery stick.

Thursday- Sausage gravy and biscuit, mixed vegetables, jello/fruit, carrot stick.

Friday- Hamburger on bun, French fries. applesauce,

Burket

Monday- Potato soup with crackers, mixed fruit, peanut butter sandwich, chocolate pudding cake, milk.

Tuesday- Nachos with ground beef, carrot chips,

applesauce, Spanish rice, milk. Wednesday- Salmon loaf, mixed vegetables, cinnamon

applesauce, bread with butter Las Donas Notes

and milk. .
Thursday- Pizza. Thursday- Pizza, potato wedge, peach delight, bread with butter and milk.

ith butter and milk..
Friday- Cheese burger pie, mashed potatoes, buttered com, bread with butter, cookie, milk. .

Mentone

Monday- Sloppy Joe sandwich, French fries, cheese slice, mixed fruit. Tuesday- Taco, lettuce and

cheese, buttered corn, peaches, graham crackers.

Wednesday- Corn dog, macaroni and cheese, Harvard beets, apple sauce.

Thursday- Creamed turkey on biscuits, mashed potatoes, green beans, jello with topping, bread and butter.

Friday- Grilled ham and

cheese, chicken and noodle soup, carrot and celery sticks, orange juice.



Members of Las Donas met on January 13, 1993 at Penny Ramsey's home at 7:00 p.m.

Penny called the meeting to order. Las Donas held a bake sale at the Akron Lion's Fish

Fry on January 16.
Girl's State Candidates were discussed and voted on.
Vicki Harrold will contact the Mentone Ladies Auxiliary on the candidate

The next meeting will be held at Aime Hoffman's home February 9, 1993. Sharlene Haney's birthday will be celebrated.

Top 10 Movies

1. Hoffa starring Jack Nicholson

2. A Few Good Men Tom Cruise

3. Aladdin voices by Robin Williams
4. Home Alone 2

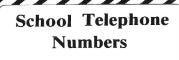
Macaulay Culkin
5. Used People Jessica

6. Trespass Bill Paxton

7. Lorenzo's Oil Nick Nolte 8. Forever Young Mel

9. Leap of Faith Steve

Martin 10. The Scent of a Woman Al Pacino



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Akron Business of the Week



Marvin Whetstone is continually adding items to his stock at (Photo by Tonia Weller)

Country Store opens near Akron

By Tonia Weller

The Country Store, owned by Marvin Whetstone, is somewhat like a general store from the past. It carries a little bit of everything, including grocery staples, candy, tools, toys and craft

Located on 1000E, a mile and a half south of St. Rd. 14, southwest of Akron, the store opened the day after Thanksgiving, Regular business hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday, but Whetstone, who lives next to the store, says, "I'm really open all the time. The only time I'm closed is when I have to go get something. If they catch me here other times, then I'm open." Whetstone usually travels to the wholesale houses in Chicago on Mondays or Tuesdays to get

wholesale houses in Chicago on Mondays or Tuesdays to get supplies for the store.

Whetstone is a meat cutter by profession. In the past he cut meat for Gearhart's grocery in Akron, Snyder's in North Manchester, and Frank & Jerry's Market in Mentone. He opened the Country Store when poor health forced him to give up other lines of work. "The doctor wanted me to go on disability, but I said, 'There ain't no way!' My wife wanted to open a craft store, so I opened a store."

The store's grocery line is expanding all the time. Current

The store's grocery line is expanding all the time. Current items include milk, bread, margarine, cold meat, several kinds of cheese, bulk bacon, spare ribs, cereals, crackers, nuts and many types of bulk candies. In the near future, Whetstone plans to add

types of bulk candies. In the near future, Whetstone plans to add canned goods, potato chips and candy bars. "If there's anything people want, if they'll let me know, I'll get it," he says.

The Country Store offers weekly specials on selected items in weekly ads in the Shopping Guide News. Whetstone is proud of his low prices on cold meat and cheese. "I sell cold meat for 99¢ a pound all the time," he says. "And I have people come from as far as Argos to buy cheese." The meats and cheeses are delivered fresh twice each week by the Troyer company.

In addition to grocery items, the store also stocks cigarettes.

In addition to grocery items, the store also stocks cigarettes, flashlight batteries, novelty items, toys, jewelry, socket sets, screw drivers and other tools. The attractive craft items are handmade by Whetstone's wife, LuAnn, his sister, and Charlie

Whetstone plans to build an addition onto the building at a later date, and possibly cut meat on the premises. He says, "Business has been pretty good. It kinda surprised me. But people don't want to drive all the way to town every time they need something."

Although he was raised in Tippecanoe, Whetstone has lived in the Akron area for nearly 40 years. LuAnn is a federal meat inspector, and does not work in the store. She was born and raised in the house that the Country Store now occupies. Her father, Bob Nicodemus, lived in the house until he passed away about a

year ago.
The Whetstones added a parking area, sidewalk, porch railing,

repainted and added shelving to transform the house into a store. Whetstone feels some people have a misconception about his prices. "I had a fellow say, 'Well you can't buy as cheap as these big stores." But I pay the same price they do. My prices are good, and cheaper than the big stores on some things." He stresses that he wants to stock the items people want and need. "If there's something they want, I'll get it one way or the other."

Home Tips

RECYCLING - On the rural mail route where I live, I receive advertisements in small plastic bags placed on the mailbox. I save these bags and reuse them as trash bags in my car. They have holes in the top, so that makes them easy to hang from the cigarette lighter. Delia V., Hopewell

PERFUME BOTTLES — For sweet-smelling clothes, empty perfume bottles can be put among clothes stored in drawers and closets. Cecilia J., Delaware, Ohio



Craig Allen Fleck Mrs. Tim Fleck, Akron, are the parents of a son, born on Jan. 10, 1993, at 10:00 a.m. at home in Akron. The baby weighed 7 pounds and 7 ounces, measured 20 inches long and has been named Craig Allen. He has one sister, Cassandra, 5, and one brother, Cory, 2. His seather, in the former. Line mother is the former Lisa Kindig.

Grandparents are Rose and Jerry Kindig, Claypool, and Bud and Sharon Meenen, Macy. Orville and Lula Buckheister, Akron, are greatgrandparents.

