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Proposed Metro Plan for Grand Rapids A Threat to Forest Hills School District

and Grand Rapids Townships is a remote possibility, it has been pointed out by County School Superintendent Lynn Clark that this of the area to the City of Grand you can still win even if you lose. would be a threat to Forest Hills Rapids, the school debt now voted School District

If Paris and Grand Rapids Township joined in the new city and they would have to become a part of the Grand Rapids school system leaving Forest Hills, there

Cascade Mothers' Club to Sponsor Second Best Sale

The Beaver's group of the Cascade Mother's Club will hold a second best and rummage sale on April 9 and 10. Articles may be brought to the Cascade Town Hall on Thursday, April 9 from 10 a.m. to 4 p. m. Mrs. Elizabeth Afton and Mrs. Etta Fase are in charge that day. On Friday, April 10, articles will be sold from 10 a.m. to 9 p. m., and in charge that day will be Mrs. Pat Paine and Mrs. Til Carr.

Each group is responsible for getting their articles to the Town Hall by Thursday, and any second best articles not sold may be picked up after 9 p. m. on Friday evening.

If you would like further information, you may call Mrs. Tommy Price before the Thursday of the sale at OR 6-4111. Any group leader or anyone on the committee may also be called.

To Present Art Exhibit At Ada Town Hall

The Forest Hills Neighborhood Girl Scouts would like to remind everyone in the community that their Home Frontiers Art Exhibit will be held on Friday, March 13, from 3 p. m. until 9 p. m. at the Ada Town Hall,

Girl scout cookies will be sold at the Art exhibit; and girls, don't forget that your cookie money must be turned in by the 20th.

CONFERENCES DRAWS LARGE ATTENDANCE

proved education

George Darooge, Joe Jaeger,

The parent-teacher conferences which were held in the Forest which were held in the Forest 4th, 5th and 6th grades, 4:15 to Hills school recently were well 5:45 p. m. worth while, and the teachers and 7th grade, 7 to 8:30 p. m.

Although it is conceded that the would only be a small fraction of proposed metro plan for joining the district remaining. It would the present City of Grand Rapids leave a large school plant with with Wyoming City, Walker, Paris only a few children to use it. Clark pointed out that this would create a serious problem.

In the event of the separations would still have to be paid by property going into the metropolitan area. This debt obligation of whole districts annexed would have to be carried at least three years when the district as a whole might vote to assume such debts. Fractional districts such as Forest Hills annexed would have to continue to carry their own obliga-

tions until they are retired. **Boards Favor Vote**

It is reported that township boards of Grand Rapids and Paris Townships favor bringing the

Grand Rapids Metro proposal to a vote. Both townships have held public meetings to discuss the matter and fact finding committees are. at work. If a vote was taken at this time it is very doubtful if the proposal would pass. Most residents now in the area have moved in from the city. (Suburban Life would be happy to print letters

from anyone, pro or con, on this issue.)

Family Night Basketball Game

The basketball game between the married and the single men of the Cascade Christian Reformed there is no charge for the dance. church will be played Friday evening, March 13, in the Ada school gymnasium.

The family is invited to come and enjoy the game; then return to the church for refreshments and an hour of fellowship.

Plans Spring Parties For Dance Assembly

The Continental Room of the Pantlind Hotel will be the scene of a lovely spring party given for

the Assembly dancers by Verna March 17. Stevens on Thursday, March 19. The prog There will be an orchestra, refreshments and prizes for dancing. Time of the dances are not the same as the regular assembly.

would welcome any comments

from parents in regards to the re-

sion concerning the possibility of concerning the continuation of the

asking the people to vote an ad- present report cards. This discus-

ditional millage to provide these sion was deferred until the April

means of giving our children im- meeting. However, the committee

port cards.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1959

Recall Origin Of "Blarney" At Shamrock Time

Chances are the blarney will be as thick as the shamrocks when the Irish honor St. Patrick on March 17.

But the original "blarney" was an Irish chieftain who proved that

When the castle of Blarney was besieged by the English, the lord of the manor concluded an armistice with the English commander. According to the research experts he promised to surrender the old homestead to an English garrison in Cork on a certain date.

The Englishman waited politely for the terms of the armistice to be fulfilled-and waited-and wait-

The Lord of Blarney held him off with promises and flattery, until the commander became the laughingstock of the court of England.

And the name "Blarney" ironically took its place in the "English" language, as a synonym for sweet talk.

Murphy School P.T.A. to **Sponsor Square Dance**

On Friday evening, March 20, the Murphy School P. T. A. will sponsor a square dance. The caller will be Orin Parks, who calls to records. Anyone from the 5th grade up, is invited to attend. Hostesses will be Mrs. Lenore Rose, Mrs. Marian Smith and Mrs. Adaline Sheldon.

Refreshments will be sold, but Need Piano

The school is in need of a piano, and if anyone in the community has a piano they are willing to donate to the school, they will arrange for pickup. You may call Mrs. Titus, CH 1-2167.

Men's Fellowship To View Slides, March 17

The Men's Fellowship of the Eastmont Reformed church will meet at 8 p. m. on Tuesday evening,

The program for the evening will be slides about South America, presented by John Rynbrandt of Grand Rapids.

The men are inviting their wives to share with them in this meeting.

ENTERTAIN SUNDAY SCHOOL

"Conservation in the schools," an important medium of educating younger generations in the wise use of natural resources, is the 1959 theme for National Wildlife Week, March 15-21.

The theme reiterates the philosophy of educators and conserva-tionists by stressing the need for a conservation curriculum in our schools. In Michigan, the departments of public instrucour schools. In Michigan, the departments of public instruc-tion and conservation work jointly in shaping the program of conservation education.

