

Community_ Corner

Beard Growing Contest

The Akron 4th of July Committee, along with Holloway's Barber Shop, will sponsoring a beard growing contest during the 4th of July celebration.

The entry fee is \$2.00 and the winner will receive an electric razor. Anyone interested can get

Holloway's Barber Shop or by contacting Frances Utter at 893-7179

Miss Akron Pagaent

The Akron Fourth of July Committee is sponsoring the Miss Akron Pagaent. All eligible girls are encouraged to participate. The queen will receive a \$500 savings bond and first runner up will receive a \$100 savings bond.

To be eligible you must be a sophomore, junior or senior attending Tippecanoe Valley High School and live in Henry Township.

The pagaent will be held Friday, June 26, in the Tippecanoe Valley High School Commons. For more information or to join in the fun, please call Skidmore, 893-4057 Frances Utter, 893-7179. Mary

Friends of the Akron

A meeting of the Akron Library meeting A meeting of the Friends of the Akron Library will be held on Tuesday, May 12, at 2 p.m. in the Akron Library. An election of officers will be held and plans for the ensuing year discussed.

Membership has increased to over 100, which more than doubles last year's membership. Please plan to be a part of this exciting year.

W.C.T.U. Mother's Tea W.C.T.U. Mother's Tea The Akron W.C.T.U. will hold a Mother's Tea in the Akron Library on Wednesday, May 13, at 7:30 p.m. There will be a White Ribbon Recruit Service. Lucile Doering is the Devotional Leader and Velma Bright is the program leader. The the program leader. The hostesses are Gloria Bowen and Nora Hoffman. All members are urged to be present and guests are always

velcome. RSVP Tulip Festival Trip Remember May 7th is the last day to sign up for the RSVP trip to Holland, Michigan to the Tulip Festival. Call 223-3716 to make reservations or go to the RSVP office, located at the Society Bank Building Suite 106 Bank Building, Suite 106. Rochester.



National Junior Honor Society

The National Junior Honor Society at Mentone School held their induciton ceremony on April 29, 1992. Pictured above are present officers and members: Ryan Goebel-president; Adam Silveus-vice president; Paige Lewis-treasurer; Ashton Hainge, Quentin Law, Jennifer Olson, Matthew Perry, Kelly Strang and Angela Zolman. (News Photo).



Inductees of the National Junior Honor Society at Mentone School are pictured above: 8th grade: Shari Lynn Clark; Jenny Lynn Dean; Courtney Lynn Kierpaul; Megihann Kathryn Kinney; Jamie Marie Phillips and Erin Lee Rose. 7th grade: Kimberly Marie Andrews; Teri Elizabeth Baker; Jeffrey Lee Brown, Jr.; Deborah Lyn Burch; Emily Marie Cripe; Zeke Tobias Dotson; Suzanne Elizabeth Eaton; Elizabeth Ann Hart; Rachel Lynn McDaniel; Rebecca Cora Beth Meredith; Kevin D. Miller; Kelly Maria Montelongo; Darren Andrew Parker; Johnna Elizabeth Phillips (not pictured); Alisha Lyn Ryman; Julie Renee Shaw; Nick Adam Stutzman; Scott Michael Wieststone and Dustin Sean Winct (News Photo). Michael Whetstone and Dustin Sean Wier. (News Photo).



The Akron fourth graders enjoyed holding Pioneer day last week to get the feel of the "Good Ole Days" - a special treat for fourth grade students for the past few years. The program for the day included working in their classrooms-pulling taffy, dipping candles, writing with quill pens on horn books, chuming butter, making rope and frying funnel cakes. During the afternoon the children attended Prill School and enjoyed a demonstration by Mr. Byron Tinkey of his Pennsylvania rifle and antique guns. (News Photo).



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ROBERT L. CRIPE

Robert L. Cripe, 72, Rt. 2, Claypool, died at 3:45 p.m. Tuesday, April 28, 1992 in The Lutheran Hospital of Indiana, Fort Wayne. He was born April 15, 1920

in Wabash County to Ora and

Elva Heeter Cripe. On Aug. 15, 1942, he married Memory Leininger, who survives. He retired from Uniroyal,

Warsaw, after 20 years of service

service. Surviving with his wife are five sons, David and Dennis Cripe, both of Claypool; Douglas Cripe, Winona Lake; Leslie Cripe, South Whitley, and Brian Cripe, Sidney; four daughters, Mrs. Alan (Becky) Burton, and Mrs. Greg (Valerie) Geiger, both of North Manchester; Mrs. David (Kathie) Fall, Akron, and Mrs. (Tammy) Kuhn, Claypool; 20 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; three brothers, Glen Cripe, Warsaw, Frank Cripe, Rochester, and Leon Cripe, Blue Ridge, Ga.; and three sisters, Pauline Gascho, Arcaneum, Ohio, Katherine Clauson, Greenville, Ohio, and Vera Eikenberry, North Manchester. Two brothers and one sister preceded him in death.

Services were at 2 p.m. idav in DeLaughter Friday Mortuary, North Manchester, with Pastor Alan Blazedale officating.

LEE A. PEREZ

LEE A. PEREZ Lance Cpl. Lee Andrew Perez, 21, formerly of Tippecanoe, was killed Saturday, April 25, 1992 during a training exercise at Camp Lejeune Marine Corps Base, N.C. Ha was how Eab 6, 1071

He was born Feb. 6, 1971 in Plymouth, to Paul Lee and Mary L. Weidner Perez, who survive in Tucson, AZ.

He lived in Tippecanoe nine years before going to Tucson. He entered the Marine Corps on Feb. 18, 1990, in San Diego, CA.

Surviving with his parents are one sister, Charlette Elaine Perez; and brother, one

Andrew J. Muir, both at home; one one nephew; grandparents, Opal Weidner, Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert French, Sunset, Utah; and several aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by two grandfathers.

Services were at 10 a.m. Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday in Foster and Good Funeral Home, Rochester, with Sgt. Ashbolt, Marine Corps chaplain, officiating. Burial was in Reichter Cemetery, northeast of Rochester, where members of the U.S. Marine Corps Honor Guard conducted full military honors

LEWIS STRATTON

Lewis E. "Lou" Stratton, 72, Rt. 1, Akron, died at 7:30 a.m. Sunday, May 3, 1992 in South Memorial Hospital, Bend where he had been a patient for three weeks. He was born Dec. 10, 1919,

in Manchester, Conn., to Walter E. and Laura May Barbrick Stratton.

On July 4, 1948 at Silver Lake, he married Bonnie Hollenback, who survives.

He owned Lou's Bait and Tackle Shop, east of Akron, and was retired from Controls Company of North Manchester. He was an Army veteran of World War II and a North member of the North Manchester VFW.

Surviving with his wife are three three sons who live in Connecticut; two sisters, Alice Alley, Florida, and Jean Chadwick, Manchester, Conn., and a brother, Wayne Stratton, Florida. Preceding in death were a daughter, Lisa, and a brother, Kenneth.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, with The Rev. Lowell Burrus officiating, Burial was in the Silver Creek Cemetery, east of Akron, where the Rochester VFW and American Legion conducted military rites.

KENNETH BLACKBURN

Kenneth L. Blackburn, 55, Rt. 6, (Prairie Wood Drive), Rochester, died at 11:30 p.m. Friday, May 1, 1992 at St.

Joseph Medical Center, South Bend, of injuries sustained in an accident at his business, Blackburn Tire of Rochester

He was born June 21, 1936. in Rochester to Elzie C. and Myra P. Moon Blackburn, and had lived most of his life in Rochester, except for two years in Wabash.

On June 2, 1957 in Rochester he married Patricia Ann "Tish" Swanson, who Ann "Tish" Swanson, who survives. He had owned and operated Blackburn Tire Shop for 34 years, opening it in 1958. He and his wife were co-owners of the former Caywood-Foreman ERA Agency in Rochester until earlier this year. He was a member of Grace United Methodist Church and the Manitou Moose Lodge and was a charter member of the Rochester Jaycees. He was a 1955 graduate of Rochester High School, was Rochester High School, was Rochester Caywood-Foreman ERA Township trustee from 1979-1987, and had served on the Rochester Park Board and the Rochester School Board.

Surviving with his wife are a daughter, Mrs. Marc (Julie Lynn) Calvert, Rochester; two sons, Douglas Lee "Doug" and Kenney Jay "K.J.," both of Rochester, six grandchildren, Corey and Chad Calvert, Brandi; Brandi, Brittany and Breeanna Blackburn and Grant Blackburn, all of Rochester; two sisters, Mrs. James (Elizabeth) Zeller, Rochester, and Bette Clevenger, Beaver Dam Lake, and three brothers, William "Bill" Blackburn, Wabash, and John Blackburn, Indianapolis. Preceding in death were his parents and a nephew.

Services were at 1 p.m. Tuesday, at Grace United Methodist Church, with the Methodist Church, with the Rev. Jack Hartman officiating. Burial was in the IOOF Cemetery, Rochester. Foster and Good Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

ROBERT ROSS

Robert W. Ross, 64, of 828 20th Road, Tippecanoe, died at 1:30 a.m. Monday, May 4, 1992 in Parkview Hospital, Fort Wayne.

He was born Nov. 5, 1927, in Cass County to Fay and Martha Butt Ross, and moved from the Peru area to Tippecanoe in 1955.

On Oct. 3, 1948 at Macy he

from U.S. Bulk at Bourbon. He was a member of the Mentone Church of Christ.

Surviving with his wife are daughter, Susan Ross, three Tippecanoe: sons. Gregory, Indianapolis, David, Bourbon, and Alan, Bremen; six grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Amos (Phyllis) England, Pierceton, and two brothers, Gerald, Okeechobee, Fla., and Dale, Little Barbee Lake, Warsaw.

Following cremation, burial was in the Horton Cemetery near Macy. King Memorial Home, Mentone, was in of arrangements. charge Memorials may be made to the Marshall County Heart Association, Marshall County Heart Cancer Society, Mentone Church of Christ or the Four-Way Ambulance Service.

Mitterling graduates from **GRI** program

Pat Mitterling of ERA indig Lakeshore, Kindig Lakesnot, REALTORS graduated from the Indiana Association of Graduate REALTORS, Graduate REALTORS Institute (GRI) conducted at the University of

Notre Dame. The week-long intensive course renowned experts features on real estate who teach topics such as "Real Estate Sales and Marketing," "Real Estate Marketing," "Real Estate Taxation," "Real Estate Law, "Selling Commence Property," and "Financing. Commercial

Property," and "Financing." The GRI program concludes with an examination to ensure that each REALTOR student has retained the information.

In order to earn the designation of the Graduate of REALTORS Institute, the REALTOR must attend the week-long course for three years and successfully pass the examination each year. Mitterling just completed her third year of the course. Sponsored by the Indiana Association of REALTORS, the GRI course and curriculum are accredited by the National Associaton of Realtors, which awards this special designation. Mitterling is a member of

the Fulton County Board of REALTORS where she is currently serving her second year as secretary-treasurer.



Dail Jr. & Jan Barber & family,

Buni & Bill Leininger & family, Susie & Larry Jackson & family

Edv Barber.

Mother's Day Is Coming!!! **Eizinger Nursery Co.** の言言 3 miles North of Rochester on Hwy 25 Sat. Sales - 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Rain or shine or call for appointment. Will be open Sun. May 3 & 10 from 1-5 **Excellent Selection of Flowering Trees**, Ornamentals & Shrubs Tim & Lee Ann Etcinger 223-8137 Thank You We would like to express our thanks to the students, parents and

In Memory In memory of Dail R. Barber, Sr. Died May 7, 1990.

staff members of Akron School for another enjoyable and successful Spring Carnival and Pizza Supper. Once again, this event has demonstrated that when we all work together good things result for the children of our community.

Also, a special thank you goes to the Akron community for its continued support of this annual event. The items donated by First Bank, Viking Foods, Day Hardware, Hartzler Trucking, Lake City Bank, Akron Video and D & C Video for our raffle were especially ap-

In Memory of Norma "Susie" Riley preciated. 5/16/30 5/4/91 married Doris Baker, who survives. He retired in 1985 We're thankful for our time with you. The Akron School Parent Support Council For all the love you had to give Your life was full of pain and suffering, The WE but you taught us how to live. AKRON-MENTONE WELCOME NNA 23 We know that you're in Heaven now, YOUR ASSOCIATION News and His presence fills that place. NEWS! We know the look of pain TIONS no longer fills your face. Published every week in Akron and Me The Akron-Mentone NEWS will publish information on com nd class matter at the post office in Akron, Indiana 46910. Addi-l entry at the post office in Mentone, Indiana 46539. events, organizations, anniversaries, social events, births, deaths, wed-dings and engagements. All pictures will be accepted free of charge. We know that when you got there Akron/Mentone NEWS Publication Number USPS 543-160. the Master gently took your hand, Deadline for news items is Friday at 5:00 p.m.! And after looking into His eyes Akron office hours: Mon. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Closed Tues.; Ved. 8:00-10:00 a.m.; Closed Thurs.; Frl. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; 'losed Sat. and Sun. Subscriptions: yearly subscriptions for residents of you walked into His Promised Land. Because we have the hope He gives -Mentone residents may leave news items at Ace Hardware Senior Citizen Subscriptions - \$1.00 Off Reg. Price He gives eternal life. If you have a news item or wish information on classified ads, please call Akron 893-4433. We know that we'll be with you. PUBLISHER PUBLISHER Don Towle EDITOR AND MGR. Laura Bickel Our precious Grandma, Mom and Wife. . Without freedom of thought, there can be no such thing as wisdom; and no such thing as public liberty without freedom of speech...Whoever would overthrow the liberty of a nation and begin by subduing the freedom of speech.... Benjamin Franklin Raymond Riley. Angela, Rod & Alisha Conner Ashley, Matt & Nicholas Sutter

State FFA Contest Winners

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Pictured above L to R are State FFA contest winners. Dairy: Josh Parker, Kris Miller, Jeremy Scutchfield, Brian Fultz and Bobby Yocum. Front row: Joni Manns, Ryan Parker, Tina Feldman. Not pictured is Ryan Ladson.



Livestock: Pictured L to R: Derek Alber, Matt Harsh, Mike Jones, Eric Biddinger. Front: Jennifer Lukens, Joni Manns



Mechanics: Pictured L to R: Jim Howard-welding; Brian Evans and Bobby Yocum. Not pictured is Carey Lewis.



Horse: Pictured L to-R: Jim Howard, Shannan Caudill, Joni Manns and Cathy Gardner.

The Tippecanoe Valley FFA Organization was represented by Jim Howard, son of J. Arther and Wanda Howard; Cathy Gardner, daughter of Jim and Cate Gardner, Joni Manns, daughter of Willard and Rita Manns; and Shannon Caudill, granddaughter of Gene and Carolyn Miller. At the Area X Horse and Pony Contest, the team placed 6th overall and are alternates to the State Contests.



School Menus

Area School lunch menus for the week of May 11 through May 15 are:

T.V.H.S.

Monday - Tenderloin sandwich with cheese, dill slices, buttered corn, apple crisp, sliced peaches, fruit juice and milk.

Tuesday - Chicken and noodles, mozzarella cheese, mashed potatoes, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, seasoned green beans, lettuce salad, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk.

Wednesday - Chicken pattie sandwich with mayo., rice with brown sugar, buttered peas, jello salad, applesauce, fruit juice and milk

Thursday Johnny Marzetti, hot roll with butter and jelly, buttered carrots and Harvard beets, cole slaw, mixed fruit, fruit juice and milk

Friday - Pizza, seasoned reen beans, brownies, green pineapple tidbits, fruit juice and milk.

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

BURKET

Monday - Goulash, carrot chips, bread with butter, sliced pears, milk.

Tuesday - Hot dog sandwich, French fries, stuffed celery, applesauce, milk

Wednesday -Mexican

The Akron-Mentone News - May 6, 1992 FFA on the road

The Tippecanoe Valley FFA Organization has been participating in several judging activities this spring. The livestock team consisted of Matt Harsh, son of Jim and Carol Harsh; Eric Biddinger, son of Virgil and Phyllis Biddinger, Mike Jones, son of Glen and Chris Jones; Jennifer Lukens, daughter of Linc and Cathy Lukens; Derek Alber, son of Randy and Theresa Alber. Ioni Manne, daughter of Willerd and Dire and Theresa Alber; Joni Manns, dughter of Willard and Rita Manns, and Ryan Ladson, son of Dale and Lois Ladson. These Manns, and Ryan Ladson, son of Dale and Lois Ladson. These young men and women competed at several invitationals located at Clinton Central High School, Whitko, Huntington, Auburn and Rochester. At the Huntington Invitational the team of Harsh, Jones, Biddinger and Lukens placed second overall, while the team of Manns, Feldman, Fultz and R.Parker placed 5th. Harsh also brought home a plaque as 5th place individual. The team of Jones, Harsh and Biddinger placed 5th at the Rochester Invitational. The team consisting of Jones, Biddinger, Alber and Manns qualified to participate at the Area X competition when they placed 3rd out of nine teams in the county.

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The dairy team consisted of Ladson; Manns; Tina Feldman, daughter of Sandy Feldman; Kris Miller, son of Gary and Sharon Miller; Josh Parker, son of Lynn and Dianna Parker; Brian Fultz, son of Chris Fultz; Ryan Parker, son of Rick and Jill Parker; Bobby Yocum, son of Dale and Pat Yocum, and Jeremy Scutchfield, son of Joe and Vicki Scutchfield. The junior team

Scutchfield, son of Joe and Vicki Scutchfield. The junior team of Ryan Parker, Kalynn Parker, Fultz and Manns placed 3rd at the Clinton Central contest. The team of Miller, R. Parker, Ju-Parker and Feldman placed 2nd of the eight teams at county contest and 7th at Area X. The Farm Business Management team consisting of Biddinger, Harsh and Ladson placed 5th at the state contest. These young men tested over depreciation, networth, cash flow, budgeting, calculating acreage, estimating the price to pay for land, and tax information. Biddinger placed 8th as an individual. The Mechanics team of Carey Lewis, son of Steve and Lenore Lewis; Brian Evans, son of Cecil and Patty Byer; B. Yocum placed 8th at the state level. They competed in knowledge of front end spacing and adjusting the toe-in on a tractor, information of parts and scales of a grinding mill, electrical circuit completion, controls, plumbing, and working with a circuit completion, controls, plumbing, and working with a transit. Lewis placed 10th as an individual.

Jim Howard, son of J. Arther and Wanda Howard, competed at the State Welding contest where he placed 21st overall.

lunch, green beans, B.E.S. rolls, orange whip, milk. Thursday - Chicken pattie sandwich, dill spear, creamed peas. cinnamon crispit.

peaches, milk. **Friday** - Texas hash, slaw, bread with peanut butter, cookie, jello with fruit, milk.

MENTONE

Monday - Taco with lettuce and cheese, buttered corn, peaches, graham crackers.

Tuesday - Turkey sandwich with mayo., French fries,

With mayo., French fries, green beans, cookie. Wednesday - Ravioli with cheese, lettuce salad, raisins, peanut butter sandwich. Thursday - French fried ebicker chicken, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese, jello

with topping, snowflake rolls. Friday - Pizza, buttered corn, mixed fruit.

NORTH MIAMI

Monday - Sliced turkey

sandwich, peas, applesauce, banana bread, milk. **Tuesday** - Nachos with meat and cheese sauce, potato wedge, mixed vegetables, peaches, milk.

Wednesday - Sausage gravy on biscuits, mashed potatoes, stuffed celery, cherry Wednesday pie, milk. Thursday - Spaghetti with

meat sauce, bread stick with cheese, tossed salad, sliced pears, milk.

Friday sandwich, Cheeseburger French fries. pineapple, birthday cake, milk.



Talma Easter Egg Winners

Talma held its 4th Annual Easter Egg Hunt at the home of Rolland and Judy Calvert on April 18, 1992. Between 40

& 50 children participated. The guessing games were won by Mandie Long and Jake Vick.

Prize eggs went to boys and girls of various ages. The Grand Prize Egg was won by Zachary Whiting. Finding the most was Matthew Haussman with 36 and the least was Jessica Whiting with 3. Winning a prize for being the youngest one there was, Greg Gunnels, age 2.

Door Prizes went to: Drew Heinold, Tiffany Vick, Tim Williams, Tai Patterson, Heinold, Williams, Tai Deanna Spencer, Whiting, Kelly Vick, Vick, Jeremy Heinold Nicholas Patterson, Frank Turner, Kayla

Patterson, Frank Turner, Kayla Lowry, Matthew Haussman, Michael Whiting, Greg Gunnels and Mandie Long. After prizes were awarded veryone had cookies and yange drink and left with a treatbag of goodies. Our thanks to Wal-Mart, McDonalds, Burger King, Amber, Brandi and Kevin and our friends and neighbors who make this an annual success. make this an annual success

Rolland and Judy Calvert



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Community News Mentone By Leafy Hudson Once upon a time in the dim recesses of antiquity, families Nutrition Site

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

The menu for the week of May 11 through May 15 is: Monday - Apple juice, BBQ pork ribette on bun, baked beans, vinaigrette cole slaw, pineapple, milk, tea, coffee. 36 grams fat/52 coffee. 36 grams milligrams chol.

