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## 21 Enrolled in First Aid Course



Grover Buttrick demonstrates method of administering oxygen to a smoke victim while George B. Strain, instructor of the Red Cross First Aid course at Cascade school looks on. The classes, held every Monday evening are designed to give those attending a basic knowledge of First Aid treatment for practically any emergency that might occur. Twenty-one students are enrolled in the course which will enter its fourth week next Monday.

Twenty-one persons enrolled in the Red Cross First Aid course at Cascade school entered their third training period this past Monday evening. The class, under the joint tutelage of George B. Strain and Frank Atherton, is designed to teach its members approved methods of coping with practically any emergency that might arise.

At Monday's class, Strain spoke on various methods of artificial respiration and life-like demonstrations were given and practiced by those in attendance.

Grover Buttrick, member of the Cascade fire department, was present with the department's portable oxygen unit and this method of reviving persons suffering from smoke or other gas poisonings was also demonstrated.

Those attending this year's First Aid Course are Ben Zoodsma, Lester R. Williams, Clare L. Snyder, Mrs. Leah Richards, H. Alden Roz-

ema, Harold A. Rozema. Also Mary G. Price, Mrs. Peter Paap, Earl Mollitor, Mrs. Jenny Meidema, Kenneth Mercer, Bernard McDiarmid and Mrs. Margaret Lehnen.

Others are Mrs. Peter Kramer, Anna Isenga, Mrs. Susan Heemstra Harold Gardner, Robert DeKam, Mrs. Florence L. Dean, Mrs. Tyl Carr and Mrs. Patricia Brose.

Strain told the group of the importance of speed in beginning artificial respiration. In a ten-minute period after the victim's removal from water, or various gases, the chances of revival range from 98% during the first minute down to practically nothing at the end of ten minutes.

Both Strain and Atherton work with the Sheriff's department at various times and have practical training in actual emergencies that make them well qualified as instructors.

## Returns From European Tour

Miss Barbara Wykes has returned from a three-months trip to Europe and is a teaching fellow in English at the University of Michigan. Most of her time abroad was spent in London where she worked on a manuscript at the British Museum.

She had two experiences that usual tourists might not encounter—being taken to visit the House of Commons in session and to a boy's school Speech Day (graduation).

At the end of the summer she spent three weeks traveling around England and Wales and in France, Switzerland, Germany, and Belgium. The return from Amsterdam by the University of Michigan student government-chartered plane was by way of Iceland.

## LIONS CLUB ENJOYS DEER HERD FILMS

The Mary Martha Guild of Congregational church served a swiss steak dinner in Fellowship hall Monday night to 42 members and guests for Thornapple Valley Lions club. Congressman Gerald Ford was guest speaker and showed movies of deer herds in Michigan.

## TB Bus To Be In Ada October 26

On Friday, October 26, the Kent County Mobile X-Ray Unit will be at the Ada Public school from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Residents of this area are urged by the Kent Co. Tuberculosis Society to come down for free tuberculin skin tests and chest x-rays.

According to the Society, the x-rays will also discover if a person has an enlarged heart or lung cancer. TB, if discovered in the early stages will prevent physical breakdown and can usually be arrested in a relatively short time.

## Common Sense Can Prevent Fires

This week is Fire Prevention Week throughout our country. Fire, man's greatest friend, can, without a moment's warning, turn into a ruthless and destructive enemy. A few simple rules, carefully followed, can usually keep fire and its closest relative, electricity, in its role as faithful friend.

(1) Keep your basement clean and all papers, magazines, wood or rags away from the heating plant. Store gasoline in a garage or other outbuildings.

(2) Check your heating plant carefully for proper operation and pay particular attention to the condition of the smoke pipe. Make sure your automatic controls, if any, work properly.

(3) Keep matches out of children's reach. Teach them the danger of playing with matches.

(4) If fuses continue to blow, call a qualified electrician. Never attempt a wiring job unless you know exactly what you are doing.

(5) Keep at least one fire extinguisher in your home. Every member of the family should know where it is kept and how to use it.

