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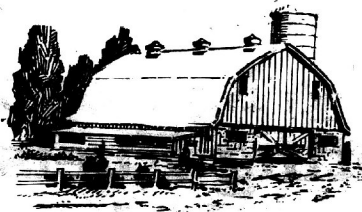
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The two groups competed with schools from the whole of Indiana. They were rated in several areas by three different judges.

Each year the Swing Choir and Girls' Chorus attend this contest, but this was the first year a superior rating was given to one of the TVHS groups.

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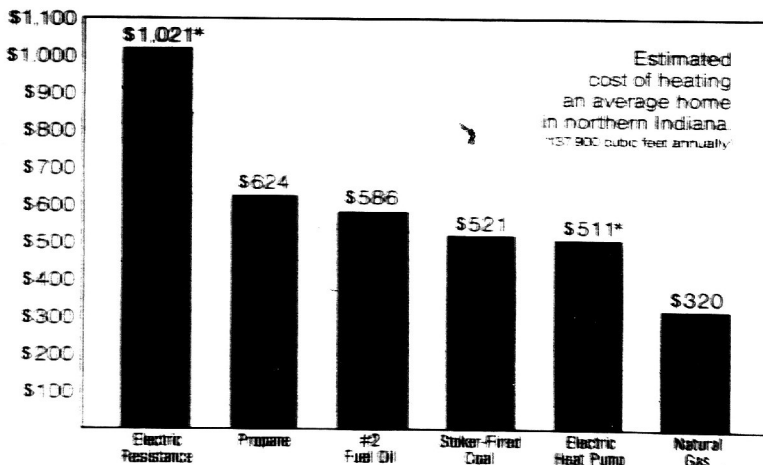
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Akron Church of God slates spring campaign

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The clinic is held once monthly and a signed physician's referral slip is required.

Through immunizations, the above-mentioned diseases can and must be prevented. Parents are encouraged to check with their doctor or the local health department for further information.

Correction

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On Saturday, February 24, the Tippecanoe Valley high school Swing Choir and Girls' Chorus attended the Snider High School Annual Stage Band and Swing Choir Contest. Both groups came back with good ratings. The Swing Choir received a superior rating and the Girls' Chorus received a good rating.

The two groups competed with schools from the whole of Indiana. They were rated in several areas by three different judges.

Each year the Swing Choir and Girls' Chorus attend this contest, but this was the first year a superior rating was given to one of the TVHS groups.

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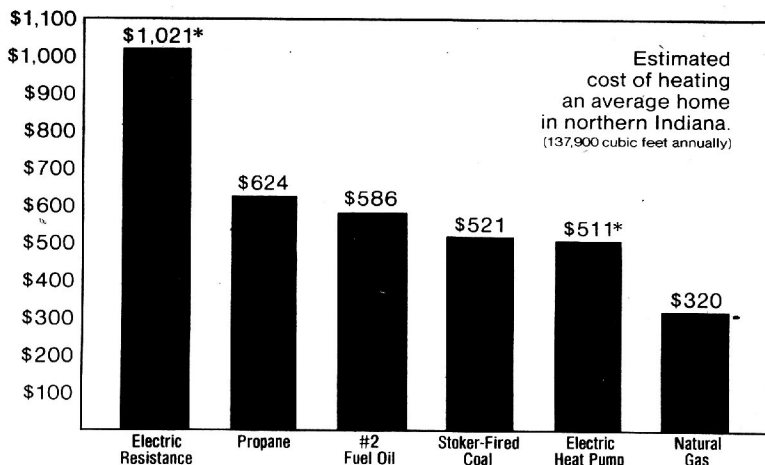
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Akron Church of God slates spring campaign

According to the Akron Church of God pastor, the Rev. James F. Hall, the Rev. Gary Ausbun, of Ashland, Ky., is scheduled to address the local fellowship in its annual Spring Evangelistic Campaign which will begin Wednesday, March 7, and continue through Sunday, March 11.

Services will begin at 7:00 nightly, with two services set on Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Associate Pastor Greg Kendall will direct the congregational singing and special music.

Rev. Ausbun graduated from Anderson College and Anderson School of Theology in 1955 and 1962, respectively. He received



further evangelistic training from Fuller Theological Seminary in 1976, the Billy Graham School of Evangelism in 1972, and the Kennedy School of Evangelism in 1971.

While at Anderson College, the Rev. Ausbun was recognized by "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universi-

ties" for excellence in leadership and scholastic achievements.

His outstanding abilities as an athlete won him a place on the Hoosier College Conference All-Star Team in basketball in 1957 and 1978. He presently holds the number two spot in scoring for a single basketball season at Anderson College with 640 points.

During the summer of 1957, he traveled with the "Venture for Victory Missionary Basketball Team." In 1967 he was hailed the Outstanding Pastor in Michigan by the Michigan Men's Organization; and, in 1974 and 1976 he received an award for "Excellence in Christian Broadcasting" from WKPR radio in Kalamazoo, Mich.

Presently, Rev. Ausbun serves the Church of God in Ashland, Ky. He has also pastored Church of God churches in Anderson, in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and in Kalamazoo, Mich.

Rev. Ausbun and his wife have four daughters.

The revival services will be in the church sanctuary, West and Central streets in Akron.

Everyone is invited to attend.

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Free immunizations may be obtained by the residents of Fulton County at the Cass County Department of Health in Logansport, by those families who feel they are otherwise unable to meet the financial burden.

The diseases for which the immunizations are available are diphtheria, pertussis (Whooping cough), tetanus, polio, rubeola, rubella, and mumps.

The clinic is held once monthly and a signed physician's referral slip is required.

Through immunizations, the above-mentioned diseases can and must be prevented. Parents are encouraged to check with their doctor or the local health department for further information.

Correction

It was incorrectly stated in last week's NEWS that the State B Championships to be hosted by the TVAC Jaws at TVHS would be on March 16-18. The correct dates are March 2-4, Friday through Sunday.

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Newsview

by Bob Norlander

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THE OWNER OF this truck probably wasn't as happy to see the mild weather come as most of us were, as melting ice led to the collision shown above. According to Akron Marshall Ed Hauser, the car on the left has been parked behind Harvey's in Akron for several weeks stuck in the snow and ice. When the warm weather came Tuesday, the car, evidently parked in neutral, became free from the ice and slid down the lot into the truck. And to add insult to injury, the car didn't just slide forward to a vacant area, it made a semi-sharp turn to the right, just enough to hit the truck. Hauser estimated the damage at \$150.

Hearing date set on jail future

March 20 has been set as the hearing date on the future of the Fulton County jail. After consulting with County Attorney William H. Deniston's office and with jail inspector W. B. Smith, Judge Douglas B. Morton has scheduled the hearing for 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 20, in the Circuit Court room.

Notice of the hearing is being forwarded to each of the County

Commissioners and County Councilmen as well as the County Sheriff and County Attorney. The order directing that the hearing be scheduled also directed that official notice to the public in the form of a legal advertisement be printed at an unspecified future date.

The Court also directed that a subpoena be issued to W. B. Smith directing him to be present as a witness.

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The views expressed in SOUND OFF do not necessarily reflect the opinion of the NEWS.

"This week we needed the ambulance in a hurry and could not find it in the phone book! In hopes it may help someone in the future, it is listed under '4 Way Ambulance Emergency Service, Inc.' not 'Ambulance'. This number should be taped on everyone's phone!"

EDITORS NOTE: This week we are publishing a story about the Mentone EMT's, and president Larry Pyle requested that we note that the number is listed under 4-WAY AMBULANCE in the phone book. The number is 353-7955. For service in Akron the number is 223-4911. (Collect calls accepted).

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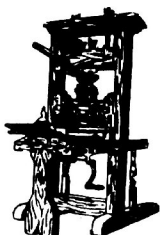
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Guidelines for winterization eligibility

A limited number of applications will be accepted by the Fulton County Development Council for winterization of homes of low-income, disabled, handicapped and elderly persons. Eligibility guidelines are as follows:

FAMILY SIZE	NON-FARM	FARM
1	\$3,925	\$3,363
2	5,200	4,438
3	6,475	5,513
4	7,750	6,588
5	9,025	7,663
6	10,300	8,738

Other eligibility requirements state you must own and live in your home, or be buying it on contract. The Winterization Program work is done by the Fulton County Development Council to make homes more energy efficient at no cost to the applicant. Interested persons can apply at the Fulton County Development Council at the Rochester Civic

Center, 7th and Pontiac Streets, Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., or call the office at 223-3701.

Swimmers compete at Kokomo

Five swimmers from Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club, Jaws, attended the Modified A Haworth Swim Association Invitational in Kokomo over the weekend. They were Chris Paris, Randy Paris, Cathy Duncan, Sam Manwaring, and Julie Manwaring.

Receiving medals for the meet were: Randy Paris, 2nd 50 back, 3rd 50 fly, 3rd 50 free and 5th 100 back, (11-12 boys) Chris Paris, 2nd 25 free, 2nd 50 free, 3rd 25 fly, and 6th 25 back, (8 under boys) Sam Manwaring, 6th 50 breast, (9-10 boys).

Mailbag



Punishment too severe

DEAR EDITOR:
I am writing this letter in defense of three young men who just recently were expelled from TVHS because of their alleged possession of marijuana. I am not saying all should be forgotten, but I do think the punishment is going a little over board.

These three young men are being expelled for the rest of their junior year, and I feel this is depriving a person of his right to a full and much needed education. I feel that if they were to be deprived of all school activities, such as band, the play, ball games, etc., that to the young men this would be a much better lesson than to lose their chance at a much needed education.

We may not look at it this way now, but these young men may decide not to return to school next year, and where would this lead? I feel the principal and school board should think about all of this and maybe reconsider letting the young men back in school for the remainder of the school year.

I presented this to the school board on 2/26/79, and found that the Board will listen to what you have to say, but are not much for discussion. It appears the school corporation is more interested in sports than in somebody's education. I really wonder what action would have been taken if this had been an athlete that was caught. Would there have been any at all?

These students were never convicted, so why are they being treated like hardened criminals? Even a criminal is given a fair trial which I don't think these young men have had.

—Jay Secrist, Mentone

Should be proud

DEAR EDITOR:
Henry township residents should be proud of their hospital auxiliary for the past year. To review the many accomplishments -- we had 91 members, both active and inactive. The active ones help in any way that they are needed, both in the hospital and out, such as helping with the TV's, which the auxiliary owns, working in the gift shop, taking training to become a gray lady or doing mending or sewing at home that is needed.

We have four gray ladies from our membership. They are Mrs. Ernest (Esther) Smith, Mrs. Maxine Conrad, Mrs. Orville (Grethel) Ellis and Mrs. Josephine Merley. They spend many hours in this service.

Mrs. John (Donna) McKee is one of the committee women who work with the TV's; collecting the rentals, and turning them on and off for patients. Several ladies help in the hospital gift shop.

We have turned in \$418.25 to the county during the past year, from membership dues and our cutlery flavoring, and spices sales. Won't you think of us when needing spices or paring knives (three sizes) or sets of 3 or 4, so suitable for gifts. Your purchases help us. Call Mrs. Doin (Violet) Smoker or visit Miriam's Beauty Shop or Josephine's Beauty Shop in Akron.

We are now organized for the new year. Two ladies from our township have been appointed board members. They are Mrs. Leon (Margaret) Kindig and Mrs. Warren (Dorothy) Easterday. They will be responsible for heading our 1979 drive for membership with several workers assisting them. There will be 3 kinds of membership - active, \$1 or more; inactive, \$2, or more and contributing, \$5 or more. Won't you join the auxiliary for 1979? We need you!

—Mrs. Violet Smoker
Hospital Auxiliary

College Notes

Janet Bowen has been accepted for enrollment at Manchester College, No. Manchester, for the 1979 fall term.

Manchester College, an independent liberal arts college, offers B. S. and B.A. degrees with majors in more than 26 areas and a Master of Arts degree for teachers and a two-year Associate of Arts degree.

The College has increased its emphasis on career planning and has established a comprehensive Career Planning and Placement Office. Students can come to this office for help in examining their interests, in setting career goals, and in deciding upon an academic program which will help them meet their objectives.

Janet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bowen of Akron.

John M. Miller, Akron, is among 714 Ball State University students named to the Registrar's Roll of Honor for fall quarter at Ball State.

According to Joseph W. Espey, registrar, to receive this honor, a student has earned a grade ratio of 4.0 or straight "A's" for 12 or more credit hours of study.

Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Miller, R. 1, Akron.

Lions collecting glasses

The Mentone Lions Club will be collecting used eye glasses and hearing aids at L & B Foods through March 10. The glasses and hearing aids will be sent overseas to be used at free clinics conducted by the Lions.

PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING. The Alcoholic Beverage Board of Fulton County, Indiana, at 1:00 p.m. on March 19, 1979, at the Commissioners' room court house in the city of Rochester in said county, will investigate the propriety of holding an alcoholic beverage permit by the following person and location listed herein, to-wit: R225-16121 B S Inc Eleanor M Bailey Rt. Rochester, Caro Shaninger Secy W. Rochester St., Akron, Ind Liquor, Beer and Wine Retailer. Said investigation will be open to the public. WITHIN THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION BY Bruce McClaren, Exec. Secty., James D. Sims, Chairman. 3/1/79

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Theodore R. Jontz. In the Fulton Circuit Court of Fulton County, Indiana, 1979 Term, 1979.

In the matter of the Estate of Theodore R. Jontz, deceased.
Estate Docket 19, Page 181, Estate No. E-78-40.
Notice is hereby given that Jacqueline Groninger as Administratrix vva of the above named estate, has presented and filed account in final settlement of said estate and petition for distribution and that said account and petition will come up for the examination and action of said Circuit Court on the 12th day of March, 1979. On said date all the heirs of said decedent and all others interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause, if there be any, why said report should not be approved and distribution ordered as set out in said petition.

Any heirs of said decedent or others who have a claim to any part of said estate not set out in said final account or petition for distribution are required to appear on that date and make proof of such heirship or claim.
Kathryn L. Spice
Clerk Fulton Circuit Court
Rochester, Indiana
Attorney for Estate
3/1/79

New books at Akron Carnegie Library

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

GAD'S HALL by Norah Lofts. Rich in historical detail, suspense and romance, this book subtly entices us into the realm of the supernatural with the tale of a house forever doomed by a young girl's powerful obsession with evil.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION
Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the school corporation known as Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation that the Board of Tax Commissioners of said school corporation will meet at the usual meeting place of said Board at Tippecanoe Valley High School, in Kosciusko County, Indiana, at the hour of 7:30 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time) on March 19, 1979, to consider the following additional appropriation which said board considers necessary to meet the extraordinary emergency existing at this time:

An appropriation in the amount of \$150,000 on the purchase of school buses for the corporation including the incidental expenses necessary to be incurred in connection with said purchase and the issuance of bonds on account thereof. The funds to meet such additional appropriation are to be provided by the issuance and sale of bonds by the school corporation, together with an additional \$32,839.55 now held by the corporation in unappropriated bus funds.

The foregoing appropriation is in addition to all appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy, and an extraordinary emergency for such appropriation exists by reason of the inadequacy of the present school buses for transportation necessary in the school corporation.

Taxpayers of said school corporation appearing at said meeting shall have the right to be heard in respect to said additional appropriation. The additional appropriation, if finally made, will be automatically referred to the State Board of Tax Commissioners, which Board will hold a further hearing within fifteen days at the office of the Auditor of Kosciusko County, or at such other place as may be designated. At such further hearing taxpayers objection to said additional appropriation may be heard, and interested taxpayers may inquire of the County Auditor when and where such further hearing will be held.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1979.

Everett Besson
Secretary, Board of Trustees,
Tippecanoe Valley School
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS TIPPECANOE VALLEY SCHOOL CORPORATION

Owners of taxable real estate in the school corporation known as Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation are hereby notified that a petition has been filed by one or more owners of taxable real estate in said school corporation requesting the issuance of bonds by said school corporation for the purpose of providing funds to be applied to the purchase of school buses for the corporation. A remonstrance against the issuance of said bonds may be filed with the Board of Trustees by owners of taxable real estate in said school corporation in the manner and within the time provided by I.C. 6-1-1-20-4.

Taxpayers of said school corporation are further notified that said Board of Trustees did, on February 26, 1979, adopt a resolution authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of the school corporation in the amount of \$150,000 for the purpose of providing funds to be used as above stated. Said bonds are to bear interest at the rate or rates not exceeding 6-1/4% per annum (the exact rate or rates to be determined by bidding), and are to be payable over a period of approximately three years from the date of issuance thereof. Objections to the issuance of said bonds may be made by ten or more taxpayers filing a petition in the office of the Auditor of Kosciusko County or the Auditor of Fulton County within the time and in the manner provided by law, which petition, if any, will be heard and considered by the State Board of Tax Commissioners in the manner provided by law.

The net assessed valuation of taxable property in Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation, as shown by the assessment made in the year 1978 for state and county taxes payable in the year 1979 is \$31,449,470.00, and the outstanding indebtedness of said school corporation, exclusive of the above mentioned bonds, is \$96,000.00.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1979.

TIPPECANOE VALLEY
SCHOOL CORPORATION

By Everett Besson
Secretary, Board of Trustees

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HE SETS THE CAPTIVE FREE by Corrie ten Boom. In this book Corrie ten Boom will introduce you to the ultimate liberator, whose love will set the captive free.

DAYS OF SORROW AND PAIN by Leonard Baker. This tells the story of the Berlin Jews under the Nazis. It is the tale of one man's valiant efforts to help the German Jews to meet the horrors of Hitler's regime.

CRYING WIND by Crying Wind. Simply and sensitively written, Crying Wind's true story gives insights into American Indian culture and the cultural barriers an Indian must hurdle when he ac-

cepts Christ. This is not only the story of how a young Indian girl came to know the Lord, it is also the story of other Indian Christians who have found that God's love transcends cultural barriers.

LIVING IMAGE by Gladys S. Gallant. There was only one way to find out what had really happened. She had to go back into her sister's past. She had to become her double. This is a novel of suspense.

THE COMPLETE C B RADIO HANDBOOK by Len Buckwalter. Everything the CB'ers need to know; complete FCC rules and regulations, new equipment models, how to shop for antennas

and rigs, setting up a station, mobile operations, useful accessories, how to tune a system and make repairs, curing interference, CB codes and slang, and much, much more.

MY ENEMY THE QUEEN by Victoria Holt. This marvelously entertaining novel is a unique view of England's glorious age, seen through the not always flattering eyes of a woman who knew the mind and heart of the virgin queen as few ever did. It is a story only history could create. A novel only Victoria Holt could write.

LTL enjoyed lesson on Moses

The Akron L.T.L. met Friday night in the library basement with their leader, Gloria Bowen. Tyann Thompson served as president, John Stubblefield as secretary, Mindy Thompson as song leader, and Mike Harsh as flag-bearer.

After the lesson on Moses, the leader showed a film on marijuana. After the game session, refreshments were served to 25 members.

The next meeting will be a poster making meeting on Mar. 23.

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Family Life

By Renee Norlander

If you've been wondering why there have been so many good specials on television this past month, wonder no more. It's the month of February's ratings that determine the rate price for advertising on A&C, N&C, and CBS.

That's why you've been switching back and forth all month trying to catch all of the specials and movies. The competition has been keen, and there really have been some great shows.

Of course "Roots" was on all of last week, and I didn't catch every evening, but I thought it was very good. Not as good as the first episodes, but better than "Mork and Mindy" or "Three's Company". A lot better.

Then one Sunday, the decision on what to watch was difficult. NBC had "Cuckoos Nest", CBS was showing "Gone With the Wind", and A&C had "Elvis".

We decided on "Elvis" because "G.W.T.W." we've seen five times (at least!) and "Cuckoos Nest" sounded depressing. We certainly weren't disappointed. Kurt Russell was so convincing as Elvis that I felt like I was watching an Elvis movie. The acting was terrific, and I'm sure Russell will get a "Best Actor" award of some type. (Emmy, I think.) I've even become a real Elvis fan - and I never was before.

Let's see, what else was great? "Backstairs at the White House" was fantastic. Even better than "Roots: II" I think. It was done with such compassion and sensitivity, and the acting was superb! You could finally get an idea of what it's like to live and/or work at the White House, and what a few of our Presidents and First Ladies were really like. I don't think I could have put up with some of their foolishness like Maggie and Lillian did.

Of course "Rocky", one of my all time favorite movies was shown, but it didn't come across as well on TV as it did at the theatre. The audience at the theatre really got into it when I saw it. People were yelling and cheering during the fight (me included), and at home on a small screen with commercial interruptions it just wasn't the same. I was surprised it was shown only two years after its initial success. But, anyway, I still loved it! And I'd watch it again - a million times!

So that was February television. Competitive, terrific, and not below our levels as adults.

However, March is here, and with spring comes the re-run season.

You'd better get to the library and stock up, because more of the "same old junk" is coming our way. Too bad every month isn't February as far as TV is concerned. Maybe if we don't watch this summer things will get better.

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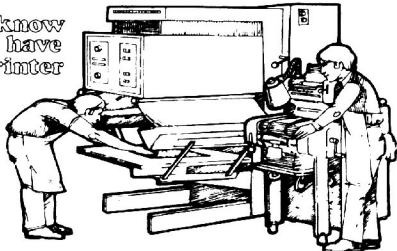
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Meals on Wheels to be offered to Akron residents

by Onda Good

A new type lunch has been added to the Akron Lions Senior Citizen site - starting March 1 "Meals on Wheels" will be available to this community from the Akron site. This means the senior citizen can get the special diet prescribed by the doctor in the same way

other senior citizens get "shut-in" meals at their door for a donation. The meals are prepared at the hospital in Rochester for the diet specified and delivered with the regular meals to the Akron site. The meals then are taken to the senior citizen by the faithful daily volunteer drivers. This will be a great help to anyone needing

a special diet. Please call the below number for more information or reservations.

The talk by the Peru, South American exchange student was enjoyed by a large group of Keen Agers. The Wayne Reeses gave an interesting program about other South American exchange students and their countries. This is a worthwhile project, thanks for sharing it with the Keen-Agers.

Howard Kerr will share another trip with the senior citizens. This time the trip will be to the Black Hills, Yellowstone National Park and other points along the western trip.

Don't forget the Silent Auction during the week of Mar. 12-16. Bidding by the public is encouraged between the hours of 10 and 2 each day. Come, look over the selection and bid on a gift for that next birthday or other special event. The highest bid at 1:30 Friday, March 16, will buy the item.

Scheduled menus for March 5-9 are:

MONDAY: Liver and onions, peas, cranberry sauce, pudding, roll, milk, coffee.

TUESDAY - Fried chicken, whipped potatoes with gravy, turnip greens, apple crisp, biscuit, milk, coffee.

WEDNESDAY - Weiners and sauerkraut, carrots, mashed potatoes, peanut butter cookies, cornbread, milk, coffee.

THURSDAY - Akron Special Meal.

FRIDAY - Chef's Special.

Marna Ames named Young Career Woman



represent the Rensselaer BPW Club in the district YCW competition held in Valparaiso in March.

Marna, a graduate of Indiana University, is the daughter of George and Anita Stephen of Akron. Her husband is Robert Ames, an agent with Farm Bureau Insurance. She has been active in the social service field for four years and is presently attending Purdue University.

The Young Career Woman Program, inaugurated by the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., in 1963, highlights the achievements of young career women and is one of the many programs sponsored by BPW to elevate the status of women. Persons interested in information about BPW should write to: Ms Jane Swartzell, club president, P.O. Box 196, Rensselaer, Indiana 47978.

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1 YEAR CERTIFICATES \$500 Minimum	6%	6.27%
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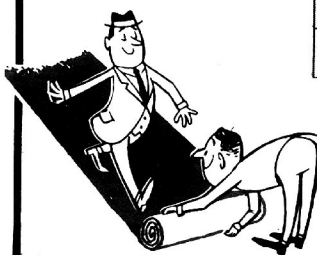
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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Queen wed



Marga Thomason and Bruce Queen exchanged marriage vows on December 16, 1977 at the Adam Miller Chapel, Anderson College. The Rev. E. Michael Eastman officiated the ceremony. Parents of the couple are the Rev. and Mrs. J.D. Thomason, Findlay, Ohio (former residents of Akron), and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Queen, Drexel, No. Carolina, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gutierrez, Jacksonville, No. Carolina.

Wanda Miller was her sister's matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Anita Thomason, sister of the bride, and Michelle Queen, sister of the groom.

Attending the groom as best man was his father, Gerald Queen. Groomsman were Greg Robertson and Kenneth Hilt, both of Anderson College.

The couple greeted 75 guests in the Gold Room, Park Place Church of God after the ceremony. Servers were Mary Ellen Ekstedt, Lola Biggs, Denise Shaw, and Vicki Eastman. Suzanne Tefft registered guests, and Robin Foster was the hostess. All were from Anderson.

The bride, a 1975 graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School, will receive a Bachelors Degree from Anderson College in June. The groom, a 1972 graduate of Drexel High School, Drexel, No. Carolina, graduated from Anderson College in 1977, and will receive a Masters Degree from the School of Theology in June. He is currently serving as the Associate Pastor at the Barbarton Church of God, Barbarton, Ohio.

The couple are residing at 238 1/2 6th St., N.W., Barbarton, Ohio, 44203.

Economics Club met; discussed energy

The Ladies of the Lake Home Economics Club met at the home of Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker for their February meeting. The president, Myrtle Lee, called the meeting to order. After group singing pledges to the flags were repeated and roll call was answered.

Garden remarks were given by Golda Shipley who also gave the lesson on "Energy Conservation". Catherine Zile read the secretaries report and Doris Kendall gave the treasurers report.

Newly elected officers are: Lois Philbert, president; Sandy Schrock, vice-president; Judy Pennington, secretary; and Doris Kendall, treasurer.

TVHS school lunch menu

The lunch menu for TVHS for the week of March 5-9 is as follows:

MONDAY - Taccos, buttered corn, chocolate pudding, cottage cheese, pears, peanut butter sandwich.

TUESDAY - Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, cole slaw, peanut butter sandwich, jello-marshmallow-banana dessert.

WEDNESDAY - Breaded cheeseburger, tator rounds, buttered carrots, mixed fruit, raisins.

THURSDAY - Vegetable beef soup or ham and beans, lettuce salad, peaches, peanuts, apple-sauce cake, peanut butter sandwich.

FRIDAY - Submarine sandwich, chips, buttered peas, macaroni salad, applesauce.

Celery and carrot sticks, fruit juice and milk served every day. All menus subject to change at the discretion of the cooks.

Angele Ross to wed in March



Mr. and Mrs. Gerald L. Ross, Mentone, wishes to make the announcement of the approaching marriage of their daughter, Angele Sue to Rick L. Amburgy, son of Charles and Velma Amburgy of Mentone.

Miss Ross is a 1979 mid term graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School; and Amburgy is a 1978 graduate of Tippecanoe Valley.

A March 30 wedding is planned at the Church of God, Golf Course Rd. in Warsaw.

Calendar

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7

Mentone Mothers of World War II will meet at 1 p.m. with Ethel Whetstone.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

Mentone Extension Homemakers Club to meet at 1:30 p.m. with Esther Sarber.

Local church to sponsor revival

The Beaver Dam United Methodist Church is sponsoring a Revival, to be held March 7, 8, 9 and 11th at the church.

The scheduled speaker is the Rev. George Surface. Rev. Surface was raised near North Liberty and served as a missionary in Kentucky for 30 years. Before going into the missionary field, Rev. Surface was

an ordained minister in the Northern Indiana Conference. Rev. Surface and his wife Donna have five children and together, they worked in the Kentucky Red Bird Mission.

There will be special music every evening, and services will be held at 7:30 p.m. March 7, 8 and 9, and at 7 p.m. on March 11.

Annual tea held at library for WCTU

The Akron W.C.T.U. had their annual Francis Willard Tea in the Akron library last Wednesday, February 21.

The meeting opened with group singing. Devotions were given by Mrs. Janice Stubblefield. A brief business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. Marie Bright.

A new film produced by the National W.C.T.U. entitled "Short Distance Runner" was shown.

Mrs. Gloria Bowen gave the dismissal prayer.

The tea was served from a table decorated in keeping of Washington and Lincoln's birthdays by the hostesses Velma Bright, Willodean Rager and Mabel Alderfer.

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Students fare well at state contest

Twelve students from Tippecanoe Valley High School traveled to Indianapolis Saturday, Feb. 17, to participate in the state solo and

ensemble contest. Included were Keri Slaby with a vocal solo and a large ensemble consisting of Laura Mowrer, Sheryl Stokes,

Shelly Stokes, Janet Cumberland, Keri Slaby, Sherri Clark, Chris Schwenk, Jackie Brown, Kathleen King, Kathy Vogel, and Sandy

Dunnuck. Both entries received seconds. They qualified for the state contest by receiving firsts at the district contest at No. Miami High School on Sat., Feb. 3.

Kristi Coplen receiving firsts; Debbie Teel, Kathy Vogel, Ken Goodman, Pam Zimmerman, Tina Sander, and Sandy Calhoun receiving seconds.



GIRLS' CHORUS members from Tippecanoe Valley High School are seated: Beth Fugate and Kathleen King, accompanists; standing by piano - Angie Kiern, Christine Duncan, Rhonda Russell, Lori Haas, Amie Robinson, Lori Miller, LuAnn Knoop, Theresa Wallace. Second row: Keri Slaby, Lanette Haines, Roni Baker, Sarah Baker. Third row: Annette Swick, Dana Daake, and DeShawn Vandewater.

Other TVSC students participating in the district contest were: Piano solos, Brenda Arthur, Holly Smith, Mary Jameson, Marilyn King, Beth Fugate, Philip King, Chris Schwenk, Kathleen King, Kevin Scott and Sherri Furnivall, receiving firsts; Angie Keirn, Tomi Smithson, Jackie Brown, Sharon Detwiler, Sandy Dunnuck, Angie Wood, and Liz Bornman, receiving seconds; and Deanna Robertson and Teresa Mullins receiving thirds.

Vocal Solos: Sherri Clark, Keri Slaby, Katrina Bush, Roni Baker, Marilyn King, Penny Secrist, Kathleen King, Deanna Robertson, and

Piano Duet: Beth Fugate and Chris Schwenk received a first.

Vocal Ensembles: Mentone-Girls' Trio, Penny Secrist and Marilyn King Duet, Girls' Chorus, H.S. Girls' Ensemble, Chris Schwenk and Darla Weaver Duet, Kathleen King and Kathy Vogel Duet receiving firsts; Mentone Girls' Quartet, Boys' Barbershop Quartet, Mentone Eighth Grade Girls' Quartet, Mentone Mixed Quartet, Mentone Larger Ensemble, Sherri Clark and David McNeely Duet, Freshman Quartet and Ken Goodman and Phil Smith Duet received seconds.

Congregation enjoyed Valentine Sunday

The West Eel River Church of the Brethren held its annual Valentine Sunday, February 11, at the Steer Inn. Evelyn Jagger and her committee, Mary Ebert, Jan Yoder and Colleen Helvey presented a most enjoyable evening. Games were played after dinner.

Rife, the Rev. and Mrs. Edward Kerscheneister, the Rev. and Mrs. Meredith Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Norm Harmon, and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Rowland.

Plan for convention

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kerlin, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. John Ebert, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Enyeart, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Redinger, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Enyeart, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Betz, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frantz.

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Plans were announced for the Lake Michigan Regional Convention to be held at the Elks Club at Rochester on April 21. Mrs. Dick Day, Mrs. Chas. Miller and Mrs. John Zimmerman are in charge of the convention plans.

After the business meeting, members worked on the cookbooks that will be offered for sale soon.



MEMBERS OF THE 1979 Tippecanoe Valley High School Swing Choir are kneeling, Kathleen King, Sherri Clark, Jenelle Shafer, Pam Zimmerman, Stephanie Stewart, Laura Mowrer. Row two: Kellen Bush, Cheryl Kelly, Jackie Brown, Janet Cumberland. Row three: Accompanist Cheryl Reed, on the drums Dan Tibbetts, Sandy Dunnuck, Gail Weirick, Shelley Stokes, Chris Schwenk. Back row: Dane Jervis, accompanist Christine Rhoades, Ricky Sitts, Tim Stokes, Brett Cumberland, and David McNeely.

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EMT volunteers are dedicated to their task

by Renee Norlander

It has been three years now since a concerned group of Mentone citizens began a fund raising drive to have a 24-hour ambulance service in Mentone.

Led by Frank Manwaring, the group called on the residents of Franklin, Harrison, Seward, and Newcaste Townships to donate in the amount of \$25,000 for the establishment of the non-profit Four-Way Ambulance Emergency Service, Inc.

Letters were sent to the residents of the four townships in February 1976 requesting donations, and by June 1976, more than \$24,000 had been collected or pledged. Of this money, \$8500 was used for the purchase of a used ambulance, \$3700 was used for equipment and radios, \$1500 went for EMT volunteer training, \$7300 was set aside for an ambulance replacement fund, and \$4000 was designated for operational expenses.

A Board of Directors for the corporation was established at this time and officers were elected. The original Board members who worked so diligently to establish the all volunteer program included: Wayne Tombaugh, president; Frank Manwaring, vice-president; Lois Miller, secretary; Larry Pyle, treasurer; Dr. Wymond Wilson; Jim Miller; Rev. Marvin Lowman; Chester Clappitt Jr.; Wendall Grass; Don Smalley; Bob Hoffman; Darrell King; and Gene Hughes.

Last week, I met with three of the EMTs (Emergency Medical Technicians) and found that the volunteer service, that some people questioned at the start, is doing very well indeed.

At the present time, there are 14 EMTs, 4 drivers, and 3 trainees who volunteer their emergency services 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

According to Gene Hughes, EMT and a member of the EMS Board of Directors, the EMTs are trained to handle any type of emergency injury until a person is received at a hospital. They have been trained (with 71 hours of classroom instruction and ten hours of emergency room instruction) to set splints, stop bleeding, give CPR (cardio pulmonary resuscitation), bandage, and give any type of aid that would be required in an emergency.

They are not, however, allowed to give any type of medication or injection to a person they are

transporting, with the exception of oxygen.

Larry Pyle and Anne Utter, president and vice-president of the EMTs, informed me that after a EMT has received his certificate to be an EMT from the state, he must continue every year with his training. A required twenty hours of instruction in emergency care is a necessity in order to be recertified every three years.

As EMTs, these volunteers are never sure of what might happen next. They have cared for persons with heart attacks, broken arms, drug overdoses, poisoning, amputations, choking, ... and the list goes on.

Every month they meet at the town hall for a two hour session where they exchange information and receive training. As Gene said, "we're like one big family", and obviously they care about people. They share experiences at these meetings, and try to be supportive of each other in every way.

The EMTs and drivers work in

shifts, and each crew consists of a driver and two EMTs. The shifts a volunteer may be on call are Monday through Friday 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Monday thru Friday 6 p.m. to 6 a.m.; or on a weekend, 6 a.m. Saturday morning until 6 a.m. Monday morning. The minimum amount of hours each volunteer serves a year is an incredible 1664 hours. And that is why they always need more volunteers.

When you call for an ambulance in Mentone, your call is answered by Darrell or Mary Ann King who operate the base station. They then transmit over two-way radios to the crew on call, and your help is on the way. If you've ever wondered about the people in town carrying these little black boxes, you now know they are dedicated volunteers on call.

Who are the volunteers that are always ready and trained to help? The EMTs include: Larry, Gene, and Anne; Max Blackburn, Carol Boyer, Bea Hughes; Darrell and Mary Ann King, Ed Lamar, Rick Phillips, Sandy Simpson - secretary, Dave Peffley, Ron Scott, and Bob Trump. Drivers are: Doris and Dave Cooper, Rev. Bob Heckman, and Jim Miller. And the three trainees who are studying right now are Janice and Rick Hatfield, and Darrell Hudson. Part-time EMTs include Kenny Bush, Darrell Miller, and Joyce Evans.