Ada, Bowne and Vergennes Townships Ask Extra Taxes for Fire Protection

the Spring Biennial Election, Mon- and a mental hospital. day, April 6, for extra millage to provide fire equipment and housing in the various townships.

Kent County Board of Supervis- of taxes 1 mill a year for 10 years ors have also called a special vote for the purpose of operation and

Fluoride Program Letters Ready

Letters to parents of 2nd, 5th' for two years for use in the pur-

Special votes have been called to raise 1 mill for two years to in Ada, Bowne and Vergennes at finance a children's detention home

Ada Township

Ada Township voters will be called upon to authorize the increase maintenance of fire protection and equipment.

Bowne Township

In the Township of Bowne a vote is raised not to exceed 2 mills

and 8th grade students in the For- chase of fire extinguishing apparest Hills District will be brought atus, equipment or housing and home by the children soon, to find the money must be used not later out whether or not the parents than 1962. Plans are now to purhigh pressure ich will cost

the school were pleased with the response, which was 50 percent or more. There would probably have been more but for the sickness which was so prevalent at the time. TO PRESENT MOVIE The movie, "Follow the Hunter" will be shown at the Cascade School on Saturday, March 14, at 2 p. m. As usual, popcorn will be sold. The movie of the sickness which was so prevalent at the time. TO PRESENT MOVIE March 14, at 2 p. m. As usual, popcorn will be sold. The movie of the sickness which was so prevalent at the time. The movie, "Follow the Hunter" March 14, at 2 p. m. The movie of the sold. The movie of the sickness which was so prevalent at the time. TO PRESENT MOVIE The movie, "Follow the Hunter" March 14, at 2 p. m. The movie of the sold. The movie of the sold march 10 the grades, 8:30 to 10 p. m. It is hoped that every boy and girl enrolled in the dancing can attend this affair. Next year Mrs. Stevens will also be in the Forest Hills area; this time having classes on Wedness- days. Invitations will be sent out in the early fall. Read Suburban Life Ads!	CLASS ON MARCH 14 Mrs. Floyd Clemons, 1310 Spauld- ing Rd. S. E., will entertain her Sunday School class on Saturday, March 14. They will meet around 4 p. m. Games will be played, and dinner will be served around 6 p. m. ATTEND 5TH DISTRICT DINNER MARCH 4	The clinic will be held at the Collins school during the summer. Pre-school children may be includ- ed if parents wish.	fire fighting unit which will cost in the neighborhood of \$12,000, Vergennes Township Voters in Vergennes towaship are
Citizens Committee Makes Report At the Forest Hills School Dis- trict Citizens Advisory Committee meeting held Tuesday, March 3, Mr. Chambers presented a detail- ed explanation of the entire Forest Hills setup regarding teachers qual- ifications training and salaries. Mrs. Hendricks and Mr. Cham- bers told the committee how ad- ditional teachers and materials would improve the quality of our education. There followed discus-	Osmer Post of the American Le- gion Auxiliary attended the 5th District dinner at Post 49, Com- stock Park; Mrs. Mary Waskie- wicz, Miss Lila Venneman, Mrs. Leila Venneman, Mrs. Zetha Schalk and Mrs. Edna Osmer. PARIS GRANGE HELD AT REED'S HOME Last Friday evening the Paris Grange met at the home of Mr.	meet on Tuesday, March 17, at 8:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. H. Weaver, 1065 Cutter Parkway S. E. Her co-hostesses will be Mrs.	Mothers At Tea The 4-H group of the Ada Chris- tian School will honor their moth- ers, at a Tea on Friday, March 13, after school. They will model the articles they have made this year. Mrs. Peter Kramer is in charge

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coffee served.

After the business meeting

Men talk about doing good deeds

and consider that as their share.

FALLS IN HOME

At the February 26 meeting of Mrs. John Lucas, 5663 Cascade cards were played and donuts and Rd. S. E., fell in her home on the Forest Hills P. T. A. John Friday and broke her ankle, which VanOeveren was elected Second will be in a cast for six weeks. Vice-President.

in April.

ELECTS 2ND VICE-PRESIDENT

The next meeting will be held

Read Suburban Life Ads!

Heart Patients To Wear Identification

cane because he wasn't blind.

But Herb was a heart patient tastes. and he died because nobody knew.

denly became ill. His hosts tried part in the "color parade." to make him comfortable while they calmly tried to reach a doctor. a range to match your kitchen, This wasn't enough. As with most a car to go with your wardrobe, heart conditions, this attack called or facial tissues to compliment for oxygen-fast! But there was your bathroom tile. no "white cane" or appropriate symbol to indicate that Herb had a heart condition and he died in a matter of minutes.

A person wearing the SOS identification is a heart patient. He needs emergency oxygen in case of sudden illness.

It was this unfortunate and unnecessary death that inspired the founding of S. O. S.-The International Society of Survival. Roger Lee, younger brother of Herb and you would have real problems in Eye to Washday a heart victim himself, was shocked into recognizing that there are thousands of lives lost each year because people with heart conditions are not readily identified. To lessen this danger, Roger Lee developed the SOS plan of saving lives through identification.

A heart patient who is a member of SOS now wears an attractive pin which displays the distinctive symbol of the organization—a winged purple heart over a cluster of hearts. Equally important, the public is becoming aware of what the pin means and what steps should be taken when a SOS member becomes ill.