(6) When burning papers or rubbish, never leave the blaze unattended.

These rules, if followed will, in almost all cases, prevent a fire in your home or yard. Most fires, excluding those caused by electrical storms are caused by carelessness.

If fire should strike however, call your fire department immediately. Know your department's number and keep it handy near the phone. Local Fire Chiefs agree that the first three minutes of a blaze are the most crucial. It is better to call before you attempt to fight the blaze. It may mean the difference between a major blaze or slight damage.

## Hearing Oct. 16 On M-21 Right-of-way

Next Tuesday, October 16, at 10 a.m., a hearing will be held in the old jury room in the Kent County Court House. At this time property owners along the proposed right of way for the new M21 bridge approaches will have the opportunity to air their grievances, if any, against the State Highway Department.

It is certain that at least two objections by property owners will be aired. One concerns suitable payment for property and inconvenience which will be caused; the other a question of proper boundary lines and property definitions.

Nora Lee Staskus, a patient in University Hospital at Ann Arbor, is reported much improved. Mrs. Grover Hill, who is a patient in the Shamrock Rest Home, is reported as improving.

Baked Goods and Second Best sale by Ada Neighborhood Girl Scouts. Ada town hall, Oct. 13, at 9:00 a.m. c29

## Seek Underpass For M-21 Highway

What began as a simple conversation at one of the meetings of the Thornapple Valley Lion's club has turned out to be an unofficial but well-organized movement to obtain cloverleaf underpasses at each end of the new approaches for the M21 bridge.

Although it is difficult to pin down the originator of the idea, it seems that Dr. J. C. Foshee started the ball a-rolling and others immediately thought the idea a good one.

Gerald Brian is chairman of the group circulating the petition seeking action on this matter; Joe Gillard drew up the legal wording; and Gordon Campau was in charge of the mimeographing.

With the new four-lane approaches to the bridge, the vehicles seeking entry to the highway would find it difficult, at certain peak traffic hours, to gain access to the road.

Eventually, say members of the group, M21 will be a four lane highway from Grand Rapids to Lowell; and if the proper planning is done now, tremendous expense will be saved in the next few years.

The main problem at the present time will center on the east side of the Grand River. Here, traffic from Vergennes rd., Bailey dr., Honey Creek, and Pettis rds. will converge at one spot. The group circulating the petitions feels that much property damage and possibly several lives will be saved if steps for proper highway entry are taken.

Residents are urged to consider the matter and sign the petitions as soon as possible. Local stores will have petitions on their counters.

## Teachers Institute October 18-19

Local public schools will be closed Thursday and Friday, October 18 and 19, so that the instructors may have an opportunity to attend the Michigan Education Association's regional conference in Grand Rapids.

The event, which is to be held in the Civic Auditorium, will feature John Furbay, director of air education, T. W. A., as one of the main speakers in the first general session.

Mr. Furbay's message will be "The Shape of Things to Come", and will be heard Thursday in the morning program. Friday afternoon, Carl S. Winters, minister of Oak Park First Baptist church, will speak on the subject "What's Right with Education". Also to be heard that day will be the M. E. A. president, Francis W. Beedon.

Many interesting and informative group meetings have been planned for Thursday afternoon and Friday morning.

### Special Breakfast

A special breakfast has been planned for Thursday morning, at 8:15 at the Pantlind Hotel ballroom, for graduates of Michigan State University now teaching in public schools.

### PUBLIC HEARING

On Monday, October 15, at 8:00 p. m. a public hearing will be held in the Cascade township hall, Thornapple River dr., in regards to a petition circulated by R. B. Somerville and presented to the Cascade Township Board, asking for permission to erect an aircraft hanger on his property on Thornapple River dr. Signed, M. J. VanderVeen, Clerk c28-29

## Ziegler's Condition Is Improving

Al Ziegler, 4828 Cascade rd., who was so severely injured last July 19 in a construction accident in Lansing, is home from the hospital for a four or five week period. After this he will return to the hospital and have his ankle, which was broken, rest.