I wondered if the EMTs ever worried about possible malpractice suits, but they explained that they can't be sued, although the EMS corporation could be. Anne also explained that the "Good Samaritan" law protects them. As long

as an EMT is doing what he can within the range of his ability, he is safe. They must never, however, "under do" or "over do".

I was impressed with the dedication these people feel, and I am proud of a community who went all out to get the service started. If anyone is interested in becoming a volunteer, your help is always needed, and I'm sure any one of the Directors or EMTs would help you in your effort. The feelings of gratification from a job well done are obvious!

EMS Board meeting ...

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He explained that the Plymouth unit has a wide range of transmission that often times interferes with the Mentone EMTs radios. Persons on call at night are often awakened by Plymouth calls, and Hughes feels that several EMTs have quit the service because of these disturbances. One EMT reported being awakened seventeen times in one evening.

At a cost of \$1800, the radios the EMT's use can be equipped with a "channel guard" that would keep other units off of their frequency.

The Board elected to buy the guards, with the proceeds from the Chamber of Commerce (\$800) and the Xi Epsilon Sorority (\$500) absorbing most of the cost. The EMTs also elected to use reimbursement money owed to them from the EMS for their classes towards the cost. Gene Hughes was chosen to look into the project further.

In other action:

* The Board agreed to meet four times a year in the future, instead of annually.

* Anne Utter reported that the EMTs do not wish to be paid for their services. As David Peffley (EMT) stated, "we're doing it to pull the community together".

* Wayne Tombaugh was chosen to report to the paper monthly on an ambulance log to be published with no further business or discussion the meeting was adjourned. No date for the next Board meeting was set at the time.

Valley ends season with 57-44 win

The Tippecanoe Valley basketball Vikings returned to their winning ways last Friday, ending their regular season with a convincing 57-44 victory over John Glenn.

In the first quarter, Valley pushed ahead to maintain a 13-11 edge over Glenn. In the second quarter, the Vikings pushed their lead to 22-15 by holding a strong defense over the host team allowing them only four points.

The third quarter of the final game of the Vikings regular season saw the team outscore their opponents 16-14 ending the quarter with a comfortable 38-29 lead.

The Vikings pumped in 19 points in the final quarter and held Glenn to only 15 points ending the game in favor of Valley 57-44.

Charles (Chewy) Secrist was the top Viking scorer, tallying 16 points, giving Allen Utter scored 11 big points.

Tippecanoe Valley ends their regular season with a 7-13 overall record, and will meet Triton Wednesday, February 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the first game of the 1979 Sectional to be held at Triton High School.

dered, and will be installed upon arrival.

Training for the month centered on disaster planning and radio communication.

The next meeting is scheduled for March 19 at the town hall, with training on drug abuse.

—Sandra Simpson, Secretary

Discuss radio problems

Mentone's 4-Way EMTs met for their monthly meeting on Monday, February 19, at the Town Hall, and the discussion of radio communication difficulties was the first business of the day. Suggestions for improvements were made.

It was reported that fog lights for the ambulance have been or-

Secrist named to North All-Star team

Charles "Chewy" Secrist, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Secrist of Mentone, has been selected for the 1979 North All-Star team in the position of defensive linebacker. Selected by North head coach

North team, but was unable to play after undergoing knee surgery following the 1978 Triton Basketball Sectional.

Secrist's prowess at football is not a secret to any of the loyal Viking fans. During his years at TVHS he made 41 receptions for 975 total yards and 16 touchdowns, and three point-after-touchdowns for a total of 102 points. He ranks third on the Vikings all-time tackle list with 158 tackles including 94 on his own. And on Valleys career tackle chart he is third with 359 points.

During the 1978 season, he led his team with 10 tackles and assists, earning 40 tackle points. He also made one interception and four fumble recoveries this year. He was also runnerup in Region II Most Valuable Player honors to Mishawaka's John Rogeman.

The North All-Stars will meet the Indiana South All-Stars at Indiana University's Memorial Stadium on July 28 in Bloomington.



Ken Mirer, of Goshen, Secrist is one of thirty-three players chosen for the team. Mirer reviewed nearly 85 players before selecting his team.

The Valley senior is the only player from the area to be chosen for the team this year. His brother Ray was chosen for last years

Mens breakfast this Saturday

Churches of Akron and the surrounding community are sponsoring a Men's Breakfast to be this Saturday morning, March 3, at 7:30. The purpose is for fellowship; and to see if further prayer breakfast fellowships are desirable.

The breakfast meeting site has been set for the Akron Church of God and is for men of all community churches.

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Silver Lake Notes

Mrs. Gene Arnold and Peggy Kerlin called on Mrs. Arnold's father at a nursing home in Marion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kerlin, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Zimpleman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones have returned home after a two weeks vacation in Hawaii.

Mrs. Gilbert Harshbarger of Warsaw called on Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker Sunday.

Fanchon Kline is a patient at the Parkview Hospital in Fort Wayne suffering from a broken hip when she fell at her home.

Earl Zile was returned to his home Saturday from the KCH.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Shipley and grandson of Secrist Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shipley.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Puls and children, Ft. Wayne, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Parker and Mrs. Lawrence Puls.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson recently were Mrs. Gene Blinn and Carol Ann of Van Buren and Mrs. Ernie Munford of Claypool.

Mrs. Richard Borman of North Manchester spent Tuesday evening with Grace Bouse.

Saturday supper guests of Mrs.

Jesse Lunch were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kerlin, Kris and Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bechtelheimer, and Jane Ann Lynch. Mrs. Al Crom called later in the evening.

Jane Ann Lynch of Sidney spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Jesse Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bechtelheimer entertained Mrs. Jesse Lynch and Jane Ann Lynch to Sunday dinner. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Lynch and Ed.

Russell Kerlin called on Mr. and Mrs. Merl Fitton Sunday evening.

Akron Did You Know?

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Slaybaugh spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. Joe Slaybaugh, Rochester.

Marjorie Harold, Rochester, spent Monday with Bertha Cook. Dorothy Cox and Trella Bastian were Tuesday callers.

Bill Lytle's son, Vance, called on his father Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Foust, Mary Lou Smith, and Margaret Benson spent Saturday in South Bend, Mishawaka, Warsaw, and Mentone. Mrs. Ruth Grepvin returned re-

cently to her home after spending several weeks with relatives in Texas and New Mexico.

Max Landis called on Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore and sons Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Moore and Terry called on Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Good Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Weida spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Martin, Royal Center.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoover, No. Manchester, were Sunday dinner

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover and Mrs. Earl Moore spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Washington of Peru. Their son, Don of Chicago, and daughter from Ft. Wayne were callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Lowman, No. Manchester, called on Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fitton Sunday.

Callers at the home of Mary Lou Smith and Eva Eshelman included Mrs. Harvey Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Coon, Bill Lytle, Mrs. Randy Moyer, Heather Shuey, Mrs. Donald Slaybaugh, Don Hall, Keith Shepherd, J.J. Shuey, Vance Lytle, Dorothy Cox, and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Foust.

Personal Items from Mentone

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller spent the weekend at Lowell with their daughter, Mrs. Mary Carney.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Gruenewald returned home Saturday from a ten day trip to Florida where they visited with the Glen Dentons and with family there.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker and Violet called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller Thursday evening.

Mrs. Chester Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker and Violet called on Mr. and Mrs. Byron Penrol at No. Manchester Sunday afternoon.

Sandra Coplen from Ball State College is spending her spring break with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coplen.

Mrs. Lena Coplen and Sandra called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bollinger of Atwood with a Saturday supper.

To celebrate Jack and Sharon Miller's birthday and Joe and Joy Miller's 51st wedding anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller entertained with a Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller, Mr. and Mrs. David Stafford, Onel Miller of

Granger, Lori Smalley, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Miller and Joshua, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and Doug.

Mrs. Earl Leedy of Warsaw was a Monday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zolman called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kepler at Plymouth Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zolman entertained Sunday with a dinner for their granddaughter, Alisa's, eighth birthday Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Zolman, Alisa and Amy of Columbus, and Mr. and Mrs. John Zolman and family of Burket.

Mary Griffiths entertained with a dinner and get-together for the day Monday Mrs. Ernest Ford of Plymouth, Mrs. Judah Trowbridge, Mrs. Jay Trowbridge of Bourbon, Mrs. Don Kuhn of Etna Green, Jo Ellen Jackson, and Betty Boggs of Warsaw.

Plan for Lent beginning

Akron United Methodists have made plans for the beginning of Lent. Other plans will be made known later relating to Lenten activities of the congregation.

The Rev. Steve Cain from Claypool will be coming to the church to lead in an activity having to do with Covenant Living. This will take place on this coming Sunday, March 4, at 7:30 p.m.

On the following Sunday, March 11, there will be a family centered program presented by the UM YF from Auburn. The group is called "The Love Light Puppets".

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Olive Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family spent Saturday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hott and daughter and Saturday afternoon with Bob Helt. They were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sheetz.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Snively of Wabash, and Mrs. Bill McKenzie and family, No. Manchester, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen.

Mrs. Fred Keesey spent Wednesday with Mrs. Bill Knauft and daughter of Rochester.

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

Mrs. Floyd Cox and Wanitta visited with Mrs. Tom Snively and grandson Wednesday.

THANK YOU

We would like to thank everyone for the calls, gifts and flowers, also the many cards we received on our 60th wedding anniversary. Also thanks to Ruby Dawson for the reading. We especially want to thank our children and grandchildren for helping to make our day a great pleasure. RALPH AND MARIE WHITTENBERGER.

3/1/1p

THANK YOU

We want to thank the Akron Fire Department, Sonoco men, Pike Lumber Co. men, all our friends, neighbors, Ed Hauser, and anyone else we don't know about for their kindness and help during our fire. Special thanks to Howard Utter for the use of his tarp. God bless all of you. MR. and MRS. KENNETH BRIGHT.

3/1/1p

We wish to thank all of our neighbors, friends and relatives for their love and kindness after the passing of Lura Vandermark. FRED and WALTRAUB VANDERMARK.

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Yes, our loved one's greatly missed

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When we think back in time

As everyone should,

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He enriched all our lives

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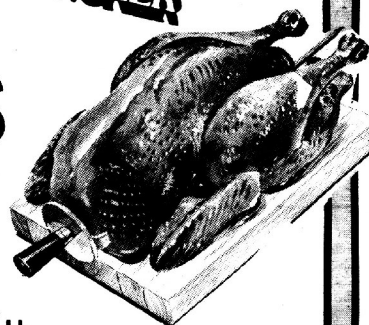
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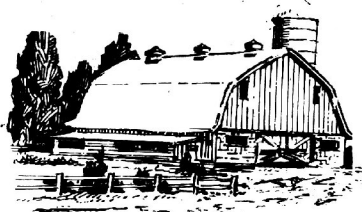
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CHAMPS!

Tippecanoe Valley wins first Sectional title!!



FIRST TVHS SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS—Tippecanoe Valley High School won their first sectional title Saturday, defeating Warsaw 58 to 48. These members of the Vikings will long remember the sweet taste of victory. Front row, left to right, Greg Utter, Scott Tilden, Mike Coplen, Charles Secrist, Bill Jamison, and Tim Alspaugh. Back row: Coach Roger Fleetwood, Jeff Pritchard, Brad Romine, Brian Simmons, Allen Utter, Chris Kindig, Jeff Murphy, and Pat Walgamuth. Assistant coaches not shown are Mike Sipe and Rudy Glingie.

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Bloodmobile at TVHS this Tuesday

Tuesday, March 13, from noon until 6 p.m. the American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in operation at the Tippecanoe Valley High School gym. Dwight Bechtol, area top donor having given 82 pints, and past Red Cross Chapter chairman, Mrs. Geo. Reed Jr., Mrs. Howard Horn, Mrs. Eva Eherenman, and Mrs. Wilbur Latimer, the Burket United Methodist Church, and Red Cross township representatives are co-ordinating arrangements for the visit.

The high school student council president and vice-president are in charge of teen age recruitment and

faculty members are in charge of student and faculty participation. Since 1964 Mentone and Tippecanoe Valley High School has set outstanding records of "teen-age" donations of time-talents and blood which has yet to be surpassed by any other "teen-age" group in our county.

Area clubs, churches and community groups are providing for the canteen needs for the visit.

Donors between ages 16 and 66 in good health are encouraged to visit the bloodmobile and make their donation.

Call 267-5244 or any of the above to make an appointment.

Family program Sunday

The Akron United Methodist Church is sponsoring a program for families this Sunday evening, March 11, at 7:30 p.m. The program will be especially enjoyable for the children and has them particularly in mind.

The "Love Light Puppets" is a dramatic program activity sponsored by the Auburn United Methodist Church. Youth of the church carry out this ministry under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carbaugh, owners of a jewelry store in the city of Auburn.

The program, planned by the evangelism committee of the Akron Church, is open to any families or children in the community.

Hill graduated with honors

Brian Hill was graduated with honors on February 22, 1979 from the Purdue University Winter Short Course in Animal Agriculture. Ceremonies were held in Loeb Theatre following luncheon in the Purdue Union for the 161 students, parents and friends.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hill, he achieved a grade point average of 5.7 on his nine course schedule. He is a 1978 graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School. While in high school he was active in Future Farmers of America competing at the National FFA Dairy Judging.

Hill is employed at Sonoco Products Co. and raises registered Simmental cattle. While in Lafayette he lived at the apartment of Mr. and

Mrs. Randall Kindig. Kindig, a 1975 graduate of TVHS, is a senior at Purdue.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill and Paige Cumberland attended the ceremonies.

Notice

The Town Board of Akron will meet Tuesday, March 13, in the town offices for their regular monthly meeting, instead of Mar. 20.

Everyone is invited to attend the meeting which begins at 7:30 p.m.

Carnival date reset

The Community Carnival scheduled at Mentone School for March 10 to aid a Talma family, has been rescheduled for March 31, according to school principal Jack Fisher. This is due to the fact that the Valley Vikings will play in the Elkhart basketball regional on Saturday. Look for further details on the Carnival in upcoming issues of the NEWS.

Mentone Ambulance Log

Volunteer EMTs from the 4-Way Ambulance Service in Mentone, answered a total of ten calls in January, and 14 calls in February, according to EMS treasurer Wayne Tombaugh.

A total of 280 miles were logged in February, with two runs to Woodlawn Hospital, Rochester; three to Parkview Hospital, Plymouth; eight to Kosciusko Community Hospital, Warsaw; and one transfer back to Mentone from KCH. In January, all of the runs were made to KCH, except for one to Plymouth.

Lions collecting

The Mentone Lions Club will be collecting used eye glasses and hearing aids at L & B Foods through March 10. The glasses and hearing aids will be sent overseas to be used at free clinics conducted by the Lions.

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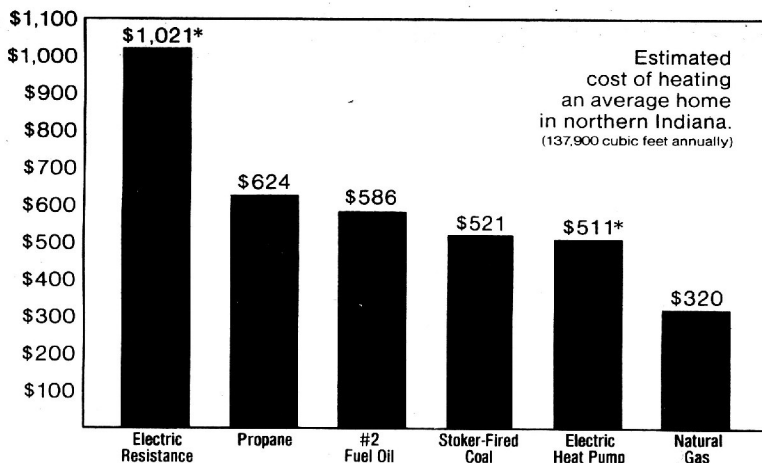
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*Electric costs based on NIPSCO electric rates as of January 15, 1979

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Board advised to wait on water rate increase

by Renee Norlander

Two representatives from H.J. Umbaugh and Associates, of Indianapolis, were present at Monday's regular session of the Mentone Town Board, to present their information regarding a water rate increase for the town.

Charles Dalton and Charles Lewallen explained to Board members Frank Hardesty, Gerald Romine, and Wayne Tombaugh, that they have studied the utilities records for 1978 with Clerk Treasurer Catherine Whetstone, and it is their opinion that the Board should wait until 1980 to request a water rate increase.

With the increases in fuel and power costs, wages, and repairs that are projected for 1979, it was the representatives opinion that should the Board go for an increase at this time they would probably be allowed only an 8% increase. Dalton and Lewallen advised that his might be enough for the next two years, but after that the Board would have to apply again.

Therefore, they concluded that a higher rate increase might be granted next year, due especially to rising inflation, and advised the Board to "get by" this year.

Board president Hardesty expressed his concern over the cost of repairing the water tank, and advised the representatives that it will be a costly expense. Dalton replied that after studying the utilities books, he feels it could be arranged by transferring from one account to another within the utilities funds. But if repair costs should become extremely higher than expected, the Board would have to settle for an 8% increase this year.

The Board was advised to keep a close watch on the use of the utilities funds, and to inform Umbaugh and Associates if they decide to go for an increase.

Two persons were present at the meeting to make bids on the town's 1970 F909 Ford dump truck that was advertised for sale last month. With the bidding beginning at \$350, the truck was awarded to a representative of 'Mike Gill Auto Parts' of Warsaw, for \$550. Trustee Tombaugh stated that other persons had informed him that they were interested in the truck, but as they were not present, the highest bidder was awarded the truck.

"Life is a jigsaw puzzle with most of the pieces missing."
Anonymous

"Man by nature is fond of novelty."
Pliny The Elder

"Old friends are best."
John Selden



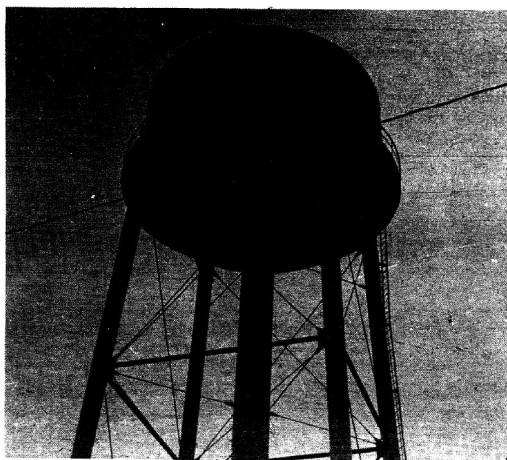
It took astronauts about three days to get to the moon; at that rate, it would take 878,000 years to reach the closest star, Proxima Centauri.

Steve Shambaugh, owner of Lakeland Disposal, was present to discuss with the Board his claim for \$1950 for garbage pickup for five weeks in May and June of 1978. The claim was not paid by the Board at that time because they felt the cost was extremely high.

The town is now paying Lakeland Sanitation a total of \$205 per week for pickup, and explained to Shambaugh that they could not understand why his costs were so high.

Shambaugh replied that he had billed the town only for the time his men turned in, at a charge of \$40 per hour for one truck, and \$35 per hour for the second truck. He explained the rates were higher than usual because he had only agreed to help Mentone because they were "in dire need", and his schedule was full at that time.

After some debate and refiguring, the Board agreed to pay full price for the first week of pickup, but for only one truck thereafter. A total of \$1350 was offered to Shambaugh, and he accepted that price, but stated "you're really cutting me".



PICTURED ABOVE IS the water tank in Mentone that has caused considerable worry for the Mentone Town Board. Due to freezing water in the tank thawing, a leak has again appeared in the tank.

In other Board action:

* A letter was read aloud from Artley Cullum praising the Board for their decision to discontinue with the sewer project. No date has yet been set for a community meeting to discuss the pollution problem.

* The Board agreed to meet in special session on Tuesday, March 20 at 7 p.m. at the Town Hall, to review and organize ordinances for the town, and to consider signing an ordinance to withdraw from the Kosciusko County Area Plan Commission.

* Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read, and claims were paid. It was agreed that the town will advertise for a caretaker for the Mentone Cemetery. Interested persons should contact Wayne Tombaugh.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The Board will meet again in regular session on Monday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Hall.

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Newsview

by Bob Norlander

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Quiz

- (1) What is Indiana's State Song?
- (2) How many counties are there in Indiana?
- (3) In what year was Indiana organized as a territory?
- (4) Who is the Indiana State Treasurer?
- (5) When was the last year Indiana won the NCAA basketball championship?
- (6) Can you name a well known female movie star born in Michigan City, Indiana in 1923?
- (7) How much is the annual salary of the Governor of Indiana?
- (8) Who was the Indianapolis "500" winner in 1975?
- (9) What well known Teamster Labor Leader was born in Brazil, Indiana in 1913?
- (10) In 1940 who was the Republican Presidential Candidate born in Elwood, Indiana, 1892?

(10) Wendell Willkie
(9) Jimmy Hoffa
(8) Bobby Unser
(7) \$38,000
(6) Ann Baxter

(5) 1083
(4) Jack L. New
(3) 1800
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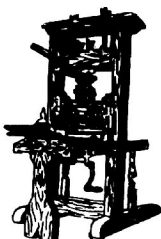
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Remembering Past Wins



FIRST AKRON SECTIONAL Champions. Above are the members of the 1929 Akron basketball team who defeated Rochester 25 to 19 to capture Akron's first sectional title. The event was 50 years ago. Pictured above are, standing, left to right: Principal S.E. Rouch, John Ferry, Charles Waite, Stewart Gast, Ralph Davis, Harold Leininger, and Coach Dickson. Sitting: Ron Fenimore, Wayne Hoffman, Jim Riley, Robert Sriver, and Lonzo Meredith. (Photo courtesy of Lonzo Meredith).

Mentone in '62...

(Editor's Note: Few can forget the last time Mentone captured the sectional title back in 1962. Among those who can't remember, however, are members of this year's Tippecanoe Valley basketball team, who were only toddlers in diapers in '62.

We take you back now "to those thrilling days of yesteryear" with the following article taken from our files of the MENTONE NEWS, February 28, 1962. See if you remember ...)

In a tremendous game played at Columbia City Saturday evening, the Mentone basketball team won the right to represent this area in the regional basketball tournament at Elkhart Saturday, as they defeated a determined and confident Warsaw team 65 to 61.

Warsaw led off the scoring in the game, and the lead changed from team to team many times throughout the contest. Seldom was there a time when either team had over a two or three point lead, with the first quarter ending 15 to 14 with Mentone ahead.

Mentone encountered serious foul trouble early in the game as the refereeing was close even though most fans conceded that no partiality was indicated at any point. Newcomb was the first to leave the game because of personals, but Long and Nellans were in dangerous territory. Jon was the first to leave the game because of fouls, but with Long and Nellans playing with four fouls, Warsaw went into a four-point lead and Mentone's spirits were not too good. Especially when some of our consistently accurate foul shooters came up with misses. Warsaw's Johnson came up with his fifth foul and Mentone's Nellans went to the bench with his fifth. Warsaw's Metzger became the fourth man in the game with five, and from that point on the "bench" boys showed that they could also play basketball. Jerry Blackburn was the sensation in the latter part of the game, not only by his floor work but managed to pick up 13 points more to keep Mentone out ahead. In the final minutes, with a very slim margin on the scoreboard, Mentone forced Warsaw into fouls that permitted the local boys to widen their margin. Warsaw's disappointment was so great the team

Akron in '74

(Editor's Note: 1974 was an unforgettable year for then Akron Flyer Coach Floyd Henson and his team. The Flyer's took the sectional crown, downing Rochester 91-89. Here is what it was like on March 7, 1974, from the files of THE AKRON/MENTONE NEWS.)

The fantastically cool Akron Flyers put it all together in a red hot game Saturday night to win the Warsaw sectional tournament by defeating previously unbeaten Rochester, 91-89. The Flyers earned their way to the championship game by defeating Triton, a team that had twice downed them in season play, and Warsaw, the defending champions.

The victory, cause for celebration in itself, was even more meaningful since this is the last year there will be an Akron Flyer team. In the fall, the Flyers and the Mentone Bulldogs, both already the result

of mergers with Beaver Dam, Burket and Talma, will unite in the final stages of Tippecanoe Valley's consolidation to become the Tippecanoe Valley Vikings.

Evidence of Viking support was already apparent Saturday night with Mentone fans cheering lustily for Akron, a gesture team members said in the pep rally that followed meant a great deal to them. So grateful for their support were they that the Akron cheering section led a cheer for Mentone during the rally. Tickets for the regional were made available to students from both schools.

The Flyers, who entered the tourney 10-10, snapped Rochester's 21-game winning streak in an overtime game that spectators said was one of the best in years. Ron Dittman scored 37 points for the Flyers while Jeff Tilden added 29, making a total of 66 points for two players. Aiding the cause were Phil Adams with 16 and John Lash with 9. The fifth player, Mike Lewis, did not score, but coach Floyd Henson hailed him as a terrific floor leader who set everything up. The only reserve to see action, Mike Murphy, did not score but got several key rebounds.

The Flyers will now face the Elkhart Memorial Chargers in the Elkhart regional Saturday. The winner of that game will meet the winner of the Whitko-Plymouth game for the championship. Jubilant fans mobbed the Flyers after the game and joined in a procession back to the school gym that included fire trucks and police cars, red lights and sirens in full operation. Team members and the coaches, Henson and Bob DuBois, spoke as did many of the fans.

By Monday, the noise had died down somewhat but it was time for another pep session and the presentation of the winners' trophy to the school and then school was dismissed for the day while the celebration continued. Although school is now back in session, enthusiasm remains very high and the team has been taken out for a steak dinner by the Akron Chamber of Commerce and reportedly will be guests at other dinners.

SECTIONAL TITLE!!

Valley downs Warsaw 58 - 48!!

The Tippecanoe Valley Vikings took their first sectional basketball title Saturday, defeating Warsaw 58 - 48 in the Triton gym.

Before a packed house, Valley Coach Roger Fleetwood engineered his team throughout the game, ending each quarter with TVHS in the lead.

In the first quarter, Valley jumped to a 6 - 0 lead quickly, sinking shots from far out. The tigers from Warsaw then began their march for points, but Valley's defense held and the period ended 12 - 7 in favor of the Vikings.

Then, as the second quarter opened, the Vikings pumped in 6 straight points to expand their lead to 18 - 7 before the Warsaw Tigers could come back. But, come back they did as Mike Petro of Warsaw made several consecutive free throws and two baskets to make the score a close, 19 - 14 with just over 3 minutes left in the half.

Valley's Allen Utter and Charles Secrist each then tallied baskets

to stretch their lead to 23 - 14, but Warsaw closed the gap and the half ended in favor of the Vikings, 24 - 21.

In the third quarter, both Warsaw and Tippecanoe Valley seemed to start cooling down, with valley scoring on only 3 of 8 shots from the field and Warsaw 4 of 16.

Several fouls sprang up in the third quarter and Valley took advantage of the situation, hitting 6 of 8 tries. The period ended 32 - 29, again with Valley on top.

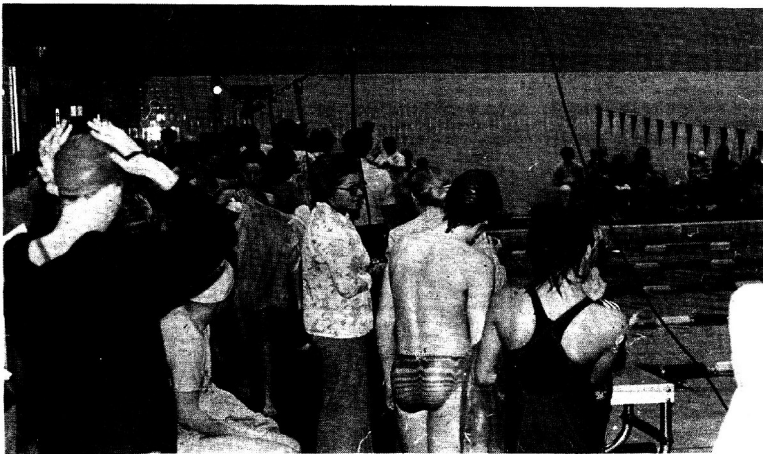
The fourth period opened, and Viking Greg Utter hit on a long shot and then, followed up with a couple of free throws to give the Vikings a 40 - 31 lead, their largest of the second half. With 6 minutes left, Valley's Scott Tilden fouled out, and Charles Secrist picked up his fourth foul. The Tiger's took advantage of the situation and started to move.

Warsaw, assisted by missed shots by Valley, came back to close the gap to 43 - 40 with only 3:30 left

to play. Valley's Jim Coplen then was fouled and pumped in a pair of free throws which seemed to put the momentum back in the hands of Tippecanoe Valley. The final score, FVHS 58-Warsaw 48.

GO BIG GREEN!

Jaws host successful meet



THE TIPPECANOE VALLEY High School pool was the scene for a lot of action this past weekend as the Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club hosted the State B meet. Swimmers from all over the state converged to swim against each other, and several Jaws swimmers placed very well in the finals.

The Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club and Cass County YMCA Club co-hosted a very successful AAU State B Championship meet at the Tippecanoe Valley High School pool over this last weekend, with 400 swimmers from 80 teams throughout the state participating in the event. TVAC qualified 15 swimmers for the preliminary races, and six Jaws were very successful in the finals.

the State A Junior Olympics March 16 through 18 at Indianapolis.

Final meet results for the Jaws are as follows:

10-Under: Chris Paris, 6th place, 50 free; Sam Manwaring, 5th 50 fly (A-cut), 5th 200 I.M.

11-12: Cathy Duncan, 3rd, 50 breast (A-cut); Randy Paris, 2nd 100 free, 5th 100 fly.

15 Over: Jennifer Manwaring, 3rd 100 breast, 3rd 200 breast; Brett Cumberland, 1st 100 breast, 2nd 200 breast, 4th 200 I.M., 5th 100 free.

Chris Paris, who swims in the 8-under boys, set a new team record with a time of 33:6 in the 10-under 50 yard freestyle, and he is currently rated in the top 10 (8-under boys 50 free) in the state. Two other Jaws swimmers Cathy Duncan and Sam Manwaring, received A-cuts in their events. The

Jaws will finish up their swim season this year with several attending

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS TIPPECANOE VALLEY SCHOOL CORPORATION

Owners of taxable real estate in the school corporation known as Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation are hereby notified that a petition has been filed by more than fifty owners of taxable real estate in said school corporation requesting the issuance of bonds by said school corporation for the purpose of providing funds to be applied to the purchase of school buses for the corporation. A remonstrance against the issuance of said bonds may be filed with the Board of Trustees by owners of taxable real estate in said school corporation in the manner and within the time provided by I.C. 6-1-1-20-4.

Taxpayers of said school corporation are further notified that said Board of Trustees did, on February 26, 1979, adopt a resolution authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of the school corporation in the amount of \$150,000 for the purpose of providing funds to be used as above stated. Said bonds are to bear interest at the rate or rates not exceeding 6-1/4% per annum (the exact rate or rates to be determined by bidding), and are to be payable over a period of approximately three years from the date of issuance thereof. Objections to the issuance of said bonds may be made by ten or more taxpayers filing a petition in the office of the Auditor of Kosciusko County or the Auditor of Fulton County within the time and in the manner provided by law, which petition, if any, will be heard and considered by the State Board of Tax Commissioners in the manner provided by law.

The net assessed valuation of taxable property in Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation, as shown by the assessment made in the year 1978 for state and county taxes payable in the year 1979 is \$31,449,470.00, and the outstanding indebtedness of said school corporation, exclusive of the above mentioned bonds, is \$96,000.00.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1979.

TIPPECANOE VALLEY SCHOOL CORPORATION

By Everett Besson

Secretary, Board of Trustees

3/1/2c/2p

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS
OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION**
Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the school corporation known as Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation that the Board of Trustees of said school corporation will meet at the usual meeting place of said Board at Tippecanoe Valley High School, in Kosciusko County, Indiana, at the hour of 7:30 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time) on March 19, 1979, to consider the following additional appropriation which said board considers necessary to meet the extraordinary emergency existing at this time:

An appropriation in the amount of \$150,000 on the purchase of school buses for the corporation including the incidental expenses necessary to be incurred in connection with said purchase and the issuance of bonds on account thereof. The funds to meet such additional appropriation are to be provided by the issuance and sale of bonds by the school corporation together with an additional \$32,839.55 now held by the corporation in unappropriated bus funds.

The foregoing appropriation is in addition to all appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy, and an extraordinary emergency for reason of the inadequacy of the present school buses for transportation necessary in the school corporation.

Taxpayers of said school corporation appearing at said meeting shall have the right to be heard in respect to said additional appropriation. The additional appropriation, if finally made, will be automatically referred to the State Board of Tax Commissioners, which Board will hold a further hearing within fifteen days at the office of the Auditor of Kosciusko County, or at such other place as may be designated. At such further hearing taxpayers objecting to said additional appropriation may be heard, and interested taxpayers may inquire of the County Auditor when and where such further hearing will be held.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1979.

Everett Besson
Secretary, Board of Trustees,
Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation

3/1/2c/3p

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS:

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the construction of certain highway improvements as described below, will be received by the Indiana State Highway Commission, Room 1313 at the Indiana State Office Building, Indianapolis, Indiana, until 10:00 A.M. Eastern Standard Time on the 20th of March, 1979, and all proposals will immediately thereafter be taken to the Great Hall on the Main Floor of the Atkinson Hotel, Illinois Street at Georgia Street, where they will be publicly opened and read.

The regulations related to the Goals and Timetables for Female and Minority Participation in the Construction Industry as outlined in the Federal Register of Friday, April 17, 1978 will supplement to all Federal-aid projects in this letting.

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

CONTRACT M-11942 - Bids are invited on ROADSIDE MOWING in the LaPorte District on the following:
STARKE & MARSHALL COUNTIES - US 30, from LaPorte-Starko Co. Line to Marshall-Kosciusko Co. Line.
STARKE & LAPORE COUNTIES - on US 35, from US 30 to LaPorte City Limits.

LAPORE & ST. JOSEPH COUNTIES - on SR 2, from LaPorte City Limits to So. Bend City Limits.

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

ST. JOSEPH COUNTY - on US 20 By-Pass, from US 20 to US 31.

FULTON & MARSHALL COUNTIES - on US 31, from Nona Lake Rd. to Marshall-St. Joseph Co. Line.

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

INDIANA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

3/8/1c/2p

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF NAMES OF PERSONS APPEARING TO BE OWNERS OF ABANDONED PROPERTY, THEODORE L. SENDAK, ATTORNEY GENERAL

Pursuant to Chapter 253 of the Acts of 1967, notice is hereby given that the persons listed below appear to be the owners of intangible personal property which has been presumed abandoned, information concerning the amount or description of the property and the name and address of the holder may be obtained by persons having an interest in such abandoned property by writing to THEODORE L. SENDAK, ATTORNEY GENERAL, ABANDONED PROPERTY SECTION, 219 STATE HOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA, 46204, giving name, address, and account number as published in this notice. Unless proof of claim is presented to the holder and the owner's right to receive such property is established to the holder's satisfaction before May 18, 1979, the property will be placed in the custody of the State. Thereafter all further claims must be directed to the Attorney General.

The addresses are in the City of Akron and the State of Indiana unless otherwise stated:

Hite, Betty 0529100004
R. 2, Akron

Hoffman Body Shop & T. Slone 0569800005
Howard, Harold 0532300007
R. 2, Box 74, Akron

Schever, Albert M 0530000019
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Mentone Police Report

Artley Cullum, age 71, of 408 S. Franklin, Mentone, was involved in a one car mishap on State Road 25, 225 feet east of County Road 1000 West, when he allegedly fell asleep while driving, and drove off the road into a ditch, hitting a telephone pole.