As a rule, persons with a heart condition are subject to reoccur-rence of the illness, especially durrence of the illness, especially during physical exertion. When an attack occurs, the heart is not able to supply the body with enough oxygen, so it is important that the victim receives extra oxygen at advertising seed of their own proonce

Immediate medication, usually ing a purity, germination and noxnitroglycerin capsules, is also re- ious weed examination test made quired to keep the person out of to determine whether the seed is danger until he receives proper marketable as required under Mich medical treatment. For this reason igan law. the SOS pin is fashioned like a locket so that it opens and holds Michigan Department of Agricultwo or three capsules of the medi- ture, according to its chief seed cine prescribed by his doctor for analyst, John Garver.

The Michigan Department of Agemergency medication. culture operates a seed testin

Changes Easy Herb Lee didn't carry a white Jello came up with the idea years ago: a variety of colors and

Now manufacturers of automo-At a gathering where he was biles, typewriters, appliances, parelatively unknown, Herb Lee sud- pers, and many others are taking For instance, you can now buy

Wood Siding

Makes Color

What about houses? You may have a variety of colors and exterior finishes to choose from, but when it comes time to change to

another color what do you do? Dr. Alan A. Marra (Ph. D.) of The University of Michigan Department of Wood Technology thinks that of the three most-used sidings now available—brick, aluminum, and wood-the demand for the latter will continue to remain high in view of greater color consciousness.

Explaining his prediction, Dr Marra remarks: "As people become even more aware of color change, wood siding will probably increase in demand because it is a siding that can be easily painted and thus changed at the owner's whim.

"Aluminum siding is fine-you don't have to paint it. On the other hand, however, if you should like a change in color you would most likely find difficulty in covering the enamel surface of aluminum iding

"Brick, of course, is generally thought to be the best siding available. But, the initial cost is two or three times that of wood and Buy Clothes With an changing its color.'

Wood siding has performed well areas-have caused some prob- State University. lems in moisture control and sub-

sequent damage, he adds. produce pre-treated water repel- man's shirt made of loosely woven lent siding with vital back priming oxford cloth is easier to wash and -underside protection of the siding-sometime in the near future. "This step, I think, would end some of the damage troubles which now face those who own or intend



duction for sale without first hav-

This is the recent finding of the

can add to ironing ease.



Women's Travel Authority How To Buy A New Car Buying a new car this spring?

Here are some tips to consider

If so, give it the thought the investment demands. A car



Students examine a sumac branch while their teacher explains its identifying characteristics during a nature class in the field at a state outdoor center. Outdoor centers serve as headquar-ters for this educational program, supervised by educators and Conservation Department employes, to yearly play an important role in linking thousands of Michigan's young citizens with principles of conservation and outdoor living.

Next time you're buying clothes through the centuries, Marra says. or household articles, look ahead Contemporary construction meth- to wash day. This tip is offered ods, modern paints, and home en- you by extension specialists in vironment-especially in northern home management at Michigan

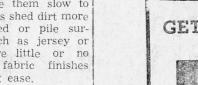
They suggest you choose materials and weaves that are easy "The wood industry hopes to to wash and iron. For example, a

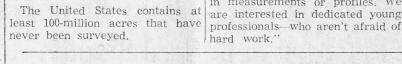
for some occasions-choose them for your very-special-occasion clothes.

iron than one made of fine, closely woven broadcloth.

Some fabrics have weaves or finishes that make them slow to soil. Smooth weaves shed dirt more easily than napped or pile surfaces. Weaves such as jersey or







advise the specialists. And be sure

to save all labels for future refer-

Select garments that are color-

fast, simply designed, and well-

made to save your time and ener-

gy. If you like pleats, ruffles and

fussy trimming-and who doesn't

ence when laundering.

Motorist Won't V News Walk Far, Says **U-M** Traffic Man

Walter Brennan, TV's Grampa

McCoy, is a 40 year veteran of How far is the average motorist showbusiness. Looking back over willing to walk after parking his his long career, Brennan recalls car in the city?

that his years with famed produc-That depends, according to Prof. er Sam Goldwyn were the most John C. Kohl, head of the Transproductive of his life. "Goldwyn portation Institute at The Universiis not right all the time, but he is ty of Michigan, on whether the right just enough of the time to driver is a man going to work make him the best producer in or a woman going shopping. the business. For ten years Sam-If the motorist is headed for kept telling me I was the greatest work, he'll walk quite a distance, actor in the world. Fifteen minutes but the housewife bound for the after my contract expired he and store doesn't like to step more than Ned Depinet (former RKO movie 300 to 500 feet. executive) and I were walking In any event, the maximum the down the studio street. 'You know, average driver will walk is 1,300

Ned,' said Goldwyn smilingly, 'that feet or about one-quarter mile, al-Valter Brennan is the most overthough big city dwellers will walk rated actor in the vorld.' " further than those who live in MONSTER? smaller towns.

Instead of competing with books With the lack of adequate parkfor children's leisure time, teleing an increasing headache everyvision actually encourages them to where, Professor Kohl states the read more. In its survey of li- mere provision of a parking facilibrarians on television's effect on ty will not always solve the probchildren's reading habits, they tell lem. The facility must be appealabout a particularly impression- ing to the driver in location, conable young lady. She was nine venience and cost.

years old and small for her age-That's why some motorists will circle the block looking for a parka little blonde angel with her library card clutched firmly in a ing place instead of driving another red-mittened hand. "Please," she block to an uncrowded parking said softly and earnestly, "I'd like structure. a book on how to make a monster.'

The librarian, herself a TV fan Money in the bank is a friend was understanding. Without a change of expression she guided the in need

youngster to a section on puppetry and suggested she begin there. TV BRIEFS:

Walter Brennan: "I'm not good copy. I've been married to the same wife for nearly 40 years.' Ron Rondell, TV stuntman: "Well

we just usually don't get hurt, that's all. We can't afford it." Catherine E. Adamson, Chicago ibrary official: "Today the three (TV) programs that consistently send children to the library for books are 'Robinhood,' 'Walt Disney Presents,' and 'Shirley Temple Storvbook.