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Mrec C. "Short" (Alice) Tullis Ownper

Mrs. C.C. "Short" (Alice) Tullis, Owner
Auctioneer: Arnold VanLue & Crew 1-219-893-4383

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NEWCASTLE TOWNSHIP, FULTON COUNTY, INDIANA
For the Year Ended December 31, 1992
RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, CASH BALANCES AND INVESTMENTS BALANCES

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Community Building	1,121,36		4,289.01	3,974.25	1,436.12
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Certified shares	5,314.25		1,809,25		
Property tax replacement credit	895.00		260.50		
Miscellaneous receipts	32.24		209.30		
	34.44				
Refunds				452.00	
Transfer of funds	112.00		1,234.00		
			1,204.00		
TOTAL RECEIPTS	89,550.95	<u> </u>			1,243.00
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		FIRE FUND	
To Whom Paid	Gross Amount	Tri Twp. Fire Dept.	5,272,00
Calvin Green	\$ 2,500.00	Rochester Fire Dept.	4,500.00
Eva Green	550.00	TOTAL	\$9,772.00
Sid Alber	225.00	FIRE DEBT	\$4,430.50
Wendell Scott	225.00	TOTAL	822,843,06
Calvin Green-Rent	1,100.00		422,043.00
Social Security	194.68	DISBURSEMENTS COMMUNITY BUILDING F	TIME
A.E. Boyco	114.83	NIPSCO	
Sentinel	137,40	WaterCare of Plymouth	\$1,188.22
Akron/Mentone News	90.61	Collins Trash Hauling	248.03
Hamlet Cemetery	325.00		140.50
Relater Cemetery	600.00	Eva Green	400.00
Sycamore Cemetery	250.00	Steve Moore Ins.	1,030.00
Dele Invin	400.00	Kurt Haussman	520.00
Smith, Sawyer, Smith	120.00	Steve Walters	30.00
Post Office		Nelson Well Drilling	417.50
Transfer to Fire Fund	58.00	TOTAL	\$3,974,25
TOTAL	1,234.00	POOR RELIEF	****
	88,124.52	Poor Relief Disburgements	\$1,285,02
DOG FUND		*NOTE: A detailed accounting of Poor Relief claims are of	
Dog Claims	404.00	County Auditor's Office and may be reviewed during bus	nees hours
Transfer to General	112.00	TOTAL	\$5,259.27
TOTAL	8616.00		47,230.27

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Saturday, Jenuary 23 at 10:30 a.m. Located at 1226 Franklin St. or .3 blocks east of courtheuse on 0th St. to Franklin, south to auction in Rochester. Auctioneer - Wordell Kuhr.

Saturday, Fabruary 20 at 11:00 Household, also OPEN HOUSE FOR REAL ESTATE, three houses north of Freezer Fresh on St. Rd. 14 in Akron. Auctioneer - Arnold VanLue.

Saturday, February 27 at 11:00, House in Saner Addition, three houses north of Freezer Fresh on St. Rd. 14 in Akron. Auctioneer - Arnold VanLue.



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Smoked \$ 1 89	Cube Steak \$209	Ossian Bratwurst \$ 1 89
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Del Monte Cut Green Beans 55¢	Del Monte Whole Kernel or Cream Style Corn 17 0z. Del Monte Whole Kernel or Cream Style	Kraft Macaroni & Cheese Dinner 7.25 Oz.
Van Camp Pork & Beans 16 Oz. 48 Van Camp Pork & Van Camp Pork &	Del Monte Ketchup 28 Oz. Plastic Bottle \$ 35	Chicken of the Sea In Water or Oil Tuna 70¢
Scot Lad Tomato Juice 46 Oz. Scot Lad Tomato	Creamette Elbow Macaroni 32 Oz. Box	Kellogg's Corn Pops \$39
Kraft Grape Jelly 32 Oz. Jar	General Mills Cheerios 15 Oz. \$29	Del Monte Peas 17 Oz. 57¢
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7-Up, Diet 7-Up, A&W Root Beer, Sunkist or Cream Soda 12 Pk. Cans	Kraft Regular B.B.Q. Sauce 16 Oz. \$ 1 25	Kraft American Cheese Singles 12 Oz. 16 Slices \$215
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Wednesday, January 27, 1993

Notice

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To members of the Akron community and Tippecanoe Valley School District

Please call the Shopping Guide News at

223-5417

to place news items, classifieds or display advertising. Thank You!

Ruppel proposes bill

The days of employers discharging or disciplining employees who are late for work because of commitments with emergency medical care or voluntary fire departments are over, at least as far as State Rep. William Ruppel, R-North Manchester, is concerned.

"Several constituents have motified me that they have been disciplined or even discharged due to their service with volunteer fire departments or emergency medical services," Ruppel said. "Often, emergencies occur before work and the volunteer is forced to be late to his or her job."

Ruppel's bill, if passed, would make it a Class B misdemeanor with a maximum fine of up to 180 days or \$1,000 for a private employer to discharge or discipline an employee who is a emergency medical technician, a paramedic, a first responder, a member of a certified ambulance service, or a volunteer firefighter due to the employee's tardiness to work while making an emergency response.

"Much support has been given to this bill," Ruppel said. "Jerry Hauer, executive director of state Emergency Management Agency, has been very encouraging and

helpful in the preparation of the bill. He and I both acknowledge the importance of providing a safeguard in protecting the full-time positions of volunteer firemen and other emergency workers."

The bill is currently waiting to be assigned to committee and will be voted on later in the month.

Zebras In an almost con

Vikings lose to

In an almost complete reversal of last month's Plymouth Holiday the Tippecanoe Valley Vikings let an early 16 point lead slip away, to be defeated 74-66 by the Rochester Zebras. Rochester hosted the Three Rivers Conference match.

Valley had a good first half, leading by 19-6 at the end of the first quarter and 38-30 at the half. The Zebras took the lead 53-52 with 1:08 left in the third quarter. The final quarter began with a 54-54 tie.

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Scott Finney, who had been a doubtful starter after a shoulder injury suffered in an auto accident, had a strong first quarter. He scored ten points, eight of them in a row. Finney also made a free throw at the 7:27 mark in the second quarter to give Valley their biggest lead of the game 22-6. He finished the game with a total of 13 points.