Damage to the Cullum auto was \$3500, according to investigating officer Marshal Earl Beattie, and damage to the telephone pole and relay box, owned by General Tele-phone of Wabash, was set at \$350.

The accident occurred at 3:25 p. m., on Thursday March 1. No arrest was made and Cullum was not injured.

Byrd Spaulding, age 39, of Senff Trailer Court, Mentone, was cited by Marshal Beattie for alleged pub-

lic intoxication and driving under the influence, on March 5 at 4:55 p.m. at the intersection of Morgan and High Streets. Court date has not yet been set.

On Friday, March 2, at 9:10 a.m., Janet K. Jones, age 19, of R. 6, Warsaw, was cited by Deputy Marshal John Hart for traveling 46 mph in a 30 mph zone at the intersection of State Road 25 and S. Elm Street. Court date is set for March 14.

Arthur R. Shepherd, age 16, of R. 5, Warsaw, was cited for traveling 51 mph in a 35 mph zone on Friday, March 2, at 8:10 p.m. by Deputy Hart. Court appearance is scheduled for March 21.

Thomas Harman, owner of "Har-

many Inn", located east of Men-tone on State Road 25, reported to Marshal Beattie on Monday, March 5, that someone broke the lighted sign in front of his business, some-time over the weekend. Estimated damage was \$1500. Police investiga-tion continues.

Farmer class date reset

The Farmer Class on "New Developments in Grain Harvesting" has been rescheduled for March 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the Rochester High School lecture room. This is the session that was previously postponed due to weather-related school closings.

Dr. Sam Parsons, Extension Age Engineer, will be the resource person with Si Deeb as discussion leader.

Ker named to state board

Charles A. Ker, Warsaw, has been selected for membership by the state board of the American Lung Association of Indiana. Ker is presently serving as treasurer of the board of the American Lung Association of North Central Indiana as well as president of the board of the Kosciusko County Diabetes Association. In 1968, Mr. Ker was presented the Distinguished Service Award by the Warsaw Jaycees and in 1975 was named Warsaw Man of the Year by the Warsaw Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Ker is president of Endicott Industries, Inc. in Warsaw.

Akron realtor Thomas Daniel named to FLI

Realtor, Thomas N. Daniel, Daniel Realty, Akron, has been elected to membership in the Farm and Land Institute (FLI). The announcement was made by Ron Bentz, AFLM, Stayton, Oregon, president of the Institute which is an affiliate of the National Association of Realtors. Mr. Daniel is also a member of the Fulton County Board of Realtors.

Members of the Institute are Realtors who specialize in selling, buying, managing, appraising, and developing land for others. They are involved in farm, ranch, grove, orchard, timber, range and recreational land, as well as in suburban and urban land for development and redevelopment.

Realtor Daniel joins more than 7,000 other FLI members throughout North America who, in addi-

tion to subscribing to the Realtors Code of Ethics, support the high standards of conduct and experience that directly relate to their specialty as established by the FLI Board of Governors.

Among other activities, the Institute helps each member be of maximum service to a prospective purchaser of land by keeping him up-to-date with a monthly news publication and by offering educational courses designed to broaden the member's knowledge of his field. FLI awards the designation, AFLM, or Accredited Farm and Land Member, to members who successfully complete prescribed education, service, and other requirements.

Headquarters of the Farm and Land Institute is 430 North Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill 60611. Telephone number 312-440-8040.

Church of God sponsors Spring Campaign

The Akron Church of God welcomes the entire Akron community, as well as surrounding communities, to attend its annual Spring Evangelistic Campaign which begins tonight, Wednesday, March 7, and continues through Sunday, March 11.

The Rev. Gary Ausbun, of Ashland, Kentucky, will challenge the local congregation with his Biblically-based messages at 7 p.m. nightly.

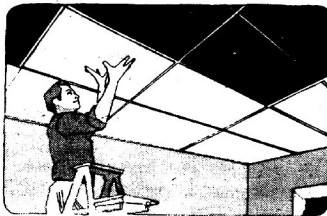
Associate Pastor Greg Kendall will direct the congregational singing and special choral music

throughout the campaign. Special music will be provided from individuals within the church, and the church's choir will sing nightly.

Both, the preaching and singing evangelists, are graduates of Anderson College. Rev. Ausbun also graduated from Anderson School of Theology in 1962, while Pastor Kendall presently attends the same seminary.

The Rev. James F. Hall, minister of the local fellowship, encourages all to attend the evening revival meetings which are being held in the church's sanctuary at West and Central Streets.

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Church News

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

AKRON BAPTIST CHURCH, Leroy F. Combs, pastor; Harold Schroll, Sunday school director.
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship Service: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Wed. Bible Class: 7 p.m.

OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD, Jeff Webb, pastor; Minnie Ellison, supt.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Thursday: 7 p.m.

AKRON CHURCH OF GOD, James F. Hall, pastor; Greg Kendall, Asst. pastor; Hugh Wildermuth, supt.; Mark Fairchild, asst. supt.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Revival Hour: 10:30 a.m.
YF: 6 p.m.
Revival Hour: 7 p.m.
ACTIVITIES
Wed., Mar. 14 - Women's Prayer hour, 9 a.m.; Puppeteers practice, 7 p.m.
Thurs., Mar. 15 - Midweek prayer hour Bible study, 7 p.m.; Choir practice, 8 p.m.

OMEGA CHURCH, Lee Stubblefield, pastor; Emerson Burns, supt.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Children's Bible Study: 10:30 a.m.
Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.
Youth Meeting: 7:00 p.m.
Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.

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

BURKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Don Poyser, pastor; Vernon Meredith, supt.; Dennis Birch, asst. supt.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Church: 10:30 a.m.

MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST, Terry Stockman, minister.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Worship and Communion: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6:30 p.m.
Thurs. Evening Service: 7:30 p.m.
Monday - Children's Bible Story hour: 3:45 p.m.

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

Services held at the new hardware building in Atwood.
SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD, Fred Landolt, minister; Richard Hoffman, supt.; Sam Brown, asst. supt.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
"Newsmen" Quartet

Thurs. - Prayer Meeting - 7 p.m.
Tues. - Home Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

State Sunday School Convention, Sat. all day - Silver Creek Church of God.

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

BEAVER DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Worship Services: 9:30-10:30 a.m.
Sunday School: 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Thursday - Adult Bible Study - 7 p.m.
No Junior Bible Study under further notice.

Revival Services will continue as planned.

March 25 - Annual one great hour of sharing offering.

THE HOME TOWN PAGE

Akron Did You Know?

Harvey Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fitton Tuesday. Kenneth Ege called on Mr. and Mrs. Larry Coon Wednesday evening.

Dorothy Cox called on Bertha Cook Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Reese and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Veri Rager.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Weida and granddaughters called on Mrs. Weida's mother, Ethel Bell, Rossville, Sunday.

Vance Lytle called on his father, Bill, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Heltzel have returned to their Indiana home after a winter stay in Florida.

Steve Stroufe spend Monday night with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Moyer and Stacy. Mrs. Moyer and Stacy spent Wednesday to Friday with her mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Corby Hollon and Steve.

Callers at the home of Mary Lou Smith and Eva Eshelman included Mrs. Harvey Smith, Mrs. Larry Coon, Bill Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Moyer and Stacy, Vance Lytle, Mrs. Jack Shuey and Bobby, Mrs. Bud Waymire, Jim Donahue, Indianapolis, Dorothy Cox, Margaret Benson, Mrs. Lynn Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Foust, Mr. and Mrs. Kendal Rager and Julian, Veri Rager, Mrs. Junior Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Weida, Lance Fuller, Mrs. Walter Benzing, Mrs. Dean Clemans and Karla, Bonnie Fuller, Mrs. Lincoln Hunter, and Mrs. Junior Herendeen, Wabash.

Mrs. Clifford Bright and Velma Bright were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mathias and Fern Bowen.

Silver Lake Notes

Recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson were Mrs. Ernie Munford, Mary Little of Claypool, Joann Carr of Warsaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ulrey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Meri Fitton, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herendeen and Christine spent Sunday in Fort Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harshbarger of Warsaw called on Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker Sunday afternoon. Jimmy Yocum of Warsaw spent Sunday with Jason Kerlin.

Fanchon Kline underwent surgery on her hip, which she broke in a fall at her home. She is in Parkview Hospital, Ft. Wayne.

Mrs. Karl Parker of Warsaw spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shipley.

Mrs. Richard Kerlin was a Monday dinner guest of Mrs. Jesse Lynch. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bechtelheimer entertained Mrs. Lillian Dickerhoff to dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Meri Fitton spent Monday afternoon with Mr. Tom Herendeen and Christine.

Keen-agers plan for silent auction beginning next Monday

by Onda Good

Going, going, sold to the lady in the Valley green hat. Yes, its auction time at the Akron Lions Club Site, March 12 thru 16. A silent auction of crafts, handwork or hobbies brought in by the Keen-Agers at the Lions Building. If you have never been to a silent auction, you bid on the item by pencil and paper and at the end of the auction the highest bid on

the item buys the item. Bids will be made from 10 to 2 o'clock all week March 12-16. At 1:30 Friday, March 16, bidding will cease and the highest bid will buy the item. The public is encouraged to come to the Lions building to browse and bid on the items.

Come get your blood pressure taken on Monday, March 12 from 11 to 12 o'clock during the March Blood Pressure Clinic.

The senior citizens enjoyed a western U.S. trip with Howard Kerr and his camera again. Howard certainly has a knack with a movie camera and the Keen-Agers have enjoyed his talent. Thanks, Howard. Site Day is Monday, March 12 and the March Birthday Party will be Wednesday March 14.

Meals on Wheels will bring a special diet meal to Keen-Agers with a special diet. These will be delivered by the same faithful volunteer drivers who deliver the

"shut-in" regular meals. For information or reservations call 893-7263.

The culinary art is displayed by the Akron Keen-Agers on Thursdays. Come sample "home" cooked food on Thursdays.

For reservations or information call 893-7263 or 893-7204 near the near hour.

Scheduled menus for March 12-16 are:

MONDAY - Barbecue beef sandwich, corn, spinach, rice pudding, milk, coffee.

TUESDAY - Chicken & noodles, green beans, carrot-raisin salad, brown bread, milk, coffee.

WEDNESDAY - Grouse beef and macaroni goulash, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, brown bread, tapioca pudding, milk, coffee.

THURSDAY - Akron menu. FRIDAY - Fried chicken, baked potato, peas, fruit jello, bread, milk, coffee.

Olive Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stackhouse of Napanee visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey recently. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtis Sr. of near Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kerby, Barbara and Susan, Galveston, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox.

Thelma Safford and Lillie Chambers attended the Rochester WCTU meeting Tuesday at the home of Edith Garner.

Marshall Allman of West Lafayette visited Mr. and Mrs. George Sheetz Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Basham of Mishawaka.

Jolly Good neighbors select new officers

The Jolly Good Neighbors Home Ec Club met recently at the home of Cathie Beery with Linda Holloway serving as co-hostess. There were ten members, one child and a guest, Donna Robertson, present.

Bonnie Hile called the meeting to order, and leaders giving reports were Evelyn Kuhn, Betty Bowen, Cathie Beery, Zeta Parker, Florence Bowen and Ethel Tinkey. Betty Bowen conducted the business session.

Mrs. Bowen reported on the Valentines which the club members made and donated to the Warsaw

Nursing Home patients; next month the club members will be making easter bonnets.

New officers elected for the upcoming year were: Ethel Tinkey, president; Bonnie Hile, vice-president; Eileen Sands, second vice-president; Evelyn Kuhn, secretary; Lynn Lanz, assistant secretary; Marie Heckaman, treasurer, and Evelyn Yearian, assistant treasurer.

The next meeting will be at the home of Bonnie Hile on Thursday, March 29. There will be a seed and bulb auction, and a special interest lesson given by Pat Braman.

TVHS Pool Schedule

Thurs., Mar. 8	7-9	Closed
Sat., Mar. 10	2-4	Closed
Sun., Mar. 11	2-4	Closed
Thurs., Mar. 15	7-9	Open

Calendar

MONDAY, MARCH 12
Akron Mothers of World War II will meet at 1 p.m. in the home of Flossie Drudge.

MONDAY, MARCH 12
Anthony Nigo Chapter DAR will meet at the home of Lil Tucker at 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14
Seward Home Extension Club will meet with Mrs. Mitchel Tucker, with Mrs. Donald Smalley as co-hostess, at 1:30 p.m. Wear something backwards.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14
Meeting of the Fulton County Conservation Club at 7:30 p.m. at the Bob Bradley home, across the road from the southeast corner of the Elk's Golf Course.

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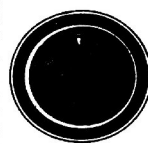
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Family Life

By Renee Norlander

Committees, committees, committees!

One has determined that smoking is dangerous to your health. One tells pregnant women not to drink alcohol. Another tells us to fasten our seat belts. And the list goes on and on!

It would seem that everything is dangerous to our health, and I suppose everything is. After a certain age, I suppose even breathing is dangerous. If it is, some committee will let us know - that's for sure.

And I'm sick of it all! As an adult, I feel I'm bright enough to make my own decisions, and I don't need government committees labeling products to inform me.

I think the government and its committees are underestimating the brain power of the average American. Don't they realize we're "BIG boys and girls" now? That we can make logical decisions without their interference. And that we may not agree with or care what they say.

It has been years now since the danger warning was put on cigarette packages, and yet millions of Americans continue to smoke. The label hasn't done much good; the tobacco industry is still profiting.

Now they want to label liquor bottles, ban television commercials aimed at children, and warn us about ourselves.

I for one object to all of this banning and labeling; treating us as if we were all unable to decide for ourselves. It makes me more and more aware that our democratic freedoms are slipping away.

Today they warn us - tomorrow they'll be "telling" us!

The care of your feet

The Fulton County Chapter of the American Diabetes Association is having two Ft. Wayne Podiatrists to speak on the care of your feet at their next meeting March 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the Woodlawn Hospital cafeteria.

Dr. Geo. Bowman, D.P.M., is president of the Ft. Wayne Chapter. He is a graduate of Illinois College of Podiatric Medicine and completed his post graduate work in Michigan. He is on the advisory board for the medical technology program at Ivy Tech and employed as a clinician at Irene Byron Health Center in Ft. Wayne.

Dr. Dominic Detommaso, D.P.M., also a graduate of Illinois College of Podiatric medicine. He completed his residency in Chicago and is available for service at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Ft. Wayne. Dr. Detommaso and Dr. Bowman will be going into practice together next year.

This will be a good informative meeting for everyone even if you are not a diabetic please come meet these doctors and learn about the importance of foot care, let these doctors know their efforts on foot health care are appreciated by your attendance.

Robin Secrist to wed in September



Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Secrist, of R. 1, Mentone, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Robin Ann, to Amar Omar Suleiman Rezig Masri of Nablus, Palestine.

A student at Chamberlayne Junior College in Boston, Mr. Masri is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Omar Masri, of Amman, Jordan. In September, he will be attending North-

eastern University in Boston, majoring in Civil Engineering.

Miss Secrist, a 1978 graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School, is majoring in accounting at Burdett School in Boston, and she will graduate in August, 1979. She is employed at the Sack-Cheri Theatre in Boston.

A September 2, 1979, wedding is being planned by the couple.

Specialists to speak on Chemical safety

The Kewanee Unit of Fulton County E.M.S. invites the interest-

ed public to an Agricultural Safety and EMT In-Service Seminar,

Thursday, March 29. Crop Fertility Specialists Inc., Purdue University and the State of Indiana have cooperated in developing this informative program on safety in using agricultural chemicals and emergency procedures. Starting time is 7:00 p.m. at the Rochester Civic Center, corner of 7th and Pontiac. Admission is free and three hours credit will be given. The public, as well as EMTs, is urged to attend.

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School lunch menus

TVHS

The TVHS lunch menu for the week of March 12-16 is as follows:

MONDAY: Pizza burger, rice with brown sugar, green beans, cherry cobbler, cottage cheese, apricots.

TUESDAY: Beef and noodles, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese sauce, jello with topping, applesauce, peanut butter sandwich.

WEDNESDAY: Hot turkey sandwich, tator tots, buttered peas, cole slaw, peaches, doughnut.

THURSDAY: Goulash, hot roll with butter, lettuce salad, mixed fruit.

FRIDAY: Bar-B-Q sandwich, buttered corn, brownie, pears.

Celery and carrot sticks, fruit juice and milk served every day.

All menus subject to change at the discretion of the cooks.

Mentone School

The Mentone School lunch menu for the week of March 12-16 is as follows:

Monday: Hamburger sandwich, scalloped potato, green beans, milk, peaches.

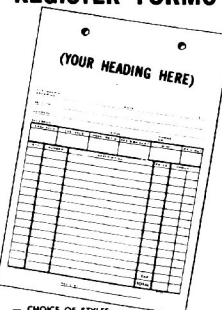
Tuesday: Chop suey w/chow mein noodles, rice w/brown sugar, cole slaw, pineapple, chocolate covered peanuts.

Wednesday: Chicken salad sandwich, french fries, creamed peas, applesauce, milk.

Thursday: Taco, buttered corn, pears, cookies, milk.

Friday: Irish stew, peanut butter sandwich, perfection salad, oatmeal cake w/whipped cream, milk.

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New books at Akron Carnegie Library

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

LISTENING VALLEY by D. E. Stevenson. Antonia Melville was fragile and shy as an adolescent - overshadowed by a beloved and adventurous sister, she often found contentment by slipping into "listening valley" of her imagination. How Antonia emerges from her private cocoon is the subject of this engaging novel, of D. E. Stevenson's best.

THE POLITICS OF CANCER by Samuel S. Epstein, M.D. Most independent experts now agree that the overwhelming majority of all human cancers are environmentally induced or related - and thus preventable. The Politics of Cancer documents the basis for this consensus and explores the grave questions it raises.

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THE COMPLETE BOOK OF RUNNING by James F. Fixx. This will prove to be a truly inspirational book to those readers who discover the long-term benefits of this sport. It's the best book to date, on this subject.

A WREATH OF ORCHIDS by Marjorie Shoebridge. This is a novel of romantic suspense.

THE LOVE CHILD by Philippa Carr. In an England riddled by political and religious strife, Priscilla Eversleigh fights off the man who ravaged her, who is attempting to possess her daughter, and who separates her through a dark secret they share from the man she truly loves.

by Patricia M. Braman

How well-nourished are we? This is a question frequently asked and a concern of many homemakers who plan, prepare and serve over 2,000 meals a year. Nutrition surveys show that most Americans have adequate dietary intakes but are sometimes lacking the daily requirements of the nutrients, calcium, vitamins A and C, and iron. These deficiencies are most common in young children, adolescents, pregnant women, and the elderly.

Many changes have taken place in our eating patterns to raise concern over our nutritional status. More people are now eating one out of every meals away from home. Limited menus make it difficult to make wise food choices. Snacking, or the in-between meals, have become more frequent. It is estimated that 15%-20% of our daily caloric intake comes from snacks.

There has also been a shift in the

kinds of foods consumed. There has been an increased consumption of sugars and fats and a decreased consumption of fruits, vegetables and whole grains. Imitation foods have appeared on the market to replace many traditional foods. Processors of imitation foods try to add the same important nutrients provided by the foods they replace, but not all trace minerals and vitamins can be added.

What can the homemaker do to assure the nutritional adequacy of her family's diet? The best suggestion is to follow the Basic Four Food Guide. The Basic Four divides foods into groups according to their nutrient contribution and suggests the number of servings each day. The milk group (2 adults, 3/ children, 4/ teenagers) contributes calcium, riboflavin, and pro-

tein; meat group (2 - 2 oz. servings/day) provides protein, niacin, iron, thiamine; fruit-vegetable group (4 servings) provides vitamins A and C; grain group (4 servings) provides carbohydrates, thiamine, iron and niacin. Another aid the homemaker can use is nutrition labeling. It is designed to help homemakers make nutrition value comparisons between products.

As the gate-keeper of the family's food supply, the homemaker needs to be aware of her family's nutritional needs and understand how to meet them. For more information on feeding your family stop by the Extension Office and browse through our publications list. We have free publications from apples to zucchini which may be of interest to you.

Akron School Calendar for March

8	Girls' Basketball - No. Miami, here	6 p.m.
9	Elementary Basketball Tournament	6:30 p.m.
16	Spring Break begins with the close of school	
23	Shrine Circus at Ft. Wayne - all Akron third graders	
27	Spring Break ends with the opening of school	

Caring for blind children

Parents of visually impaired, pre-school age children in the State of Indiana are invited to attend, free

of charge, a two day conference on the development of the young blind child.

Consultants for the conference include a child psychiatrist, ophthalmologist, pediatric neurologist, pediatrician, physical therapist, educators of the blind and psychiatric social workers. These specialists are all experienced in work with the young blind child.

The dates for the conference are April 20th and 21st, 1979.

Interested people should contact the Indiana School for the Blind, 7725 North College, Indianapolis, Indiana 46240. Phone: 317-253-1481. The conference is sponsored by the Indiana State Board of Health and hosted by the Indiana School for the Blind. The school will provide, at no charge, rooms and meals to parents and their children.

Womens convention planned for Monday

"Women - The Heart of the Home and the Community," will be the theme of the Fulton County Federation of Women's county convention on March 12. Registration will be from 9:30 - 10 a.m. with a fifty cent fee at the Akron Church of God.

For luncheon reservation send \$3.25 to Mrs. Ernest Smith, Box Akron, IN 46910, by March 9. 'Puppet Ministry' will be the title of the afternoon program with music by the Tippecanoe Valley High School.

Club presidents will give a two minute talk on what their club means to them and their community. The county council voted to donate the money to the Woodlawn Hospital rather than buy corsages.

There will be a prize going to the club which collected the most used foil to be recycled. All foil to be weighed in at the convention. A table will be set up for Goodwill for a membership drive. This \$1

fee is optional.

All deceased members are to be turned in to Mrs. Ray Doering, county president, before the convention. The traveling gavel will again be awarded to the club with the most members present. Also, an award will be presented to the president of the club with the most members present who have never before attended a county convention.

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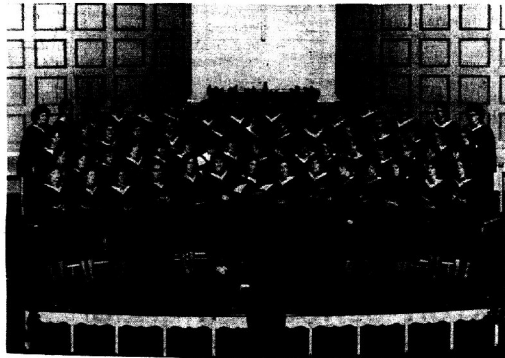
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Concert choir to present program in Mentone

The Huntington College Concert Choir, under the direction of Mr. Jerry Blackstone, will present a concert of sacred music at the Mentone United Methodist Church beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, March 16. The public is invited to attend the concert.

This outstanding musical group is currently touring the States of Indiana and Illinois, accompanied by Mr. Charles Bloomer, Huntington College field representative. The 44-member choir will present a program of the finest in choral literature. The varied program will

feature "Psalm 100" by Heinrich Schutz, "Why Then Has the Light Been Given" by Johannes Brahms, "John Saw Duh Numbuh" by Alice Parker and Robert Shaw, and "Praise to the Lord" by F. Melius Christiansen.



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Huntington College is a Christian, four-year, coeducational, liberal arts college located in Huntington. It is supported by the Church of the United Brethren in Christ.

County Extension Board to meet today

The annual meeting of the Fulton County Extension Advisory Council will be March 8 at the First Baptist Church, Rochester. The program will begin with dinner sponsored by Akron State Bank, Farmers and Merchants Bank, First Federal Sav-

ings and Loan, First National Bank, Leiters Ford State Bank and Production Credit Association.

Program highlight will be a slide presentation by Denise Riddle on her International 4-H Exchange Trip

to France. Agent reports will be distributed and five people will be elected to 3-year terms on the County Extension Board.

Invitation letters have been sent to the Extension Advisory Council members who represent the entire county, including townships and organizations. The Advisory Council elects Extension Board members who assist in determining overall long-range program direction and priorities.

Anyone else who would like to attend should call 223-3397 to make dinner reservations.

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This Was News

60 YEARS AGO

The Frank Webber farm near Akron has been sold to Joseph Zink, who will take possession soon. Russell Webber, who has been living on the farm, will hold a sale, Feb. 24, and then move to a farm near Laketon, which he recently purchased.

While coming to Akron Tuesday, J. W. Swick saw a ground hog running along the road, so Mr. G. Hog did not hold up for six weeks as was reported Feb. 2nd.

Frank N. Dawson was given the work in the Masonic lodge Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Percival Seligman Tuesday sold her farm near Millark to Ivan Ramsey.

Hollis VanLue is Akron's new marshal, taking his position last Saturday. The former officer, Ralph Day, will move upon A. A. Gast's farm.

Dogs attacked a flock of sheep Saturday owned by Ray Morris, killing six and injuring five.

Chip Bratt of Warsaw is the new baker at Penry's restaurant, J. C. Phillips, resigning Monday.

Influenza has closed the schools at Macy and elsewhere in that township. The epidemic is said to be more severe there now than ever before.

39 YEARS AGO

For the third time in the past four years Akron has drawn Rochester in their first game of the Sectional tournament.

Jack Morris has purchased the Ella Noyer property, located on W. Rochester Street. Mr. Morris plans to remodel the house and make it over into a rental property. It has been vacant for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Meredith and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wise of Kokomo were guests at a birthday dinner on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Wise at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hines and daughter at Marion.

Pauline Engle has purchased a new Ford from Ray Middleton.

Bidwells: Phone 51: Pork chops, 15 cents lb.; Swiss steak, 21 cents lb.; fresh ground beef, 18 cents lb.; bananas, 5 cents lb.; fancy head lettuce, 10 cents; large oranges, 25 cents per dozen.

25 YEARS AGO

Lions Club members will observe Ladies night next Tuesday night by having dinner at White's Institute, near Wabash. The institute is one of the beneficiaries of local club charities.

Wayne and Otto Groninger have purchased the Charles Flohr farm east of town, formerly occupied by the Russell Flohr family.

The manufacture of coils for TV and radio sets will be made here, according to an announcement from Roger Gaff, who has rented the Hatfield building north of the Sinclair station for that purpose. If the business ventures proves successful the factory will eventually employ several local women.

Raymond Burkett, who represents Henry township on the REMC board of directors, will be the board's secretary and treasurer this year. He succeeds Gilbert English.

10 YEARS AGO

Tom Gast, Akron, has notified all parents of potential Little League players that a special meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday evening in the Akron Lions Den to make plans for the coming year.

Mrs. Nancy Goehring, daughter of Mr. Mildred Goodman, R. 1, Mentone, and a senior at Grace College, Winona Lake, has achieved recognition for academic excellence during the fall semester by being named to the honor list with a grade point average of 3.666.

Gary L. Groninger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Groninger, Akron, has been named to the Dean's List for fall semester work at Vanderbilt University.

College Notes

Jay Herring of Brownsburg, has been elected president of the Kappa Chapter of Pi Sigma Eta Fraternity at the Indiana College of Mortuary Science.

Gerst of Lowell, Mich., sgt.-at-arms, and Mike Stratton of Holton, chaplain.

Rick Newman, faculty sponsor, made the announcement recently and named the other new officers: Russell Reichard of Union City, second VP; David Goodwin of Bluffton, second VP; Kirk Robinson of Etna Green, secretary; Paul Green of Frankfort, treasurer; David

**Assessment
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Henry Township Trustee Clair Ellis has announced that his offices will be open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., beginning March 7. The office will be closed each day from 12 to 1 p.m.

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It Happened in Mentone

Taken from the February 27, 1952 issue of *The Northern Indiana Co-Op News*:

Wayne Tombaugh announces that all who desire to contribute to the polio fund, make their contributions to him as quickly as possible so they can be turned into the county unit.

Jack Fawley is the new clerk in the post office and will replace Mrs. Tom Stanford, who has served in that capacity for over four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kohr report seeing their first robin of the year on Sunday morning.

Annabelle Mentzer had the misfortune to break a bone in her left arm in a fall last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Busenburg and sons of Mentone entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Peter Blue, Mrs. Donald Blue, Kenneth Blue, Lois Busenburg, Everett Busenburg and Paul Perkins, who celebrated their birthdays in February.

Don Fenstermaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Fenstermaker, was elected outstanding pledge for the fall semester of Delta Phi Epsilon, Delta chapter, the National Foreign Service fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Paulus and sons, North Manchester, were Sunday evening visitors at the Cioice Paulus home.

Mrs. Wayne Baker and Mrs. Joseph Baker are visiting Wayne Baker at Ft. Jackson, So. Caro-

lina.

Mrs. Gertrude Hill and her father, Elbe Johnson, spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Bertha Trieble. The occasion being the 84th birthday of Mr. Johnson.

The following students remain on the "resting" list, from one cause or another: Joe Shoemaker, Patty Boggs, the Beeson boys, Marilyn Rathfon and Billy Whetstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cooper and Mrs. David Cooper drove to Biloxi, Mississippi where they are visiting David Cooper. Doris plans on remaining there. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper will fly home in about ten days.

Must be certified for usage

A Pesticide Certification Program will be March 7 and 13 (7:30 - 9:45 p.m.) at the Rochester High School lecture room. The purpose is to enable agricultural producers to get a 3 year permit to purchase and use restricted-use pesticides. Participants would need to attend both evenings.

Farmers may want to call Extension Agent Harold Brown at 223-3397 to discuss their situation to better decide whether they should become certified as well as the options available. Currently 23 fumigants, insecticides, poisons, fungicides and herbicides are on the Restricted Use list.*

Know your 4-Hers



honors. Kris Hile was among the five receiving the honors, this being his third award for such.

Kris is a fourth year member of the Beaver Dam Agriculture Club and the Beaver Dam Better Daughters 4-H Club. He has enrolled in an average of eleven projects each year, with his favorites being clothing and foods.

His special projects is goats, and his mother is superintendent of this project. (Anyone wishing more information on the goat project may contact Mrs. Hile at 491-4782.) Kris is a seventh grade student at Mentone School where he is an assistant treasurer and a health and safety leader. His favorite sport is basketball, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hile.

Twenty-three achievement record books were entered in the junior division of the Beaver Dam 4-H Club, with five books receiving

Let's Talk About Meter Reading and Estimated Bills



College Notes

Patricia Doering, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Doering, Akron, has been named to the Anderson College Dean's List for the fall, 1978 semester.

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PAID AD

NO ONE—PARTICULARLY NIPSCO—LIKES ESTIMATED BILLS

But sometimes they are necessary because of circumstances beyond our control.

WHY WE SEND ESTIMATED BILLS

We issue estimated bills to help keep budgets in line—yours and ours. Most people would rather receive a bill each month, even if the service usage is estimated, rather than one large bill after the meter is read.

WHY METERS MAY NOT BE READ

1. Inclement weather.
2. Meter inside and customer not home.
3. Dogs not confined.
4. Meters covered with snow and ice.
5. Other circumstances beyond our control.

HOW YOUR BILL IS ESTIMATED

An estimated bill is *not* a figure picked out of the air. It is computed from your actual past energy usage. The formula also includes changes in customer energy consumption based on weather conditions and other factors in your general area.

YOU PAY FOR ONLY THE ENERGY YOU USE

The difference between a bill based on estimated usage and your actual usage—whether higher or lower—will be reflected on your next bill, once an actual meter reading has been obtained. You pay only for the energy you use—no more, no less.

EQUAL PAYMENT PLAN—ONE WAY TO AVOID ESTIMATED BILLS

Under our Equal Payment Plan, you pay the same amount each month. Your anticipated annual service usage—based on your past consumption—is divided into 12 equal monthly payments. The budget period ends in May each year. Any difference between the total amount billed during the year and the actual costs based on meter readings will be adjusted on your May service bill. Ask your local NIPSCO representative for more information.

OTHER POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVES

We've been listening to your complaints about estimated billing and we're studying several possibilities, including:

1. Meeting with union representatives to discuss improvements or changes in meter reading.
2. Use of a remote electronic meter reading system operating on telephone circuits.
3. Use of a remote electronic meter reading system operated by computer from vans or aircraft.

OUR JOB—IS TO SERVE YOU

As your energy company, we are interested in providing you with the best possible service. If you have any questions about meter reading, estimated bills—or our equal payment plan—give us a call or stop in at your nearest NIPSCO customer service office. We'll do our very best to help you.



Northern Indiana Public Service Company

This ad paid for by shareholders of NIPSCO

Named Pride seed dealer

J. Arthur Howard, has been named Pride Seed Dealer in the Akron area according to Dick Bair, Pride Sales representative for this section of Indiana.

In making the announcement Mr. Bair pointed out that Howard's assigned sales area will include Henry township and the northern part of Miami Co.

Since its organization in 1934, Pride has expanded to become one of the nation's leading seed corn companies. Headquartered at Glen Haven, Wisconsin, the company has

a Research Farm and Processing Plant at Glen Haven in addition to plants at DeWitt, Iowa and Amboy, Minnesota. It's affiliate, the Pride Hybrid Company of Canada, is located at Chatham, Ontario.

A leader in development of fast drying varieties of seed corn, the Pride Company develops, produces and distributes a variety of related farm seeds including alfalfa, red clover, grain sorghum, sorghum-sudan crosses, forage sorghums and soybeans.

Fire strikes Mentone home



MENTONE FIREFIGHTERS were called to the home of Johnny Wadkins and family, of 502 N. Broadway, Mentone, on Sunday, March 4, at 5:10 p.m. when a fire was reported by their niece. An unestimated amount of damage was done to the home, but Chief Joe Good reported that most of the home received smoke and heat damage, while fire damage was restricted to the bathroom. An overheated furnace was blamed for the fire. No one was home at the time and no injuries were reported. Firefighters were at the scene for approximately thirty minutes.

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Mentone School Calendar for March

8	Girl's basketball, Warsaw, there	4:30
9	4-5th grade basketball game with Burket	
	4-5th grades.	
19-23	Spring Vacation	
23	Third graders go to Shrine Circus	
26	School will resume at regular time	
28	Sports Banquet in the gym	6:00
29	Parent-Teacher conferences	
30	Parent-Teacher conferences	



Carrots were bred into existence 150 years ago in England from Queen Anne's Lace, a weed.

Elementary tourney to be played Friday

The annual Akron Elementary Basketball Tournament, co-sponsored by Akron School and the Akron Chamber of Commerce, will be played Friday, March 9, beginning at 6:30 p.m. All second, third, fourth and fifth grade boys and girls are invited to participate. Each grade will be competing among classes to win the boys' and girls' team trophies.

In addition, all boys and girls participating will be eligible to win basketballs given to a boy and girl in each grade. The Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a cake raffle. Finally, the Akron Student Council will sell popcorn, cokes and candy.

The public is invited.

Meals on Wheels

Drivers for the Mentone Meals on Wheels for the week of March 12-16 are as follows:

MONDAY - Mary Cox,
TUESDAY - Mary Hammer,
WEDNESDAY - Bedie Weirick,
THURSDAY - Iris Dickerhoff,
FRIDAY - Phil Surface, and
SUB - Paul Haist.



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Mentone to host town meeting

Citizens of Mentone will gather to hold a "town meeting" on November 8 at the Town Hall from 7-10 p.m. The town meeting is to be held in order to discuss the town's future and to hear the views of the people on the town's future.

The town meeting is being sponsored by the Mentone Chamber of Commerce, with the cooperation of the Town Board. Attendance is free and open to all. The town meeting is being held in the Town Hall, which is located on the corner of Main and Second streets.

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More than 4,000 people have attended the town meeting. The town meeting is being held in the Town Hall, which is located on the corner of Main and Second streets.



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Thursday, November 2, 1978

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Akron Fall Festival is big success



HUNDREDS of kids of all ages gathered in the Akron gym Wednesday to take part in the school's first Annual Fall Festival.