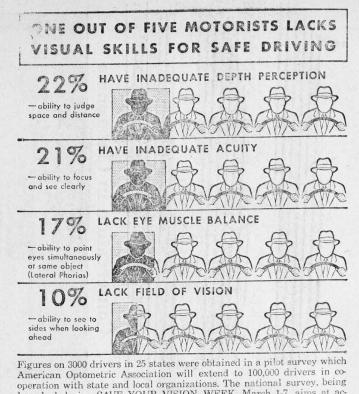
Lucille Ball, commenting on the entrance requirements for the Desilu Workshop: "We aren't interested in measurements or profiles. We

hard work."

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launched during SAVE YOUR VISION WEEK, March 1-7, aims at ac-eident prevention by cautioning the motorist to respect his individual limits in eyesight, remembering that "DRIVING TAKES SEEING!"

The Soviet news agency Tass re- Iowa, Nebraska, North and South ports that a University of Atheism Dakota have only four percent of has been opened in Ashkhabad, the nation's school population but capital of Soviet Turkmenistan. 25 percent of the school districts.



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unconscious or helpless condition, laboratory at East Lansing where anyone can make a quick check farmers and others dealing in to see if the victim wears an SOS seeds can get seed tested at a pin or carries an SOS identification nominal fee.

card. If so, the local fire department should be called immediate- lawful to expose seed for sale that ly because it will have oxygen for is not up to standard. This is to such emergencies quickly avail- protect growers and others from able. The medicine within the pin sowing seed that will not produce should also be given to the victim good crops or using seed that contains the seed of noxious weeds as soon as possible. "Testing is necessary," accord-

Dr. Max Hensley, assistant proing to Mr. Garver, "to the proper fessor of zoology at Michigan State labeling of seed. Good seed can University, is doing research in best be sold when a test label is albino reptiles and amphibians. He attached. Poor seed is often offered has received specimens from vari- without the test label. The man ous parts of the U. S. and Canada, with quality seed wants it known. including a rare white corn snake The person offering inferior seed does not. and snapping turtle.

The prospective seed purchaser should buy tagged seeds. Read BECAUSE MOUS RELEED carefully the tag in order to know germination and purity," Mr. Garver said.

You speeded The Michigan seed law permits / development a farmer to sell seed of his own production to neighboring farmers of drugs to without complying with these tagslow blood ging requirements, but it does not permit him to advertise this seed clotting, for sale. Although aware of this safeguardexemption, some growers have their seed tested anyway for their ing against own protection as well as that of repeat "heart attacks," the buyer.

and prolonging the lives of many thousands of persons. For more progress...

clean only," you should follow that advice. The dye used on the sweater may not be permanent to wash ing, and an uneven color might result if you try to wash it at

most expensive thing most of us buy-except a house. when making that exciting purchase: The state seed law makes it un-

Buy from an established, reputable dealer. If you know him personally, so much the better. Read the sales contract-all the

way through. Be sure the exact price of the car is noted in the contract. Have the contract signed by the sales manager or other executive of the dealership.

Be sure all specifications-color, upholstery, and extras-are listed

in the contract. If you trade in an old car, make certain the contract states that the trade-in price remains firm be-tween time of purchase and delivery time of new car.

Be sure you understand the terms of the new-car guarantee you get from the dealer. These guarantees are fairly uniform. Most of them cover unconditionally Check the labels when you buy a sweater. If the label says "Dry any mechanical defects occurring within 90 days or 4,000 miles whichever comes first. Chances are you won't have any difficulties, but it's better to play safe. Now, enjoy your new car!

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"What's in It For Me" Attitude Hurts Every Community Effort

Newspaper headlines can mean, jobs mean more money circulating many things to many people. Take in our town.

for instance, a headline that reads: And the industrial payroll dollar "NEW INDUSTRY TO LOCATE is a wonderful thing. In some ways HERE, WILL EMPLOY 75 PER- it's like a rolling snow ball. It SONS" or another headline read- gets bigger as it goes through the more than \$250,000. "LOCAL PLANT TO EX- community, passing through many PAND, WILL ADD 30 WORKERS". hands and touching many people. To some, headlines such as these nean an opportunity for a job. on all of us sooner or later. To others they may bean a pro-New industries and plant expanmotion and more money. Mer- sions mean more payroll dollars

chants hope they will result in for our town, increased economic nore business for them. security for you and your family When you read about a new inand greater opportunity for you and dustry coming to town or one of your children. our present industries expanding, Everyone in the community must ou may ask: work together to attract new in-

"What's in it for me?"

The answer is "plenty!"-regardless of whether or not you will be dustry. employed by the industry or have business that stands to profit

That new industry coming to or your son when he gets out of sored by the Michigan Press As- remedy. chool in June or for your unem- sociation and Michigan Economic ployed brother-in-law in Ohio who Development Department, appearou've been helping out with an ing today in this newspaper. occasional \$5 or \$10.

It could result in a job for your een-age daughter at the drug tore downtown which had to add But one thing is for sure-new a public service.

vertisements designed to stimulate local industrial development programs which appear in this and

Republicans Look for Protest Vote Apr. 6

Michigan Republican leaders pre-| Martin continued: "There is a

lict a large "protest vote" in the lot of public resentment over the

April 6 election.

sonal income tax."

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ment."