Ryan Bowers was the

Ryan Bowers was the Viking's leading scorer with 16 points. Also scoring points for Valley were Brandon Loer and Brandon Hackworth with 11 each, Jeremy Cox with nine, Brent Paxton with four, and Justin Davis with two.

The Vikings are now 5-7 overall and 2-3 in the Three Rivers Conference. They will travel to Manchester on January 29.



Subscription Refunds

Akron-Mentone News subscribers can expect to receive a refund check for the number of paid issues remaining on their subscriptions by the middle of February. Any out-of-county subscribers wishing to transfer their subscriptions to the Shopping Guide News may do so. The Shopping Guide will feature news from Akron and the Tippecanoe Valley school system.

If you have any questions or wish to transfer your subscription please call 893-4433 or 223-5417. There is no need to call for refunds, they will automatically be sent.

Genealogy meeting

The Genealogy Section of Fulton County Historical Society will meet on Tuesday, Feb. 2 at 2 p.m. to plan a workshop coming in March. The meeting will be at Fulton County Museum.

DAR Good Citizen

Brandon Spitler has been named the DAR-Good Citizen of Triton High School by the Tippecanoe River Wythougan Chapter of DAR. To qualify for the award the student must be a senior and exemplify outstanding qualifications of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism in their school and community.

Brandon serves as treasurer of the National Honor Society, vice president of the Senior Class and a member of SADD, Spanish and science clubs and has participated in Quiz Bowl. As a member of the Mentone United Methodist Church he also takes an active part in the youth group where he has served as president. Brandon is on the Triton golf team and works part time at the Streamliner Central Restaurant in Rochester. His future plans are to attend Purdue University where he has been accepted to the Dept. of



Engineering, working towards a degree in civil engineering.

Terry and Cindy Spitter of and 423 20th Rd., are Brandon's parents. Terry is employed as a Civil Engineer at Nipsco in Warsaw and Cindy is owner of Towne House Beauty Salon in Mentone and a representative of Home Interiors and Gifts.

Preschool open house and registration

Open house and registration for the Jack & Jill Preschool will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 9, 1993 from 7:00-9:00 in the evening. The preschool is located at the Mentone United Methodist Church. Registration will be for the 1993-1994 school year.

The non-denominational preschool is the combined effort of the Mentone Community and the Mentone United Methodist Church to provide a Christian atmosphere for social, physical, emotional, and academic development of the three and four year old child.

Three-year-old classes meet from 8:45-11:15 a.m. on Monday and Tuesday. Classes for the four-year-olds are offered in the mornings from 8:45-11:15 or aftermoons from 12:30-3:00 on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Children must be three or

Children must be three or four on or before June 1, 1993 for class enrollment. Class size is limited

For more information call Bev Surface at 353-7802 on Mondays or Tuesdays between 12:00-3:00 in the afternoon.

Akron's Most Wanted!

The following students have been selected as "Akron's Most Wanted!" for displaying excellence at Akron School:

Matthew Manns, Chad Cunningham, Damien Flannery, Ryan Anglin, Kim Skidmore, Alicia Terpstra, Heather Conley, Brittany Prater, Wes Ramsey, Dane Smalley, Dana Holloway, Jim Eastwood, Vanessa Hammond, Amber Osterman, Mandy Barber, Alan Rensberger and Vickie Steen.

RCA Tennis Championships

The 1993 RCA men's professional hardcourt tennis championships will be held August 14-22 at the Indianapolis Sports Center. Players already committed to the tournament include Boris Becker, Jim Courier and Pete Sampras.

Ticket information is available by mail at the tournament office, 815 W. New York Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202, or by phone at 317-632-8000 or 1-800-622-LOVE.

THEO TURNER

Theo "Ted" Charles Turner, 65, of 9804 South 750 West, Beaver Dam Lake, Claypool, died at 12:17 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 19, 1993 in Kosciusko Community Ho Warsaw, following a Hospital, illness.

He was born Feb. 27, 1927 in Grant County to Lawrence and Laura Miller Turner. He had lived in Kokomo.

On Sept. 22, 1982 in Van Buren he married Shirley Conner, who survives. He retired in 1988 from Chrysler Corporation of Kokomo as a tool and die maker. He was the owner and operator of Beaver Dam Bait and Cafe. He was an Army Air Force Veteran of World War II, a member of world war II, a member of the North Manchester Moose Lodge and the United Auto Workers and was a graduate of Van Buren High School.

Surviving with his wife are two daughters, including Mrs. David (Deena) Kollin, Claypool; (Deena) David (Deena) Kollin, Claypool; three sons, including, Charles and Kyle, both of Claypool; two step-daughters; 10 grandchildren; his mother, Laura Ringer, Claypool, and nine step-sisters and sight step-brithers eight step-brothers.

Services were Saturday in artzler Funeral Home, Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. Ersel Potts officiating. Burial was in the Akron Cemetery.

HENRY TILDEN
Henry L. "Hank" Tilden,
88, Rt. 2, Macy, died at 9:28
p.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, 1993 at
Miller's Merry Manor, Peru,
where he was a resident where he was a resident.

He was born March 29, 1904 in Miami County to Herman A. and Tresa Landis

Tilden.
On July 19, 1930 in Rochester he married Edith Hartzler, who lives at their Macy home.

He had worked as a farmer, a truck driver and a at a sawmill. He attended the United Methodist Ehenezer Church, north of Denver.

Surviving with his wife are

Macy; a ter. Mary Dennis. son. grandson; a sister, Mary Wright, Rochester, and a brother. Preceding in death

were a son and a brother.

Services were Wednesday in Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. Donald Ritchey officiating. Burial was in the Enterprise Cemetery at Roann

K. MAE MILLER
K. Mae Miller, 85, Roann, died at 10:50 a.m. Friday, Jan. 22, 1993 at Wabash County Hospital in Wabash.

She was born April 12, 1907 in Roann to Jasper and Rose Etta Neal Milam.

Her first marriage was to

Her first marriage was to Frank Shaver, who preceded in death. On July 23, 1978 she married Lloyd Miller, who survives.

She was a member of the Roann First Brethren Church and the Gideon Auxiliary. She worked at CTS in Elkhart for 47 years as a production worker for the supply company. She was a literacy tutor for 12 years.