Sound Off! When the town meeting was held in the town hall, it was a great success. The town meeting was held in the town hall, which is located on the corner of Main and Second streets.

TVHS sports banquet set The Tippenease Valley High School athletic department will hold its annual sports banquet on Thursday, Nov. 2, 1978, in the high school cafeteria.

Area churches sponsor bazaar On Saturday, November 3, there will be a gift bazaar sponsored by the Akron United Methodist Church.

The bazaar, starting at 9 a.m. at the church, will feature books, toys, and other items. The bazaar is being held in the church, which is located on the corner of Main and Second streets.

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To keep our country united Local men fought in Civil War

by Eula Romayne Smith

Most men in the Civil War were identified by their state, and the type of unit they served in -- such as Infantry. They were also part of a numbered regiment which was subdivided into companies with letter names. Companies were organized locally, so men often started off to war with their relatives and neighbors. Our area was well represented in Company F and Company K of the 74th Regiment of the Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

United States Government records show that Thomas Morgan, of Sevastopol enlisted August 27, 1862 as captain in Capt. Morgan's Company (Which was later called Company K) of 74th Regt., and a few weeks later he was taken as prisoner of war.

In describing William H. Cattell, who was also a member of Co. K, the Tri-County Gazette tells us, "In his first battle, he was captured at Munfordsville, Ky., by General Bragg. He was paroled and returned to his home before being in the Civil War service six weeks. In November, 1862, he returned to his company and remained at the front during the entire Atlanta Campaign."

Allen Bybee, along with his brother Levi, enlisted in Co. F of the 74th at Fort Wayne, and

was assigned to the Army of the Cumberland. He saw active and bloody service from that time forward. At Chickamauga, Mr. Bybee saw his brother give up his life for his country in the thickest of the battle.

In describing John C. Smith's service with Co. F, Allen Bybee wrote that they crossed the Tennessee River on rafts constructed by the Army and marched all night before the battle of Chickamauga. "He also participated in the famous march through Georgia to Savannah, arriving in the city on the 25th day of Dec., 1864."

Some of the other members of the 74th Regiment were: David W. Brown, Lyman Borton, Moses Herron, Amor Jefferies, Charles G. Wileman, John K. Elder, John Raber, William Raber, and Joseph Turner.

One of my recent projects has been compiling a card file of the Civil War men buried in the Mentone Cemetery from records of Mentone Post 425, The American Legion; Adam Bowen's cemetery list, shared by Lois Perry and Hazel Linn; and materials at the Bell Memorial Library. This information is now available at the library.

CIVIL WAR MEN BURIED IN THE CEMETERY AT MENTONE, INDIANA

Aaron Baker
Abraham Baker
William T. Baker
George W. Baxter
Benjamin Blue
Samuel Blue
Lyman Borton
James P. Bonnell
David W. (or N.) Brown
Nathaniel Brown
Henry Brown
Allen Bybee
George W. Carey
William H. Cattell
William S. Coomley (or Coomler)
John I. Cox
William Dale
William B. Doddridge
Samuel W. Dunlap
Levi Eaton
John K. Elder
William Fifer
Jacob Fifer
Zimri Finch
McNeal Forst
Benjamin Fore
Aaron Hawk
Moses Herron (or Heron)
William Hickman
David H. Hubler
Amor Jefferies
Isaiah Katherman
Albert B. Ketterman
William L. Kintzel
John M. Laird
James W. Lee
William Lehman (or Layman)
John Maggart
John Metzger
Oscar Metz
Austin Millbern
Henry Mollenhour
Philip McNeal
J.H. (or S.H.) Nelson
Stephen P. Overstreet
John G. Owen
John Raber
William Raber
Henry Clark Riner
William H.E. Robbins
W.H.H. Robbins
Frederick Shull
Benjamin F. Smith
John C. Smith
Joseph Turner
David Warren
H. H. Wharton
William (B. or R.) Wharton
Charles Wileman
Joseph J. Yantiss
William Young
Seth Henderson
Lorenzo Jenkins

Akron firemen summoned again



AKRON FIREMEN RESPONDED to their third call in just two weeks' last Wednesday, when a fire was reported at the Richard Moyer residence south of Akron on County Road 500 East. Ed Hauser reported the cause of the small fire, which turned out to be a burning mattress, was a lighter which had ignited the pad.



AKRON MARSHALL/FIREMAN Ed Hauser had to knock out an upstairs window to allow a space big enough to push the burning mattress through.

Obituaries

H. Don Hochstettler

Rev. H. Don Hochstettler, 68, R. 6, Warsaw, died unexpectedly of a heart attack at 8:35 p.m. Sunday, March 4, 1979, at the Burket United Methodist Church where he was participating in a Lenten service.

A minister of the United Church of Christ, Rev. Hochstettler had served churches in Ohio and Indiana prior to retirement in 1975, moving to the Warsaw area four years ago. He served as pastor of the First United Church of Christ at Sandusky, Ohio for ten years; St. Peter's United Church of Christ at Huntington, five years; and was in his third year at the Beaver Dam United Methodist Church at the time of his death. He was a member of the United Church of Christ and of Trinity United Methodist Church in Warsaw.

A native of Bluffton, Ohio, Rev. Hochstettler was born July 10, 1910 to John C. and Lydia (Stettler) Hochstettler. On July 10, 1935 he was married at Findlay, Ohio to the former Martha Taylor. She survives.

Other survivors include two sons, David Hochstettler, Prescott, Ariz., Tom Hochstettler, Palo Alto, Calif., three daughters, Mrs. Mac (Joyce) Babbington, Niles, Ohio, Mrs. Curtis (Mary) Blosser, Dalton, Ohio, Mrs. Stanley (Susan) Webster, Columbus, Mo.; two brothers, A.N. Hochstettler and Paul Hochstettler, both of Findlay, Ohio; and eight grandchildren.

Services for Rev. Hochstettler were conducted at the Trinity United Methodist Church at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 7, with the Rev. Jack K. Thomas, of Huntington, officiating. Interment was in Maple Grove Cemetery, Findlay, Ohio.

Mary McIntire

Mrs. Mary E. McIntire, 68, Akron, died at 6 a.m. Thursday, March 1, 1979, at her home.

She was born Feb. 12, 1911 in Silver Lake to Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Meinert and moved to Akron from Silver Lake in 1941. She was married to Willis E. Nelson, who died in 1954. She was married April 25, 1965 to Donald McIntire, who survives.

Also surviving are three sons, Willis Nelson Jr., Akron; Fred A. Nelson, Indianapolis, and Lyle K. Nelson, Atlanta, Ga.; a daughter, Mrs. Bud (Linda) Geiger, Akron; two brothers, Walter Meinert, Silver Lake, and Ralph Meinert, Atwood; a sister, Mrs. Lozier (Doris) Burr, North Manchester, and 12 grandchildren.

Services were Sunday, March 4, at 2 p.m. in the Sheetz Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. James F. Hall officiating. Burial was in the Athens Cemetery.

Jimmie White

Jimmie Lee White, 54, Akron, died at 11:30 Monday, February 26, 1979, at his residence.

He was born May 15, 1924 in Alabama to Jim and Sarah Mitchell White. He was married to Mary Tate, who survives. He was employed by the Mentone Poultry Co.

Surviving with the wife are a son, Willie, New York; two daughters, Annie White and Corabelle White, both in Alabama, and a brother, George White, Peru.

Services were Friday, March 2, in the Flowers-Leedy Funeral Home, Peru. Burial was in the Mount Hope Cemetery, Peru.

NOTICE

Recent heavy snow and ice loads may have damaged gutters and down spouts. Consider checking them in case repairs are needed before spring rains start.

Various houses have leaked this month along or near walls. This is not necessarily due to a damaged roof which needs replacing. Shingle roofs are designed to "shed" running water, but not all can protect against standing water puddles. Ice in gutter on or near edges of roof can "pond" water which can then seep under shingles and through openings - large or small.

Leaks can be very damaging, frustrating and expensive. Leaking roofs should be checked closely and perhaps repaired, but be certain that new roofing is necessary before having the job done.

Be very careful whenever removing ice, and checking roofs, gutters and downspouts. Removal of ice dams in ways other than getting on the roof are best, if possible.

Long term considerations are to remove ice before it becomes a problem, again without getting on the roof. Also more insulation or attic ventilation to keep entire roof colder (rather than just near the edges) are possibilities.

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BASKETBALL!!
AT THE MENTONE GYM
Friday, March 9
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6:30 p.m.
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3/1/2p

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FOR RENT: One br furnished apartment in Silver Lake. No children or pets. CALL 352-2756.

3/8/2p

WANTED

WANTED: Carrier for the Rochester Sentinel in Mentone. CALL ART HOFFMAN, 223-2111.

3/8/3p

WANTED: Farm field work, experienced. HUGH WILDERMUTH Akron.

3/8/6p

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3/8/1p

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3/8/2p

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3/8/2p

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3/8/1

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11/16/xc

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2/15/3p

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1/18/8p

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1/25/10p

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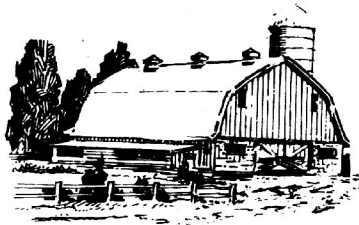
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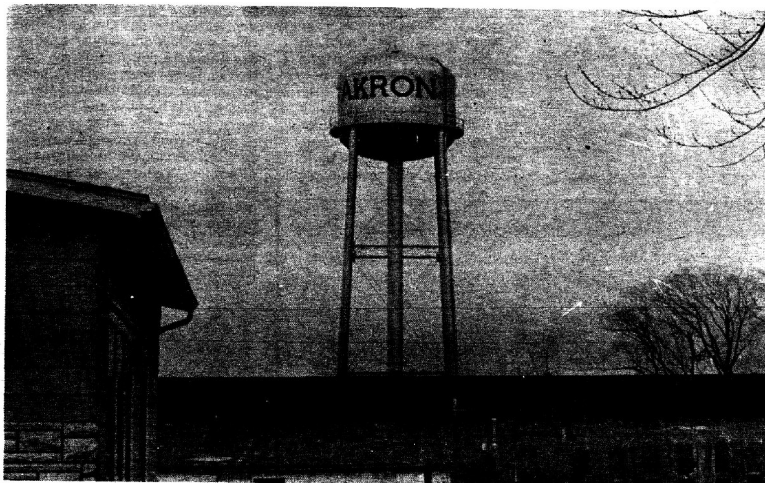
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Thursday, March 15, 1979



LAST WEEK THE leaking Mentone water tower was making news, this week the Akron water tower was being discussed during the Akron Town Board meeting held Tuesday night.

Akron board ok's tower inspection

The members of the Akron Town Board met in a regular monthly session Tuesday night to discuss town business.

Mike Mehling, a representative of the Security Tank and Tower Corporation of Kentucky, met with the board to discuss the Akron water tower.

Mehling told the board that the tank should be inspected in May since 4 years have passed since it was last checked for structural damage and sealed with a protective coating. After some discussion and Mehling's offer to inspect the tank and tower for free, the board agreed to a May inspection, to be arranged later with the company.

Clerk Ernest Smith then read the minutes of their February meeting and the board approved the minutes as read.

Board member Vern Waymire mentioned to the other members, Ron Fenimore and Dr. Charles Miller, that he had been asked to find if the town of Akron would donate \$200.00 to Woodland Hospital in Rochester for purchase of a new wheelchair. Waymire said he thought it wasn't a function of the town to donate money, but that of a civic or church organization. The other members agreed, stating that town taxes weren't meant for such expenditures.

President Fenimore asked Deputy Marshall Charles Clawson, who was in attendance at the meeting, if there was any way a better communication system could be set up for citizens to get in touch with the town police. Fenimore said he wants to see the front office of the

Akron town offices being utilized as a central police office with the town policemen maintaining more with their radios and telephones set up there.

Deputy Clawson agreed that he would work with Marshall Ed Hauer on improving the situation.

Clawson asked the board if they would provide a seat divider shield for the patrol car to protect the officer in case they had to drive a violent passenger home or to jail. The board discussed the idea, but decided to act on it later.

The board discussed a request they received from Bryon Leininger from the Akron Locker Plant, that they estimate the cost of providing an additional sewer line to the meat processing plant for sewage disposal.

The firm has been told by health and pollution officials to improve their sewage disposal system.

The board members thought that the type of sewage from a meat processor is prohibited under town sewage ordinances from going into the system. Fenimore said he would contact Sanitation Engineer Val Duggans for his evaluation before answering Leininger.

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Fans ventured out to watch favorite teams compete

A huge crowd of Akron fans ventured out Friday night to watch their favorite basketball teams compete in the Akron elementary basketball tourney held in the gym, March 9.

Trophy winners were:
Second grade:
--Girls, Mrs. Ward's class

--Boys, Mrs. Messer's class
Third grade:
--Girls, Mrs. Gearhart's class
--Boys, Mrs. Gearhart's class
Fourth grade:
--Girls, Mrs. Howard's class
--Boys, Mrs. Jump's class
Fifth grade:
--Girls, Mrs. Smith's class
--Boys, Mrs. Rader's class.

Student winners of basketballs were: Kim Huffman, Jeff Lester, Dawn Hall, Anthony Engeract, Tina Huffman, Roger Montague, Kellie Kreighbaum, and Jerry Cumberland.

The \$344.50 proceeds from the event will be used towards the Akron Fourth of July celebration.

Bishop to speak at Mentone Lenten service

Bishop Ralph T. Alton, of Indianapolis, will be the guest speaker at a Community Lenten Service at the Mentone United Methodist Church on Sunday, March 18, according to Rev. Bob Heckman. A member of the Central Committee of the World Council of Churches, Bishop Alton administers the work of over 1400 United Methodist Churches, with 370,000 members, in the State of Indiana. The special service will begin at 7 p.m. this Sunday.



TVHS will honor winter athletes tonight

Tippecanoe Valley High School will honor their winter athletes during the annual winter athletic banquet to be Thursday, March 15 in the school commons.

The potluck supper begins at 6:30 p.m., and meat and drink will

be furnished. Patrons are asked to bring a covered dish and table service.

Among those to be honored during the awards program, which starts at 7:30 p.m., are cheerleaders, swimmers, wrestlers, and basketball teams.

Mentone School

Classes to enjoy fruits of labor

Second grade students in the classes of Lee Ann Rock and Deborah Weaver at Mentone School, spent last week making maple syrup from trees they tapped in front of the school.

In groups of six, the students tapped eight trees and collected fifteen gallons of sap.

After boiling and draining for nearly a day and a half, the students had one-half gallon of syrup. This week they are going to be making pancakes and sampling their syrup. They are also on a field trip today to a sugar camp north of Etna Green.

Dennis Johnson, junior high guidance counselor at Mentone, aided the students with their project.



STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN the tapping included: (Left, top to bottom) Beth Walker, Veronica Hunsberger, Becky Hughes, and (right, top to bottom) Mitchell Jaynes and Jamie Stockhouse.

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Hivelys gather for generation photo

Five generations of an area family gathered together recently for this picture.

From the left, Josie Hively, formerly an Akron resident, now a resident of Canterbury Manor, Rochester, is the mother of George L. Hively, R. 4, No. Manchester. He is the father of Mrs. Paul (Joann) Zintmaster, R. 1, Roann, who is the mother of Mrs. Bryan (Sheila) Stoner, Flora, holding her five week old son, Jesse Davis Stoner.



Thankful to volunteers who help so much

by Onda Good

The Akron Keen-Agers are looking forward to spring and its joyful sounds and sights. The auction, birthday party, blood pressure clinic and camera trip through Yellowstone National Park have given the Keen-agers many happy and pleasurable hours during March. The Keen-agers are thankful to all of the volunteers who have worked so faithfully during the difficult winter weather. The week of March 19-23 will usher in spring and will also be volunteer week at the Akron Lions Nutrition Site.

There is still time to get in on the auction at the Lions Club building. Come and see what bargains they

have. Bid on the items by paper and pencil to be sold to the highest bid on Friday at 1:30. The public is invited and encouraged to participate from 10:00 to 2:00 March 19 thru 23rd.

Don't forget the coffee hour at 10:30 each day. Also Thursdays are special to the Akron "cooks" since this is the day the Keen-agers can show their culinary arts. Thursday March 15 will feature ground beef and rice casserole, green beans, macaroni and cheese, last of the garden, light biscuits and a strawberry dessert with other carry-in salads. Anyone bringing a carry in dish will donate the food instead of money on Thursdays. Plan to come eat with us Thursday or any other day. Reservations or information can be obtained by calling 893-7263 or 893-7204 near the noon hour.

Menus scheduled for March 19-23 are:

MONDAY: Beef and noodles, whipped potatoes, spinach, cake, biscuit, milk, coffee.

TUESDAY: Fried chicken, green beans, stewed tomatoes, applesauce, bread, milk, coffee.

WEDNESDAY: Beef manhattan with whipped potatoes, mixed vegetables, cranberry sauce, tapioca pudding, bread, milk, coffee.

THURSDAY: Akron's Special Meal.

FRIDAY: Fried perch, tossed salad, buttered carrots, peaches, whole wheat bread, milk, coffee.

Hardy Farmers elect new officers

The Henry Hardy Farmers 4-H Club had its March meeting in the Akron School Cafeteria March 7.

The meeting was called to order with the pledges being led by Dwain Dunn and Renee Brucker.

Business was discussed and an election of officers took place with the following being elected: Barb Pratt, president; Renee Brucker, vice-president; Bruce Hill, secretary; Bernice Bussard, treasurer; Greg Lowe, reporter; Lisa Smith and Holly Smith, song leaders; Sherry Smith and Ronnie Oppe, recreation; Dwain Dunn, Health and Safety; and Robbie Yochum, devotions.

—Greg Lowe, reporter

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That is a buffalo you've been seeing

by Renee Norlander

A buffalo in a cow pasture near Mentone?

It may sound strange to you, but if you have driven east on State Road 25 to Warsaw, you have probably seen just that.

Larry and Betty Boggs bought their buffalo "Buffy" in April, 1978, and as Betty says "he's Larry's pride and joy".

Weighing in at an approximate 12 or 1300 pounds, Buffy is not what you would call a "family pet". He is pastured with the Boggs herd of Hereford cows, but his personality is more like that of a bull.

As Betty said, you don't want to go over the fence and stand with your back to a buffalo.

The family isn't really sure if Buffy is mean, but no one has had the courage to see if he's really playful. Betty has tried to feed him from her hand, but she said "he only comes to within a couple feet of me, and then lowers his head and swings it back and forth." She doesn't know if he wants to attack or play, but she hasn't attempted to find out.

The Boggs bought their buffalo from a man in Bourbon when he was moving to a smaller farm. I understood that their main reason for wanting Buffy was to breed him with their cows.

Everyone warned them that their cows might be in danger due to the size of a calf at birth. And everyone told them it would never work; that the cows would

have to be impregnated by artificial means.

But on February 9, 1979, Buffy became the proud father of a 60 pound heifer born to one of the Boggs cows. They're sure that "Ellie May" (named by Betty and Larry's son Jeff) is the offspring of Buffy, because he was the only male around the cow at the time of impregnation.

And to see Ellie May is almost proof enough. Her fur has the texture of a buffalo, and she runs like a buffalo. Other characteristics also resembling a buffalo were pointed out to me, but not being that familiar with cows or buffalos, I'm not sure I'd know. But Ellie May surely looks like a buffalo/cow to me.

Betty laughs as she recalls some of the incidents with Buffy and passers by.

She remembers one morning when two young men in an El Camino were headed towards Mentone, and they stopped when they saw the buffalo.

The passenger got out of the truck and wandered over to the fence to get a closer look at Buffy. Instead of being content with just looking, he began waving frantically at Buffy. Before he knew it, he had a charging buffalo headed straight towards him.

Betty was watching through her kitchen window and saw the young man run to the back of the El Camino, jump in, and the driver took off - fast!! They didn't stop until the next cross road, where the passenger finally got back in his seat.

Betty said it is funny to see how



THIS FULL BRED buffalo belongs to its proud owners Larry and Betty Boggs who live east of Mentone on State Road 25. Named "Buffy", the buffalo weighs approximately 12 or 1300 pounds.

some people react to seeing a buffalo in this area, but she warns that interested sight seers should never cross the fences into the pasture.

Buffy has never attempted to crash through a fence, but Betty says he shouldn't be trusted if you're on the other side.

And he doesn't like the color red! He's charged Betty several times when she was wearing red, and he's chased Jeff on his mini-bike when he's wearing red.

So please be careful if you stop to look at Buffy. The Boggs don't mind, but they don't want anyone

to get hurt either.

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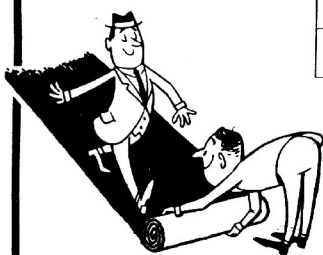
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Newsview

by Bob Norlander

Remember the Horatio Alger stories about how, through luck and pluck, young people pulled themselves up by their bootstraps and became rich and famous? Here's how industry and pluck are rewarded today:

Maria James, 52, lives in New York with her 20-year-old mentally retarded daughter. She was on welfare between 1973 and 1978. Because, she said, "I do not wish to be dependent on welfare forever," Mrs. James began squirreling away part of her welfare check.

She was so successful that her savings account reached \$6,500. The New York Department of Social Services took her to court, claiming that she failed to disclose assets in her savings account.

The court ordered Mrs. James to repay almost all the \$6,500.

A social-services official made perhaps the most revealing comment of all.

"Now her case will be closed," the official said. "Now that the city has taken away every penny she has, she can reapply for welfare benefits again."

In case you think that could only happen in New York, we point out that the same regulations exist in Indiana.

FCHS offers museum tour in Indianapolis

The Fulton County Historical Society is offering a tour April 21 to Indianapolis to visit the Museum of Indian Heritage and the Indiana State Museum. Cost will be \$12 per person which includes transportation and admission to the museum; this does not include meals. Reservations should be made by sending check to FCHS, 7th and Pontiac, Rochester, by April 10.

The Museum of Indian Heritage is in Eagle Creek Park in northwest Indianapolis. It was founded in 1967 and the site in Indiana was chosen because it is in the center of the U.S. The museum contains exhibits of clothing, weapons, housing, crafts, toys, religion, etc. from all tribes of North American Indians.

After lunch at the MCL cafeteria, the group will tour the Indiana State Museum on Alabama Street.

in downtown Indianapolis. This museum has a special George Rogers Clark exhibit to celebrate the Bicentennial of Indiana's only Revolutionary War battle. This battle is commemorated on the 1979 license plates with a scene of Clark and his men carrying their rifles above their heads through 240 miles of flooded land to surprise the British in January 1779.

The tour bus will leave the Rochester courthouse at 7:30 a.m. and return at about 8 that evening. Breakfast and supper will be in Kokomo.

Akron board ...

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Fenimore explained the current Akron tornado warning system to the other members in case of a tornado being sighted.

Fenimore explained the current Akron tornado warning system to the other board members. In case of a tornado being sighted, 3 long blasts will sound, each being 1 minute in duration, with 30 second intervals between blasts. The town firetruck will then cover the east section of town with the loudspeaker instructing citizens what to do. The police car would cover the rest of town.

Notice

The Mentone Town Board will meet in special session on Tuesday March 20, at 7 p.m. in the Town Hall, to review town ordinances. This meeting is open to the public.

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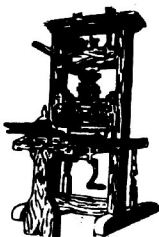
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Inquiries into the past

by Cloice Mentzer

Are there any descendants of the following families who would be so kind as to send me information concerning these families to be sent other descendants who are anxious to complete their family trees. Please send any information to: Mrs. Cloice E. Mentzer, Pres., Genealogy Section, Kosciusko Co. Historical Society, R. 2, Box 97, Warsaw, IN 46580.

1. Wanted information on George Washington Baldwin family, b - Wayne Co., Indiana Jan. 14, 1846. Moved to Kosciusko County with his parents in 1858. Want information on my g-grandparents, do not know their names. Are their descendants around the Mentone-Fulton County area?

To discuss control of diseases in swine herds

The Adult Advisory Committee at Tippecanoe Valley High School, along with DuBois Distributors of Mentone, will be sponsoring an informational meeting on the diseases and nutritional control of swine herds at TVHS on Monday, March 19 beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Topics to be discussed will be:
1) ATROPHIC RHINITIS - symptoms and control
2) HEALTH PROBLEMS - Associated with nutritional deficiencies in swine common to this area
3) TREATING SCOURS and stimulating growth with Virginiamycin.

The public is cordially invited to attend this meeting, and are asked to report to rooms 119 and 120 at the high school on Monday.

2. Are their descendants of Angeline Armstrong Myers Conn wife of Vachel Clary Conn living in Fulton county? They came to county after 1850.

3. Are their descendants of Isaac Mickey, who is buried in Nichols Cemetery still living in vicinity of Mentone-Akron?

4. Am interested in getting in touch with descendants of the following names: Thompson, Flory, Grimm, Weaver, Sibley and Fribble in our vicinity.

5. Can anyone help on 1880 soundex, Marshall county, Tippecanoe township, Indiana listed in the family of Wash Hartman, a child, Ora, 2 years old, female, adopted.

6. On 1880 census, same place, family, child listed as male. Which is Ora Hartman, male or female?

Did the child grow to maturity? Any descendants?

7. Seeking information on Henry Washington Hartman, b. 1806 in Virginia. Married 1827 Ross Co., Ohio to Ruth Scranton. Had four children all born in Marion Co., Ohio, Able, Margaret, Mary Ann, and Henry Washington. Need birthplace in Virginia, parents, brothers and sisters. Will gladly exchange information.

8. Purcell - would like to exchange information with any Purcell or Purcell descent. Are there any in this vicinity?

9. There is a Purcell Newsletter being written. Anyone who is interested please contact me and I will send the address.

10. Wanted - descendants of these surnames: Klink, Elder, Bouse, Beeber, Regonas, and VanGilder.

Girls honored at winter banquet

The Girls' Winter Athletic Banquet was held recently at Tippecanoe Valley High School. Those sports honored were swimming, gymnastics and junior varsity and varsity basketball. Those students awarded top honors were:

Plan for second prayer breakfast

A beginning meeting was held at the Akron Church of God recently to see if there was interest in such an activity as the Prayer Breakfast for men. A second meeting at the Akron United Methodist Church was agreed upon for the date of Saturday morning, March 18. Men of the Akron community area are extended a cordial invitation to this fellowship opportunity.

SWIMMING: (Coached by Bev Jump) - New school record medallions: Jennifer Manwaring, Ann Kline, Dana Daake, Sara Harrell, Crystal McConkey, and Cyndi Daniel; Co-captains: Ann Kline and Cyndi Daniel; Most improved: Crystal McConkey; Most valuable: Ann Kline.

GYMNASTICS: (Coached by Vicki Gearhart) - Co-captains: Kris McDaniel and Deb Zimmerman; Most Improved: Kathy Vogel; and most valuable: Kris McDaniel. JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL: (Coached by Jan Mills) - Best free throw % award: Lori Tilden.

VARSITY BASKETBALL: (Coached by Joyce Harmon) - most rebounds: Claire Helmreich; best free throw %: Kay Hively; most assists: Terri Walgumuth; most improved: Virginia Arven; most valuable: Kay Hively; Tri-captains: Terri Walgumuth, Kay Hively, and Claire Helmreich.

Schedule for adult classes

The following classes for the Adult Education in the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation will meet as scheduled the week of March 19:

Micro-Wave cooking, Welding, Cake Decorating, Tumbling, Ladies Exercise, Adult Basic Education at Burket: Geneology, Swimming, Woodworking and Refinishing. The following class will not meet the week of March 19: Computer Programming.

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John Jewel

Any persons writing a check to J & J Texaco on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, March 8, 9, 10, please contact me at the station immediately. THANK YOU.--John

Mailbag

Was a success

DEAR EDITOR: The members of the Akron Fourth of July Committee want to say a special thank you to Principal Barker, all teachers, and volunteers for their cakes, and everyone else who helped make the basketball tourney such a big success.

—The 4th of July Committee

Must consider

DEAR EDITOR: From the write-ups in the Warsaw paper quote: "Dr. Harrell recommended a five percent 'cost-of-living' pay raise, a contract extension of one year, and a \$2,000.00 bonus for each administrator for exceptional performance. Why does the "cost-of-living" only seem to be for those who are already getting in salary so much more than those on down the scale?!"

How could there be been any exceptional performances if it hadn't been for the teachers, teachers?



aides, bus drivers, office help, cooks and custodians? Of whom still have the same "cost-of-living". They are trying to do the same on one-tenth a salary as Dr. Harrell's. I think this needs to be thought through, and very seriously, before it only goes to the top ones.

—A concerned tax-payer (name withheld by request)

The speed of the earth's spin slows about a second a century.

Obituaries

Grace L. Hammer

Mrs. Grace L. Hammer, 91, of Atwood, died at 8:20 a.m. on Monday, March 12, 1979, at Millers Merry Manor. She had been in failing health for one month.

Born Feb. 8, 1888, to John B. and Mary (Hastings) Leedy, she was married in 1914 to Charles H. Hammer Sr. who preceded her in death in July 1971.

Mrs. Hammer was a member of the Atwood Aldersgate United Methodist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Chas. C. Hammer Jr., Warsaw, Zanna Hammer, Mentone; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Betty) Goshier, Burket, Mrs. Ned E. (Gloria J.) Miller, Warsaw; one brother, Boyd Leedy, Warsaw; seven grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Two brothers and one sister preceded her in death. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday at the Titus Funeral Home in Warsaw. Visitation at the funeral home will begin at 2 p.m. on Wednesday.

Merl Shewman

Merl Shewman, 79, R. 3, Peru, died at 12:30 a.m. Sunday, March 10, 1979, at Miller's Merry Manor, Peru, following a two-year illness.

He was born Nov. 10, 1899 in Akron to Worth and Elva Jantz Shewman. He was married in 1917 to Ruby Merley, who survives. He was founder of Cardinal Oil Company,

Peru, and also was a farmer. He was a member of the Salem Christian Church.

Surviving with the wife are two sons, Ralph, Akron, and William, R. 4, Peru; two daughters, Mrs. Norma Kinley, Denver, and Mrs. Ruby McFadden, Wood River, Ill.; a brother, Edward Shewman, Akron; a sister, Mrs. Georgia Jenkins, Peru; 12 grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren. A brother and sister preceded in death.

Services were Wednesday, March 14, at 2 p.m. in the Salem Christian Church with the Revs. William Shewman and Howard McFadden officiating. Burial was in the Akron IOOF Cemetery.

Guest speaks of "Christian Survival"

Mrs. Anita J. Fenstermacher of Walkerton was the guest speaker Thursday when the Rochester Women's Club, IFWC, was guest of the Akron Public Library. More than 50 members heard Mrs. Fenstermacher challenge them to become Christian "salt" which has not lost its savor in the world.

She titled her talk "Christian Survival" and remarked that it was appropriate on the first day of Lent to begin a reaffirmation of the value of Christians in our society.

The wife of a physician, and mother of five, spoke of serving the United Methodist Church in Zaire, Africa; and in Nome, Alaska. She shared experiences as a new grand-

mother. Her eldest son is a recent graduate of seminary. Mrs. Charlene Bailey of Rochester was the program chairman.

Akron president, Mrs. Elizabeth Gray, welcomed the group and Mrs. Elsie Hall gave devotions and prayer. Mrs. Louise Moore of Rochester, formerly of Akron, was at the piano for the Invocation

song and group singing.

Following the Collect Mrs. Wilbur Geerkin, Rochester club president, and Mrs. Gray presided at the reception table which was centered with green and white carnations. Hostesses were Mrs. Winifred Summe, Mrs. Janice Shewman, Mrs. Juana Sheetz, Mrs. Lucille Doering, and Mrs. Pat Deardorff.

Meals on Wheels

The Mentone Meals on Wheels drivers for the week of March 19-23 are as follows:

MONDAY: Eva Mae Haist,
TUESDAY: Nancy Aispaugh,

WEDNESDAY: Rosie Mentzer,
THURSDAY: Jean & Merl Gibson,
FRIDAY: Kate Whetstone, and
SUB: Paul Haist.

"I was on storm trouble and it was lightning and a-crackin'. This guy says, 'Boy, you make good money at that, don't you?' And I said, 'Well, the pay's not too bad.' He said, 'Well, I wouldn't have your job for anything.' "

Steve Head, lineman



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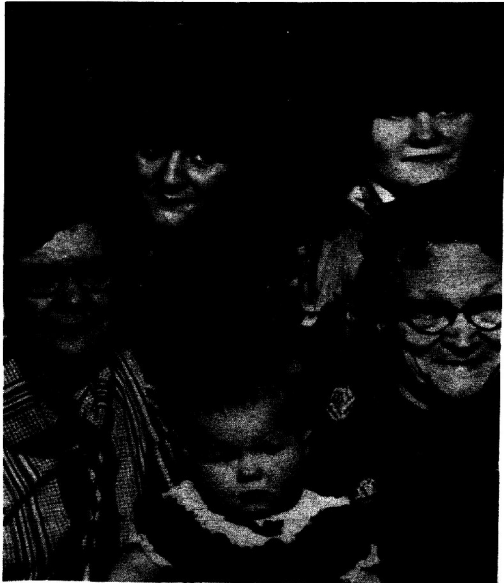
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Gathering recently for this five generations photo were, seated from left: Mrs. Pat (Lois) Walsh, Mentone, Lisa Marie Harger, six months, Roann, and Mrs. Dewey

(Ethel) Whetstone, Mentone. Standing are Mrs. Mike (Dixie) Summe, Akron, and Mrs. Roger (Michelle) Harger, Roann.

Republican women plan for Midwest Conference

The Fulton County Republican Womens Club met recently at the Headquarters. The meeting was opened with the pledge to the flag led by Margaret Burkett. Guests were Rose Ivy and Mr. and Mrs. Ed McMahan.

President Kaleen Kehoe made the following announcements: June 6 is the State Republican Womens Convention in Indianapolis at the Atkinson Hotel, 1979 Midwest Leadership Conference at Indianapolis is March 9 and 10, and the Fall Rally will be September 26.

Membership dues are now due. Mrs. Kehoe has set the end of April for the membership contest to end.

The next meeting will be March 26 with Aubbee Twp. in charge. Donna Agness, 5th District Womens Club chairman, from Peru, will be the speaker.

Wayne Hittle introduced the speaker for the evening, the former city-clerk treasurer and now mayor of Frankfort, Indiana, Mrs. Mary Jane McMahan. She gave a resume of her duties as the clerk treasurer and how she became mayor.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marrs was introduced. Mr. Marrs is a candidate for city councilman in Precinct 2 of Rochester.

Richland Twp. was hostess for the evening. Prizes were awarded to Margaret Kindig, Mary Fraser, Phyllis Whitmore, and Rose Ivy.

Ballengers to celebrate 50th anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ballenger, R. 1, Mentone, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on March 23.

Both natives of Franklin township, Kosciusko County, Mr. Ballenger and the former Reatha Jefferies were married in Warsaw in 1929.

The couple has two children:

Mrs. Mickey (Patricia) Eaton of Rockford, Illinois, and Mrs. Larry (Diana) Nellans of Warsaw. There are four grandchildren: Kevin Eaton of Midland, Texas, and Kim Eaton, Shelby Nellans and Neal Nellans, all of Warsaw.

Plan open house for Bowmans



In honor of their 50th wedding anniversary, the children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowman invite friends and relatives to join them March 25, 1979 at the Methodist Church annex in Akron from 2 to 5 p.m.