Tuesday - Tomato juice, chicken and noodles, pea salad with cheese, whole wheat bread with margarine, bread with margarine, apricots, milk, tea, coffee. 32 fat/134 chol. Wednesday - Grape juice,

stuffed green pepper in tomato sauce, tossed salad with green onions, radishes and French dressing, cottage cheese with chives, whole wheat bread with margarine, mandarin oranges, milk, tea, coffee. 29 fat/48 chol.

Thursday - Peach nectar, scalloped turkey ham and potatoes, green beans, cracked wheat bread with margarine, tapicoa pudding, milk, tea, coffee. 22 fat/93 chol. Friday - Orange juice, breaded veal Parmesan, baked

potato potato with margarine, steamed carrots, whole wheat bread with margarine, lemon birthday cake with vanilla icing, milk, tea, coffee. 37 fat/107 chol.

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

Mentone News

Ruth Cullum was Mrs. plesantly surprised Friday evening in honor of her 85th birthday. Her children, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Cullum of Parker City, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harman of Mentone, had made arrangements to take their mother to Hilger's Farm Restaurant near Fort Wayne. Upon their arrival, and nephews of the guest of honor. Included were: Mr. and Mrs. Larry Carey, and Mr. and Mrs. David Carey of Warsaw; Mr. and Mrs. Gil Perry of Fort Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pinkerton of Plymouth; and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Frantz of South Whitley. Grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. Tim Harman of Huffman Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill **Scenes Around Town**

lived a strange, wondrous lifestyle and the mother presided over

the home in a strange and wondrous way--and it was good. In those days of long ago, the mother stayed home while the father went to work and children went to school--and it was good.

good. Mothers, in those days of yore, bid children to arise from bed at an early hour. The country mother directed her children to their chores of milking cows and feeding hogs at dawn. The town mother supervised as her children brought in firewood or

town mother supervised as her children brought in firewood or helped prepare breakfast. Then, the whole family breakfasted together- and it was good. Life was not easy for the mother in those halcyon days. While her children learned reading, writing, arithmetic, and respect for their country and others in school, the mother carried water to heat on the stove to wash dishes in a pan and to wash clothes on a washboard, so her family would be clean. She prepared heariy meals on an iron range for the evening meal, when the family sat down to sup together--and it was good. The town mother's day was interrupted at noon when her

The town mother's day was interrupted at noon when her children walked home for lunch (how else would they get there?), and she presented them with a noon repast. The country mother packed ample lunches each morning with extra cookies for other children--and it was good. In those long ago days, the mother arose ahead of her family

to weed the garden before the heat of the day. As she harvested the food, the mother served delicious dishes with fresh fruit and In those days of yore, the mother served controls disting with resh right and in those days of yore, the mother sewed clothes for herself and her children, for missionaries and for the neighborhood

needy--and it was good.

That was long ago mother didn't fret for a career outside the home. She accepted the responsibility that she recognized came with giving birth. She honored her husband, loved her children and took immense pleasure and pride in caring for her home.

For such mothers in that long ago time and for those who still accept their maternal responsibilities today, Anna Jarvis, of Grafton, W. Virginia and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, initiated the movement that resulted in the establishment of Mother's Day--and it was good.

Gothan and Zachary of Bourbon. Close family friends of who also shared in the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. the Joe Bishop of Muncie, and Fran Jennings of Ligonier. A delicious buffet meal was enjoyed, plus lots of visiting, reminiscing, gift giving and picture taking.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mentzer of Parkridge, IL, spent Saturday night with his sisters, Mrs. Peg Foulke and Anabel Mentzer.

Jim and Shirley Cox of Indianapolis, called on Peggie Foulke and Anabel Mentzer, Tuesday afternoon Ima Taylor and Peral Horn,

called on Isabel Peterson Tuesday aftenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller of Akron, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Miller and Justin, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Miller, Brad and Jevin, Mrs. Joy Miller and Jim Miller, helped Lois Miller celebrate her birthday with ice cream and cake Wednesday evening. Big 60.

Akron News

Velma Bright and Gloria Bowen spent Thursday and Friday in Indianapolis attending the state Conference of the Indiana Library Federation held at the Indiana Convention Center. Mary Lukens and Margel Craig attended the Indiana Friends of the Library sessions on Thursday.

Olive Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. George Sheetz and Mrs. David Sheetz were recently American Restaurant in honor of George and Juana's wedding anniversary. Mrs. Walter Safford visited

Jay and Joe Wednesday evening. Sanders,

Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Snavely, Wabash; Mr. and Mrs. John Grable, Columbia City; Amanda Barker, North Manchester; Mrs. Pete Cabrera, Joshua, Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cox; Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKenzie, Nikki, Abby, Kala, North Manchester; Mrs. Harold Claxton; Mrs. Wm. Crook, North Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kratzer, Mr. and and Mrs. Bill Kratzer, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kerby, Galveston; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Medley, Heather and Aaron, Liberty Mills; and Andy Cox and friend were all guests of Paul and Helar Cox and Helen Cox.

Marla Kindig, Fort Wayne and Tim Kindig, Kokomo spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kindig. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter

and grandson Joseph of Leesburg, Georgia, spent Wednesday evening until Sunday evening with Paul and Helen Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and other Chet relatives.

Service News

Barracks. Conn Schweinfurt Germany,-Sgt. Ross Cv Α. has been decorated with the Army

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zolman, 514 S. Franklin, Mentone, will Mir. and Mirs. Carl Zoman, 514 5. Franklin, Mentone, Will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house hosted by their children on May 10, at the Burket United Methodist Church from 2 to 4 p.m. Zolman and the former Emma Kepler were married on May 2, 1942 in Mentone, by the Rev. Collins. They are the parents of John Zolman and Jerry Zolman, both of Mentone. They have seven grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

The couple request no gifts.

Achievement Medal which is awarded to soldiers for meritorious service, acts of courage, or other outstanding accomplishments.

Ross, a tank gunnery commander, is the son of Gerald L. and Sharlene F. loss of Mentone.

His wife, Michele, is the daughter of Margret K. Benedix, of Red Wing, Minn. graduated He from

Tippecanoe School in 1985. High Valley

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Tuesday, April 28 ADMISSIONS: Shirley A. Long, Mentone; William J.

Lyons, Etna Green. DISMISSALS: Rachel A. Oyler, No. Manchester; Ethel M. Whetstone; Mentone

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Blankenship, Mentone. DISMISSALS: None.

Wednesday, April 29 ADMISSIONS: None. DISMISSALS: None.

Thursday, April 30 ADMISSIONS: None. DISMISSALS: None.

Friday, May 1 ADMISSIONS: Jo Josephine Bucher, Claypool. DISMISSALS: None. BIRTHS: Charlotte Duane Hammond, Rt. Akron, a son. and

Saturday, May 2 ADMISSIONS: None. DISMISSALS: H Herbert

Blankenship, Mentone.





50th Wedding Anniversary

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tron-Mentone News - May 6, 1992 Who's Who In Akron



Ned Smith displays a photo of one of his favorite mares, lky Sue, saying, "She kept me in the racing business." Silky Sue, saying, (Photo by Tonia Weller)

Ned Smith to retire from miniature harness racing

by Tonia Weller

"All good things come to an end," rural Akron resident Ned Smith says of his decision to retire from the sport of miniature harness racing. "I'm going to miss it, but I made my own decision. I just decided the time had come.

Ned has been breeding, training and racing ponies and minia-ture harness horses since the early sixties. "We'd had horses on the farm when I was a kid. I had a relative who had a race horse and he'd come to our place and then go to Bourbon to race and I'd go along. As a kid I always wanted a race horse," Ned says. In miniature harness racing, small horses measuring no more

In infinitute names is taching, similar horses inclusion in point of the than 51-1/2" high, pull a special two-wheeled racing cart around a 1/4, 5/16 or 1/2 mile oval track. Originally the races were fun for trophies, ribbons or blankets. "Now we run for money," Ned says. "The purse runs from \$150 to \$2000 with stakes races at about \$2000," When Ned first started racing the height limit was 48". "The purse runs from \$150 to \$2000 with stakes races at about \$2000," When Ned first started racing the height limit was a first the purse runs from \$150 to \$2000 with stakes races at about \$2000," When Ned first started racing the height limit was a first the purse runs from \$150 to \$2000 with stakes races at about \$2000 48". "Then they raised the height and we were able to go to the Standard Bred to breed our ponies. They're a lot faster now than they were before." He says, "The horses now can do a half mile in a minute.

Ned is a member of the racing club at the Nappanee Raceway. He has raced throughout Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Michigan and

He has raced inroughout indiana, linnois, Onio, Michigan and Pennsylvania. "I've traveled all over," he says. Last year, at the young age of 76, he raced every weekend from the last of May until fall, when an accident brought his sea-son to an end. "One weekend, Joe Heddington, from Palestine, was driving my mare, Crossroads, when she went on her head and so did Joe. Broke his leg. So the next weekend," Ned says "I drove her and she dumped me too. Boogered up my arm and I couldn't race anymore that season." couldn

On March 25, Ned underwent surgery for a brain tumor caused by being kicked in the head by one of his horses years ago. "I'd had a little bump on my head for a long time," he says. "But it started to get bigger." He spent a week at the IU Medical Center in Indianapolis, several days of which were in intensive care. "That's what made me decide to get out of racing. I didn't want to bust my head again. You never know when you're going

want to bust my head again. You never know when you're going to get in a wreck. That opportunity is there every time you race." Luck has been on Ned's side though. In over 25 years of racing he's only been in two wrecks. "I never even got hurt the first time. I lit on my feet and started running," he says with a chuckle. "I had a hard time staying up behind the horse. I thought I might end up on my head but I managed to keep up!" During Century Week at the Nappance Raceway, in July, Ned

will auction off his two broodmares, four colts, three racing carts, two training jogs and all the rest of his equipment. "I've got two very good two-year-olds I hate to give up. They're real hot dogs! But you can't get married to them. I'm getting rid of everything. Now that I've decided to hang it up," he says, "I

don't want anything around to agitate me." The horses should bring a good price. Ned is well known on the circuit for breeding and training good stock. Many of the horses he's raised have been big winners. Spendthrift was one of the top two-year-olds on the circuit and Scrubrush went to the top in the "free-for all" which is top speed racing. One of Ned's favorite mares, Silky Sue, who died last October at the age of 22, was a winner who produced several good colts. "Whenever I

24, Was a winnich her, I could get it, he says proudly. Ned broke and trained all of his own ponies and horses on the 1/4 mile track next to his Ft. Wayne Road home. "I always start

when they're yearlings. They're easier to manage, you don't have to fight 'em. You start by getting 'em in the crossties and trimming their foretops and you curry them good a few times. Then you slip 'em into the harness and start what we call 'long-lining' them. You walk behind and drive them without the cart-just the harness. You're teaching them to turn. Then when you think they're ready, you slip on the cart. Once you start, you work them everyday. It's not a haphazard job. Once you start training, you don't mess around. You usually work them one or two hours a day. Some of the colts break easy." he says two hours a day. Some of the colts break easy," he says, "others'll fight you to the last ditch. You get your training break-ing the colts!" Even after the horses have been trained, they still must be worked every day.

Ned feeds his horses a special feed mix formula. "When they're off the feed and on grass," he says, "you can really see the difference in their coats."

The shoes on a race horse are a special type used to correct any variance in the animals's gait. The bottoms of the shoes are studied for uneven wear and then corrections are made. "You use the shoes to balance the horse," Ned explains.

use the shoes to balance the norse," Ned explains. For racing, the miniature horses are fitted with a special har-ness with hobbles at the tops of their legs. "The harness has to be free and clear and fit comfortably or the pony with falter," Ned says. All of his ponies also wore blinders when racing.

says. All of nis ponies also wore bilinders when racing. The drivers also wear special apparel, including white pants, boots and jackets displaying the driver's "colors". Ned's colors are yellow, brown and green. Helmets are also required, "Which is a good thing," he says. Ned has lived on the same farm, north of Athens, for 60 years.

He now rents out his farmground and is retired from the county highway department. He and his wife, Mildred, have two sons, two daughters, nine grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

After selling his racing equipment, Ned still plans to visit the track regularly as a spectator. He is also looking forward to hav-

ing more time for another favorite pastime -- fishing. Ned has made a remarkable recovery from his recent surgery. Although he is still not allowed to drive, he usually makes it in to town for coffee, and takes a walk each day. The scar from the incision is still visible above his forehead but he says, "I feel better now than I have for the last three or four years.

Letter to the Editor

ownspeople of Akron;

I am sure all of you enjoy the Fourth of July Celebration in kron as much as I do. It gives all of us the opportunity to show Akton as much as 1 do. If gives all of us the opportunity to show off our community. In the past years, there have been activities for all ages to enjoy. Hopefully this year will be no different. We are planning a parade, talent show, carnival rides, Miss Akron Pageant, street dance, fireworks, arts and crafts fair, beard growing contest, children's games, Miss Sparkle and Mr. Firecracker, flea market, volleyball tournament, tennis tournament, and other fun and exciting events.

Obviously it takes a lot of people to put this all together. At this time we have four committee members. This is a job way too big for only four people. We have asked several groups to find one person to represent them on the committee and still we have no one. There are all sorts of jobs to be done. Some include just calling different people and groups or businesses to get estimates and set things up. Just let us know what you can do

and we will find something that needs to be done. Our next meeting is Wednesday, May 13, at 7:00 p.m. at the Kindig Realty office. Please, take pride in our town and get involved!! We cannot do it alone. It is hard work but isn't Akron worth it?! I think so.



Church News

God attended the Northern Indiana Women of the Chruch of God Spring Conference held at the First Church of God in Gary on Saturday. Those attending were Mrs. Ray Doering, Mrs. Art Bollhoffer, Mrs. John Isles. Mrs. r, Mrs. Orville Isles, Mrs. Orville Buckheister, Mrs. Jerry Kindig, Mrs. Mikel Wildermuth, Mrs. James Malbone, Mrs. Lucille Harrold and Velma Bright.

Radiance Quartet to appear here

The Rev. Jacques Sallade', pastor of Alto Rd. Methodist Chruch in Kokomo, will be returning to this area in concert, as a member of the in Radiance Quartet. This will be a reunion concert, as one member, Tim Morgan, has been in the south for several years, and will be making this special trip to Indiana the first part of May. Other quartet members include The Rev. Pual M. Hill of near Lafayette and The Rev. Timothy Helm of Marion.

The Rev. Sallade' was the former assistant pastor of the Mentone Christian Fellowship. The congregation and their pastor, The Rev. Thomas pastor, the Kev. Thomas Harman, extend an invitation to the public to this scared concert, which will be on Tuesday evening, May 12, at 7:30 n.m. 7:30 p.m.





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Club, Spanish Club, Club and National Varsity Honor Society. Sheri is member of the also Stump's Teen National Advisory Board. She participates softball and volleyball. is

Sheri carries a 9.3 grade point adverage and recently received Presidential received a Presidential Scholarship from BSU. Her favorite subject is art and finds College Prep English difficult. Sheri plans to attend Ball State University after graduation to major in advertising.

The News congratulates Sheri on her academic record and wishes her success at Ball State. (News Photo).



SAVANNAH MARIE

Sam and Traci Stutzman. 3223 E. 15th Road, Bourbon, are the parents of a daughter, Savannah Marie, born at 7:25 a.m., Thursday, April 23, 1992 in Kosciusko Community Hospital, Warsaw. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 11 oz. and measured 21 1/2 inches.

Baugher, Bourbon; and Pat and Smokie Stutzman, Plymouth. Great-grandparents are Frieda M. Baugher, Burket; and Clara Boggs, Pound, Va.; Savannah Stanley, Pound, Va., is a great-great-

Savannah joins two siblings, Schuyler, 10, and Lindsay, 4.

GRIMM Greg and Donata Grimm, Rt. 2, Box 109A, Claypool, are the parents of a daughter, Kaila Marie, born at 4.37 pm. Wednesday, April 22, 1992 in Kosciusko Community Hospital, Warsaw. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces and measured 21 inches.

Grandparents are Gene and Karen Grimm, and Terry and Deb Kreft, all of Claypool, and Don Johnson, Prestonsburg, KY. Great-Prestonsburg, KY. Great-grandparents are Curt and Ruth Ousley, Claypool, and

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Gene and Robin Fosnaugh, 2616 E. Robby Drive, Warsaw, are the parents of a son, Tyler Andrew, born at 8:38 p.m. on Wednesday, 8:38 p.m. on Wednesday, April 22, 1992 in Kosciusko Community Hospital, Warsaw. The baby weighed 6

pounds, 14 oucnes and measured 21 inches long. Grandparents are Marvin and Lynda Fosnaugh, Decatur, and Carolyn Swick, Claypool. Great-grandparents are Francile Fosnaugh, Decatur, Bertha Beougher, and Rockford, Ohio. Tyler is the couple's first

NICHOLAS JAMES HARMAN

John and Ann Harman, Rt. 2, Box 10, Claypool, are the parents of a son, Nicholas James, born at 7:52 p.m. Thursday, April 23, 1992 in Kosciusko Community Hospial, Warsaw. The baby weighed 9 pounds, 13 ounces and measured 22 1/2 inches. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Russel I Haudo

Mrs. Russel L. Heyde, Warsaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Harman, Claypool. great-grandparents are Esther Heyde, Warsaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schiederer, Decatur Nicholas joins two brothers, Scott, 3, and Brent, 2.

TREVOR HAMMOND

Duane and Charlotte Hammond, Rt. 1, Box 192, Akron, are the parents of a son, Trevor Levi, born at 2:38 p.m. Thursday, April 30, 1992 in Woodlawn Hospitel Rochester. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces. He has two sisters, Arissa, 14, and Vanessa 9 Maternal grandparents are

Zeno and Patty Schultz, Akron. Paternal grandmother is Hammond, Macy. great-grandmother is Janet Paternal

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Fourth grade all A's: Jessica Calhoun, Eric Carlin, Kristen Genenbacher, Emily Jackson, Justin Perry, April Pletcher, Michael Ryman and Aaron Sponseller. All A's and B's: Kristi Bowen, Lisa Case, Chad Cumberland, Jerry Eastman, Cory Genenbacher, B.J. Hall, Stephen Harrisons, Jonathan Haussmann, Craig Kuhn, Sarah Marner, Nathan McDaniel, Noah Silveus, Dustin Spencer, Esther Steffen, Joshua VanDusen and Scott Wise.

Fifth grade all A+'s: Nick Girouard. All A's: Brent Baney, Angela Cook, Matt Grossman, Gretchen Hart, Amy Holbrook, Zac Kelley, Selina Maish, Tiffany Norris, Jenny Sanders, Shelley Shand, Shannon Shortz, Adam Smith, Joy Stuižman, Carrie Whetstone, Charlie Wise, Justin Woodcox and Brandy Votes All Ada and Bela Issue, Anderwood Issoice Barabady Yates. All A's and B's: Jenny Andrews, Jessica Banghart, Tobey Beery, Caleb Bradley, Kara Brown, Scott Brown, Allyson Bruner, Zaren Dotson, Alex Gonzales, Kevin Hileman, Alicia Irwin, Jeremy Isley, Bob Jones, Diann Lantz, Dustin Leal, Brad Miller, Olivia Morales, Hope Moser, Amy Nellans, Eric Skeens, Ryan Smith, Mike Snipes, Thadd Tharp, Missy Thompson, Heather Wadkins, Cheryl Wideman, Electa Witham.

Sixth grade all A's: Melissa Monk, Jill Olson and Cameron Vanlaningham. All A's and B's: Lucas Bradley, Sarah Bruner, Tim Flora, Troy Hurst, Michelle Jones, Rebecca Kinney, Corrine Law, Billy Mock, Jason Paris, Andrea Parker, Jessica Perry, Terra Reed, Becky Rice, Jonny Rose, Jake Rucoi, Elizabeth Stavedahl, Adam Wagner, Nicole Waltz, Samantha Wideman and Tiffany Wolfe.

Seventh grade all A's: Emily Cripc. All A's and B's: Kim Andrews, Teri Baker, Jeff Brown, Debby Burch, Suzanne Eaton, Cory Fore, Elizabeth Hart, John Hill, Sean Johnston, Nicole Kuhn, Rachel McDaniel, Rebecca Meredith, Kevin Miller, Darren Parker, Johnna Phillips, Alisha Ryman, Kara Tucker, Dustin Wier.

