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Community Corner

Harvest supper and bazaar

A Harvest Supper and Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 14, 1992 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Akron Church of God on 301 West St.

It is an "eat your fill, pay as you will event."

Crafts, baked goods and homemade noodles will be on sale.

Widowed group to meet

The Mentone branch of the Widowed to Widowed group will meet on Wednesday, November 4, 1992 at 5:30 p.m. at the Mentone United Methodist Church. The meeting will consist of a pot-luck dinner and a program on gift wrapping and making gift bags. The lessons will be presented by Linda Cochran. Sandy Frush, Director of the Kosciusko County Mental Health Department will be at the meeting also.

All interested widows and widowers are invited to attend

and should bring a covered dish and table service.

The Widowed to Widowed meetings are funded by United Way.

Akron U.M. Smorgasbord

The Annual Akron United Methodist Church Smorgasbord will be held on Saturday, November 7th starting at 5 p.m. Turkey and dressing, ham, vegetables, salads, drinks and, of course, homemade pies will be served.

Free will donations will be served.

Soup Supper

Henry Township Fire Department will hold an All-You-Can-Eat Soup Supper featuring homemade vegetable and ham and bean soups on Saturday, November 21, 1992 from 4 to 7 p.m. at the fire station with bingo following the dinner. Cost is \$3.50 for adults and \$1.00 for children under ten years.

Valley defeats Manchester

The Tippecanoe Valley Vikings defeated the Manchester Squires 49-38 in the Class 2A Sectional 27 semifinal at Manchester Friday night.

Both teams scored in the first two-and-a-half minutes of the game. Manchester's Jonathon Meeks ended a three-play drive with a one yard touchdown. Valley's Jeremy Cox ended a four-play 69-yard drive with a six yard run for a touchdown.

Valley then scored three straight touchdowns and led by at least eight points for the rest of the game.

The Vikings scored a season-high seven touchdowns, including one in which Cox returned the second-half kickoff 87 yards.

Valley finished the game with 376 yards of total offense to Manchester's 340.

The Vikings will play Rochester for the sectional title on Friday, November 6. The Zebras are on a three-game winning streak and the Vikings have won five of their last seven games.

Red Ribbon Week observed

Students in the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation participated in various activities to promote drug awareness in honor of Red Ribbon Week.

Frank & Jerry's Market in Mentone and Viking Foods in Akron received grocery bags decorated with anti-drug messages by students in the elementary schools.

Shelli Yoder, Miss Indiana and second runner-up for the Miss America title, spoke to students on Friday to culminate Red Ribbon Week activities.

In 1985, federal agent Enrique Camerena Salazar was murdered by a group of drug dealers in Mexico. Neighbors and friends in Salazar's home town wore red ribbons to call attention to the senseless murder, to show their outrage that something like this could happen and to call for an end to drug related violence.

The red ribbon became a national symbol of citizens against drugs and the week of October 21-27 was declared National Red Ribbon Week.

King Scholarship Fund established



by Rosa Hatfield

The Mentone community has established a scholarship fund in memory of Darrell H. King. King was the owner of King Memorial Home in Mentone and was an avid supporter of education.

The effort, spearheaded by Jill Gross and backed by the Mentone Chamber of Commerce, has been in the works since the death of King and recently came to fruition with the donation of \$500 from the Chamber of Commerce. There have been many other donations from individuals and local businesses also.

The scholarship will be available to Tippecanoe Valley seniors for the purpose of furthering education and may be used for trade or technical schools, as well as traditional colleges. Applications will be reviewed by a council composed of a King family member, Gross, the Chamber of Commerce president, and the school student council, and will be based on financial need.

This will be an on-going scholarship and the amount awarded each year will depend on available funds at the time. Donations will continue to be accepted and are tax deductible.

The account is being administered by the Lake City Bank, Mentone branch. Donations may be made by contacting them or Jill Gross.

Students learn of Halloween safety



Akron Police officers, Dan Butt and Tom Baize instructed Akron Nursery School students on Halloween safety last week. K-9 officer Mars was also along for the students to meet and pet. They were also introduced to a new K-9 officer in training, Ricoh, 10 weeks old and owned by Officer Tom Baize. Ricoh will begin his training at the Edelman Police K-9 Academy in Bunker Hill this week. Ricoh is a nephew to K-9 Officer Mars.

The students enjoyed the visit and received a treat from the officers. (Photo by L. Bickel).

"Rejuvenate the Park"



Sandy Utter (far right) and daughter, Nancee (middle), donated \$100 to the "Rejuvenate the Park" fund. Receiving the donation is Kappa Delta Phi member Lisa Harris.

The photos of all people who donate \$100 or more will appear in the News and all other donations will be mentioned in an article. (News Photo).

The American Dream

by Rosa Hatfield

The American dream has always been to own your own home. Now what a growing number of people want is to work from that home instead of having to drive to their place of employment.

For many, it is a big step. Most existing jobs are geared to being done from a central workplace not from each worker's home. For some, it will never happen. The risks involved in leaving an established job and starting over are too great.

For Janet Ann Hofer, it has happened and it works. When Janet (Long) was in high school, her plans were to finish school and get a job. Which is what she did. She went to work at Owen's Supermarket. While working there, she met and married Tim Hofer.

A neighbor and friend, Juanita Young, owner of Think Young Styling Salon, noticed Janet's interest in styling hair and encouraged her to attend beauty school. She gave Janet a job in her salon as bookkeeper and payroll clerk in the evenings.

Janet and Tim had been married almost a year when she enrolled in training at Wabash Beauty College. After receiving her degree in cosmetology in July 1986, Janet continued to work for Juanita for five years. It was fun working with the other girls and always having someone to share things with.

But things changed when Janet became a mother. Her daughter, Amanda, was born on October 7, 1989 and Janet discovered what most working mothers know. It isn't fun trying to get ready for work in the mornings when you also have to get your baby up, dressed, fed, and off to the sitter's before you take yourself to work.

Janet's mom babysat for Amanda while Janet worked, so she didn't have to wonder what kind of care her child was receiving but it still kept getting harder and harder to leave in the mornings.

Janet had wanted to work at home for a long time but now it seemed even more important. When she first approached Tim about it, he was a little nervous. After all, there was going to be considerable expense involved in setting up a shop at home. What if she wasn't able to get her customers to keep coming to her if she moved?

After seriously considering all the options, they decided it would be worth trying. In March of 1990, they started turning the back porch into a shop. On July 5, 1990, Janet opened her own beauty salon, Shear Country.

Janet said she has been able to retain most of her clientele and is even starting to get new customers.

"It's great," says Janet. "I can schedule my own time, adjust my appointments to fit Amanda's schedule, and I don't have to drive to work. That is a big plus, especially in the winter. I hated getting Amanda out in the winter."

Husband, Tim, works as a technical writer for Chore Time and helps tend to the 200 or 300 hogs he raises in partnership with his brother-in-law and still finds time to watch Amanda during Janet's evening appointments.

"He is so supportive of my business," says Janet. "He is really good about taking care of Amanda whenever he can and it helps



Janet is doing the hair of Alice Loher, owner of Alice's Alteration & Sewing, Warsaw. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

a lot. When someone needs an evening appointment for a perm or something that takes a lot of time, I try to schedule it when Tim will be here."

When Tim isn't home, Amanda seems perfectly content to be amused by one customer while Mom is busy with another.

What are the drawbacks? "Well," said Janet, "when she gets fussy and Tim isn't home. I sometimes wonder if the customers mind having her in the shop while I'm working on them. Sometimes I have to stop and do something for her while I'm doing a customer's hair. So far, everyone seems to enjoy her and I've asked people if they mind and no one has said yes."

Janet Hofer has achieved the American dream. She has her home and works in it, too. She gets to stay home and raise her child and still bring in that much needed second income, a necessity in most households today.

Shear Country is located on County Road 525S about three miles east of Burket. Hours are by appointment only. Call 491-4490.

Mentone volleyball 1-1 against Akron

The Mentone volleyball squad had one win and one loss against Akron October 19. The 7th grade had a 15-8, 15-8 victory while the 8th grade lost 15-6, 6-15, 12-15.

They will close out their season October 26 with a home game against North Miami at 4:30 p.m.

For the 8th grade, Liz Hart was 11-11 serving, 11-15 bumps, and 5-6 spiking. Emily Cripe was 5-6 serving, 7-11 bumps, Deb Burch was 6-8 serving, 4-6 bumps, Suzanne Eaton was 4-4 serving and 3-4 bumps.

In 7th grade action, Sam Wideman was 5-10 serving and 3-5 spiking. Brandi Fisher was 16-21 serving and 2-4 spiking and Robyn Engle was 11-16 serving and 3-5 bumps.

Sports Briefs

Valley scores a win over Delphi

"Tippecanoe Valley has a heck of a football team," said Delphi coach Steve Moser after the Valley win over Delphi 23-0 on October 23.

Viking coach Scott Bibler was pleased with the win but wasn't happy with his team's offensive playing during the second half. He called it a "sloppy" second half and a good lesson for the Vikings to learn putting together four quarters of football.

Quarterback Ryan Bowers became the school's all-time leading passer with his performance during the opening sectional game. Bowers, a six foot senior, had 152 yards passing with a 9-18 accuracy, giving him 2,562 yards over a three year career. He had hit 8 of 10 passes for 2 touchdowns and 113 yards by halftime.

Running back James Hall tore through the Delphi defense from 3 yards out with less than two minutes expired in the game. Bowers hit Rick Shoemaker and Justin Davis with scoring strikes of 28 and 7 yards.

On defense, Davis Sleeth, Stephen Moriarty, and Todd Bailey made the game pretty rough for Delphi's quarterback B.J. Ralston, causing him to be replaced in the second half.

Girls swim results

The Tippecanoe Valley Vikings girls' swim team lost to Oak Hill in a recent match 60-120.

Thank You

Thanks to our wonderful son, daughter-in-law, grandsons and niece Donna, for our beautiful 50th anniversary party.

Also many thanks to all our wonderful friends and relatives for the gifts, flowers, cards and for coming to see us.

God bless all of you for making it such a memorable occasion.

Dean & Helen Meyer

Thank you
for your support
during this campaign.

Richard Powell

Paid For By Richard Powell

"Go for the Gold"



The second group of students receiving four or more gold seals in Mentone's "Winit" program are shown above. Back row: April Pletcher, Maggie Rock, Jonathan Haussmann, Dax Snyder, Aaron Cole and Rachel Carter. Front row: Ryan Reed, Joe Stephen, Dee Shepherd, Ryan Menzie and Justin Hively.

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who supported me
on the November 3rd
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Homer Carr

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

Benjamin Franklin

Steens host German exchange student

by Tonia Weller

Mirja Moenninghoff, an exchange student from West Germany, has suddenly gone from being the youngest in the family to being the older sister.

At her home in Geseke, Germany, Mirja lives with her stepfather, Peter Meyer, a doctor; her mother, Antje, a teacher; and her 19 year old brother, Mike. Since August 20, she has been living in the Akron home of Jim and Bonnie Steen and their three children: Vicki, 10; Rebecca, 8; and David, 5.

"It's very different, but I like being the oldest," Mirja says. "I have fun with the kids, especially David. He's pretty smart. When we play games," she laughs, "he gives me the wrong instructions so he will win!"

Geseke, a city of about 14,000, is located 200 miles north of Frankfurt, Germany. There are several small villages located very near Geseke. One thing Mirja has found surprising is how far apart the school and towns are here. "I didn't realize the distances were so far."

Mirja's stay in Akron was arranged through the American Intercultural Student Exchange. While in the U.S., Mirja will travel with other AISE students to New York, Washington, D.C., Chicago and Indianapolis. She will return to Germany on June 20, 1993.

"I wanted to know America and not as a tourist. I wanted to live like Americans and know the country," Mirja says, explaining why she chose to be an exchange student. "I wanted to do something different for a year and, of course, learn the language better."

Although she is only 16, because of her academic background, Mirja was placed in the senior class at TVHS. She feels her classes at Valley are much easier than those she takes in Germany. "But we have less courses and less possible choice of courses," she says. "We must take math, German and English every year. If you are at the Gymnasium, like me, you must also take another language."

The German school system is set up differently from ours. Students start school at age six, with all students attending the same school for four years. Based on their school performance the students are then divided into four groups. The most intelligent students will attend the Gymnasium, where they'll study a total of 13 years before entering a university. Average students attend classes for ten years and the least academically inclined students only attend school for nine years. Mirja attends school five days a week, but only until one o'clock each day. After graduation from the Gymnasium, Mirja plans to attend a university to further her studies in language and then will probably go into the management field.

School football games were a new experience for Mirja. German schools do not have sports competitions or many other extracurricular activities.

French is Mirja's favorite subject at Valley. "My teacher is really good," she says. Having studied French in Germany, she compares the two by saying, "I can speak better, but my writing is not as good."

The Steens are very pleased with their new family member. "We enjoy Mirja. She helps out a lot. She's just part of the family," Jim says.

"She fits in really well," Bonnie adds.

Jim, who works at Pike Lumber, says, "Having an exchange student was something I've always wanted to do. The house we had before wasn't big enough. Now in this home, we have a couple extra bedrooms. So I thought it would be a good op-



Mirja Moenninghoff is shown with her new "sisters" and "brother": Rebecca, Vicki and David Steen.

portunity for us to learn about another country."

Bonnie says, "Since this was our first time, we didn't know what to expect, but we've been very pleased."

Although she studied English for six years and speaks very well, Mirja says at first she had trouble understanding Americans. "We learn British English and we don't learn any slang or swear words, so I have trouble understanding teenagers," she says.

The only thing wrong with American food, Mirja says is, "I like it too well!" She has especially enjoyed Mexican foods and peanut butter which they do not have in Germany. The only food Mirja misses from home is the fresh baked dark bread. "They have bread in the supermarkets in Germany," she says, "but nobody buys it. We get bread from the bakery shops."

The Steens have taken Mirja on weekend trips to King's Island and Turkey Run. Vicki and Rebecca agree with her that "King's Island was really fun!"

In Germany, Mirja spends her afternoons shopping with friends, visiting in cafes, or swimming. Her hobbies include jazz dancing, playing the piano, and rock and roll.

She says there is very little difference in the style of dress except, "In Germany, teenagers do not wear tennis shoes."

The only American fast food restaurants in Germany are McDonald's, Burger King and Pizza Hut. Mirja says they are frequented only by teenagers, the older people prefer more traditional restaurants.

The recent political elections were somewhat surprising to Mirja. Germany is a democracy, but elections are held differently. There are no political ads or commercials on T.V.

Mirja spends quite a bit of her time with other exchange students at Valley. She says it has been a little difficult to make friends with the other students. "They're all very nice, but most of the kids have known each other since first grade. And many of them work after school." In Germany, students are not allowed to have jobs until they are 16.

The Steens attend the Akron Church of God and Mirja has gotten involved with the church's youth group. She plans to make a trip to Indianapolis with the group after Thanksgiving.

Mirja says she was only homesick her first day in Akron. "Of course I miss my family," she says, "but everyone has been very friendly here."

"Rejuvenate the Park" donations

The "Rejuvenate the Park" committee would like to thank the following donors for their pledges to the "Rejuvenate the Park" campaign:

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Judy Reed

School Menus

Area School lunch menus for the week of November 9 through November 13 are:

T.V.H.S.

Monday - Spanish hot dog, celery and carrot sticks, tator tots, frozen peas, apple crisp, sliced peaches, fruit juice and milk.

Tuesday - Macaroni and cheese, smokie link, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, mixed vegetables, red-hot applesauce, cole slaw, fruit juice and milk.

Wednesday - Burrito with cheese and hot sauce, Mexican beans, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, cole slaw, mixed fruit, fruit juice and milk.

Thursday - BBQ chicken, au gratin potatoes, seasoned green beans, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, lettuce salad, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk.

Friday - Fish wedge with tartar sauce, hot roll with butter, seasoned peas, tri-tator, pineapple tidbits, chocolate cake, fruit juice and milk.

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

AKRON

Monday - Pizza, corn, pears, cookie bar.

Tuesday - Tator tot casserole, peas, pineapple, peanut butter bread.

Wednesday - Hamburger on bun, potato salad, Jell-o and fruit, cookie.

Thursday - Grilled cheese, sliced carrots, mixed fruit, celery stick.

Friday - Hot dog on bun, French fries, applesauce, cake.

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Phyllis Biddinger

Modern Sherlock Holmes



Mrs. Rock's fourth grade class at Mentone School performed a modern Sherlock Holmes play October 14 for an audience consisting of parents and first and second grade students.

"The Ghost of Plymouth Castle" was a big hit with Blalock Jones and Datson trying to solve Lady Plymouth's problem of a ghost in the castle. The ghost was trying to frighten Lady Plymouth out of the castle so she wouldn't inherit the castle.

Pictured are members of the cast. Back row: Tiffany Layhart, Christina Longmire and Elissa Haywood. Front row: Kristen Sanders, Jory Harrold, Hilary Vanlaningham and Josh New-some.

(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Community News

Akron Nutrition Site



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 Street. 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. on a donation basis.

Monday, Nov. 9

BBQ ribette, scalloped potatoes, broccoli spears, fruit cocktail, bun, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 11

Fried chicken, sweet potatoes, tossed salad with tomato and gr. pepper, roll, milk.

Friday, Nov. 13

Chef's special.

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 November 9 through November 13 is:

Monday - Cranberry juice cocktail, sweet and sour meatballs, baked potato with margarine, steamed carrot coins, whole wheat bread with margarine, mixed fruit cup, milk, tea, coffee. 31 grams fat/117 milligrams chol.

Tuesday - Apple juice, cheese pizza, breakfast sausage, tossed salad with green onions, celery and ranch dressing, mandarin oranges, Loma Doone cookies, milk, tea, coffee. 26 fat/98 chol.

Wednesday - Tomato juice, breaded oven fried chicken quarter, mashed potatoes with gravy, spinach with bacon

bits, whole wheat bread with margarine, raspberry gelatin with bananas, milk, tea, coffee. 27 fat/98 chol.

Thursday - Orange juice, vegetable soup with saltines, hot sliced turkey on bun with mayo on side, dill pickle spear, warm cinnamon apple slices, milk, tea, coffee. 11 fat/77 chol.

Friday - Peach nectar, stuffed cabbage in tomato sauce, whole kernel corn, cottage cheese with chives, whole wheat bread with margarine, fresh banana, milk, tea, coffee. 22 fat/42 chol.

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

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Velma Bright and Lucille Harold returned home Monday evening from a trip through the Eastern States. They visited the Rev. and Mrs. Matt Williams in Middleburg Heights, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hinten and Debbie in Letonia, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Frazier in Temple, New Hampshire; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Harold in New Holland, Pennsylvania; and Mrs. Ann Krieder in Yardley, Pennsylvania.

Akron W.C.T.U.

holds institute The Akron W.C.T.U. met in the Akron Library on Wednesday evening October 28th at 6:30 p.m. A devotional was given by Rosemary Kindig. This was followed by a delicious carry-in supper. A program was given following supper. Rosemary Kindig was the program leader and presented an interesting program with Mrs. Jennie Michael singing "Amazing Grace". Gloria Bowen dismissed the meeting with prayer.

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Mrs. Pearl Horn called on Mrs. Isabel Peterson Wednesday afternoon.

Saturday evening at the home of Darrel Miller, a pot luck supper was served honoring Darrel's birthday. Attending were two nieces and a nephew from Peru; Ann Williamson, Warsaw; Gary Kuhn, Mentone; Mr. and Mrs. Doug Miller and Justin, Mr. & Mrs. Jim Miller, Mrs. Joy Miller, and Pam Miller, Kevin and Brad. Ice cream and cake were served later in the evening.

ARMED SERVICES

Army National Guard Pvt. Patrick B. Burnish and Timothy J. Barton have completed training at the U.S. Army Infantry School at Fort Benning, Ga.

During the course, students received training which qualified them as light-weapon infantrymen and as indirect-fire crewmen in a rifle or mortar squad.

Instruction included weapons qualifications, tactics, patrolling, land mine warfare, field and combat operations.

Burns is the son of Patricia A. Terent, Mentone, and is a 1992 graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School.

Barton is the son of Evelyn and Timmy Barton, Mentone, and is a 1992 graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School.

Olive Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hollingsworth, of Deer Haven, Florida, visited his uncle, Paul Cox and Helen Thursday. They also visited Mrs. Tom Snively, Wabash and Mrs. John Grable, Columbia City.

Mrs. Walter Safford, Kathryn Hahnert, and Elizabeth Heine, of Ft. Wayne, visited Mrs. Russell Shipley at the Peabody Nursing Home, North Manchester, and Hazel Hazlett at the United Methodist Nursing Home, Warren, Ind.

Marla Kindig, Ft. Wayne, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Dobbins, Warsaw; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Basham, Mishawaka; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Snively, Tommy and Katie Hall, Wabash; Dale Cox, Fulton; Larry Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. John Grable, Columbia City; Mrs. Bill

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NSDAR met at Teels

The October meeting of the Agnes Pruyt Chapman Chapter of the NSDAR met October 27, 1992 at Teel's Restaurant in Mentone. There were 33 members and one member at large present.

Mildred Smith offered prayer after which dinner followed.