A fellow worker was killed in the accident which occurred when the pair fell five and one-half stories down an elevator shaft. Ziegler suffered hip, rib, ankle and hand injuries besides partially collapsing a lung.

His condition is steadily improving although he is still confined to a wheel chair.

## More Registered Voters in '52

According to Blanche Loveless, Ada township clerk, a total of 1,310 persons are registered in the township as of Monday, October 8.

Mrs. Loveless stated that she received 315 new registrations, 129 from Precinct 1 and 186 from Precinct 2. The First precinct now has 563 registered voters and the Second 747.

In spite of new registrations the townships voting roster is 180 persons less than it was in the last Presidential election. With a slow but steady influx of new residents, reason for this fact is difficult to explain.

So far, 25 persons have applied for absentee ballots and those who still wish to receive them are reminded of the November 3 deadline. Mrs. Loveless stated that those seeking application for these ballots can do so anytime between now and Nov. 3 at 2:00 p. m.

Martin VanderVeen, Cascade township clerk, reports 1,350 registered voters and approximately 25 absentee ballots.

## Ada Twp. Board Holds Meeting

At the monthly meeting of the Ada township board, held last Saturday, October 6, building inspector John Slanger, reported only \$6,900 in building permits for the past month.

Only one new home construction permit was applied for. There were three garage permits granted, one addition to a home, and a remodeling permit.

Lester Moyer's request for transfer of his SDM license to Mrs. Dorothy Sheldon of Hastings, was approved by the board. Final approval rests with the Liquor Control Commission in Lansing.

At last month's board meeting, permission was granted to two individuals to seek a suitable site in the township where a \$200,000 trailer court could be built. The men were to have reported at Saturday's meeting and further plans would have been heard.

The persons concerned failed to attend, however, and a verbal report given by Blanche Loveless, township clerk, pointed out that after spending 10 days on the matter of a suitable site, during which time surrounding property owners were contacted by the men, the response received from these property owners caused all plans for a trailer court to be dropped.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter VanDenBerg, 6000 Hall, a baby girl, Jane Ellen, 9 pounds, 7 ounces, Saturday, October 6, at 11:00 a. m., at Blodgett Hospital.



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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Afton of Kent City Sunday afternoon.

## Ada Boy Wins Turkey; Beats Dad

Frankie Hoover, 12, of Ada, was a mighty proud boy last Sunday when he left the Turkey Shoot put on by the Muzzle Loaders Club. A 12 pound turkey was proof that young Frank was a better marksman than his father who also attended and tried valiantly but vainly to show his son just how things were done.

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Gordon Oatman from Cascade school is already a prize winner and by this time others may well have gained the lead from him.

Susan Conner from Orchard View was doing well at last reports and so was Don Cosgrove from Collins.

With two full weeks to go after this Friday it is impossible to tell which student will be the top salesman. We hope that we are able to distribute several prizes.

Others, besides those already mentioned who have sold subscriptions are: From Orchard View—Fred Grant, Teddy Gravelin, Peggy Beckett, Daisy Swem and Candy Laude.

At Collins—Craig MacIntyre and Garry Koetsier are in there pitching and at Murphy school it's Dinah VanderMark, George Oden, Barbara Jane Lee, Carl Heer and Billy Baldwin.

Other salesmen at Martin are Bob Reagan, Spencer Wilcox, Bob Groening, Judith Beaty, Kerin McElwee, Ruth Dustin, Jack Rogers, Sandra Yaeger and Van DeWitt.

We wish all of these youngsters lots of success and want to compliment them on their good book-keeping. So far there have been no financial errors and all receipts turned in to us have been filled out properly.

We hope to have all the names and addresses of new subscribers brought up to date by this Friday so they will begin receiving their papers as soon as possible.

Next week we will publish the names of others who have not as yet turned in their subscription lists.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Hand visited his daughter, Mrs. Marvin Saruk and family in Chicago over the week-end.

## Lieut. Turner Miss Sullivan Wed Saturday

The wedding of Lieutenant Terry Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Turner, Cascade Road, to Janet Ann Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton J. Sullivan of Elmhurst, Illinois, was solemnized Saturday morning in Visitation Church in Elmhurst.