Governor Williams Says Only Solution Is to Borrow From Veterans' Funds By G. Mennen Williams

Governor of Michigan

Many citizens are not aware that All efforts to reach an under the State of Michigan is prohibited standing in the Legislature to place by the Constitution from borrowing a debt limitation increase on the April 6 ballot have fallen through. The State is a one-billion-dollar Democrats in the Legislature

business. The idea of an enter- even offered to get together with Some of it is bound to rub off prise of this size, public or priv- Republicans on some temporary ate, being unable to borrow to get tax measures (other than the sales over a tight spot is unrealistic. tax) to pay off borrowed money. The State is in a tight spot, But these overtures were rejected. principally because revenues have Now there appear to be only been depressed about \$40 million two remaining alternatives-either in this single fiscal year as a re- to let the State actually default sult of the national recession.

on its payrolls, welfare costs and Obviously, the sensible way to payments to other units of governavoid payless paydays and a fi- ment; or to borrow against the nancial breakdown would be to ask Veterans Trust Fund.

dustry by telling others about the the people to vote on April 6 for By the time you read this, the advantages our town offers for inan increase in this \$250,000 debt deadline for putting anything on limit to let us borrow enough to the April ballot will be past. We And we must encourage our exmeet our most pressing bills. have a enough money to meet payisting industry to expand locally rom sale of products to the firm by letting it know we appreciate the Legislature who are ready and til about April 15. The Legislature what it is doing for the community. willing to see the State go broke will have to act before then-un-"What's in it for me?" is the and miss its payrolls and welfare less it intends to stand by and see wn may offer a job opportunity theme of an advertisement, spon- payments, rather than take this the State's finances collapse.

House Speaker Says Dems Insist State It is another in a series of ad-**Personal Income Tax as Only Plan**

On Thursday, March 5, all efforts | submitted no written specific proto reach a compromise on the Re- posals to the House Republicans. part-time clerk because of an grams which appear in this and to reach a compromise on the two posteriors from the outset would also the Michigan newspapers as publican sponsored 1 cent sales tax. Democrats from the outset would appear the Benublican increase and the Democrat spon- not even consider the Republican sored \$50 million debt limit in- program for a vote by the people crease failed. Attempts to place on the 1 cent sales tax increase. these issues on the ballot were vot- We were willing, however, to comed down-and the time apparently promise on their suggestion to raise has run out to reconsider them in the debt limitation. the future.

House Republicans feel Demo-A lot of feverish activity and a crats have refused to compromise good deal of talk between House on this issue because they are de-GOP National Committeeman permit the people to vote April 6 Democrats and Republicans last termined to force the state to acweek ended without any agreement cept the Governor's graduated perbeing reached. Every compromise sonal income tax.

offered by the House Republican It now looks as though House leadership was flatly turned down Democrats will have to revive by the Democrats. their Veterans' Trust Fund liquida-Briefly, let me review for you tion Bills which they unanimously some of the compromises Republi- voted against several days ago. If cans suggested to the Democrats: the trust fund is not taken we will probably face one or more "pay-(1) Give constitutional status to less paydays.'

the Veterans Trust Fund, guaranteeing an annual appropriation in equivalent of the interest return on an investment of \$50 million.

(2) A constitutional amendment to authorize a general obligation bond issue of \$50 million, these bonds to be sold to the Veterans Trust Fund in exchange for the U. S. government securities now

(3) A 1 cent increase in the sales tax to be submitted to the people. (4) Raising the debt limitation to \$50 million, earmarking a 1 cent increase in the sales tax for If you find it necessary to clean 6 months, 1 year, 11/2 years, two

cloth. By holding it under running would agree to. (5) Raising the debt limitation to \$50 million and at the same time nutritive substances are dissolved pass and earmark certain "conby water. This tip is offered you sumer taxes" to pay back the bonds by nutritionists at Michigan State over a five year period. Democrats

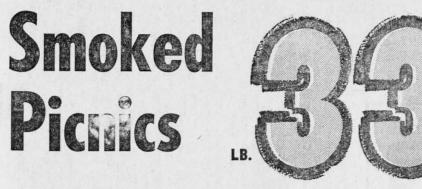
My Neighbors

"Hello-U.S. Treasury? We just found out that we've been working all day Monday and most of Tuesday to pay you folks. After this we ain't gonna work Monday and Tuesday!"

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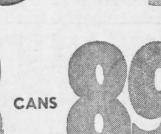


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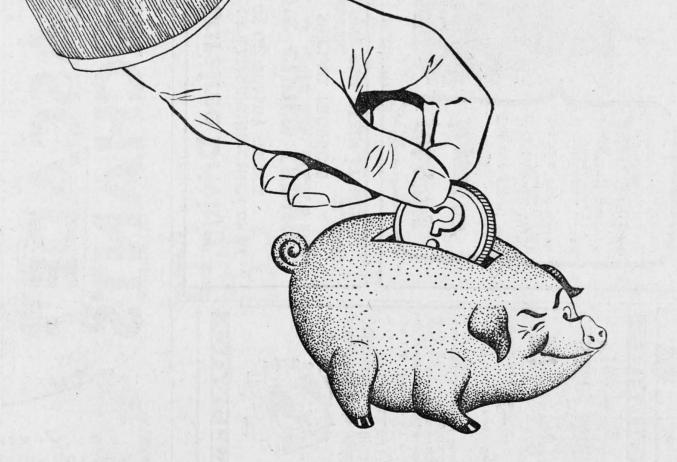
fact that the Democrats would not John B. Martin, of Grand Rapids, on whether they wanted to increase declared that the people "will pro- the sales tax as an alternative to test against the type of leadership the personal income tax proposed that has resulted in a \$110 million by the governor. Public approval state deficit, that has led to the is necessary before the sales tax prospect of state bankruptcy, that could be raised because it now refuses to let the people vote on is fixed constitutionally at 3 cents. "I believe they will protest on how they want taxes levied, and April 6 against this refusal to let

that insists on a graduated perthem express themselves on taxes. They will protest against the Dem-"The election on April 6 is the ocrat tax program which does not only opportunity the citizens have touch on an overhaul of the tax to express their dissatisfaction with system but simply piles tax on conditions in Michigan and demand tax. They will protest conditions that the state administration shape which have led to chronic unemits policies and attitudes to re-

ployment in Michigan while the store responsibility to our governautomobile industry, in particular, is adding to payrolls in other states