Eighth Grade all A's: Jenny Dean, Quentin Law and Jenni Olson. All A's and B's: Jared Beery, Shari Clark, Rebecca Flora, Ryan Goebel, Phil Hackworth, Ashton Hainge, Megihann Kinney, Paige Lewis, Michelle Maish, Wes Perkins, Matt Perry, Jamie Phillips, Erin Rose, Adam Silveus, Kelly Strang and Angie Zolman.

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daughter of

Sheri Dunn,

CHRIS SHAFFER

recent sport accomplishment is jumping 20' 1 3/4".

Chris plans to attend ITT after graduation and major in business. He is currently

employed at Viking Foods,

The News congratulates Chris on his athletic record

and wishes him success at ITT. (News Photo).

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Chris Shaffer, son of Reggie and Sandy Shaffer, Akron, has been selected as Viking of the Chris, 18, is a senior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. He has participated STUTZMAN and lettered in football, wrestling and track. His most

Grandparents are Alan auger, Burket; Sheila Bauger, grandmother.

KAILA MARIE





NOTICE

Republican Women Note! Change of meeting place! The Republican place! Republican Women will meet May 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Pat Thompson, 1523 Jefferson St., Rochester.

Akron Cemetery Board To Meet

The Akron Cemetery Board will hold its biennial meeting in the Akron Library at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 19. All lot owners are invited to attend.

Donations will be accepted again this year. Donations can be left at the Akron Library, Day Hardware, or the Akron First Bank. They can also be First Bank. They can also be given to any board member. Members of the board are Dick Day, Velma Bright, Shirley Craig, Floyd Kreig, Mike Stephen, Lonzo Meredith, Dick Drudge, Earl Hoffman and Ralph Shewman.

Open House

Friends are invited to an open house and card shower for Ruth Bowen on her 90th birthday on June 17 at the Omega Church from 2 to 4 p.m.

Akron Animal Control Ordiance

The owner or person having charge of any animal within the Town limits shall at all times keep the animal confined upon the premises of the owner or person in charge or under absolute physical control when off the premises. In the event such animal is being walked on a leash or lead, said leash or lead shall not exceed 10' feet in length. The running at large of any animal off the premises of the owner or person having charge of the animal is prima facie evidence of failure to keep an animal confined in violation of this section.

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Akron Ordinance on junk vehicles

It shall be unlawful for any person to leave a junk vehicle parked on any public property, except temporarily in an emergency and due to mechanical failure while driving such vehicle; or to leave such vehicle on private peoperty other than in an enclosed building or other area screened from public view for any continuous period longer than 14 days. Any person violating this section shall be liable to a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$50 for each day that a violation continues.

Vacation Bible School

The Beaver Dam United Methodsit Church will host its annual Vacation Bible School, June 8 to June 12, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. This year's theme will be "Adventures on Son Mountain" and will focus on the book of Proverbs and the life to Christ.

All area youth between the ages of 3 and 11 are invited to attend. Each morning session will feature games, crafts, songs, skits, fellowship, and much more.

So come join the adventures on "Son Mountain" at the 1992 Beaver Dam Vacation Bible School. For more information and a registration form, contact Theresa Alber, 353-7157, or Pat Rathbun, 893-7284. The Beaver Dam United Methodist Church is located on County Road 1000 S. and 1000 W. in Kosciusko County.

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK А Y 1 0 1 6 9 9 Μ -1 2 ,



The Akron EMS Unit is pictured above back row L to R: John Weida, Joe Sears, Jim Saner, Marvin Gagnon, Mike Summe, Rodney Clark. Front row L to R: Carolyn Petrosky, Laura Bickel, Cindy Bucher and Todd Helvey. Not pictured were Shelly Wagamuth and Deb Clark. (Photo by Joe Day).



Members of the Mentone EMS Unit are back row L to R: Bill Wohead, Deb Layne, Mark Hughes, Vic Gamble, Gene Hughes, Front row L to R: Pat Lybarger, Jo Gamble and Ron Scott. Not pictured: Max and Barb Holloway, Janick Norris, John Craig, Michelle Gagnon, Wayr Baker, Richard Bose, Darrell Miller and Joe Olson. (News Photo).



Emergency Medical Services: It Starts With You

The emergency medical services teams that serve our communities devote their lives medical to saving the lives of others. dispatchers, medical include Thev emergency technicians. naramedics. emergency physicians, emergency firefighters, nurses, educators and administrators. And whether they're volunteers 01 professionals, they're all specially trained to care for you when you need it most.

We urge you to join us in saluting these dedicated men and women during National Emergency Medical Services Week, and take time to learn how you can be part of this lifesaving team .



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emergency department this year. In fact, the number of

emergency department visits-

an important measure of EMS

dramatically, from under 66 million visits in 1973 to more

than 90 million in 1990, according to the American

In many ways, the growth of the nation's emergency medical services (EMS) is the

result of public demand. Prehospital care didn't surface

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Provided by Gene Hughes

I was talking to a friend of mine the other day who had just recently gone into the monogramming business. I asked him how his new business was doing and he replied that he has had some initial success. Studying to become an Emergency Medical Technician is a

It like the monogramming business. First you are taught all about "EMS" and the vital role an

"EMT" plays. Then its back to your kindergarten days to learn your "ABC's". I soon found out that taking a "BP" was much easier than pronouncing that thing-a-ma-jig I used to take it with. Some patients we were told might suffer from "CHF" and could develop an "MI" during the trip to the hospital. That might mean we would have to do "CPR". Now we are about to learn how to read an "EKG" so that we can "D-Fib" if needed. We must also know how to maintain an "IV" line with "D5W" or whatever in it.

or whatever in it. We practiced lifting and moving so that anyone with a "CNS" injury would not be injured more. We discovered how important "TLC" was in caring for someone who had had a important "CVA".

"CVA". We learned to extricate people form a "PI" using a "KED" and how to use some inflatable pants called "MAST" to help prevent shock. We ere taught the importance of using the correct "O2" flow with or without "H2O" in treating a patient with "COPD". Of course it goes without saying that an "OB" patient has an "ETA" to the hospital "PDQ". We have many patients whose problems are a direct result of "ETOH" or the "DT's" from a lack of it. We were reminded that the "FCC" would be monitoring our conversations when on

that the "FCC" would be monitoring our conversations when on "IHERN". So with that the thought in mind I will "END".



When to Call an Ambulance

When should you call an ambulance instead of driving to the emergency department? Ask yourself the following questions:

- Is the victim's condition life-threatening?
- Could the victim's condition worsen and become life-threatening on the way to the hospital?

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- Could moving the victim cause further injury?
- Does the victim need the skills or equipment of paramedics or emergency medical technicians?
- Would distance or traffic conditions cause a delay in getting the victim to the hospital? If the answer to any of these questions is

"yes," or if you are unsure, it's best to call an ambulance. This is true even though you can sometimes get to the hospital faster by driving than by calling an ambulance. Paramedics and emergency medical technicians communicate with the physician in the emergency department by radio. They are trained to begin medical treatment on the way to the hospital. This prevents any delay that could occur if the patient is driven to the emergency department. The ambulance can also alert the emergency department of the patient's condition in advance.

If you live in a community with a single emergency number, calling for help is easy. Just dial 9-1-1. If your community does not have the 9-1-1 emergency number, keep the numbers of the fire, police, and emergency medical services near your telephone. When you call for help, speak calmly and clearly. Give your name, the address, phone number, location of victim (such as upstairs in the bedroom), and nature of the problem. Don't hang up until the dispatcher tells you to. They may need additional information or need to give you instructions.



OBITUARIES

LEE HOWARD Lee Howard, 63, of 10013 W. 16th Road, Argos, and formerly of Ligonier, died at 12:35 p.m. Tuesday, May 5, 1992 in Holy Cross Parkview Hospital, after an extended illnes.

He was born March 3, 1929, in Floyd County, Ky., to Wiley and Minnie Manns Howard.

On April 12, 1991, he married Becky Murphy, who survives.

He had worked in foundry

construction. Surviving with his wife are two daughters, Sue Clemons, Argos, and Stephanie Howard, at home; four sons, Lee Howard Jr., Wabash, Kenneth Howard, Akron, Les Howard, Etna Green, and Paul Howard, Ema Green, and Paul Howard, Argos; two step-sons, Adam and Shane Murphy, both at home; 10 grandchildren; one sister, Nellie Howard, Selmer, Tenn.; and five brothers, Alf Hoard, LaGrange, Charlie and Arie Howard, both of Ohio, Jimmy Howard Tennessee Jimmy Howard, Tennessee, and Carl Howard, Florida. He was preceded in death by one grandson and several brothers and sisters.

Services were at 1 p.m. Friday, in Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. Billy Fields officiating. Burial was in Akron Cemetery.

CLETUS L. GRIFFITH Clearus L. Griffith, 84, of 9201 W. CR 225N, Erna Green, died at 1:37 p.m. Monday, May 4, 1992 in Holy Cross Parkview Hospital, Plymouth. He was born Jan. 27, 1908

in in Huntington County to Walter and Lola Smith Griffith.

On Dec. 24, 1937 he married Nellie F. Mikel, who survives.

A resident of the Etna Green area most of his life, he was a retired teacher and a farmer. He was a member of Etna Green United Methodist Church and Bourbon Masonic Lodge 227. He was an Army veteran of World War II and retired from the Army Reserves in 1970. include

Survivors include two brothers, Ermel Griffith, Valparaiso, and Dean Griffith, address unknow; and nine nieces and nephews.

Services were at 10 a.m. Thursday in Deaton Funeral Hme, Bourbon, with the Rev. Ronald Dixon officiating. Burial was in Etna Green Cemetery.

MARY MAXINE SHARROW

Mary Maxin Sharrow, 69, 224 Longacre Drive, Erie, PA, died Thursday, April 16, 1992 at the Battersby Convalescaent Center after a short illness.

She was born June 4, 1922 in Akron to the late Percy and Olive Redinger Swick.

She was an avid stamp collector and a member of the American Philatelic Society. She was also a member of the Erie Yacht Club Auxiliary and

Erie Professional

Engineers Wives Club. She is survived by her husband of 46 years, Robert F. Sharrow; two sons, James Sharrow of Duluth, Minn., and Robert F. Sharrow, Jr. of Grosse Pointe Park, Mich.; of one brother, Devon Swick of Dade, City, Fla.; and her stepmother, Stella Swick of Warsaw. Seven grandchildren also survives.

Services were April, 20 at Burgger Home for Funerals, Erie, Erie, Pa., with the Rev. Dr. Lewis M. Evans, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. Memorials may be made to the First Presbyterian Church of the Convenant, 250 W. Seventh St., Erie, Pa., 16501

EVERETT E. SWICK

Everett E. Switck, 87, of Bisbee, AZ, died Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1992 at the Copper Queen Hospital, Bisbee, due to an illness

He was born in Silver Lake, on March 27, 1904 and resided in Bisbee for 16 years. He graduated from Beaver Dam High School in 1922.

He was married to Helen Whittenberger Swick in 1927.

Mr. Swick was preceded in death by one son, Merrill Wesley Swick and one granddaughter, Cindy Lynn Swick; three sistes, Faye Carte, Dorthy White, and Lena Kuhn. He was a retired farmer in the Burket area before moving to Az. in 1971.

He was a member of the Anderson Church of God, Anderson, and attended the Nazarene since 1976. Mr. Swidt

Mr. Swick is survived by his wife, Helen of Bisbee, one daughter, Frances Lester of Bisbee, two sons, Donald Swick of Claypool, and Frank Swick of Herford, Az.; two sisters, Ocia Perry of Travers City, Mich., Annabelle Anglin of Leesburg; three brothers, Dowe Swick, Rosedale, Jay Swick, Akron, and Ralph Dale Swick, Bloomington, In; 18 grandchildren; 35 great-granchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held May 16, 1992 at 1:30 at the Akron Church of God, with the Rev. James Malbone officiating. His ashes were returned to Akron for internment in the Akron Cemetery.

liew In of flowers, donations may be made to the Gideon Memorial Bible Fund. The Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, will be charge of arrangements.

L. LEON STALEY L. Leon Staley, 91, Rt. 1, Mentone (Palestine), died at 12:55 a.m. Sunday, May 10, 1992 in Miller's Merry Manor,

Warsaw. He was born in Noblesville to Edwin and Myrtle Bessire Staley.

On Aug. 26, 1945 at Peru he married Pauline York, who survives.

He was retired from the

C&O Railroad at Peru after 22 years, and was a member of the United Methodist Church.

Surviving with his wife is a nephew, Richard York, Peru. Graveside services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Rankin Cemetery, Peru, with the Rev. Steve Bate officiating. King Memorial Home, Mentone, was in charge of arrangements.

FRANCES CARTER

Frances Clark Carter, 93, formerly of Mentone, died at 11:45 a.m. Sunday, May 10, 1992 at the Golden Years Homestead in Fort Wayne.

She was born in Mentone to William F. and Broda Cramer Clark. She was married to Bose Carter, who died in 1959.

She was a member of the Mentone United Methodist Church. She had taught business courses at the New Paris, Etna Green, Mentone, LaPaz, Bourbon, Plymouth and Knightstown high schools. Surviving are two step-sons, Charles and Jennings Carter,

Florida, and two nephews, Richard Clark, New Haven, and William Clark, Harlan.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the King Memorial Home, Mentone, with the Rev. Will Lawson officiating. Burial was in the Mantone Germetery



KYLE EUGENE **KEVAN DALE** SECRIST

Jeff and Sherri Secrist, Rt. 6, Box 393, Rochester, are parents of twin sons born April 20, 1992 at Woodlawn Hospital.

Kyle Eugene weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. Kevan Dale weighed 7 lbs. 2 oz. They have two brothers, Scott, 5, and Ryan, 3. Maternal grandparents are Dale and Betty Miller, Rt. 2, Akron.

Paternal grandparents are Eugene and Arlo Secrist, Bourbon.



JENELLE KAE BEST Tim and Lynn Best, Rt. 1, Box 321B, Silver Lake, are the box 321B, shiver Lake, are the parents of a daughter, Jenelle Kae Best, born at 2:07 a.m. Thursday, April 24, 1992 in Wabash County Hospital. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces and measured 19 1/4

inches. Grandparens are Robert and Esther Davis, Wabash, and Pat Best, Elkhart. Arvada Wiest, Bristol. is а great-

grandmother. Jenelle joins Julie, Jason, 11; and Jenna, 7 1/2. 12:





DEREK MICHAEL KASER

Michael and Johna Weida Kaser, 221 Park Terrace Blvd. Columbia City, are the parents of a son born at 1:49 a.m. May 1, 1992 at Whitley County Memorial Hospital Columbia City.

The baby weighed 8 lbs. 8 oz. and has been named Derek Michael.

Maternal grandparents are John and Crystal Weida, Akron. Maternal greatgrandparents are Don and Mary Shrum, Rochester, and Beecher and Dovie Weida, Akron.

Paternal grandparents are Lynn and Carolyn Kaser, Churubusco. Paternal great-grandparents are Lloyd and Genova Kaser, Walkerton, and Virginia Fagan, Lakeville.

The Beaver Dam Better 4-Hers met on May 4, 1992 at the Beaver Dam Church. The meeting was called to order by Bethany McFarland. Wes Bethany McFarland. Wes Manns raised the American Flag and Mark Wortley the 4-H Flag. Devotions were given by Brandon Wortley, and Cara Cumberland gave a report on Health and Safety. Roll call theme was Favorite Summer Activity. Secretary's report was read by Cassey Pontious and the Treasurer's report given by Amy Rodenberg.

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Demonstrations photography were given by Matt Tucker and Jason Cumberland. The program junior leaders were Bethany McFarland, Cara Cumberland, Cassey Pontious and Tom Simons. Refreshments were served by Amy and Eric Rodenberg; Chris and Brian Jones, and Jenny and Michelle

Day. The next meeting will be held on June 1, 1992 at the



Mentone Cemetery.

The Akron-Mentone News -May 13, 1992 Who's Who in Mentone



Orabelle Meredith in the Boggs and Nelson Insurance Agency, where she celebrated her 30th anniversary this year. Orie has worked hard on the Chamber of Commerce for many years and enjoys looking over the many souvenirs she has kept of the various Egg Festivals, especially Mentone's 1982 Centennial Celebration.

Portrait of Orie

by Leafy Hudson

Office Manager Orabelle "Orie" Meredith celebrated her thirtieth anniversary with Boggs and Nelson Insurance Agency April 1, 1992

Orie recalls when she started with the agency. Her father-inlaw, Frank Meredith, came home on evening with the news that Boggs & Nelson were looking for a secretary. "Mr. Nelson wants to talk to you," he said.

Orie went in the next day, April 1, 1962, interviewed with both Macy Nelson and Joe Boggs and began working that day. "I've been their April fooler ever since!" "I learned so much from both of them," Orie says. "I have

such wonderful memories of Macy. He was so humorous. He never met a stranger. He taught me how to meet the public-to always have a smile on my face.

"I've also learned a lot from Joe," she says. "He always tells me, 'Don't get stressed. Life's too short.' He also says, 'If you can't say something good, don't say anything'--he says his dad taught him that. I've had the best two bosses anyone could have

Orie was born to George and May Jane Kotterman in a farmhouse between Macy and Deedsville in Miami County. When she was four, her family, including her brother, Chester, moved to another farm near Akron. An inveterate saver, Orie treasures a picture of her first school, the building on Maple Street in Akron that many years earlier had been Akron's first birther ber high school.

Her sixth grade class was the first one to go into the high school building when they had to vacate the grade school to accommodate builders working on the present elementary school.

Always musical, Orie cherishers memories of her music teachers those years: Bernice Bowen (piano), LaDonna Rader and Imogene Mavis. "They influenced me greatly." she says. Very active in high school, Orie played clarinet in the band, sang in the chorus, and acted in plays. She worked at the Winona Cafe and "has wonderful memories of people like the Leiningers, Tom Haupert and Charlie Moyer. They teased me. It was so much fun."

Orie was an early "Miss Fulton County "in 1953 (she still has in 1954. "I still love basketball," she laughs. Her graduation and senior trip (to New York City and Washington D.C. on a train) were memorable because she shared it with her brother, Chet. Never strong, he had lost school time because of ill health. "We had so much fun," she says. "We just got a big bottle of Ginger Ale and had a ball!"

Orie's Senior Prom turned out to be an important milestone in her life. The music that night was provided by Jimmy Meredith's Band. When Orie met Jim that night, it was, as they say, kismet.

Orie graduated, and went to work at Rochester Telephone Company. "I always wondered about the people on the other end of the line," she says. "What they looked like and where they

Jim and Orie married in December and lived in a trailer near his parents' family farmhouse. Married to Jim, Orie wanted to join the band, "But, I couldn't. They all had such marvelous talent. They would just hear a song and they could play it. I couldn't do that. So, I sang with the band." They appeared many years all over Indiana.

years all over Indiana. Although Orie rarely sings now, one song and setting is very special to her. At age six, she sang "In the Garden" at the Athens EUB Church, walking as she sang, to stand in a flower bowered trellis. About two years ago, she sang the same song for that church's homecoming. After singing, she told them why she had chosen that song. "It's very special to me," she says. About three years after their marriage, when Jim's parents moved into Mentone, Orie and Jim moved into his family home, which was built in 1874. "I'm still on the farm "eac song" Ulika

which was built in 1874. "I'm still on the farm," she says. "I like

Orie took a job Berkway's Grocery Store, on the south side of Main Street, and then was hired to do payroll at Frank Mfg. where she worked five years with her present colleague, Kate Whetstone. "When we were needing someone else here about ten years ago," she says. "I hollered at Kate across the street that I wanted to talk to her. I told her what I wanted and she's been here ever since.

During the five years at Frank's, their son, Gary, now of Central City, Colorado, and daughter, Diana were born. Diana lives in Rochester with husband, "PeeWee" Smith and sons, Shavne and T.I.

It was when work at Frank's slacked off and Orie was laid off. that the invitation to be interviewed by Macy and Joe was received.

One of Orie's saddest memories is of her beloved brother Chet's death in 1966 at age 31. "We were very close," she remembers.

Orie is very proud of her many years as a member of the Mentone Chamber of Commerce and of her accomplishments as a member.

"Macy and Joe were involved in it," she says. "Somebody talked me into doing the parade and I've been involved ever since." She has held every office and was the first lady president. Still keeping everything, Orie has a large collection of Akron-Mentone News articles and pictures of former Egg Festivals and other chamber activities. Her prize possession is a program from the Sixth Annual Egg Festival, Friday, April 18, 1941. "Dinner

Music" is listed as presented by Frank Meredith's Orchestra. Also listed is "Music" by "Red Foley, WLS Radio Artist." But, Orie's favorite memories are of Mentone's full week

Centennial Celebration in 1982. "No one knows how much work it was," she says, "but it was worth it." The way, she says, but it was worth it. Orie loves to take out the old clippings and the scrapbook she made of that week and travel down memory lane. "Many of them are gone now," she says. A favorite memory is of the men's beard contest. She laughs, describing R. J. Hill as he arrived with a bandana over his face. When he took it off, he swapled a band an open ride of big face and the steps ide alexes

revealed a beard on one side of his face and the other side clean shaven.