The bride wore a gown of white tissue faille in princess style, its net edged with pearls, and a very full skirt. Her finger-tip length veil was held by a small crown of pearls and she carried a prayer book topped with white orchids.

Miss Myra Jane Turner, sister of the groom, was Maid of Honor. Her ballerina length dress was of delphinium blue taffeta with matching headdress and shoes and her bouquet was of white chrysanthemums.

William Pullen served as best man. The three bridesmaids and three ushers were fellow students of the bride and groom at Michigan State University.

The bride's mother wore a dress of champagne-colored tissue silk with matching accessories and corsage of bronze orchids and chrysanthemums.

For her son's wedding, Mrs. Turner chose a sheath dress of navy taffeta with a sequin hat. Her corsage was of pale pink orchids and tiny carnations.

A wedding reception was held at the Stone cottage immediately following the ceremony. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Roger Wykes of Cascade.

Lieutenant Turner, a graduate of the Marine Officers Candidate School, graduated from Officers Basic School at Quantico, Virginia, September 29. He has been assigned as an instructor to Camp Pendleton, California, where the newly married couple will make their home after a northern honeymoon.

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**Honey Creek News**  
Mrs. Leona Hunt

Leo Hunt, who broke his finger a week ago last Monday is coming along fine.

The Pedro Club met at the home of Mrs. Fred Bentley last Wednesday night. Mrs. Homer Provonche won first. Mrs. Bernard Baer won second and Mrs. Nellie Lewis won booby. Refreshments were served and all reported having a good time.

Mrs. Leona Hunt returned home Wednesday after spending three weeks in the West. Her visits included Denver, Colorado; Tulsa, Oklahoma; Canton, Oklahoma, and Dodge City and Wichita, Kansas.

Coffee Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Clinton Hunt, Thursday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson of Grand Rapids had dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Provonche Sunday evening. They are taking Kathy Provonche back with them to spend a few days in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston of Grand Rapids spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrews gave a party Saturday night in honor of Mrs. Andrew's brother, Milford Bentley, who has just returned from Germany. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nowack, and Leona and Joane Gregorzyk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Averill, Linda and Dawn spent the weekend at their cabin, Averill Acres at St. Helen.



Your affairs are in order but not orderly enough.

A good friend of mine checked out a few days ago. He just went to bed as usual but died as he slept. It was a shock to his many friends and to me.

It was sufficiently disturbing that it even made me think: What would happen if this same thing happened to me?

It could happen to me—or to you! I looked into what should be done before such an untoward event occurs. I worked on the premise that in times of emergency it's important to have your family, and those who act for you, in a position to take immediate action with regard to your financial affairs.

Naturally, I thought of a will in order to avoid trouble and expense. I know the court would appoint administrators and guardians when

necessary but they might not be the ones I wanted.

I found that my birth certificate and marriage license should be on hand for insurance purposes, social security pensions, or wherever legal proof of age, relationship, and a place of birth are required.

It seems that things like deeds, copies of mortgages, abstracts of title, tax receipts, etc. are useful when other folks are settling the estate and maybe I should have these in a safety deposit box, or at least some place where they are safe—and yet known and available to my family.

The banks told me that there are thousands of unclaimed bank accounts every year because the depositors didn't tell their families about them. Same way with stock certificates, bonds, etc.

A knowledge of the location of life insurance or disability insurance policies may be important in order to make immediate claims in case of a disabling accident.

I was introduced to the idea of establishing a small trust fund to provide for the care of my dependents. It seems there are living trusts and testamentary trusts and they're different and—but that's another story.

What I really found out was that unless I got my stuff arranged a little better that I was going to cause someone a whole lot of trouble if I kicked off. So I called

a friend of mine who knows about legal things and also sneaked in and took two extra vitamin pills. (This column is an informational service of the State Bar of Michi-

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson and sons were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Potter and family of Lowell.