"They will protest against the held by the Fund. Democrat attempts to hide the sorry record in Michigan behind a cry of 'smear.' This cry is just

a cut of meat, wipe it with a damp years on any limitation Democrats water, you will lose both flavor and nutritive value because these



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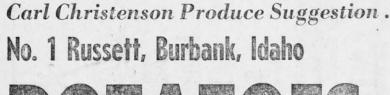
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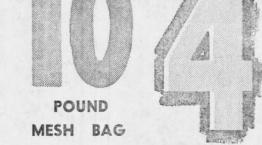
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Keweenaw Peninsula Top Sight

gets its English name from the Superior Chippewa Indian word "Kakiwayonaning'' meaning ''place where a portage is made,'' says Indian professor of English at The University of Michigan.

la has been selected as one of hits Eagle River on the western Michigan's top ten attractions in shore of Lake Superior. From there a survey of U-M faculty and staff. It is the sixth U.P. area to be named in the top ten. Others include the Mackinae Bridge, Soo Locks, Park is maintained. Then it pro-Tahquamenon Falls, Porcupine ceeds to historic Ft. Wilkins and Mountains, and (next week) Mackinac Island.

The "place where a portage is made," is located near the base of the Peninsula. It takes shape in the form of a canal stretching from Lake Superior on the west, past Houghton and Hancock, into of Mining and Technology-nation-

hure

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Keweenaw Peninsula-Michigan's Portage Lake, and hence into Ke-Upper Peninsula's upper peninsula weenaw Bay and back to Lake

Traveling north on U.S. 41, the tourist will see the waters of Ke- new district. weenaw Bay and Portage Lake for place name expert Ivan H. Walton, the 30 miles between Baraga and or consolidation? Houghton.

The other main route north-The jutting, copper-rich peninsu- M-26-splits the peninsula until it it points northeast to Eagle Harbor where ferry service between Michigan and Isle Royal National Copper Harbor where it ends at

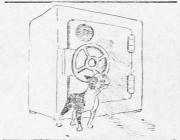
Keweenaw Peninsula, as with most U. P. attractions, contains 'wilderness'' country at its finest. At Houghton, center of peninsula activity, is the Michigan College ally known for its curriculum in engineering. The "portage" required to travel further north is well

worth making.



property. While most dogs are born

with a built-in sense of protectiveness for their family and



County School Supt. Answers Questions On School Consolidation and Annexation

Mrs. William C. Andrews 5780 Alpine Avenue Comstock Park, Michigan Dear Mrs. Andrews:

to the ten questions which you pointed or elected. raised last month. I have slightly revised some of the questions in order that the answers would be more helpful to your readers. I also would like to send copies of the questions and answers to each of the other weekly newspapers in Kent County.

1. What is the difference between annexation and consolidation? (a) Annexation is the addition

of one district to another district. Consolidation is the union of two or more districts into a completely

2. Why the need for annexation

(a) The population of the State of Michigan is increasing at the rate of about 70,000 children a year and our increase in Kent County is about 3,500 children per year. Districts are growing so rapidly district which furnishes a complete program from kindergarten through 12th grade, there is a possibility in the next few years that some of our children will be unable to find a place to attend high school.

3. What happens to the school board with annexation and consolidation?

In annexation the school board of the annexed district goes out

Childs Growth May **Baffle His Parents**

"Many parents are baffled just school district, to leave that distrying to keep pace with the vari- trict and join the adjoining disous stages of their children's de- trict? If so, how can this be done? velopment," says William Mills, instructor in education at The Uni- ting the proper form and making versity of Michigan.

ing that their greater past experisays

"In the early years, physic" changes are apparent to the eye. er" school? As the child's growth pattern slows down, he becomes more independent of the parents, who may then find themselves in the role of just trying to keep up with his de-velopment," Mills says.

He stresses the importance of helping children understand and be

supportive of them in their fail- a law. ures—supportive, but not defen-sive," he underlines. "This means being understanding rather than critical, helping children to see

of existence with the board of the annexing district continuing to operate the enlarged district. In consolidation all boards are discon-I am sending you the answers tinued and a new board is ap-

> 4. When a district annexes, does it give up all its rights to govern itself?

Yes. It becomes a part of the new district and helps to determine the policies of that district. 5. How is a grievance handled when the school board is dispersed and there is no representative to voice or aid this grievance?

The annexed district may at the next election elect a board member from their area but in all cases board members are supposed to represent the whole district and all the children rather than a particular area. A grievance can always be presented to the board of the school district.

6. What are the qualifications for board members and how does one become a candidate?

A board member must be a United States citizen, 21 years of age, a resident of the state for six months and of the district for 30 days, and in addition must be the owner of property assessed for school taxes or the wife or husband of a property owner.

7. Does an annexed school have to retain its debt and also share the debts of the annexing school? Not necessarily. The question of debt is determined at the time of annexation, and each elector votes upon this question as well as the question of annexation.