Orie enjoys working with all the activities of the chamber: the fairstand, the Egg Festival, the Mentone-Burket basketball game, working with Helping Hands, buying the town's Christmas decorations, and donating to the many organizations they do, including Mentone Firemen, EMT's and Street Scene. "It's all for the good of the town and helps bring us together into one happy family."

When thinking about her chamber activities and Mentone in general, Orie says she is reminded of Garrett Phillips, a former Mentone Methodist pastor. "Remember what he always said?" she asks. "It's how I feel. 'I was there and I am glad."



Wymond Wilson is shown presenting a check for almost Dr. \$900, on behalf of the Mentone Lions, to Butch Warren, Mentone Fire Chief. The money was earned in a joint effort of the two organizations through sausage sales.



New Books at **Bell Memorial** Library

Fiction:

The First Wives Club, by Olivia Goldsmith--A smart, sexy, wickedly funny novel about three first wives who band together to take their due from the men who used them, abused them, then dumped them.

em. The Pelican Brief, by John risham--Late one October Grisham--Late one October night, Justice Abe Rosenberg, at ninety-one the Supreme Court's liberal legend, is shot in the head while sleeping in his Georgetown home. Two hours later Glenn Jensen, the court's youngest and most conservative justice, is conservative justice, is strangled, possibly by the same assassin. The country is stunned and baffled; the FBI has no clues-

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Jewels, by Danielle Steel--A journey through five eventful decades, this is the story of a family whose lives are woven into the fabric of history

All Around The Town, by Mary Higgins Clark--Mystery, suspense, and murder envelope a young woman in her efforts to unravel the mind her multiple-personality of sister.

Trial By Fire, by Harold Coyle--In this superbly paced new novel, the United State is caught by surprise as a Mexican revolution suddenly destablilizes the almost-2000 mile-long undefended border between the two countries.

Non Fiction:

Cargill. Trading The World's Grain, by Wayne G. Broehl, Jr.-A full scale history of Cargill and its rise to international leadership among the "big five" grain traders.

How It Feels When Parent Dies, by Jill Krementz-Eighteen personal experiences in the words of children who have lost а parent.

Miracle Man. Nolan Ryan, The Autobiography. The Magnificent 92: Indiana Courthouses, by Jon

Dilts--Color photographs and histories of the Indiana courthouse.

High-Speed Healing, by the Editors of Prevention Magazine--The fastest, safest and most effective shortcuts to lasting relief.

Veterinary Notes For Dog by Treve detailed, ^asily Owners, ed. Turner--A authoritative and for the understood text professional breeder and pet owner alike.





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Area School lunch menus for the week of May 18 through May 22 are:

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Monday - Mighty-rib sandwich, dill slices, tator tots, buttered corn, peach cobbler, applesauce, fruit juice and milk.

Tuesday - Turkey sandwich with mayo, seasoned green beans, macaroni salad, sliced

beans, macaroni salad, sliced peaches, fruit juice and milk. Wednesday - Ham and cheese sandwich, celery and carrot sticks, baked beans, cole slaw, mixed fruit, fruit juice and milk.

Thursday - Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, mixed vegetables, lettuce salad, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk. Friday

Submarine sandwich, French fries, buttered pears, cake, pineapple tidbits, fruit juice and milk.

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

BURKET

Monday - Burger and cheese sandwich, dill pickles, French fries, trail mix, spiced apple ring, milk. Tuesday - Tuna noodle

bake, carrot chips, bread with butte, applesauce, milk. Wednesday - Pizza boats, macaroni salad, potato sticks,

pineapple cake, milk.

Thursday - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, bread with butter, carrot chips, chocolate pudding, milk.

Friday - Chicken salad pita pocket, buttered red beans,

cookie, peach delight, milk. MENTONE

Monday - Ham patty, escalloped potatoes, green beans, applesauce, bread and butter. Tuesday - Pizza on wheels,

Tuesday - Pizza on wheels, lettuce salad, raisins, peanut butter and jelly sandwich. Wednesday - Chicken sandwich, potato rounds, buttered carrots, pudding. Thursday - Country fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, peas, chocolate cake, bread and butter. Eriday - Hot dog with hun

Friday - Hot dog with bun, baked beans, pineapple, fruit

NORTH MIAMI

Monday - Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, corn, peanut butter sandwich,

com, peanut outer sandwich, cherry crisp, milk. Tuesday - Beef ... stew, grilled cheese sandwich, tossed salad, peach pie, milk. Wednesday - Pizza, carrots,

strawberry crisp, cookie, milk. Thursday - Cook's choice. Friday - Cook's choice.

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Monday - Chicken and

Monday - Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, pineapple, jelly bread. **Tuesday** - Taco salad, sliced peaches, baked item. **Wednesday** - Turkey salad sandwich, buttered corn, mixed fruit, cookie.

Thursday - Macaroni and cheese, buttered carrots, jello, hot rolls and butter.



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neighbors for your help during our recent surgeries. Thank you for the plants, flowers, visits, cards and prayers. Thank you to those that looked after Larry. You are all special and we appreciate your love and concern. Jim and Bonnie Wagoner

Letters to Mom

Burket School third graders know their mothers are very special. We wish them a very happy Mother's Day! from Mrs. Ousley's class.

My mom makes the best food in the world. She helps me get A's in spelling. Mom plays Mario Brothers 3 with me. She cares about me and loves me.

James Stapleton Mom takes time for me. She is smart and gives me compliments. She helps me with homework. Mom is cheerier than most moms. Ryan Pritchett

What a great mom I have! She walks with me and rides bikes. Mom lets me buy anything I need. Stephanie Rabey

My mom gets her hair braided. She likes to shop. Mom teaches school like Mrs. Ousley. Mom lets me choose video games or movies. She is the nicest mom in the whole world.

Anthony Domenico My mom lets me drive the

The Akron-Mentone News - May 13, 1992 swim, climb trees, and get on the roof. She is a helpful mother. I love her very much! Chris McDaniel My mom has a good tan. She loves Kegan, Ashley, dad, and me. I love her for that. Lindsay O'Brien

Lindsay O'Brien Mom lets me have friends

Mom lets me have inleads over a lot. She takes me to rent movies. What a neat mom! Josh Freeman Mom fixes just the kind of food I enjoy. She cleans my room and loves me. She's meat! great!

Jessica Shirey Mom surprised me with a Nintendo. I get to have friends visit. She's extra nice, and I love her!

Jillian Clouse Mom is beautiful! She likes flowers. She likes to lay out in the sun when it's warm. Happy Mother's Day!

Jason Davis Mom is responsible for things. She takes me out when I need it. She's nice at times.

Her food is the best! Adam Makinson Mom is good to our family.

She always takes time to help me with school work. She is

Jonathan Brunner Sometimes she lets me sleep in. Mom has black hair. She gives me money and lets me

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Eddie Sexton I sure do like my mom. She buys me neat shoes and books. She helps me with my homework. Most importantly-I love her!

Jacob Manns My mom enjoys roller skating. Mom is my friend, because she listens to me. She takes me out to eat. She's pretty! Some days she goofs off. Dana McFarren





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AKRON CHURCH OF GOD SERVICES: THURS., MAY 14, 7:00 P.M. Adult and Youth Bible Studies; SUN., MAY 17, 8:25 A.M. Early Worship; 9:30 A.M. Sunday School; 10:30 A.M. Second Worship; 5:30 P.M. Choir Rehearsal; 7:00 P.M. Evening Worship; MON., MAY 18, 7:00 P.M. Church Council; TUES., MAY 19, 10:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. Goldenaires; WED., MAY 20, 9:00 A.M. Ladies Prayer Group; 7:00 P.M. Scouts. James W. Malbone, Pastor; P.O. Box 66, Akron, IN 46910. Phore 933 4121 Phone 893-4121.

OMEGA CHURCH

SERVICES: Sunday Schoool, 9:30 a.m.; Youth Church, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Bible Study, 7:15 p.m. Thursday at Bowens. Everyone welcome to all services. Thomas Tupps, Pastor; George Graham, Supt.; Mark Hawley, Asst. Supt. PALESTINE BIBLE CHURCH

(Located 6 miles east of Mentone on SR 25) SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worthip Service, 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday evening prayer meeting, 7:00 p.m. David E. Callighan, pastor. Phone 269-5840. Member of Indepen-dent Fundamental Churches of America (IFCA). Fundamental - Bible Believing - Christ Centered

FULL GOSPEL HOUSE OF PRAYER (P.O. Bax 605, Akron) SERVICES: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wed., Bible Study, 6:00 p.m. Joseph Clemons, pastor.

AKRON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Choir Practice, Wed., 7:45 p.m.; Junior Church available; Nursery School with Morning and Afternoon Classes Tues., Wed., Thurs. during school year. Chancel Choir Director Dot Lynn. Merlyn Cox, Pastor; John York, Lay Leader; Jane Shull, Superintendent.

BETHLEHEM BAPTIST CHURCH

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m. John Campbell, Pastor; Ron Shoemaker, Sunday School Supt.; Mike Hoyt, Asst. Supt.

AKRON CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday Evening Bible Study and Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m. Everyone welcome. John Mishler, Pastor.

RIVERVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Youth Groups, 5:00 p.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wed. Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m. Location: 1 mile west of St. Rd. 25 on St. Rd. 110. Rod Ruberg, Pastor; Dave Cox, Sunday School Supt.

EMMANUEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(Located 1 mile north of Gilead on SR 19, 2 miles east) SERVICES: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Richard Fox, Minister; Robert Struck, Rt. 1, Roann, Supt. Everyone welcome.

SILVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Jr. and Sr. CGYA, 6:00 p.m.; Thurs. Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m. Pastor Roy Wolfe; Steve Sutton, Sunday School Supt.; Lamonte Rhoades, Asst. Sunday School Supt.; Jeff Murphy, Asst.

TALMA GRACE BIBLE

(Located just off Route 25) SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:15 a.m.; Wed. Awana, 7:00 p.m.; Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Pastor: Marvin Meeker.

BEAVER DAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SERVICES: Regular Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.; Children's Bible Study, Thurs., 6:30 p.m.; Adult Bible Studies, Wed. 2 p.m. and Thurs. 6:30 p.m.; Choir Rehears. Phone 893-7393; Rev. Ersel Potts.

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MENTONE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Training Hours, 6:30 p.m.; Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 p.m.; Thurs. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m. Pastor Joe Olson. Parsonage 353-7689. COOK'S CHAPEL CHURCH (Located on Rd. 100 South) SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 7:00 p.m.; Tues. Evening, Youth, 7:00 p.m.; Thurs. Evening Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Pastor, Marvin Lowman, Burket, 491-2872; Bus Ministry, 491-2872. MENTONE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES: Early Bird Class, 8:00 a.m.; Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:00 p.m.; Tues., Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Wed., UM Children, 3:30 p.m.; Thurs., Choir Practice, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor; Sallie Slone, Outreach Min-ister.

MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship and Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday Even-ing, 6:30 p.m.; Thurs. Even. 7:30 p.m. Billy Steele, Minister. GILEAD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES: Church Service, 9:00 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Bob Lougheed, Pastor;

Floyd Young, Supt.

MENTONE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

(Worshipping at So. Prairie Street, Atwood) SERVICES: Sunday, 9:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.; Tues. Evening 7:30 p.m.; Thomas W. Harman, Pas-

BURKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; We invite all persons to come join us as we praise our God in study and worship. Ladies Prayer and Share is on Tues, at 9:30 a.m.; Youth meet the second and fourth Sundays at 6 p.m. and Come Along Bingo for Senior Citizens is the third Wed. at 1:00 p.m. For information call: Rev. Douglas Johns, 491-3945 Home; 491 4345 Church.

OLIVE BRANCH CHURCH OF GOD SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m.; Worship Services, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m.; Wed-nesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Lowell Burrus, Pastor; Lawrence See, Assoc. Pastor. OLIVE BETHEL CHURCH OF GOD

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Thursday - Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Pastor - Mitchael Ripley; Supt. - Helen Cox; Asst, Supt. - Minnie Ellison. County Roads 9000E, 200N.

Supt. - MINNIE EILISON. COUNTY ROADS 900E, 200N. TALMA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Services, 10:45 a.m.; First Wednesday of each month, United Methodist Women meet. Pastor Jeff Taylor. Church office, 223-3375; home 223-4648. ATHENS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SERVICES: Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Pastor E. Irwin Behm Jr., Phone 317-473-6013.

ATWOOD OTTERBEIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ATWOOD OTTERBEIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES: Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Cotfee and Fellowship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, First Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Choir, Thursday, 7:00 p.m.; United Methodist Women, Second Tuesday; Men's Breakfast, First Saturday, 7:00 a.m. Pastor - Doug Davies.

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Class of 96' Dance

The Drug-Free Schools and Communities Local Advisory Committee of the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation will sponsor the second annual dance of eighth grade students from Akron and Mentone Schools. This year's event is titled, the "Class of 96 Dance", and will be held in the commons area at Tippecanoe Valley High School on Friday, May 15, from 7:30 to 10 p.m. Tom McKean, well-known radio talk show personality and speaker from Fort Wayne, will be this year's disc jockey. Admission to the "Class of 96' Dance" will be free with food and soft drinks served at no cost to students. Pictures will be available for a nominal fee. \$250 worth of items will be given away during drawings and activities throughout the evening. The "Class of 96' Dance" is

a dress-up dance and absolutely is not to be considerded a formal formal Students activity. Students are discouraged from renting or purchasing formal dresses or tuxedos. Shorts, blue jeans, or tennis shoes are not acceptable attire for the dance. Girls are expected to wear dresses, skirts, culottes, or split skirts. Boys may wear dress slacks and sports shirts or dress shirts. Suits and ties are acceptable attire.

The purpose of the "Class of 96' Dance" is to allow the eighth grade students from Akron and Mentone Schools AKTUNI AND MENTONE Schools to get to know each other better, easing their transition into a single ninth grade class at Tippecanoe Valley High School & second memory into School. A second purpose is to provide students with an enjoyable and substance-free

activity. The "Class of 96' Dance" is being organized and superviesd by a number of parents and students from Akron and Mentone Schools and the principals of both schools.

Should there be questions concerning the "Class of 96' Dance", please fell free to contact Principal Daniel V. Kramer at Mentone School (353-7465) or Principal Brett R. Boggs at Akron School (893-4646).

New books

at Akron Library

Fiction:

Schoolmaster's The Daughter, by Dorothy Eden--She had the face of an angel and the soul of a demon--and only her sister knew the truth. A new novel by this wellknow author.

All Around The Town, by Mary Higgins Clark--Here is the author's latest and most the autor terrifying pyschological weaves a spellbinding tale of obsession, multiple personality, and murder.

Almost Heaven-by Judith cNaught--From the best McNaught--From selling author who wrote Whitney, My Love and Something Wonderful comes another spell binding romance.



Todd Bailey, son of George and Roseann Bailey, Akron, and

Todu Baley, soli of George and Koscalm Baley, Akton, and has been selected as Viking of the Week. Todd, 17, is a junior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. He has participated and lettered in baseball for three years and football one year. His most recent sports accomplishment was when he led the baseball team in hitting with a 3-1 win over Pioneer with two RBI's.

Todd plans to attend ITT after graduation and major in electronics and engineering. The News congratulates Todd on his athletic record and

wishes him success at ITT.



Paula Shuey, daughter of Gary and Kathy Shuey, Rochester, has been selected as the Viking of the Week. Paula, 18, is a senior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. She

participates and has lettered in softball which she also considers her favorite sport.

Paula plans to attend college after graduation but has not yet decided on the university. She plans to major in business. The News would like to congratulate Paula on her athletic

record and wish her success in the future.

Shadow Bride- by Jane eart--Another generation Peart--Another comes into its own at the beautiful Montclair estate. A historical, family saga of enduring beauty, this is the seventh book in the popular Brides of Montclair series.

Broken, Promises Promises Kept, by Janet Q. Bedley--The Civil War had begun, but could their family's love hold them together as the terrors of that conflict threatened to tear them apart? Daniel, by Mary Christner Bomtrager--When Hildie suddenly dispappears, Daniel's happy world comes crashing down around him. From the author of *Ellie*, *Rebecca* and *Rachel* comes the latest story of life among the Amish.

A Kingdom Of Dreams, by Indith McNaught--Lady Jennifer is taken captive by the brutal English warrior, Black Wolf in another powerful romance from the bestselling



Academic Student of the Week

Chris Tucker, son of Thomas and Janet Tucker, Mentone, has

chris, 10 ctel, son of Thomas and Sance Tokker, Meinole, his been selected as Academic Student of the Week. Chris, 17, is a junior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. He belongs to the Spanish Club, Honor Society, Academic Team and Academic Spelling Bowl. Chris is also a member of 4-H and attends Riverview Community Church.

Chris carries a 9.6 grade point average and is on the honor roll. His favorite subject is Physics and finds Algebra II difficult. Chris plans to attend college after graduation at either Cedarville College or Purdue University to major in engineering.

The News would like to congratulate Chris on his academic record and wish him success in the future.

udent of the Month



David Flora, son of David and Joy Flora, Mentone, has been chosen as Student of the Month. David, 15, is a freshman at Tippecanoe Valley High School.

He has participated in basketball and considers General Business as his favorite subject and Electronics difficult.

What David likes most about Tippecance Valley School is "The people are pretty nice and I like the atmosphere." The News would like to congratulate David on being chosen Student of the Month and wish him success in the future.

author of Paradise.

Non-Fiction Non-Fiction 365 TV-Free Activities You Can Do With Your Child, by Steve and Ruth Bennett--Great ideas for replacing some of your child's TV viewing time with quality family time

To Vicwing time, Coin World's 1992 Guide To U.S. Coins, by William T. Gibbs--A guide to coin prices and value trends in an easy-touse format.

Nature Walks In Southern



by Martha Chrisman Riley--A musical resource guide that celebrates the long-standing importance of music as a part of life in Indiana.



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Akron School 1992 Honor Roll Fifth Grading Period

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Third grade all A's: Daren Alber, Lindsey Arnett, Josie Gaudill, Nancy Contreras, Stacy Denny, Amber Drudge, Ian Fawley, Kyleigh Gast, Jeremiah Haney, Sarah Kindig, Crystal Kirk, Jayme McCalla, Aaron Ramsey, Kyle Robinson, Drew Shafer, Stacy Tyler, Amber Utter, Justin Weaver, Angela Weller, Amy Wildermuth, Melanie Zehr. Honorable Mention: Misty Gohn, Jason Honeycutt, Kenny Swanson. All A's and B's: Amy Ammerman, Wesley Backus, Melissa Baker, Alyssa Bowser, Jarod Coughenour, B.J. Cunningham, Drew Deardorff, Jamie Doud, Mindy Dugan, Jim Eastwood, Jessica Fox, Adam Fulton, Charlene Givens, Derrick Harter, Adam Heckaman, Elizabeth Heiby, Trent Jones, Jennifer Kamp, Joshua Kamp, Tirzah Keckler, Andrew Martin, Andrew Meier, Chris Mitterling, Shad Newman, Rachel Parker, Jerry Peterson, Nicholas Ponto, Greg Prater, Tyson Runkle, Nathan Shewman, Kristen Shull, Tara Studebaker, Ryan Utter, Josh Weaver, Ashley Whitaker, Lynette Wilcox, Adam Wood.

Fourth grade all A's: Mandy Barber, Evan Boggs, RacAnn Burns, Rory Jewell, Jessica Riffle, Derek See, Shelly Shambaugh, Kristen Shoemaker, Jennifer Studebaker. All A's and B's: Pam Anglin, Jamie Baker, Justin Bellamy, Teresa Bucher, Kim Carr, Maria Contreras, Chad Derf, Brandon Eaton, Erin Eherenman, Lynette Feldman, Kristi Harger, Amber Harman, Hayley Howard, Valinda Jones, Shanon Kollin, Daniel Leon, Lindsay Lewis, Shanna Maggart, Liz Makula, Travis Maple, Mary Martin, Tim Michael, Nick Miller, Erica Pontious, Verlin Ramsey, Alan Rensberger, Jayme Saner, Billy Sitts, Brooke Smalley, Vickie Steen, Nathan Strohschein, Wendy Tilden, Inga Vandermark, Lindsy Wood.

Fifth grade all A's: Natisha Bean, Shirley Flannery, Bryce Gast, Beth Petrosky, Elyssa Shull, Tamar Strohschein. All A's and B's: Jessica Bailey, Jenifer Baker, Melissa Barnhart, Amanda Barr, Melinda Beery, Alicia Bradley, Ray Conliff, Josh Cumberland, Erin Drudge, Sarah Frazier, Luke Gibson, Stacey Hartzler, Leslie Herendeen, Kacey Kottkamp, Micah Lukens, Vienz Teri Near Cont Near Control Near Daride Near Krissy Myer, Teri Neer, Crystal Norman, Derrick Parker, Megan Ponto, Heather Potter, Eric Prater, Ashley Shepherd, Whitney Stump, Serena Swick, Candy Trosper, Alyssa VanCleave, Jon Weber, Stephanie Wilcox.