The meeting was called to order by Regent Julie Ferguson followed by the opening ritual being led by Kay Hatfields. The Pledge to the Flag, led by Margaret Wolter, the American Creed led by Margaret Wolter and the singing of the Star Spangled Banner led by Eileen Hill. The President Generals message was read by Cara Lyn Tucker, the National Defense message was given by Jean Clauss. Sally Nichols read the recording secretaries report, Pauline Holderman read the treasurers report. Phyllis Thomas, the northern district director gave the report for the

92nd Ind. St. Conference. Delegates to this conference were Mary Lib Loop and Catherine Evans. Corresponding secretary, Phyllis Fricke, read a letter from the Educational Surrogate Parents, Literacy and a letter from Julie Baxley who had moved from our area. June Bryan and Sally Nichols reported on the Days of Kosciusko activities. A collection for gift giving for the veterans was taken by Virginia Horn and turned over to Mary Stouder who will deliver these gifts to the veterans in the Marion Veterans Hospital, sometime in the near future.

The program was introduced by Kay Hatfields. This program was our windup of the year long study of Christopher Columbus and presented by Martha Bock and Sally Nichols.

The November meeting will be held in the Senior Center on No. Park Ave., Eileen Koenig thanked her committee for the October meeting who were Martha Bock, Alene Collins, Dixie Breeding, Kathleen Goshert, Mary Hillery, and Martha Hoffman. The meeting adjourned at 9:10.

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Thursday, October 29

ADMISSIONS: Norma Bowman, Claypool; Della M. Leckrone, Claypool. DISMISSALS: None

Friday, October 30

ADMISSIONS: None. DISMISSALS: Sherry M. Boetcker, Silver Lake.

Saturday, October 31

ADMISSIONS: Henry Bradford, Silver Lake; Maude Cox, Mentone; Kent Riner, Mentone. DISMISSALS: Carole Homan, Silver Lake; Woodrow Mullins, Claypool.

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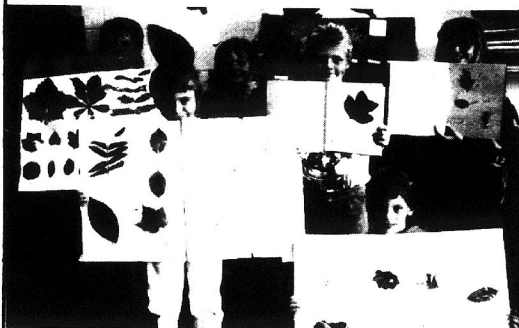
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My sincere thanks to all the voters who supported me on November 3rd.

Melvin R. Myers, Jr.

Burket students collect leaves



Jean Smith's fourth grade class at Burket has been busy collecting, mounting and identifying leaves. Pictured are a few of the collections. Back row: Ryan Pritchett, Lindsay O'Brien, Anthony Demenico, Dana McFarren. Front row: James Stapleton and Larry Bartley.

(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Ace Hardware staff see President Bush

Shortly after the scheduled Ace Hardware morning business meeting on Monday, October 26 in Denver, Colorado, Jim Maze, Dawn Weed, Naomi Robinson, and Loren Dalrymple, who work for the local Ace Hardwares in Warsaw and Mentone, were excited to see President Bush address the convention. The surprise visit by the President was the highlight of the five day convention schedule.

The Ace Hardware convention was an assembly for over 5,000 Ace dealers from across the nation, Alaska, Hawaii, and some international stores. The focus of the convention was "Legendary Customer Service".

Jr. High offers new challenges



When students reach junior high, they are faced with new challenges. Lab settings become more common offering an alternative to sitting at a desk and learning from a book.

Mrs. Debaet's seventh grade science class has been learning to use a microscope. Students are working with onion cells, learning to prepare the slides and check the cells.

Pictured are Samantha Adkins and Brian Jones working together on an assignment. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

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AKRON CHURCH OF GOD

SERVICES: THURS., NOVEMBER 5, 7:00 P.M. Adult and Youth Bible Studies; SAT., NOVEMBER 7, 6:30 P.M. Sonoco Supper; SUN., NOVEMBER 8, 8:25 A.M. Early Worship; 9:30 A.M. Sunday School; 10:30 A.M. Second Worship; 5:30 Choir Rehearsal; 7:00 P.M. Evening Worship; MON., NOVEMBER 9, 7:30 P.M. Board of C.E.; WED., NOVEMBER 11, 9:00 A.M. Ladies Prayer Group; 7:00 P.M. Scouts; James W. Malbone, Pastor; P.O. Box 66, Akron, IN 46910. Phone 893-4121.

OMEGA CHURCH

SERVICES: Sunday School, 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 Tapps, 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.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday evening prayer meeting, 7:00 p.m. David E. Callighan, pastor. Phone 269-5840. Member of Independent Fundamental Churches of America (IFCA). Fundamental - Bible Believing - Christ Centered.

FULL GOSPEL HOUSE OF PRAYER

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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. Dennis Shock, Pastor; Kevin Deardorff, 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, 7:00 p.m., Bible Study. 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. Supt. Phone 893-4489.

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.

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.; UM Women - Fourth Wed., 7:00 p.m.; UM Men - Second Wed., 6:30 p.m. Wm. (Will) Lawson, Sr., Pastor; Sallie Stone, Outreach Minister.

MENTONE CHURCH OF CHRIST

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship and Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 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 Loughheed, 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, Pastor, 353-7758; Michael Newman, Assoc. Pastor, 353-7418.

BURKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Worship 10:15 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.; Wednesday 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 - Lynn Jessup; Supt. - Helen Cox; Asst. Supt. - Minnie Ellison. 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

SERVICES: Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Coffee 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.

Academic Student of the Week

Two students at Tippecanoe Valley High School tied for academic student of the week. Rich Burdge and Wes Mappin both have a grade point average of 11.0.

Burdge, 15, is the son of Ross and Priscilla Burdge of Akron. He is active in the band and drama, and is a member of the swimming team and academic team. He hasn't decided on a college yet, but plans to major in biology. His favorite subject is band while chemistry is the one he finds the most difficult. His most recent academic achievement was being in the Spell Bowl.

Mappin, 15, is the son of Russell and Phyllis Clark of Akron. He is on the baseball team at Valley and a member of the Boy Scouts of America. He plans to major in astronomy at Purdue University. His favorite subject is advanced P.E., and Algebra II is the most difficult for him. His most recent academic achievement was earning all A's during the last school year.

Mid-West Spring in Mentone to receive TMC machines

Mid-West Spring Manufacturing Co., Romeoville, IL, one of the nation's largest manufacturers of custom and stock springs, wire forms and stampings, announced recently that it has installed TMC Model SC-20P coiling machines at its Romeoville plant.

Mid-West Spring is the first spring company in the United States to use the TMC machines, which are equipped with laser control to consistently produce a high precision spring while reducing rejects.

Leo Wysocki, president of Mid-West Spring, said, "We strive to provide our customers with a high quality, precision product and we work to produce it as efficiently and cost-effectively as possible. The TMC machines will help us accomplish that. We plan to install TMC machines in all our plants in the near future."

Mid-West Spring has a plant in Mentone.

Correction

Bob Allen was misidentified as President of the Akron Town Council in the October 28, 1992 issue of *The Akron-Mentone News*. President of the Town Council is Charles Strek.

Thank you
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your support.

Kathy Siders

Teacher Feature

by Rosa Hatfield

Marlene Nellans is teaching second grade at Mentone School and loving every minute of it. Fifteen out of her eighteen years as a teacher have been as a kindergarten teacher and she finds the change refreshing.

"The first difference I noticed about second graders was that they could sit still and they knew where the buses were on the first day of school," said Nellans.

Nellans said she loved teaching the younger children but was ready for the challenge of second grade. She loves creative, challenging things and frequently implements activities for her students. She tries to think of things where they can be active, not just sit and listen.

"Changing grade levels was harder than you would think" said Nellans. "There were so many things I had collected over the years, things that another teacher wouldn't have any use for. I had to clean out my cupboards and throw a lot of things away."

Nellans said she is impressed by the communication skills of second graders. In kindergarten, students make up stories a lot but by second grade, they have more credibility. Another thing she especially appreciates is that children that age still like their teachers.

Nellans was responsible for implementing the Pre-Kindergarten program at Mentone School three years ago. The program allows the kindergarten students to attend school for two weeks before the start of regular classes and gives them a chance to get used to school and not be afraid. She also teaches art classes to students in grades one-eight during the summer.

Nellans graduated from Richland Center High School shortly before it consolidated with Rochester. She received her B.S. and Masters degrees from Ball State University. Before joining the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation, she taught at Oregon Davis and Argos.

She and her husband, Gary, live in the Winamac area with their son, Mark, 15, a freshman at Winamac High School. Another son, Steve, 21, lives in Rochester.

In March, they moved into the "dream" house they helped design. Nellans' husband is a teacher in the Winamac School system and athletic director at the middle school. During the summer, they operate a craft business, "The Blade and Brush", where they make and sell wood products and crafts.

Nellans loves to read, bake, grow flowers and decorate. Her new home has a 90 foot porch where she can show off the flowers she raises in her perennial garden.

"Often after doing the same job for so long, people ask themselves if there is something else they really want to do. I can truthfully say no. Teaching is what I love and I'm having a great time," said Nellans.

Kindergarten students learn about bears



Sandy Moriarty's kindergarten class at Mentone School recently studied about bears. Moriarty read "bear" stories and each student was allowed to bring a favorite stuffed bear from home. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

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NOVEMBER 2, 1967
25 YEARS AGO

Men in Service

Ronnie Prater, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Prater of R.R. 1, Silver Lake, has been promoted to airman first class in the U.S. Air Force.

Airman Prater is a jet engine mechanic with the 380th Field Maintenance Squadron at Plattsburg AFB, N.Y. He is a member of the Strategic Air Command.

The airman is a graduate of Silver Lake High School.

Restaurant Has New Owner

Mrs. Gladys Deeds and her son Earl, Jr., Rochester, assumed operation of the Akron Cafe on October 23, purchasing the business from Mr. and Mrs. Gil Jenkins.

The Deedses are presently open from 6 a.m. until 6 p.m. and plan to remain open later on home-game nights. Sunday hours will be announced at a later date. Mrs. Deeds said.

NOVEMBER 4, 1943
50 YEARS AGO

Enlists in Navy Seabees

Elmer E. Hammond, son of the late Clem Hammond and Mary Jane Hammond, Akron, has enlisted in the Navy Seabees. Mr. Hammond will report for active duty at Indianapolis Friday, November 5th. His wife, son, and daughter will remain in South Bend, where he has been employed by Bendix Aviation Corporation.

It Happened In Mentone

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NOVEMBER 7, 1968
25 YEARS AGO

Mentone Conversation Piece

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leedy called on her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Davis, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Marie Smith of Warsaw called Saturday afternoon on Mrs. Velma Shaffer.

Mrs. Maude Zolman, Ethel Graham, and Dave McClone called Thursday afternoon on Mrs. Hazel Walters.

Beaver Dam News

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Haney and family and Freddie Haney were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Fleck of South Bend were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Swick.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller spent Sunday visiting with relatives in Indianapolis.

NOVEMBER 4, 1942
50 YEARS AGO

News of Mentone and Vicinity

Dr. Urschel spent last week in Detroit working in the Cardiac Clinic of the Henry Ford Hospital.

Miss Eleanor Rush spent Saturday night and Sunday with her cousin, Virginia Rush.

Newcastle Township News

Mr. LaVoy Montgomery spent Sunday afternoon in Rochester.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON FULTON COUNTY SOLID WASTE DISTRICT FINAL DISPOSAL FEE
You are hereby notified of public hearing on November 16, 1992 at 7:30 p.m. in the Commissioners' Room, Courthouse, Rochester, Indiana regarding the setting of the Fulton County Solid Waste District final disposal fee. The public is invited to attend.

All persons interested in this matter shall have the right to be heard.

Dated this 28th day of October, 1992.

FULTON COUNTY
SOLID WASTE DISTRICT
Community School Corporation
By Nancy E. Krom, Director of the
Fulton County Solid Waste District
45/2p

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF PROPOSED ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS
Notice is hereby given the taxpayers of the Rochester Community School Corporation of Fulton County, Indiana that the proper legal officers of the Rochester Community School Corporation at their regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. on November 16, 1992 in the Rochester High School auditorium, will consider the following additional appropriation in excess of the budget for the current year.

DEBT SERVICE FUND	AMOUNT
Indiana Bond Bank T.A.W.	\$19,802.50
Loan Interest	777.50
Bond Paying Agent Fees	777.50
Total Additional Appropriation	\$20,580.00

Taxpayers appearing at the meeting shall have a right to be heard. The additional appropriations as finally made will be referred to the State Board of Tax Commissioners. The Board will make a written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriations made within fifteen (15) days of the receipt of a certified copy of the action taken.

Martin J. Smith, President
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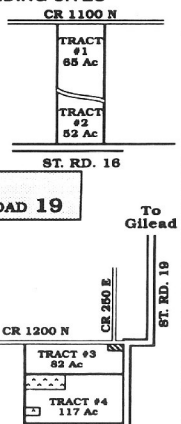
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198.5 ACRES ON STATE ROAD 19

TRACT 3 - 82 ACRES mostly tillable on State Road 19, 1 1/2 mile north of State Road 16. County Road 1200 N borders on the north end. Taxes and ditch assessments are approximately: \$720/yr. (tax) and \$12.45/yr. (ditch).

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Marshal Curtis Ebersole Mentone marshal sworn in

by Rosa Hatfield

Curtis Ebersole was sworn in as the town marshal at the Monday, November 2 meeting of the Mentone Town Council. Attorney Lee Bazini conducted the ceremony. Ebersole will begin his official duties on January 2, 1993. In the meantime, Ebersole has donated time to getting the necessary vehicles and equipment together.

Ebersole came to Monday's meeting armed with prices for new and used police cars. He told the council he could purchase two used vehicles, '88 or '89's, for about \$9,000. These would not be equipped and would have approximately 60,000 to 70,000 miles and no guarantees on how long they would last.

The alternative Ebersole proposed was to purchase two 1993 Chevrolet Caprices from Algood Chevrolet in Spencer, IN, fully equipped, with no maintenance risk and more trade-in value. The total cost, paid over a three year period, would be \$31,356. The board approved the purchase and authorized Ebersole to order the cars immediately so they will be available by January 1, 1993.

The board also approved requests for additional police equipment, including a radar gun.

During the October meeting, the town council requested that Barb Ross check prices on new tables and chairs for the clerk's office. Ross presented prices at the November 2 meeting and the board agreed to the purchase.

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Valley Wins Sectional

For the first time in nine years the Tippecanoe Valley Vikings have won a sectional title. Friday night the Vikings beat Rochester 24-23 to win the Class 2A Sectional 27 Championship. Their last sectional final victory was in 1983 against Rensselaer.

Valley led the entire game, with a score of 21-7 at the end of the first half. Viking coach Scott Bibler ordered his first ever field goal attempt in the third quarter. That proved to be a wise decision. David Sleeth's 27-yard field goal gave the Vikings the edge they needed to survive a fourth-quarter rally by the Zebras that brought the score to 24-21.

Valley stopped a Rochester drive at the 29 with 1:30 remaining on the clock. The excitement mounted as Valley tried to run out the clock, but lost 19 yards in the process. To eliminate the chance of Rochester making a big play, Coach Bibler had Ryan Bowers run out of the end zone. This gave Rochester a safety with two seconds left on the clock and cinched the game.

One of the most spectacular plays of the game came in the first half when Justin Davis made an exciting one-handed catch along the sideline and then ran 93 yards for a touchdown.

The first score of the game came on a touchdown from Keith Jones after recovering a Rochester fumble on their 28-yard line. Valley also scored on a 24-yard screen pass from Bowers to Jones, a 20-yard run by Ryan Prater.

Bowers completed 7 of 14 passes for 218 yards, with Valley doing most of their damage in the air.

The Vikings are now 6-5. They will host Class 2A second-ranked South Adams in the regional game on Friday.



Community Corner

Notice

Tippecanoe Valley High School will have advanced ticket sales for the regional football game at Tippecanoe Valley on Thursday, November 12th, ONLY from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost is \$5 per ticket.

Game time will be 8 p.m. with gates opening at 7 p.m.

Christmas Bazaar items needed

The Akron Friends of the Library are looking for donations of Christmas related items for a fund raiser.

A bazaar and bake sale is being planned for December 5 and the Friends of the Library are in need of ornaments, handmade items, wood items, stitchery work, potted plants and ceramic items for this event.

If you would like to donate an item please call Bonnie at 893-1290 or the Akron Library for further information.

Money made from this event goes entirely toward updating the library.

Akron W.C.T.U. to meet

The Akron W.C.T.U. will meet in the library next Wednesday, Nov. 11 at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Paul Bowen is in charge of the program and the hostess is Mrs. Lee Gearhart. All members are urged to be present and visitors are always welcome.

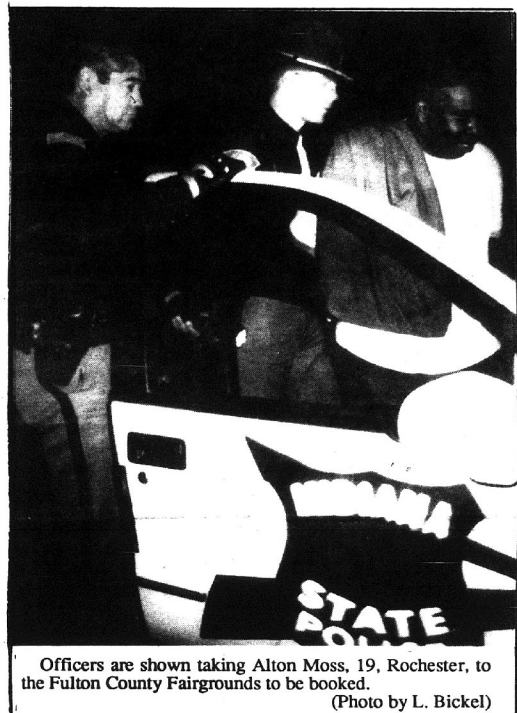
Center U.M. Church Bazaar

The Center United Methodist Church, St. Rd. 15 north of Silver Lake, will hold a bazaar on November 14 from 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Items for sale will include wood ornaments, wreaths, fence post creations, sweatshirts, Christmas trees, baskets, dishcloths and scratchers.

Food items including noodles, soups, mincemeat, cakes, cookies and pies will also be for sale. Customers who purchase a roll will receive a free cup of coffee.

Chamber of Commerce Christmas raffle

The Mentone Chamber of Commerce is selling tickets for the Christmas raffle.
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Officers are shown taking Alton Moss, 19, Rochester, to the Fulton County Fairgrounds to be booked.
(Photo by L. Bickel)

Drug raid nets 48 arrests

In the early hours of November 5, over one hundred sixty five police officers from 23 different agencies raided the homes of 48 defendants on various drug related charges. The raid is the result of an investigation that was started in 1989 by the Fulton County Sheriff's Department and Rochester Police Department. With the assistance of the Multi County Drug Task Force, the investigation was expanded into "Operation Clean Sweep" which included targets in Fulton, Pulaski, Marshall and Cass counties. Ongoing efforts by undercover officers have identified and traced drug activities that included cocaine, crack ice, (crystal meth) and marijuana dealings throughout the area.

The undercover operation was designed to identify and gather sufficient information to arrest individuals who were considered to be upper level drug dealers. Targets of this investigation were dealers of crack cocaine from the Pulaski County area into Marshall, Starke, Fulton, and Cass counties.

Information gathered through this investigation will be used by various agencies to solve numerous other crimes such as burglaries, auto thefts, child molestings and other miscellaneous criminal activity.

The investigation has led to charges against a number of defendants who were selling drugs on or near schools in the Monterey, Culver and Rochester communities. Through the investigation cases were developed against 48 defendants on charges ranging from dealing in cocaine to maintaining a common nuisance. The defendants, who resided in Pulaski, Fulton, Cass and Marshall counties, were all interrelated by their drug activities which were centered in the Rochester, Delong, Monterey and Culver areas but branched out into a five county area.

In all, the defendants were charged with seven Class A felony.
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OBITUARIES

MABEL R. (BUCHER) KNESS

Mabel R. Kness, 73, of Huntsville, Alabama, passed away October 9, 1992 at the home of her son after a two month illness.

She was born November 19, 1918 to Daisy and Mearl Bucher near Akron.

On March 14, 1953, in Fort Wayne, she married Bradley J. Kness, who preceded in death in December 1981.

A 1936 graduate of Beaver Dam High School, she was a cheerleader for two years, attended Business College in South Bend, and worked as claim secretary for Chicago Motor Club in Fort Wayne. She spent most of her adult life in Alabama and three years in Germany.

Surviving are a son and wife, David and Dawn Kness, one grandson, Bradley Joseph Kness of Huntsville, Alabama; a sister, Lucille Smith; a niece, Kathy Smith of Dayton, Ohio.

Graveside services were October 12 at 11 a.m. at Faith Memorial Park. The Rev. Carl Malm officiated.

HARVEY L. SMITH

Harvey L. "Funny" Smith, 85, Rt. 2, Akron, died at 6:05 a.m. Nov. 3, 1992, in his home, after an extended illness.

He was born Nov. 16, 1906, in Mentone, to Edward and Della Jefferies Smith.

On Feb. 24, 1940 in Dutchtown, he married Faye Warren, who survives.

He was a retired carpenter.

Other survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Terry (Betty Lou) Foust, Akron; one grandson; and one great-granddaughter. One sister and seven brothers preceded in death.

Services were Thursday in Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. Wayne Johnson officiating. Burial was in the Nichols Cemetery, Akron.

J. PAULINE RINER

J. Pauline Riner, 86, of 112 N. Tucker St., Mentone, died at 5:45 a.m. Friday, Nov. 6, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital in Warsaw following a one-month illness.

She was born Jan. 15, 1906

near Mentone to Charles and Mary Estep Casner. She was a lifetime area resident.

On May 21, 1927 she married Curtis Jack Riner, who died in December 1961.