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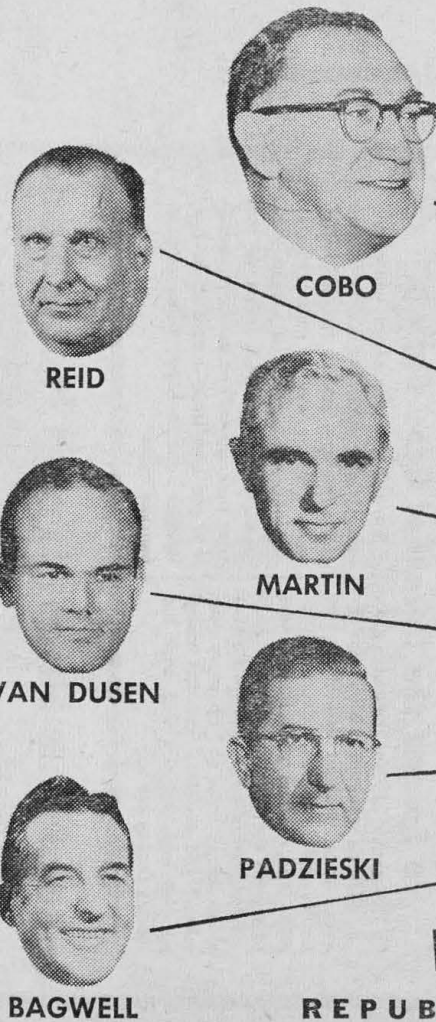
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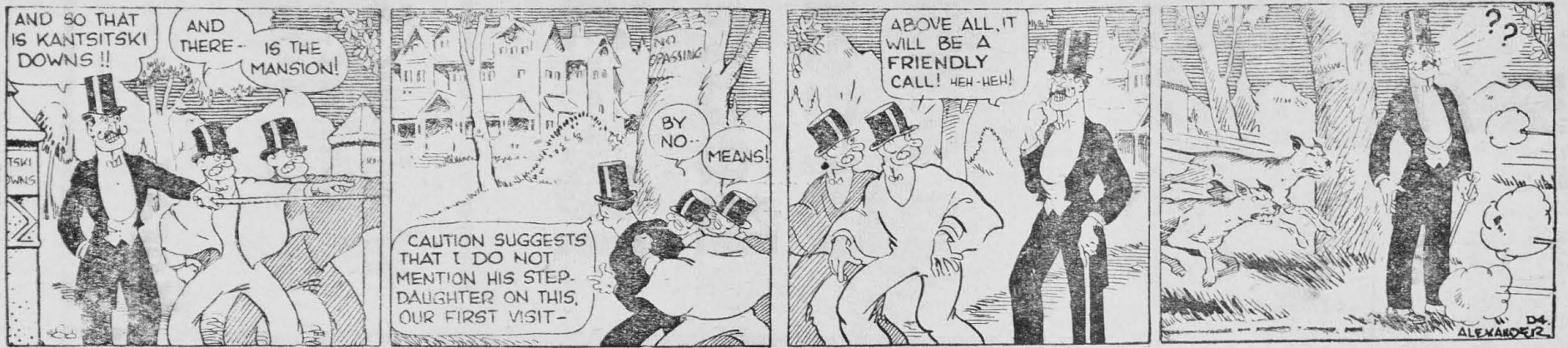
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**Liver Disease Now Ranks in Top 10 Of State's Killers**

Cirrhosis of the liver now ranks among the top 10 killers of Michigan residents for the first time since the Michigan Department of Health started compiling records in 1900, a summary of causes of death in the state for 1955 disclosed this week.

Cirrhosis (inflammation) of the liver ranked 13th in 1954, account-

ing for 577 deaths that year. During 1955, however, the disease jumped to 10th place with 805 deaths, changing places with nephritis (kidney inflammation) and nephrosis (kidney degeneration).

Health department spokesmen said there was no presently known reason for the increase in deaths due to liver cirrhosis, and there also was no presently known explanation for the decrease in kidney ailment deaths.

Heart diseases continued in 1955 to account for more Michigan deaths than any other cause, followed by cancer, apoplexy and accidents.