The Bowman's have two children, Mrs. Byron (Betty) Conrad, Sacramento, California, and Mrs. Joe (Jean) Dyer, Traverse City, Michigan. They have ten grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

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Homemakers hear of histories

Mrs. Esther Sarber was hostess for the March meeting of the Mentone Extension Homemakers Club with devotions given by Mrs. Olive Tucker. Eight members and one guest,

Mrs. Faye Whetstone, answered roll call by telling an Irish joke. Garden remarks by Mrs. Mildred Fowler concerned the planting of seeds indoors and then car for

garden transplants. Elkhart, at one time called the "Band City of the World", was the subject of Pearl Horn's citizenship remarks. Olive Tucker's cultural arts lesson was on the "History of Winona Lake." Mrs. Sarber presided during the business session. The Christmas Bazaar will be on November 16 and 17 this year, and program planning was discussed.

The next meeting will be April 12, beginning at 12:00 noon at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Hill. This is to be a carry-in dinner.

Select new officers

The Las Donas club met Monday, March 12, at the home of Judy Murfitt with eleven members present.

The meeting opened with the discussion of various projects for the year with the starting of a nursery school as our number one goal. Officers elected for 1979-80 are

as follows: Marilyn French, president; Brenda Deardorff, vice-president; Shelly Lewis, treasurer; Chris Fultz, secretary; Terry Grogg, pub. chairman; and Jane Haynes, devotional chairman.

The next meeting will be March 26 at the home of Terry Grogg.

County women met for convention

Thirty five members and guests of the Fulton County Federation Women met on Monday, March 12, at the Akron Church of God for their 61st annual convention.

Business was the order of the morning session with reports of club activities being given by each of the local club presidents in the

county. Reports were also given by various department chairmen.

The speaker for the morning session was Mrs. Carol Weldon, 13th district president. She presented history of the beginning of the Federation Clubs and stressed the many goals, accomplishments and opportunities for service in Federation work.

A luncheon was provided by the women of the Akron Church of God.

The group was entertained in the afternoon session by the Tippecanoe Valley High School Jazz Band, and a puppet show was given by Mrs. Elsie Hall and a group of high school students.

The attendance award was won by the Akron Women's Club and first prize for collecting the most foil for re-cycling went to the Rochester Women's Club. An invitation was extended by the Rochester club to host the 1980 convention.

Glenn Haney to celebrate 25th



Mr. and Mrs. Glenn D. Haney of 508 North Miller Ave., Marion, will observe their 25th wedding anniversary with an open house on Sunday, March 25, from 1:30 to 5:30 at The Sunny Crest United Methodist Church, 1921 W. Bradford, Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Haney were united in marriage by the Rev. Keith W.

Burch at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rule.

Hosts for the open house will be their son P.F.C. Kim Haney of Frankfort, Germany and daughter Cindy of Marion. This event will be held now while their son is home on 30 day leave, instead of in June.



Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kuhn, R. 1, Mentone, are the parents of a baby girl born on March 6 at 12:26 a.m. at Kosciusko Community Hospital in Warsaw.

Named Nicole Leigh, the baby weighed seven pounds, 13 ounces at birth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry C. Hudson Sr., Mentone, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kuhn of Bourbon. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hudson of Akron, and Mrs. Erma Berkey of Bourbon.

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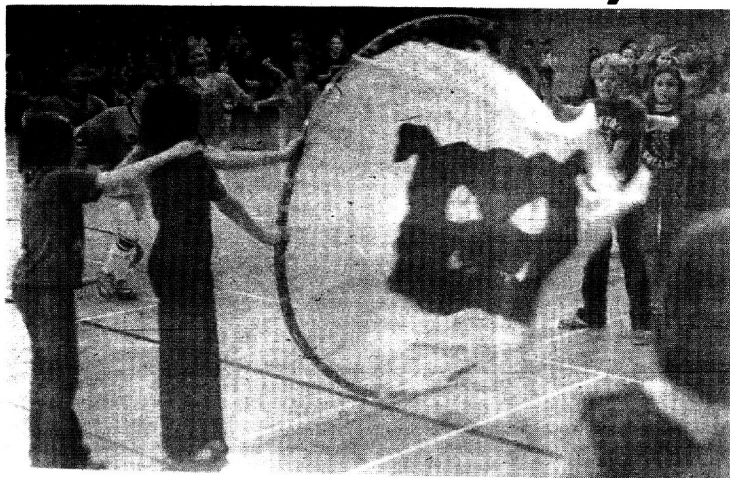
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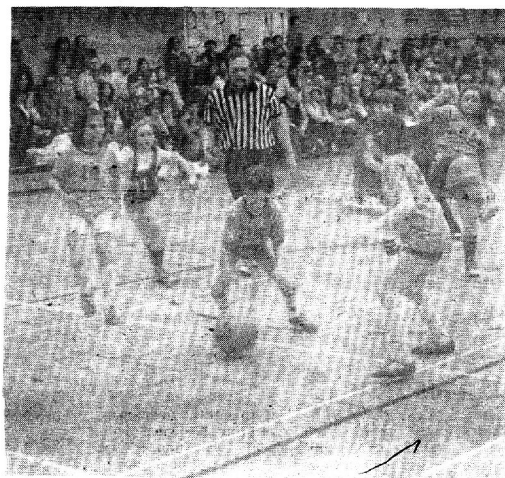
The Mentone Bulldogs were cheered on by their fans and cheerleaders.



Determination was the key to much of the success of the Akron cagers.



In Akron, the competition was hard and the ball was elusive.



In the Mentone gym, at times it looked more like soccer than basketball.

NOTICE OF FULTON COUNTY REMC ANNUAL MEETING

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Plan for state convention

The Mentone Mothers of World War II Inc. met recently for their March meeting with Mrs. Ethel Whetstone. The meeting was opened by the president Dora Norris, communications were read, bills paid, and it was announced that April 20 through 22 will be the State convention at the Hospitality Inn in Ft. Wayne. The charter was

draped for 30 days in memory of departed member Mrs. Myrtle Davis. Mrs. Whetstone and her daughter, Mildred Grindle, served refreshments to Dora Norris, Mildred Fowler and Pearl Horn. The April meeting is to be with Pearl Horn. Cards were sent to Edith Young and Viola Funnell.

Calendar

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

The Akron W.C.T.U. will meet at 7:30 p.m. Ruth Bowen is the devotional leader and a legislative film will be shown. Hostess will be Mrs. Goldie Ferree and Mrs. Eva McHatton. All members and guests are welcome.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

Akron L.T.L. will have a poster making meeting for those from the 4th grade on up in the Library basement. The next regular meeting has been changed to March 23. Poster board will be furnished, bring along things to work with.

Missionaries journey to Guatemala for work

by Linda Mason

Converging service, talents, and time with 32 other transient missionaries, eight members of the Akron Church of God will fly to

Guatemala on Monday, March 19, to participate in a Venture In Missions (VIM) Work Camp. The Reverend James F. Hall will

lead the local parishoners in their missionary endeavor which will require their abilities through Thursday, March 29.



THESE AKRON MISSIONARIES are leaving Monday on a 10 day visit to a Guatemalan church work camp.

Those attending from the Akron fellowship include Dean Ault, Mrs. Lucille Doring, Fred Hammond, Mrs. Osie Hopkins and her daughter Carol, and Mr. and Mrs. James Mitterling.

VIM Work Camps are designed and coordinated by the Missionary Board of the Church of God with general headquarters in Anderson. The Rev. Orville Easterling, of Greenville, Tenn., will be the tour director for this missionary group.

The Akronites will journey to western Guatemala where they will work in the cities of Pachaj and Almalonga. In each city, they will build a church with block walls and a galvanized roof over wood trusses.

The Rev. Easterling feels it will be a challenging task, but he is confident that the group of Christians can accomplish their goal with the leadership of Rev. Isai Calderon,

Church of God missionary in Guatemala.

This work camp is one of many in a continuing effort to help restore the country after the tragic earthquake in 1975 in which thousands lost their lives and many buildings and homes were destroyed.

The Akron group will be "roughing it" as they will sleep in sleeping bags on the work sites. There will not be modern, luxurious accommodations such as indoor plumbing and nice hotels. They will also have to contend with a language barrier since most Guatemalians speak with a Spanish or Indian dialect.

The eight Akronites are anxious to begin their missionary challenge which will bring them together with Church of God transient missionaries from Pennsylvania, Kansas, Tennessee, and Kentucky.

It Happened in Mentone

Taken from the March 12, 1952 issue of *The Northern Indiana Co-Op News*:

Harold Nelson and Devon Eaton officiated at the sectional tournament at Mishawaka last week.

James Rodibaugh, our local attorney, was getting a lot of good-natured advice Tuesday evening whether it was needed or not. It seems the Rodibaughs, like most people with small children around the home, had provided safety features that included a screen-door latch on the doorway to the basement. Tuesday noon Mr. and Mrs. Rodibaugh were working in the basement and as Jim hurried off to work, he subconsciously followed the force of habit and latched the basement door. Mrs. Rodibaugh demonstrated her ability to fully cope with the situation by crawling out a basement window. Your reporter wasn't informed, but it is a pretty safe guess that the telephone opera-

tor had a call to No. 11 soon after Mrs. Rodibaugh arrived upstairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walters, of Rochester, are the parents of a son, weighing eight pounds, four ounces, born Tuesday at the Murphy Medical Center.

Sgt. William D. Snipes sailed from Japan February 27th for home after ten months in Korea. Mr. and Mrs. William T. Snipes, of near Talma, are the parents.

Don L. Bunner is a patient in Room 301, St. Joseph Hospital, Ft. Wayne. Roy Day, of So. Whitley, is relief man at the Nickel Plate depot during Mr. Bunner's absence.

Mrs. Ora Anderson is staying at the home of Mrs. Earl Meredith of Mentone.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Nellans and Fred Klingenhagen are staying at the New Highland, Martinville, Indiana, taking mineral baths.

This Was News

60 YEARS AGO

For the first time in years, more boys than girls will graduate from the Akron High School this year, when 12 young men and only four young women will receive diplomas.

A move has been started to open East Walnut Street to the road which runs east of Akron. The new highway would be one-fourth mile long and will cross lands owned by Hollis Tucker, H. D. Stoner, Merrill Whittenberger and Albert Scott. The road is needed badly and will help enlarge the town as well as give a new opening to the roads east of Akron.

Harry Showalter opened his new Akron garage Monday in the livery barn on W. Main St. He will occupy these quarters until a building is erected on the lot just east of Ed Case's furniture store.

E. J. Walton will move his grocery into the room now occupied by the State Bank as soon as that institution moves into their new home. The new State Bank will probably be opened within the next ten days, the furniture having arrived this week. The safe was shipped from the factory last week.

Sid Strong has rented the west room in the new bank building. He will move his store soon.

Action will be taken at the next meeting of the town board to pave School and West Sts., the majority of property owners signing a petition that they desired the improvement. Cecil Kuhn last week started a petition to pave Walnut St. but the move will be dropped as several property owners are opposed. The pavement of the first two streets will be a decided improvement as they lead to the Erie depot. It is said that six people oppose the paving of West Street.

39 YEARS AGO

Ora Clayton sold his modern home, which was advertised in last week's paper to Vern Haldeman. Mr. Clayton plans to return to Roann to make his home as soon as he completes his business here.

Miss Ruth Berger returned to Cleveland, Ohio Sunday afternoon after a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron S. Berger.

Mrs. E. O. Strong is a patient at Woodlawn Hospital where she was taken Tuesday morning. She has a broken leg as the result of an accident which occurred in front of Scott's Drug Store. Her ankle turned and she fell. Mrs. Strong was making arrangements to move her antique shop to the Kuhn property on East Rochester St. She had just returned from LaPorte where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Wendell Godwin.

Claude Billings will attend a banquet for Republican editors at the Antlers Hotel in Indianapolis Saturday night.

25 YEARS AGO

A new construction company has been formed in Akron for the purpose of building new homes, and will be known as the M & K Construction Company. Frank and Joe Madeford and Brooks Kirkoff are partners in the new concern, which has the distributorship of Place Homes in this territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fenstermaker of Hollywood, California are the parents of a baby girl born Tuesday, March 9. She has been named Katrina Kay.

10 YEARS AGO

Finian's Rainbow, the Broadway musical, now is in rehearsal at the Akron High School for presentation on April 24, 25 and 26, and will feature Wayne Arnett, Tom Runkle, Tom Baker and Kerry Dear-dorff.

Marvin Gagon, player agent of the Akron Little League, said this week that seventy boys have enrolled for this summer, comprising five teams.

The Akron 4th of July committee is sponsoring a Ham and Bean supper, March 29 at the cafeteria. A meeting will be held this week to discuss the details.

Aircraft in top notch shape

The Mentone Flying Club began the March meeting with the film, "Trip to the Moon", presented by president Harrison Crabill.

Rod Dutt brought a printed detailed report on insurance programs open to the club. Tim Greene, Wilford Tribby and Chick Herendeen added information on other aspects of insurance available.

Maintenance supervisor, Rex Sullivan, says that with recent repair, all aircraft is in top notch working order.

The free hour was won by Steve Vogel.

The next meeting is April 13.

— By Club Reporter

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THE HOME TOWN PAGE

Silver Lake Notes

The United Methodist women of the Faith Church met at the home of Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker for their March meeting. Marie Kerlin, president, called the group to order. The secretary, Mildred Putnam, read her report and Mary Shoemaker gave the treasurer's report for the year. Myrtle Lee gave the lesson.

Recent callers at the home of Grace Bouse were Mrs. Richard Borman, Maude Matthews, Mary Shoemaker, Dorothy Young, and Lawrence Freiden.

Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker called on Mr. and Mrs. Merl Fitton Wednesday afternoon.

Fanchon Kline was taken to Miller's Merry Manor Rest Home Thursday. She is recovering from surgery from a broken hip she received in a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shipley were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Yoder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harshbarger, Douglas and Carri, Lansing, Ill., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harshbarger at Goose Lake.

Mrs. Annette Kline and family of Colorado have returned to Diamond Lake where they will make their

home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ulrey, Adam, Justin and Shawnee were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson.

Mrs. Tom Herendeen and Christine spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Merl Fitton.

Molly Kerlin and Jason, and Russell Kerlin were Sunday dinner guests of Peggy Kerlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hines spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Packard at Logansport and also called on Clyde Carlson at the Logansport Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Jesse Lynch, Mrs. Richard Kerlin, Kris and Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Lynch and family of Sidney called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bechtelheimer Sunday afternoon in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Bechtelheimer.

Mrs. Paul Kerlin called on Emma Rupe Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Cron have returned home after a visit with relatives and friends in Pennsylvania and Ohio.

Callers at the home of Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker Monday were Gilbert Harshbarger of Warsaw and Ruth Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Yoder and son had as their guests Sunday in honor of Ryan's second birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schipper, Chris and Steve, Sheila Young and Dennis McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kroft called on their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Behny and daughter, Denver, recently.

Mrs. Randy Lytle and children, Warsaw, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merl Kroft. Mrs. Randy Oldfather and daughter of No. Manchester were the luncheon guests of her grandmother Mrs. Earl Butt last Tuesday.

Debby Kinney, Edwardsburgh, Michigan, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Klein Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Arthur and daughters, and Mabel Alderfer recently called on Mr. and Mrs. Vern Alderfer of Mishawaka.

Jay Bammerlin was the guest Sun-

day of his grandmother, Mrs. Earl Butt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stout and daughters were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bowen and daughters of Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Klein and Beth, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kinney, Linda and Diane of Edwardsburgh, Mich. were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Klein.

Mrs. Gary Rensberger and Lori visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Earl Butt, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kernoodle, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flint of Indianapolis visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Klein Wednesday afternoon.

The Summit Club met March 6 with Lottie Bammerlin. The meeting was called to order by Mildred Klein with all repeating the club creed. A contest was won by Gladys Kroft and she was also lucky lady.

Refreshments were served to Peg Arthur, Ruth Hileman, Ruth Bammerlin, Gladys Kroft, Betty Schipper, Jean Stout, Mildred Klein, Mary Buck and Lori, Vera Butt, and Betsy Bammerlin.

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Dora Leininger spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Leininger.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz visited her brother, Mike Hott, a patient at St. Joseph Hospital, Mishawaka, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stavelly, Wabash, Mr. and Mrs. Neve Kerby, Barbara and Susan, Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKenzie, Bill and Donna, No. Manchester, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Paul Cox and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Max McCullough and Monroe Kelly, all of Plymouth, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Leininger.

The Stringtown Club met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. George Sheetz, with four members and four guests present. Cindy Severs won the door prize and two contests were given by Mrs. Sheetz, with the prizes going to Rita Severs.

Akron Did You Know?

Kenneth Ege called on Mr. and Mrs. Larry Coon Monday.

Mrs. Dennis Shoemaker, Eddie and Denise, Wabash, spent Wednesday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Weida.

Dorothy Cox called on Bertha Cook Tuesday afternoon.

Vance Lytle called on his father, Bill Lytle, Wednesday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Paul, Crete, Illinois, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Pitton.

Mrs. Clifford Bright and Velma Bright visited Mrs. Ina Fetrow at Lafountain Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weida, Johna, Jena spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Weida.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Waymire spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Waymire and Kerry.

Mrs. Randy Moyer and Stacy spent part of last week with her mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Corby Hollon and Steve Sroufe.

Ida Belle Travis, Rochester, spent Tuesday night with Mary Lou Smith and Eva Eshelman.

Recent callers at the home of Eva Eshelman and Mary Lou Smith included Mrs. Larry Coon, Bill Lytle, Margaret Benson, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith, Mrs. Randy Moyer and Stacy, Mrs. Jack Shuey, Heather, J.J., Felicia and Bret Backus, Mrs. Marvin Thompson, Dorothy Cox, Kyle Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartman, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Runge, New Haven.

Mentone Personal Items

Onel Martin of Granger called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brown of Warsaw had Mrs. Ola Creakbaum as a guest Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oatis Friesner of Toledo, Ohio were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Friesner.

Mrs. Dorothy Horn of Rochester spent Monday evening with Mrs. Howard Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Mollenhour spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Felix at Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cartwright, and Eddie Cartwright of Big Chapman Lake were Sunday evening supper guests of Mrs. Ola Creakbaum.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller spent Thursday afternoon with Mel Miller at Warsaw.

Mrs. Ethel Whetstone spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Grindle at Warsaw.

Flossie Drudge, Akron, spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Ola Creakbaum.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller called on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker and Violet recently.

Men in Service

Navy Airman Apprentice Ronald F. Moore, son of Herbert R. Moore of Rochester, has reported for duty aboard the aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk, homeported in San Diego. He joined the Navy in April 1978.

Church News

AKRON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Gabe Hey, pastor; John York, lay leader. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:30 a.m.

AKRON BAPTIST CHURCH, Leroy F. Combs, pastor; Harold Schroll, Sunday school director. Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship Service: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Wed. Bible Class: 7 p.m.

OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD, Jeff Webb, pastor; Minnie Ellison, supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday: 7 p.m.

OMEGA CHURCH, Lee Stubblefield, pastor; Emerson Burns, supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Children's Bible Study: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service: 11:00 a.m. Youth Meeting: 7:00 p.m. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m. Missionary Conference - March 27, 28, 29 and 30, 7:30 nightly at the church.

SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD, Fred Landolt, minister; Richard Hoffman, supt.; Sam Brown, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m. Jr. & Sr. CGYA: 6:00 p.m. Tues. - Bible Study, 9 a.m. Thurs. - Prayer meeting, 7:30 p.m. Mens Brotherhood & WSCS - Monday, March 18, 7:00 p.m. Revival - Mar. 25 - April 1

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

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

MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST, Terry Stockman, minister. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship and Communion: 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening: 6:30 p.m. Thurs. Evening Service: 7:30 p.m. Monday - Children's Bible Story hour: 3:45 p.m.

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

Services held at the new hardware building in Atwood.

AKRON CHURCH OF GOD, James F. Hall, pastor; Greg Kindig, associate pastor; Hugh Wildermuth, supt.; Mark Fairchild, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. YF: 6:00 p.m. Evening Service: 7:00 p.m. ACTIVITIES Wed., Mar. 21 - Women's Prayer Hour, 9 a.m.

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

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

BEAVER DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Worship Services: 9:30-10:30 a.m. Sunday School: 10:30-11:30 a.m. Thursday - Adult Bible Study-7 p.m. No Junior Bible Study under further notice.

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3/15/3p

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3/15/3p

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3/8/6p

WANTED: Carrier for the Rochester Sentinel in Mentone. CALL ART HOFFMAN, 223-2111.

3/8/3p

IN MEMORY

In memory of Joe Hartzler who passed away March 18, 1970.

They say time heals all sorrow,
As it dawns another year,
But time so far has only proved
How much we miss him yet.
God gave us strength to face it,
And courage to bear the blow.
What it meant to love him
No one will ever know.

Sadly missed by wife and children.

3/15/1p

In loving memory of Bill Burkett who was so tragically taken from us March 16, 1977.

"He is gone, but not forgotten.
As it dawns another year,
In our lonely hours of thinking,
Thoughts of him are always near.
Days of sadness will come over us,
Some may think the wound is healed,
But little they know the sorrow
that lies within the heart concealed."

Sadly missed by the Burkett family.

3/15/1p

THANK YOU

I wish to thank everyone who remembered me with prayers, cards, flowers, gifts and visits while I was in the hospital and since I am home. They were appreciated so very much. IMO TUCKER.

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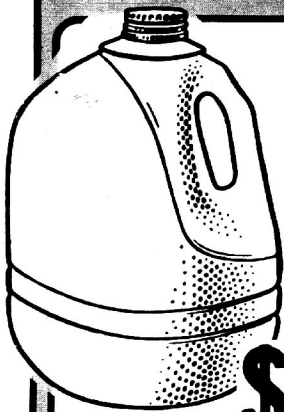
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School Board to continue with bus purchase

Administrators granted 7% salary increases

by Renee Norlander

All school administrators within the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation were granted one year extensions of their contracts and a seven percent cost of living raise by the trustees of the School Board at Monday evenings regular session at the high school.

In a roll call vote on each contract, Con Shewman, Don Snipes, Everett Besson, and Vernon Meredith all agreed on the new conditions, with trustee Lee Norris being the only member to vote no. Norris stated that he was voting no because he

was in agreement with School Superintendent, Dr. Lloyd Harrell's recommendation that the principals be given one year extensions with a five percent cost of living raise along with a \$1000 bonus for each.

Norris stated that he looked at the \$1000 bonuses as "incentive pay", but the other members would not act on such a proposal.

A member of the audience, Eldon Cumberland of Akron, stated his opinion that the bonuses should not be paid. Cumberland expressed his view that when the Corporation signs a contract with an employee,

they should "expect" maximum performance from that employee, and incentive pay should not be necessary.

With the seven percent increases for next year's salaries, Dr. Lloyd Harrell will be earning \$32,635; TVHS principal Loran Skinner - \$25,947; Akron School principal Mark Barker - \$20,330; Mentone School principal Jack Fisher - \$21,400; and Burket School principal Oliver England - \$19,795.

In other action regarding personnel, the Board unanimously agreed to hire, beginning next year, an

assistant principal at the high school. As trustee Snipes stated, "a year ago I couldn't see that it was needed, but I'll make the motion tonight". Seconded by Vernon Meredith, the motion was passed with no further discussion.

Fred Rakestraw, acting attorney for the school corporation, presented to the Board the Proofs of Publication, Proof of Posting, and the Proof of Notice to the Taxpayers of the Boards impending decision to sell bonds, totaling \$150,000, for the purchase of nine new school buses.

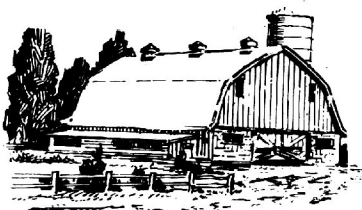
Monday evenings meeting was set as the Local Hearing for persons wishing to oppose such action. The Board heard from only one person, Eldon Cumberland, who stated that he couldn't understand why the corporation was "borrowing", when there is invested money available.

Attorney Rakestraw explained the reasoning behind the bond issue, and with no further opposition, the trustees agreed to go ahead with the issuance of the bonds.

Dr. Harrell reported to the Board that at this time there is only one

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Thursday, March 22, 1979



TIPPECANOE VALLEY athlete Charles Secrist presented basketball Coach Roger Fleetwood with a Viking statue during last Thursdays' winter sports banquet, on behalf of the team. Teammates Allen Utter and Jeff Pritchard, far right, looked on. (More photos on page 8.)

TVHS athletes honored at banquet

The Boys Winter Athletic Banquet was held recently at Tippecanoe Valley High School. The banquet honored those athletes involved in boys swimming, wrestling, freshman, junior varsity and varsity basketball. Also honored were the junior varsity and varsity cheerleaders.

Winning awards were:
CHEERLEADING: Diana Hoyt, sponsor. Crystal McConkey, most valuable and captain; Chris Schwenk, most valuable junior varsity. Letter jackets were awarded to Mary Jameson and Lori Lafferty.

BOYS SWIMMING: Coach Dave Kreiger. Brett Cumberland, Joe Harter, Dave Reuter, Hal May, and James Swihart, school record medallions; James Swihart, most improved; Brett Cumberland, most valuable and captain.

WRESTLING: Coach Gary Stath. Keith Smith, most improved; most valuable, Mike Mappin; Tony Rickel and John Ward, co-captains; Mike Mappin, Mr. Take-down; and Lonnie Manns, Mr. Hustle.

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL: Coach Rudy Glingie, Brent Hoffmann, defensive award.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL: Coach Mike Sipe. Charlie Sheetz, defensive award.

VARSITY BASKETBALL: Coach Roger Fleetwood. Scott Tilden, most complete player; Greg Utter, defensive award; Charles Secrist, leading rebounder; Chris Kindig, free throw award; Jeff Pritchard, Charles Secrist and Allen Utter, tri-captains; Allen Utter, most assists. Letter jacket was awarded to Jeff Murphy. Varsity letters were awarded to eleven players.

Benefit carnival planned in Mentone

Teachers at the Mentone School, along with area churches and sororities, are sponsoring a Community Carnival on Saturday, March 31, for the benefit of a Talma family in need of financial aid.

There will be fun events for kids and adults of all ages, such as a

fish pond, bingo, basketball toss, Chili supper and a raffle. Prizes will be given to lucky winners.

The big event will be at the Mentone School and the chili supper will be served from 5 to 7 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend, and a fun time is promised for all.

Committee selects theme for 4th

The Akron Fourth of July Committee has selected "Old Time Circus Days" as the 1979 Fourth of July parade theme.

Parade Marshal for this year's big event will be Tom Rusk, who has

been designated "Ring Master".

Among the scheduled events for Akron's busiest day, is the Peru Circus Road Show, who will perform on July 4.

Value of farm land is ever increasing

The average value of Indiana farmland continued to increase last year, reaching a value of \$1,432 per acre for land and improvements, reported state-federal agricultural statisticians at Purdue University.

This value, as of Nov. 1, 1978, represented a 13 percent increase over the previous year. Only five of the 48 contiguous states had larger increases during the year.

The Indiana value was nearly three times the national average, according to the statisticians. Nationally,

farmland averaged \$528 per acre and showed a 12 percent increase.

States with the leading increases in value were Delaware, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Ohio and Louisiana.

Served as pages

Kerry Goshert, 17, R. 1, Mentone, and Jerry Goshert, 14, also of R. 1, Mentone, served as pages last week in the Indiana House of Representatives for State Representative

NOTICE

Franklin Township Trustee, Donald Smalley, will be in Mentone at the Town Hall on Saturday, March 24, from 9 a.m. until 12 noon for the purpose of assessing any personal property residents might have such as boats and motors, trailer campers, snowmobiles, truck toppers, utility buildings, and dog tags.

Thames L. Mauzy (R-Warsaw). Each page served for one day, taking messages to and from representatives and getting a first hand look at state government in action.

Inside



TVHS awards banquet photos on page 8

Seniors toured capital, enjoyed Hall of Fame

by Sherry Blankenship

Approximately seventy seniors from Tippecanoe Valley High School visited Indianapolis recently, and toured the capital building and the Indianapolis 500 Hall of Fame Museum. Robert Igney and Coach Roger Fleetwood, government teachers, made the trip with the students.

While touring the capital building, seniors had the opportunity to

view the chambers of the Supreme Court, the Senate and the Secretary of State. Students learned how bills become law. They also learned something of the hours and the work involved in being a Senator. The seniors didn't have the opportunity to view government policy-making in action as most of the Senators were in caucus.

Senator John Ausburger, however, did take time from his busy schedule to speak to the students. He welcomed them and spoke briefly

of his work at the capital. He also informed them of the committees that he serves on and how the Senators are chosen for those committees. Senator Ausburger also gave students the opportunity to ask him questions.

Seniors also visited the 500 Hall of Fame Museum. The museum is filled with antique and famous cars, 22 of which have won the Indianapolis 500. The museum also has many trophies. While there, several students took a bus tour around the 500 track.

General Telephone honors employees with awards

Ninety-five employees of General Telephone Company of Indiana's North Central Division, headquartered in Elkhart, were honored recently for their many years of service in the telephone industry.

The company's fourteenth annual Awards Banquet, honored employees for service milestones reached during the calendar year 1978 at plateaus of 35, 30, 25, 20, 15, 10 and five years. North Central Division Manager Dennis Pauwels noted that the total years of service by the individuals is 1,365.

Merlin Mockler, an installer-maintainer in Middlebury was presented the Community Service Award for the North Central Division for his work in helping provide emergency

medical services for his community. The award is presented annually to an employee for outstanding efforts in community projects.

Thirteen employees were recognized for 30 years of service. They are Elizabeth Bennett, Donald Herron, and Gwendolyn Smith of Wabash, and Howard Christenberry, Homer Houck, Jr., Jacob Keesler, Mary Kovatch, Lynne Lee, John Lorditch, John Rinehart, Kime Tahara, Burdette Wysong, and Roy Yeakey of Elkhart.

Honored for 25 years of service were Dorothy Adams, Gerald Benson, Gladys Fry, Betty Gidley, Harold Lewis, and Donald Ross of Wabash, and David Albaugh, Shirley Barkman, Esther Bontrager, Marilyn Garrison, Gloria Grim, James Marshall, Irene Mullimax, and Phyllis Owens of Elkhart.

NOTICE

The Tippecanoe Valley School Board will meet in special session on Thursday, March 29, at 7 p.m., to hear the findings of Doctors Norbut Nelson and Merle Strom on the condition of the system. This is an open meeting, however a community-wide meeting is planned for a later date. The Board will meet in the lecture room at TVHS.

Receiving 20-year recognition were Marcell Evans, Geo. Finn, Dewayne Proctor, Margaret Ramer, June Wantz, and Nina Ward of Elkhart, and Julia Hamilton and Dorothy Smith of Wabash. James Crabtree, Cyrilla Ogle and Sue Witmer of Elkhart, William Martin of Akron, and Charlotte Meredith, Gene Hapner and Janet Leslie of Wabash were honored for 15 years of service. In addition, 52 employees were honored for five and ten years of service.

Program offered for parents of asthmatics

The American Lung Association of North Central Indiana is conducting an Asthma Education Pro-

gram for parents for five consecutive Tuesday evenings beginning on April 17. The sessions will be from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Lung Association office, 319 S. Main, So. Bend.

The focus of the program is educational and not medical. A registration fee of \$5 payable the first night will be charged. Guest leaders for discussions, interaction and adult peer-group participation will include area pediatricians, specialists and other health professionals.

Parents of pediatric asthmatics may register for the program by contacting Mrs. Marjorie Hepler, Asthma Program Coordinator, at the American Lung Association, 287-2321.

TVHS Pool Schedule

Thurs., March 22	7-9	Open
Sat., March 24	2-4	Open
Sun., March 25	2-4	Open
Thurs., March 29	7-9	Open

To present

Da Vinci's

"Last Supper"

There will be a dramatization of Da Vinci's "Last Supper" at Tippecanoe Valley High School, Sunday, April 1.

The play will be presented by the drama group of the Simpson United Methodist Church of Fort Wayne.

The play is scheduled to begin at 7:00 p.m. at the school.

"Truly absurd is the man who never changes."
Auguste Barthelmy

Akron Youth League

Re-Organization Meeting

DATE: March 26, 1979
TIME: 7:30 P.M.
PLACE: Akron School Cafeteria

Parents of all Akron Youth League participants (Minor, Youth, Pony League) are asked to attend this meeting to elect officers and start planning this season's baseball program for our boys and girls.

New books at Akron Carnegie Library

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

EVERGREEN by Belva Plain. This is an epic novel that sweeps the reader up in the dramatic saga of Anna Friedman - beautiful, bewitching Anna, who has come to New York at the turn of the century from a Polish Stetl. Yearning for a better life, she leaves the sweatshops to find work as a maid in the home of elegant Werners of the upper west side. Anna is torn between the love of two men. It is Joseph she marries and lifts him

from poverty to the millions of real estate dollars of which the Friedman dynasty will be used for generations to come.

HOW TO KNOW IF YOU'RE REALLY IN LOVE by Dr. Charlie Shedd. This book is written to give guidance and counsel to people trying to make this very important decision.

LULU by Lulu Roman. This is the touching story of a girl who went from a loveless orphanage to drugs, money and success and finally to the only true and lasting source of happiness.

FATHER TEN BOOM, GOD'S MAN by Corrie Ten Boom. Casper ten Boom was a man of God - A Christian whose faith was an inspiration to his children. Many years after his death in a Nazi prison camp, his daughter, Corrie, shares her memories of the greatly loved Haarlemers.

THE LONG RIDE by Lloyd Sumner. Lloyd Sumner embarked on his global bicycle tour with only \$200.00 in his pocket. In terms of money, he returned home with even less. But in the great experiences he found on the roads of the world, he returned a far richer man - and with a priceless story to tell.

LIKE NORMAL PEOPLE by Robert Meyers. This book is not only the author's moving tribute to his parents and brother and sister-in-law, but it is also a valuable guide to the availability of help for the mentally retarded - the enlightenment that has occurred and the prejudice that still remains.



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Board continues with bus purchase

Continued from page 1

bus in the Corporation still needing major repairs. He stated that the rest have been fixed, and those requiring service should be finished by next Monday when school resumes.

The Board also accepted the resignation of Rev. Leroy Combs as a bus driver, and substitute driver Earl Floor was hired to replace him. Dr. Harrell was also granted permission to advertise for substitute drivers, as the number available is dwindling.

In a decision regarding two high school students who were recently expelled for the remainder of the year for their alleged possession of marijuana, the Board agreed to uphold their first decision of keeping the two out of school.

Three students had been expelled, but two, along with their parents, had appealed to the Board to be readmitted. It was these two cases that the Board acted on Monday evening.

In a roll call vote, Lee Norris, Con Shewman, and Everett Besson voted to uphold the first decision. Snipes and Meredith voted no, with Meredith stressing that "I do not in any way condone marijuana . . . but with the surrounding circumstances . . . the punishment is too severe for first time offenders".

In other action:

* The Board approved a resolution to the TVHS basketball team and coaches for their fine performance this year. (See page for the resolution.)

* The trustees approved of the guidelines set up for the administration of free textbooks and clothing to students in need. This procedure must be presented to the State Department of Public Instruction by April 12.

* Claims totaling \$38,744.11 were approved, along with net payroll of \$53,754.62 for February 28, and \$54,954.27 for March 15.

* The Board agreed to hire two new teachers next year at the junior high level for Home Economics and Industrial Arts. Members from the Home Economics Advisory Committee were present to express

their views on why two more teachers are needed.

Principals Barker and Fisher also expressed their support for an increase program, and after some discussion, the Board unanimously approved. This will enable seventh & eighth grade students at Akron and Mentone to participate in these classes all year long.