She was a school teacher and attendance officer at the school. She was also an antique dealer and a member of the Mentone United Methodist Church, Psi Iota Xi, Eastern Star, Retired Teacher's Association and the Kosciusko County Historical Association.

Surviving are three sons, Jack K., New Haven; Kent R., Mentone, and L. Kay, Ema Green; 11 grandchildren, and 14 great-grandchildren. Preceding in death were two sisters and a brother.

Services were Monday at King Memorial Home, Mentone, with the Rev. Will Lawson officiating. Burial was in the Mentone Cemetery.

PAUL WILLIAM RANDALL

Paul William Randall, 73, Leesburg, died on Friday, November 6, 1992 at 8:30 a.m. in Veteran's Administration Hospital, Fort Wayne, after a ten-month illness.

He was born Dec. 21, 1918, in Warsaw, to William and Nellie Belle Smith Randall. On Nov. 3, 1945, he married Grace Baugher, who survives.

He retired in 1981 from Kosciusko County Highway Department and was a resident of the Leesburg area most of his life. He was a World War II veteran and a member of Leesburg United Methodist Church.

Surviving with his wife are one daughter, Mrs. Gene (Sandra) Zartman, Leesburg; two brothers, Lawrence Randall, Leesburg; and Donald Randall, Palestine; three sisters, Mrs. Wilbur (Virginia) Morrison, Warsaw; Frieda Baugher, Burket; and Edith Mast, Tulsa, Okla.; two grandchildren; and one great-grandchild. One sister and two brothers preceded in death.

Services were held Monday, November 9, 1992, at 10:30 a.m. in Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw, with the Rev. Donald Shanks officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mentone marshal

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of a 44x96 conference table, eight chairs, and a desk and chair. These will be purchased from Executive Office Machines and will cost approximately \$2100.

Brian Reed was given the okay to order a sand and salt spreader at a cost of \$2900.

Money left over from the streets and curbing fund will be transferred to the equipment fund to cover the purchases.

The council voted not to renew the maintenance contract for the computer software. The contract was with Keystone Consulting for \$775 per year. Ross told the council she hadn't had to use the services yet and since it didn't cover the cost of new software, she didn't see the need to keep it.

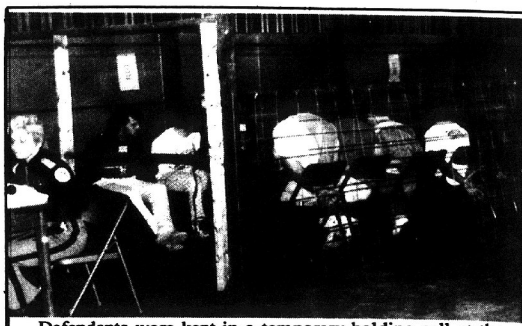
Reed reported that the holes at Dickerhoff Trucking have been filled in. The town pumped the water and Richard Dickerhoff filled them in.

The Chamber of Commerce sent a letter requesting the council's support of an allocation that would return at least 25% of the lottery revenue to local government. The council agreed to support this.

Reed reported that there are still five or six people who haven't complied with the town's request to remove junk cars. Council members agreed to send another letter. However, if these people do not comply within seven days, there will be a fine levied against them of \$50 per day until the cars are moved or plated.

A representative of Valley Sanitation informed the town that the user fees may rise soon to \$1.50/ton. He said they haul approximately six-and-one-half tons per week from Mentone. This would necessitate an additional charge to the town of \$9.75 per week. The council agreed to wait until January to make a decision, at which time, Valley Sanitation will let them know if the user fee does indeed raise.

The next meeting will be December 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the clerk's office.



Defendants were kept in a temporary holding cell at the Community Building at the Fulton County 4-H Fairgrounds after being booked November 5.

(Photo by L. Bickel)

Drug raid

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counts, 20 Class B felony counts, 16 Class C felony counts, 56 Class D felony counts and 23 Class A misdemeanor counts. In addition, two juveniles were taken into custody.

The officers purchased \$30,000.00 worth of controlled substances during the investigation, with \$18,000.00 being spent in the last eight months. It has also developed additional information which is continuing in nature and will be used to target and arrest additional defendants in the future.

Officers of the following agencies participated in the raid: Pulaski, Fulton, Marshall, Jasper, Kosciusko, Miami, White and Wabash County Sheriff's Departments; Culver, Logansport, Francesville, Frankfort, Kewanna, Rochester, Plymouth, Bremen, Bourbon, Akron and Argos Police Departments; Indiana State Police; Pulaski and Fulton County Prosecutor's Offices and the Indiana Dept. of Natural Resources.

One of those arrested was Kris E. Gearhart, 32, of Rt. 2, Akron. Gearhart was charged with dealing in marijuana (Class C Felony), dealing in marijuana (Class D Felony), possession of marijuana (Class D Felony), possession of marijuana (Class A misdemeanor).

The public is asked to help in this ongoing effort to protect our communities by reporting any information to the Drug Hot Line at 1-800-788-5606.

Thank You

The Dean Gerig family would like to thank each person who supported us during the illness and loss of our mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and friend - Selena Gerig. We appreciate your prayers and thank you for the love you have shared with us.

The following was written in Selena's journal:
October 1992

Assurance by Irene Hinkle Faubion

Tonight I know that God himself alone can meet the need for which I find no words just tears, and unvoiced agony to express.

But knowing that He knows and cares and understands I find assurance better than an answer to my prayers; for I find God - find God himself!

Sincerely,

The Dean Gerig family

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

Benjamin Franklin



Community Corner

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drawing will be on Open House night. The date hasn't been determined yet. Prizes will include a glide rocker, 50 pounds of beef or pork, and a cordless telephone.

The proceeds of the raffle will be donated to Helping Hands to help provide turkeys and hams for needy families in the area.

Tickets are available from any chamber member and purchasers need not be present to win.

Harvest supper and bazaar

A Harvest Supper and Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 14, 1992 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Akron Church of God on 301 West St.

It is an "eat your fill, pay as you will event."

Crafts, baked goods and homemade noodles will be on sale.

Curtis Ebersole is Mentone's new town marshal

by Rosa Hatfield

"One of my top priorities as the Mentone town marshal will be to build a good rapport with the kids," said Curtis Ebersole. "I want to establish more substance abuse classes for the teens and programs like the 'don't touch' and 'dealing with strangers' issues for the younger kids."

Ebersole, 23, will begin his official duties as the town marshal on January 2, 1993 but has been actively working with the Mentone Town Council for several months in an advisory capacity and using his contacts to help obtain the equipment necessary to set up a local police force.

He also has plans to establish classes on child abuse and neglect, targeted towards teachers and faculty but open to anyone who is interested, to help educate the community in recognizing and dealing with these situations. He plans to bring an instructor from Indianapolis, who has a great deal of experience in this field, to teach the classes.

"I am excited about working with the kids in this community," said Ebersole. "I have dealt with a lot of kids in Indianapolis who were reached too late. Here, I think I can make a difference."

Ebersole said he thinks the biggest problem he will have to face initially will be traffic. Many people have become careless about their driving habits since Mentone hasn't had a town marshal. When a police officer is visible on a daily basis, people tend to watch their speed more and, in general, practice more defensive driving habits. He said there will probably be a lot of traffic tickets issued until people get used to the idea that someone is watching them.

Ebersole is no stranger to the area. He was born in South Bend but raised around Bourbon and Warsaw. He attended McKinley School as a youngster. His father and step-mother, Bill and Marion Ebersole live near Bourbon. His mother, Donna Ebersole, now living in Indianapolis, was raised in Tippecanoe.

Grandparents are Sam and Betty Smiley, owners of Smiley's Pine Tree Farm in Tippecanoe, and Robert and Claudia Ebersole of Plymouth.

Ebersole has two step-brothers and two step-sisters. John Perry is in Oklahoma City in the Air Force, Kris Perry is a student at St. Mary's College. Anna Perry attends Bourbon High School and Matt Perry is a student at Tippecanoe Valley High School.

Ebersole graduated from North Central High School with two years of speech, two years marketing, one year business administration, two years photography, one year entrepreneurship, and one year of economics. He also had four years of ROTC.

In 1990, Ebersole began working for Eagle Trident Security in Carmel, IN as a patrol officer and communications officer. He patrolled both residential and commercial properties and received a great deal of training both in the classroom and from work experience. This company was operated as close to a police department as was allowed by law. While working there, Ebersole realized he had a passion for law enforcement and has since pursued this passion by gaining all the knowledge he can and exploring different fields of security and investigations.

From 1991-92, Ebersole worked as a security officer for Adam's Mark Hotel in Indianapolis. It was his responsibility to monitor all of the hotel employees, guests, visitors, and subcontractors to insure their safety. He was also responsible for removing intoxicated guests from the four restaurants and night clubs associated with the hotel that served alcoholic beverages.

Since 1990, Ebersole has also been an investigator for Investigations Unlimited in Indianapolis. Through this job, he has increased his skills in surveillance, photography, and compiling facts for courtroom use. He has gained a great deal of knowledge about the court system and procedures used in court.

He has been recognized by the State of Indiana in the following areas: pistol expert, revolver marksman, shotgun proficient, ASP, cap-stun, CPR, first aid, and firearms safety course. He graduated from the Clermont, Indiana Police Training Academy in August, 1992.

Ebersole will be moving to Mentone in early December of this year. He has been attending town board meetings, introducing himself to business owners and getting to know some of the Mentone residents over the past few months. He is looking forward to beginning his job as town marshal, a position he feels will allow him to utilize his experience and offer enough challenge to provide continued growth.

New books at the Akron Public Library

After Jesus - The Triumph of Christianity, published by the Reader's Digest Assn. - During the period covered in this book, classical antiquity came to an end, paganism died out, and a civilization based on Christianity began to take shape. Beautiful artwork of historic significance fill the pages of this book.

Five new books donated by Dawn Sheets: **Pomp & Circumstance** by Fred Stewart; **Murder in the Red Room** by Elliott Roosevelt; **The Miser** by Lesley Egan; **Decked** by Carol Higgins Clark; and **Flanders Sky** by Nicolas Freeling.

Tangled Vines by Janet Dailey. An enthralling story of passion and intrigue that combines the romance and drama of the wine country with the healing power of love.

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Seven for a Secret by Victoria Holt. Seduction, scandal, suicide, and murder--these are the secrets that unfold in Victoria Holt's new novel, where love and truth will triumph at last.

The Great One by William A. Henry. The life and legend of Jackie Gleason; one of the greatest entertainers of all time, and a man who was truly larger than life, both on stage and off.

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Gen. Schwarzkopf reveals the full story of his remarkable life and a career spanning nearly four decades - a career that profoundly shaped his beliefs and provided the leadership lessons that served him so brilliantly in the Gulf War.

A Gathering of Memories by Lori Wick. Can Mandy overcome her fears and open her heart to love? The inspiring conclusion to *The Long Road Home*.

'Back to the Days of Kosciusko' winner

Jessica Shirey, fourth grade student at Burket School, was a winner in the "Back to the days of Kosciusko" contest. Shirey's essay earned her a certificate for a large pizza and soft drink at Pizza Hut.

Another area winner was Maggie Rock of Mentone.

Akron's Most Wanted!



Akron School students chosen for displaying excellence during the week of October 26-30 are: Jenny Stiffler, Cole Runkle, Evan Wildermuth, Elyse Boggs, Brittany Kelly, Brandi Smalley, Matthew Flenar, Rebecca Steen, Samantha Judy, Rochelle Maggart, B.J. Cunningham, Laura Stephens, Stacy Tyler, Pam Anglin, and Lynette Feldman.

(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)



Akron School students chosen for displaying excellence during the week of October 19-23 are: Keith Kindig, Jessica Bradford, Cassie Haupt, Brianne Walgamuth, Kara Anderson, Christopher Bucher, Megan Shidler, Sherise Denney, Matt Crump, Adam Clabaugh, Kelly Allen, Chrissy Case, Amanda Moore, Amanda McTaggart, Evan Boggs, Rory Jewell, and Nathan Strohschein.

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Hilary Vanlaningham and Jory Harrold, representatives of Mrs. Rock's fourth grade class at Mentone School, display the flag given to the school by Jim Jontz. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Mentone School receives flag

As part of a writing assignment in Mrs. Rock's fourth grade class at Mentone School, students wrote to senators and congressmen requesting a flag that had flown over the U.S. Capital for Mentone School.

Hilary Vanlaningham and Jory Harrold were chosen as representatives of the class to send their letters.

In the meantime, Jory had an unexpected highlight, when he met Jim Jontz in the Mentone laundromat. He told the Congressman that he had written to him asking for a flag. Jontz told Jory he'd send a flag. The flag arrived last week.

The fourth grade classes at Mentone take turns sharing the responsibility of raising and lowering the flag each day.

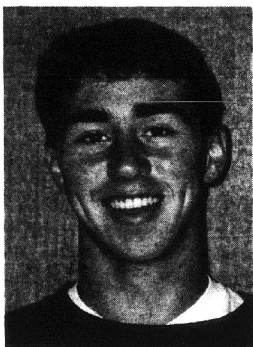
Viking of the Week

Ryan Bowers, son of Mike and Ruby Bowers of Athens, has been selected as Viking of the Week.

Ryan, 17, is a senior at Tippecanoe Valley High School. He has participated in football, basketball, and baseball for four years. He has lettered in all three sports and considers all of them his favorite sports.

Ryan's most memorable sports moment was when he broke the passing record in the Tippecanoe Valley-Manchester game. He belongs to the Varsity Club. He plans to attend college and major in athletic training after graduation.

The News congratulates



Ryan as Viking of the Week and wishes him success in college.

Mentone Chamber sponsors Costume Contest

Mentone Chamber of Commerce Halloween Costume winners are:

Fictional Character: First place-Megan McFadden; second place-Mario Aguilar.

Non-Fictional Character: First place-Chase Johnson; second place-Cameron Parker.

Cartoon Character: First place-Autumn Beasley; second place-Erin Rye and Charles Rye.

Movie Character: First place-Autumn Beasley, Charles Rye & Austin Francis; second place-James Meredith.

Humorous Character: First place-Eiser Family; second place-Jenna Gross.

Best Impersonator: First place-Meredith family; second place-Cody Craig.

Best Couple: First place-Paul Rye & Eian Johnson; second place-Mark & Kim Eiser.

Most Original: First place-Ross Stutzman; second place-Kevin & Eric Hoover.



MARK KENNETH LANTZ

Mr. and Mrs. Marty Lantz, Richmond, Va., are the parents of a son born November 2, 1992.

The baby weighed 7 lbs. 15 oz. and has been named Mark Kenneth. He measured 20 inches. Mark joins two sisters, Mandy and Christine.

Grandparents are the Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Marken, Highland Springs, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lantz, Mentone. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Coplen, Mentone and the late Isabella Lantz.

CHAZ STEPHEN CORRELL

Charles S. and Denece N. Correll, Box 104, Akron, are the parents of a son born at 1:30 p.m. Sept. 17, 1992 at Woodlawn Hospital, Rochester.

The baby weighed 7 lbs. 13 1/2 oz. and has been named Chaz Stephen.

Grandparents are Linda Nethercutt, Akron; Scott Nethercutt, Gilead; Elsie Knight, Peru and Charles S. Knight, Rochester. Great-grandparents are Marcia Nethercutt, Gilead; Mr. and Mrs. Mance Cantrell, Kentucky; Thelma Ewen, Tennessee; and Charles Edward, North Manchester. Nita Harman, Warsaw, is the great-great-grandmother.



JORDAN ANN GOOD

Craig and Lisa Good, 2441 W. 2505, Box 138, Warsaw, are the parents of a daughter born at 12:59 p.m. November 1, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital.

The baby weighed 6 lbs. 4 oz. and has been named Jordan Ann. She measured 19 inches.

Grandparents are Doug and Joyce Method, Warsaw, and Max and Peggy Good, Mentone. Great-grandparents

are Mark and Jane Corey, Silver Lake, and Elizabeth Good, Rochester.

Jordan is the couple's first child.

BRITTANY DEVAN BYRER

Brent and Bambi Byrer, 3073 Center St., Tippecanoe, are the parents of a daughter born at 7:06 p.m. Nov. 1, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital, Warsaw.

The baby weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz. and has been named Brittany Devan. She measured 22 inches. Brittany has a sister, Brenna, 2.

Grandparents are Richard and Linda Creamer, Warsaw, and Phillip and Sharon Byrer, Atwood. Great-grandparents are Ruth Byrer, Etna Green; Lois Williams, Atwood; and Edith Creamer, Warsaw.

WHITNEY NOEL REED

Edward and Amy Reed, Mentone, are the parents of a daughter, Whitney Noel, born Tuesday, October 20, 1992, at 7:20 p.m. in Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis. She weighed 1 pound, 13 ounces and measured 12 inches.

Grandparents are Terry and Debra Reed, Mentone; Stephanie Starke, Rapid City, S.D.; and Steven Voth, England. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bowser and Mr. and Mrs. George Reed, all of Mentone. Lois Lemler, Mentone, is a great-great-grandmother.

Whitney joins Lauren Nicole, 2, and Anthony Michael, 1.

American Education Week

The week of November 16th, will be a very exciting week at Burket Elementary. American Education Week will be celebrated by having many activities planned for students and the community.

There will be an Open House Tues., Nov. 17 from 6:30-8:00 p.m. On Thursday, Nov. 19th, Waldo will be visiting the school. Culminating the week on Friday, guest author, Marilyn D. Anderson, will talk to students. Her latest book is *The Revenge of the Bubble Gum Monster*.

An invitation is extended to the community to attend the Open House.

Obituary

MARGRET ROBINSON

Margret "Ralphine" Robinson, 72, died at 12:30 a.m. Nov. 1, 1992, in her home.

She was a homemaker and past grand chief of Pythian Sisters.

Surviving are her husband, Joseph; three sons, Maynard, McDonough, Ga.; Lynn, Auburn; and Stanley, Albany, Ga.; a sister, Mary Bruner, Burket; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday in Johnson Funeral Home, Auburn. Burial was in the Alton Cemetery, rural St. Joe.

Academic Student of the Week



Ryan Black has been chosen as Tippecanoe Valley's Academic student of the week.

Black, 17, is the son of Allen and Janet Black of Akron. He is a senior at Valley and is a member of the Spanish Club and a member of the youth group at the Akron Church of God. He plans to major in business in college but hasn't made a choice of schools yet.

His favorite subject is Calculus, and Government is the most difficult for him. He carries a 10.351 grade point average and is employed at Mr. Pizza.

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My family and I are so thankful for those of our party who were elected. I will always have great memories of our times together. My sincere thanks to all.



Shirley C. Tobey

Mentone first graders had election



First grade students at Mentone School went through the voting process last week, including registering to vote, signing in, and casting their ballots.

Kim Eiser's class was in charge of writing short stories titled "If I Were President, I Would..."

Travis Engle would..."work in an office."

Shanna Leamon would..."lower taxes."

Stephanie Kauffman would..."help the people."

David Rich would..."take care of people and children."

Mrs. Vanlaningham's class was in charge of registering voters.

Mrs. Hill's class made signs urging people to vote.



Mentone School Student Council



Members of the Mentone School Student Council for the 1992-93 school year have been chosen. Back row: Darren Parker, president; Liz Hart; Debbie Burch, vice-president; Suzanne Eaton; Tim Flora. Middle row: Krista Zimpleman, secretary; Melissa Monk; Nicole Waltz; Brooke Huffman; Luke Bradley; Cameron Vanlaningham, treasurer. Front row: Dawn Beery, Brandy Yates, Amy Nellans, Brent Baney, Kyle Perkins. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

National Library Week to be observed

The Akron Carnegie Public Library will observe National Book Week Nov. 16-22, 1992. The theme is Catch A Book. This is a good time to bring the family to the library and see the many things that are available for the whole family.

An elevator has recently been installed in the library for those with disabilities and older adults. The librarians will be glad to assist those who need help.

There is a pre-school story hour for the children ages three through six on Fridays at 10:00 a.m.

There are records, magazines, books and videos for the whole family.

Visit the library during National Book Week!

Girls Sectional Swimming Results

Tippecanoe Valley came in with a seventh place finish out of 11 teams in the girls sectional swimming contest and set one new school record.

The team of Kelly Deardorff, Kristin Deardorff, Rebecca Flora, and Haley Foor set the new record in the 200 freestyle relay with a time of 1:53.64 for third place.

In the 200 medley relay, Heather Foor, Brandy Meredith, Jill Hunter, and Haley Foor took 11th place with 2:21.30.

In the 400 freestyle relay with a time of 4:16.89, the team of Kelly Deardorff, Kristin Deardorff, Rebecca Flora, and Jill Hunter took sixth place.

Rebecca Flora came in sixth in the 200 freestyle with 2:16.97 and ninth in the backstroke with 1:12.90.

Jill Hunter came in sixth in the 500 freestyle with 5:56.70 and ninth in the 200 individual medley with 2:30.91.

Kristin Deardorff came in sixth in the 100 freestyle with 1:02.39 and 11th in the 100 backstroke with 1:16.81.

Kelly Deardorff took tenth place in the 50 freestyle with 28.01 and Haley Foor came in 12th in the 100 freestyle with 1:06.42.