The top 10 causes of deaths in 1955 are listed below:

Heart diseases caused 23,440 deaths or 37.2 per cent; Cancer killed 10,297, or 16.3 per cent; Apoplexy, 7,360, 11.7 per cent; Accidents, 4,213, 6.7 per cent; (motor vehicle accidents killed 2,129 while other accidents accounted for 2,084).

Pneumonia and influenza are 5th in the list of top killers, with 1,599 deaths; following in 6th place is Diabetes mellitus, killing 1,415; Immaturity, 1,272; Hardening of arteries, 1,237; Congenital malformations, 1,013; and in tenth place is Cirrhosis of the liver, with 805 deaths, or 1.3 per cent of the 52,652 deaths attributed to the top 10 causes, which account for 83.5 per cent of the total Michigan deaths.

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**THESE WOMEN!**

By d'Alessio



"Bannister, you may mix me some rose madder, viridian, yellow ochre and a smidgeon of vermilion!"

**"MERRY WIVES" HEAR LESSON ON CARPETS**

The Merry Wives Extension Group held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Dart, Knapp Ave., Wednesday, Oct. 3. Mrs.

Samuel Fox gave the lesson on "Choosing Carpets". There was also a white elephant sale with a profit of \$6.75 for the scholarship of Okinawa.

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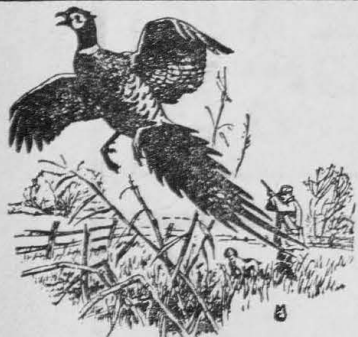
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**FOR SALE**—Apples, Potatoes and squash. Leonard R. Kerr, 10038 Bailey Dr., TW 7-7457. c28-31

**UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS** in Eastmont area: 1—3-room, garage, \$75; 1—3-room, range, refrigerator, \$80; 1—6-room, 2 fl., range, \$90; heat and hot water included. Private entrance, garden space. Beautiful scenic location. Adults. GL 1-0718 mornings. p28-29

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## WANTED

**LIVESTOCK**—Wanted to buy. Also Beef, Pork, and Veal for sale, by pound, quarter, half, or whole. East Paris Packing Company, 4200 East Paris rd., S. E. (2 miles south of 28th St.) Call MY 8-8407, or after 5:00, call RI 2-8283. Richard Havenga. c20 tf

**GIRL OR WOMAN** wanted for occasional baby-sitting for daytime or evening. References required. Call GL 9-0545 or GL 1-1033. c29

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**FOR RENT**—Modern one-bedroom home, Cascade area, \$55 per month. Must give references. Cascade Real Estate office, GL 4-0481. c29

## Lost and Found

**LOST**—Black dog, part Shepherd. Brown around face, white tip on tail. Murphy school area. Reward. GL 2-0723. c29

## GUILD SPONSORS CARD PARTY OCTOBER 13TH

Mrs. Martin Frahm, president of St. Robert's Guild, Ada, announces a card party to be held this Saturday evening, October 13, at 8:30 in the church auditorium.

Mrs. Louis J. Murchio is chairman of the event, assisted by Mrs. Carl J. Peters, Mrs. Robert DeGreen and Mrs. Raymond J. Reburn.

A variety of card games will be played with table prizes for all, as well as major door prize. Refreshments will be served by the women of the guild. General public is invited to make up a table of their friends and enjoy an evening of relaxation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fitch motored to Marcellus Sunday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lutin. Mrs. Lutin's daughter, Mrs. Dale Keeler of Edwardsburg and Mrs. Norwood Harris were also guests at the Lutin home.

Robert Taylor attended the CIO convention at Saginaw Saturday and Sunday as a delegate.

Try a Suburban Life want ad.

## Sunday Church School Begins at Cascade

This past Sunday, October 7, the Sunday Church School began at the Cascade Christian church. Theme for the coming months will be "What We Believe". The school, lasting for the fall and winter months will deal with various aspects of the local church's beliefs.