8. Is it possible for one taxpayer, living on the fringe of the annexed

Yes. This may be done by getapplication to the county superin-"They can take heart remember- tendent of schools. The county board of education then holds a ence should help them to outguess hearing and determines whether the children now and then," he the property will be transferred. 9. Is moving the only answer for party near the center of the growth is very rapid. Parents lea andistrict when they strongly oppose a lot and learn it fast because the sending their children to the "moth-

> Yes. This is generally true since we live in a democracy and have majority rule.

school to continue alone when consolidation or annexation will absorb the majority?

Yes, it is possible although it tolerant of their own physical char- may be very difficult. There is a acteristics. "You may need to help bill in the legislature which proyour child accept his role of being poses that all non-high school distall, short, average, blond or bru-tricts become high school districts net," he says. by 1962, annex to a high school Mills advises parents to "live district or consolidate with a group along" with their children. "You of districts to form a new high can do this by enjoying their suc- school district. We do not know cesses with them and by being yet whether this bill will become



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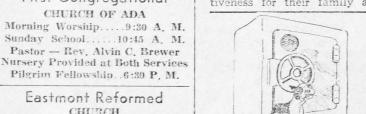
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DOGS AS BURGLAR ALARMS By Bob Bartos Prominent Dog Authority That makes a good watch Pastor-Rev. Raymond Gavlord deg? Just about any dog that's Ada Community Reformed

alert, has good hearing and can bark is a likely prospect, and that includes the great majority of dogs. Size and viciousness have little to do with deciding what dogs will best guard your



family's possessions, basic obedience training can do much to sharpen the sense. Once your dog has learned the meaning of such words as "good dog," "bad dog," "no" etc., you can control his spirit of guardian-

Michigan's northernmost point.

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Cascade Christian Ref. Church

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Eastmont Baptist Church

5038 Cascade Rd.,-US-16 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship Sunday School 11:00 A. M. 5:45 P. M. Youth Meeting Evening Worship 7 P. M. Pastor-O. M. Smith

Redeemer Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod) 1916 Ridgewood, S. E. Morning Worship....9:30 A. M. Sunday School.....9:30 A. M. Reverend E. V. Fitz, Pastor Office GL 2-7713

ship. When he hears a strange noise outdoors or somewhere around the house and starts to bark, follow him to the door or wherever he stations himself. Investigate the source of the sound and then reward him with a pat and much praise, advising him that he's been a "good dog." Your act of following him and showing interest in the proceedings, coupled with praise, indicates to him that this is a fine thing to do. If he continues barking, however, order him to stop with a firm "no," for with a little en-

couragement from his owner, a dog can easily turn into a ch. mlc barker. * * *

Feeding Tip: Ey letting your dog accept food from strangers he may turn into a door-to-door beggar, in which case you never know what or how much he's eaten. By having only members of the family feed him a top quality prepared dog food

you know he's gettin buy. Innu.

ways to improve rather than 'riding' them for what has happened." Feeling frustrated?

Mills advises, "If you feel unsure of how to handle the situation, just sit back and do nothing. But try to enjoy experiences with the children, and let them know you are interested in how well they are getting along.

"Even with all the assistance you can give, you'll probably come to the conclusion that you are, after all, just the 'assistant editor' of your child's life," Mills concludes.

When preparing gravy, use the water in which you cooked potatoes. This will make use of the vitamins which the water obtained from the potatoes during cooking and will also help to thicken the gravy, say home economists at Michigan State University.

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SPONSOR EASTER LILY SALE AGAIN THIS YEAR

The Ada Athletic Association will be selling Easter Lilies again this year to raise money for their projects. A double stemmed plant with Congregational Church of Ada are to Butterworth hospital several at least six blossoms is guaranteed for only \$3.

can be obtained from any Ada p. m. business place or Athletic Board Even c-49-52 member.

To View Demonstration On Cake Decorating

The Thornapple Thumbs of the Cascade Mothers' Club will meet on Thursday, March 19, at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Helen DeGood. 6156 28th St. Co-hostess will be Mrs. Herbert Flynn. The guest for the evening will be Mrs. Ralph Fosner of Denison Drive, who will give a cake decorating demonstration.

Beavers' Group

The Beaver's group will meet on Thursday, March 19, at 9:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Bea Kleinstra, 7130 Burton S. E.

College Qualification Tests For Deferment, April 30

The Selective Service college qualification test will be given to ties and dances. He knows the college men April 30, 1959, State Selective Service Headquarters announced today

The April 30 test will be the only test offered for the 1958-59 school year. Applications must be postmarked no later than midnight Thursday, April 9, 1959. The test will be administered by the Educational Testing Service, Princeton, N. J.

Scores made on the test are used by local draft boards as one guide in considering requests for deferment from military service to continue studies. The test will be given at 28 Michigan colleges and universities.

MR. AND MRS. FELLOWSHIP TO MEET, MARCH 20

On Friday evening, March 20, at 8 p. m., a new organization will begin in the Eastmont Reformed church.

A Mr. and Mrs. Fellowship will be organized in an evening of interesting activity in the church fellowship hall.

gold rather than the golden rule. University.

Thornapple Guild To Hold All-Games Party

The Thornapple Guild of the Women's Fellowship of the First Saturday evening, March 14, in improvement. Tickets good for an Easter plant Fellowship Hall, beginning at 8

> Everyone is invited to bring their neighbor and friends. Bring your own card table and the game you want to play. Some games will be provided. The admission is 50 cents per person and refreshments will be served free.

The game chairman is Mrs. Ronald Collins and hostesses will be Mrs. Robert Rooker and Mrs. Gerald Brian.

VESTA CHAPTER MEETING

The Vesta Chapter of the O. E. S. will meet at the Ada Masonic Temple on Wednesday evening, March 18, at 8 p. m., at which time initiatory work will be given.