Sixth grade all A's: Eve Boggs, Johnathan Eastwood, Cassie Jones, Ryan McFarland, Kelly Meredith, Robyn Thompson, Amber Utter, Kelly Walters, Zach Waymire, Teri Whitaker. All A's and B's: Erin Anglin, James Biddle, Kevin Brofford, Amanda Burgess, Jenny Day, Orville Haney, Amy Haffield, Kelly Kamp, Kim Merley, Matt Michael, Steve Miller, Shari Reese, Becky Simons, Jessica Smith, Kalyn Smith.

Seventh grade all A's: Aura Ströhschein. All A's and B's: Aubry Bahney, Becky Chrismam, Erin Cook, Marc Ellenwood, Becky Faught, Stacey Flannery, Darcy Glingle, Cori Groninger, Chris Hoover, Jonathon Kamp, Rashel Kelly, Charlie Manns, Laurel Potter, Reba Roach, Derra Ruff, Tara Rutherford, Kristen Saner, Matt Stump, Tara Tennant, Chrystal Vandermark, Heather Wilcox, Crissy Williams, Brandon Wortley.

Eighth grade all A's: Amanda Alexander, Eric Rodenberg. All A's and B's: Reggie Burns, Angie Carr, Jason Cumberland, Kelly Deardorff, Katrina DeLawter, JaNay Domke, Mark Gaerte, Lisa Harger, Cindy Homan, Jill Hunter, Jeb Makula, Jarod Morgan, Eva Salmons, Priscilla Villalon.



Art Show winners

Akron Art Show winners

First place winners from each grade level at the Akron Art Show are pictured above: First Grade: Alicia Terpstra, Andrew Fulton, Kayla Birge,

Kevin Paxton Second Grade: Rebecca Steen, Alyssa Anglin, Brandon

Harmon, Jenny Seitz. Third Grade: Brian Flenor, Justin Weaver, Tara Studebaker,

Ian Fawley. Fourth Grade: Chad Derf, Jennifer Studebaker, Verlin Ramsey

Fifth Grade: Erin Drudge, Mary Ellen Stephens, (not

Sixth Grade: John Eastwood, Orville Haney, James Biddle. Seventh Grade: Kristen Saner, Aura Strohschein, Tara Rutherford.

Eighth Grade: Robert Witham, Jenny Cumberland, Eric Rodenberg, Amanda Alexander, Jeb Makula, Malinda Furnas, Logan Manns.

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Community News ***** ****

Mentone Nutrition Site



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

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

May 18 through May 22 is: Monday - Pineapple juice, sweet and sour meatballs, scalloped potatoes, steamed broccoli, whole wheat bread with margarine, mixed fruit, milk, tea, coffee. 34 grams fat/133 milligrams chol. Tuesday - Orange juice

Tuesday - Orange juice, spaghetti with meat sauce, Parmesan cheese on side, tossed salad with green pepper, shredded carrots and creamy Italian dressing, Italian bread with margarine, pears, milk, tea, coffee. 31 fat/112 chol

Wednesday - Apricot nectar, sliced roast turkey, sweet potato patties, steamed asparagus, whole wheat bread with margarine, lemon pudding, milk, tea, coffee. 26 fat/105 chol.

Apple juice, Thursday Swiss steak in gravy, mashed potatoes, brussels sprouts, whole wheat bread with margarine, brownie, milk, tea, coffee. 34 fat/95 chol.

Friday - Tomato juice, grilled chicken fillet on bun with lettuce and mayo, green bean casserole, lime gelatin salad with shredded cabbage and pineapple, fresh apple, milk, tea, coffee. 17 fat/107 chol.

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

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Mr. and Mrs. Manford Wright of Granger called on Joy Miller Sunday afternoon.

Joy Miller Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Joy Miller called on Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bolinger of Bourbon Saturday afternoon.

Mentone Mothers of World War II

World War II Mentone Mothers of World War II Unit 106 District 2, met Tuesday, May 5 at Akron with Mrs. Marilyn Stafford.

President Marilyn Stafford called the meeting to order. Sargent at Arms, Jeannie Nellans prepared the altar and presented the colors and led in the singing of our National Anthem, followed by the opening prayer by Chaplin Doris Linton. Pledge of

Alligiance was repeated.

The meeting was opened and ready for business. Roll call was answered by seven call members. Reading of the minutes of

the previous meeting was by Pearl Horn.

Financial secretary's report was given by Mildred Grindle. Treasurer's report was given by June Reed. Plans for Decoration Day were completed.

The next District 2 meeting will be held July 16 at Walton. Marilyn Staffod gave a report on the State Convention she had attended

Pearl Horn won the door prize. The June meeting will be at Jeannie Nellans', Tuesday, June 2. An auction conducted by Doris Linton was held after the closing of the meeting the meeting.

sere **Church News**

5 server A Mother and Children's

was held on Saturday Tea morning at the Beaver Dam United Methodist Church. Jerry Smith from Michigan City gave a won dramatization of "Ruth". wonderful

Following the program a brunch of quiché, muffins and rolls, fruit, coffee, juice and milk were served to 75 guests and members.

Lori Miller was hostess for twenty-one members and guests of the Beaver Dam and guests of the Beaver Dam United Methodist Women for the April meeting. Sherry Smalley opened the meeting by leading the ladies in the reading of the "Purpose." Pat Hoffman gave the roll call and meeting meeting the menutes the series read the minutes. Jeannie Smith gave the treasurer's report. Missionary support of Tracy Swank was added.

Thirty-five cards were sent to "friends in thought" this month. Cara Lyn Tucker read thank you notes from several of the friends.

The cookbook committee reported they have received approximately 450 recipes and the cookbooks should be ready for sale in August or September.

The program was presented by Phyllis (Ummel) Swick, who had been to Liberia on a work mission. We all enjoyed her stories, pictures, and her display of articles made in Liberia Bonnie Whittenberger

dismissed the meeting in a circle of prayer. The next meeting will be June 16 with a trip to the Biblical Gardens.

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Tibbets, Mentone. DISMISSALS: None. Wednesday, May 6 ADMISSIONS: None.

DISMISSALS: None Thursday, May 7 ADMISSIONS:

Karen Brande, Claypool. DISMISSALS: Shirley A.

Long, Mentone; Agnes R. ets, Mentone. BIRTH: Mr. and Mrs. Scott

Brande, Claypool, a son.

Woodlawn Hospital

Thursday, May 7 ADMISSIONS: Re Rebecca Dotson, Akron; M Holloway, Akron. DISMISSALS: None. Michael

Akron **Police Report**

Town of Akron Police report for March, April and May. March 3

Christopher Hubartt, Macy, kceeding speed limit. 42/30. March 10

Lonclay Wadkins, Mentone, driving while suspened. March 24

Christina Miller, Rochester, exceeding speed limit. 51/30. April 3

Christopher Hubartt, Macy, warning-front seat passenger restraint.

Benzing, Laura Akron. warning-exceeding speed limit. April 9

Connie Hite. Akron warning-disregarding stop sign.

Connie Hite. Connie Hite, Akron, exceeding speed limit. 54/40. April 10

Kevin Swihart, No. Liberty, exceeding speed limit. 45/30. April 14

Dorothy Lechleitner, Indianapolis, warning exceeding speed limit. Fred Hetzner, Peru, warning-tail lamp repair.

April 16 Pullin, Jack Akron, warning-headlamp repair.

April 17 Aleane Beckett, Lima, Oh.,

exceeding speed limit. 53/40. April 29 Ethel Bucher, Akron Akron.

warning-exceeding speed limit. May 1

Deedsville, Scott See. exceeding speed limit. 49/35.



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Tuesday, May 5 ADMISSIONS: Agnes R.

Scenes Around Town

By Leafy Hudson

Interviewing friends, old and new, to write profiles of Mentone personalities is always interesting and surprising. Everyone has a story, each one very different from the last, and it's a privilege to hear these stories first-hand. But, interviewing Orabelle Meredith this week struck me as, in a way, the most unusual and inspirational yet. The thing, that makes Orabelle's story so distinctive is that,

not only has she been present on Mentone's Main Street thirty years, but, for many of those years she has devoted time, thought and hard work to the good of the community by becoming and remaining a mainstay of the Mentone Chamber of Commerce. And for what? Through the fairstand, the Egg Festival and

dues paying members, the Chamber raises money each year to help the EMT's, the Mentone Firemen, protecting our lives and homes; Street Scene and things like new Christmas decorations to esthetically improve our already pleasant town, striving always to make it better; to help such organizations as Helping Hands, aiding those in our community who are experiencing bad times; to sponsor the kids' Easter Egg Hunt, the Mentone-Burket basketball game and Santa Claus' appearance at Christmastime just to make life in Mentone more fun for everyone.

These are just some of the accomplishments of the Chamber. Is there anyone in Mentone who hasn't benefited in some way from these activities? Whether we realize it or not, probably not.

No one but those who have helped can know how much work goes into the fairstand and the Egg Festival. It takes an incredible number of willing workers to successfully execute these activities and, fortunately, we have that. Many others besides Orabelle work hard and faithfully annually to accomplish these things, as well as many who help just when they can. They're a blessing to the community because, as Orabelle says, "It draws the community into a family." When the Camber was established in the mid-forties, its list of

dues-paying members was lengthy. Every businessman in Mentone belonged. Now, although the dues are nominal, many businesses, benefiting along with everyone else, are not duespaying members.

How much stronger we could be if each business would join. solution in the board is an experience each business person should experience. But, without that, just the act of paying dues would give each business a sense of belonging--a real joining into the Mentone family.



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Lonus and Virginia (Currie) Wise will celebrate their 50th

wedding aniversary with an open house kine celebrate their 50th yedding aniversary with an open house from 2-4 p.m. May 17, 1992 at the Akron Church of God. The couple request no gifts. The Wises were married May 15, 1942, in South Bend. Lonus retired from Soncoc Products, Inc. after 32 years of service. Hosts are their children, Chris Fultz of Akron, Mike of

Rochester, and Nedra Messmore of Pierceton. They have four grandchildren



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swihart of Talma will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary with an open house hosted by their children on Sunday, May 31 from 2:00-5:00 p.m. at the Mentone Town Hall.

Charles and the former Vicki Bowser were married in 1967 in Mentone.

They have three children, Angela Bielski of South Bend; Steven and Rebecca both of Talma. They also have one grandchild.

Mr. Swihart is employed at Delta Tool Mfg. at Rochester and Swihart Tax & Bookkeeping Service in Mentone. Mrs. Swihart is a secretary of the Mentone School.



Pearl Harbor **50 Years Later**

At the Fulton County Museum on Monday, May 18 at 7:30 p.m. Kenny Zartman, Rochester, will tell of his Rochester, will tell of his experiences at Pearl Harbor in 1941 and 1991. He was a young soldier at Pearl Harbor in 1941. In 1991 he attended the '50 year anniversary-memorial services in Hawaii. The public is welcome and free merschments will be

free refreshments will served. Trip to do

Genealogy Research

interested Anvone in genealogy research is invited to car-pool with the Genealogy Section of the Fulton County Historical Society on Saturday, May 16. They will meet on the east side of the courthouse at 8

a.m. and return about 7 p.m. Call the FCHS office at 223-4436 to request rides and to offer rides.

Vocal and Piano contest winners

following The The following Akron students participated in the Vocal and Piano contest on Saturday, February 8, 1992 at Elkhart Memoiral High School

Receiving firsts: Aura Stroschein-Piano Solo; Ann Miller-Vocal Solo and Angie Carr and Eva Salmons-Vocal Duet.

Receiving seconds: Angie Carr-Vocal Solo; Salmons-Vocal Solo Cindy Homan and Eva Salmons-Vocal Duet.



Jack Slaybaugh as a greeting card cowboy.

and as a real life Brown County deputy.

If you are browsing through the Leanin' Tree greeting cards

and think you see a familiar face, you just might be right. Akron High School graduate Jack Slaybaugh posed for a painting by western artist Mike Scovel that was chosen to be used as both a greeting card cover and a poster by the Leanin' Tree card company of Boulder Colorado. The painting features a purged looking courboy with twinkling areas measing a betteend rugged looking cowboy with twinkling eyes wearing a battered hat and bandana.

Former Akron resident's

likeness on greeting card

Slaybaugh, who is chief deputy for the Brown County Sheriff's Department, resides with his wife Georgianna in Nashville, IN.

It was Georgianna who first noticed that her husband's features had the same type of character as the cowboys used on the cards. She had long been a fan of Scovel's work and when he moved to Brown County a year ago, she commissioned a painting of her husband.

The artist then submitted the painting to the card company who "snapped it up." Scovel says Slaybaugh was an easy subject. "When you look in a person's eye, there is something that twinkles, and Jack has that twinkle. He has the character and the lines. When he smiles, his face turns into something really neat

Slaybaugh is the son of Mrs. Lewis Slaybaugh and the brother of Richard Slaybaugh, both of Akron. The card is available in stores now and the poster will be out

after the first of the year.





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parade go by, do you ever think about how much hard

work and planning goes into this event? Or where the funds

Come from? One way that funds have been raised in the past is Double Dollars,

called **Double Dollars**, formerly the 50/50 Club. For a

donaton of \$20 up to a \$100

donation, you will have a chance to double your dollars

once a month for a full year. This drawing will begin on

August 1st and continue until July of next year. Without the funds from this event, several activities would have to be

Letters have been sent out to area individuals and merchants asking for their support. If you have not received a letter and would like to contribute

like to contribute, contact Frances Utter 893-7179 or stop by Kindig Realty. Everyone donating will

have their names on posters that are placed in area businesses in both Fulton and

The deadline to have your name be on the poster is May

Invitational Track Meet

The Tippecanoe Invitational Track Meet will be held on

Thursday, May 21 at 4:15 p.m. School participatings will be

Akron, Mentone, South Whitley, Triton, Rochester, Wakarusa, Milford and

Akron Speedway Opens Sunday Sunday, May 24, 1992, is the opening day of the first season of the Akron Speedway. The 1/8 mile clay oval features Go Kart racing under World Karting

under World Karting Association rules. The track is

located 1-1/2 miles north of Akron on St. Rd. 19, then west

1/4 mile on county road 50N. Gates open at 12 noon with

practice at 1 p.m. and racing starts at 2 p.m. Bleacher

starts at 2 p.m. Bleacher seating is limited and lawn

chairs are welcome. Admission is \$3 and children

6 and under are free. For more information call 893-7242.

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Immunization Requirements

Indiana law requires that all school children shall be fully immunized against diphtheria, pertussis (whooping cough), tetanus, measles, rubella, and polio. Any child who did not complete grade one before July 1, 1985 must also be immunized against mumps. The only exception to these requirements are chidlren for whom the vaccines are medically contraindicated, or children whose parents have filed a written statement of objection with the school, for each child in the family, each year. No child in the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation will be permitted to enroll in Corporation will be permitted to enroll in kindergarten without a completed immunization record or the schedule for completion.

All students entering 6th grade in Indiana schools are required to have received at least two doses of measles vaccine, preferably M/M/R, and both doses must have been administered after the first birthday. The second dose may have been administered anytime during the child's life, as long as there were 30 days doses. This between requirement is in addition to the requirement for the other vaccines. No student in the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation will be Corporation will be permitted to enroll in 6th grade without providing proof of having received two doses of measles vaccine, in ddiscrete the state of the addition to the other required vaccines.

Parents are urged to seek the vaccines for their children now, from their family physician. If they cannot obtain it from a physician, they should contact their county health department. The school should be notified of administration of any the vaccine.

4th of July Double Dollars It's the 4th of July and everyone lines the streets to watch one of the best parades in the area. As we sip our the lemonade and watch

McEvoy trial postponed

The trial of former Akron Town Marshal James H. McEvoy, scheduled for May 12 in Fulton Circuit Court has been postponed pending a plea

been postponed pending a pica bargain agreement. Fulton County Prosecuting Attorney Rick Brown was scheduled for a two day trial unavailable and was for

and was unavailable for comment. McEvoy was charged in Desember of 1991 with Obstruction of Justice for ordering then Deputy Marshal Daniel Butt not to file a report on a theft from the impound lot at Gagnon Chevrolet.

Court documents allege that a 16 year-old Akron boy broke into Gagnon's impound lot, that McEvoy was aware of the theft, and that he instructed Butt to inform Gagnon Chevrolet if a theft report was filed, they would lose their impound lose their impound license.

McEvoy was also charged with Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor for allowing the youth to live in his (McEvoy's) home and for refusing to report the theft.

McEvoy was arrested and lodged in jail on Dec. 13. He posted \$5,000 bond and was released on Dec. 19. The Akron Town Council

had suspended McEvoy prior to the charges being filed because of numerous complaints about his conduct. He was fired after the charges were filed.

On January 13, 1992 a third charge of theft was filed against McEvoy in Fulton Circuit Court. That count against Circuit Court. That count that McEvoy had return vacuum alleges failed to return cleaners. attachments. accessories and training kits to the Electrolux Company in South Bend. He had been South Bend, He had been employed by the company as a salesman for approximately one year. The Electrolux office manager said in court documents that she had tried for eight months to contact McEvoy through the Akron Town Marshal's office to get him to return the equipment. A search warrant was issued and when police searched McEvoy's home they found several of the vacuum cleaners and other pieces of the equipment. McEvoy

is being

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Valley Superintendent and **Burket Principal Resign**

Baxter W. Paige, superintendent of schools at Tippecanoe Valley for the past 12 years, has submitted his resignation, effective June 30.

At the May 11 school board meeting, board president Fred McSherry read a letter from Paige requesting early retirement, which the board then approved. Paige, 56, has worked in the education field for 32 years, 23

of which were as an administrator. His letter stated that he felt "it was time to move on to other pursuits." Paige said that although he has had other offers of employment, he has no immediate plans, other than to "take it easy." He and his wife, Judy, will continue to reside in the area.

Paige said he was reluctant to retire in the midst of debate over junior high facilities and that he hoped his decision would not have any effect one way or another. He praised the school board and advised them to "consider the children" when deciding on the building program.

The board will consider applications from within the school system first for the position of superintendent. If no one is found, the search will continue outside the corporation. Paige urged the board to act quickly in selecting his replacement.

The board also reluctantly accepted the resignation of Burket principal and TVHS transportation director Oliver "England. England has been with the Valley school corporation for a total of 33 years, serving as both a teacher and administrator.

A good portion of the board meeting was again spent debating Terry Menzie reported that he had spoken with 52 fellow

Mentone residents who were unaware demolition of Mentone's three-story building was being considered.

Akron resident Joe Day urged the board to take care of siness first and the frills later.

Mike Yazel, Mentone, questioned the need for two gyms for the elementary buildings.

Patrons and board member John Mellott, who was recently defeated for re-election, expressed concern over inequities in gins for Akron and Mentone. Mellott pointed to plans for two gyms and a cafeteria at Akron but only one gym and a multipurpose room at Mentone. He said he felt it was not fair.

The board voted to meet again Monday, May 18 at 7:30 p.m. to discuss building plans with the architect. The regular meeting was followed by an executive session to discuss personnel. See next week's *News* for a report on that meeting.

In other matters, the board:

* Adopted math textbooks for all grade levels and approved the 1992-93 Prime Time plan.

* Approved the high student handbook, which will be included in a daily planner to encourage organization to the students.

* Voted to implement Channel 1 a 12-minute television news and advertising program at the high school. Students are required to watch the ads, which has caused the program to be rejected at other schools. The programs will arrive at the school early enough to permit previewing and editing, if necessary.
* Accepted the resignation of Akron third-grade teacher Amy

Swihart.

* Approved a list of 113 teachers for the 92-93 school term.

* Extended the contract of head coaches Greg Sciarra, boys' basketball; Scott Bibler, football; and Duane Burkhart, girls' basketball.

 Set May 21 at 1:30 p.m. as the time for ground breaking ceremonies for the new auxiliary gym.
Authorized Paige to apply for a temporary loan in anticipation of tax revenues. This has been done for the past several years.

* Approved advertising for bids for a 1980 66-passenger school bus the corporation has for sale.

* Heard principal reports.



The American Legion will conduct Memorial Day Services at 2 p.m. on Sunday, May 24, in the Mentone Day Cemetery.

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RAYMOND CREAKBAUM

Raymond C. Creakbaum, 57, died at 12:53 p.m. Sunday, May 10, 1992 in V.A. Medical Center, Marion. He was born April 10, 1935

in Warsaw. He worked at Dalton Foundry, Warsaw, and was a U.S. Navy veteran of the

Korean Conflict. He moved from Warsaw to

Marion six years ago. He was a member of the Walnut Creek Untied Methodist Church, Warsaw.