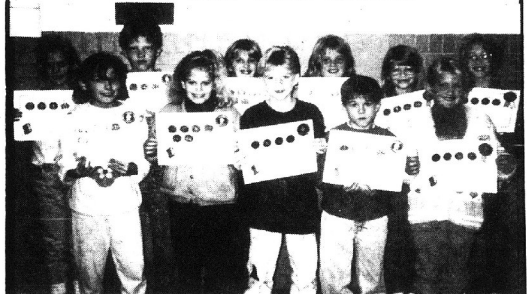
Local businesses donate books to Akron School



First grade students at Akron School each received a copy of the book *My Favorite Book To Grow On*. The books were donated by O & R Buildings and Mr. Pizza. Shown in the back row are: Deb Ramsey of O & R Buildings; and Steve Slone of Mr. Pizza. Front row: Amber King, Patricia Morrow, Patrick Davis, Betsy McCullough, Cassie Haupt, Sam Vanlaningham, Brent Vandermark, and Josh VanCleave.

(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

"Go for the Gold"



The third group of students receiving four or more gold seals in Mentone's "Winit" program are shown above. Back row: Kristi Rudd, Jory Harrold, Jennifer Stutzman, Melissa O'Dea, Christina Longmire, Hilary Vanlaningham. Front row: Jennifer Gase, Kristin Sanders, Josh Newsome, Scott Thomas, Hollie Waltz. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Helping Hands Christmas Tree for kids

This year Mary & Jerry's Helping Hands is sponsoring a Christmas tree for kids. If you would like your child's name put on the tree, fill out a form including name, birthday, boy or girl, full address, telephone, directions to your house, shirt size, pants size, shoe size and any special needs and return it to Helping Hands.

Names will be drawn from the tree and gifts will be distributed to as many children as possible.

The trees will be located at Niff-Tone Dist., Co. Rd. 600S, Mentone; Valley Furnishings,

Mentone; and Akron-Mentone News, Akron.

Anyone wishing to purchase gifts for a child this Christmas or throughout the year, should contact Helping Hands for more information.

Helping Hands hours are Tuesday and Thursday 3:00-4:45 p.m. Donations may be dropped off at Helping Hands or Niff-Tone Dist. If you need to contact Helping Hands, you may write or call: 10274 W 600 S, Mentone, IN 46539 or 353-7701. The night time phone number is 353-1300.

Halloween Spirit



Employees at the Mentone branch of Lake City Bank got into the Halloween spirit and came to work Friday in costume. Pictured is Karen Francis, Assistant Vice-President.

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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 Street. 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. on a donation basis.

Monday, Nov. 16

Chili, broccoli spears, pasta salad, fresh fruit, crackers, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 18

Ham N' beans/onions, carrot/raisin salad, chilled beets, banana, corn bread, milk.

Friday, Nov. 20

Pitch-In.

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 November 16 through November 20 is:

Monday - Apple juice, Swiss steak in gravy, parsniped potatoes, steamed broccoli, whole wheat bread with margarine, brownie, milk, tea, coffee. 29 grams fat/85 milligrams chol.

Tuesday - Apricot nectar, Chili Con Carne with salines, lime gelatin salad with shredded cabbage and pineapple, soft whole wheat roll with margarine, applesauce, milk, tea, coffee. 21 fat/83 chol.

Wednesday - Tomato juice, lemon baked fish with tartar sauce, baked potato with margarine, pea salad with cheese, whole wheat bread with margarine, apricot halves, milk, tea, coffee. 22 fat/54 chol.

Thursday - Orange juice, Polish sausage, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut, rye bread with margarine, cherry birthday cake with cherry icing, milk, tea, coffee. 44 fat/70 chol.

Friday - Pineapple juice, chicken a la king over biscuit, tossed salad with sliced cucumbers, radishes and French dressing, fresh seedless grapes, milk, tea, coffee. 25 fat/78 chol.

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

Akron News

Paul and Gloria Bowen, and Carol and George Graham went to Georgia recently to visit David and Jane Bowen at Douglasville. The also went to Stone Mountain and Atlanta, Georgia, and Fort Knox, Tennessee on the way home. KY.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Derring were Velma Bright, Nora Hoffman and Mary Krouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Strong entertained at a family dinner in their home on Sunday, November 8, 1992, in honor of Mrs. Strong's mother, Jean Stout and Aunt Joan Bowen's birthdays.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Leazenby of Brimhurst, IN; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Henderickson and daughters, Patricia Stout of Indianapolis; Bob Stout and Mrs. Lavon Stout of Akron; Rex Bowen, Mrs. Thelma Kanouse and Mrs. Polly Prater of Rochester.

Mentone News

Mentone Mothers of World War II, Unit 106, District 2 met Tuesday, November 3 at the home of Mildred Grindle. Doris Linton was the hostess.

President Marilyn Stafford opened the meeting. Sgt. at Arms Jeannine Nellans prepared the altar and presented the colors. While still standing at attention the pledge to the flag was repeated and the National Anthem was sung. Chaplain Doris Linton gave the invocation. Recording Secretary Pearl Horn read the minutes of the previous meeting, after nine members answered roll call. There were eight mothers that attended the district meeting in October at Monon. Letters from Eliza Rogers and Lillian McGure, National Secretary, were read.

Financial Secretary Mildred Grindle gave the financial report. Treasurer June Reed gave the treasurer's report. Ethel Whetstone made a motion, seconded by Pearl Horn, that all bills be paid. Boys in service were sent Christmas cards, checks and birthday cards.

Marilyn Stafford appointed a nominating committee of Ethel Whetstone, chairman; Doris Linton and Jeannine Nellans, to select officers for 1993. Under new business the dues will remain \$5.00 and be sent in January 1993. The Christmas party will be with Jeannine Nellans on Tuesday, December 8th.

The Mother's Creed was repeated. In closing, the colors were retired and the closing prayer was given with God Bless America being sung.

An auction was conducted by Mildred Grindle.

Mrs. Dorothy Horn of Rochester and Mrs. Pearl Horn had dinner Sunday in Warsaw.

Lucile Surface and Pearl Horn, visited Joy Miller Friday evening.

Mrs. Joy Miller had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller.

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Wednesday, November 4

ADMISSIONS: Joyce H. Sherwin, Silver Lake.

DISMISSALS: Christi J. Hudson, Silver Lake; Mabel E. Norris, Mentone; Athena Stenstrom, Bourbon.

Thursday, November 5

ADMISSIONS: Nadine E. Stanley, Silver Lake.

DISMISSALS: Lawrence W. Flannery, Silver Lake.

Saturday, November 7

ADMISSIONS: None

DISMISSALS: James Kintzel, Silver Lake; Joyce Sherwin, Silver Lake

Burket Pumpkin Contest

Burket School students and their families participated in a pumpkin decorating contest last week. Principal J. Theodore Straiger, Marge Powell, and Merdena Becholt acted as judges for the event. Straiger said it was very difficult to make choices as there were 94 entries all worthy of being called winners.

In the kindergarten class, Evan Rice won the most creative category; Lincoln Rose, funniest; Laci Bailey, most original; and Jana Meredith, scariest. There were 24 entries for the kindergarten class.

First grade winners were Brittany Rhoades, funniest; Jamie Jackson, most original; Steven Stapleton, ugliest; and Jolea Sexton, scariest. The first grade had 13 entries.

For the second grade, Lance Bailey won with the best cartoon character; Brad Roberts, scariest; Joshua Moore, most unusual; Amanda Elliott, best witch; and Krista Doyle, prettiest. There were 19 second grade entries.

Ronnie Adams won the happy clown category for the third grade. Brandon McCombs, ugly clown; Kristy Blauser, beautiful clown; and Seth Hamman, funny clown. The third grade had nine entries, all clowns.

The fourth grade did characters. James Stapleton won with his Max entry; Lindsay O'Brien with Tom the Black Cat; Jacob Manns with Bugs Bunny. There were 15 entries.

For the fifth grade, Elizabeth Hamman won the comic character category; Wendt Norton, best animal; and Tony Garl, best clown. The fifth grade had 14 entries.

All entrants received a small ice cream cone from the Dairy Queen. Winners received a DQ Blizzard.

School Menus

Area School lunch menus for the week of November 16 through November 20 are:

T.V.H.S.

Monday - Breaded tenderloin sandwich with cheese, dill slices and celery and carrot sticks, whole kernel corn, peach cobbler, applesauce, fruit juice and milk.

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

Wednesday - Pizza, seasoned green beans, Jell-o with whipped topping, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk.

Thursday - Johnny Marzetti, hot roll with butter, frozen peas, cole slaw, mixed fruit, fruit juice and milk.

Friday - Nacho chips with meat and cheese, Mexican beans, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, Rice Krispie Treat, 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.

NORTH MIAMI

Monday - Chicken nuggets, potato wedge, mixed vegetables, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday - Lasagna, garlic bread, tossed salad with Italian dressing, pear half, milk.

Wednesday - Ham pattie sandwich, green beans, fresh veggies, mixed fruit, peanut butter bar, milk.

Thursday - Tacos with meat, cheese and lettuce, carrots, fruit, cookie, milk.

Friday - Cheeseburger, French fries, peas, carrot cake, milk.

AKRON

Monday - Ravioli, green beans, sliced pears, peanut butter bread.

Tuesday - Beef and noodles, mashed potatoes, peas, peaches, whole wheat butter bread.

Wednesday - Pancakes and syrup, sausage, tator tots, applesauce.

Thursday - Spaghetti and meat sauce, lettuce salad, fruit, oven toast.

Friday - Fish on bun, macaroni salad, apple crisp, carrot stick.

MENTONE

Monday - Corn dog, macaroni and cheese, Harvard beets, applesauce.

Tuesday - Lasagna, garlic toast, lettuce salad, peaches.

Wednesday - Chicken patty sandwich, French fries, pears.

Thursday - Chipped beef gravy, cheese slice, mashed potatoes, green beans, pudding pop, bread and butter.

Friday - Ham sandwich, nachos with cheese, buttered corn, juice.

Story Hour at the Akron Library

"My Favorite Things" is the theme for Story Hour this fall at the Akron Public Library. Each Friday, beginning Nov. 13th, children, ages three through six, are invited to attend the Story Hour sessions, which run from 10:00 to 10:45 a.m. in the library basement. There will be stories, finger plays, videos, songs and crafts for the children.

Each week, the children are encouraged to bring an item pertaining to the theme for show and tell:

Nov. 13: Bring a favorite book or picture.

Nov. 20: Bring along something pertaining to Thanksgiving.

Nov. 27: Wear a favorite article of clothing or jewelry. (Example: hat, shirt, bracelet, etc.)

Dec. 4: Bring a favorite stuffed animal or doll.

Dec. 11: Bring along a favorite small toy with wheels. (Example: toy car, truck, airplane, etc.)

Dec. 18: Bring something pertaining to Christmas.



L.T.L. Halloween Party

The L.T.L. met last Friday night at the Akron Library basement for their annual Halloween party.

Prizes for the best costumes went to: Jenny Hartzler, Kalyn Smith, Brad Ellenwood, Maria Contreras, Jessica Riffle, Nancy Contreras, Vanessa Hammond, and Ramon Contreras.

Betty Gearhart and Norma Burns judged costumes and assisted the leader, Gloria Bowen.

There were 18 young people present.

The next meeting will be on Nov. 27th.

Burket PBA Day

The Indiana Department of Education and the Tippecanoe Valley School Board have approved early dismissal of students on Wednesday, November 18, to allow staff development activities to be conducted.

The activities are a part of the Performance Based Accreditation process as established by the Indiana State Board of Education.

Students will be dismissed after lunch at 12:40 p.m. If you are in need of child care for Wednesday afternoon, please call the school by 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday.

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COUNTY GENERAL	AMOUNT
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Taxpayers appearing at the meeting shall have a right to be heard. The additional appropriations as finally made will be referred to the State Board of Tax Commissioners. The Board will make a written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriations made within fifteen (15) days of receipt of a Certified Copy of the action taken.
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Olive Bethel News

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dereck and daughters of Antwerp, Ohio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coplen. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox were Thursday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Basham and Cindy of Mishawaka.

Silver Creek News

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gunter and sons were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leckerone. Mr. and Mrs. James Paxton and Phil were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Paxton.

Beaver Dam News

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Swick visited Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Fleck of South Bend on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Ed Bucher called on her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welch of Warsaw on Monday evening.

NOVEMBER 11, 1943
50 YEARS AGO

Resigns as Night Watchman

Valley Weeks has resigned his job as night watchman to take a similar job with the American Fork and Hoe Company. His present job ends Sunday night and the new job begins Monday. His new hours will be from 4 p.m. until 12 p.m.

Buys Akron Property

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey Baney of Disko moved to Akron last Saturday to the Lloyd Heeter property, which they recently purchased.

Winona Cafe Robbed

The Winona Cafe was entered sometime between 10:30 p.m. Saturday night and 5 a.m. Monday morning with an estimated loss in cash of \$55.98.

Sheriff Sommers is investigating the robbery and has questioned one local youth.

It Happened In Mentone

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE
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NOVEMBER 14, 1968
25 YEARS AGO

Mentone Conversation Piece

Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Bunner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oram in Warsaw. Mrs. Ina Davis was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox.

Summit News

Mrs. Earl Butt went to Peru Tuesday on business

Did You Know?

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Swick of Akron and Mrs. Harry Funnell, Mentone, called on Mrs. James Leak of Niles, Michigan on November 3rd.

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE
TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP
NOVEMBER 11, 1942
50 YEARS AGO

News of Mentone and Vicinity

Jack Shinn is in Mentone spending some time home with his folks before being called into the Air Force. Jack was employed at Beasley's Meat Market in Fort Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williamson spent Sunday evening at Vernon Jones home.

Local Happenings

Miss Norma Mattix of Claypool spent Saturday at North Manchester.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Coleman of Ralston arrived home Saturday p.m. after a week's visit in Illinois.

Newcastle News

Mrs. Charles God is spending a few days in Wabash the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Delong.

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Community Corner

Scouting for food

On November 21 the Akron Boy Scouts will be picking up donated nonperishable foods for needy families. They will be going door to door starting at 9 a.m. If you are donating food, put it in a bag and set it out by your door.

Raffle items on display

The Friends of the Akron Library are displaying, at the Akron library, the three items they will be raffling on December 5 during their bazaar and bake sale.

Advance tickets for the raffle may be purchased at the library or from Mary Lukens or Kim Robinson. The tickets for the afghan, hand-decorated sweatshirt and teddy bear are priced at three for a dollar.

For more information contact Margel Craig at 893-7019.

Fish Fry in Mentone

The Mentone Fire Department will sponsor a carry-out Fish Fry on Saturday, November 21. It will begin at 4:00 p.m. and continue until sold out. The accompanying bake

sale will be sponsored by the Tippecanoe Valley Band Boosters.

Free Turkey Dinner

The Mentone Community is invited to a Free Turkey Dinner, Thanksgiving Day, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Mentone United Methodist Church. The dinner is the church's way of saying thank you to God and Mentone for all the blessings we enjoy.

Reservations are not necessary but a call would help with planning. If anyone knows of a shut-in in the community who can not attend call the church at 353-7898 and a meal will be delivered to them.

Tri Kappa Christmas Bazaar

Tri Kappa Christmas Bazaar will be held on Saturday, Dec. 5, 1992 at Grace United Methodist Church, Rochester, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. The bazaar will feature poinsettias, Christmas items, crafts, pecans, a cookie walk and quilt raffle. Bring the kids to visit Santa and join Tri Kappa for a Christmas Tea.

Burket Students of the Month



Principal Ted Straiger of Burket School has instituted a new program to honor students. Students will be chosen from each grade level based on showing a positive attitude towards learning, positive behavior during the school day, respectfulness of school and student property, working to his or her potential. Students may be on the Honor Roll and may be chosen only once during the school year. Each grade level may or may not have a representative each month depending on whether any student meets all the criteria above.

For the month of October, students of the month are: back row: Adam Arndell, third grade; Maomi Meredith, fifth grade; James Stapleton, fourth grade. Front row: Brad Roberts, second grade; Kiley Foster, first grade; and Brent Norton, Kindergarten. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Valley falls to South Adams

The Tippecanoe Valley Vikings' football season came to an end Friday night in a game that was much closer than the 21-6 score indicates.

The second-ranked South Adams Starfires didn't cinch the regional title until the final seconds of the game. The score was 14-6 with 26 seconds on the clock when South Adams' Jason Sorg scored on a 31-yard run.

With the exception of a couple of breakdowns early in the game, the Viking defense did an excellent job, according to Coach Scott Bibler.

The Vikings scored their only touchdown during the second quarter. A 20-yard pass from Ryan Bowers to Rick Shoemaker gave the Vikings a first down at the South Adams 13. Four plays later Bowers scored from a yard out. A bad snap prevented David Sleeth from adding the extra point.

The Valley offense made several big plays. Carl Weaver returned an interception 60 yards for what appeared to be a touchdown. However the score was wiped out by a clip. Scott Finney, who had just recovered from a broken thumb, intercepted a pass and Todd Bailey recovered a fumble.

Valley quarterback Ryan Bowers finished the season with 1,509 yards making him the Vikings' career passing leader.

Valley ended its season with a 6-6 record. South Adams is now 12-0 and will meet Fort Wayne Luers in the semistate.

Akron water upgraded

In an attempt to improve Akron's water, the town began on October 20th treating the water with phosphates and chlorine. This treatment should help with the rust, odor and other problems water customers have. According to Superintendent Marty Gearhart, "It may be spring before a real difference is seen. Some people have said it has helped and others say they have seen no difference at all."

The town has also contracted for a new lift station that will be built on Mishawaka Street. The old lift

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Valley's Top Ten



Tippecanoe Valley High School has announced the top ten students in each grade level. Because there were several ties, some classes have more than ten students being honored. One class will be pictured in *The News* each week for the next four weeks.

The top ten seniors are: front row, Amy Rodenberg, Betsy Bammerlin, Patricia Byrer, and Brandy Meredith. Back row: Tonia Emrich, Ryan Black, Brent Paxton, Mike Harrold, and Robert Hackworth. Not pictured is Bambi Byrer. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Valley adopts school exit interview policy

Students desiring to quit school before graduating will be required to have an exit interview before leaving. Superintendent Karen Boling said state law mandates that schools have such a policy but Valley has, in fact, already been operating under those guidelines. The board voted to officially adopt the policy at the Monday, November 9 meeting.

Charles Mills, principal at Tippecanoe Valley High School, explained that students between the ages of 16 and 18 who decide to withdraw from school will meet with their parents and a school official. If the parents don't agree that the student can withdraw, the decision must be made by the school. Mills pointed out that students are encouraged to discuss the situation with the school counselors prior to making a decision to withdraw.

In other business, a representative of Clinton & Associates informed the board that there will be enough room to connect the new middle school to the present waste distribution plant. Board member Forest Kantner asked questions about the pitch of the roof for the new building and a guarantee against leakage. "I've yet to see a flat roof that didn't leak within the first five years," said Kantner.

The representative explained that the roof pitch has been increased to 1/2 inch and will have a ten year guarantee.

The board approved an additional appropriation for the school corporation of \$167,575 to come from the general fund.

They also approved a request from Jon Parker, principal at Mentone School, to expend interest not to exceed \$3,000 for a continued student incentive and recognition program.

Dr. Dan Kramer, assistant superintendent, presented bus specifications to the board. He asked them to decide at the December meeting whether to continue the purchase of three new buses each year, as has been done for the past few years, so bids can be put out.

The board approved a request from Pat Hoover, school nurse, to appoint four people to the Aids Advisory Committee. Mindy Phillips, Ted Straiger, Carol Ellenwood, and Troy Walters will join the other members on the committee.

Kantner voiced a concern that the committees appointed by

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OBITUARIES

W. EDWARD SIEGFRED

W. Edward Siegfred, 100, Rt. 1, Roann, died at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 10, 1992 at the Rt. 1, Roann home of his daughter, where he had lived for 10 years.

He was born July 4, 1892 in Peru to W.C. and Ella Madeford Siegfred.

On Dec. 19, 1919, in Akron, he married Myrtle M. Pontius, who died Sept. 15, 1981.

He was a retired farmer and had worked at General Tire Company in Wabash. He was an Army veteran of World War I and a member of the Wabash VFW.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Fred (Donna) Seibold, Roann, and Mrs. Donald (Doris) Walker and Mrs. Lenard (Joann) Rasmussen, both of Peru; a son, William, Wabash; 11 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild. Preceding in death were a daughter, Mary Shipman; two grandchildren; a great-grandchild; two sisters and three half-brothers.

Services were Friday in Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, with the Rev. Lowell Burrus officiating. Burial was in the Akron Cemetery, where the Wabash VFW and American Legion conducted military rites.

JOHN E. GRIM

John E. Grim, 91, of Suburban Acres, Warsaw, died at 8:45 p.m. Nov. 9, 1992, at Miller's Merry Manor, Warsaw, where he was a resident for one year.

He was born July 28, 1901, in Nappanee.

On Sept. 21, 1931, in Mishawaka, he married Helen Cowan, who died June 28, 1971.

He had lived in Kosciusko County since 1941 and was a foreman at Endicott Furniture, Warsaw. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War I and a member of the Salvation Army Church.

Survivors include two sons, Gene and Dick Grim, both of Claypool; one daughter, Marjorie Shafer, Warsaw; 12 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at McHatton-Sadler Funeral Chapel, Warsaw, with the Lt. Arthur Mills officiating. Burial was in the Oakwood Cemetery.

ANTHONY 'TONY' KING

Anthony "Tony" King, 50, of 902 N. Main St., Bourbon, died at 4:21 p.m. Nov. 8,

1993, at the emergency room of Holy Cross Parkview Hospital, Plymouth, of natural causes.

He was born Sept. 27, 1942, in Warsaw to Deloice and Joyce Caldwell King.

On Nov. 6, 1959, he married Shirley Schaezle in Bourbon. She survives.

He was employed with R.R. Donnelley & Sons for 33 years.