The following persons have accepted teaching positions: Mr. and Mrs. Fay Johnson, Mrs. Glenn Marvin, Mrs. Violet Fritsch, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ray, Mrs. Joseph Fox, and Mrs. Walter Palm.

Also Mrs. Floyd Shepard, John Hamer, Mrs. Hugh Duthler, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Carroll MacInness, Will George, Mrs. Robert MacIntyre, Barbara Kelley, Mrs. John Breidenfeld and Richard Oatman.

Others are Mrs. M. Oatman, Mrs. Clifton Parker, James Banta,

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Dykhuizen, Mrs. John Den Houten and Mrs. Karl Keck.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris were guests of the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. Pioneer breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Orison Weaver attended the Caledonia O. E. S. Smorgasbord, Saturday night, October 6.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rooker of Grand Rapids announce the birth of a baby boy Bernard Arthur, weight 5 lbs., 12 ozs. at Grand Rapids Osteopathic hospital, Oct. 4. Mother and baby are fine.

It pays to read the Ledger want ads.

# This 'n That

by  
Ken  
Ezinga

Perhaps you have noticed the new heading for our column. With more and more people subscribing to the paper who live outside the ACE area, we felt a new heading was in order. We have also changed our front page slightly. It formerly read "Serving Ada, Cascade, Eastmont". With the large new school district, we feel that

"Serving The Forest Hills Area" is more appropriate.

Since this column features a bit of this and a bit of that, we'll entitle it for exactly what it is.

The petitions being circulated this past week concerning a method of gaining access to the new M21 near the Ada bridge has our enthusiastic support.

It will be a definite convenience for local residents first of all and, secondly, it may well be the difference between life or death for the village of Ada in a business way.

The new system of highway construction that bypasses small towns and villages can do one of two things—either make or break

business. As an example we point to Rockford.

Already, transient business has dropped off considerably because of the new bypass and merchants there believe the situation will worsen as time goes by.

Although it is true that Ada business does not depend on transient business, proper planning now could mean that in the future much traffic could be diverted to the village.

Proper use of highway signs on M21 informing motorists of the covered bridge, scenic drive to Cascade, good stores, etc. could do much towards bringing more business to Ada. Perhaps a township park near the new river channel would be an asset.

If an easy means of access to Ada can be arranged, the above mentioned possibilities can be a reality.

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We hope local Democrats don't take offense at our nice big Republican ad this week. It was sent to us (unasked for), is paid for, and is a welcome addition to our meager advertising income.

As the date for the big election draws closer, heated but friendly

discussions are the order of the day. We enjoy them immensely and are thankful that we live in a country where we can still speak our minds.

## COMING EVENTS

Regular meeting of Vesta Chapter O. E. S. will be Wednesday, Oct. 18. Election of officers.