Survivors include one son. Survivors include one son, Fred W. Boggs, South Whitley; one daughter, Mrs. Garry (Kay) Phillips, Silver Lake; three grandchildren; two brothers, Don and Rex Creakbaum, both of Warsaw; and two esisters, Pat Hite, Warsaw; and Eleine Miller Warsaw, and Elaine Miller, Florida

Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Marion National Cemetery.Owen-National Cemetery.Owen-Weilert-Duncan Funeral Home, Marion, was in charge of arrangements.

MABEL PARKER

Mabel Parker, 78, formerly of Ind. 331S, Bourbon, died at 9:50 p.m. Tuesday, May 12, 1992 in Parkview Hospital, Fort Wayne, where she was a

patient for one week. She was born Sept. 10, 1913 near Bourbon, to George and Hattie Carper Trump.

In August 1938 in Warsaw, she married Leroy Parker. who died in 1964.

She was a resident of Miller's Merry Manor, Warsaw, for three years, and lived in the Bourbon and Atwood areas most of her life. She was a homemaker.

Surviving include six grandchildren; seven great-grandchidlren; one sister, grandchidlren; one sister, Wilma Roberts, Warsaw; one

brother. Donald Trump, Tippecanoe; and one daughter-in-law, Shirley Parker, New Haven. One son, one sister and one brother preceded her in death.

Serivces were at 1 p.m. Friday in the Grossman Funeral Home, Argos, with the Rev. Rod Schuler officiating. Burial was in Tippecanoe Cemetery.

GLADYS F. MEREDITH Gladys Freda Meredith, 99, Rt. 1, Etna Green, died at 2:14 a.m. Thursday, May 14, 1992 in Miller's Merry Manor, Warsaw.

She was born Feb. 13, 1893 in Etna Green to Edmund and Emma Eckert Lash.

On Sept. 4, 1919 in Etna Green, she married Forest "Hoy" Meredith, who survives.

She was a member of Harrison Center Church. Surviving with her husband are one daughter, Mrs. Gerald (Alice) Browne, Carmel; one Forrest Meredith, son, LaVem, Texas; nine and 18 greatgrandsons; grandchidlren.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in King Memorial Home, Mentone, with the Rev. Will Lawson officiating. Burial was in Harrison Center Cemetery.

CLARENCE KEIM

Clarence J. Keim, 91, Rt. 2, Macy (Gilead), died at 12:20 p.m. Friday, May 15, 1992 at Dukes Memorial Hospital Continuing Care Center in Реги.

He was born Oct. 11, 1900 in Roam to Daniel T. and Sarah Berger Keim. He was retired from farming and Bendix Aviation of South Bend, where he worked as a machinist for aircraft parts.

Surviving are a brother, Charles T., LaPorte; three



nieces; four nephews; a greatniece and a great-nephew. Preceding in death were a sister, Mary E. Hoffman, and a brother, Carl R. Keim.