Other survivors include three daughters: Jerri Benson, Denver, Colo.; Beth Schleisman, Brighton, Mich.; and Sandy King, Bourbon; two sons, Jeff King, Leesburg, and Jay King, Bourbon; six grandchildren; and two brothers, Jay and Keith King, both of Plymouth. Two brothers preceded him in death.

Services were Wednesday at Van Gilder Funeral Home, Plymouth. Burial was in the Parks Cemetery, Bourbon.

ROSEWELL GAGNON

Rosewell J. Gagnon, 73, Rt. 1, Silver Lake, died at 5:01 p.m. Friday, Nov. 13, 1992 at his home.

He was born March 23, 1919 in Roann to Edward and Armin Blais Gagnon.

On June 28, 1941 in Akron he married Grace P. Pontious, who preceded in death.

He was a farmer and was retired from the Champion Door Company, Columbia City. He also worked at Miller and Sons, Silver Lake. He was a member of the Silver Creek Church of God and pitched horse shoes in many contests.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Barry (Judy) Blue and Mrs. Steven (Cindy) Bucher, both of Silver Lake; five grandchildren; three brothers, O'Neil, Burket; Blair, Ligonier, and Russel, South Whitley. Preceding in death were two sisters and six brothers.

Services were Monday at the Silver Creek Church of God with the Rev. Ray W. Wolfe officiating. Burial was in the Silver Creek Cemetery. Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, was in charge of arrangements. Memorials may be made to the Silver Creek Church of God.

Akron water upgraded (cont. from front page)

station has been plagued with problems and also has caused overflow problems into Town Lake. The construction is to begin this month.

Valley exit interview policy

(Cont. from front page)

the board don't allow the board to see the minutes of the meetings. He said he was recently told no by the ICE Advisory Committee. Their reasons were fear that the board would want to take control. Boling stated she will advise all committees appointed by the school board to make the minutes of their meetings available to the board in the future.

The board approved trip requests from the ski club and the FFA. Deb Day and Wayne Cumberland expressed an interest in organizing the ski club again. They would like to attempt five to seven trips during the season to Swiss Valley in Jones, Michigan. The trips will be scheduled for Friday nights so not to interfere with school if they are late coming back.

Lisa Myers received approval to take Mike Jones, Ryan Ladson, Josh Parker, Jennifer Hyden, Cathy Gardner, and Joni Manns to Kansas City, Missouri on November 10-14 for the FFA Convention. Bill Ruppel discussed with the board, his leave for duties in the legislature. Ruppel will leave after December 22. He said the session is expected to run from January 4 through April 30 if there are no extra sessions. He plans to keep in touch with his replacement and call students to offer congratulations for outstanding work. He will also be giving talks to government and history classes in several area schools.

A contract was approved for Gene Hughes. The board will offer him \$600 for services he performs as athletic trainer for the 1992-93 school year. Hughes has been donating his time to the school for some time now.

Boling reported the corporation has a total of \$3,256,608.62 in bank balance and investments.

For the "Spotlight on Valley" segment, the Honor Society from Mentone School, under the direction of Sue Eller, presented a skit on parliamentary procedure. Ten of the eighteen members were involved in the skit. Eller told the board their chapter, the Lawrence D. Bell chapter, is involved in writing letters to get Bell put on a postage stamp.

An executive session followed the regular meeting.

Class elections held at Mentone

Cindy Law's third graders participated on election day but instead of holding a presidential election, they held class elections. Students interested in holding a position campaigned, writing campaign speeches, making posters, and delivering their speech to the class. One group of students acted as reporters, interviewing and video-taping candidates. The students were required to register to vote, sign in, and cast their ballot.

Those elected were: Jill Stutzman, attendance lunch secretary; Cami Leininger, good work board designer; April Green, girls' locker helper; Anthony Spalding, boys' locker helper; Anthony Koser, morning chair supervisor; Noah Mamer, gardener; Amy Mullins, board executive; Tabitha Pratt, line foreman; Rachael Kelly, afternoon chair supervisor; and Matthew Ryman, postman.



Thank You

The family of Harvey 'Funny' Smith wishes to thank all those who brought food to the house and church for dinner, all the women and men who helped, those who sent flowers or gave to the EMS or Hospice and the love offerings.

A special thanks to the three from EMS, the Rev. Potts for his visits, the Rev. Wayne Johnson for his great service, Linda Tucker for the lovely music and to Mark Hartzler and wife for their help.

God bless you all.

Mrs. Faye Smith
Mr. & Mrs. Terry Foust
Mr. Bret Slaybaugh & Toni

Spirit Dance at Mentone School

The Mentone and Akron Student Councils will be sponsoring a "Spirit" dance following the Akron/Mentone games on Thursday, November 19th. The dance will begin immediately following the games and will last until 9:30 p.m. There will also be a lip-sync contest and students are urged to get a group together and enter.

Akron Principal, Brett Boggs, told the Tippecanoe Valley School board at Monday night's meeting the dance had been planned to help alleviate some of the competition and tension that seems to exist between Akron and Mentone students when they come together as freshmen at the high school. Students at the two schools compete against each other in athletic events during junior high school and need the opportunity to become acquainted in a non-competitive atmosphere.

Clowning Around



Mrs. Nellans' second grade class at Mentone School has been studying a reading unit on clowns. Students enjoyed "clowning around" last Friday and got some help from Mrs. Wainscott, teacher aide, who painted their faces. Nellans said she tries to make learning fun for the students by incorporating various activities into the learning process. Displaying their clown make-up are John Craig, Josh Brown, Trista Moyer.

(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

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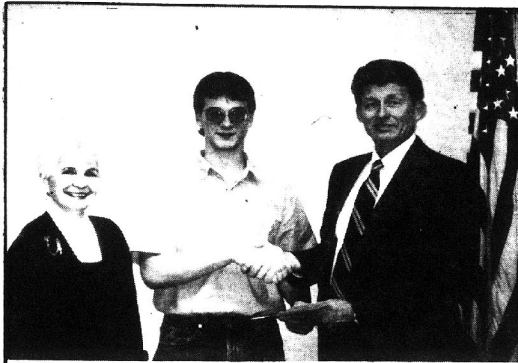
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TVHS Principal Charles Mills presents The Good Citizen Award to Ryan Black while DAR representative Jerry Smith looks on.
(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

DAR Good Citizen

Ryan Black, a student at Tippecanoe Valley High School, has been chosen to receive the DAR Good Citizen Award. Students selected for this award must have the qualities of dependability, which include truthfulness, loyalty, punctuality; Service, which include cooperation, consideration of others; Leadership which include personality, self-control, ability to assume responsibility; Patriotism which include unselfish interest in family, school, community and nation, to an outstanding degree.

Each school winner receives the DAR Good Citizens Award, which is a pin, certificate, and wallet card.

The DAR Good Citizens Pin is rimmed with stars representing the 13 colonies. A band of blue identifies it with our society. In the center are books bearing the titles Dependability, Service, Leadership, and Patriotism, emphasizing qualities of good character and suggesting school days. Circling these is the laurel wreath of honor, behind the torch of understanding.



Third Annual Young Author's Conference

by Rosa Hatfield

Tippecanoe Valley's third Annual Young Author's Conference will feature Marilyn Anderson, author of 17 books. The Bubble Gum Monster series is the most popular of Anderson's work, including *The Bubblegum Monster Strikes Again* and *The Revenge of The Bubblegum Monster*. Other popular titles include *Nobody Wants Barkley*, *The Bridesmaid Wore Tennis Shoes*, *Maggie's Wish*, and *Hungry as a Lion*.

The Bubblegum Monster series features a big dog that loves to chew bubblegum, but always gets into trouble.

Anderson is from Bedford, IN. She is a former K-12 music teacher, a job she performed for 16 years. She has also led bands and choirs and teaches piano. She has done graduate work in special education and is a semi-professional horse trainer.

Anderson will be at Akron School on Thursday, Nov. 19th and at Burket and Mentone Schools on Friday, Nov. 20. Parents who are interested in listening to the author are encouraged to come to the schools and sit in on a session with the students.

Students at these schools have been writing stories and developing them in books.

TVHS Student Honored By Century III Leaders



Tippecanoe Valley High School senior, Betsy J. Bammerlin, is commended on being selected school winner in the Century III Leaders Program, funded by the Shell Oil Company Foundation. She was honored for demonstrating the ability to become involved in community and social issues; assuming leadership roles; and understanding America's past, the needs and challenges of today, and the direction our nation is to take in the future.

She is the only student at Tippecanoe Valley to earn this award for the 1992-93 school year in this competition of merit.

The program is organized and coordinated by the National Association of Secondary School Principals, which also sponsors student governments and National Honor Society.

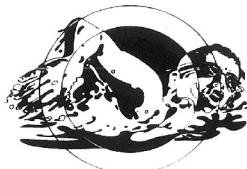
Bammerlin is shown receiving the award from TVHS Principal Charles Mills.
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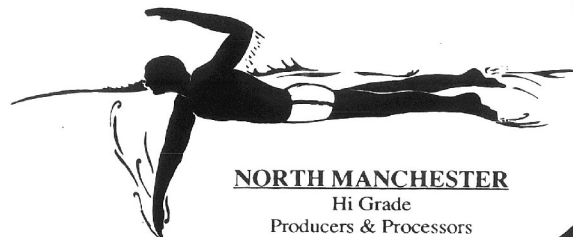
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Akron Business of the Week



Penny Sterk displays some of the quality products she uses and sells at The Hairporch. (Photo by Tonia Weller)

The Hairporch completes first year

By Tonia Weller

The Hairporch, owned and operated by Penny Sterk, celebrated its first anniversary last month. The Akron beauty shop opened in October of '91.

Penny has been a beautician since 1984. She got a head start on her career by graduating from Wabash Beauty College three weeks before her graduation from Tippecanoe Valley High School. "I'd always wanted to be a beautician from the time I was a little girl," she says. "Then the opportunity came, during my senior year, to go to beauty college with my sister and two other girls. I went half days to school and half to college."

After completing her apprenticeship at the Fiesta shop in Warsaw, Penny obtained her manager's license. She worked at First Bank for seven years, and started hair part-time working for both Trudy Haney and Donna Loer.

"I got out of hair styling for awhile and I decided I wasn't going to go back into it until I got a shop of my own," she says.

With the help of her parents, Bud and Linda Geiger, Penny's dream became a reality. A sunny porch on the rear of the Geigers' West Rochester St. home was transformed into a beauty shop. After the basic construction was completed, Penny chose the delightful turquoise and white decor.

The shop is open Tuesday through Friday, with a large share of the appointments being in the evening. If a customer has a special need, Penny will also occasionally work on Saturday. She is sometimes able to accommodate walk-ins, but prefers to set appointments.

"The biggest advantage to having my own shop is that I'm able to set my own hours and I'm able to take more time with my customers," Penny says. "I never overlap my customers, so I'm able to give individual, personalized attention to each one." She feels this is very important and makes her customers more comfortable. "I want my customers to be able to come in and not have to worry about how they look or other people seeing them." This is especially true for the men who make up about 40% of Penny's clientele. "Men don't want to come in for a perm and have to sit around with rods in their hair in front of women," Penny says.

Another thing Penny stressed is quality hair care products. "I

believe in using only the best products. If you use good products, you get good results," she says. Penny sells the Redken, Paul Mitchell and Malibu 2000 lines through her shop. "The products I sell are the ones I use," she adds.

According to Penny, there is a big advantage to using professional hair care products instead of discount store shampoos. "You can definitely notice the difference. All the products I sell are PH balanced. I remember, in beauty college, we tested different shampoos and nine out of ten of the discount products had too high of a PH level. The products I sell are specifically geared towards certain types of hair. It's like a prescription for your hair." Penny also explains that since the professional products are more concentrated, you use less, and therefore the price is not really much more. "I wholeheartedly believe quality is more important than quantity," she says.

Penny takes refresher courses and attends hair shows to keep up with the latest styles. She recently attended the South Bend Expo show, but found many of the styles, "too bizarre, too New York for around here".

The newest look for women, she feels is straighter hair styled off the side. "Shorter cuts are also coming back in," she says.

For men, the latest trend is very short around the face and a little longer in back. "Men's styles are very clean cut, with a lot of clipper cutting."

Penny provides a full range of hair styling, perms, highlighting and coloring for entire family. Children under six years old receive a dollar discount. She cuts steps in young boys' hair and does French braiding. In the future she hopes to add facials and make-overs to her repertoire.

Three years ago, Penny married David Sterk, who works at Zimmer in Warsaw. The couple lives north of town and hopes to start a family in the near future. They attend the Silver Creek Church of God.

In her spare time, Penny enjoys doing crafts, producing wreaths, floral arrangements and wall hangings. An example of her talent is the attractive wreath hanging in her shop.

Penny appreciates her long-term customers who have stuck by her through the years. She welcomes new customers and can be reached for appointments by calling 893-4877 (shop) or 893-4278 (home).

Academic Student of the Week



Tonia Emrich has been chosen as Academic Student of the Week at Tippecanoe Valley High School. Tonia is 17 and a senior. She is married to Luke Emrich and resides near Macy, IN. She is the daughter of Rick and Jean Stavedahl of Mentone. Tonia is a member of the National Honor Society and the Christian Fellowship Church in North Manchester. Her favorite subject is Humanities. She carries a 10.4 grade point average. Her most recent academic achievement was receiving all A's on her report card. Tonia teaches piano lessons in Mentone.

Frances Utter becomes broker

Gottschalk Realty, Inc., 122 E. 8th St., Rochester, is pleased to announce that Frances Utter has completed the requirements to become a real estate broker.

Frances took in depth training in all aspects of the real estate business, such as financing, the appraisal process and closing of the sales contract.

Frances Utter, Broker Associate, specializes in the listing and selling of residential, farms and commercial properties. For all of your Real Estate needs call her at Gottschalk Realty, 223-3179 or at 893-7179.

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Burket Students Write Letters

Marcia Ousley's third graders at Burket School write letters to pen pals each year. This helps the students learn the five parts of a friendly letter, encourages writing neatly, and good sentence structure.


In past years, they have written to other third graders in Michigan and Maine and have sent letters of support to soldiers in Operation Desert Shield. This year, they are sending cheery messages to residents of a nursing home.



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Viking of the Week

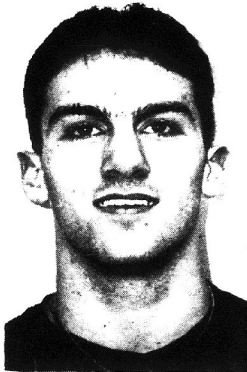
Jeremy Cox has been chosen as Viking of the Week. The son of Tony and Steph Cox of Mentone, Jeremy, 17, is a junior at Valley.

Jeremy has participated in baseball for ten years, basketball for seven years and football for five years. He has earned his letter in basketball and considers it and football to be his favorite sports. His most recent sports accomplishment was making an 87-yard kick-off return earlier this season.

He plans to attend Ball State after graduation but has not yet decided on a major.

Jeremy is also active with the Art and Spanish clubs.

The News congratulates Jeremy on being chosen



Viking of the Week and wishes him success at Ball State.



TANNER JAY SPANGLE

Dan and Tammy Spangle, P.O. Box 173, Leesburg, are the parents of a son born at 12:50 p.m. Nov. 8, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital.

The baby weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz., measured 20 inches, and has been named Tanner Jay. He has a brother, Nicholas Daniel, 5.

Grandparents are Dan and Barbara Michael, Leesburg, and Kenny and JoAnn Spangle, Claypool. Great-grandparents are Clara Michael, Silver Lake; Kenny and Louise Miller, Milford; Margaret Boardman, Rochester.

DAKOTA ROGER HARMON

Charles and Christine Harmon, 101-1/2 N. Main St., Sidney, are the parents of a son born at 11:09 p.m. Nov. 7, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital.

The baby weighed 6 lbs. 11-1/2 oz. and has been named Dakota Roger. He measured 19-1/2 inches. He has a sister, Ashley, 9.

Grandparents are Roger and Barbara Bowerman, Silver Lake and Carol Meade, North Webster. Great-grandparents are Paul and Mary Bowerman, Silver Lake; Millard and Ruth Geiser, Camden; and Fern Howard, Lancaster, Ohio.



WHITNEY NOEL REED

Whitney Noel Reed was born at 7:20 p.m. October 20, 1992 to Edward and Amy Reed, Mentone. She weighed in at Methodist Hospital in In-

dianapolis at 1 pound, 13 ounces and measured 12 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Jerry and Debra Reed, Mentone, and Stephanie Stark, Rapid City, South Dakota and Steve Voth, England.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bowser and Mr. and Mrs. George Reed, all of Mentone. Great-great-grandmother is Lois Lemler of Mentone.

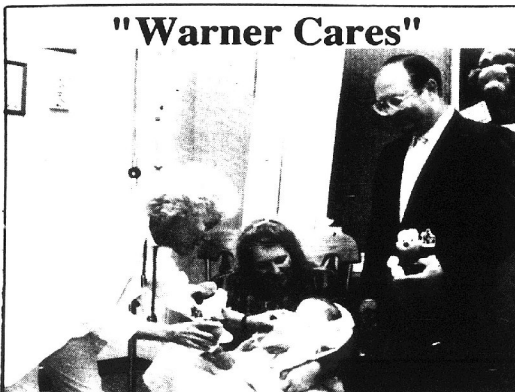
Whitney is Ed and Amy's third child. She joins Lauren Nicole, 2, and Anthony Michael, 1.

ALEXIS FAY SILL

Roger and Shelly Sill, 103 N. Thompson St., Bourbon, are the parents of a daughter born at 10:34 a.m. Nov. 10, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital.

She weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. and has been named Alexis Fay. She measured 20-1/2 inches. Alexis joins a sister, Ashley, 6-1/2, and two brothers, Adam, 3, and Austin, 1-1/2.

Grandparents are Ruth Sill, Tippecanoe, and Woody and Faye Johnson, Mentone.



"Warner Cares"

The Warsaw-based Time-Warner affiliate cable television company has an appropriate slogan, "Warner Cares". During 1992 the company has been committed to community service. One such project has been the distribution of stuffed Disney and Looney Tunes animals to pediatric patients at Kosciusko Community Hospital. Tom Flora, Warsaw manager, looks on as Sara Starley, R.N., ambulatory care unit supervisor, presents a toy to Cody Coleman as mom Teresa Coleman, 103 N. Riverside Blvd., Goshen, looks on.

School Menus

Area School lunch menus for the week of November 23 through November 27 are:

T.V.H.S.

Monday - Ham and cheese sandwich, celery and carrot sticks, tator tots, seasoned peas, sliced peaches, fruit juice and milk.

Tuesday - Roast turkey and dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, hot roll with butter and jelly, seasoned green beans, cole slaw, pineapple tidbits, pumpkin chiffon tart, fruit juice and milk.

Wednesday - Pizza, whole kernel corn, lettuce salad, chocolate pudding, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk.

Thursday - No school. Thanksgiving vacation.

Friday - No school. Thanksgiving vacation.

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

AKRON

Monday - Corn dog, mixed vegetables, fruit mix, potato chips.

Tuesday - Thanksgiving dinner, oven turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, dressing (optional), buttered peas, pumpkin dessert, hot rolls and butter.

Wednesday - Macaroni and cheese, corn, fruit, peanut butter bread.

Thursday - No school. Happy Thanksgiving.

Friday - No school. Happy Thanksgiving.

MENTONE

Monday - Italian spaghetti, buttered peas, slaw, garlic toast, milk.

Tuesday - Hot dog with cheese sandwich, potato wedge, mixed fruit, trail mix, milk.

Wednesday - Turkey manhattan, mashed potatoes, carrot sticks, strawberry tarts, milk.

Thursday - Thanksgiving vacation. No school.

Friday - Thanksgiving vacation. No school.

Akron's Most Wanted!



Akron School students chosen for displaying excellence during the week of November 2-6 are: back row, Crissy Wagner, Vickie Steen, Shelly Shambaugh, Charles Grossman, Melanie Zehr, and Melissa Baker. Middle row, Kim Patton, Tirzah Keckler, Alyssa Anglin, Andy Gast, Greg Grossman, and Brent Vandemark. Front row, Kaela Kruger, David Justice, Patrick McCromick, Ashley Keifer, Kenny Mathias, and Stephen McTaggart. Not pictured are Cassie Hackworth and Corey Wright.



Akron's Most Wanted make-up picture for students previously chosen but whose pictures haven't appeared in the paper. Back row: Aaron Ramsey, Amber Drudge, Brittany Kelly, Justin Hohman. Front row: Cole Runkle, Anthony Gross, Evan Wildermuth. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

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Community News



Akron Nutrition Site



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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 Street. 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. on a donation basis.

Monday, Nov. 23

Chicken filet, creamed broccoli soup, cooked baby carrots, cinnamon applesauce, bun, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 25

Pork cutlet, sweet potatoes, pea/cheese salad, fruit cocktail, oatmeal bread, milk.

Friday, Nov. 27

Sweet/sour meatballs, scalloped potatoes, tossed salad with pepper and carrot, peaches, roll, milk.

Mentone Nutrition Site

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

The menu for the week of November 23 through November 27 is:

Monday - Tomato juice, ham and beans, spinach with vinegar on side, cornbread with margarine, peaches, milk, tea, coffee, 19 grams fat/92 milligrams chol.

Tuesday - White grape juice, sliced roast turkey, bread dressing with gravy, peas with mushrooms, cranberry gelatin on lettuce leaf, soft dinner roll with margarine, pumpkin pie with topping, milk, tea, coffee, 34 fat/98 chol.

Wednesday - Caterer's choice juice, lasagna square, tossed salad with cucumbers, shredded carrots and French dressing, Italian bread with margarine, pineapple, milk, tea, coffee, 23 fat/47 chol.