Surviving with her husband are a son, Terry Miller, Rochester, two grandchildren; three sisters; and a brother. Preceding in death were three

brothers and a sister.
Services were Monday at the Roann Chapel Grandstaff-Hentgen Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to the Wabash County Cancer Society.

> HELEN SHOEMAKER

Helen Beatrice Shoemaker, 84, of 2211 Hillcrest Drive, Plymouth, died at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23, 1993 in Holy Cross Parkview Hospital in Plymouth following a twoweek illness.

She was born Jan. 3, 1909 in Paulding County, Ohio to Earl M. and Fay H. Murphy Shimer. She was formerly of Argos.

On Aug. 31, 1929 in Chicago she married Ralph Shoemaker, who died Nov. 18,

Methodist Church

eath was a brother. Services will be at 11 a.m.

Wednesday at

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care, riding and training. The 4-H Horse and Pony Club

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If you are interested in learning more about horses,

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4-H Horse and Pony

allows young people acquire a sense

project

Surviving are a son; three

grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. Preceding in

Wednesday at Grossman Funeral Home, Argos, with the Rev. Jack Rhoades and Dr. Donald C. Lacy officiating. Burial will be in the Walnut Church of the Brethren Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Argos United Methodist Church or the Visiting Nurse Association.

Association.

Letters to the Editor She retired 20 years ago as a doctor's receptionist. She was member of the Argos United

To the people of Akron:

For the past 2-1/2 years I've been writing feature articles on people in and around the Akron community for *The Akron-Mentone News*. During that time I've had the opportunity to meet and get to know many wonderful and interesting people in the area. I would like to thank all of you for your hospitality and for allowing me the opportunity to work with you. It has been a rewarding experience, which I have greatly enjoyed.

I will continue to write human interest articles for the Shopping Guide News and would appreciate any suggestions you might have on people or subjects of interest in the Akron

and the

Grossman

Tonia Weller

Dear Sir:

I was sorry to read in the Wednesday, January 13, 1993 issue of the Akron-Mentone News that you are ceasing publication on January 27, but I do recognize the problems you face and the

I was born in Mentone in 1911 and graduated from Indiana University in 1934, so I really haven't lived in Mentone since 1930, but we always have a soft spot in our hearts for the locale of our youth, particularly when we know about the past and our family involvement.

Tamily involvement.

My father and grandfather started a store in Mentone around the turn of the century, but with the mobility of people increasing with development of the automobile and improvement of roads, etc. the business in a small town became more difficult and Dad finally sold out in 1940.

Fortunately I have maintained some ties with the community throughout the years and even after Dad died in the early '60s. My sister Annabel has lived in the community all these years and was joined by our sister Margaret Foulks when she retired from teaching in the schools in South Bend.

I still feel that I have a relationship with the community through the bank and I often visit with Forest Miner. When I am in town I regularly see Donald Van Gilder and consider him to be somewhat of an anchor.

I will have to admit that in reading the paper in recent years there wasn't much that was familiar to me, although I have found something from time to time in the column quoting from earlier issues of the papers that was familiar to me.

I hope the community will flourish in the future and send best wishes to all my acquaintances whom I hope to see from time to time when I get down to Mentone.

Sincerely. James S. Mentzer



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The Viking Football Parents would like to thank the following The Viking Football Parents would nike to trank the toniowing people for donations during the past football season: Dean Foods, Day Hardware; McDonalds (No. Manchester); Larry Wood; Nelson Farms-Mike Nelson; Creighton Bros.-Eddie Creighton; Nickles Bakery; Red Hall; Steve Petrosky; Joe Tackett; Sloane's Fine Foods; Tony Cox; Viking Foods; Mark Powell; Vic & Jo Gamble; First Bank; Lake City Bank; Tim's Body Shop; Polly Finney; Warsaw Engineering & Fab. (Lynn & Jim Weaver); Dan Franklin; Sean Hammond; rry Smalley; Roy Vandermark; and all the football parents who helped in any way.

Thanks again. Ruby Bowers, Pres. Janet Hackworth, Treas. Renee Caudill, Sec.



Crime of the Week January 24

The Fulton County Crime Stoppers have selected a Missing Peron/Runaway Case as the Crime of the Week.

On the morning of January 11th, 1992, Nicole Marie Seese left her foster nome on State Road 25 North of Rochester. With her she took some clothes and personal items. A letter was left behind, in which she stated that "no one knows where she is going, I'm not sure myself." Nicole is now 15 years old, 5'11", 198 lbs, brown eyes, brown shoulder length hair. She asked in the letter, "Please try not to worry too much." Her family and friends are worried for her safety. If anyone has any information on the whereabouts of Nicole Seese please call Crime Stoppers. Your call is confidential.

If you have any information on this crime or any other crime, give Crime Stoppers a call at 219-223-7867. You could earn up to a \$1,000 reward if the information leads to an arrest or indictment. Callers do not have to reveal their names and all calls are confidential. "Crime does not pay, but we do!'

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Without freedom of thought, there can be no such thing as wisdom; and no such thing as public liberty without freedom of speech...Whoever would overthrow the liberty of a nation and begin by subduing the freedom of speech...

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Letters to the Editor

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Dear Concerned Citizen, Your Letter to the Editor of January 13, 1993 sure has caused an emotional turmoil among other concerned citizens. I do have some questions for you.

Are you now or have you ever worked for the public?
 " " " " " volunteered for public service work or

community projects.

3. Are you now or have you ever considered running for a political office? I.E. Town Clerk or Council Member?

4. Are you a registered voter? If not--Why not? Because item #3 requires you to be.

If you will not consider the above 4 items-why are criticizing one person? Who by the way was appointed. Maybe because:

1. I just live here.

I don't want to do anything or get involved.
 I don't have the time.

4. I just like to gripe-period.5. I pay my taxes so I have a right to gripe.

A personal vendetta.

And maybe all of the above-which is a cop out. Your solution:

A combination of the first 4 questions asked of you. If your are not willing to do this-my father taught me at a very early age-if you can't say something nice about a person-don't say anything at all-it could be you they are talking about.

My summation:

1. Get yourself involved, whether it be volunteer or elected.
2. Consider other citizens feelings above your own.
3. Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

The rules and regulations by State Statute are far different on this side of the desk

Are you willing to find out what they are?