Services were Tuesday at artzler Funeral Home, Hartzler Akron, with the Revs. Lowell Burrus and Lawrence See officiating. Burial was in the Gilead Cemetery.



~~~~~ THAYNE MARCUS WHITE

# WHITE Tom and Tonya Swick White, 59958 County Road 7 South, Elkhart, IN 46517, are the parents of a son born at 4:45 p.m. May 2, 1992 in Elkhart General Hospital.

The baby weighed 8 lbs. 9 z. and has been named Thavne Marcus.

Maternal grandparents are Tom and Connie Swick, Rt. 1, grandparents are Russell and Velma Hecht, Macy, and Marge Baker, Akron. Paternal grand-

Paternal grandparents are Tom and Pat White, Rt. 1, Roann. Paternal great-grandparents are Opha White, Rt. 1, Roann, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinton, Peru.

HATFIELD Rick and Lesa Hatfield, 7898 W. Lovetts Court, Warsaw, are the parents of a son, Kyle Brandon, born at 6:47 p.m. Thursday, May 7, 1992 in Kosciusko 1992 in KOSCIUSKO Community Hospital, Warsaw. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces and measured 22 inches.

Grandparents are Jim and

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## Kappa Delta Phi awards scholarship



Matt Rager of Akron, is the recipient of Kappa Delta Phi's annual scholarship. Every year Psi Kappa Chapter of Kappa Delta Phi awards a graduating Henry Township senior a \$250 scholarship. Matt was presented with the award on April 28 at the TVHS awards night.



**McEvoy** Trial. continued from front page represented by Logansport attorney Jay T. Hirshauer. When contacted by The News, Hirshauer said, "We're Hirshauer said, "V working on the agreement. The state plea will dismiss the felony charges in exchange for a plea on the misdemeanors. Mr. Brown is checking into some things and we'll know more later."

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#### Thank You

I would like to thank everyone for the many cards and well wishes sent to me for my 80th birthday. I enjoyed every one of them. God bless you all.

Lulu Eaton



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## Akron Business of the Week



Owner, Chad Hartzler and employees Deb Bollhoefer and Sue Ellen Gagnon are shown with just a few of the many samples on display in Tic Toc Trophy Shop's display room. (Photo by Tonia Weller)

# **Tic Toc Trophy Shop**

#### by Tonia Weller

The Tic Toc Trophy Shop was originally opened by Loyd and Doris Saner in Fulton, in 1956. In the early 60's, the Saners moved the business to Akron and in the early 70's, they remodeled a two-story chicken house and moved the business to

its present location, just east of town on St. Rd. 114. Current owner Chad Hartzler recalls, "I started working for the Saners in 1971, when I was a freshman in high school. I did a little bit of everything, in fact, that first summer I painted the buildings. After I graduated, I went to work for them full time. About 12 years ago Loyd had to retire because of bad health and About 12 I bought the business. So this is really about the only work I've

The trophy shop not only sells trophies, but manufactures them as well. The attractive, well-stocked showroom contains over 500 samples of trophies, plaques and awards, but because they are assembled individually on the premises, a trophy can be customized in any variation the customer desires. In the premises, a fully can be customized in any variation the customer desires. The storeroom is filled with shelves lined with boxes full of trophy parts, in-cluding: walnut, marble and pressed wood bases; 4' and 5' lengths of wood, plastic and extruded metal columns; sheets of aluminum to be cut into various size engraving plates and an endless variety of figures in both gold and silver color and male and female styles. "At one time," Chad says, "we had over 30,000 figures in stock. We keep all the sports and animal fig-ures in stock all the time. The reason we keep such a large inventory is so we can provide same day service to our customers if necessary.

Besides trophies, Tic Toc Trophy Shop also sells jackets, T-shirts and sweat shirts which can be customized with durable direct screen printing or embroidery. Baseball style caps are available in all colors and can be individualized with names or company logos. In addition, the shop sells foil printed ribbons, chenile letters, desk sets, corporate awards and small stuffed animals and powelky iteme. animals and novelty items.

They do engraving, not only on the items they sell, but on customers' items, as well. "We engrave silver trays, pens, wed-ding knives, all kinds of things," Chad says. "As long as we can hold it in the machine, we'll engrave it." Tic Toc also provides engraving services for several jewelry stores in the area.

Through a process called sublimation. Chad is able to print logos, pictures, wording, line drawings or almost any "camera ready" art work on hats, jackets or engraving plates for plaques or trophies.

The shop is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Fri-day, or anytime by appointment. Besides Chad, the shop has two other employees. Deb Bollhoefer does the engraving, waits on customers and answers the phone. She works full time and has been with Tic Toc for 11 years. Sue Ellen Gagnon works on a part-time basis and does most of the trophy assembly.

A good portion of the shop's business is done over the tele-phone and then shipped through the mail. "We even have our own paper shredder to make packing material. We have shipped trophies and awards all over the United States and to several for-eign countries," Chad says.

Tic Toc is the national supplier of trophies for the Chester White Swine, United Duroc, American Berkshire, Spotted Swine and Palomino Horse Breeders associations. The swine swine and Patomino riorse Breeders associations. In e swine breeders associations helped design a mold for a new leaner style hog, which now graces the tops of their trophies. Chad owns the mold and no ether trophy company can use it. Tic Toc custom paints the molded hogs to match the individual charac-

#### teristics of the various swine breeds.

The shop also provides the trophies for baton twirling contests throughout Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan and Indiana. "We do a contest almost every weekend from the middle of January to the first of June," Chad says. "We usually go the night before and get set up, then the day of the contest, we'll engrave 100 to 150 trophies and deliver them to the contestants on the spot." The business has two portable engraving machines to use for this purpose.

"Summer is our busiest season," Chad says. The shop pro-vides the trophies and awards for numerous 4-H fairs.

Vides the trophies and awards for numerous 4-H fairs. Chad grew up in Akron and enjoys living in the community. "I've never lived anyplace else," he says. He lives with his parents, Larry and Beverly Hartzler, on a farm near town. Chad served on the Fulton County 4-H Fairboard for six years and is a member and past-president of the Akron Lions Club. He has been a very active member of the Akron Church of God, serving as Sunday School Superintendent, chairman of the church coun-cil and as a member of its building committee. This was for the as Sunday School Superintendent, chairman of the church coun-cil and as a member of its building committee. This year, for the first time, Tic Toc will sponsor a team with the Akron Youth league. "We're very happy about that," Chad says. His hobbies include collecting model John Deere farm equip-ment and memorabilia, and family antiques. "I really enjoy living in Akron," Chad says. "We have a real nice little community with a nice selection of stores. I get around to a lot of different schools with my business and as how one

to a lot of different schools with my business, and we have an excellent school system here, with good people to work with. Being close to Warsaw, I see Akron becoming a bedroom com-munity for them, but I think that's alright."

Although he currently has the largest trophy business in this Although he currently has the largest trophy business in this area, Chad is thinking of possibly expanding his business in the future by adding a shop in Warsaw. Chad has no regrets about going into business for himself and really enjoys the trophy business. "It's a fun business," he says. "It makes people happy. Everybody likes to get a trophy." He is understandably proud of the service, selection and quality he is able to offer his customers. "Trophies are not a sideline with us," Chad says. "They are our business. We offer a better product, with better service, at a better price."

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### **RSVP** to manage free garden plot program

RSVP has agreed to manage a free garden plot program that is being sponsored by the Mission of Mary prayer group. The program is open to anyone and everyone at no cost to the gardener.

Original plans call for garden plots to be 25 feet by 25 feet, however, the number of plots per gardeners or the number of gardeners per plot or whatever--can be worked out between the gardeners and the garden manager. Gardeners must furnish the

labor and should be able to furnish the seed for planting and the tools for weed control. Toxic chemicals will not be allowed for use in these garden plots. The plots, fertilizer and the soil tilled for planting will be ready furnished

The hope is to get a good ix of senior "expert" mix gardeners and young (or not so young) "green thumb" hopefuls and that these categories of people can combine their strength and wisdom into a successful operation. There is no operation. restriction by age, ability or anything else. Come and learn and/or come and teach.

Disposition of the produce is at the sole discretion of the gardener(s). You may eat it, sell it, can it, freeze it, give it to your neighbor or donate it to your favorite charity. No

one should go hungry. For more information or to sign up for a plot please stop in at the RSVP office at Society Bank Bldg. 913 Main, Suite 106, Rochester, IN 46975 or call 223-3716 and ask for Phyllis and Fran.



**Award Winner** 

States United The Achievement Academy has announced that Jamie Phillips has been named a United States National Award winner in History and Government.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10% of all American high school students.

Jamie Phillips, who attends Mentone Junior High, was nominated for this National Award by Phil Prat, a histoy teacher at the school. Jamie will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

Jamie is the daughter of Rickey and Martha Phillips. Her grandparents are Evaleen Phillips of Delphi, and Phillips Phillips of Delphi, and Casimir and Leona Bozek of LaPorte.



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#### School Menus

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

T.V.H.S.

Monday - No school. Tuesday - Cook's choice Wednesday - Coo Cook's choice.

Thursday - Cook's choice. Friday - Pizza, seasoned green beans, fruit, baked item, fruit juice and milk.

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

#### BURKET

Monday - No school. Tuesday - Mexican lunch, green beans, B.E.S. rolls, orange whip, milk.

Wednesday - Tuna salad on toast, succotash, ice juicee, apple crisp, milk.

Thursday - Sandwich, dill spear, potato rounds, cookie, jello with pineapple, milk. Friday - Sack lunch,

Friday - Sack lunch, bologna and cheese sandwich, carrots and celery, granola bar, banana, ice juicee.

#### MENTONE

Monday - No school. Tuesday - Spaghetti with meat sauce, garlic toast and

cheese, lettuce salad, pears. Wednesday -oice. Sandwich, Cook's choice. French

fries, cottage cheese, pineapple. Thursday - Pizza, corn,

mixed fruit.

Friday - School sack lunch, bologna and cheese sandwich, fruit. apple juice, graham cracker.

#### AKRON

Monday - No school. Tuesday - Cook's choice. Wednesday - Cool Cook's

choice. Thursday Pizza getable, fruit, baked item. Friday - Sack lunch.



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#### \*\*\*\*\*\* **Community News** \*\*\*\* \*\*\*

nephew. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Yeater of

Warsaw. Mrs. Pearl Horn called on

Mrs. Isabel Peterson Thursday

Mrs. Joy Miller and Mrs. Pearl Horn called on Mrs.

Lucile Surface Friday evening. Several enjoyed Fun Night from the Nutrition Site

from the Nutrition Site Tuesday evening at the Pete Thome building with other senior citizens of the county. Mrs. Lucile Surface and

Mrs. Joy Miller called on Mrs. Ruth Cullum, Saturday

evening. Mrs. Pearl Horn spent the weekend in Fort Wayne with

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Colbert. Mr. Ivo Wagner of Florida

is visiting his sister Mrs. Dorothy Krull, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wise and

entertained

mothers, Mrs. Alice Wilmot

and Mrs. Esther Wise, with a

Kosciusko Community

Hospital

Tuesday, May 12 DISMISSALS: Evelyn F. Wigley, Silver Lake. Wednesday, May 13 ADMISSIONS: Ward A.

Thursday, May 14 ADMISSIONS:

Breeden, Bourbon; Bryan L. Reece, Etna Green; Mary A.

Thomas, Etna Green.

Shirey, Mentone.

dinner Sunday evening.

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**Akron Nutrition** Site



Phone 893-1287

Senior Citizens, come join for a well-balanced meal and fellowship. If you are 60 years of age or older please call 893-1287 for your meal reservations. No walk-ins please. All meals are ordered in advance. The Nutrition Site is located in the Akron Lions Club building, 108 north Maple Steet. The Site is open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, except for holidays. Lunch is served at 11:30 a.m.

Monday, May 25 Closed in observance of Memorial Day.

Wednesday, May 27 Ham n' beans, carrot/raisin salad, chilled beets, banana, corn bread, milk Friday, May 29

Sloppy Joes, tossed salad th tomato, cooked with cauliflower, butterscotch pudding, bun, milk.

#### Akron News

W.C.T.U. Mother's Tea The Akron W.C.T.U. held their annual Mother's Tea in ther annual Mother's Tea in the Akron Library on Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. The meeting opened with group singing. Lucile Doering gave the devotions.

A White Ribbon Recruit Serivce was conducted by Velma Bright, assisted by Brenda Malbone. Judy DeVries was soloist and Pat Brenda Mitterling was at the piano. Lucile Doering gave the dedicatory prayer.

Those participating in the service were Andrew James service were Andrew James Mitterling, son of Stan and Carol Mitterling; Kyle Allen and Misty Renee Hopkins, children of Don and Beth Hopkins; teden Marie wman, daughter of Dwight Sh and Penny Shewman; Trevor Levi Hammond, son of Duane and Charlotte Hammond: and Laura Beth Pontius, daughter of Steve and Katrina Pontius.

Judy DeVries dismissed the meeting with prayer. A lovely tea was served by

the hostess Gloria Bowen, assisted by Nora Hoffman.

Mentone **Nutrition Site** 

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

The menu for the week of May 25 through May 29 is: Monday - Memorial Day. All sites closed.

All sites closed. **Tuesday** - Tomato juice, pepper steak patite in gravy, rice, steamed spinach with bacon bits, whole wheat bread with margarine, plums, milk, tea, coffee. 35 grams fat/49 milligrams chol.

Wednesday - Peach nectar, paprika baked chicken quarter, mashed potatoes with gravy, glazed carrots, whole wheat bread with margarine, plain cake donut, milk, tea, coffee. 39 fat/113 chol. Thursday - Orange juice,

chili con carne with saltines, tossed salad with cucumbers. shredded red cabbage and Ranch dressing, com bread wih margarine, fresh banana, milk, tea, coffee. 24 fat/113 chol.

Friday - Cranberry juice cocktail, clam chowder with oyster crackers, tuna salad with lettuce leaf, whole wheat bread with margarine, sliced fresh tomatoes, pears, i tea, coffee. 19 fat/71 chol. milk.

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

#### Mentone News

Mr. and Mrc. Chester Smith went to South Bend Tuesday attend evening to the graduation of their daughter, Melva Stamberger. She received a Master of Science in Education with distinction from IUSB. high

Stamberger, a graduate of Tippecanoe High School and Purdue University, had been working as a 4-H aide for Fulton County until recently when she was promoted to Extension Agent-Youth Coordinator.

and Charles Melva Stamberger and their children, Melinda and Michael, live on a farm near Rochester. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stamberger also attended the ceremony.

Frances Ervin went to Michigan to the wedding of Douglas Ritter. Douglas is her

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**Scenes Around Town** 

By Leafy Hudson

Spring has hit Mentone with a vengeance. Brown bunnies are

hopping around back yards, bird's nests seem to spring up everywhere, kids are out playing ball and, to everyone's delight, the snowbirds have come home for the summer.

Another sure sign of spring is the many meetings going on around town, planning for Mentone Days. 1992 should be the

Jerry tells me we are edging toward the deadline for photos for the slide show in Saturday night's Variety Show. He'll have to have them by May 30.Just as a reminder, we've asked to

Last week, when I made a pitch for the Chamber of Commerce dues-paying members, I totally overlooked an important point. While businesses are the backbone of the Chamber, and we need each one to belong, it should be pointed out that it isn't necessary to run a business to belong. Individuals can join too. Anyone living here, interested in the progress of Mentone, is welcome and urged to join the Chamber.

did you notice the benches on Main Street mysteriously disappeared? Be patient, they will reappear soon. A "bunch" of people have pitched in to help make them beautiful again, along with a surprise, another item to help improve Main Street. When we're all finished, I'll try to list everyone who has helped. It will be a long list!

we're back to watering flowers again. Peg Meantime. Stutzman has filled planters, as usual, and we could use more help with watering them. If you are willing to volunteer to water for a week, call me at 353-7340, Vi McGowen, 353-7348 or June Reed, 353-7439. Thanks!



Best Wishes to the Class of 1992 **Republican Candidates for County Commissioner Steve Hartzler and Richard Powell** 

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

> > NEED FOR COSMETIC DENTISTRY



Maybe you're envious when you see a beautiful person in a TV commercial or a Mayob you re envolus when you see a beaution person in a right commona or a movie star smilling away with perfect teeth. But in all likelihood that person did not have perfect teeth at all when he entered the profession (few people do). He or she robably had the benefit of cosmetic dentistry to make those teeth and smile look autiful. You can do the same.

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this doesn't help your appearance or your smile. But you could probably have it repaired and restored for less than a night on the town. If you have any dental repaired and resolution of resist using a rught on the forming you have any demain problems that are detracting from your appearance, ask your dentist what he can do to make your teeth and smile look better. Prepared as a public service to promote better dental health. From the of-fice of: H. RAY HAZEN, D.D.S., M.S.D., P.C., 1329 Main St., Rochester. Phone

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Viking of the Week



**KENDRA HOWARD** Kendra Howard, daughter of Kenneth and Joyce Howard, Akron, has been selected as Viking of the Ward iking of the Week. Kendra, 18, is a senior at



**DAVID MADEFORD** David Madeford, son of Jim and Pam Vandermark, Akron, has been selected as Viking of

Tippecanoe High Valley Tippecanoe Valley High School. She is vice president of her class. She participates is varsity softball and basketball and has lettered in both sports. She considers softball to be her favorite sport and says the team working together and improving the record is a great accomplishment and is accomplishment and is looking forward to hopefully winning the sectional this year.

Kendra plans to attend college after graduation but is undecided on the university. She would like to major in nursing or cosmetology.

The News congratulates Kendra on her athletic record and wishes her success in the future. (News Photo).

the Week David, 16, is a sophomore at Tippecanoe Valley High School. He belongs to the prom committee and is a member of his church youth group. David has participated in basketball and track for two years and football for a year. He considers basketball to be his favorite sport. He has earned his letter in track and recently set a personal record in high jump at 5'10" and also personal record in long jump 19' 1 3/4". He is currently employed at Day Hardware.

The News congratulates David on his athletic record and wishes him success in the future. (News Photo).

Missy, 15, is a sophomore at Tippecanoe Valley High School. She belongs to Student Government, Choir and the Spanish Club. She is a

member of her church youth group. Missy considers Spanish to be her favorite subject but finds Albegra II difficult. She plans to attend college

after graduation but is undecided on the university or

major. Missy is currently employed at Harris Drug

The News congratulates

Missy on being chosen Academic Student of the

Store, Akron.









Pictured above are the 6th grade girls basketball athletic awards program winners: program A-Team-Mental Attitude Mental Walters; Kellv Attitude B-Team-Bonnie Bickel; Miss Hustle A-Team-Tiffany Glingle and Miss Hustle B-Team-Becky Simons

Pictured above are 7th grade Pictured above are in grade girls basketball athletic award winners: Most Valuable-Tara Rutherford; Mental Attitude-Heather Wilcox and Most Improved-Cori Groninger.

Pictured above are 8th grade girls basketball athletic award winners: Most Valuable-Amanda Alexander; Mental Attitude-Anina Gast and Most Improved-Kelly Deardorff.

Pictured above are 8th grade boys basketball athletic award winners: Most Valuable-Wes Prater; Mental Attitude-Wes Prater; Most Improved-Jarrod Morgan; Defense-Keith Newman; Scoring Leader-Matt Tucker and Assists-Jarrod Morgan.

Pictured above are the 7th grade boys basketball athletic award winners: Most Spangle; Valuable-Josh Mental Attitude-Charlie Manns and Most Improved-Eric Backus.

# Academic Student of the Week



MISSY SANER Missy Saner, daughter of Jim and Jan Saner, Akron, has been selected at Academic Student of the Month.

**KYLE HOWARD** Kyle Howard, son of Larry and Bernie Howard, Akron and Lee and Judy Grigsby,

# Student of the Month Warsaw, has been selected as

Student of the Month.

Kyle, 18, is a senior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. He belongs to I.C.E. He considers Government to be his favorite subject because, "It is oriented to what my job is." He finds English to be difficult. Kyle considers Mr. Shriver to be his favorite Mr. Shriver to to have about teacher and says about Tippecanoe Valley "I like the teacher and says about Tippecance Valley "I like the easy going atmosphere here and being around my friends." The News congratulates Kyle on being selected Student of the Month and wiches him success in the

wishes him success in the future. (News Photo).



Month and wishes her success in the future. (News Photo).

**EVERYBODY'S MARKETPLACE** CHILD CARE LEGAL FOR RENT **The Hairporch** LAWN & GARDEN **H**AH NOTICES I will babysit in my home Monday thru Friday, hot meals and a big yard. Ashley Sutter. 893-7031. 401 West Rochester St., Akron Daytime and Evening Appointments Available FOR RENT IN AKRON: Clean 1 bedroom apartment, NOTICES GARDENS roto-tilled Clean 1 bedroom apartment, suitable for 1 or 2 adults only. Water, heat, trash removal, ready to plant. Loyd Saner 893-4593. NOTICE OF MEETING seby given that the ( iew of the County of I na will meet in the Co il room of the Courthon 2 2nd, 1992 at 9:00 a.r 893-4877 or 893-4278 NOTICES LEGAL refrigerator and stove fur-nished. No pets. \$250.00 month. Deposit required. Call 223-5423. LOST & FOUND hereby given that the B frustees of the Tippecan of Corporation, Kosciusk tties, Indiana, will receive be Administration Office LOST CAT at Akron Animal Clinic on May 13. Black with light yellow and gray streaks, has some light yellow on one back paw and on stomach. Answers to Tabby. \$25.00 reward. Please call 491-2373. Wendell FOR RENT IN ROCHESTER: Clean 1 bedroom, ground floor apt. suitable for 1 or 2 adults only. Water, trash removal, refrigerator, stove furnished. No pets. \$250.00 month. Deposit required. Call 223-5423. NOTICE A public hearing will be held on Tuesd June 2nd, 1992 at 8:00 p.m. for the Co ty Council to consider a resolution for Futton County Public Library Cep Kuhn Loin F. Riddle Auditor, Fulton County 21/2p Auctioncer ty Councillo consider a resolution for hi Putien Commo Public Library Capita Project Constraints and Constraints MOTICE TO TAXPAYERS Notice is hereby given the taxpayers a Futien County, that at epecial meeting o ten, indiana, will be held at the County out on, indiana, will be held at the County and your layer at 7:30 p.m. for addition al appropriations: COUNTY CENERAL County Constraints, 77,5000 Circuit CI-Milesge Circuit CI-Milesge Circuit CI-Milesge Stock 893-4017 NOW OPEN MISCELLANEOUS The Balloon The Added Touch Depos 5423. FOR SALE Express ountry Gift and Flower Shoppe 01 E. Main, Mentone 353-7383 5423. FOR RENT: 4 bedroom house in Mentone. 1-1/2 baths, all appliances fur-nished including stove, refrigerator with icemaker, washer, dryer, garbage dis-posal, compactor. Carpeted throughout. Damage deposit trequired. Available June 1st. Call 223-5094. FOR SALE: 8x28 mobile of-0 215 W. V nut. Akron fice with furnace. \$850.00. 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Friday, May 22, 8:00-4:00; 5at., May 23, 8:00-4:00; 5at., May 23, 8:00-4:00; 5at., May 23, 8:00-4:00; 5at., May 24, 8:00-4:00; 5at., May 25, 8:00-4:00; 5at., May 26, 9:00-4:00; 5at., May 26, 9:00-4: DIAMONDS **REAL ESTATE** SSS. 3,000.00 GOVERNMENT HOMES from \$1 (U repair). Delin-quent tax property. Reposses-sions. Your area (1) 805 962-8000 Ext. GH-4157 for cur-rent area list. 1,727.00 WANTED TO BUY When you insure your home and car with Auto-Owners, we'll save 20,000.00 WANTED TO BUY: Usable you money with our special multi-policy discounts. 19 50,000.00 \$50,000.00 or non-usable farm equip-ment. Coble Farm Equip-ment, 219-723-5490 anytime. rent repo list. SERVICES 2,045.00 Texpeyers appearing at the meeting shall have a right to be heard. The additional expropriations as finally made will be referred to the State Board of Tax Com-tine determination as to the sufficiency of lunds to support the appropriations membrane and the state of the state of lunds to support the appropriations a Certified Copy of the action taken. FOR SALE: Office furniture neeting shall ve additio WORK WANTED Look for signs. and supplies. Sales and service. JIM LEASE OFFICE MACHINES, 913 E. 9th St., Rochester. Phone 223-3683. his notice and the second seco ANNUAL AKRON FIRST BANK GARAGE SALE: 707 E. Rochester, 2 Satur-days, May 16 & May 23. 8:00-4:00. Clothing, children to adult misc. 3 STEEL BUILDINGS will deliver, can erect, cheap! Ted (219) 723-4460. **ROGERS REPAIR SHOP** 3 steel storage buildings, milking barns will build cheap! Ted (219) 723-4460. ROGERS REPAIR SHOP Services: washers, dryers, dishwashers, refrigerators and garbage disposals. Also LP and natural gas furnace repair. Rt. 2, Rochester, 337 R74 office. After hours call 333-7114, 353-7926. Lois F. Riddle Auditor, Fulton County 21/2p to adult; misc. GARAGE SALE: Friday, 9:00-6:00; Saturday, 9:00-7 Baby items, sofa & chair, much misc. No early sales. Vicki Harrold. St. Rd. 14, 2 miles east of Lowman's Corner, Akron. Arenas and horse barns, will build cheap! Ted (219) 723-4460. Kindig R Realty ..... RULES AND ENTRY FORM FOR MENTONE EGG FESTIVAL € \$44 900 MISS CHICK AND MR. ROOSTER CONTEST THE PEOPLE WHO CARE grourance Any child between the ages of 3 and 6 years is eligible. **HELP WANTED** Corner of 800E & 375S is BARTENDERS/CASINO W O R K E R S / D E C K HANDS; HOSTESSES, etc. Positions aboard cruise ships. \$300/\$900 wkly. Free travel. Caribbean, Hawaii, Bahamas. No exp. necessary. 1-206-736-7000 ext. 4269N5. Each contestant must follow the theme of this year's parade. this older ranch home. Mobile homes and sites downtown Akron com-mercial site. Over 7000 sq. ft. on the first level. \$34,900. SALUTE TO BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY Pervice would make extra income 2 wells. Situated on 1.88 Child needs to be on a float of any type, a pulled entry, walking or bike/trike entry. If walking, a child needs to be dressed in the mes \$31 500 acres. \$31,500. Perfect home to start your retirement years in! Close to area churches, library and downtown Akron, 2 BR, open front porch, appliances, nego. \$36,499. 112 Mishawaka Street me of the parade. Akron 893-4231 Contestants need to be at the judges' stand (next to Farmers State Bank) at 12:00 on Saturday, June 13th, 1992. Judging will take Queners Insur HELP WANTED: DEMONSTRATORS for Life Home Car Business place at this time. DEMONSTRATORS for Decor & More by House of Lloyd. No cash investment. Free \$300 kit. Earn extra in-come. For fall catalog and details call Barb 223-2962. The No Roblem People The criteria for judging includes child's appearance, cuteness, personality, and a theme related costume and/or float. Child must be in the parade. HELP WANTED **TELEPHONE CO. JOBS** First and second place prizes will be given for floats. Technicians, installers, Acct./Serv. Reps, Operators. No experience necessary. For information, call 1-219-736-9807, ext. T-2900. 8 a.m.-8 p.m., 7 days. Self Motivating - Ambitious Person The following entry blank must be completed and mailed by June 8th, 1992 to Robin Beasley, 3827 S. Viking Dr., Mentone, FOR IN 46539 Established route delivery and sales. Contestant's Name: Age: Excellent company, great benefits. Contestant's Nickname\_ LAWN & GARDEN Parent's Name

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Winners will receive a \$50.00 savings bond and trophy. Prizes for all contestants will be awarded.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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ton Counties, Indiana, will receive sealed bids at the Administration Office of the Tippecance Valley School Corporation, SR 19, Mentone, Indiana, on June 1, 1962, at the hour of 1:30 pm, (EST) for the loi-lowing described Temporary Warranta, such warrants to be ist June 8, 1962, at 7:30 pm, at the regular meeting of the Tippecance Valley Scard O School Trus-

Temporary Leen Warrante in the anticipa-tion of taxee levied and in course of col-section for the General Fund up to the Evand up to the amount of \$270,000, and the Transportation Fund up to the amount of \$100,000, dated as of dete of delivery thereoi to the purchaser, sold denomination or denominations re-quested by the purchaser, to mature on December 22, 1992, and to bear interest at a rate not acceding 10% per annum ding), paysible at the Bank of the success-tion back.

Tul biddes. Biddes for these werrants will be re-quired to name the rate of interest which toys per annum. Such interest rate which be in multiples of 1/00th of 1%, and not more than one interest rate shall be mared by each bidder for sachting. The warrants will be awarded to the best who have submitted the bid in accord-ance herwith and will be the bidder or biddes who offer the lowest net interest cost to the achool corporation to be determined by computing the total inter-maturity and deducting therefrom the perium bid, franz, The bid shall be sub-ject to the unqualified approval opinion of a recognized bord coursel obtained at bidder is expense.

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# The Akron-Mentone News - May 20, 1992 **Old Grads" Reunion**



Lydia Anderson

# Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor, The Farm Bureau says that they didn't endorse Jim Jontz because of his "votes for tax increase," but it turns out that there was only one bill they have in mind and that is H.R. 4210, the tax bill that recently passed the House. And it turns out that this bill doesn't raise taxes for anyone at

all except for those in the highest tax bracket (over \$145,000 for a couple), or millionaires.

For most people, the bill would provide some important tax relief: it would provide a credit for Social Security tax paid of up to \$300; it would reduce capital gains taxes for those in the lower income brackets particularly (something that the Farm Bureau has been supporting for a long time); and it would extend the tax deduction for health insurance costs (which is about to expire) for farmers and other self-employed individuals;

among other provisions. Am I mistaken about the farm economy? Are there really that many farmers with taxable incomes over \$145,000? It seems to me that the overwhelming number of farmers fit into the middle and even lower income categories which would be the ones to benefit from the bill Jontz voted for.

I don't know why Farm Bureau sees its job as defending the richest 1%, but it seems like those types have enough people defending them in Washington already. I would day, let's keep Jim Jontz there: we need more like him who are trying to get farm income up, and get some help for farmers and other middle income people who have been neglected too long. Sincerely, Charles Fear Dirtiet 1 Evenution People

District 1 Executive Board Indiana Farmers Union Kewanna, In.

#### The class of 1942

Kappa Delta Phi Sorority would like to thank everyone for helping to make the "Old Grads" Reunion, held last Saturday night, a success. 525 people were served a delicious meal prepared by Janice Yeager and the cooks of Akron School. Afterwards everyone retired to the gymnasium for visiting and a program hosted by Gary Sriver of Akron. A plaque was presented to the graduate who came the farthest. James Flohr, class of 1936,