Thursday - Thanksgiving Day. All sites closed.

Friday - All sites closed. Menus subject to change without notice. Due to the diets of some people the food is not highly seasoned.

Akron News

Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Alsbaugh, Watkinsville, Ga., visited last week with her sisters Esther Perry and Mrs. Kathlene Hill and other relatives.

Mrs. George McAlister, Carmel, and Norma Bemenderfer spent Wednesday, Nov. 4, at the home of Nora Hoffman for her birthday.

Mentone News

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sims of Fort Davis, Texas, visited this week with Mrs. Lucile Surface.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Colbert of Fort Wayne, called on her mother, Mrs. Pearl Horn.

Mrs. Joy Miller called on Mr. and Mrs. Russel Koch of Rochester on Saturday.

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Wednesday, Nov. 11

ADMISSIONS: Laura B. Ringer, Claypool; Shelly D. Sill, Bourbon.

DISMISSALS: None. BIRTHS: Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sill, Bourbon, a daughter.

Friday, Nov. 13

ADMISSIONS: Dennis C. Fisher, Mentone.

DISMISSALS: Shelly D. Sill and daughter, Bourbon.

Saturday, Nov. 14

ADMISSIONS: Cleo Hall, Atwood; Max Montel, Claypool.

DISMISSALS: Daisy Bradford, Silver Lake; Brenda Malbone, Akron; Laura Ringer, Claypool.

Woodlawn Hospital

Tues., November 10

ADMISSIONS: Mary Skidmore, Akron.

DISMISSALS: None.

Wed., November 11

ADMISSIONS: Zachary Hart, Macy; Linda Oden, Mentone.

DISMISSALS: Mary Skidmore, Akron.

Thurs., November 12

ADMISSIONS: Arlene Gearhart, Akron.

DISMISSALS: Margaret Rentschler, Macy.

Fri., November 13

ADMISSIONS: Amanda Triana, Silver Lake.

DISMISSALS: Zachary Hart, Macy.

W.C.T.U. Meets

The Akron W.C.T.U. met in the library on Wednesday evening, November 11th at 7:30 p.m. The meeting opened with group singing. Lucille Harrold led the devotions ending in prayer. Jim Saner favored the group with a solo.

A short business meeting followed, conducted by the president, Mrs. Ray Doering. Mrs. Paul Bowen presented the program. She gave excerpts from the state president's message at the State Convention and gave other interesting facts. Lucille Harrold dismissed the meeting with prayer and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Lee Gearhart.

Las Donas Notes

Las Donas met in the home of Deb Smalley on November 10, 1992.

Penny Ramsey called the meeting to order. Sharlene Haney read the treasurer's report.

The February 9th meeting has been changed to the home of Aime Hoffman and the March 9th meeting will be at the home of Michele Bickel.

It was decided to contact a local school about obtaining information on a needy family in the area to adopt during the Christmas holidays.

The December 8th meeting will be the annual Christmas Dine-Out at John Wong's. Everyone is to meet at Sharlene Haney's at 6:30 p.m. and

Double 40th Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Clauss



Mr. and Mrs. Hershberger

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn "Bud" Clauss and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hershberger, both of Bourbon, will honored for their 40th wedding anniversaries from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, November 22, at the Bourbon Mennonite Church reception hall, corner of E. Clay and Washington Street. The event will be hosted by their children.

Bud Clauss and Jean Nellans were married March 23, 1952, at the Evangelical United Brethren Church in Etna Green. They are the parents of four children: Michelle Bormet, Bourbon; Bruce Clauss, Bourbon; Linda Clauss, Fort Wayne; and Mark Clauss, Bloomington, Illinois. They also have two grandson, Brad and Brandon. Mr. Clauss has been a farmer in Bourbon for 45 years.

Mack Hershberger and Martha Clauss were married in the home of her parents on November 8, 1952. They are the parents of one son, Richard, Rochester. Mr. Hershberger retired from Bendix in 1983 with 35 years of service, and continues to farm.

Both couples request no gifts, only the presence of family and friends.

bring a handmade item for the gift exchange.

The meeting was adjourned and everyone enjoyed the refreshments and played the game Guesstures.

Mentone Lion's

The Mentone Lion's Club met Wednesday, November 4th at Teel's Restaurant.

Seventeen members answered the roll call. Special guest was Jerry Secrist, who gave a presentation about HELPING HANDS, a non-profit organization dedicated to helping the needy in our community, with donations of food, clothing and non-perishable items. The

Mentone Lions donated \$100 to HELPING HANDS.

In addition, the Mentone Lions also collect old eye glasses, which are donated to those in need around the world. If you would like to donate your old eye glasses, contact a Mentone Lions Club member.

The next Lions Club meeting will be held Wednesday, November 18 at Teel's.

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Did you know?

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Riley of Ft. Wayne were weekend guests of Mrs. Jennie Riley. Raymond Riley and Angela were Sunday callers.

Stationed in Vietnam

S/Sgt. Donald L. Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess M. Cox, is at Da Nang Air Base in Vietnam. He arrived at Da Nang on September 25th. His wife and two children will stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Walter, Laurel, Mississippi for the year he is gone.

Did you know?

Mr. and Mrs. John Meredith and children, Marianne and Mark spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meredith and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keesey.

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON
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NOVEMBER 18, 1943
50 YEARS AGO

Standard Oil Station Bought by Employees

Mrs. Phyllis Showalter sold the Standard Oil station Monday night to Ralph Tucker and Earl Ogle, employees of the late Harry Showalter.

The new owners plan to add another man to their force as soon as one can be found. Both are experienced mechanics and have worked at the Standard station for several years.

News of Our Men and Women in Uniform

Sgt. Earl Schrader, formerly of Roann, now stationed in Corpus Christi, Texas, is now home on a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Schrader of Roann.

Lieut. and Mrs. Lester Heltzel of Camp Leonard Wood, Missouri visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Heltzel and family several days last week.

It Happened In Mentone

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE
TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP
NOVEMBER 21, 1968
25 YEARS AGO

Mentone Conversation Piece

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis of Silver Lake spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Myrtle Davis.

Mrs. Howard Holbrook spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Chloe Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cochran and daughters were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delois White at Kokomo.

Silver Lake News

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brehmer of Reynolds were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Silvers.

Mrs. Mildred Moore recently moved to a home owned by Bill Lotz on Myrtle Glenn Drive.

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE
TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP
NOVEMBER 18, 1942
50 YEARS AGO

Official Opening of New Store Saturday, November 28th
Fred Lemler announces that the official opening of his new general store will be held Saturday, November 28th. It had been hoped that the opening could have been held this Saturday, but the work involved in arranging all the new merchandise, remodeling, and moving from the old building was almost too much to do properly by that time. The firm is, however, doing business as usual in their new location now.

Leroy Cox Buys the Paulus Brothers Station

A deal was completed this week whereby LeRoy Cox acquired the Paulus Bros. Sinclair service station at Mentone. "Red" Paulus recently enlisted in the Liaison Corp. of the Army and his brother "Bud", expects to be in the service shortly. Mr. Cox will continue his automobile agency as in the past.

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Community Corner

Kruger's paintings on display at library

A selection of paintings by Akron artist Marilyn Kruger is on display at the Fulton County Library, on the corner of Seventh and Pontiac streets in Rochester. The exhibit, sponsored by the Rochester Arts Commission, will run through December 1.

Several large canvases from the artist's wild flower series are featured, along with seascapes and deep woods subjects.

A detailed article on the artist and her work will appear in next week's issue of *The News*.

Scholarships available

The guidance counselors at Tippecanoe Valley High School have information on several scholarships available to TVHS students. Some of the scholarships have special restrictions. The guidance counselors can provide applications and help in filling them out. Since some of the scholarships have November deadlines, interested students should inquire as soon as possible.

Season tickets

The general public and high school students may purchase boys' basketball season tickets from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 1, and Wednesday, Dec. 2. Jr. High students who wish to purchase tickets will need to turn in their name and money at their schools and tickets will be delivered on Thursday, Dec. 3. Cost is \$20 for adults and \$13 for students. Tickets will also be available at the door during the first home game on Dec. 4.

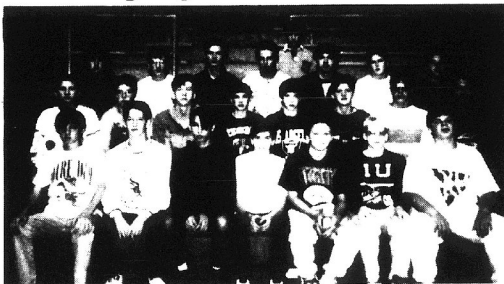
Girls' season tickets may be purchased at the door of the first home game against Michigan City on Dec. 5. Cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for students.

Free turkey dinner

The Mentone United Methodist Church cordially invites everyone in the Mentone community to have a free turkey dinner on Thanksgiving Day as a way of saying thanks to God and Mentone for all the blessings they have received.

Dinner will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Continued on page 2

Mentone eighth grade football team undefeated



The Mentone 8th grade football team was undefeated with a 7-0 for the season. These young men have never been beaten during their entire junior high school playing days. They carry a 13-0 record for the two years.

"This is an incredible team," said Wayne Landis, coach. "They scored 225 points for the season and gave up only 36."

At the banquet, each player received a plaque with a team picture on it instead of individual awards.

The team consists of: Dusty Wier, Jason Ousley, Cory Fore, Daniel Witham, Bobby Mast, Joe Woods, Nick Gray, Jason McSherry. Also Matt Craig, Justin Leslie, Jamie McClone, Jeff Brown, Nick Stutzman, Brandon Holloway, Sean Johnston, Keith McVay, Zeke Dotson, Darren Parker, Daron Norris, Garnett Cherry, Scott Sponseller, Kevin Miller, and Josh Pettit. Landis and Mike Hoyt are the coaches.

Teachers' contract ratified

At a special school board meeting Monday, November 16, Karen Boling, acting superintendent of the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation, presented a contract, ratified by the teachers in the corporation on November 9th for the board's approval.

The only changes in the contract were raising the number of sick days from 147 to 150, asking the board to pay the administrative costs for the Section 125 program, for the corporation to pay the 3% teachers' contribution to the retirement fund, and a clarification in the language; instead of "adequate time for prep periods" it will read "one class period for prep periods."

The board approved the one year contract.

The only other item on the agenda was naming Boling superintendent instead of acting superintendent since she has now received her doctorate degree.

Mark Wise asked the board's permission to bring up a topic not on the agenda. His question, "What is the current projected cost of the new middle school project?"

Boling told him she couldn't answer that at this time. Doyle Baum of DMB Construction Management is working on those figures now. Wise was concerned that the costs would go beyond the estimated top figure of \$9 million and would raise the tax rate. Board President Joe Crill stated that Don Patton said the figures they are working with are still in the range that was previously presented but these are only estimated cost, not fixed.

Wise commented that he felt the additions of storage space and a larger parking area, while necessary, should have been figured in before the decision to build was made.

Fred McSherry pointed out these are all projected costs and must be made higher than the actual expected cost in case the bids come in higher. "We can't go back after more money if that happens," he said.

Wise also questioned the quality of the work done at Akron School, saying the roof there is leaking now. Board

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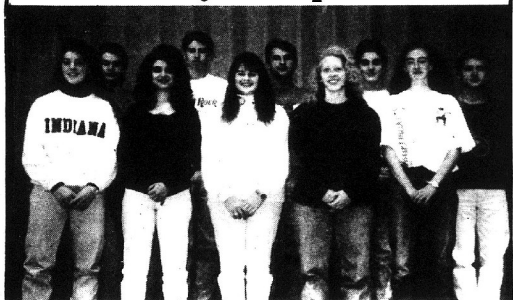
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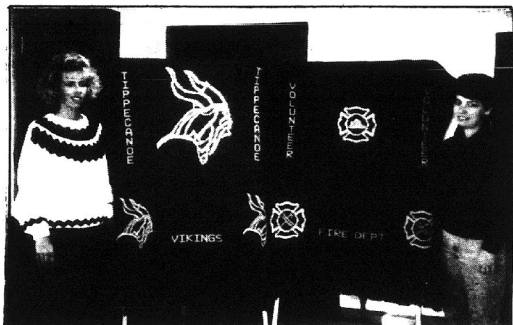
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Valley's Top Ten



Tippecanoe Valley High School has announced the top ten students in each grade level. Because there were several ties, some classes have more than ten students being honored. One class will be pictured in *The News* each week.

Top ten junior students are: front row, Lichelle Paxton, Ivonne Hurst, Deanna Burch, Jennifer Hatfield, and Mindy Phillips. Back row: Jaime Herrera, Matt Ellenwood, Troy Walters, Tim Beery, and Gene Law. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)



Tammy Horn and Shannon McSherry display the afghans being raffled by the Burket Fireman's Auxiliary. (Photy by Rosa Hatfield)

Burket Fireman's Auxiliary

by Rosa Hatfield

Firemen make headlines. They go out in all kinds of weather to put out fires, save people and pets from burning buildings, often risking their lives in the process.

There's another story that goes on behind the scenes that is often untold. Tammy Horn, Shannon McSherry, Pam McFadden, Debbie Gall, Marsha McSherry, and MaryAnn Secrist. These are the women behind the men on the Burket Fire Department. The Burket Fireman's Auxiliary furnishes coffee and food to the firemen at the scene of a fire. They donate cabbage and make cole slaw for the firemen's fish fry, and hold fund raisers to help provide money for equipment and other things the fire department needs. They work hand-in-hand with the Red Cross in providing for a family whose home has burned.

One project now in the works is the Christmas Raffle. They are now selling tickets for two separate drawings for knitted afghans made by Jane Gross. These afghans, purchased by the auxiliary for the drawings, will be won by someone on December 5. One is red with a fireman motif and one is green and gold with the Tippecanoe Valley Viking on it. Tickets may be purchased at \$1 each or 6 for \$5 by contacting any of the Burket firemen or auxiliary members. You need not be present to win.

Although the members at this time are all wives of firemen,

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Community Corner

(Cont. From Front Page)

Reservations are not necessary but a call would help them plan on how many dinners will be needed. The number is 353-7898.

If you know a shut-in in the community who cannot attend, call and they will take a meal to them.

Donations welcome

The Kappa Delta Phi Sorority, along with the Akron United Methodist Church, is again providing coats, hats, gloves, mittens, socks and boots for children in grades K-5th. Anyone having any of these items that are used but in good condition that they would like to donate, please leave at the post office or Harris Drugs or call Marilyn Miller at 893-4570.

Santa Claus coming to Mentone

Santa will drop by parachute (weather permitting) into the Ace Hardware parking lot in Mentone at 4:00 p.m. December 1 for the kick-off of Mentone's Christmas Open House.

Live nativity

The Akron Church of God will be presenting a live nativity on December 4 and 5.

Burket Fireman's Auxiliary Continued from front page

anyone is welcome to join the auxiliary. They meet on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the training center in Burket. Donations of money, coffee, cookies, and cabbage are also welcomed.

Next time you pick up the paper and read about a fire, remember the men who were there to put out the fire, but remember also, the women who left the comfort of their homes to stand behind these men and see to their needs. They also play an important role.

OBITUARIES

SHERMAN HIVELY

Sherman Ray Hively, 79, Old U.S. 31 South, Rochester, died at 3:10 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 22, 1992 at his home.

He was born June 19, 1913 in Crown Point to William and Josie Croft Hively. He resided all his life in Fulton and Miami counties.

On Jan. 5, 1943 in Rochester he married Alice Jane Cover, who survives.

He was retired from Bendix Corporation in South Bend.

Surviving with his wife are four daughters, Mrs. John (Marvus) Zimmerman, Akron; Karen Lee, Rochester; Mrs. Terry (Shari) Burns, Denver, and Crystal Hively, Plymouth; a son, Billy Joe, Akron; 12 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren, and a brother,

George L. Hively, North Manchester. Preceding in death were a daughter, Lorretta Jean Hively; two grandchildren; two great-grandchildren, and a brother.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Zimmerman Family Funeral Home, Rochester, with the Rev. David Welsh officiating. Burial will be in the Plainview Cemetery, Macy. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Fund.

VIOLA HASKETT

Viola J. Haskett, 84, formerly of Rochester, died of cancer Thursday, Nov. 19, 1992 in Boulder, Colo.

She was born May 30, 1909 in Mitchell to Roy and Maude Patterson Jones. Her family

has been involved in farming and education in Fulton County.

On April 21, 1934 she married Carlton Haskett, who died in 1969.

She lived in Akron and Rochester for many years before moving to Florida and then to Arizona and Colorado. She attended undergraduate and graduate school at Indiana University. She was involved in chemistry, mathematics, cooking, sewing, teaching, civic club and church work, and political activities.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Carl (Jane) Bock, and a granddaughter, Laura K. Bock, Louisville, Colo.

Private memorial services were planned. Memorials may be made to the Rozzella B. Smith Fund, University of Colorado, or to the Indiana University Foundation.

LAWRENCE K. CLINGENPEEL

Lawrence K. "Sprucie" Clingenpeel, 73, of 1467 N. CR 350W, Warsaw, died at 11:20 a.m. Nov. 17, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital, following an extended illness.

He was born Nov. 14, 1919 in Howard County, to Burl and Bessie Dillon Clingenpeel.

On Nov. 15, 1941 he married Betty Murphy, who survives.

He was a lifetime resident of the Warsaw and Atwood areas. He retired in 1983 as a truck driver after 42 years of service with Creighton Brothers, and was also a retired farmer.

Other survivors include one daughter, Brenda Clingenpeel, Warsaw; one son, Larry Clingenpeel, Warsaw; two sisters, Mrs. William (Evelyn) Bradbury, Atwood, and Mrs. Ed (Thelma) Blosser, Burket; one granddaughter; and one great-grandson. One daughter and one brother preceded him in death.

Services were Friday at Titus Funeral home, Warsaw, with the Rev. Theron Hanes officiating. Burial was in the Oakwood Cemetery.

LLOYD HOOVER

Lloyd J. Hoover, 89, Rt. 2, Rochester, died at 8:40 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 18, 1992 at St. Joseph Medical Center, South Bend. He moved to Life Care Center, Rochester, three

years ago from Argos.

He was born Sept. 3, 1903 near North Manchester to Frank and Clarinda Hoover.

On Dec. 7, 1924 in South Bend he married Beulah Ruff, who died on June 22, 1983.

He was a retired Dodge auto representative and a farmer who lived most of his life in Marshall and Fulton counties. He was a member of the Walnut Church of the Brethren, Argos and the Marshall County Farm Bureau.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Lloyd K. (Norma) Weaver, Rochester and Mrs. James (Barbara) Winenger, Argos; 16 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren. A daughter, Phyllis J. Newcomb, preceded in death, as did a sister and two brothers.

Services were Saturday at Grossman Funeral Home, Argos, with the Rev. Ammon Wenger and Dr. Charles Lacy officiating. Burial was in the Maple Grove Cemetery, Argos. Memorials may be made to the Marshall County Cancer Fund or to the Gideons.

ZONA BILYEW

Zona V. Bilyew, 76, formerly of 1206 Madison St., Rochester, died at 7:20 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 17, 1992 at Life Care Center, Rochester, where she had lived since October. She had been in failing health for seven years.

She was born Dec. 4, 1915 in Tippecanoe to Ora and Maude Shaw Kleckner.

On Dec. 26, 1940 in Tippecanoe she married Charles R. Bilyew, who survives.

She had resided most of her life in Fulton County, and was a member of the First Church of God, Rochester.

Surviving with her husband are two daughters, Mrs. Alan (Rosalie) Hemly, Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Thomas (Janet) Kujawski, South Bend; four grandsons; a great-grandson; a great-granddaughter; four sisters, Mrs. Donald (Ellen) Zechiel, South Bend; Mrs. Ramond (Elva) Longbrake, Claypool; Mrs. Estel (Mary) Greier, Rochester, and Mrs. Arden (Edna) Elliott, Plymouth; a brother, Samuel Kleckner, South Bend, and nieces and nephews.

Services were Friday at Foster and Good Funeral

Home, Rochester, with the Rev. C.J. Mowrer officiating. Burial was at the Rochester IOOF Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Foundation.

RUTH L. MCCAIN

Ruth L. McCain, 78, Akron, formerly of Miami County, died at 2:23 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 21, 1992 at Forest Park Healthcare Center in Kokomo after an extended illness.

She was born July 23, 1914 in Peru to Arnold Clayton and Goldie Runner Melson.

On April 29, 1939 in Peru she married Joseph W. McCain, who died Jan. 24, 1970.

She graduated in 1932 from Peru High School. She was a lifetime member of the United Methodist Church, a member of the United Methodist Women and Psi Iota Xi Sorority of Peru, and was a former member of the Denver Study Club. She was a past matron of the former Gilead Chapter of Eastern Star. She was a founding member of Dukes Memorial Hospital Pink Ladies Auxiliary. She and her husband owned and operated McCain Funeral Home at Denver from 1947-1970.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mike (Sharon K.) McGuirk, St. John, and Marcia Fisher, Akron; five grandchildren, Craig Fisher, Wabash; Melissa Hedington, Palestine; Michael McGuirk and Megan McGuirk, St. John, and Ann McGuirk, Bloomington; three great-grandchildren, and two sisters, Edith McMinn, Indianapolis, and Shirley Owens, Canyon City, Colo. Preceding in death was a sister, Dorothy Premier.

Services were Wednesday at the County Chapel McCain Funeral Home, Denver, with the Rev. James Huttley officiating. Burial was in the Mt. Hope Cemetery, Peru.

Teachers' contract

Continued from front page members Forest Kantner and McSherry said they knew of a leak at Mentone School but not Akron and would need to check it out.