LOOKING FOR JUKE BOX

Harold Chambers, Superintendent of the Forest Hills schools is on the lookout for a Hi-Fi Juke Box to be put in the High School gymnasium for noon hour activistudents will appreciate this.



that we keep His commandments: and His command. ments are not grievous.

We may profess with words and gestures that we love God, and yet by our actions which violate even one of His commandments, be a living denial of our protestations. Loving God and obeying Him is no part-time, half-hearted

If you handle a lot of silage, be a lot cheaper for you than a

hospital notes

Albert Bishop, 2045 Laraway Lake Dr. S. E., who has been confined sponsoring an all-games party on weeks, is beginning to show a little

Gary Seeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Seeley, 28th St., is in the Grand Rapids Osteopathic hospital. Hubert Duthler, Wendell S. E. returned home this week from the hospital, and is progressing satisfactorily.

MSU Television **Takes The Air**

Michigan State University and Television Corporation of Michigan will begin Channel 10 telecasting operations on Sunday, March 15. The M. S. U. educational station WMSB will take the air first on Sunday, originating its first program at 12 noon. A brief dedication ceremony is scheduled for 1

Commercial station WILX-TV, with studios in Jackson and Battle Creek, will take the air for the first time at 4 p. m. with a schedule of local and NBC network programs.

The shared-time arrangement between full-time educational and commercial television stations is the first in the world.

Stations WMSB and WILX-TV are completely independent, with separate administrations, staffs, equipment and programs. The only point at which the two operations meet is the transmitter and tower at Onondaga which the University constructed and rents to the commercial station.

JR. C. E. TO PRESENT PALM SUNDAY PROGRAM

The Junior Christian Endeavor of the Eastmont Reformed church will present a program for their parents on Palm Sunday afternoon, March 22, at 3 p. m.

VAN STRIENS TO HOST TRI-CEES BIBLE CLASS

The Tri-Cees Bible Study group will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert VanStrien, 2666 Cascade Springs Dr., on Sunday eve-George Woodall will be the lead-

er on the discussion "The Holy

Jerry Flynn To **Attend Junior** Leadership School

Jerry Flynn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Flynn, 3439 Kraft will be attending the 4-H Junior Leadership School on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, March 10, 11 and 12 at Petoskey. This school is at the church at 8 p. m. an activities school for bright ideas, understanding club members, opportunities in 4-H Club work and a complete understanding of the Junior leadership project, as well as sharing fellowship of other club members from other counties.

Others going from Kent County are Lois Martin, Shirley Loth-schultz, Diane Walquist, Leann Shear, Joe Langkamp, Deyo Fessenden and Terry VanHeyningen. Mrs. Joe Langkamp will act as chaperone, and 4-H Extension Agents, Charles L. Lang and Elinor Wojciechowski will accompany the group.

TRUE-LIGHT BAPTIST CHOIR TO PRESENT CONCERT

The True-Light Baptist Choir will present their sacred concert at the Ada Christian Reformed church on Sunday evening, March 15, at 8:45 p. m.

The program sponsored by the Sunday School of the church is open to the public, and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing this fine choir

A free-will offering will be taken to be put towards the purchase of a piano for the church.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. James Scripps, 5455 Buttrick Rd., announce the birth of a daughter, Nancy Jill, on Thursday, March 5, at Blodgett hospital. She weighed 6 pounds and 5 ounces.

KAREN JOHNSON VISITS AUNT

Miss Karen Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Johnson, 3662 Duchess S. E., and a student at Martin School, left on American Airlines, February 28, with her aunt, Miss Mildred Krey, to visit another aunt, Miss Viola Krey in Phoenix, Arizona,

She will return on Friday, March 13, which is her 8th birthday. They with luncheon at 1 p. m. hoped to visit Disneyland while on their trip.

coming events

The Couples Club of the Ada Community Reformed church will meet on Friday evening, March 13, at the church at 8 p.m.

The Mr. and Mrs. Society of the Cascade Christian Reformed church will meet on Tuesday, March 17,

The Ladies Christian Fellowship of the Cascade Christian Reformed church will meet on Wednesday evening, March 18, at 8 p. m. at the church.

The Workers' Conference of the Cascade Christian church will meet on Tuesday, March 17, in Fellowship Hall at 8 p. m.

The Ada Businessmen's Association will meet on Thursday evening, March 12, at the Town Hall at 9 p. m.

The Men's Society of the Ada Christian Reformed church will meet at the church at 8 p. m. on Tuesday, March 17.

MacDonald-Osmer Post Auxiliary To Meet

On Thursday, March 19, the regular meeting of the MacDonald-Osmer Auxiliary will meet at the Town Hall at 8 p. m. Mrs. Arlene Penning, President of the 5th District American Legion Auxiliary will be the guest of honor.

At this meeting there will be a 'pin ceremony'' and all members and potential members are urged to attend.

The Auxiliary will present an American flag to the Intermediate Girl Scout Troop 151 at this meeting.

ADA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL MOTHERS' CLUB MEET

The Mothers' Club of the Ada Christian School will meet at the school on Thursday evening, March 12, at 8 p. m.

SUNSHINE COMMUNITY CLUB MEET WITH MRS. KOSTEN

The Sunshine Community Club will meet at the home of Mrs. William Kosten, 1014 Cutter Parkway S. E., on Tuesday, March 17,

The afternoon will be spent in sewing cancer pads.





For this is the love of God,

-(I John 5:3.)

thing.

an upright, concrete stave silo may ning, March 15, at 8:30 p. m. bunker-type silo, report agricultur-The world accepts the rule of al economists at Michigan State Spirit.'

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