Sincerely. Jean Connor

Dear Editor,

I want to know if this guy in the water office is on salary. The man is never in his office. Every month I have to make two or three trips to catch him in. I know what your thinking why not put it in the deposit box? Well I tried that one time and some how my bill got misplaced and I almost had to give up my first born to get it straightened up. And I won't send it due to it would probably get lost in all of his work also.

All I ask is for him to hang up a schedule and be there when

he is supposed to. Or start making rounds to houses to collect! It's bad enough having to pay for this nasty water let alone getting the run around when you have to pay your bill. I'm free during the day till 2:00 p.m. if the man needs help

doing his job. Put me on the pay roll I could use some of this easy money too!!!

Signed, Jerry Bucher Akron

Dear Lynn Kline and Others

Akron W.T.C.U. holds meeting The Akron W.C.T.U. held their January meeting in the Akron Library on Wednesday evening, January 20, 1993 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting opened

with group singing Devotions

were given by Betty Gearhart. A short business session was

conducted by the president, Lucile Doering, Janet Hawley

was in charge of the program.

She played a piano solo and then gave updates on legislation in the Indiana Legislature as well as some

national updates and concerns about bills before congress. The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Norma Burns.

A silent auction was held and refreshments were served

the hostess, Rosemary

Kindig.

You said Marty was the best town superintendent that we ever

Maybe you have already forgot Garland Sparks. Who in my

eyes and others was the best person we ever had. He would help every person in town and not just a selected few.

As for the person riding with Marty, this should not be allowed. We pay for the truck and insurance not him. Its not for public persons to joy ride. public persons to joy ride.

blic persons to joy nae.
As for my name I don't care who knows.
William L. Cunningham

Service Notes

David L. Kistler

David L. Kistler has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of airman at Edwards Air Force Base, Rosamond, Calif.

Kistler, an aerospace apprentice aerospace propulsion specialist, is the son of Mark W. Kistler of 504 Fulton Ave. and Pat S. Kistler of 1420 Jefferson, both of Rochester and graduated from Rochester High School in 1988.

Pvt. Jason E. Swango
Army Pvt. Jason E. Swango, a portable air defense system crewmember, has system crewmember, has arrived for duty at Fort Riley, Junction City, Kansas.

Swango is the son of Steve E. Swango, Rt. 4, Peru, and Terri L. Swango, 503 Pontiac St., Rochester and a 1992 graduate of Rochester High School.

Pvt. Harles S. Hughes
Pvt. Randal L. Zorn II
Pvt. Joshua A. Small
Pvt. Harles S. Hughes, Pvt.
Randal L. Zorn II and Pvt.
Joshua A. Small have completed basic training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Hughes is the son of Harles Hughes and step-son of Linda L. Hughes of 2554 South 550 Warsaw, and a graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School, Mentone.

Zom is the son of Marilyn E. Miller of 11 Shamrock Trail Curt, Warsaw and a 1987 raduate of Warsaw High School.

Small is the son of Rick A. and Mary S. Small of Warsaw and is a 1992 graduate of Warsaw Community High





206 East Main Mentone

Tucker weds Mikesell

Cheri Lyn Tucker and Dennis Andrew Mikesell, Jr. were united in marriage November 28, 1992 at the Beaver Dam United Methodist Church. The bride is the daughter of Charles and Cara Lyn Tucker of Mentone. Denny and Joyce Mikesell of Rochester are the parents of the groom.

A reception was held at the Atwood Civic Center following

the ceremony.

The couple is at home at 351 Woods Edge, West Lafayette, IN 47906.

The Shopping Guide News will be expanding its news coverage in the Akron area. We are in need of a correspondent to cover town board meetings, local fires and accidents, news about townsfolk, etc. Payment will be on a "per column inch published" basis. If you are interested please fill out the application below and mail to the Shopping Guide News by January 29, 1993.

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It Happend In Akron

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON TAKEN FROM THE AKRON NEWS **JANUARY 25, 1968** 25 YEARS AGO

Celebrates 94th birthday

Mrs. Minnie Riggle celebrated her 94th birthday Sunday, January 21.

Those who spent the afternoon with her and Mrs. Edith Dixon were Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Riggle, Robert Riggle, Mrs. Richard Riggle and daughter of Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ballenger, Mr. and Mrs. James Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Charles White, and Mrs. Rae Wildermuth.

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON TAKEN FROM THE AKRON NEWS JANUARY 27, 1944 50 YEARS AGO

News of Our Men and Women in Uniform

William Riley, U.S. Navy, and his wife visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Riley, a few days last week. They left Friday to return to San Francisco.

Lieut. Gene Branning of Camp Shelby, Mississippi spent the weekend here with his grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Rittenhouse.
T.B. Hathaway has received word from his grandson, Harry

Miller that he has arrived safely in North Africa

It Happend In Mentone

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE TAKEN FROM THE MENTONE NEWS JANUARY 31, 1968 25 YEARS AGO

Enrolls in Nursing School

Mrs. Ralph Ward has enrolled in the School of Practical Nursing at Northwestern Michigan College, Traverse City, Mich. She left today and will begin classwork Monday.

Off to Bermuda

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hibschman left Indianapolis this morning to spend four days in Bermuda. They are part of a large group of area suppliers participating in the short tour. Mrs. Maydean Dorsey will stay with the Hibschman girls while their parents

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP JANUARY 27, 1943 **50 YEARS AGO**

News of Mentone and Vicinity

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Mrs. W.W. McMahon of Marion, Ohio, returned to her home Saturday after visiting for a week in the home of her son-in-law

and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. E. Coleman Ralston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bowen, from Quincy, Michigan, spent
Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Bowen.

Corp. Wm. E. Cook, of Augusta, Ga., spent a few days the past week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cook. John L. Kessler, of South Bend, and Elmer Rathfon of west of

Mentone, were visitors at the J.D. Long home Monday

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Pedestrian Safety

Indiana's dark, gray days of winter are not only hard on the spirit, but also make it difficult for pedestrians to be seen.