Wise questioned whether estimated costs would be available at the next board meeting. Boling said she would check with Baum.

The next regular meeting is December 14 at 7:30 p.m.

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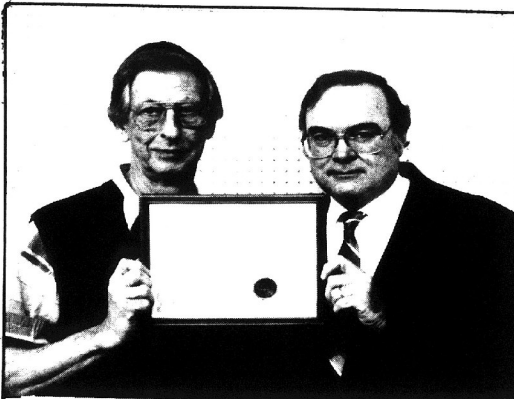
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Bob Rawlins (r) of Christian Haven Homes is shown presenting a certificate of appreciation to State Representative Walter Roorda.

Roorda Endowment supporters thanked

The Walter J. Roorda Family and Christian Haven Homes would like to take this opportunity to thank the many friends and associates of Representative Roorda and his dearly beloved wife Alberta Roorda. On July 22, 1992 Alberta Roorda passed away as the result of an automobile accident. State Representative Roorda and his family established the Alberta Roorda Endowment Fund for Disadvantaged Youth at Christian Haven Homes, Wheatfield, Indiana. It is our desire to say thank you to all those individuals and organization who made contributions to the Endowment Fund in tribute to Mrs. Roorda.

Christian Haven Homes is a long term residential Home for disadvantaged and displaced teenage boys, ages 13 to 18.

The Endowment Fund is part of Christian Haven's Teendowment Fund, newly established in December of 1991 to provide for the ongoing needs of the home.

We wish to publicly thank the following persons and organizations (there were two gifts whose names we do not have - please notify Mr. Roorda or Christian Haven so we can give you credit):

Allen and Karen, Jorie, Kylene, Arlan Kramer; Krista and Caleb Roorda; Mark and Retta, Amanda, Melissa Roorda; Marvin and Victoria, Coleman, Mikell Roorda; Milton, Shauna, Jodie, Keegan Roorda; Mitchell Roorda; James and Kathy, Marcus, Scott, Aaron Rosenau; Walter J. Roorda; Wilma J. Abbott; Cheryl A. Bruns; Mary Budak; Steve and Joni Buyer; Norman Chappell; Mr. and Mrs. James C. Conlon; Bill and Diane Costas; DeMotte Junior Women's Club; DeMotte Lions Club; John B. Egan; Irene Evans; Jack and Charlotte Fagan; Donald and Kathryn Fieldhouse; First of America-Rensselaer; Fulton County Republican Women; Michael and Iris Gariup; Bob and Betty Genda; In Memory of Grace Gulbranson (WJR); John M. Guy; Herbert and Norma Hagenow; House Republican Campaign Committee; Indiana Manufacturers Assoc., Inc.; Jasper County Industrial Foundation; George and Nancy Klump; Sheila J. Klinker; Michael and Mary Kozuch; Gene and Jaci Lerner; Robert G. and Helen L. Lewis; Opportunity Enterprises; Lillian F. Overby; Mary J. Petersen; Omer E. and Treva M. Potts; Maurice and Naomi Robinson; Roy and Hilda Rose; Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Scholer; Clarence and Alice Shurt; Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Tufford; USX/POSCO Employees; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vance; William and Grace Vander Molen; Amy E. Wilmouth; Nellie Zachar.

Further gifts in honor of Mrs. Roorda may be sent to Christian Haven Teendowment Fund, Inc., R. 1, Box 17, Wheatfield, IN. 46392.

ARMED SERVICES

William F. Morgan Jr. was selected for promotion in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of lieutenant colonel.

Morgan, an allergist, is the son of William F. and Bette W. Morgan of Montrose, Colo.

His wife, Beverly, is the daughter of Pearl Leland of R.R. 1, Claypool, IN.

He received a master's degree in 1970 from Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis.

Master Sgt. Christopher Glenn has been decorated with the Air Force Commendation Medal.

The medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievement or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Air Force.

Glenn, a heating systems technician, is the son of Arthur L. Glenn of 49 Terrell St., Depew, N.Y., and Janette E. Hagin of Warsaw, In.

He graduated in 1975 from Maryvale High School, Cheektowawga, N.Y., and received an associate degree in 1990 from the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Chad E. Sloan has graduated from the special vehicle mechanic course at Chanute Air Force Base, Rantoul, Il.

Students were taught the fundamentals of automotive mechanics, vehicle maintenance inspection systems, and procedures for special vehicles. Examples are crash, fire, and refueling vehicles.

The airman is the son of Verle L. and Sandy S. Sloan of R.R.1, Macy.

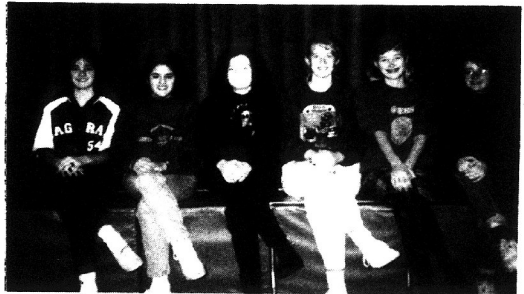
His wife, Julia, is the daughter of Roberta Price of 606 N. Sycamore, North Manchester.

He is a 1991 graduate of North Miami Junior Senior High School, Denver.

Sloan has arrived for duty at Barksdale Air Force Base, Bossier City, La.

ATHLETIC AWARDS AT MENTONE SCHOOL

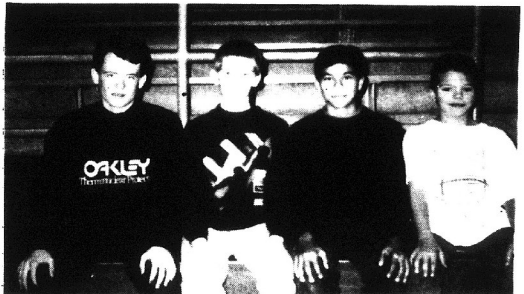
Students recently received athletic awards at Mentone School in volleyball and football.



For the 8th grade volleyball, Amie Davis was awarded Miss Hustle; Deb Burch, Mental Attitude; Kara Tucker, Serving; Liz Hart, Spiking; Emily Cripe, Most Improved; and Johnna Phillips, Bumping. Co-captains were Liz Hart and Deb Burch.



In 7th grade volleyball, Robyn Engle received the award for Serving, Melissa Monk for MIP, Sam Wideman for Miss Hustle. Wideman and Michelle Jones were co-captains.



The 7th grade football players were also honored. Matt Baker was named Most Valuable Defensive Player, Andy Young was Most Valuable Offensive Player, Aaron Mart was Team Leader, and James Dawson was Mr. Hustle. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

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Monday, Nov. 30

BBQ chicken, mashed potatoes, peas, peaches/pineapple, wheat bread, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 2

Polish sausage, macaroni/cheese, chilled beets, fresh fruit, hot dog bun, milk.

Friday, Dec. 4

Sliced roast pork, parsley potatoes, broccoli spears, tapioca pudding, roll, milk.

Mentone Nutrition Site

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

The menu for the week of November 30 through December 4 is:

Monday - Apple juice, meatloaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, stewed tomatoes, whole wheat bread with margarine, peanut butter cookies, milk, tea, coffee. 37 grams fat/114 milligrams chol.

Tuesday - Orange juice, BBQ pork ribette on bun, baked beans, seasoned winter squash, fresh banana, milk, tea, coffee. 32 fat/45 chol.

Wednesday - Apricot nectar, chicken chop suey over rice, soy sauce on side, glazed carrot coins, whole wheat bread with margarine, applesauce, milk, tea, coffee. 18 fat/92 chol.

Thursday - Tomato juice, broccoli cheese soup with saltines, tuna salad on lettuce leaf, chilled pickled beets, whole wheat bread with margarine, pears, milk, tea, coffee. 15 fat/60 chol.

Friday - Cranberry juice cocktail, sliced turkey ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans with parsley, whole

wheat bread with margarine, butterscotch pudding, milk, tea, coffee. 20 fat/79 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. Jack Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and Justin, had dinner Sunday at Karen's in Rochester to celebrate Mrs. Joy Miller's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller called on Joy Miller Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cochran entertained with an early carry-in Thanksgiving dinner Sunday. There were 29 of the Cochran families in attendance.

Monday evening Doug and Justin Miller, and Pam, Kevin and Brad Miller called on Joy Miller to wish her a happy birthday.

Virginia Black of Liberty Mills, called on Joy Miller Tuesday afternoon.

Larry and Linda Sims left Sunday for their home in Fort Davis, Texas, after spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Lucile Surface.

Miss Christy Horn of Rhonda Beach, Calif., arrived Friday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Horn.

Pearl Horn and Ima Taylor spent Thursday in Warsaw.

Woodlawn Hospital

Fri., November 20

ADMISSIONS: Brandon Bucher, Akron; Marjory Sausaman, Akron; Michele Tumpagh, Macy.

DISMISSALS: None.

Sat., November 21

ADMISSIONS: Harold Bryant, Tippecanoe. DISMISSALS: Marjory Sausaman, Akron; Amanda Triana, Silver Lake.

Mon., November 23

ADMISSIONS: Marsha Correll, Macy. DISMISSALS: Brandon Bucher, Akron; Michele Tumpagh, Macy.

Kosciusko Community Hospital

Wed., November 18

ADMISSIONS: Lisa A. Eiser, Bourbon; Terry V. Halfacre, Silver Lake; Rebecca L. Vance, Claypool.

DISMISSALS: John Boyle, Claypool; Max A. Montel, Claypool.

BIRTHS: Mr. and Mrs. Michael Eiser, Bourbon, a son.

Fri., November 20

ADMISSIONS: Nancy M. Alsbaugh, Mentone; Jess W. Bell, Claypool; Melinda D. Dye, Claypool.

DISMISSALS: Maude S. Cox, Mentone; Terry V. Halfacre, Silver Lake.

Saturday, November 21
ADMISSIONS: None
DISMISSALS: Rebecca Vance, Claypool

Olive Bethel News

Francis Dickinson of Indianapolis spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. George Sheetz.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Safford of Indianapolis spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Safford.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sheetz, Grace Gallentine and Frances Dickinson, Indianapolis, were Thursday evening supper guests of Lisa Heeter of Culver.

Paul Cox and Floyd Cox spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cox, Molly Latta and sons, Mike, Matt and Andy and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Cox called Saturday afternoon on Paul Cox and Helen. Mrs. Tim Latta, a friend, Cheryl, Mrs. Matt Cox and Mrs. Andy Cox called Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Latta will return to Germany Friday, where her husband, Tim, is stationed in the army, after spending two weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Zolman, Van Buren, Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Hodge, Danielle, Jeff Claxton and Derck, Rochester; Mrs. Harold Claxton, Joshua, Pete and Paul Cabrera, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kratzer spent Sunday with Paul Cox and Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cox.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kindig visited Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kindig at Ligioner Thursday.

T.H.E. Club Notes

The Talma Homemakers Extension club met in the home of Donnabelle Grossman, Nov. 12. Betty McGowen, president, opened the meeting by reading a Thanksgiving Poem "Stop and be Thankful". Lois Doud gave devotions by Helen Steiner Rice, "One Nation Under God" and "A Thanksgiving Prayer" Psalms 33:12. Betty McGowen led in singing the song of the month, Extension Homemakers Club Prayer (tune of "He Leadeth Me").

The president gave a report on the Nov. 5 council meeting she attended. The Extension Homemakers Christmas party for the Mental Health patients from Logansport will be Dec. 10 at the St. Joseph Parish Hall. Fulton County has been selected to participate in a statewide program at Purdue.

The date for Achievement Night is April 20, 1993. The Fulton County 4-H Fair, July 11-17, 1993. Program planning for vice presidents, March 15, 1993.

The Health and Safety lesson by Edith Walters was "Helpful Hints about Cars, A Quiz, Car and Blood Alcohol Effect on Drivers."

Donnabelle Grossman present the project lesson, Nutritious meals for one or two.

The members read the county constitution and by-laws. Cards were signed for Ruth Davis and Ella Greenwood. Repeating of the collect an unison closed the meeting. Lois Doud won the door prize.

The Dec. 7 meeting will be the club's Christmas party and it will be held at Maggie's Restaurant, Rochester.

School children visit library

The Akron Carnegie Public Library entertained all the children, kindergarten through sixth grade, at the library on Monday and Tuesday during National Children's Book Week. Films of the books *Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel* and *Madeline's Rescue* were shown to the kindergarten children and their teachers. The film of the book *My Friend Flicka* was shown to the students of the first through sixth grades and their teachers. Ten new books were loaned to each teacher and the children were given bookmarks with candy attached.

Jump Rope For Heart

The elementary schools in the Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation have started the jump rope unit in physical education. As part of the program, each child will learn to jump and be introduced to some simple tricks. Each child will be jumping the rope for at least 30 minutes, over three class periods.

In Akron and Mentone Schools, in past years, they have held a Jump Rope For Heart fund raiser for the American Heart Association. The AHA requires that teams of six jumpers jump rope for a total of 180 minutes. Since this year, each child will be doing this, during three different class times, the AHA said they would count this towards a Jump Rope For Heart fund raiser.

Whether your child takes part in this fund raiser is up to you, the parent. No grades will be affected if they choose not to take part and no extra credit will be given if they take part. Those who do take part may earn some small prizes along

with helping the American Heart Association.

This event teaches children how to keep their hearts healthy while teaching them the importance of volunteerism. Heart disease is the #1 killer in America and in Indiana.

The money raised by Jump Rope For Heart allows the American Heart Association to provide educational programs and materials at no cost to your child's school. It also ensures the continuation of research efforts to combat early death and disability from cardiovascular disease. Indiana University, Purdue University, Rose Hulman, Notre Dame University, and the Krannert Institute of Cardiology are just a few of the fine institutions currently conducting research funded by the American Heart Association.

Last year, 499 schools and over 32,000 students participated in the Indiana Affiliate's Jump Rope For Heart Program. Students are encouraged to get pledges for each minute they jump or flat donations. Families can help children secure pledges if they wish.

For further information, contact William Ruppel at one of the schools.

Burket Third Graders are thankful For...

Mrs. Ousley's Class - 1992
I'm thankful for nature because I like birds, people, and snakes. I like reading about dinosaurs.

Aaron Marshall
I am glad because we have friends at school. I'm glad because our teacher is so pretty and nice.

Erik Serrans
I'm happy we live in a great land called America. I'm glad my uncle and dad are alive.

Beth Himes
I like my gun, bow, aunts, uncles, and friends. So I am very thankful!

Mel Koepfinger
I'm thankful for food, flags, books, and school.

Cari McFarren
I am thankful for Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Halloween.

Kristy Blausner
I am glad for my trampoline, mom, dad, and radio.

Lucas Shambaugh
I am thankful for my family because I love them so much.

Amanda Coon
I'm thankful for my best friend, Holly. Also I'm glad for family and school to learn.

Ashley Schlemmer
I'm thankful for Christmas and Thanksgiving because we have lots of good food.

Travis Konkle
I am excited we have a neat teacher, principal, and cooks.

Amanda Slone
I am glad for all my sister, brothers, mom, and dad because they are nice to me.

J.J. Kerkhoff

It Happened In Akron

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON
TAKEN FROM THE AKRON NEWS
NOVEMBER 23, 1967
25 YEARS AGO

Men In Service

Master Sgt. Charles D. Engle, son of Mrs. Pearl Engle, Akron, has received the U.S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Grand Forks AFB, N.D. The sergeant is a 1946 graduate of Beaver Dam High School. His wife, Elsie, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Swansey of Houston.

Did You Know?

Mrs. Susan Hartle and sons, Dan & Walter were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Jennie Riley.

Mrs. Freida Zellers called on Mrs. Lily Pence on Monday.

IT HAPPENED IN AKRON
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Olive Bethel

Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Lukens spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Nettie Ohmart in Roann and his sister, Mrs. Marie Hunter in Gilead.

Athens

Mrs. Ina Fifer of Atwood spent from Thursday until Monday morning with her mother, Mrs. Laura Johnson.

Pfc. Pete Nichodemus from a camp in Virginia is home on a 12 day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Sam Nichodemus and other relatives.

It Happened In Mentone

IT HAPPENED IN MENTONE
TAKEN FROM THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP
NOVEMBER 28, 1968
25 YEARS AGO

Roberts Buys Claypool Elevator

Announcement has been made of the purchase of the Claypool Elevator by Roberts Lumber, Hardware and Grain. The Roberts firm now owns mills in Akron and Mentone.

The mill at Claypool will open for business on December 2.

Mentone Conversation Piece

Mrs. Max Smith and Miss Lily Tucker spent Sunday with their father, Ora Tucker.

Mrs. Dorthea Cullum was Wednesday afternoon caller at the Wm. E. Fowler home.

Mr. & Mrs. Lester Kindig spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Dale Kindig and family in honor of Dale Kindig's birthday.

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NOVEMBER 25, 1942
50 YEARS AGO

Creighton Chosen as Speaker of the House

Hobart Creighton was elected as speaker of the 1943 Ind. House of Representatives at a Republican Caucus held Tuesday at Indianapolis.

Mr. Creighton is well known in our community, having been a poultryman for a number of years. He is also a member of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association at Mentone.

The Henry Township Fire Dept.
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In Viking Foods Parking Lot
Starting November 27th

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Spruce - \$17.50
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Will Go
Towards
New
Equipment



School Menus

Area School lunch menus
for the week of November 30
through December 4 are:

T.V.H.S.

Monday - Chili and crackers, cheese slices, celery and carrot sticks, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, pumpkin bars, applesauce, fruit juice and milk.

Tuesday - Beef and noodles, mozzarella cheese slice, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, bread, butter, peanut butter and jelly, sliced peaches, lettuce salad, fruit juice and milk.

Wednesday - Chicken pattie sandwich with mayo, rice with brown sugar, frozen peas, jello salad, sliced pears, fruit juice and milk.

Thursday - Goulash, sliced cheese, hot roll with butter and jelly, seasoned green beans, cole slaw, mixed fruit, fruit juice and milk.

Friday - Pizza, whole kernel corn, chocolate brownies, 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.

NORTH MIAMI

Monday - Tenderloin sandwich, pasta vegetables with cheese, peas, applesauce, milk.

Tuesday - Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, peanut butter sandwich, buttered carrots, peaches, milk.

Wednesday - Pizza, tossed salad, fruit, cookie, milk.

Thursday - Goulash, garlic bread, cole slaw, Reesie pudding, milk.

Friday - Cheese dogs, French fries, green beans, pineapple, milk.

Akron's Most Wanted!



Akron School students chosen for displaying excellence during the week of November 9-13 are: back row, Ashley Whitaker, Adam Graf, Charlene Givens, Kenny Swanson, Amanda Davis and Belinda Conrad. Middle row: Ashley Perry, Shea Bailey, Tangula Cox, Julie Studebaker and Kendra Koser. Front row: Andrew Fulton, John Smith, Kristin Powell and Elizabeth Thompson. Not pictured are Alex Peterson, Amanda Warren and Betsy McCullough.

AKRON

Monday - Pizza, green beans, applesauce, cookie bar.

Tuesday - Taco salad, pears, bread stix and cheese, carrot sticks.

Wednesday - Grilled cheese, frozen parfait and fruit, baked beans, cookie.

Thursday - Lasagna, cole slaw, pineapple, hot rolls and butter.

Friday - Chicken patty on bun, French fries, apple crisp, celery sticks.

BURKET

Monday - Pizza boats, French fries, trail mix, chocolate pudding cake, milk.

Tuesday - Hamburger gravy on biscuits, mashed potatoes, perfection salad, bread with almond butter, milk.

Wednesday - J.P. Mexican pasta, green beans, scalloped

pineapple, bread with butter, milk.

Thursday - Salmon loaf, mixed vegetables, cinnamon applesauce, bread with butter, milk.

Friday - The All American sandwich, creamed peas, carrot chips, butterscotch pudding, milk.



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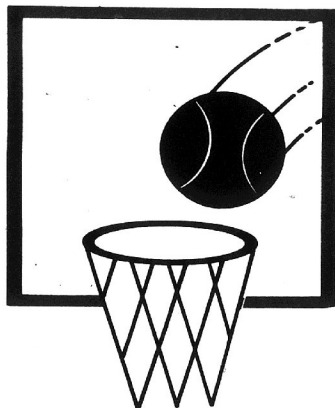
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BOYS BASKETBALL

Dec. 4	Co. City	H	6:30
Dec. 5	North Miami	H	6:30
Dec. 11	Whitko	H	6:30
Dec. 12	Northwood	T	6:15
Dec. 18	Southwood	H	6:30
Dec. 22	Plymouth Tray.	T	6:30
Dec. 23	Plymouth Tray.	T	6:30
Jan. 2	Canton	T	6:30
Jan. 9	Argos	T	6:30
Jan. 15	Northfield	T	6:30
Jan. 16	Wawasee	H	6:30
Jan. 22	Rochester	T	6:30
Jan. 29	Manchester	T	6:30
Feb. 5	Wabash	H	6:30
Feb. 6	Maconaquah	T	6:30
Feb. 12	Bremen	H	6:30
Feb. 13	Triton	T	6:30
Feb. 19	Oak Hill	H	6:30
Feb. 20	Plymouth	H	6:30
Feb. 26	Glenn	T	6:30

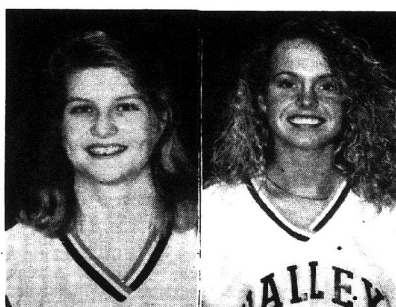


1992-93 Valley

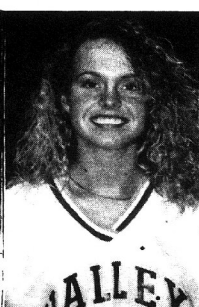
Good Luck

and Lady V

Due to Valley's participation in the football regional, *The News* was unable to publish them as soon as they are available to us.