* A special meeting has been scheduled for March 29 at the high school beginning at 7 p.m. to hear the reports on findings of Doctors Norbert Nelson, and Merle Strom. This meeting is open to the public, however a community wide meeting will be scheduled for a later date.

* Thomas Mahoney was hired as maintenance director for the corporation at a salary of \$17,500. He will replace Charlie Fellers who has been ill.

The next regular meeting for the Board is scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m. at the TVHS lecture room on Monday, April 16.

Local youth to present production of "High & Dry"

by Linda Mason

"Donkey, just look at it. Have you ever seen anything like it? I've built a lot of different things before, but this is so . . . different. It just feels funny."

A man talking to a donkey, what has this world come to?

Actually, the Akron Church of God youth fellowship will present the one-act musical, "High & Dry," on Sunday, April 1, at 7:00 p.m. in the church sanctuary.

"High & Dry" concentrates on the full year venture that Noah and the animals found themselves in when God decided to destroy the world with a flood.

The play - divided into three scenes dealing with the time before, during, and after the flood - captures the various moods and attitudes the animals and Noah must have experienced on the voyage.

The musical, co-directed by Associate Pastor Greg Kendall and Miss

Linda Mason, was written by Keith Ghormley, of Chicago, Ill. Ghormley graduated from Anderson College and presently studies Old Testament religion at Trinity Theological Seminary. Ghormley consented to the local production (even though the play has not yet been published.)

The cast features all local talent. They are as follows: Noah, Larry Barr (Junior High Youth Fellowship Director); Elephant, Miles Thompson; Squirrel, Tina Sander; Camel, Melinda Claxton; Duck, Melissa Summe; Donkey, Mark Shriver; Dove, Stephanie Stewart; Giraffe, Carol Hopkins; Turkey, John Stewart; and, Lion, Tim Fleck.

Other local youths filling out the cast as chorus members include Randy Mitterling, Kim Norman, and Rich Mitterling.

Miss Becky Kufeldt, Pastor Kendall's fiancée, who attends Anderson College, will accompany the musical cast on the piano.

The production of "High & Dry" was decided upon as a means of communicating how God blesses us through our trials and how His plan for our lives is so much better than our own.

The young people have practiced since the end of January for the April Fool's date production. A pie and coffee hour, sponsored by the youth, has been scheduled to immediately follow the performance.

All surrounding churches and community members are invited to attend the admission-free production.

The musical, subtly filled with comedy, is sure to entertain as well as inspire all.



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NEWS Of Education

Prepared by the American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU), a national organization of public educators dedicated to expanded college opportunities and high standards of academic excellence.

Q. I know my tax money helps support state and other colleges and universities. What are these places doing for me?

A. A variety of things: Even if neither you nor your children take advantage of the educational opportunities at these schools, you benefit from the education they offer many of the people in your community who serve you. Many public-supported colleges and universities, for example, offer day and evening programs and courses on law enforcement to the police force and management to city workers. Faculty may advise small businesses and city agencies as part of extensive public service activities.

L & B
Foods





Newsview

by Bob Norlander

Are nuclear power plants bad for your health? How about 2, 4, 5-T? Or, how about nitrites?

Utility companies say nuclear power plants are good for you. The Paddle Wheel Alliance says they're bad for you.

Prejudice is the only answer

The U.S. Forest Service says 2, 4, 5-T isn't bad for you. Environmentalists say it is.

The Food and Drug Administration thinks nitrites might be bad for you. Pork Producers say they won't harm you.

How is the man on the street to decide who is right? He doesn't have access to all the research that indicates any of these things are harmful or harmless.

He can't do the research himself.

And, even if he had access to the research, it's questionable whether he could understand all the technicalities of the research.

And, even if he could understand the technicalities, how would he know which side is telling the truth, unless he went back and did the research himself.

So what is he left with?

The only thing he has to go on is his prejudice. If he has already made up his mind nuclear power plants are good, the arguments of environmentalists will appear dumb. If he has already made up his mind that they're harmful, the arguments of utility companies will appear callous and dumb.

In an increasingly technical society, prejudice will more and more determine our opinions about what is harmful and what isn't.

The ironic thing is that science and technology claim they eliminate prejudice.

Eight Valley students named to "Who's Who in Music"

The 78-79 edition of Who's Who in Music will carry the names of eight students from Tippecanoe Valley High School, Mentone, who have been selected as being among the country's most outstanding high school music students.

Dale M. Pace, Choral Director, head of the school's nominating committee and the editors of the annual directory have included the names of these students based on their music ability, academic ac-

hievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and future potential. Students named this year from Tippecanoe Valley High School, Mentone, are: Cheryl Kelly, Akron; Cheryl Reed, Rochester; Dane Jarvis, Atwood; Stephanie Stewart, Akron; Chuck Hurd, Warsaw; Gary Gearhart, Akron; Melinda Claxton, Akron; and Kelly Coplen, Akron.



ALTHOUGH the date of this photograph is unknown, many residents will remember this scene of Akron taken on Rochester Street facing west. (Courtesy of Akron Library)

Local man pursued Dillinger

by Eula Romayne Smith

Many of us who have heard of the notorious gangster, John Dillinger, may not know that a Sevastopol man was one of his pursuers. According to a recent article by Bill Shaw in the Tucson Daily Star, Harvey L. Hire spent two years in pursuit of the Dillinger gang. Mr. Hire was, at that time an Indiana State Police detective, and one of the men who went to Arizona to bring the gang back. Mr. Hire, now retired and living in Tucson, recalls having his picture taken holding a shotgun on three gang members who were chained to a railroad car for their return to Indiana. Hire was not present when Dillinger was killed by the FBI in Chicago, but did attend his funeral.

The Dillinger name brings back memories to Mary Barkman, too. Some of the gang beat up her brother, Dr. Leslie Laird, in his office at North Webster, and took some morphine or other pain killing drugs. Dr. Laird required hospitalization, so he was surprised to receive a check some time later from the gang for the medicine they had taken.

It Happened in Mentone

Taken from the March 19, 1952 issue of the Northern Indiana Co-Op News:

Lee Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Norris, is stationed at Ft. Hood, Texas. He will take part in the big Exercise Long Horn maneuvers.

Recent weekend guests of Jody Cullum at the Artley Cullum home were: Elaine Harshner, Cindy Steiner, Kathy Carothers, Ann Shope, Laura Hawkins and June Replogle.

Ed Severns & Son placed fifth in the spring barrow class at the Hoosier Spring Barrow Show held at Indianapolis Tuesday. There were eight placings in the state and there were 46 entries.

Mahlon Jefferies said Monday that it was certainly muddy in Kosciusko County 45 years ago on March 16. That day he hitched two horses to a carriage and plowed through the mud holes to Warsaw to get a marriage license.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Witham and family have moved from the Frank Vernet farm home to the house on the former Carl Meyers farm. Mr. and Mrs. Don Kinkiad Jr. and family have moved from the Frank Warren property in Mentone, to the Frank Vernet home.

Leroy Cox appears to be going in for antiques. One day this week he came in with a gadget that was used in the old blacksmith days to measure the outside diameter of wagon wheels. It is a wheel 24 inches in circumference and a short handle and pointer. It could be held in the hand while the wagon wheel revolved, giving the exact measurement for making the steel rims used on wagon wheels.

Mr. Cox saw the instrument in a bunch of iron junk that C. O. Moltenhour brought up to Byron Linn. Roy said he knew what it was, so by that we know he is like some of the rest of us - at the age where you start picking up antiques.

Mrs. Lora McFarland of Akron, visited on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Earl Meredith.

Mothers of W W II met at the home of Ocie Gross on March 12. There were 17 members and one guest present. Delegates for the State convention to be at Elkhart were selected. They are Blanche Paulus and Ethel Wagner. The door prize was won by Iris Fitzgerald. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Maude Romine.

Mailbag



In search of

LETTER TO EDITOR:

Are there any descendants or relatives of Dora Whetstone, who lived in the Mentone community, who would be interested in exchanging genealogy lines? Are there any descendants or relatives of Hartman Eaglebarger who would be able to help on this family line? Will exchange any information I have on these lines.

Please write Box 494, Piercetown, IN 46562, or call 594-2960.

—Mrs. Gerald Hartman

In appreciation

DEAR MR. AND MRS. NORLANDER:
The Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic

Club wishes to express our sincere thanks for all the publicity you have given our Club during the winter season and during the recent State "B" Championship swim meet that we co-hosted.

Our Club has never before attempted to host or co-host a swim meet the size of the State "B", but thanks to the support and hard work of all our parents and friends it was a big success.

We also wish to thank you for coming out to the Tippecanoe Valley High School pool to take pictures. The swimmers really enjoyed seeing their pictures in the paper. Thanks again for everything.
Sincerely,
Tippecanoe Valley Aquatic Club

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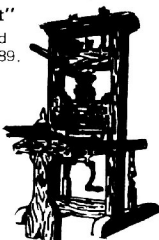
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Plan for upcoming spring rally

The Women's Fellowship of the Akron Church of the Brethren met in the home of Lavon Mark for the March meeting.

Norma Weaver presided over the business meeting, reminding the group of the spring rally to be held March 27, at the Sugar Creek Church.

Happy birthday was sung to Vera Holloway, and Velma Holloway led the devotions. "Skate Boards" was the name of her lesson. She read scripture and a poem, "Fretting," then closed with prayer.

Several cards were signed for shut-ins. Following a singspiration Mrs. Mark served refreshments.

This Was News

60 YEARS AGO

The B & H Auto Sales Co. of Rochester will Saturday demonstrate the Fordson tractor on the Jud Curtis farm west of Akron. They will begin work in the morning about 10:00.

Several men recently have had narrow escapes in Akron from being hit on the crossing by interurban cars. A car Tuesday hit a machine driven by Frank Bradley, causing a small amount of damage.

Lamoin Hand, who has been very ill with pneumonia, has fully recovered and returned to school this week.

After 20 years in the drug business, E. L. Scott, Tuesday sold his interest in the firm to Earl Arter, who took possession at once. Mr. Scott will now devote his attention to musical instruments and to his practice as an optician. Mr. Scott came to Akron in 1897, starting to clerk in the drug store owned by John Garwood. Two years later Mr. Scott went into business for himself. Five years ago, he took his brother Albert Scott in as a partner, the firm then being known as E. L. Scott and Bro. Mr. Scott will remain at the store where he will keep an office.

39 YEARS AGO

A new millinery shop was opened this week by Mrs. Gerald Bemenderfer in her residence. The shop is located in the southeast room of the home.

The Forrest Higgins brick bungalow on East Rochester street occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bell, was sold last week to Harvey Arter.

A barn at the home of Mrs. Truman Slater burned to the ground Monday morning. The cause of the fire is unknown. Loss is estimated at \$200. The barn was empty at the time, but several stands of bees and a large amount of honey has been stored in the barn by Fred Moore a few days before the fire.

Bidwell's Market: Head lettuce, 2 for 15¢; oleo, 10¢ lb.; sugar, 10 lb. for 49¢; swiss steak, 21¢ lb.; fresh sausage, 12½¢ lb.; Oxydol, large, 19¢; fresh ground beef, 18¢ lb.; raisins, 2 lb. 19¢.

25 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haupt and Mrs. Everet Plotner spent Tuesday in Indianapolis.

London Imhoff, Walter Waechter and Darius Harmon are in Chicago today attending the automobile show.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Funk are the parents of a son born at Woodlawn Hospital Monday.

Charles Fellers has filed his candidacy for precinct committeemen on the Democratic ticket from precinct three.

10 YEARS AGO

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore and Joe were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Straley, Beth Ann and Kathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore.

The Rev. Claude Fawns was a guest speaker at the First United Methodist Church in Silver Lake last Sunday.

Happiness is: Seeing Whit Gast working in his pumpkin field, anxious, too, I'll bet, for Spring to get here.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MARCH 23

The Akron L.T.L. will meet at the Library basement. Members are urged to attend and also gain new members for the membership contest. Any who have posters out yet should bring them to this meeting.

MONDAY, MARCH 26

Fulton Co. Republican Women meeting, 7:30 p.m. at the County Headquarters in Rochester. Speaker will be Mrs. Richard Agness, director of Indiana Federation of Republican Women.

Service Notes



Nancy S. Vanlue, daughter of Myron J. Vanlue, R. 1, Akron, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Lieutenant Vanlue, selected through competitive examination for attendance at the school, now goes to Maxwell AFB, Ala., for training and duty as an education and training officer.

The lieutenant, a 1967 graduate of Akron High School, received an MA degree in 1974 from Indiana State University and an Ed.S. degree in 1978 from Ball State University in Muncie.

New officers elected

The Seward Home Extension Club met recently at the home of Mrs. Mitchell Tucker, with Mrs. Donald Smalley serving as co-hostess. All of the attending members were wearing something "backwards".

New officers elected at the meeting were: Mrs. Robert Igney, president; Mrs. Donald Smalley, vice-president; Mrs. Earl Sarber, secretary; and Mrs. Raymond Longbrake, treasurer.

Lessons on health and safety, gardening, citizenship, and the cultural arts were heard, and Mrs. Smalley presented a helpful lesson on clothing care.

Songs were sung in closing, and the hostesses served refreshments. Mrs. Raymond Hudson was welcomed as a new member in the club.

LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING. The Alcoholic Beverage Board of Fulton County, Indiana, at 1:00 P.M., on April 16, 1979, at the Commissioners' room, Court House, in the city of Rochester, Indiana, will investigate the propriety of holding an alcoholic beverage permit by the following persons and locations listed herein, to wit: DL25-01922 Manitou Liquors Inc. Gary H Shank Pres Elizabeth Shank Sec 902 Main St Rochester Ind Liquor, beer and wine dealer. RC25-10334 B P O Eiks Inc 2120 ATT Financial Secy R R 2 Rochester Ind Liquor, beer and wine retailer-club. Said investigation will be open to the public. Indiana Alcoholic Beverage Commission By Bruce McLaren Exec Sec'y, James D. Sims Chairman. 3/22/1c/2p

PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the Board of School Trustees of the Rochester Community School Corporation, Fulton County, Indiana will receive sealed bids up to 7:00 P.M. (E.S.T.) April 9, 1979 in their offices at West 18th Street, Rochester, Indiana for the following: A temporary loan up to but not to exceed \$400,000.00 for no more than three hundred (300) days to the Corporation in anticipation of revenues to be received in the General Fund from the State and Local Tax Distribution in 1979 to be paid back on a short term basis. Said funds are to be repaid from taxes to be received during 1979 and are for appropriations made and approved by all departments of government for Rochester Community School Corporation for expenditure during the year 1979. Specifications, instructions to bidders and bid forms are on file in the office of the Board of School Trustees. The Board of School Trustees reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids. Board of School Trustees Rochester Community School Corp. Larry W. Pampel, Secretary 3/22/2c/2p

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF ZELLA LEE DRUDGE DECEASED. In the Kosciusko Circuit Court of Kosciusko County, Indiana, 1979 Term in the Matter of the Estate of Zella Lee Drudge, deceased, Estate Docket 35, Page 245, Estate No. E-78-23. Notice is hereby given that Melinda Jane Cohee as Executrix of the above named estate, has presented and filed account in final settlement of said estate and petition for distribution and that said account and petition will come up for the examination and action of said Circuit Court on the 12th day of April, 1979. On said date all the heirs of said decedent and all others interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause, if there be any, why said report should not be approved and distribution ordered as set out in said petition. Any heirs of said decedent or others who have a claim to any part of said estate not set out in said final account or petition for distribution are required to appear on that date and make proof of such heirship or claim. N. Jean Messmore Clerk Kosciusko Circuit Court Robert E. Peterson Rochester, Indiana Attorney for Estate 3/22/2c

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS. Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of the Rochester Community School Corporation, Fulton County, Indiana that the proper legal officers of said municipality at their regular meeting place at 7:00 P.M. on the 9th day of April, 1979 will consider the following additional appropriations which said officers consider necessary to meet the extraordinary emergency existing at this time. From the Cumulative Building Fund: \$145,000.00 To the Rochester Community High School and/or Columbia Roofing Fund, for the installation of New Roofing at the two sites. Taxpayers appearing at such meeting shall have a right to be heard thereon. The additional appropriations as finally made will be automatically referred to the State Board of Tax Commissioners which Board will hold a further hearing within fifteen days at the County Auditor's Office of Fulton County, Indiana, or at such other place as may be designated. At such hearings, taxpayers objecting may inquire of the County Auditor when and where such hearing will be held.

Board of School Trustees
Larry W. Pampel, Secretary
Rochester Community School Corporation
3/22/2c/3p

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION. Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the provisions of Title 12 - Banks and Banking, Chapter 11 - Federal Reserve System, Subchapter A - Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Part 262 - Rules of Procedure, Akron Financial, Inc., a Corporation organized under the laws of Indiana, and having its principal place of business at Akron, Indiana, hereby applies to the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, pursuant to section 3 (a) (1) of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended, for prior approval by the Board of Action proposed to be taken by Akron Financial, Inc. which would result in its becoming a Bank Holding Company with respect to Akron Exchange State Bank, Akron, Indiana. The public is invited to give written comment upon the application to Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690. 3/22/2c/1p

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Family Life

By Refee Norlander

At Monday nights session of the TVSC School Board, the trustees agreed to hire, for next year, additional Home Economics and Industrial Arts teachers for the junior high levels. This will give the seventh and eighth grade boys and girls an opportunity to benefit from these classes all year long.

At first I wondered if this was such a good idea. Could our corporation afford to hire two more teachers for such classes? After listening to comments of parents from the Home Economics Advisory Committee present at Mondays meeting, I have to agree with the Boards decision.

Several parents pointed out that by the time students are in high school, many are on a college prep program, and they can't fit home ec. or industrial arts into their schedules.

I remember when I was in school that the very same thing happened to me. I was so busy with my required math, science, language, and English classes, that taking a class in home economics never occurred to me.

Now I wish it had. Oh, I've learned to cook and sew by trial and error, but it would have been much easier going into marriage if I'd been prepared in the art of being a homemaker.

That was a point that the Advisory Committee also stressed. All of our junior high students will one day be out on their own - with homes to take care of, children to care for, and meals to be cooked.

I think it's terrific that today's boys and girls are sharing these classes. It's important, in today's rapidly changing society, with all kinds of lifestyles, that boys be trained in home ec. as well as girls in "shop" classes.

Who knows what kind of lives they'll lead. More and more people are remaining single, and I think it's important that we train our children to take care of themselves.

The three R's of course (reading, writing, & arithmetic) are still most important, in my opinion. But I think it's also important to train our children in the art of "growing up" and caring for themselves.

Who knows! The next Betty Crocker may come from Tippecanoe Valley!

Church News

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

AKRON BAPTIST CHURCH, Leroy F. Combs, pastor; Harold Schroll, Sunday school director. Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship Service: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Dev. Bible Class: 7 p.m.

OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD, Jeff Webb, pastor; Minnie Ellison, supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday: 7 p.m.

SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD, Fred Landolt, minister; Richard Hoffman, supt.; Sam Brown, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening Evangelistic Serv: 7:30 p.m. Jr. & Sr. CGYA: 6:30 p.m. Tues. Morning Bible Hr.: 9 a.m. Prayer Breakfast - March 31 - 7 a.m. REVIVAL SERVICES - March 25 - April 1.

BEAVER DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Harold Ulfrey, pastor. Worship Services: 9:30-10:30 a.m. Sunday School: 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Thursday - Adult and Children Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Choir prac., 8 p.m. March 25 - Combined Lenter Service at 7:00 at Talma Church. TVHS Choir will sing.

March 26 - Administrative Board and Council of Ministries, 7:30 p.m. at Church.

BURKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Don Poyser, pastor; Vernon Meredith, supt.; Dennis Burch, asst. supt.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Church: 10:30 a.m.

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

MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST, Terry Stockman, minister. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship and Communion: 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening: 6:30 p.m. Thurs. Evening Service: 7:30 p.m. Monday: Children's Bible Story hours: 3:45 p.m.

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

Services held at the new hardware building in Atwood.

OMEGA CHURCH, Lee Stubbfield, pastor; Emerson Burns, supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. Communion service following. Youth Meeting: 7 p.m. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m. Missionary conference on Home Missions March 27 through the 30th, 7:30 nightly. Special music, the public is invited.

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

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

AKRON CHURCH OF GOD, James F. Hall, pastor; Greg Kendall, associate pastor; Hugh Wildermuth, supt.; Mark Fairchild, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Jerry Brandon, Speaker Youth Fellowship: 6:00 p.m. Evening Service: 7:00 p.m. Rev. Jerry Brandon

Where you eat reveals some of your personality traits

When you dine out, your choice of restaurant can tell more about you than you think! Robert D. Buchanan, Extension restaurant, hotel and institutional management specialist at Purdue University, says that patrons of particular types of restaurants tend to have similar characteristics.

School lunch menus

Mentone School

The Mentone School lunch menu for March 26, 27 and 28 are as follows:

MONDAY - Pigs in blanket, creamed peas, cottage cheese, peaches and milk.

TUESDAY - Chicken Croquettes, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, applesauce, bread, butter and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Homemade vegetable soup, peanut butter sandwiches, pears, rice crispie square.

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

All meals subject to change by cooks.

TVHS

The lunch menu for TVHS for the week of March 26-30 is as follows:

MONDAY - Corn dog, baked beans, cottage cheese, applesauce.

TUESDAY - Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, buttered peas, lettuce salad, peanut butter sandwich, cake, peaches.

WEDNESDAY - Tenderloin sandwich, candied yams, green beans, lemon frosty creme, pineapple.

THURSDAY - Vegetable beef stew, hot roll with butter, cole slaw, peanuts, mixed fruit.

FRIDAY - Chili with crackers, cheese slices, pumpkin squares, pears, peanut butter sandwich.

For instance, family-type restaurants are patronized more often by families with adults in the over 35 age group. Though they appeal to all income levels, small families (those with one or two members) are more likely to patronize them than families with children. They are the most frequented restaurants for the evening meal for both adults and children.

Fast-food restaurants are most popular with people under age 35. As might be expected, they are most popular for lunch and snacks. People from all income levels patronize these types of restaurants, but they are relatively more popular with households in the \$10,000 to \$25,000 annual income levels.

Atmosphere and specialty restaurants appeal to people in the 45 and older age bracket. These people tend to have a relatively high income and small family units. The evening meal is the favored meal at this type restaurant.

Cafeterias are popular with all income groups, but are frequented more often by people in the over-45 age group and small family units. They are more popular at lunchtime, probably because of school lunch programs which draw their strength from children in the 13- to 19 age group.

If you eat breakfast away from home, it will probably be in a coffee shop. These shops tend to be patronized equally by all income and age levels though they are slightly more popular with small families and people in the 55-and-over age group.

Everyone seems to like take-out restaurants for snacks. Their popularity is not influenced by income or household size although younger families and people under 35 tend to patronize this type of eatery more often. Both adults and children utilize their services for snacks.

Summarizing, Buchanan says that cafeterias and atmosphere/specialty restaurants are favored by older people with smaller family units, while the younger people tend to favor fast-food restaurants and family-type restaurants. Coffee shops are preferred for breakfast, and take-out restaurants for snacks.

Meals on Wheels

The Mentone Meals on Wheels drivers for the week of March 26-30 are as follows:

MONDAY: Lu Teel,
TUESDAY: Jane Kantner,
WEDNESDAY: Norene Norris,
THURSDAY: Elaine Fugate,
FRIDAY: Jeannine Nellans, and
SUB: Paul Haist.

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Mentone Open Friday Nights

Evangelists to host at Church of God

Revival services will be conducted at the Silver Creek Church of God beginning on Sunday, March 25 through April 1, with services nightly starting at 7:30 p.m.

The Evangelist will be the Rev. Hubert Miller and song evangelist is Denny Chizum.

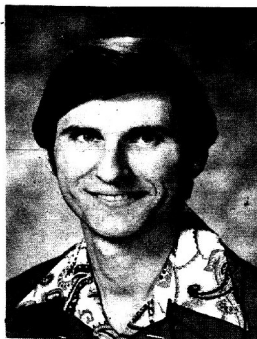


Rev. Hubert Miller

Rev. Miller is pastor of the Columbia City First Church of God which under his ministry has grown from average attendance of 150 to 360. Rev. Miller is presently serving as chairman of the Indiana Conference Stewardship & Finance Commission and served as president. A member on the Seminary Board, he has toured Egypt, Europe and the Holy Land.

Dennis Chizum has been a song evangelist since 1968, a recording he uses sound tracks from his records plus several other unique arrangements. He also finds satisfaction in directing and inspiring congregations to enter into the song service. He will be singing each evening.

A nursery will be available for children, and the pastor Rev. Fred J. Landolt and the Silver Creek Congregation welcome you to attend.



Denny Chizum

Blends of herbal teas can be dangerous

What could be better on a cold evening than a hot cup of tea? Americans are drinking tea, in its various forms, in record amounts.

Through various blends of commercial teas are probably safe, beware of herbal teas, warns Jean Howe, Extension food and nutrition specialist at Purdue University. The Food and Drug Administration in the "FDA Consumer" has warned against herbal teas.

Some of today's packaged herbal teas, which are often blends of several plants, can contain substances that can be dangerous.

For example:

—Senna tea can have a harsh laxative effect. And nursing mothers who drink senna tea can pass on the laxative action to their infants.

—Sassafras root contains a substance that has caused liver cancer in laboratory animal. (The sale of sassafras tea was banned in 1976, but some of it may be still around.)

—Chamomile tea is under suspicion of causing people with ragweed al-

Some people don't give a woman credit ... and it's not her fault. Why do some women have difficulty obtaining credit? The Federal Trade Commission says one of the major problems is that many women do not have a credit history under their own names. When creditors ask the local credit bureau for a woman's credit history, past accounts under a husband's name or a maiden name just don't show up.

It's especially important for women to check with the credit bureau to be sure that credit information is accurate, complete, and filed under their own names. If you think you have trouble with your credit history, find the credit bureau in the Yellow Pages. Have information

from old joint accounts transferred to your own file. Then ask creditors to use your current name on charge records and ask that joint accounts be reported in both spouses' names.

Under the Equal Credit Opportunity Act, creditors must report information on shared accounts in both spouses' names. If you shared an account before June 1, 1977, and this account has subsequently been closed, have the credit bureau transfer the information from the joint file to your own. If the shared account is still open, you'll have to ask the creditor to do this for you. There's no charge for this if you already have a file in your own name.

If you recently changed your name or now share accounts with your husband, ask creditors to report credit under the name you use now. Wait a few months, then visit the credit bureau to see that this has been done. To get credit, it's important to have a good credit history so lenders can have confidence in you. If you haven't had credit before, consider starting a charge account or charge card to establish a good rating. Even if you don't meet the income standards of national credit cards, get a local bank card or department store charge.

And when you apply for credit, list your best credit accounts on the application. You can even list accounts now closed. Joint accounts must be considered by creditors if you can show responsibility for them.

If you're denied credit, you have the right to learn the reasons why. Then call or visit the credit bureau to make sure the facts were reported accurately.

If your credit history is tarnished by bad debts from a previous marriage, give creditors evidence that this record doesn't apply to you. For instance, a delinquent account may have been used only by your husband in his business. Or perhaps he used the joint account irresponsibly after the divorce.

lergies to go into shock after drinking it.

—Burdock and goldenseal, herbal tea ingredients, can become toxic if steeped too long or drunk in quantity.

Of course, most commercial tea is from the leaves of "Camellia sinensis" in which the primary active ingredient is caffeine. This tea is relatively safe to drink if you don't have a bad reaction to caffeine.

The basic problem is, says Howe, that many of the substances found in herbal teas have not been tested for safety. And, though many herbal teas are safe to drink, there is no way to be sure exactly what is in a herbal tea blend.

Another problem arising from the consumption of herbal teas is related to their medicinal affect. For centuries herbal tea was used as a "cure" for everything from an upset stomach to the gout. Many of the ingredients in the tea affected the body like medicines. Therefore, when a person who is taking a prescribed medication drinks an herbal tea, the effect of the medications could be counter-

acted. For example, an herbal tea rich in vitamin K (which aids blood clotting) could counteract the effects of an anticoagulant medication.

"The solution to the herbal tea dilemma is not to avoid drinking herbal tea, but to be selective," says Howe. "Some herbal teas can be soothing and harmless but beware of teas made from ingredients of which you are unsure. Be sure you know what you are drinking."



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Valley honors its athletes with banquet



TVHS Athletic Director Bob Dubois presented Charles Secrist with a special award, honoring him for being selected to the Indiana North All-Star Football team for 1978-79.



The "Most Valuable" Junior Varsity cheerleader award went to Chris Schwenk, center above.



Crystal McConkey was named, "Most Valuable" Varsity cheerleader during Thursdays' big banquet.



Freshman Brent Hoffman was honored with the "Defense Award" for frosh basketball.



Keith Smith received a trophy for the "Most Improved Player" on the TVHS wrestling squad.

Trustees commend Valley cagers and coaches

- WHEREAS, The Tippecanoe Valley High School Basketball Team overcame the adversity of a poor season record - fourth best record and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings were required to play the maximum number of games in the sectional and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings defeated two of the better teams in the area and teams who had beaten the Vikings in regular season play and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings placed four players on the all-tournament teams and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings team garnered the most valuable player award of the tourney - Allen Utter and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings won their first sectional title and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings demonstrated a tenacious defense throughout the tourney and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings won the rebounding battle in every game and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings brought much publicity and recognition to Tippecanoe Valley from all over the State and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Vikings displayed a great amount of poise, a greater amount of character, and a proper amount of humbleness in victory and;
- WHEREAS, The Valley Viking coaching staff deserves recognition for providing the leadership in the development of the above traits and;
- WHEREAS, Tippecanoe Valley represented the school well with their play in the Regional and;
- WHEREAS, Tippecanoe Valley placed three players on the all Regional Team - "Chewie" Secrist, Chris Kindig - First Team and Allen Utter - Second Team; now therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of School Trustees commend the players; parents; Roger Fleetwood, Head Basketball Coach; Michael Sipe and Rudy Glinge, Assistant Coaches; Jerry Eaton, Robert Hinkle, Bill Leininger, Ed LaMar, Jon Parker and Phil See, Grade School Coaches; Bob Dubois, Jerry Eaton and Bill Ruppel, Athletic Directors for all of their contributions to these accomplishments and be it further
- RESOLVED, That the Board of School Trustees express their appreciation on behalf of the Tippecanoe Valley School Community, whom they represent for the great pleasure, community spirit and community and school pride generated by this sectional win.

Short Sports Quiz

by Larry Hicks

- (1) Who was the Heisman trophy winner for Notre Dame in 1956 that went on to fame in the National Football League?
- (2) Hank Aaron is the all time Major League home run champion. Did he hit more than 50 home runs in one season? Yes or no.
- (3) Which college basketball team won the National Invitational Tournament in 1974?
- (4) Who was the U. S. Women's Open Golf champion in 1948?
- (1) Betsy Rawls (2) Helen Hicks (3) Patty Berg (4) Babe Didrikson.
- (5) In what city is the annual Sugar Bowl college football game played?
- (6) Who holds the all time scoring total in college basketball?
- (7) What team won little league world series in 1970?
- (8) What professional boxer holds the record for most knockouts?
- (9) Who was the first woman to swim the English Channel?
- (10) Frank Gotch was one of the all time great athletes. In which sport did he excel? (1) Boxing (2) Football (3) Baseball (4) Wrestling.

ANSWERS

- (1) Paul Hornung
- (2) No - the most home runs was 47 with
- (3) Atlanta Braves in 1971
- (4) Babe Didrikson
- (5) New Orleans
- (6) Peter Maravich, Louisiana State
- (7) Wayne, New Jersey
- (8) Archie Moore - 136 KO's
- (9) Florence Chadwick - 1951
- (10) (4) Wrestling

Let's Talk About

Gas Rates and Gas Rate Increases

Everyone knows the cost of natural gas has been going up in recent years. But consumers don't seem to know why. So let's talk about gas rates and gas rate increases.

Since 1971 customers of Northern Indiana Public Service Company have been experiencing two types of gas rate increases.

The Purchased Gas Adjustment or Tracking Increase

This type of increase, which **accounts for nearly 80 per cent of the increased cost of natural gas to the customer** was first introduced in 1970 when the Federal Government allowed the Producers of natural gas to increase their prices to stimulate the drilling of new gas wells and, hopefully, increase the supply of natural gas.

Pipeline Suppliers, in turn, were allowed to pass these price increases on to Distribution Companies (like NIPSCO), and in December, 1970, the Public Service Commission of Indiana authorized gas utilities in Indiana to pass along these increased supply costs from producers and pipeline suppliers to consumers, after they had been authorized by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

No profit was permitted under the Indiana Commission's order. Only increases or decreases in the cost of the gas itself could be passed on to customers.

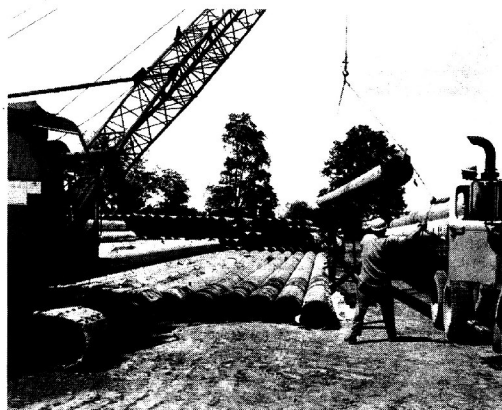
Since 1971 there have been 72 gas tracking adjustments, none resulting in additional profits for NIPSCO. It has simply been a flow-through of price increases from the producers to the pipelines, to the distribution companies, and ultimately, to the consumer.

General Gas Rate Increases

The second type of gas rate increase covers those operating and capital costs, associated with the service to customers, which are **directly affected by inflation**, such as, wages and fringe benefits, cost of living adjustments, increased interest expense, higher taxes, increased construction costs, higher prices for equipment and supplies, and a reasonable return on the miles and miles of transmission lines, distribution systems, and storage facilities, needed to serve customers.

Since **inflation has been forcing these costs up** faster than we can offset them through belt tightening and operating economies, we had to seek increases in our general gas rates.

Such increases are authorized by the Public Service Commission of Indiana only after extensive hearings. The last general gas rate increase (**only the third in 29 years**) became effective November 27, 1978. It was a 9.32 percent increase and was allowed by the Commission after seven months of review.



Eighty per cent of the cost increase in natural gas is paid directly to pipeline companies and producers without profit to NIPSCO.

The BTU Adjustment

The heating content of all fuels are measured in British Thermal Units (BTUs). However, the BTU content of natural gas varies, depending on the pipeline supplier, from approximately 990 to 1,035 BTUs per cubic foot. As a result, customers living across our 12,000 square mile service area may receive natural gas with differing BTU heat contents, from month to month.

In the past, customers were billed for the number of cubic feet of gas used. To establish **a more equitable method of charging customers** for their gas service, we asked the Public Service Commission of Indiana to allow us to adjust the customer's usage to a 1,000 BTU level since NIPSCO's gas rates are based on 1,000 BTUs of heating value. This adjustment is accomplished by applying a weighted BTU factor to the number of cubic feet of gas used as indicated by your meter. **You pay only for the BTUs you receive—no more, and no less.** Service bills for large commercial and industrial customers have been adjusted on this basis for many years.

Low Cost Energy

In spite of price increases, **natural gas continues to be the best energy buy in northern Indiana** for home heating, cooking, water heating, clothes drying and other household purposes.

True, the cost has increased and will probably continue to increase until it reaches a level that is more in line with other fuels. However, the cost of all energy is climbing. That's why we believe natural gas **will continue to be the lowest cost fuel available in northern Indiana for many years to come.** Incidentally, it's also the cleanest, most efficient, convenient and dependable fuel you can buy.