Over 40% of pedestrian
accidents occur during darkness and considering how few days of sun Hoosiers have experienced lately, it is wise to careful while walking. Special attention should given to school age children on their way to and from

"Eighty percent of all child pedestrian accidents are caused by unsafe actions by the child," stated Dr. Marilyn accidents Bull, Medical Director of the Automotive Safety Automotive Safety for Children Program at Riley Hospital for Children. "And the majority of pedestrian accidents occur near the child's own home." Dr. Bull encourages parents actively involved to reinforcing safe pedestrian practices for their children. At this mid-point in the school year, it is a good time to make sure you and your children practice the following

pedestrian safety tips.
Children should wear bright-colored clothing during the day and reflective clothing in bad weather and in the dark. Consider putting retroreflective tape on book bags and back packs. Drivers can see a person wearing retroreflective material from 744 feet away, 10 times sooner than a person wearing dark clothing. Also, a dark clothing. Also, a flashlight is a good idea in the dark, especially when the footing is rough.

Children offer

can stop on a dime, but it takes about 300 feet to stop a car at 40 mph. Also remind your child that even though they might see the vehicle's headlights, the driver probably doesn't see them.

"Even though most parents were taught to 'look both ways' before crossing the street, that is not the message parents should pass on to their child," Dr. Bulls adds. She child," Dr. Bulls adds. She stresses that all pedestrians should follow the three step crossing procedure, "look left, then right, then left again before crossing the street. Be sure to continue to scan as you cross the street."

Over the past five years, 114 children were killed and almost 5,600 children were injured in pedestrian accidents in Indiana. For more information to help prevent future pedestrian accidents contact Automotive Safety for Children at Riley Hospital for Children at 1-800-543-6227.

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Community News





Senior Citizens come join for a well-balanced meal and fellowship. If you are 60 years of age or older, please call 893-1287 for your meal reservations. No walk-ins please. All meals are ordered in advanced. The Nutrition Site is located in the Akron Lions Club building, 108 North Maple Street. The Site is open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, except for holidays. Lunch is served at 11:30 a.m. on a donation basis.

Monday, February 1 Meat loaf, green beans/potato mix, orange, cherry cobbler, oatmeal bread,

Wednesday, February 3 Ham and beans/onions, spinach, tossed salad, pineapple, combread, milk. Friday, February 5

Chicken nuggets, vinegar cole slaw, macaroni/cheese, plums, rye bread, milk.

Mentone **Nutrition Site**

Services Nutrition programs invites persons age 60 or older to attend the Meal Site at the Community Room, Fire Station, Mentone. The telephone number is 353-7555. Please make reservations 24 hours in

advance.

The menu for the week of through February 1 February 5 is:

Monday-Orange juice, stuffed cabbage in tomato suace, wax beans, cottage cheese w/chives, whole wheat bread w/margarine, peaches,

milk, tea and coffee.

22 Grams Fat/42 Milligrams Chol.

Tuesday-V-8 juice, breaded oven fried chicken quarter, mashed potatoes w/ gravy, spinach w/vinegar, whole wheat bread w/margarine, baked apple slices, milk, tea, coffee.

23 Fat/98 Cholesterol

Wednesday-Apple juice, pork choppette in mushroom gravy, scalloped com, tossed salad w/green pepper, salad w/green per shredded red cabbage pepper, Italian dressing, wheat bread creamy cracked w/margarine, tapioca pudding, milk, tea and coffee.

41 fat/57 Cholesterol. Thursday-Peach nectar, cream of potato soup w/saltines, jumbo beef hot dog on bun w/ketchup, mustard, onions & sweet relish, pineapple, Caterer's choice cookies, milk, tea, coffee.

35 Fat/73 Cholesterol Friday-Grape juice, salmon loaf w/white sauce, parsleyed potatoes, peas, whole wheat bread w/margarine, pumpkin pie w/topping, milk, tea, coffee

32 Fat/91 cholesterol Menus subject to change without notice. Due to the diets of some people, the food is not highly seasoned.

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Tuesday, January 19 ADMISSIONS: Theo C.

Turner, Claypool.
DISMISSALS: Heather A. Burlison and daughter, Claypool and Thelma L. daughter, Lockridge, Akron.

Wednesday, January 20
ADMISSIONS: Denise Snep, Claypool and Laura F.

Waites, Mentone.

BIRTHS: Mr. and Mrs.

Douglas Snep, Claypool, a daughter.

Laura F. Waites, Mentone, a daughter DISMISSALS: David M.E.

Bertram, Silver Lake; Eleanor R. Rowland, Silver Lake.

Woodlawn Hospital

Tues., January 19
ADMISSIONS: Hildegard Bradley, Rochester; Amy Bretzinger, Rochester; Setta Carlile, Rochester, Susanna Schaeffner, Rochester.

DISMISSALS: Hodge, Rochester, Paul Lewis, Rochester, Dwayne McAtee,

BIRTHS: Drs. Wade and Eileen Hsu, Rochester, a son.
Wed., January 20

ADMISSIONS: Matthew Russell, Rochester. DISMISSALS: Hildegard Bradley, Rochester.

Thurs., January 21
ADMISSIONS: C Casey Brown, Rochester; Josephine Bucher, Claypool; Darrell Bucher, Claypool; Darrell Hall, Rochester, Wilda Johnson, Macy; Sarah Oden, Sampsel, Rochester, Mary Sampsel, Rochester, Carrie Swihart,

DISMISSALS: Kimberly Burns, Rochester, Eileen Hsu

and son, Rochester. Fri., January 22 ADMISSIONS: **Bobbie** Stahl, Rochester.

DISMISSALS: David Besse, Kewanna; Amy Bretzinger, Rochester; Sarah Rochester: Susanna

Oden, Rochester, Susanna
Schaeffner, Rochester.
Sat., January 23
ADMISSIONS: Michele
Bahney, Macy; William Cody
Dudgeon, Macy; Derek Akron; Leckrone, Shepherd, Burket. DISMISSALS: Carrie

Swihart, Akron. Mon., January 24 ADMISSIONS: M Mildred

Thompson, Akron. DISMISSALS: Josephine Bucher, Claypool; William Dudgeon, Macy; Bobbie Stahl, Rochester; Ruth Ousley, Claypool; Elias Miller, Claypool; Elias Miller, Rochester, transferred to St. Joseph Hospital, South Bend. BIRTHS: Robert and Sandy

Ault, Rt. 1, Denver, daughter.