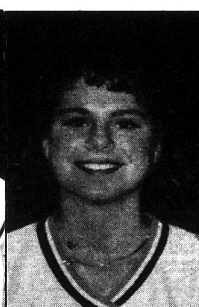
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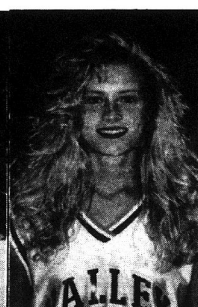
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Akron	****	893-7216

Valley Basketball

Valley Vikings

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GIRLS BASKETBALL

Nov. 16	Jintown	T	6:30
Nov. 20	Warsaw	T	6:15
Nov. 28	Valley TG Classic		11:00
Dec. 3	North Miami	T	6:00
Dec. 5	M.C. Rogers	H	12:00
Dec. 9	Caston	H	6:30
Dec. 14	Triton	H	6:30
Dec. 19	Holiday Trny.	T	10:00
Dec. 22	Co. City	T	6:30
Jan. 4	Whitko	T	6:30
Jan. 6	Southwood	T	6:30
Jan. 11	Oak Hill	H	6:30
Jan. 14	Wawasee	H	6:30
Jan. 16	Hunt. JV Trny.	T	9:00
Jan. 18	Rochester	T	6:30
Jan. 21	Manchester	H	6:30
Jan. 23	Warsaw JV Trny.	T	9:00
Jan. 28	Northfield	H	6:30
Feb. 2	Sectional		

1992-93 GIRLS BASKETBALL ROSTER

VARSITY				
NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	GR.
10	Betsy Hammerlin	G	5'5"	12
12	Vanessa Gillman	G-F	5'6"	12
20	Charmae Vogel	F	5'7"	11
22	Renee Metzger	G	5'5"	11
32	Anna Craig	F	5'7"	11
34	Angie Howard	F	5'7"	11
42	Nicke Borem	G	5'7"	10
44	Julianne Tucker	C	6'0"	10
50	Addie Kramer	C	5'8"	12
54	Lisa Berry	F	5'10"	12
JUNIOR VARSITY				
14	Eria Rose	G	5'6"	9
20	Charmae Vogel	F	5'7"	11
22	Keri Overmeyer	G	5'7"	10
24	Casey Pontious	G	5'7"	10
30	Shelly Day	G	5'7"	11
32	Anna Craig	F	5'7"	11
34	Angie Howard	F	5'7"	11
40	Angie Zolman	C	5'8"	9
42	Amanda Howard	F	5'7"	10
44	Kalynn Parker	F	5'9"	10
52	Jessica Eilenwood	C	5'9"	11
54	Madeleine VonObasfelder	C	5'9"	12

Managers: Amy Rodenberg, Angie Smith, Tammie Reese, Kristin Deardorff, Debra Ginn

ews was unable to obtain the photos or roster for the Varsity Boys' Basketball US.



Renee Metzger

Julianne Tucker

Charmae Vogel

Kristin Deardorff

Debra Ginn

Amy Rodenberg

Angie Smith

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Lori Miller (center) poses with Mentone students Ashley Rodgers and Billy Poe. (Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Lori Miller speaks to students

by Rosa Hatfield

Lori Miller, daughter of Kenny and Anita Miller, Warsaw, spoke to students at Mentone School Monday, November 16. Lori is totally blind. She shared her world with the students, telling them about some of her experiences and showing them how she reads Braille and the cane she sometimes uses to help find her way.

Lori's blindness is a result of cancer. She lost her eyesight when she was two-and-one-half years old and suffered another bout with cancer during the seventh grade.

"I've always been a fighter," Lori told the students. "I don't like to think there is anything I can't do."

Lori is a senior at Warsaw High School and is ranked 13th out of 384 students in her class. She has been first chair flutist in the band since she was a sophomore. She also plays the piano and piccolo.

She has skated with a partner in dance competition for several years and is working as a disc jockey at the East Lake Skate Center in Warsaw. She told students she labels the CD's with a labeler so she knows which one she picks up to play.

Lori is a bronze winner of Discover Credit Card National Scholarship for \$12,500. She plans to attend college but isn't sure where she will go yet. Her first choices are Stanford and Notre Dame. She is also considering Valparaiso, Manchester and Butler. She told students her favorite class is zoology but admitted reading is the class that has gotten her the farthest.

When Lori battled her cancer in the seventh grade, she missed 105 days of school and went 75 half days. But she was determined to keep up and did the work at home.

She loves to ride bikes and owns both a tandem and a ten-speed.

"This summer when I was riding my bike, I hit a mailbox," said Lori. "I was OK but the mailbox wasn't. My friends still tease whenever I have a bruise. They ask me if I have run into any mailboxes lately."

Lori also enjoys horseback riding and showing her Australian Welsh horse in horse shows.

"I love to travel," Lori told the students. "Last year I went to the Northwest Territories, about 200 miles from the Arctic Circle. I got to work with Indians. The visually impaired there didn't do anything. A friend and I were able to show them they could still do a lot of things even if they couldn't see."

Lori was supposed to get a guide dog last summer but due to an injury, she had to wait. She tore the rotator cup in her left shoulder during a goal ball game at Western Michigan University. It is healing well and she should receive her dog this summer. She said it will probably be either a black labrador or a German shepherd. She will have to go to New Jersey for training with the dog before she receives it.

Lori told students she memorizes a lot of things like phone numbers, music, the keys on the microwave and her keyboard. She learned Braille and was able to read before she started kindergarten.

She said one area where she does need help is in choosing clothes to buy. She can feel the texture but has to rely on someone else to advise her on the color. Since she was once able to see, she remembers the colors when they tell her. Two of her favorite sights to remember are sunsets and airplanes.

Lori plays basketball, swims, and runs track. She has a car so her friends can drive her places.

Several students realized the extent of Lori's accomplishments when they tried to walk around the room with their eyes closed after Lori was finished speaking to them.

Media Specialist arranged for Lori to visit the school in conjunction with Children's Book Week.

Obituaries

ISABELLE L. GOODMAN

Isabelle L. Goodman, 78, Mentone, died Thursday, November 19, 1992 at 7:40 p.m. at Prairie View Health Care Center, Warsaw.

She was born May 14, 1914 in Nappanee, to Harvey and Mabel Stump May. She married William Godfrey who preceded in death on February 12, 1951. On December 23, 1952 in Warsaw, she married Kenneth Goodman who survives.

She was a lifetime resident of Kosciusko County and a former employee of Warsaw Coil. She was a member of First Brethren Church, Warsaw.

Surviving with her husband are one son, Wesley Godfrey, Coldwater, Mich.; one foster daughter, Anita Hiers, Mentone; one foster son, Larry Holmes, Warsaw; four sisters, Marjorie Griswold and Edna Netrouer, both of Warsaw; Kathryn Gay, Michigan City; and Virginia Wysong, Dunlap.

Services were Monday, Nov. 23, 1992 at 11 a.m. at McHatten-Sadler Funeral Chapel, Warsaw, with the Rev. Mitchell Funkhouser officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery, Warsaw.

BETH DUGAN

Beth Margaret Peterson Dugan, 91, formerly of College Square Apartments, Rochester, died at 4:25 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 22, 1992 in the Rochester Nursing Home, where she had lived for five years.

She was born Sept. 10, 1901 in Arlington, Neb., to Delmer and Drusilla Stewart McCann. She moved here in 1983 from Pasadena, Calif., where she had lived from 1939-1983.

On July 14, 1920 in Arlington, Neb., she married Harry Dugan, who died Nov. 30, 1964.

She was a former employee with the State of California School District. She was a member of the Christian Science Mother Church in Boston, Mass. She was a charter member of the American Legion Auxiliary Post in Arlington, Va., and a lifetime member of over 70 years of the Eastern Star and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Pasadena, Calif.

Surviving are three sons, Donovan "Pete" Peterson, Rochester; Lowell Peterson, Corvallis, Ore.; and Jerry Peterson, San Diego, Calif.; seven grandchildren, Karen, Nan, Julie, Tressie, Scott and Tom Peterson, all of California; and Mrs. Brad (Jill) Jenkins, Akron; three great-grandchildren; and a sister, Ruth Kindler, Tekamah, Neb.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Foster and Good Funeral Home, Rochester, with Pastor James Kreft officiating. Entombment will be in the Mountain View Mausoleum, Altadena, Calif.

50th Wedding Anniversary



In celebration of their 50th Wedding Anniversary, Dorris and Mildred Harrold of R.R.2, Box 303, Akron, will be honored with an open house on Sunday, November 29, 1992, from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m.

The event will be held in the social room of the Akron Fire Department building and will be hosted by their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Harrold and Jason, and Dr. and Mrs. Richard Sommers, Jill and Janelle.

Dorris and Mildred (Craig) Harrold were married on Thanksgiving Day, 1942, in the same home Mrs. Harrold was born in, and they have lived in for fifty years. Mrs. Harrold retired after teaching 33 years in the Warsaw Community School System and Mr. Harrold is a semi-retired farmer.

An invitation is extended to all friends and relatives who would like to share in their celebration. A note sharing a memory or a picture for their memory album would please them. Everyone's friendship is a cherished gift, they request no other.

Second Annual Jingle Bell 5000

The Fulton County Unit of the American Cancer Society is sponsoring the Second Annual Dick Gottschalk Jingle Bell 5000 Meter Memorial Run/Walk on December 12 in Rochester at the Middle School. Registration is at 8:30 a.m. with the Run/Walk at 10:30 a.m. Registration forms are at Gottschalk Realty or contact John Milliser at 223-3310.

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Academic Student of the Week

Lichelle Paxton, daughter of Phil and Joyce Paxton, of Silver Lake, has been chosen as Academic Student of the Week. Lichelle, 16, is a junior at TVHS.

Lichelle is a member of National Honor Society, Spanish Club and Varsity Club. She also participates in volleyball and track. Her most recent achievement was being listed in the top 10% of her class. She has a 10.963 grade point average. Although Lichelle plans to attend college after graduation, she has not chosen a university or major.

Spanish is Lichelle's favorite subject and she finds trigonometry to be the most difficult.

Lichelle is a member of the Akron Church of God and is



employed at Bee Hive, Inc. The News congratulates Lichelle on her academic achievements and wishes her success in the future.



DEVIN MATHEW KNISELY

Jeff and Tami Knisely, 3039-2 Kings Ave., Fort Riley, Kansas, are the parents of a son born at 10 a.m. Oct. 30, 1992.

The baby weighed 6 lbs. 1 oz. and has been named Devin Mathew. He measured 20 inches. Devin joins a brother, Drew, 2.

Grandparents are Bob and Connie Schlag, Dave and Betty Knisely, Marshall and Rosemary Thompson and Dan and Ann Neer, all of Warsaw. Great-grandparents are Dale and Bobbie Wallace, Mentone, and Jack Knisely, Warsaw.

THOMAS

MICHAEL EISER

Michael Jr. and Lisa Eiser, Bourbon, are the parents of a son born at 5:49 p.m. Nov. 17, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital.

The baby weighed 8 lbs. 5 oz. and has been named Thomas Michael. He measured 20 inches. Thomas joins a brother, Nicholas, 4.

Grandparents are Thomas and Louisa Carr, Wilmington, N.C., and Michael Sr. and Joan Eiser, Mentone. Arvilla Whetstone, Sebring, Fla., is a great-grandmother.

EVAN MICHAEL BALL

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Ball, 8502 S. 500W, Silver Lake are the parents of a son born at 7:18 p.m. November 14, 1992 at Kosciusko Community Hospital.

The baby weighed 7 lbs. 12 oz. and has been named Evan Michael. He measured 22 inches.

Grandparents are Karen Jones, Port Richey, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Lipton, Silver Lake; Lexie Stephens, Piercetown; and the late Robert M. Stephens. Charles Ball, Anderson, is a great-grandfather.

North Miami Honor Roll

The following is a list of honor roll students at North Miami School.

Seventh Grade

All A's

Claire Balsbaugh, Greg Deardorff, Stephen Donaldson, Tara Emery, Randa Galbraith, Amy Gearhart, Sandra Jackson, Haley Raber.

A's and B's

Betsy Bridge, Andrew Brower, Evin Deardorff, Wendy Hagan, Adam Harp, Brent Hines, Elodie Hudson, Christina Knauff, Shane Mathis, Cherish Miller, Cody Miller, Lindsay Oliver, Mike Ramsey, Troy Schipper, Maribeth Smith, Ryan Swanner and Amanda Whybrew.

Eighth Grade

All A's

Shaun Balmer, Laura Dillman, Joy Hanaway, Kendra Hartley, Heather Hippensteel, Adam Moore, Joshua Nixon, Lori Shultz, Daniel Walden, Tiffany Winters and Audra Withers.

A's and B's

Ellie Bowen, Brandi Bowman, Lisa Donaldson, Mary Frank, Amy Million, Tarah Parson, Christopher Rexroad, Matthew Voorhees and James Wright.

Ninth Grade

A's and B's

Brady Brower, Jenny Conner, Greg Donaldson, Bryan Fites, Brad Hisey, Kent Ireland, Jennifer Malott, John Miller, Suzanne Morecraft, Kim Myers, James Pattison, Brian Pence, Sabrina Roberts, Katie Spalding and Chad White.

Tenth Grade

All A's

William Hoover.

A's and B's

Kelly Aldredge, Robert Cain, Daniel Click, Gerri Click, Thomas Frank, Zachary Gosnell, Kara Keaffaber, Brook Leffel, Erin McGuire, Brian Raber, Scott Robbins, Aaron Smith, James Wildermuth and Brandi Wolfe.

Eleventh Grade

All A's

Christine Cullers and Shane

Stec.

A's and B's

Christy Brower, Melissa Donaldson, Jeremy Fansler, Carrie Friend, Jennifer Greer, Dawn Halterman, Kelli Harrison, Alexa Hartley, Vicki Hippensteel, Tina Hubart, Brandon Jones, Julie Knauff, Troy Long, Sara Murphy, Shaun Peters, Dustin Piercy, Brian Rexroad, Tricia Riddle, Matthew Roland, Evan Schipper, Bethani Teegardin, Erica Voorhees, Stephenie Wise and Amber Wolfe.

Twelfth Grade

All A's

Shelli Click and Jeffrey Frank.

A's and B's

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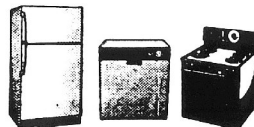
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Back row: Ashley Lindenmier, Jayson McCalla, Ben Jones, Stephen, McTaggart, and Josh VanCleave. Front row: Jessica Bradford, Kim Skidmore, Craig Bailey, and Renee Gagnon. Not pictured is Amber King.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Our environment is in bad shape, yet it seems no one cares; not thinking it's a major problem. Well, the environment is a problem, and until people stop being lazy and start making an effort to help, the problem will keep getting worse. One way you can help is by recycling.

There are many reasons why you should recycle. One is recycling paper products saves forests by lessening the demand for virgin timber. Trees help the environment by taking in carbon dioxide, helping to prevent the greenhouse effect. Many people burn their paper products, but this isn't good because it doesn't decrease the demand for trees plus it adds to air pollution. Paper makes up 40% of our waste, but only 25 - 30% of this is recycled. Another reason to recycle is because it reduces landfill dumping. 80% of our garbage is dumped into landfills - 50% of this is recyclable, but under 10% is actually recycled. About 80% of our landfills have closed and more and more are closing at a rapid rate. Even if landfills are available remember they could all eventually leak. Next, recycling saves natural resources. Resources are finite, if we don't recycle we'll use them all up. Finally, recycling is economical. Trash disposal costs us over \$10 billion a year. Recycling is far cheaper than landfilling.

Recycling is easy and takes little time. Recycling takes just over 2 minutes a day. The only thing you have to do is find a recycling center and find out when they are open, what things they take, how clean the materials have to be, and how they want the materials sorted.

If people would start working to fix the environmental problems we have, we could stop moving toward environmental catastrophe and start taking steps toward having a healthy planet.

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Teacher Feature



by Rosa Hatfield

Amy Swihart, fifth grade teacher at Akron School, is our featured teacher of the week.

Amy graduated from Goshen High School in 1987. She received her B.S. in Elementary Education from Manchester College in 1991. Amy did her student teaching at Akron School with the third grade classes and was pleased to be offered the job as a temporary teacher at Akron her first year out of school.

She became a full time fifth grade teacher at Akron School beginning with the 1992-93 school year. One of the biggest differences she finds in the fifth grade students is that they are much more social. They depend more on their friends and social groups than the younger students. She also perceives the beginnings of changes in their attitudes toward friends, teachers, and learning.

"I believe learning should be fun," said Amy. "You learn more while you are having fun. I try to provide lots of hands-on activities and games using skills that coordinate with the subjects we are studying. I am a very active person. I can't sit still and the kids can't either. I find there are fewer behavior problems if you allow them to be active while they learn."

Amy lives with her husband Andy in Goshen. They are expecting their first child soon. Amy will be leaving in January for her maternity leave and will be gone the rest of this school year. She said she will miss her students.

"They are a very good class," said Amy. "I thought about coming back in April but decided that would require too much of an adjustment for the kids."

In her spare time, Amy enjoys reading, cooking (desserts mostly), shopping and spending time with her family and her first baby, a cocker spaniel named Abigail Penelope, who a very affectionate and likes to travel everywhere except the car wash.

Women's Fellowship of the Church of the Brethren met

The Women's Fellowship of the Church of the Brethren met at the church for the November meeting.

Naomi Mishler opened the meeting by reading Proverbs 3:9. Norma Weaver presided over the business meeting in the absence of Arlene Gearhart. She gave various reports from the Fall Fellowship, and discussed items pertaining to the group.

Lana Bowser led devotions. Her topic was "Staying in Shape." She compared physical exercise to spiritual growth. It takes patience, discipline, and endurance to achieve in both. She read a scripture from I Corinthians and II Timothy, and a poem of Clede Zunkel's, "Unless You Let Me," then closed with prayer.

Refreshments in keeping with the fall season were served by Rozella Tinkey to nine adults and one child.



County Youth Essay winners

U.S. Senator Dick Lugar announced that eighth graders Greg Runkle, Akron, and Tammy Rock, Kewanna, are the Fulton County winners of the Dick Lugar/Indiana Farm Bureau/Bank One Youth Essay Contest.

The essay theme for this year's contest was "Hoosier Farmers Feed The World." The essays focused on the impact Hoosier farmers have on the food people eat, its importance in the world marketplace and the international significance found in the versatility of Hoosier agricultural products. Middle school principals throughout Indiana were notified of the competition and were asked to encourage eighth grade students to participate.

In 1985, Lugar started the Agricultural Essay Contest as a way to teach Hoosier youth about the state's agricultural heritage. Students are encouraged to consider and then creatively express what effect Indiana agriculture has on their daily lives.

County winners will now compete at the district level. District winners will be invited to attend the Indiana Farm Bureau State Convention on December 6, in Indianapolis, where the district winners will be recognized for their achievements and where state winners will be named.



Freshman Girls' Basketball Team



The 1992-93 TVHS Freshman Girls' Basketball team is pictured above. Back row, Leslie Miller, Jennie Cumberland, Jenny VanNess, Monica Morrow, Kelly Deardorff, Anina Gast, Jamie Phillips; Front Row: Haley Foor, Jill Baker, Paige Lewis, Jenny Dean.

(Photo by Rosa Hatfield)

Harvest

by Rosa Hatfield

A lonely stalk of corn standing in the middle of the field catches your eye. Driving down country roads, the sights are varied. One field may be standing tall in corn not yet harvested, the next only stubbles.

The farmers are all working frantically, trying to get the best of Mother Nature this time. Late at night you can see testimony of their efforts, lights shining along the fields, the fluorescent slow-moving vehicle signs on tractors and wagons as they make their way home with another load of beans or corn.

This is a time like no other. Farming is a vocation like no other. For many of them, having a successful crop this year means the difference between farming again next year or haunting the factories for a job to support their families.

At this time of harvest, when a lot of the crop is in, but enough to make a difference is still out in the fields, tempers are short. Normally friendly people snap at each other over little things. And of course, this is the time when equipment breaks down, elevators are full and drivers have to wait to get unloaded.

If you are one of the people caught up in this special brand of madness, it's hard to believe that the rest of the world is going on as usual. Things don't grind to a halt, until the crops are safely tucked away in storage or sold, for anyone not a part of the farming community. It comes as rather a shock to emerge from the harvest and find that life does indeed go on.

Viking of the Week

Justin Davis, son of Leslie Davis of Warsaw, has been selected as Viking of the Week. Justin, 18, is a junior at Tippecanoe Valley.

He has played basketball, football and baseball for three years and enjoys those sports equally. He has earned his letter in baseball and is a member of the Varsity Club.

Justin considers the Viking's football sectional win a highlight of his sports career. He plans to attend college but has not yet decided on a university.

The News congratulates Justin on his selection of Viking of the Week and wishes him continued success as a Viking athlete.



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