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THE HOME TOWN PAGE

Mentone Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hammond, Mentone, and Helen Irvine, North Manchester, spent Saturday in So. Bend with Gilbert Flohr and family.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sullivan were Mr. and Mrs. Ward Sullivan, So. Bend, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, No. Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sullivan attended a concert in Kokomo Sunday afternoon, given by the Kokomo Symphony Orchestra and Symphonic Chorus. Their daughter-in-law plays violin with the orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith and Betty spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Eugene Hanson, at Spencer.

Chad Colbert, Ft. Wayne, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn.

Kevin Wise, and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Floyd, Eric and David, Lafayette, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Esther Wise and Sandra. Evening supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Marozsan and Tina of So. Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marozsan of Goshen, Mr. and Mrs. James Wise and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wise, and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Floyd and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Sullivan of South Bend, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller of No. Liberty spent

Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sullivan. The belated birthday of Mrs. Miller was honored with a supper at Teels Restaurant. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Utter arrived home Thursday afternoon after a months stay in Florida.

Mrs. Dorothy Horn of Rochester called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker and Violet called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller Friday evening.

Mrs. Robert Norris and Dennis were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker and Violet.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker and Violet called on Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Miller at Warsaw Monday.

Recent guests of Mrs. Edith Young were Mrs. Opal Epler, Lagro, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Garber, Ligonier, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Vandermark, Palestine, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Young, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Ervin, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Inhen of No. Manchester.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller were Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Miller and Joshua, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller called on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller, Akron, Thursday evening.

Chris Zolman of Burket, and Alissa Zolman of Columbus are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zolman.

Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zolman were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Rice and Edith Lafollette of Warsaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kepler of Plymouth.

Silver Lake Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shipley of Sechrist Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shipley.

Mrs. Dick Borman, Maude Matthews and Grace Bouse spent Sunday in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harshbarger, and Mrs. Susan Kreiger, Keenan and Jimmy spent the weekend in Lansing, Ill. with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harshbarger and family.

Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker and Ruth Tucker called on Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Lindsey, Earl Zile, and Fanchon Kline at Millers Merry Manor at Warsaw Sunday afternoon. They also called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Shoemaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herendeen and Christine and Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merl Fitton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Teeter spent Monday in Ft. Wayne.

Mrs. Merl Fitton, and Mrs. Tom Herendeen and Christine called on Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Himes, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Himes and son spent Saturday in Bronson, Mich. with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Himebaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Himes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Packard at Logansport.

Mrs. Gerald Parker and daughter called on Thelma Parker Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sanders and daughter of Munster called on Bertha Parker Monday.

Mrs. Bertha Parker entertained the United Methodist Women of Center Church Tuesday evening. Mrs. Dean Kline was hostess and Lucile Hobbs gave the lesson. Refreshments were served to Edith Carr, Alice

Shilling, Bea Grimme, Mary Hoffman, Marie Heckaman, Peggy Parker, Blanch Borman, Jean Grubbs, Deane Kline, Lucile Hobbs, and the Rev. Ray Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanders of Hammond and Solomon Frances were Saturday supper guests of Bertha Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wise and family have returned home from a vacation in Florida.

Mrs. Emma Rupe was a dinner guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Al Cron.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bechtelheimer, and Mrs. Jesse Lynch were dinner guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCloskey.

Mrs. Bob Alber of Wabash called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bechtelheimer Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bechtelheimer entertained to dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beckham and Pam Hall of LaPorte.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kerlin, Kris and Kelly, and Doris Lynch were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Lynch and family at Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Nelson called on Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson called on Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ulrey and family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson called on Willodean Arnold, Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker, and Mr. and Mrs. Merl Fitton Monday.

Roy Bechtelheimer was a recent caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shipley.

Olive Bethel News

Mrs. David Sheetz and children spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Ruth Bickle and children of Rochester.

Mrs. Ted Rose, No. Manchester, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz visited her brother, Joe Hott, at South Bend Memorial Hospital recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Butts and Jill, Barbee Lake, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kee-sey.

Brad and Angela Sheetz were Sunday dinner guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sheetz.

Mrs. Walter Safford, Mrs. Lee Marsh, Mrs. Irene Kuhn, Mrs. Alice Overlander and Mrs. Elmer Zimmerman, Rochester, spent Wednesday in Indianapolis visiting the State House, observing the legislature, then visited The Community Involvement Center, a Methodist halfway home in Indianapolis.

Akron Did You Know?

(Editors Note: Eva Eshelman, our Akron correspondent, has been admitted to Woodlawn Hospital in Rochester, therefore we did not receive local news for this week. Hope you are feeling better soon, Eva.)

Get your free kite

This Sunday, March 25, is "String Sunday" at the Akron Church of God. Every child attending Sunday School will receive a free ball of string, and if they return on April 1 they'll receive a free kite. Anyone needing a ride should call 893-4121 or 893-4040.

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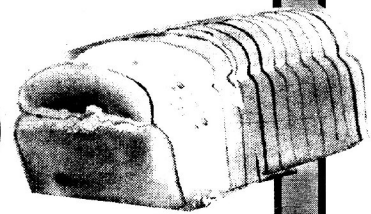
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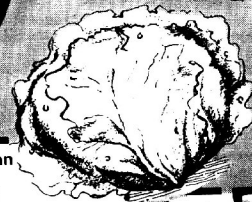
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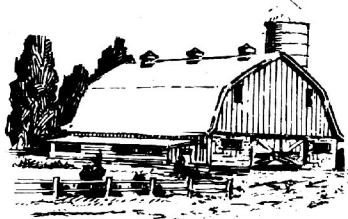
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Tippecanoe Valley High Stolen



THE former site of Tippecanoe Valley High School before it's theft Saturday.

by Bob Norlander

Latest in a rash of recent area thefts, was Saturday's heist of the Tippecanoe Valley High School from its location half-way between Akron and Mentone on State Road 19.

According to police, two men and one woman apparently picked up the 4 million pound structure early Saturday morning, and carted it away to an unknown location on the back of a pickup truck.

Deep tire tracks, and deep impressions of two pair of men's work shoes and one pair of high heels led police to their suspect conclusions.

One tennis shoe, two chewed pencils, and a history textbook were the only items left behind by the thieves.

As of press time, no suspects or motives are known, but a message written with a stick in the mud

saying "You may be sectional champs this year, but good luck next year, ha, ha" is being analyzed by Disko handwriting experts as a possible clue.



THE only items the TVHS thieves left behind were this book, pencils and a shoe.

Our Pet of the Week



"KILLER" needs a home. He is only 18 years old. He's half miniature Chihuahua and half Great Dane and all lovable. His owners want to give him up because he bites children and wets all over. "Killer" hates utility meter readers. Wouldn't you like to adopt him? Just call 555-1243 and ask for "Killer".

SPEAK OUT

"There should be a law against people owning curtains. When they close them at night, we can't look in their windows to see what's going on."

"Why doesn't the Mentone Town Board put larger streets in the town? My lawn is so big and hard to mow?"

"Why don't the Akron Town Board members remove the streets from the town? My lawn could be much larger."

Sevastapol man victim of elaborate kidnap scheme

A Sevastapol automobile salesman set a new single-day sales record last Friday, selling 142 new cars after receiving an anonymous phone call saying his wife and kids would be killed unless he sold 142 cars on Friday.

Jerome J. Bugbaum, salesman for Acme Auto in the mall area of downtown Sevastapol, discovered after his record-shattering effort, that the kidnapping threat was

only a "silly hoax" perpetrated by none other than Acme Auto owner "Big Al" Silex. Silex said "I knew Jerome could do it. We had a quota, and gave the boy good sales incentive."

Bugbaum told the NEWS on Monday that "Al is a great kiddier". Bugbaum is taking a weeks vacation this week, getting estimates on a 142 car garage for his home in Beaver Dam.

Couple buys Mentone Egg

A young, enterprising Mentone couple have purchased the "Mentone Egg" from the Chamber of Commerce and are in the process of remodeling it into a nine-room home.

Wilber T. Birdsong and his lovely wife Gloria, along with their five children, Happy, Sleepy, Bashful, Grumpy, and George, purchased the fabled egg last Thursday and moved in Friday.

"It's like a dream come true" said Gloria in an exclusive interview with the NEWS Monday.

"We've spent 20 years saving up the \$35.37 to buy our home. We already have the upstairs completed and now we're fixing up the kitchen".

Wilber is a shipping foreman for the Ferguson Ear Wax Company in Warsaw.



THE Birdsong's "Lovenest" is almost completely remodeled.

Happy Pre-April Fools Day

Board learns of option to forming local BZA

by Renee Norlander

In a special session of the Mentone Town Board last Tuesday evening, trustees Frank Hardesty and Wayne Tombaugh listened with interest as Dan Richards explained their option of forming their own Board of Zoning Appeals.

Richards, representative from the Kosciusko Area Plan Commission, was present at Tuesday's meeting to assure the Board that the Commission is interested in Mentone's progress, and is still interested in working with the town to insure proper planning.

It was apparent that Board president Hardesty's first impression was that Richards was present to persuade the Board not to withdraw from the Commission, and Hardesty pointed out that the Board had already elected to withdraw.

Richards stated that his purpose at this meeting was to explain the Boards option of remaining in the

Commission, but forming their own Board of Zoning Appeals, which could over rule county decisions.

He explained that it was the towns right to have their own Board of Zoning Appeals, as members of the Commission, because there had been a town Board of Zoning Appeals before Mentone joined the Commission. Richards stated that he regretted not making this clear to the trustees before they elected to withdraw.

Hardesty emphasized that the Board had made their unanimous decision, not because of displeasure with the Commissions work, but because the trustees feel local control would be more effective in Mentone.

It was apparent that Hardesty and Tombaugh were interested in Richard's suggestion that Mentone remain in the Commission, and form their own Board of Zoning Appeals for local hearings. How-

ever, with trustee Gerald Romine absent from the meeting, no reverse decision to remain was made.

There was considerable discussion of complaints received by the Board from Mentone residents regarding the Commissions work. Wilbur Latimer, member of the Commission Board, and Commission representative Cinda Overmyer were present at the meeting

along with Richards, and presented their sides on these issues.

Hardesty stressed again after all of the discussion that it was the Boards decision to withdraw because they want local control in Mentone, not because of displeasure with the Commission.

In other Board action, Bruce Barker of Mentone, was hired as an in-

dependent contractor to be caretaker of the Mentone Cemetery, park, and other grounds. He will receive a salary of \$2100 for the work to be done from April through September.

The next regular session of the Board is scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Hall on Monday, April 2.

TVHS yearbook to go on sale today

by Linda Mason

The 1979 Saga will go on sale again at Tippecanoe Valley High School, Wednesday, March 28, during the noon hours. The theme of the new yearbook is "Caught by Time".

Over 300 yearbooks were sold in an earlier sales subscription campaign, but the staff hopes to tally 500 subscriptions by next Wednesday, April 4, when the campaign ends.

Valley's yearbook will cost students and community members \$10 a copy. Due to increased ad-

vertising sales, the size of the yearbook has shifted from 192 pages to 224 pages.

The 23-member yearbook staff has completed two of their five deadlines with 97 pages having been shipped. They face their third deadline this Monday when they are scheduled to send another 50 pages to the Herff Jones plant in Montgomery, Alabama.

All parents are encouraged to check with their children to be sure they have subscribed for their very own copy of the 1979 Saga.

Band students named

The 78-79 edition of Who's Who in Music will carry the names of three students from Tippecanoe Valley High School who have been selected as being among the country's most outstanding high school music students.

Mark Kevin Campbell, Band Director, head of the school's nominating committee and the editors of the annual directory have included the names of these students based on their music ability, academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and future potential.

Students named this year from Tippecanoe Valley High School are: Chris Bazini, Mentone; Barb Dunnuck, Etna Green; Jennifer Pyle, Mentone; Janet Bowen, Akron; and Tim Stokes, Warsaw.

Plan for revival services

Revival services will be conducted at the Olive Branch Church of God beginning March 29 through April 1, with nightly services at 7:30. The evangelist will be the Rev. Bill Keefer.

Rev. Lowell Burrus, pastor of the church, welcomes everyone to attend. The church is located seven miles south of Akron on SR to Miami Co. road 1200 N, then two miles east.



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AKRON FIREFIGHTERS WERE called to the Jack Pugh residence last Friday afternoon, after a fire broke out in the chimney area of the house. The home, located 4 miles south of Akron on State Road 19, suffered only minor damage.

AKRON PONY LEAGUE

Sign up on Sunday, April 1

Sign up at the Little League Diamond. To be eligible, you must be at least 13 years old by August 1st, and you cannot be 16 years old before August 1st. \$2.00 fee. Please bring your birth certificate. If you are interested but cannot attend this meeting, please have someone bring your birth certificate for you.



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Mentone Police Report

Two Akron men were jailed on Friday, March 23, on indictments handed down by a Kosciusko County grand jury on Thursday, March 22.

Jerry Lee Honeycutt, 28, of R. 1, Akron, and Jerry Lee Miller, 25, of Akron, were booked at the county jail on charges of causing a death by operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated (Class D felony). Both men posted bond of \$2000 each, and were released on Friday night.

They are charged in connection with a fatal accident that claimed the life of I. (Irvin) Joe Leckrone, 65, of R. 1, Silver Lake, that occurred on December 22, 1978, on State Road 25 just west of Mentone.

Mentone Marshal Earl Beattie has been working in conjunction with county police on the investigation of this accident.

Damage to Wessel's auto was set at \$840, and the ruined mailbox belonged to Gary Lafferty. Ten feet of fence owned by Carl Whetstone was also damaged.

The accident occurred on State Road 19, one half mile north of County Rd. 500 South, on Saturday, March 17, at 11:30 p.m.

An auto belonging to Roger and Linda Montel, of Mentone, received \$165 in damages on Thursday, March 22, when an unknown driver hit the parked vehicle and fled the scene. The accident occurred on W. Main Street, fifty feet west of S. Walnut.

Two children were injured in an accident on Sunday, March 25, at 2:25 p.m., when the auto in which they were riding was hit by a following car. Amy Zolman, age 10, and Alisa Zolman, age 8, received cuts and bumps on their heads, when their auto, driven by their mother, Connie J. Zolman, age 30, of R. 1, Columbus, Indiana, was hit by an auto driven by Larry

D. Wright, age 21, of R. 5, Rochester, and was forced off the road. Both were headed west on State Road 25 when the accident occurred in Marshall County at Fulton County Road 800 East.

Estimated damage to the Wright auto was set at \$250, and to the Zolman auto was \$1500. Marshal Beattie investigated.

Donnie Ray Adams, R. 1, Claypool, was arrested by Marshal Beattie on Monday, March 12, at 1:45 p.m. on a warrant for failure to appear.

Complete training

Marshal Earl Beattie recently completed a three day seminar at the South Bend Police Academy on "Police Supervisors Management" training, March 6, 7 and 8; and Marshal Beattie and Deputy Marshal John Hart also attended a seminar on March 13 at Plymouth on "Response to armed hostage situations" sponsored by the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy.

Youth group ready for "High & Dry" production

by Linda Mason

With lines down "pat" and characterization in mind, the Akron Church of God youth group is ready to present the musical comedy about Noah, "High & Dry", Sunday, April 1, at 7:00 p.m. in the church sanctuary.

Associate Pastor Greg Kendall co-directed the play with Linda Mason. Rev. Kendall feels the young people have done an excellent job in preparing for the musical production, and he is quite anxious for the group to perform. The theme of the play deals with the predicament that Noah and the animals found themselves in when God decided to destroy the world by flood.

Featuring all local talent, cast members include: Larry Barr, Noah; Miles Thompson, Elephant; Tina Sander, Squirrel; Melinda Claxton, Camel; Melissa Summe, Duck; Mark Shriver, Donkey; Ste-

phanie Stewart, Dove; Carol Hopkins, Giraffe; John Stewart, Turkey; and Tim Fleck, Lion.

Other youths in the musical are: Randy Mitterling, Kim Norman, Rich Mitterling, and Lori Tilden. Miss Becky Kufeldt, Anderson College sophomore, will accompany the musical cast on the piano. Musical numbers in the play include, "High & Dry", "Have Faith Noah", "Dove", "Land", and "Rainbow Promises". Larry Barr is featured on "High & Dry" and "Land", while Mark Shriver sings "Honkey Oakey Donkey".

The entire community is welcome to attend the admission-free production. A pie and coffee hour is being sponsored by the church youth in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the play.

On Thursday, March 25, at 8:30 a.m. on State Road 19, one half mile south of County Road 800 South, Marshal Beattie investigated a two car mishap involving autos driven by Kathryn Luckenbill, age 16, of R. 2, Akron, and Wm. Smith Jr., age 32, of Akron.

Both were headed north on St. Rd. 19, when Smith stopped for oncoming traffic before turning into the TVHS parking lot. Luckenbill, who was following Smith, was unable to stop on the icy road and hit a trailer Smith was pulling.

No one was injured in the accident and the Smith auto, owned by Fred Walgamuth, of Akron, was not damaged. Luckenbill's auto, owned by Jeffrey Prater, of R. 1, Akron, was set at \$250. No arrest was made.

Robert L. Wessel, age 20, of 721 W. Jackson St., Plymouth, was cited for public intoxication by Deputy Marshal John Hart after the auto Wessel was driving went off the roadway, on State Road 19, and hit a mailbox, and then went back across State Road 19 and ran through a fence.

Service Notes

Navy Machinist's Mate Third Class Thomas G. Harman, son of Norman G. and Marge J. Harman, R. 2, Claypool, has completed the Basic Machinist's Mate Course.

During the course at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, students received instruction on the use of hand tools and machine shop equipment. In addition, they studied the basic operation, maintenance and repair of ships' propulsion equipment, evaporators and generators. The students were also introduced to the types of duty watches that machinist's mates stand aboard ships.

Harman joined the Navy in September, 1978.

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Newsview

by Bob Norlander

If you're wondering about this weeks' front page, stop wondering. It is a true front page and do not think for a moment that it is phoney just because April Fools Day is Sunday. We express our hope that all citizens will pitch in and cooperate with area police to catch the High School thieves, welcome the new couple to the Mentone Egg, adopt the dog, and buy a new car from Mr. Bugbaum. If you have any complaints about the front page call Renee.

Fithian opposes draft

Saying "the Department of Defense doesn't want it," Congressman Floyd Fithian said in his weekly commentary, "Eye on Washington," he opposes the reinstatement of the draft at this time.

Officials at the Department of Defense are generally satisfied with both the quantity and quality of their manpower, the Indiana lawmaker said.

Fithian, who is sponsoring a bill to balance the federal budget, said also that the introduction of universal conscription would be a very expensive venture.

"At a time such as now, when the major legislative efforts are being geared toward attempts to cut federal spending, massive appropriations for such a questionable pro-

gram are unjustified," he said.

Fithian said he also was concerned about the "social turmoil which would be created" by the reinstatement of the draft. "I find it hard to believe that the recruitment of millions of unwilling men and women would enhance our nation's peace-time condition," he said. "History shows that every time America's freedom is menaced, tens of millions of citizens have voluntarily rallied to its defense."

Fithian added, "If future conditions change and our national security began to be jeopardized by insufficient strength in our armed forces, I'm sure action could be taken, either by reinstating the draft or by other means, to assure adequate strength."

SOUND OFF

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The views expressed in SOUND OFF do not necessarily reflect the opinion of the NEWS.

"I see where the school administrators have been given a nice, substantial 'cost of living' raise. It would be nice now if they would spend some of that money within the corporation to help support the stores and businesses who are helping to support them!"

"What has happened to the town of Akron's Pride? For years and years back, Akron has always been noted for its cleanliness and neatness. Today we have a junk yard within three blocks of the center of town. Not only do the people who live within a block or two, have to face this everyday, but also the Senior Citizens who come to the Site each day. And what about the valuation of other people's property. I'm sure if any of the town board members lived within a block or so, there would of been something done about it long ago. So come on town board, let's get our town back on the Pride list."

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4

Mentone Mothers of World War II Inc. will meet with Mrs. Pearl Horn at 1 p.m.

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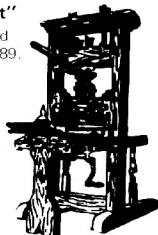
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Diabetes Assoc. seminar successful

A large crowd attended the Fulton County Diabetes Association meeting, Thursday, March 15, at the Woodlawn Hospital cafeteria, with Drs. Geo. Bowman and Dominic Detommosa, podiatrists of Ft. Wayne, speaking on the care of the feet.

Before the doctors spoke Mrs. Carol Keirn, president, reviewed several important events coming up in the state affiliate and local chapter. The affiliate will be having an "Evening at Starlight Theatre" with all proceeds going to further diabetic research.

The local chapter is busy making plans for the square dance to be at the 4-H Fairgrounds April 22.

Miss Jill Jones, Northeast Regional Director from Ft. Wayne, introduced Mrs. Bowman and Detommosa who gave informative information on the care of the feet for everyone. At the end of their talks they held a question and answer period.

There will be a board meeting in the conference room of the hospital April 5, at 2:30 p.m.

Trustee has new hours

Henry Township Trustee, Clair Ellis, announced that his new office hours, starting April 2, will be from 9 a.m. - noon each morning and will be open other times by appointment. You may contact him at 893-4133.

Letters to the editor

Work is fine

TO THE EDITOR:

Never do I say any group is plotted against, for they can be heard if they want to. One young person said, "I don't have a job, for my folks did not send me to school". Why didn't the youth go on his own?

I could not say the senior citizens are discriminated against in trying to get a job. All they need to do is to show the world they want to work. When they retire, instead of accepting a rocking chair along with the telephone numbers of morticians so their family can call when they die, they can go to the State Employment Agency.

They could start little businesses that will grow into big business, for they could do the work for less and make more money. With their skill of management and cooking, they could have people lined up and down the street waiting to get in. They could open little offices for consultation and advice to businessmen, or provide a place where people could come just to talk. About four people could start a Domino Parlor. Volunteer work is all right, but to have a job that pays is better.

They could organize a sales force, an egg shop, coffee breeze, income tax office, employment agency, a hole in the wall pizza place, corn bread and bean place, chili restaurant, or a window-washing service. No one is every old enough to stop working. As long as one makes \$5 a week they are employed. It's fun to work!

Garret H. Phillips

This Was News

60 YEARS AGO

What shall Akron's new moving picture theater be named? In order to secure a proper name for the new theater which Karl Gast will shortly install in the building now occupied by the Winona interurban station, Mr. Gast will give a season ticket to the person who suggests the best title on or before May 1st. This ticket will be good for any and all entertainments given at the theater until Jan. 1, 1920. Mr. Gast closed the deal to buy of the Gardner heirs the building now occupied by the Winona station. He intends to install a modern theater in every way, including elevated seats, to accommodate 300 people, gold fiber screen, two machines in a fire proof booth and an up-to-date box office.

Jay Emahiser Friday sold his property on No. Mishawaka St. to Harry Showalter, who recently started a garage in Akron. Mr. and Mrs. Emahiser will move into the house occupied by D. Slaybaugh. The sale price of the home was \$2800.

Marriage License: Alfred R. Ferree, 23; Goldie Smoker, 20. The officers of the Exchange and the State banks of Akron agreed Monday to remain open an hour longer during the day. They will open as usual at eight and remain open until five in the afternoon.

Jay Emahiser moved into the property on Main St. which he purchased of Daniel Slaybaugh. Mr. Slaybaugh has purchased a farm east of Akron.

Chet Long and Ted Jontz will leave Sunday for Alberta, Canada, where they expect to work during the coming summer.

39 YEARS AGO

Donald Utter is home from Purdue University and is spending spring vacation with his wife and parents.

Jack Morris has purchased a new Buick.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowen and daughter, Bernice, spent Easter Sunday in Michigan City with their daughter, Pauline, and family.

The Mothers Club annual guest day will be in form of a Golden Jubilee Silver Tea Friday afternoon. Mrs. Geo. Baum's home will be the scene of the affair. Other hostesses are Mrs. Leo Deilman, Mrs. W. D. Stout, Mrs. Ida Thompson, Mrs. Elma Haldeman, and Mrs. F. D. Higgins. Geraldine Imhoff is the soloists for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shoemaker and son Billy, of Wabash, and Mr. and Mrs. Del Clark of Akron spent Easter Sunday in Mishawaka with Mr. and Mrs. Hager Miller and family.

25 YEARS AGO

Lloyd Saner has sold his jewelry stock and watch repair business to Wayne Groninger, who will assume management of the store Monday. Wayne is an experienced watch maker, and has been conducting his work at the Dutch Mill at Disko. Lloyd will begin work Monday as a watch maker for the Snyder Jewelry Store at Rochester.

Roberta Weirick, freshman at Gilead High School, represented Miami Co. at a 4-H dinner in Marion recently. She had the highest achievement record in the county in 4-H work. She was accompanied to the dinner by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Weirick. Roberta is a member of the Akron Rainbow Assembly.

10 YEARS AGO

Marvin Gagnon, player-agent of the Akron Little League, announced this week that Akron had been successful in entering the Land of Lakes Youth Traveling League that includes Leesburg, Sidney, No. Webster, Piercelton, Mentone and Akron.

Mrs. C. W. Yeaman spent Sunday in So. Whitley calling on shut-in friends.

Happiness Is: That groovy orange and white sports car of Larry Swihart's parked in the school parking lot.

Public Notice

NOTICE TO HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS: Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the construction of certain highway improvements as described below, will be received by the Indiana State Highway Commission, Room 1313, at the Indiana State Office Building, Indianapolis, Indiana, until 10:00 A.M. Eastern Standard Time on the 10th of April, 1979, and all proposals will immediately thereafter be taken to the 11th Floor Conference Room, Room 1101, Indiana State Office Building, Indianapolis, where they will be publicly opened and read.

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

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

MAINTENANCE LETTING CONTRACT M-11941: Bids are invited on **ROADSIDE MOWING** in the LaPorte District on the following:

STARKE & MARSHALL COUNTIES - on US 30, from LaPorte-Starko Co. Line to Marshall-Kosciusko Co. Line.

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

LAPOORTE & ST. JOSEPH COUNTIES - on SR 2, from LaPorte City Limits to So. Bend City Limits.

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

ST. JOSEPH COUNTY - on US 20 By-Pass, from US 20 to US 31.

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

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

INDIANA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the provisions of Title 12 - Banks and Banking, Chapter 11 - Federal Reserve System, Subchapter A - Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Part 262 - Rules of Procedure, Akron Financial, Inc., a Corporation organized under the laws of Indiana, and having its principal place of business at Akron, Indiana, hereby applies to the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, pursuant to section 3 (a) (1) of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended, for prior approval by the Board of Action proposed to be taken by Akron Financial, Inc. which would result in its becoming a Bank Holding Company with respect to Akron Exchange State Bank, Akron, Indiana. The public is invited to give written comment upon the application to Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690.

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LEGAL NOTICES

CLAIMS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

APRIL 2, 1979

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S. Zartman, Sm.Cl.Ct.	291.66
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J. Garber, same	96.00
J. Wagoner, same	96.00
T. Pfeiffer, same	168.00
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R. Rouse Jr., Capt.	447.91
E. Vance, Sgt.	437.50
B. Baker, Deet.	437.50
W. Hunneshagen, Radio-operator	279.16
B. Baker, Overtime	110.40
R. Rouse Jr., same	26.40
E. Vance, same	26.40
J. McAllister, Merit Bd.	25.00
R. Fisher, same	25.00
K. Thomas, same	25.00
A. Jennings, same	25.00
E. Newgent, Jail-Matron	416.66
R. Daake, Surveyor	479.16
S. Daake, 1st Deputy	279.16
A. Craig, Full Time	370.83
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H. Brown, Co. Assr.	270.83
M. Shireman, Home Agent	170.83
P. Ashley, Youth Agent	225.00
A. Sheetz, Clerical	283.33
S. Tobey, same	216.66
E. Russell, Co. Assessor	412.50
T. Frentinger, 1st Deputy	291.66
T. Newman, Rock.Twp. Asessor	304.16
C. Westwood, Deputy	266.66
G. Personett, Probation Off.	414.29
Cl. Ct.	270.83
L. Walters, Bailiff	350.00
W. Pandiclio, Ct. Reporter	114.58
J. Delworth Jr., Co. Ct.-Judge	361.66
B. Smith, Ct. Reporter	125.00
T. Little, Bailiff	227.78
R. Holland, Ct. House-Custodian	441.06
M. Holland, Ct. House-Matron	147.91
R. Stoyne, Sr. Ofc.	137.91
J. Good, Coroner	83.33
D. St. Clair, Wts. & Meas. Inspector	234.58
C. Townsend, Landfill-Operator	445.83
V. See, same	100.00
L. VanSteenberg, Civil Def.-Ofc.	208.33
B. Shambarger, Prosc. Atty.-Sect.	106.65
M. Cheesman, same	31.60
M. Cheesman, Title IV-D	73.08
A. Burke, same	20.00
F. Brown, Drain.Bd.-member	140.00
R. Rentschler, same	140.00
G. Craig, same	140.00
E. Braman, Drain Bd.-Sect.	168.00
W. Deniston, Drain Bd.-Atty.	133.33
R. Rentschler, Co. Comm.	179.16
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G. Krom III, Co. Council	300.00
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L. Dawson, same-Newcastle	103.12
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R. Baldwin, same-Union	187.50
J. Herrold, same-Wayne	112.50
L. Grabbis, Assessing-Roch.	294.00
D. Johnston, CETA-Title II-Hwy.	160.00
L. Eytcheson, same	288.00
K. Rans, CETA-Title II-Sheriff	350.00
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M. Clark, same	352.00
R. Peterson, CETA-Title VI-Sheriff	416.66
J. Cunningham, same	391.66
B. Mesecar, same	287.50
N. Ogden, same	266.66
R. Peterson, same(overtime)	16.50
M. Leap, CETA-Title VI-Landfill	362.50
J. Sampsel, Crime Cont.-Prob. Ofc.	223.75
E. Kelley, Cum Bridge	902.10
Roch. Postmaster, Clerk-post.	400.00
K. Spica, same	200.00
IBM, Clerk-repair	56.05
Barton's Inc., Clerk-Ofc.Sup.	21.68

Book Store, same	10.27
A.E.Boyce Co. Inc., same	300.85
Cannon IV, same	17.87
The Observer, same	124.30
Xerox Corp., Clerk-Xeroxrent	350.48
United Parcel Ser., same	100.00
IBM, Auditor-Repair Equip.	123.55
Barton's Inc., Auditor-Ofc.Sup.	5.20
A.E.Boyce Co. Inc., same	217.15
Fansler Lbr. Co., same	33.10
Hardesty Print., same	1.96
A.E.Boyce Co. Inc., Treas.-Ofc. Sup.	69.00
Galco Courier Ser. Inc., Recorder	10.50
Comm. Tile Co., same	62.00
R. Rouse Jr., Sheriff-Per Diem	62.00
E. Vance, same	62.00
Roch. Postmaster, Sheriff-Post.	15.00
Emergency Radio Ser., Sheriff-Tele.	126.75
Roch. Telephone Co., same	17.00
Pub. Ser. of Ind. Sheriff-Fullt.	102.32
Bob's Super Shell, Sheriff-Garg. & Mot.	100.70
Chrysler, Plymouth-Mazda, same	54.15
Gilliland Auto Mch., same	6.83
Hammel Chrysler, same	336.12
Low Oil Co., same	959.40
Louderback's, same	40.00
Miller's Standard, same	29.14
Monte Carlo, same	24.95
Robo Car Wash, same	15.00
Roch. License Br., same	5.00
E. Vance, same	10.00
Walter's Mobil Ser., same	25.25
R & R Uniforms, Sher.-uni.	78.69
Baxter Drugs Inc., Sher.-Ofc.Sup.	59.98
Book Store, same	8.95
Hardesty Print., same	36.95
Hook Drugs Inc., same	13.14
Radioback, same	24.95
R & R Photography, same	8.00
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G. Clark, same	25.50
Lincoln Graphics, Surveyor-Ofc. Sup. & Prop.	138.50
R. Daake, Surveyor-Dues	10.00
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Dukes Mem. Hosp., Coroner-X-ray	48.00
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Appraisers Inc., Roch.Twp. Assr.-Ex. Help	350.00
The Observer, Roch.Twp. Assr. Comm. & Sup.	183.45
A. Burke, Prosc. Atty.-Tele., Roch. Postmaster	213.31
A. Burke, Title IV-D	92.23
Mid-West Print., Title IV-D	92.23
A. Jennings, Ct. Ct.-Jury Comm.	12.00
Criminal Justice Fund., Cir.Ct. Dep. Prob. Ofc.	435.17
A. Clarke, Ct. Ct.-Sp.Judge	68.00
B. Embrey, same	31.90
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T. Huff, same	93.00
M. McLaughlin, same	37.00
M. Smith, same	25.00
H. Staffeldt, same	31.00
W. Vandergriff, same	35.50
D. Morton, Ct. Ct.-Ch. of Venue	8.00
W. Pandiclio, same	5.00
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J. Price, Ct. Ct.-Pauper Atty.	30.00
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PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Board of School Trustees of the Rochester Community School Corporation, Fulton County, Indiana will receive sealed bids up to 7:00 P.M. (E.S.T.) April 9, 1979 in their offices at West 18th Street, Rochester, Indiana for the following:
A temporary loan up to but not to exceed \$400,000.00 for no more than three hundred (300) days to the Corporation in anticipation of revenues to be received in the General Fund from the State and Local Tax Distribution in 1979 to be paid back on a short term basis.
Said funds are to be repaid from taxes to be received during 1979 and are for appropriations made and approved by all departments of government for Rochester Community School Corporation for expenditure during the year 1979.
Specifications, instructions to bidders and bid forms are on file in the office of the Board of School Trustees.
The Board of School Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Board of School Trustees
Rochester Community School Corp.
Larry W. Pampel, Secretary
3/22/2c/2p

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS
INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF ZELLA LEE DODGE DECEASED
In the Kosciusko Circuit Court of Kosciusko County, Indiana, 1979 Term in the Matter of the Estate of Zella Lee Dodge, deceased, Estate Docket 35, Page 245, Estate E-78-23.
Notice is hereby given that Melinda Jane Cohee as Executrix of the above named estate, has presented and filed account in final settlement of said estate and petition for distribution and that said account and petition will come up for the examination and action of said Circuit Court on the 12th day of April, 1979, on said date all persons interested in said decedent and all others interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause, if there be any

Dramatization of "Last Supper" to be presented at TVHS



The living dramatization of Leonardo da Vinci's painting, *The Last Supper*, will be presented by the men's drama group of the Simpson United Methodist Church of Ft. Wayne at TVHS on April 1, beginning at 7 p.m.

The production, described as "an hour of drama, music, and worship," is from a script written in 1954 by the Rev. Ernest K. Emurian, a Methodist minister of Arlington, VA. He wrote soliloquies for the twelve Apostles as they might have expressed themselves immediately after hearing Jesus say that one of them will betray him — the scene da Vinci captured in his painting.

Since 1954 the drama has been presented by many different troupes — professional, semi-professional, and amateur. It is believed that the drama group of Simpson United Methodist Church is the first to present it in this area as a Lenten program open to the public. Dressed in robes and beards, the men portray Jesus and the twelve apostles of the painting. They ap-

pear as wax statues until their turn to speak. "Jesus" is the only one of the group who remains silent and motionless throughout the presentation.

Everyone connected with the production is a volunteer, and any money received is donated to projects at Simpson United Methodist Church. There is no admission charge.

Missionary pastors to speak at Omega Church

Come to the Omega Church Tuesday, March 27 through Friday, March 30 to hear the Rural Home Missionary Association Missionary pastors from the Indiana, Michigan area speak.

From No. Webster comes the Rev. Larry Zimmerman, from Shaftsburg, Mich. comes David Pepperel, and from Thompsonville, Mich. comes Ben Pike.

There will be special music on some nights and some of the speakers will be showing slides. Everyone is invited to come out each evening at 7:30 and will be finished no later than 9 p.m.