A plaque was presented to the graduate who came the farthest. James Flohr, class of 1936, traveled from San Diego, CA. The plaque for the largest family in attendance was accepted by Leon Kindig. There were seven graduates from the Kindig family attending. The oldest graduate from Akron High School was Lydia Anderson, class of 1917. In addition to the awards that were presented, each member of the 50 year class of 1942 in attendance was recognized with a yellow camation. Besides the fifty year class being represented, the 60 year class of 1932 and two members of the 70 year class of 1922 were also recognized. The evening ended by having a call for all cheerleaders to come forward and lead the audience in the Akron High School fight song. The "Old Grads" Reunion collected \$236.08 for the payment of the brick at the Basketball Hall of Fame in New Castle. IN.

of Fame in New Castle, IN

For those who are not aware, the Hall of Fame has made a brick walkway in the shape of Indiana. On each brick you can order an engraving. The brick for Akron High School says: Akron Flyers

1912-1974 (which are the years of the B.B. tourneys) Sectional Champs 1957 1968 1974

All the bricks from the high schools in Fulton County have been paid for with the exception of Akron High School. The cost of the brick is \$500. If you would like to make a donation or request more information you can contact Sharon Miller, Box 475, Akron, IN 46910 (893-4959).

#### Graduation

The Jack and Jill Preschool will hold its graduation exercises for the four year old class on Friday, May 22, 1992. The graduation will be held in the Mentone United Methodist Church at 7:00 p.m. A reception honoring the graduates will be held in the fellowship hall following the ceremonies. Members of the 1992 class are: Krista Krista 1992 class are: Andrews, Laci Bailey, Clayton Burkhart, Brittany Creighton, Tiffany Edwards, Whitney Gall, Bradon Garey, Mallory Hedington, Holli Jackson, Ashley Johns, Andrea Kindig,



Lemler, Shane Rachel McDaniel, Jana Meredith, Lisa Moore, Camron Parker, Shawn Peters. Also included in the class are: Ashley Salyer, Jason Sausaman, Tana

Shepherd, Ashley Erin Smith, Jenny Tvler Stoll, Taj Sinclair, Stiffler. Tyler Stoll, David Sw Summey, Jason Swanson Thompson, Amber and Watkins.





Pictured above are the 6th grade boys basketball athletic award winners: Mental Attitude A Team-Eric Love; Mental Attitude B-Team-Ryan Reese; A-Team Offense-Josh Long; A-Team Defense-Ryan McFarland; B-Team Defense-Montie White and B-Team Defense-Phillip Prater.





Akron, Indiana

# Consolidated Jr. High Ok'd

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In a surprise move, the Valley school board voted 4-1 to build a combined middle school facility. The meeting was held prior to Thursday's ground breaking ceremony for the new auxiliary gym.

The board had planned to vote on the decision at their next regular meeting, but said they decided to move quickly in order to get a project number from the state sooner and to take advantage of lower interest rates. Thursday's me Although meeting public, there were no patrons in attendance.

Board members Fred McSherry, Mike McFarland, John Mellott and Joe Crill voted for the proposal, with Jeff Tilden casting the lone opposing vote. The board then voted to call a 10-28 hearing on the project at which time patrons can express their opinions. Tilden again voted against the motion, saying that he opposed the building program and that "most people in my community are not for the building." Tilden, who resides in Akron, stated that he thought the Mentone school should have been the next building program.

The project has been under consideration for 18 months and has met with strong opposition. The 83,450 square foot building will cost about \$7 million. Construction will begin in the project of 1993, if \$7 million. Construction will begin in the spring of 1993, if the public hearing is successful. The one-story building will include a gymnasium, a media center, a cafeteria, and an auditorium with carpet risers to with accommodate desks or chairs.

Mike McFarland made the motion to build. In doing so, he asked that a long range plan for the Mentone school be developed and that it be reviewed in five years.

superintendent Retiring Baxter Paige commended the board on their vote, calling it a "wise and prudent decision."

A study will be conducted on the high school's wasterwater treatment plant to see if it can adequately handled the addition of the middle school.

A report on the earlier school board meeting is on page 2

**George Welch To Retire** By Tonia Weller

After 45 years in education and 30 years with the Tippecanoe Valley school system, TVHS Guidance Director George L. Welch is retiring at the end of this school year. Valley sports fans, however, will be relieved to know that George plans to continue to serve as the announcer at basketball, football, baseball and track events as he has ever since the high school was built.

Although he recovered quickly, a stroke he suffered November 1, 1991 was the determining factor in George's decision to retire. "I'm sure I'm going to miss the communication with all the students and other faculty members," he says. "I'm still going to be around here a great deal because of the announcing, but it won't be quite like being here all the time. I'll have more time now to work around the

Although he still has some stiffness in his fingers and toes, George has made a remarkable recovery from his stroke. "Sometimes you get impatient when things are going slower than you'd want, but I've been real fortunate!" He says, "I was really lucky actually. It could have happened when I was in the teany tucky actually. It could have happened when I was in the car driving. I was getting ready to go to a football game at North Manchester, in the sectional. We stopped at my wife's sister's for supper and then I was going to go on to the game. It didn't give me much time to realize what was happening. It just came all of a sudden." George spent two weeks in Kosciusko Community Hengita and the under the two the store the section. The supper and then I was going to go on the game. It just came all of a sudden." George spent two weeks in Kosciusko Community Hospital and three weeks in Fort Wayne's Parkview Hospital before returning to Warsaw for physical therapy they said would take until the first of February to get through, but before Christmas they said there was no use for me to come back because I'd progressed so well." While he was hospitalized, George was shocked to pick up a newspaper and discover he could no longer read. "I could see the words there, but I just couldn't read them," he says. "I didn't realize a stroke could cause that. So I had to take therapy to learn how to read again. That came back real quickly, but that first time, I just couldn't med theray and returned to his duties at the high school on January 10. After growing up in North Manchester, George graduated from Manchester College. He received his master's degree from Purdue University, caming nearly twice as many credit hours as

Purdue University, earning nearly twice as many credit hours as

required. His career in education began in 1947, even before he graduated from college, when he was named acting principal of Linlawn Grade School, near Wabash. In 1962, when George Liniawn Grade School, hear wadaan in 1902, which Goorge became guidance director at Mentone, he and his wife, Joanne, a Valley typing teacher, moved to the house at the edge of Mentone, where they still reside. He later served as principal of the Talma Junior High and when Valley's new high school was

the Talma Junior High and when Valley's new high school was built, he became the guidance director and also served for a time as assistance principal. Most years, in addition to his guidance responsibilities, George has also taught one class, such as Introduction to Algebra or this past year's Business Arithmetic. George describes his job as guidance director as doing "a little bit of everything". He worked primarily with junior and senior students, helping them to select their classes and checking records to be sure all graduation requirements were met. He supervised students taking correspondence courses through Indiana University and provided scholarship information and applications. "It think there are more and more scholarships Indiana University and provided the more actionary information takes applications. "It think there are more and more scholarships available each year," he says, while indicating a file drawer full of different applications. "Most are from the private sector and a lot of them are specific, requiring learning in a certain area. Of course, college prices have gone up and students need a lot more money than they used to.'

George feels the new auxiliary gym being built will be very beneficial to the school. "It's going to help a lot," he says. "We have so many activities that need the gym. Some students have been having to come in at 5:30 or 6:00 a.m. in order to get practice time. We have bigger and better facilities now than we used to and it gives the students more opportunities."

One of the best changes George has witnessed during his 45



Wednesday, May 27, 1992

George L. Welch will retire as TVHS guidance director but will continue to be the announcer at Valley sporting events. (News Photo)

years of working with students, is the addition of more trade courses to the school curriculum. "The students have a better opportunity to learn more things. In the first years a lot of students who couldn't do the academic-courses would just quit. Now there are different types of courses they can take to learn a trade. That's been real helpful," he says. "I think a bigger percentage of students are sticking it out and getting their diplomas. One thing I've noticed, though, is that students don't like to read as much as they used to."

The general consensus seems to be that there are more discipline problems in high schools than there used to be. George doesn't feel this is necessarily the case at Valley. "It's a little different type of thing than it used to be. Of course the things you can do to stop them have been cut down. But you find good students and bad students all the way through. I don't think you can say students today are much worse than they used to be.

Last month the staff and faculty at the high school commemorated George's retirement by presenting him with a plaque, a jacket and a lifetime pass to Valley sporting events. His four children marked the occasion by hosting a surprise

After his retirement, George plans to spend more time gardening, golfing and "building things". Being a big sports fan, he also hopes to watch more ballgames. His son, Alan, who is on staff as a computer programmer at Purdue, gets George tickets to

the Purdue football games, which he greatly enjoys. George and Joanne's other children are Brian, who lives in Brownsburg, Dee Anna, who lives in Lafayette; and Cathy, who lives at Winona Lake. The Welches also have a total of seven grandchildren.

If George could leave behind one piece of advice to the students at Valley, it would be this: "Don't give up so quickly. You have to be willing to help yourself and work to find your own answers. Be determined and don't give up too easily." The community has been very fortunate to have a man of George Welch's caliber sharing his experience with and giving direction to its youth. He will be greatly missed.

SEE

VALLEY GRADUATES **ON PAGES 4-8** VALEDICTORIAN: MATT RAGER SALUTATORIAN: LEANN GAERTE

### The Akron-Mentone News - May 27, 1992 Gym given final approval, Jr. High debate continues

At a special meeting of the Tippecanoe Valley school board, held May 18, final plans for the auxiliary gym were approved and board members listened to patrons' opinions on junior high options.

The board had voted in February to build the \$1.8 million gym. Since that time, board members have been working with the architects to include modifications based on discussions with school personnel and the public. According to architect George Clinton, the plans will now be printed and sent out for bids.

A ground breaking ceremony for the new gym was held Thursday, May 21. Patrons favoring a consolidated middle school and those op-

posed both expressed opinions at the meeting.

Valley teachers attending the meeting expressed the need for more space and an expanded curriculum that would include computer labs. Julie Teel, an Akron teacher, said the Akron school simply

has "too many children".

Mentone teacher Pan Smith spoke against adding on to the Mentone school, citing an inadequate septic system, already jumbled floorplan, and lack of space for a playground. Chris Cox, a Rochester Middle School teacher whose children

attend Akron school, said middle school children have needs that are not being met. In response to Mentone resident Gail Law's question about

cost estimates, Clinton said remodeling the Akron school would cost \$2.9 million. Renovating the Mentone school would cost \$3.9 million, while replacing the existing three-story building would add another \$2.1 million to the cost. A new combined 7th and 8th grade building would cost between \$6.2 and \$7.03 million, if the current wastewater plant proves adequate. That figure does not include parking lots or driveways. Even if a new junior high is built, the existing schools will re-

quire work. A second gym will probably be added at Akron and the Mentone school will need major work. Board members and the architect agreed that the cost of renovating the three-story former high school portion of the Mentone building (\$2.55 mil-lion) would make it impractical.

Akron resident Joe Day, an opponent of the consolidation plan, questioned the savings of eliminating the second gym at Akron. He was told tax payers would save about a million dol-lars. Day also questioned the difference of the cost between renovating and new construction. Clinton, who said about 40% of his firm's business is renovation, explained that remodeling costs more because of working around students and existing structures.

Board president Fred McSherry said there were advantages to a new middle school in that it would enable the school system to offer more to the children. He also said the board was trying to be open to opinions, "This is not over yet."

## BIRTHS

#### JESSE SAMUEL GARRETT

Walter and Lorie Garrett, 9 N. Harris St., Bourbon, 509 are the parents of a son, Jesse Samuel, born at 7:53 a.m. Saturday, May 16, 1992 in Holycross Parkview Hospital, Plymouth. The baby weighed pounds. 10 ounces and measured 20 1/2 inches.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse T. Garrett, and Mr. and Mrs. Michael T. Bowman, all of Louisville, Ky. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Τ. Winter, Palm Harbor, FL.

Jesse joins three sisters, Hannah, 5, Esther, 4, and Lydia, 2 1/2.

#### CHAD EDWARD HEDINGTON

and Paulon Westhaven the Kenneth Kesthaven Estates, Warsaw, are the parents of a son, Chad Edward, born at 4:41 a.m. Monday, May 18, 1992 in Kosciusko Community Hospital, Warsaw. The baby weighed 8 pounds and measured 2 weighed 8 pounds measured 21 inches.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Hedington, and Ms. Louise Lawshe, all of Warsaw; and Mr. Barry Needham, Fort Collins, Colo. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Truex, Warsaw; Mr. and Mrs. Noel Hedington, Mentone; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Monroe Sr., Wabash.

Chad joins Mallory, 5, and Travis, 2,

# Elliott, Claypool, and Jim Elliott, Atwood. Great-grandparents are Mary Young, Louisa, KY, and the late Ray Evans.

Dannielle is the mother's first child.

### **Church News**

Twenty-six ladies and girls met at the Roann Community Building May 16 to honor Mother's Day and Memorial Day for the Missionaries of Niconza Baptist Church.

Table decorations and tasty brunch foods were put together by Julia Ogden, Donna Carter, Michelle Blasdel and Gloria Parson. Live aster plants and bookmarks were at each place

"Mothering" was the topic chosen by the speaker, Mildred Baldridge, as she spoke; women who have served in past years were remembered, and "mothering" spoke; served that we do each day. Niconza Church supported

Niconza Church supported Rachel Funk 34 years of her 40 year ministry in India. Translation, teaching, and serving in Muslim, India, the church had kept in contact with Rachel. When her work ended in India, she returned to the Serving in 2020. the States in 1980.

Now, in her 80's, Rachel Funk Watkins now lives in Youngstown, Ohio. Lorraine Daine closed the

meeting with prayer. Those Grace attending were Wilda Langston. Slisher,

Michelle and Rachel Blasdel, Irene Hively, Mildred Wolf, Beulah Swihart, Clara Smith and Roberta Struck, Pauline Bahney, Helen Hudson, Gloria Parson and Rennita, Ressita and Raye Anne See, Darlene and Julia Ogden, Cindy, Monica and Shelby Minnix, Sandy Franz. Donna Carter, Karen Irelan, Marie Mathias, and Mildred Baldridge.

A public open celebration with "Carry in Dinner-Basket Style" and a 150 years of Niconza" will be September id a 150 years of will be September 20, 1992.



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Thank You would like to thank those who supported me during the loss of my father, Bill Shonk. The prayers, cards and flowers have been very comforting during this most difficult time. Thank you and God bless you all. The family of Brenda Waymire



## The Akron-Mentone News - May 27, 1992 **Community** News \*\*\*\*\*

**Akron Nutrition** Site

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Phone 893-1287

Senior Citizens, come join us for a well-balanced meal and fellowship. If you are 60 years of age or older please call 893-1287 for your meal reservations. No walk-ins please. All meals are ordered in advance. The Nutrition Site is located in the Akron Lions Club building, 108 north Maple Steet. The Site is open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, except for holidays. Lunch is served at 11:30 a.m. Donation basis.

#### Monday, June 1

Pork cutlet, sweet potatoes, pea and cheese salad, fruit cocktail, oatmeal bread, milk. Wednesday, June 3 Sweet n' sour meatballs,

sour meatballs, scalloped potatoes, tossed salad with pepper and carrot, grapefruit juice, roll, milk. Friday, June 5 Creamed chicken, potato

rounds, green beans, cranberry juice, biscuit, milk.

Mentone **Nutrition Site** 

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

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

Monday - Tomato juice, Polish Polish sausage, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut, rye bread with margarine, rainbow gelatin, milk, tea, coffee. 36 grams fat/78 milligrams chol. Tuesday - Apple juice, turkey a la king over biscuit, whole kernal com, fresh cantaloupe pieces, milk, tea, coffee. 21 fat/88 chol.

Wednesday - Orange juice, regetable soup with saltines, hamburger on bun with ketchup, mustard and onion, dill pickle spear, peaches, milk, tea, coffee. 21 fat/109 chol.

Thursday - Apricot nectar, herbed baked chicken quarter, potato salad, steamed broccoli whole wheat bread with with



**Five Generations** 

Five Generations: Seated, great-great-grandmother Esther Adams, Mentone, holding Mark Edward Rose, Fort Wayne. Standing - left to right, grandmother Martha Rose, Mentone, father Edward Rose, Fort Wayne and great-grandmother Mary Wease, Rochester.

margarine, oatmeal raisin cookie, milk, tea, coffee. 48 fat/150 chol.

Friday - Pineapple juice, meatloaf, baked potato with margarine, tossed salad with tomato wedges, cucumbers and French dressing, whole wheat bread with margarine, applesauce, milk, tea, coffee. 39 fat/123 chol.

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

#### **Mentone News**

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Klingel of Jasper were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rule. Mr. Klingel is a brother of Mrs. Rule

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and Joy Miller attended Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clinker's 50th wedding wedding anniversary Wabash Church of at Our Saviour Fellowship Hall Saturday afternoon, May 16th. Hall Mr. Harry Davis of Silver ake called on his sister, Mrs.

Pearl Horn Friday morning. Akron News

Ruth Bowen of R. 1, Akron, was honored on her 90th birthday with an open house at the Omega Church. She received many cards, flowers and gifts from friends and relatives with 33 guests attending. An old photo display was shown by Carol Graham, and refreshments were served by Janey Hawley and Gloria Bowen.

#### **Beaver Dam** News

Doris Haney, a resident of Beaver Dam community for 45 years, was pleasantly surprised on Sunday evening when a number of Beaver Dam High School alumni who gathered at her home following their annual reunion dinner.

Although Mrs. Haney was Although Mrs. Haney was not a teacher at Beaver Dam School, she supported her husband, Fred, who was principal there for 23 years. as a nurse, she was called in the event of accidents or injury, and had attended all the social activities of Beaver Dam High activities of Beaver Dam High School. A very pleasant occasion it was, for all those present at her home.

### **Olive Bethel**

#### News

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clinker of Wetmore, Michigan and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adams, Mentone, visited Paul and Helen Cox, Tuesday afternoon.

Marla Kindig, Fort Wayne and Tim Kindig, Kokomo, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kindig.

and Mrs. Paul Kinong. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Safford and Mr. Don Safford and children, Napersville, Illinois met Friday evening at

# Scenes Around Town

by Leafy Hudson It's interesting to note that, while Larry Pyle grew up in cen-tral Indiana the other three who share the Grand Marshal honors in the Mentone Egg Festival parade were all in school at Mentone about the same time. They all disclaim taking any special notice of the others, although they, of course, knew who each other was. There was no indication then that they would someday all work over twenty years together and all be honored in one "fell swoop."

The Farmers State Bank history book, so treasured by Forrest and other employees of the bank, is certainly worth a few minutes perusal. If you have a chance, go in, sit down with Freeda or Joann a minute and look through it, (I'm not sure if that's permissible, but tell them I sent you!)

Interspersed among the dry facts of who the founders were, and the many board members through the years, this fascinating book details things like beginning assets (\$20,000--present day assets are over \$53,000,000), and the other banks the Farmers Bank, as it was known first, purchased. They were the Citizen's Bank of Mentone and First National Bank of Mentone.

There's a letter dated April 13, 1932, to President Kenny Riner from the United States President's secretary praising the bank's work "in connection with the citizen's Reconstruction Organization."

Another letter to "friends of the bank," dated 1942, written by President Riner, notes the stability of the bank through the vari-ous hardships of the 50 years just past and presents each "friend" a reprint of an oil painting of "America's hero, General Douglas MacArthur "

A 1948 newspaper clipping explains why Farmers State Bank won't follow the lead of two Warsaw banks in increasing interest rates on time certificate deposits from 1% to 2%.

Another newspaper clipping proves the bank has had its share of notoriety. The December 26, 1958, "Ripley's Believe It Or Not" column tells that, "The huge vault door of Farmers State Bank, Mentone, Indiana, was jammed shut for 24 hours by a single gring of program!" single grain of popcorn!"

The names of founders we never knew and the statistical facts of assets, the days' business volume, and annual growth are naturally very important issues. But, it's the anecdotes that have been recorded one way or another through the years that make for interesting reading and helps this lofty institution suddenly become real and human to us-a vital part of our community in every way!

Gropp's Resturant, Rochester for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sheetz spent Sunday afternoon with Mary Ellen and Alice Hunter of Roann.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kindig attended the graduation of Tim Kindig at Ivy Tech College, Kokono, Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. David Cox

called on Paul Cox, Thursday evening.

**Kosciusko Community** Hospital

Tuesday, May 19 ADMISSIONS: Joyce A.

Prater, Claypool. DISMISSALS: Tina S Elliott, Claypool, and daughter, Mary A. Shirey, Mentone.

### Service News

Airman Harry A. Rowe Jr., has graduated from the structural specialist course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wighting Force Base, Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Students were taught construction and maintenance and masonry and wood and of structures, maintenance and use of Also included in the training structural tools and equipment. drawings, construction of bills compilation of bricklaying, and material,



concrete, mortar, stucco, and

plaster mixes and uses. He is the son of Mr. and

Mrs. Harry A. Rowe of Rural Route 1, Silver Lake.

The airman is a 1991 graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School, Mentone.

The No Problem People

The Akron-Mentone News - May 27, 1992

# Tippecanoe Valley High School



**Class Representatives** 

Jeannie Best Sheri Dunn Mindy Metzger Sheena VanCleave

# Haledictorian



### **Matt Rager**

Education: Graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School-Class of 1992 \* Ranked #1 in class of 127 \* Cumulative Grade Point Average of 4.0 \* SAT Score of 1250.

High School Activities/Honors: Valedictorian-Class of 1992 \* Student Body President \* Senior Class President \* Hoosier Scholar (12) \* Agnes Pruyn Chapman Chapter DAR Good Citizen Award (12) \* All-State Cross Country Team for Academics (12) \* Business Manager of school newspaper (12) \* National Honor Society (11-12); President (12) \* Academic Team (11-12); Captain of State Finalist math team (12) \* Student member of Junior High Program/Facility Committee (12) \* Marching/Pep/Concert Bands (9-12); Percussion Section Leader (10-12) \* Key Club (12) \* Cross Country Team (10-12); Captain (12) \* Junior Class President \* U.S. Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence Award (11) \* Xerox Award for Humanities/Social Sciences (11) \* Class Representative to Richard Lugar Symposium (11) \* Delegate to the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth (11) Speech and Essay Contest-Won trip to New York, Philadelphia, and Washington, D.C. \* Track Team (9-12) \* Football (9) \* Basketball (9).

Basketball (9). Community Activities/Honors: Boy Scouts (8 years); Eagle Scout Award (1991)-Currently serving as Assistant Scoutmaster and Assistant Cubmaster \* Akron Youth League Umpire (1990-1991) \* Co-founded the Akron Recycling Program (1990); Presently serves on Board of Directors and helps operate four times each month \* Wrote, Organized, and Presented the Akron Recycling Seminar (791) \* Member of Parkview United Methodist Church (Peru, Indiana). President Matt Rager Vice President Kendra Howard

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Graduation: Friday, May 29, 1992 7:30 p.m. High School Gymnasium



Color: Rose/Yale Blue

# Salutatorian



### LeAnn Gaerte

Education: Graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School, Mentone, IN \* Salutatorian of the class of 1992 \* G.P.A. - 11.0

School Activities/Awards: Captain of the color guard (10-12); 1990 & 1992 IHSCGA Class B Winter Guard State Champions, Solist (8-12), member since 8th grade. \* Drum Major of the band (11-12), 1991 BOA champions; 1988, 1989 ISSMA State Marching Band Finalist \* All-American Scholar (9-12) \* Freshman Cheerleader (9) \* Varsity Cheerleader (10-11); Enthusiasm & Pride Award Recipient (9-11) \* Top 10% of 1992 class \* President of the Sophomere class (10) \* French Club (9-12), President (12) \* Drama Club (9-10), Historian (10) \* Sunshine Society (10).

Other Activities & Awards: Star of Indiana Drum & Bugle Corps; DCI 1991 World Champions \* 4-H participant (4-11) \* Richard Lugar's Synposium for

Tomorrow's Leaders (11) \* Junior High Program/Facility Committee \* Color guard choreographer/instructor (11).



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LORRIE LA RUE

Lorrie La Rue, daughter of Billy Reffitt, Pierceton, and Lisa La Rue, Warsaw, has been chosen as Viking of the Week.

Lorrie, 17, is a senior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. She belongs to FHA and the Sunshine Society. Lorrie has participated, and lettered in softball for four years. She considers it to be her favorite sport.

Lorrie plans to attend Wright Beauty College after graduation to major in cosmetology. She is currently employed by Franger Gas Co., Akron, as a part time ICE student.

News congratulates Lorrie on her athletic record wishes her success at and Wright Beauty College. (News Photo).

HOLLY MIKESELL Holly Mikesell, daughter of Wade and Barbara Mikesell,

Wade and Barbara Mikeseli, Rochester, has been selected as Viking of the Week. Holly, 18, is a senior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. She belongs to the Sunshine Society and Spanish Club. She has participated in volleyball and softball for four years and gymnastics for one year. While Holly considers softball to be her favorite sport, she has lettered in all three sports. Her most recent sports. Her most recent sports accomplisment was getting a triple at North Western.

Holly plans to attend Purdue University after graduation to major in acturial science. She is currently employed by Wal Mart, Rochester.

The News congratulates Holly on her athletic record and wishes her success Purdue. (News Photo).

### New Books at the Akron Library

Jewels, by Danielle Steel-Once again, Danielle Steel explores the lives of people facing challenges we recognize as our own, set against the backdrop of war, passion and international intrigues. This is the story of a great house of gems, a rare family, and an extra-ordinary marriage.

Murder at the Pentagon, Margaret Truman-Two by bring dramatic events Margaret Truman's newest and very attractive heroine onto the scene in Washington and closer to the heart of a complex web of espionage, betrayal and murder. This very popular author has never been more timely, more entertaining, or more on

Widows, by Ed McBain-An incisive, enthralling story of cops and killers, victims and survivors. From the best

sulfivors. From the best selling author of Vespers. The Fourth K, by Mario Puzo-From the author of The Godfather, comes a novel of explosive suspense and Machiavellian intrigue, whose compelling action is as dramatic as today's headlines. A Time To Kill, by John Grisham-A masterfully drawn, drama of vengeance and retribution. From the best selling author of The Firm and Pelican Brief.

The Big Bands, by George Simon-Come swinging to glory in this big, back all-inclusive definitive. chronicle of the men and the music that made America forget its troubles and just get



A opportunity that Mentone students took advantage of this school year was writing their own books and having these books published through a company called W.O.W. Publishing located in Warsaw. The company found that there was a need for young authors to realize their dreams of having their books published.

Pictured above are the students that were chosen from Mentone School to have their books published. (Not in correct order): Kim Andrews, Scott Whetstone, Kara Tucker, Skipper Shand and Rodney Sainer.

happy. Donated in memory of Bob Sheets by his wife Dawn Secor Sheets. Tarbell's Teacher's

Guide, Sept. 1992-Aug. 1993-International Sunday School lessons which include the RSV and the KJV.

The Sandwich Generation, Caught Between Growing Children and Aging Parents, by H. Michael Zal-Fifty by H. Michael Zal-Fifty million Americans are now entering middle age and in need of guidance on how to

cope with the unique demands of growing children and aging parents. The Sandwich parents. The Sandwich Generation offers enlightening information for the person who must juggle the roles of parent, spouse, and child; who often feels caught in the middle while trying to maintain his or her own identity.



Academic Student of the Week

Valley High Tippecanoe School. He belongs to the Spanish Club and participates in basketball and track. He is a member of Akron Church of God.

Chris carries a 10.273 grade point average and considers Spanish to be his favorite subject and finds biology difficult. His most recent achievement is being named to the top 10 in his class.

Chris plans to attend college after graduation but has not yet decided on the university or major. The News

congratulates Chris on his academic record and wishes him success in the future. (News Photo).



#### has been selected at Academic Student of the Week. Chris, 15, is a freshman at Student of the Month

**RYAN BLACK** Ryan Black, son of Allen and Janet Black, Akron, has been selected as Student of the Month.

Ryan, 16, is a junior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. He belongs the the Chess Club and Spanish Club and is a member of his church

youth group. Ryan feels Tippecanoe Valley has a good learning environment.

The News congratulates Ryan on being selected as Student of the Month and wishes him success in the future. (News Photo).



**Akron Students Attend White Sox Game** 

Approximatley 100 sixth, seventh, and eighth grade students from Akron School attended the South Bend White Sox vs. Cedar Rapids Reds professional baseball game at South Bend's Coveleski Stadium recently. Students attended as part of Akron School's Incentive Reward Program field trip for the fifth grading period. The trip was fully funded by the Akron School Parent Support Council.



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