**Fri., Oct. 26**  
**9 A.M. to 4 P.M.**  
**Ada Public School**

# S M O R G A S B O R D

**SATURDAY**  
**OCT. 27**  
**Ada Cong. Church**

**3 Serving Hours:**  
**5:00 P. M. — 6:00 P. M.**  
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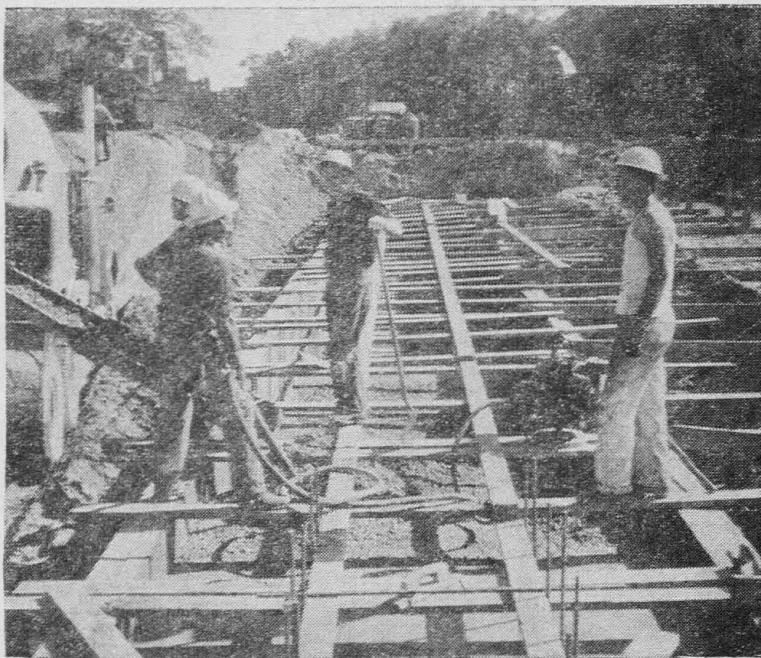
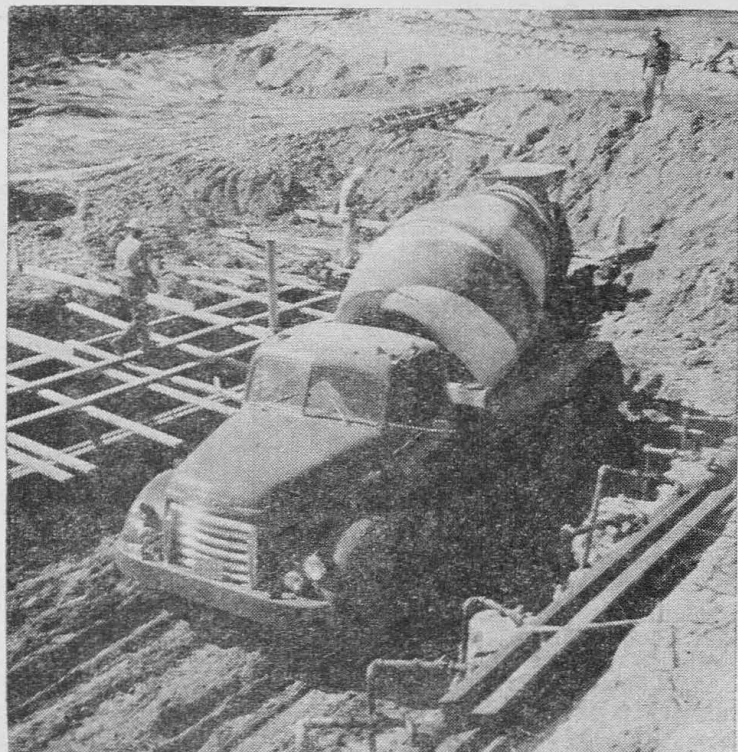
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MRS. ORISON WEAVER  
640 Ada Drive

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527 Ada Drive

ADA OIL CO.  
522 Ada Dr.

## Ada Bridge Work Right on Schedule



Last Friday the ready-mix trucks finished pouring cement for the first base and footing for the three M-21 bridge piers. Approximately 1,000 yards of concrete will be used in the pier foundations. A vibrator which the man at left in the bottom picture is holding, is used to agitate the wet cement and cause it settle evenly in the forms. Ernest Malkewitz, project engineer, is on hand at the pouring of each batch and checks the loads to see that the proper consistency is kept up to standard. Perfect weather and lack of mechanical breakdowns has kept the project running slightly ahead of schedule. Bruce Love, superintendent of the project has stated that work will proceed until weather forces a shut down of operations.

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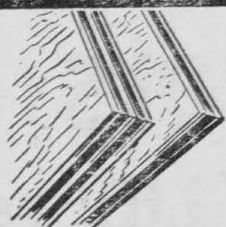
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### Cats Live Longest

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hand of Detroit spent a few days last week with his brother, Holly and wife.

Mrs. Ollie Ritter of Lowell spent the week-end with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Ward.

Larry VanDort who is attending an Orthopedic School in Grand Rapids spent the week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. Lidia Stilson.

**Don't Let Winter Snows Stall You!**

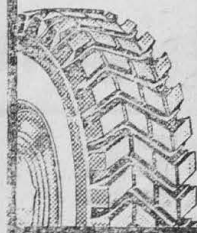
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