For more information contact the Rev. Lee Stubblefield, Missionary-Pastor of the Omega Church (County Road 925 West of Akron) at his home phone, 893-4297.

TVHS Pool Schedule

Thurs., Mar. 29	7-9	Open
Sat., Mar. 31	2-4	Open
Sun., Apr. 1	2-4	Open
Thurs., Apr. 5	7-9	Open

Rev. Harold Miller to be installed as new pastor

An installation service will be at the Akron Church of the Brethren, April 1, at the 10:30 worship service. The Rev. Carroll Petry, Executive Secretary of the South Central District will conduct the service, installing the Rev. Harold W. Miller, as the new pastor at Akron.

The Rev. Miller was born at Nappanee, and graduated from the Nappanee High School. He attended Manchester College, also Central Missouri State College, receiving an A.B., Bethany Seminary, Chicago, receiving a Masters of Divinity, and Ball State of Muncie, a M.Ed.

He was baptized at the Union Center Church in the Northern Indiana District in 1926. He was lic-

ensed in 1932, and ordained in 1934 at the same church. He was ordained as elder at the Leeton Church, at Leeton, Mo. in 1938. He has served as pastor in Missouri, Indiana, Ohio and Illinois, as well as teaching in public school and serving in various offices for the Church of the Brethren.

He is married to the former Louise Reed. Mrs. Miller has been a teacher in public schools and active in work with children and women in the church. They are the parents of a daughter, Angilee Berry and a son, Kenneth. The Millers reside at 1001 East St., No. Manchester.

The public is invited to the installation service, as well as the noon meal following the service.

Prayer breakfast planned for Silver Creek

This week the prayer breakfast will be held at the Silver Creek Church of God. It is a group open to any men who would like to share in a fellowship of this kind.

Breakfast arrangements are up to the host church.

There has been a change in time from 7:30 to 7 a.m., or one-half hour earlier.

Plan for Good Friday

Good Friday services will be held at the West El River Church on April 13 at 8 p.m. The Center U. M. Church, Faith United Metho-

dist Church, The Weslyn Methodist Church and West El River are holding a union meeting. The public is invited.

Participate in statewide campaign

Beginning April 2, the Rev. Philip A. Willard, will be bringing a week of meetings to the First Baptist Church of Akron as that church participates in a statewide campaign of simultaneous crusades. At the same time Southern Baptist Churches all across the state will also be holding crusade meetings.

The Rev. Willard was born in Japan and was raised in southern California. He moved to Indiana in 1974 and is attending Ft. Wayne Bible College. His wife and baby son will accompany him during the crusade.

The crusade will be nightly at 7:30 from April 2 - 8. Any additional information may be obtained by calling the church pastor, the Rev. Leroy Combs, at 893-4687.

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Mentone to host town meeting

Citizens of Mentone will gather to hold a "town meeting" on November 8 at the Town Hall from 7:10 p.m. The town meeting is intended to be a public hearing to discuss the town's future and to hear from local residents.

The participants will take a look at the challenges facing Mentone, and will then try to work out practical proposals for local solutions.

The town meeting is being sponsored by the Mentone Chamber of Commerce, with the cooperation of the Town Board. According to chamber spokesman, Paul Hest, the meeting will be open to any concerned citizen who wishes to attend.

"Town Meeting Indiana" is a product of the 1976 Bicentennial according to John Burgi, director of the Institute of Cultural Affairs office in Indianapolis. ICA is a private, non-profit organization with national headquarters in Washington, D.C.

The purpose of "Town Meeting Indiana" is to bring people together to discuss their community and its needs. It is hoped that this meeting will get the people of Mentone together to work out problems concerning them.

ICA will prepare a document after the meeting summarizing the ideas, goals, and solutions, and will then distribute them to the participants.

More than 4,000 Hoosiers have already attended "Town Meeting" Governor Evans, U.S. Senators, Congressmen, corporate leaders, and thousands of citizens have all expressed support for these town meetings.

More information on the Mentone Town meeting may be obtained by calling Paul Hest at 335-7791. Refreshments will be served.

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Akron Fall Festival is big success



HUNDREDS of kids of all ages gathered in the Akron gym Wednesday to take part in the school's first Annual Fall Festival.

Sound Off!

"When the town ordered words cut in success lots why just create lots more to be cut and others let words stand. If you order all success lots cleared why not all."

"Every woman is crying a vote in favor of losing his freedom from any woman, physically able, mentally sound, and morally strong, does prefer to be a good American if he does not bother to vote. It's preposterous! So please vote Tuesday, November 7."

"If people can go to the trouble of putting up signs for garage sale, why can't they take the time to take them down afterwards to save the city's parking space at Valley, you can't take them down. It's very difficult finding a parking space at Valley, you can't take them down. Are they going to re-pave the street?"

TVHS sports banquet set

The Tippecanoe Valley High School athletic banquet will be held Thursday, Nov. 2, 1978, in the high school commons.

A carry in supper will begin at 6:30 p.m. with meat and details.

The banquet program, for the following sports, will begin at 7:30 p.m. basketball, cross country, and volleyball.

Following the sports program a community supper for the players and coaches will be held in the gym.

Christmas gifts, household items, and other items will be on sale. There are some attractive prizes available, and during the day's event. Those who wish to donate items should call the school office.

Christmas for the event are: Becky Shaffer, Carol Boyer, Becky Shaffer, Cheryl Law, and Rosemary Butler.

The banquet, starting at 6 p.m., will feature food, fun, games, and a supper. Baked goods, plants, handicrafts and Christmas gifts will be on sale.

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Family Life

By Renee Norlander

I watched part of "Donahue" this morning, and listened as women discussed being "Super Moms". It seems that before we have our first child, especially when we're pregnant, we have it all planned.

"Our" children aren't going to be bratty like those kids down the street; they aren't going to cry and fuss in public; and we'll never have to lose our tempers in front of others because Johnny won't mind. We'll be perfect mothers, therefore our kids will be perfect too.

The "Super Mom" doesn't get upset when her three year old spills the milk or dumps the dog food all over the floor she just vacuumed. Just because she's having a rotten day doesn't entitle her to expect daddy to give the kids their baths. And just because company is coming in half an hour doesn't entitle "Super Mom" to explode when the kids and the dog dump the waste basket (with ashes, soggy lettuce, and a not completely empty milk carton) all over the living room and kitchen.

Sure! We're all great moms. We love our kids every day, and take care of them when they're sick. We teach them to climb off the couch, instead of falling head first. We feed, bathe, and clothe them regularly. And we cuddle at bedtime, and read that book for the millionth time.

But "Super Moms"!!?

I'm not sure I know one. Of course when they bring that "bundle of joy" to you, you can't imagine that you'll ever get angry or upset or impatient with this child.

But as we all learn, sooner or later, we do. The myth of a "Super Mom" is just that - a myth.

Unless you consider a "Super Mom" a mother who loves and cares for her child everyday, no matter what. And I guess that's probably what most of us do every day!

Just being a "good" mother takes a super woman. And I think we all deserve a pat on the back for that!

WCTU studies law making

The Akron W.C.T.U. met in the library basement Wednesday evening, March 21, with the meeting being opened with group singing.

Ruth Bowen gave devotions and a special number was given by Angela Wood. Business was conducted by the president, Marie Bright.

Gloria Bowen gave an article on Chelsea, a soft drink which still contains alcohol.

A film was shown on the procedure of the State Legislature passing a bill.

The closing prayer was given by Gloria Bowen and refreshments were served by Goldie Ferree and Eva McHattion.

School menus TVHS

The lunch menu for TVHS for the week of April 2 - 6 is as follows:

MONDAY - Hamburger sandwich, french fries, mixed vegetables, cottage cheese, apple crisp, pineapple.

TUESDAY - Beef and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, perfection salad, peanut butter sandwich, peaches.

WEDNESDAY - Spaghetti and meat sauce, garlic toast, cheese slices, lettuce salad, applesauce.

THURSDAY - Creamed turkey on biscuit, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, cole slaw, peanut butter sandwich, mixed fruit.

FRIDAY - Fish with tartar sauce, hot roll with butter, buttered peas, macaroni salad, scotcheroo, pears.

Smokers to celebrate 45th with open house



The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Doin (Violet) Smoker, R. 1, Akron, are hosting an open house reception for relatives and friends in honor of their parents 45th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 8, from 2-4:30 at the Akron public library basement.

Mr. and Mrs. Smoker have a son, Charles E. Smoker, of Stroth, and a daughter, Merlee Heckathorn of Celina, Ohio. They also have eight grandchildren and one great grand-son.

The couple requests that gifts be omitted.

Representatives to speak on conservation

Conservation will be the topic April 5 when the Akron Women's Club hears a representative of the Tri-County Fish and Game Area.

Slides will be shown at the 1:30 p.m. meeting in the Akron Public Library. Anyone interested in the program is invited to attend. Dr. Charles Miller, a member of the Governor's Council on Water and Mineral Resources, will introduce the conservation officer.

Call to Indiana Federated Women's Club convention April 25 in Indianapolis will be given. Arrangement for the annual May luncheon will be completed during a business session following the program. Vignettes of clubmember's travels to foreign countries are being prepared for the May 3 program.

Conservation is an area of growing interest among clubwomen and program on recycling, wise shopping for groceries and clothing, and ecology have been scheduled by the Akron club.

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Keen - Agers honor volunteers in 100 Club

by Onda Good

The Keen-Agers of Akron are happy winter is over and spring is here at last. The faithfulness of the volunteers through the winter has been greatly appreciated by all. The volunteers with 100 or more hours, are given membership into the 100 Club. The Akron Lions Senior Citizen Site has seven in the 100 Club to date, namely, Nellie Norman, Elizabeth Sausaman, Eva McHattom, Florence Irey, Elizabeth Good, Flo McBroom, and Betty Gillespie. Congratulations!

Thursday, March 29 is game day. Come prepared to stay a while into the afternoon and play Bingo or other games. If you have a bingo prize handy bring it too. April 9th is the Blood Pressure Clinic from 11 to 12. Also, April 9 is Site Day.

How about a day of fun, games, and entertainment with other Senior Citizens of Area V? On Saturday, April 21, the Area V Get-together at the Miami YMCA will have a noon meal, photo contest, bingo, cards, other games, Square Dancing, Fellowship and even

Ladies of the Lake met recently

The Ladies of the Lake Home Economics Club met at the home of Louise Jontz for their March meeting. Myrtle Lee, president, called the meeting to order before the group singing.

Pledges to the flags and the club creed were repeated. Roll call was answered by "a short cut to house cleaning". Lois Philbert and Louise Jontz gave devotions. Golda Shipley gave garden remarks, Doris Kendall gave the treasurers report, and Catherine Zile presented the lesson "Being Me".

Mrs. Jontz served refreshments to Mary Shoemaker, Doris Kendall, Janice Teeter, Lois Philbert, Golda Shipley, Myrtle Lee, Marie Kerlin, Betty Doub, Eleanor Rowland, and Catherine Zile.

Meals on Wheels

The Mentone Meals on Wheels drivers for the week of April 2-6 is as follows:

MONDAY: Jean Pritchard,
TUESDAY: Carol Hurst,
WEDNESDAY: Mary Manwaring,
THURSDAY: Jo Manwaring,
FRIDAY: Helen Good, and
SUB: Paul Haist, phone 353-7791.

some surprises in store for you. Get rid of the Blahs -- with fun other Senior Citizens of the Area! Ha! Reservations for lunch are due by April 4th.

Thursdays are Akron "Cooks Day". On Thursdays if you like to cook, you bring a favorite dish instead of a money donation. Thursday, March 29 will feature Fried Chicken, green lima beans, vegetable jello salad, corn bread and many more good things to eat! Come join in the fun. For reservations or information, call 893-7263 or 893-7204 near the noon hour.

Scheduled menus for April 2-6 are as follows:

MONDAY: Meat balls with gravy on rice, harvard beets, tossed salad, peaches, hot roll, milk, coffee.

TUESDAY: Swiss steak, whipped potatoes, spinach, choc. pudding, biscuit, milk, coffee.

WEDNESDAY: Fried chicken, AuGratin potatoes, mixed vegetables, apricots, hot dinner roll, milk, coffee.

THURSDAY: Akron Special Menu: Meat loaf, frozen peas, and other good things to eat!

FRIDAY: Baked Ham, green beans, sweet potatoes, fruited jello, brown bread, milk, coffee.

LTL studies tobacco and your health

The Akron L.T.L. met Friday night in the library basement with their leader Gloria Bowen. Velma Bright took pictures of the group to be sent to the state convention.

Rhonda Williams took charge of the meeting as president, with Lisa Kindig as secretary, Becky Arthur as song leader, and Liz Harter as flag bearer.

An Easter film was shown for devotions, and the lesson film was called "Tobacco and Health".

After the game session, refreshments were served to 20 members.

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Obituaries

James L. Henderson

James L. Henderson Sr., 58, former manager of the Sonoco Products Company plant in Akron, died unexpectedly of a heart attack late Tuesday, March 20, 1979, in Hartsville, S.C., where the company headquarters are located. Mr. Henderson was stricken during a business meeting.

Mr. Henderson lived at Lake Manitou and at Akron from 1963 to 1978 during part of his 41-year association with Sonoco Products.

Born in Darlington county, S.C., March 28, 1920, he joined Sonoco at Hartsville in 1938. In August of 1963 he became manager of the Akron plant and served in that capacity until 1968 when he became assistant midwest manager. In 1969 he became general manager of the Midwest region of the company.

Mr. Henderson moved to John's Island, S.C., near Hartsville, in early 1978 when he transferred to Sonoco's international division and became assistant to the president of Showa Products Company, Ltd., in Japan. He served in that capacity until late last year; since then, he has been on assignment in Venezuela.

Mr. Henderson was a member of the Rochester Elks lodge and the Fort Wayne Shrine.

Surviving are the wife, Ethel; three daughters, Mrs. Bill (Ginger) Miller, Rochester; Mrs. George (Patricia) Fuller, Augusta, Ga., and Mrs. Larry (La Vonne) Crabbs, Godfrey, Ill., and a son, James L. Jr., Bedford, Texas.

Services were conducted Thursday, March 22, at the First Presbyterian Church in Hartsville, S.C., and burial was in the Magnolia cemetery at Hartsville.

Ralph E. Floor

Ralph E. Floor, 89, R. 1, Silver Lake, died unexpectedly at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, March 22, 1979, at the home of a sister in Meadville, Pa., where he had gone to visit.

Born in Springfield, Ohio on Mar. 7, 1890, he was the son of Ezra and Maggie (Flickner) Floor. His marriage to Maris S. Ihnen occurred on July 2, 1913. She preceded him in death on Jan. 8, 1979. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Disko United Methodist Church.

Surviving are three sons, Earl, of Akron; Ralph Jr., Las Vegas, Nev., and Eugene, Stryker, Ohio; two daughters, Mrs. Herman (Grace) Haines, Noblesville, and Mrs. Geo. (Ruth) Rudo, Muncie; two brothers, Dale Floor, Silver Lake, and Leo Floor, Phoenix, Ariz.; five sisters, Ina Sippy, Meadville, Pa., Beulah Mabie, Kokomo, Ma McKibben, Warsaw, Edna Brandenburg, Silver Lake, and Ora Frantz, Silver Lake; 23 grandchildren, 33 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. Three sons and three brothers preceded him in death.

Services were Sunday, March 25, at 2 p.m. in the DeLaughter Mortuary, No. Manchester, with the Rev. Kenneth Hostetler officiating. Interment was in the Akron Cemetery.

A retired farmer he had lived in the Silver Lake area since 1951. He was a member of the Pentecostal Church.

Survivors, in addition to the widow, include five sons, Virgil Owens, Silver Lake; Curtis Owens, Lyn Owens, Orville Owens, Warsaw; John D. Owens, Mentone; and five daughters, Mrs. Leo (Madie) Campbell, Mt. Gilead, Ohio; Mrs. Harold (Faye) Francis, Mrs. Geo. (Eula) Manns, and Mrs. Geo. (Beulah) Yates, all of Claypool, and Mrs. Elois (Alice) Brown, Warsaw; three brothers, Amos and Jimmie and Lenzie, all of Silver Lake; Also surviving are 33 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. Two brothers and two sisters and one son preceded him in death.

Services were Monday, March 26, in the Silver Lake Pentecostal Church of God with the Rev. Aaron Stanley and the Rev. Albert Whitaker officiating. Burial was in the Graceland Cemetery, Claypool.

Mary Jane Borton

Word has been received of the death of a former Mentone resident, Mary Jane Borton, of Chantilly, Virginia. Miss Borton was born and raised in the Mentone area and was a graduate of Mentone High School. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ira Borton.

Arrangements are incomplete at this time.

Mae Miller

Mrs. Mae Miller, 68, Akron, died at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 26, 1979 in Woodlawn Hospital after suffering a heart attack.

Mrs. Miller was born May 13, 1910, in Hebron, England to Chas. E. and Dorothy Morris Fulton. She had lived in Akron 45 years. She was married in 1934 to Dr. V. C. Miller, who died in 1975. She was a registered nurse and worked in her husband's office. She was a member of the Akron Eastern Star, was a mother advisor of the Akron Rainbow for 16 years, past president of the Matrons and Patrons of the Akron OES and a member of the Akron United Methodist Church.

Surviving are a son, Dr. Charles Miller, Akron; a daughter, Mrs. Mitchell (Dorothy) Leavell, Jackson, Miss.; five grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Clair (Marjorie) Gardner, Muncie, and Mrs. Harry (Rachel) Garnier, Palm Harbor, Fla., and a brother, Robert Fulton, Orville, Cal. A sister and brother preceded in death.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, March 29, in the Haupt Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. Garth Irey officiating. Burial will be in the Akron Cemetery. Friends may call after 7 p.m. Wednesday.

Johnnie Owens

Johnnie Owens, 74, Silver Lake, died Friday, March 23, 1979, at 11:45 p.m. in Saint Joseph Hospital, Ft. Wayne.

He was born Jan. 11, 1905 in Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, to Robert and Julinae (Shepherd) Owens. On Oct. 4, 1925, he married Mary Adams in Prestonsburg, she survives.

"Pop Concert" at TVHS on April 4

Members of the Tippecanoe Valley High School Jazz Band, Swing Choir, and Girls Chorus will be presenting a "Pop Concert" in the

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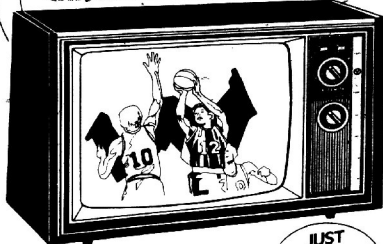
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It Happened in Mentone

Taken from the March 26, 1952 issue of the Northern Indiana Co-Op News:

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker and Mrs. Wayne Baker left for Ft. Jackson, Columbia, So. Carolina last Thursday to visit Pvt. E-2 Wayne Baker. Wayne was able to join them on Saturday, and on Sunday they drove on to Charleston. They saw beautiful country and acres and acres of flowers.

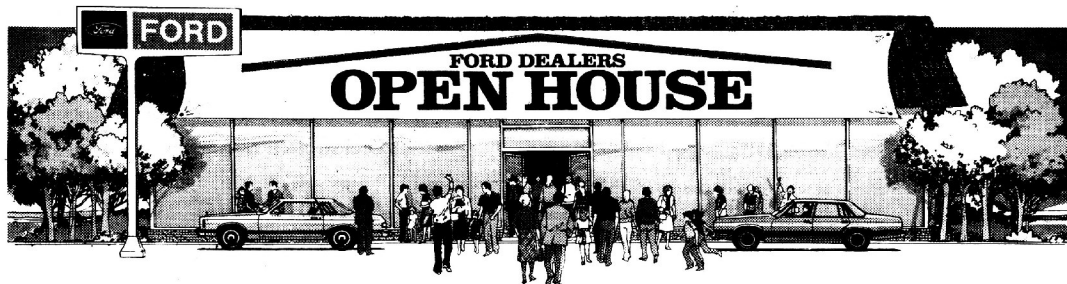
The Stitch and Stir 4-H Club met at the home of Janet Romine Monday evening. President Elaine Duncuck presided over the business meeting. Donna Lou Eaton led the pledge to the American flag and Janet Romine to the 4-H flag. June Romine acted as secretary in the absence of Beverly Tenkey.

Phil Parker and Roger Wright, of Akron, were business visitors here on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Teel have purchased the McIlhatton automatic laundry equipment and business in Akron and are now operating it. They play to continue in the same location until about April 1, at which time further plans will be announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wellman and daughter, So. Bend, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bowen.

On Sunday, March 23, thirty-seven relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Gross, of near Mentone, and pleasantly surprised them in honor of their fortieth wedding anniversary, which occurred on Thursday, March 20.

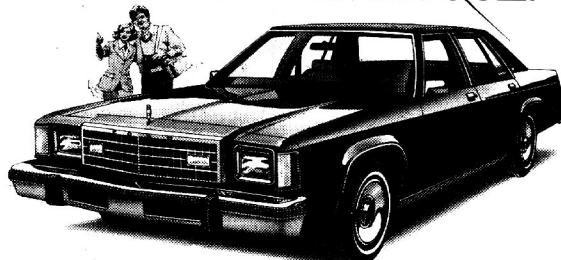


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Silver Lake Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Delaney and children, Brownsburg, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Putman.

Ruth Tucker entertained to a six o'clock dinner Thursday Mary Tucker and Lena Igo.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harshbarger of Goose Lake were dinner guests of Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson were dinner guests of Sylvia Lindzy at No. Manchester Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ulrey and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ulrey, Adam, Justin and Shawnee were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ulrey, No. Manchester.

Mrs. Ernest Munford, Claypool, and Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker called on Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Grace Bouse, Ruth Tucker and Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker called on Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kries at Claypool Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed Kerlin of Warsaw and Mrs. Cliff Zehr of Goshen called on Russel Kerlin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerlin entertained to dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Dick Reiff and Becky. They all called on Mrs. Ella Morris of Roann in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien have returned to their home at Hill Lake after spending the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Enyeart, Garry and Robin spent several days in Kentucky with Dr. and Mrs. Mike Jagger at the Red Bird Mission.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Harshbarger and Garry of Ft. Wayne spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harshbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shipley and Lisa of Elkhart called on Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shipley Sunday.

Mrs. Elva Kline is a patient at the Wabash County Hospital.

Tim Shoemaker of Warsaw called on Mrs. Elmer Shoemaker Monday.

Mrs. Richard Kerlin, Mrs. Rex Lynch, and Mrs. Jesse Lynch were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bechtelheimer Thursday.

Mentone Personal Items

Mrs. Gertrude Hill arrived home Saturday after spending the winter in Ohio with her daughter and family.

Mrs. Esther Wise and Sandy spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Floyd and sons at Lafayette.

Mrs. Ethel Whetstone spent from Tuesday till Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Edna Cowen, at Lapaz.

Alan Stockman of Missouri spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Terry Stockman, Susan and Laura.

Lee Ann Jones of Lafayette spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Grindle of Warsaw spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Whetstone.

Mrs. Marie (Marquiss) Sandman, Goshen, is staying with Mrs. Maude Romine.

Mrs. Howard Horn was a Tuesday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leedy of Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller called on Mr. and Mrs. George Parker and Violet Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Parker and Violet attended Lenten Services at Talma Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller of Akron had Sunday evening lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller called on Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bolinger of Atwood Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisher called on Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Warsaw Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisher called on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Buswell at Walkerton Monday afternoon.

Akron Did You Know?

Esther Fenstermaker has returned from a visit with her daughter, Marilyn King and grandchildren, Jonathan King and Mary Anna King of Albuquerque, N.M.

While there she attended the wedding of another granddaughter, Jill Hapner, to Russell Hewitt, of Albuquerque, N.M., on Saturday evening, March 17.

Jill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hapner of Coldwater, Michigan.

Other visitors of Mrs. King were Mr. and Mrs. Don Fenstermaker of Pasadena, California, who also attended the wedding.

THE HOME TOWN PAGE

Summit Area Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Klein and daughter were supper guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Arthur and daughters.

Recent callers on Emma Kroft at the home of Joe Kroft were Ruth Bammerlin, Fred Dickerhoff, Trella Bastian, Dossia Comer, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kroft, Merle Kroft,

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Lytle and daughter, Goldie Ferree, and Margaret Slaybaugh, Kenton Kroft, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Paxton and family, the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sells and family, and Joann Kroft.

Patty Stout spent last week with her grandmother, Thelma Kanouse.

Ruth Bammerlin and Vera Butt were luncheon guests Monday of Mrs. Hazel Wibel of Peru. In the afternoon they visited with Mrs. John Butt at Country Village.

Thelma Kanouse spent Sunday evening with the Bob Stout family.

Summit Club will meet with Peg Arthur Tuesday, April 3.

Mrs. Merle Kroft visited Tuesday with Mrs. Randy Lytle and children near Warsaw.

Mrs. Earl Butt attended the Beaver Dam Ladies Aid at the church last Wednesday. Jill Butt spent Wednesday evening with her grandmother.

Olive Bethel News

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtis Sr., of near Rochester, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sheetz were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Sheetz and family. Afternoon guests were Mrs. John Hott, Kewanna, and Mrs. Becky Hott and daughters, Winamac.

Mrs. Bill McKenzie, Donna and Norma, No. Manchester, Melinda and Janice Claxton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kratzer and Bryan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John

Meredith and Mark, Ft. Wayne.

Mrs. David Sheetz and children visited Mrs. Milo Hott and Mike Hott recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Olevis visited Roger Olevis, a patient at Plymouth Parkview Hospital, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Pfeiffer.

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Attention Parents:

It is now time for girls and boys to register for the AKRON MINOR LEAGUE, LITTLE LEAGUE, and PONY LEAGUE. Registration will be Saturday, April 7, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Akron School Cafeteria. All children playing ball last year and new players must come to register with their parents.

PLEASE BRING YOUR BIRTH CERTIFICATES ALONG.

We also need coaches and interested people to help this year.

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Saturday, March 31 5 to 8 p.m.

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Church News

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

AKRON BAPTIST CHURCH, Leroy F. Combs, pastor; Harold Schroll, Sunday school director. Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship Service: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Wed. Bible Class: 7 p.m.

OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD, Jeff Webb, pastor; Minnie Ellison, supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday: 7 p.m.

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

BEAVER DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Harold Ulrey, pastor. Worship Services: 9:30-10:30 a.m. Sunday School: 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Thurs - Adult and Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Choir practice at Mentone at 7.

April 3 - UMW at church, 7:30 p.m.

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

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

MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST, Terry Stockman, minister. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship and Communion: 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening: 6:30 p.m. Thurs. Evening Service: 7:30 p.m. Monday: Children's Bible Story hour: 3:45 p.m.

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

Services held at the new hardware building in Atwood.

SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD, Fred Landolt, minister; Richard Hoffman, supt.; Sam Brown, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening Service: 7:30 p.m. Rev. Hubert Miller, Columbia City, speaker, Dennis Chizum, song evangelist. Mens Prayer Breakfast, Sat. 7 a.m. for all of Akron area.

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

OMEGA CHURCH, Lee Stubblefield, pastor; Emerson Burns, supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Missionary Service: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service: 11:00 a.m. Youth Meeting: 7 p.m. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m. Home Missions Conference, Mar. 27 thru 30 at 7:30 nightly. Guest speakers and special music. Public invited.

AKRON CHURCH OF GOD, James F. Hall, pastor; Greg Kendall, associate pastor; Hugh Wildermuth, supt.; Mark Fairchild, asst. supt. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning worship: 10:30 a.m. No Youth Fellowship. Evening Service: 7 p.m. Play - "High & Dry" by youth Fellowship & Refreshments: 8:30

Let's Talk About

Gas Rates and Gas Rate Increases

Everyone knows the cost of natural gas has been going up in recent years. But consumers don't seem to know why. So let's talk about gas rates and gas rate increases.

Since 1971 customers of Northern Indiana Public Service Company have been experiencing two types of gas rate increases.

The Purchased Gas Adjustment or Tracking Increase

This type of increase, which **accounts for nearly 80 per cent of the increased cost of natural gas to the customer** was first introduced in 1970 when the Federal Government allowed the Producers of natural gas to increase their prices to stimulate the drilling of new gas wells and, hopefully, increase the supply of natural gas.

Pipeline Suppliers, in turn, were allowed to pass these price increases on to Distribution Companies (like NIPSCO), and in December, 1970, the Public Service Commission of Indiana authorized gas utilities in Indiana to pass along these increased supply costs from producers and pipeline suppliers to consumers, after they had been authorized by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

No profit was permitted under the Indiana Commission's order. Only increases or decreases in the cost of the gas itself could be passed on to customers.

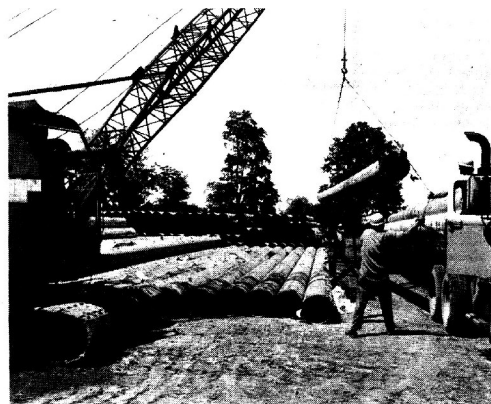
Since 1971 there have been 72 gas tracking adjustments, none resulting in additional profits for NIPSCO. It has simply been a flow-through of price increases from the producers to the pipelines, to the distribution companies, and ultimately, to the consumer.

General Gas Rate Increases

The second type of gas rate increase covers those operating and capital costs, associated with the service to customers, which are **directly affected by inflation**, such as, wages and fringe benefits, cost of living adjustments, increased interest expense, higher taxes, increased construction costs, higher prices for equipment and supplies, and a reasonable return on the miles and miles of transmission lines, distribution systems, and storage facilities, needed to serve customers.

Since **inflation has been forcing these costs up** faster than we can offset them through belt tightening and operating economies, we had to seek increases in our general gas rates.

Such increases are authorized by the Public Service Commission of Indiana only after extensive hearings. The last general gas rate increase (**only the third in 29 years**) became effective November 27, 1978. It was a 9.32 per cent increase and was allowed by the Commission after seven months of review.



Eighty per cent of the cost increase in natural gas is paid directly to pipeline companies and producers without profit to NIPSCO.

The BTU Adjustment

The heating content of all fuels are measured in British Thermal Units (BTUs). However, the BTU content of natural gas varies, depending on the pipeline supplier, from approximately 990 to 1,035 BTUs per cubic foot. As a result, customers living across our 12,000 square mile service area may receive natural gas with differing BTU heat contents, from month to month.

In the past, customers were billed for the number of cubic feet of gas used. To establish **a more equitable method of charging customers** for their gas service, we asked the Public Service Commission of Indiana to allow us to adjust the customer's usage to a 1,000 BTU level since NIPSCO's gas rates are based on 1,000 BTUs of heating value. This adjustment is accomplished by applying a weighted BTU factor to the number of cubic feet of gas used as indicated by your meter. **You pay only for the BTUs you receive—no more, and no less.** Service bills for large commercial and industrial customers have been adjusted on this basis for many years.

Low Cost Energy

In spite of price increases, **natural gas continues to be the best energy buy in northern Indiana** for home heating, cooking, water heating, clothes drying and other household purposes.

True, the cost has increased and will probably continue to increase until it reaches a level that is more in line with other fuels. However, the cost of all energy is climbing. That's why we believe natural gas **will continue to be the lowest cost fuel available in northern Indiana for many years to come.** Incidentally, it's also the cleanest, most efficient, convenient and dependable fuel you can buy.



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After you have qualified and have been approved by the School Board, your name will be placed on a list that is given to the regular drivers. Payment for any sub driving is at the same rate that driver is making which ranges from \$16.79 to \$17.97 per day plus \$2.94 to \$3.15 for each extra leg.

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The next area workshop will be held at the Whitko High School on May 9th, 10th, and 16th. Other workshops will be held periodically at various locations. If our response is great enough, it may be possible to have a 3 day workshop conducted at Tippecanoe Valley.

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3/29/3p

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3/29/1p

THANK YOU

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We want to thank our relatives and friends for the flowers, food, calls and prayers during this time of the passing of our loved one. CHAS. and ZANNA HAMMER, BETTY GOSHERT, and GLORIA MILLER.

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We wish to thank everyone for the cards, kind thoughts, flowers, prayers and other acts of kindness at the loss of our beloved sister, Francy. May God bless you. MARGE and JACK SAUSAMAN and family.

3/29/1p

Thank you for cards, visits and gifts while I was in the hospital and since returning home. Your thoughtfulness was appreciated. SCOTT MILLER.

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Thanks to all my family, friends and neighbors for their prayers, cards and food during my recent surgery. May God bless each and every one. JEAN KUHN.

3/29/1p

My deepest thanks to all of our Akron friends who sent cards, flowers and encouragement while I was sick, with your prayers and the help of God I am home and getting stronger. PAT PARKER.

3/29/1p

GARAGE SALES

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3/29/1p

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To qualify, you must attend a 3 day workshop of approximately 8 hours each, plus 4 hours observation and 8 hours of actual driving on one of our buses.

The School Corporation will pay you \$4.20 per hour for the workshop and for the hours spent learning on the bus.

After you have qualified and have been approved by the School Board, your name will be placed on a list that is given to the regular drivers. Payment for any sub driving is at the same rate that driver is making which ranges from \$16.79 to \$17.97 per day plus \$2.94 to \$3.15 for each extra leg.

YOU MUST BE 21 YEARS OF AGE AND POSSESS OR ARE ELIGIBLE FOR A PUBLIC PASSENGER CHAUFFER'S LICENSE.

The next area workshop will be held at the Whitko High School on May 9th, 10th, and 16th. Other workshops will be held periodically at various locations. If our response is great enough, it may be possible to have a 3 day workshop conducted at Tippecanoe Valley.

If interested, please reply
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Are you wanting a small farm or home in the country but you are finding you can't afford today's prices? Well, this is your chance. This has several good building sites for your new home or mobile home. An abundance of road frontage insures your privacy and adds to the value. All tillable acreage will help you make the payments. The best news of all is that you CAN buy this one because it is available at a price and terms that you can afford. Call Jerry Kindig, 893-7255 or 269-1265

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HELP WANTED: Boys or girls between the ages of 10 to 15 to deliver newspapers one day a week in Mentone and Akron. CALL 893-4433. After 5 p.m. call 353-7885.

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THANK YOU

I wish to thank the Rev. Heckman for his visits, Dr. Connell, who was so kind, Mary Teel, and all of you who sent cards, visited me, and prayed for me while I was in the hospital and since my return home. To my wonderful family and friends who remembered my birthday with cards and ice cream and cake. God bless each one of you. MRS. SNOWDEN HALTERMAN.

3/29/1p

We want to thank our relatives and friends for the flowers, food, calls and prayers during this time of the passing of our loved one. CHAS. and ZANNA HAMMER, BETTY GOSHERT, and GLORIA MILLER.

3/29/1p

We wish to thank everyone for the cards, kind thoughts, flowers, prayers and other acts of kindness at the loss of our beloved sister, Francy. May God bless you, MARGE and JACK SAUSAMAN and family.

3/29/1p

Thank you for cards, visits and gifts while I was in the hospital and since returning home. Your thoughtfulness was appreciated. SCOTT MILLER.

3/29/1p

Thanks to all my family, friends and neighbors for their prayers, cards and food during my recent surgery. May God bless each and every one. JEAN KUHN.

3/29/1p

My deepest thanks to all of our Akron friends who sent cards, flowers and encouragement while I was sick, with your prayers and the help of God I am home and getting stronger. PAT PARKER.

3/29/1p

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, Mar. 31, 9 a.m. - ?? Some formals, size 7-9. 209 E. North, Akron.

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