T.H.E. Club

The Talma Homemakers Extension club met in the home of Virginia Mikesell for the January 14 meeting. Retty

The president, McGowen, opene opened the meeting reading, "My New Years Resolutions!" Pledges to the flags and club creed repeated in unison. Devotions by Lois Doud were poems by Helen Steiner Rice.
"Thy Will Be Done" and "A New Year! A New Day! A New Life!"

Betty McGowen led in singing the Song of the Month, "The More We Get Together" and "Happy Birthday" to Lois Dougle at Millers of the Month of the Mo "Happy Anniversary" Virginia Mikesell.

The president reported on Jan. 7, Fulton County Extension Homemakers Council Meeting. The date of the Achievement Night is April 20, St. Joseph Parish Hall, 6:30 p.m. with a carry-in meal. Each club may exhibit one Cultural Arts item for judging and one Rug Making entry from each club can be

made.

The project lesson, r...

Issue For America, was presented by Lois Doud. Edith Walters' topic for Health and "Walking" was "Walking For Fun." Greenwood gave the citizenship report, "Americans Greatest Document-Declaration of Independence."

The Collect was repeated to close the meeting. The door prize was won by Donnabelle Grossman. The program consisted of videos from the Office, Enviroshopping--Packaging of foods, snacks, recycling--

Confidential

Income Tax Preparation

Reduce, Reuse, Reject and Respond" and "Country Roads - Seat Belts and Safety," a high percentage of accidents are on rural roads. It is important to buckle up at all

The February meeting will be in the home of Donnabelle

School Menus

Area School lunch menus for the week of February 1 through February 5 are:

T.V.H.S.

-Cheeseburger, Monday dill slices, celery and carrot sticks, buttered com, sticks, pineapple upside-down cake, mixed fruit and fruit juice and

Tuesday - Chicken & noodles, cheese slice, mashed potatoes, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, mixed vegetables, lettuce salad, sliced peaches, fruit juice and milk milk. Wednesday - Ham &

cheese sandwich with mayo, tri-tator, California blend with cheese sauce, peach jello salad, applesauce, fruit juice and milk.

Thursday - Goulash, hot roll with butter and jelly, seasoned peas, cole slaw, sliced pears, fruit juice and

Friday - Pizza, seasoned beans, cookies, green oineapple tidbits, fruit juice and milk.

Students have choice of main entree or salad bowl everyday. A'la carte items available daily. Menu subject to change.

AKRON

Monday - Pizza, French fries, pineapple, baked item.

Tuesday - Ravioli, sliced carrots, pears, peanut butter

Wednesday - Ham salad ndwich, baked beans,

wednesday - Hain Salad sandwich, baked beans, parfait/fruit, carrot stick. Thursday - Turkey & noodles, mashed potatoes, peas, whole wheat butter peas, bread.

Friday - Sack Lunch.

Smoke alarm check

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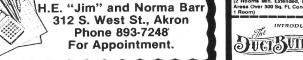
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Manager Sue Click and employee Kathy Russell d some of the tapes available at D & C Country Video. sell display

D & C Country Video

By Tonia Weller
"Our goal is to keep the customer happy by offering friendly service and lower prices," manager Sue Click says of D & C Country Video. The business, owned by Doug and Carol Beenblossom, is located in a red pole building on the Fulton-Miami County Line Road, 2-1/2 miles south of Akron. (Take St. Rd. 19 County Line Road, 2-1/2 miles south of Akron. (Take St. Rd. 19 south of Akron to where it turns sharply to the east, take the road-Fulton CR 400S or Miami CR 1600N-west 1/4 mile to the second place on the south side. Signs are posted) Store hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 2-8 p.m. on Sundays. A drop box is available for after-hours returns.

D & C Country Video offers a selection of over 1700 tapes, including new releases, older classics and Nintendo tapes. Rentlanicar strengthers 504 to 5.00 MCRIS. Nintendo and Suntar

al prices range from 50¢ to \$2.00. VCR's, Nintendo and Super-nintendo units are also available for rental. Tapes and machines can be reserved by calling 219-893-7495.

The membership fee is one dollar per year. Any new member who signs up during the month of February will receive \$1 off their first movie rental. On Saturday, January 30, any customer who rents two new movies will get a \$1 movie free. There are also weekly drawings for \$1 off rentals. Copies of previously

viewed movies are available for purchase.

There are two Wolff tanning beds available at D & C for \$2.50 per session, ten sessions for \$20, or 20 sessions for \$35. From February 1 through Feb. 13, customers who buy ten sessions will get an additional one free, or buy 20 and get two free. The store sells Caribbean Gold and Trevor Island tanning products. Any current customer who brings in a new tanning member will receive a free session. Tanning customers should call for an appointment.

In addition to videos and tanning, D & C Country Video also offers a large selection of candy bars, 12 packs of Pepsi products, posters, collector cards, and VCR covers. An outside pop machine is in operation and T-shirts and sweatshirts are sometimes offered for sale.

Besides the Beenblossoms and Sue Click, the store also employs Kathy Russell and Gerri Click. Since opening in April 1989, D & C Country Video has established a solid clientele. It has also become a popular spot for school kids and area farmers to stop for a quick snack. D & C offers convenience, a huge selection, value, and friendly service

Views On Dental Health H. RAY HAZEN, D.D.S., M.S.D., P.C.

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Stress can affect you in many ways, sometimes leading to dental problems when habits such as grinding the teeth develop. Bruxism, or grinding of the teeth, is usually an unconscious activity, occurring during the night when you're sleeping. The results are often felt in the morning when you feel pain or a dull aching in your jaw joints. This is one of the symptoms of temporomandibular joint syndrome (TMJ), and the problems can intensify until the condition is treated by you

Many forms of treatment are available, including the use of relaxation drugs as well as exercises. The goal is to help return the jaw to its normal function, eliminating the muscle spasms that cause pain and discomfort. Treatment will also include attention to other dental problems caused by grinding of the teeth.

One of the most common is malocclusion or improperly aligned teeth, which can intensify the pain associated with temporomandibular joint syndrome and cause it to spread to other areas of the head and next

Prepared as a public service to promote better dental health. From the office of: H. RAY HAZEN, D.D.S., M.S.D., P.C., 1329 Main St., Rochester. Phone 223-3121.

Who Carved Courthouse Lions?

What was the name of the culptor who carved the stone lions by the courthouse in 1896? Research has failed to bring the man's name to light because he was paid by the contractor instead of directly by the county.

Does anyone know this man's name? He was a German and could not speak English, his 10 year old son acted as interpreter. Call the Fulton County Museum at 223-4436 if you know the

This is one of the questions raised at the Fulton County Historical Society meeting

January 24.

The Historic Landmarks
Foundation of Indiana is
conducting an inventory of out-door sculpture and needs the name of the sculptor of the stone lions at the Rochester courthouse.

Glory-June Greiff,

Indianapolis, showed slides on WPA Projects in Indiana, a program she compiled for the Indiana Humanities Council. Greiff is also compiling the sculpture inventory.

Akron's town park and Fulton's two stone foot bridges were WPA projects. Bertha Waltz recalled that her father, Joe Hower, worked with WPA to erect posts for parking lot by Fulton School.

Real Estate Auction Sat., February 27, 1993

at 11:00 r Fresh on St. Rd. 14 in Akron (OPEN HOUSE Three houses north of Freezer Fresh on St. Rd. February 20th during personal property auction)



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Total electric w/central air, two bedrooms, large living room w/fireplace (Earth Stove insert), large kitchen w/15 counter top space-new built-in electric range-louble oven-dishwasher-dinette area, utility room, many closets & storage couve insert), large kitchen w/15' counter top space-new built-in electric range-double oven-dishwasher-dinette area, utility room, many closets & storage areas. Window treatments and carpet, bath with shower & tub, attaat one car garage w/shop area. Aluminum siding. Storage bldg. on approx. 1/2 acre lot. Everrgreens, trees & shrubs, garden area, St. Rd. 14 frontage. TERMS: 10% down day of sale, balance due upon delivery of warranty deed. Statements made day of sale balance due upon delivery of warranty deed. Statements made day of sale balance due upon delivery of warranty deed. Statements made day of sale balance due upon delivery of warranty deed.

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TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT TO THE TOWNSHIP BOARD, THE COUNTY AUDITOR, THE STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS AND THE BUREAU OF CENSUS

FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP, KOSCIUSKO COUNTY, INDIANA For The Year Ended December 31, 1992

	eginning Cash			Ending Cash	Investments	Total Cash and
	Fund Balances	1992	1992	Fund Balances	at	Investments
Fund-	1-1-92	Receipts	Disbursements	12-31-92	Dec. 31	at Dec. 31
Township	\$26,728.04	\$10,428.14	\$12,887.04	\$24,269.14	\$9,124.24	\$33,393,38
Poor Relief*	11,930.94	323.57	6,168.96	6.085.55	2005	6,085,55
Fire Fighting	15,385.64	14,438.09	7,890.00	21,933,73		21,933.73
Dog	510.00	250.00	210.00	550.00		550.00
Recreation	1,959.54	1,590.66	1,700.00	1.850.20		1,850.20
TOTALS	\$56,414,16	\$26,782,96	\$28,856.00	\$54,688,62	\$9,124,24	\$63,812.86
A detailed Accounting of Re- OBTAIN FIGURES FROM YO	OUR COUNTY AUD	TOR'S RECORDS				
Part 2 - RECEIPTS						
Part 2 - RECEIPTS	Township	Poor Relief	Fire Fighting	Dog	Recreation	
	Township Fund	Poor Retief Fund*	Fire Fighting Fund	Dog Fund	Recreation Fund	
			Fund		Fund	
General Property Taxes	Fund	Fund*			Fund \$1,850.20	
Part 2 - RECEIPTS General Property Taxes Financial Institution tax Auto and aircraft excles tax	Fund \$ 9,178.61 218.86	Fund*	Fund		Fund	
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JR COUNTY AUDITOR'S RECORDS ENTS - BY FUNCTION FOR TOWNSHIP, FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING AND POOR RELIEF FUNDS

\$6,168.96 \$6,168.96 SHIP, FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING AND POOR RELIEF FUNDS

PART 3B - DISBURSEMENTS DISBURSEMENTS GENERAL <u>To Whom Paid</u> Bogge & Neleon Ins. Ag Buni Leininger (Clerk) 234.50 \$13,577.09 POOR RELIEF DISBURSEMENT TOTAL \$6,168,96 \$6,168,96 FIRE FIGHTING I Tri Twp. Fire Dept Burket Fire Dept Akron Fire Dept. TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS DOG-RECREATION
Beaver Dam Comm. Park
Pam McFarland EMENTS DOG-REC.-FIRE FUND 225.00 225.00 450.00 PART 4: CASH AND INVESTMENTS AT DECEMBER 31, 1992

Total Investments 0634900 County Auditor

TOTAL CASH
TOTAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS
STATE OF INDIANA

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HENRY TOWNSHIP, FULTON COUNTY, INDIANA

	For The	Year Ende	ed December 3	1. 1992	
Part 1 - STATEMENT OF R					
	Beginning Cash			Ending Cash	Total Cash and
	Fund Balances	1992	1992	Fund Balances	Investments
Fund	1-1-92	Receipts	Disbursements	12-31-92	at December 31
Township	8 6.845.63	\$10,824,64	\$ 8,283,43	\$ 9,386,84	\$ 9,386,84
Poor Relief*	920.72	3,998,38	1,474.63	3,444,47	3,444,47
Fire Fighting	8,042.95	24,076,52	23,343,93	8,775,54	8,775.54
Federal Revenue Sharing	274.85		1-0.	274.85	274.85
Dog	503.00	392.50	293.00	692.50	692.50
TOTALS	\$16,677.15	\$39,292,04	\$33,394.99	\$22,574.20	\$22,574.20
A detailed Accounting of I business hours.	Receipts and Dieb	areements is on fi	le in the Township Trus	tee's Office and may be	reviewed during
* OBTAIN FIGURES FROM	YOUR COUNTY A	UDITOR'S RECO	RDS		
Part 2 - RECEIPTS					
	Township	Fire Fighting	Dog		
	Fund	Fund	Fund		
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES 1,700.29 9,769.64

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PART 4: CASH AND INVESTMENTS AT DECEMBER 31, 1992

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Total Cash
Total Cash and Investments \$22,574,20 \$22,574,20

STATE OF INDIANA SS:

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FULTON COUNTY
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