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Serving The Forest Hills Area

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1961

VOLUME VII

4-H Fall Achievement Winners

Fall Achievement salutes 4-H | Horses, Bonnie Grigsby, Grand members and leaders. At the Kent Rapids. County 4-H Fall Achievement, held | County Medal-awarded to memat Forest Hills High School, No- bers 15 years of age and older for square dance party. The entertain-

in this area were made. Kent County Medals-awarded to members 12 to 15 years of age ell. for outstanding achievement in certain project areas. These Ada, awards are sponsored by the North Kiwanis Club of Grand Rapids.

Beef, Lucy Dykstra, Alto; Bond Klahn, Lowell Dairy, Tom Woodworth, Nancy Walma, Grand Rapids.

Dairy Goats, Colleen Doyle, of Lowell. Dog Care, Kathy Werner, Grand

Rapids, Donna Potter, Lowell. Knitting, Susan Campau, Ada Kathy Kellogg, Grand Rapids. Photography, Rose Marie Met-

ternick, Alto Vegetable Garden, Tom VanHeyningen, Alto.

Electrical, Tom VanHeyningen,

Food Preparation, Donna Potter Lowell; Carolyn Koppenol, Grand

Mutilate Discarded License Plates

Secretary of State James M Hare warned Michigan drivers buying new license plates to destroy or mutilate their old, but still valid, license plates and tabs.

"The old green and gold plates with their 1961 tabs can be used until midnight on February 28, Hare said. "When buyers of 1962 licenses mount their 1962 green and white plates they often fail to destroy their discarded license. Criminal elements in the community can pick up such plates attach them to a vehicle, and steal the vehicle, use it for a joy ride

or use it in committing a crime.' Because the original owner does not know it is being misused, no

body reports the "missing num and the police have difficulty in apprehending the thieves. culty in apprehending the thieves, view of the advancing technolog-or in checking out chiselers who ical age, it appears that America Adjust Driving To may be using someone else's is not getting the most from its plates on an old jalopy for a free youthful population. hundred days of no-fee driving.

Hare suggested that all persons lem from the standpoint of utilkeep their old plates in their base- izing our available manpower: it place until March 1, or that they uation, according to some of our tin-snip them in half to avoid their leading government officials. being used illegally before tossing been reported on a vehicle involv- dents now enrolled in public and ed in a crime, a hit-run accident, private schools beneath the color a teen-agers rumble.

Scout News Scout Court of Honor

vember 21, the following awards outstanding project achievement. Achievement, Richard Flynn of Grand Rapids; Bonnie Cole, Low-

Agricultural, Thomas Shimmel, Beef, Pamela Klahn, Lowell.

Public Speaking, Lyman Baker, Ada; Colleen Doyle, Ada. Canning, Pamela Klahn, Lowell. Clothing, Nancy Woodworth, of Grand Rapids; Patricia Liefbroer,

Dairy, Nancy Woodworth, Grand Rapids; Thomas Shimmel, Ada. Field Crops, William Henry, Al-Richard Flynn, Grand Rapids. Garden, Bonnie Cole, Lowell. Home Improvement, Terry Jo Klahn, Lowell

Handicraft, Betty Grigsby, of Grand Rapids; Sherrie Vander-Warf, Ada; Terrie VanderWarf, Annual Christmas Maynard Baer, Ada. Ten Year Members-Members who have successfully completed ten years of club work.

Judy Haddan, Lowell; Dianna Walquist, Grand Rapids; William Henry, Alto; Carolyn Forward, Alto; Bonnie Cole, Lowell; Jean

Strand, Lowell. Michigan Key Club is the highest honor given to 4-H members. It is equivalent to the Phi Beta Kappa honorary in college. It is awarded to $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 percent of the counties 3200 membership for their total 4-H record of achievement. It was awarded to the following members.

Maynard Baer, Ada; Janet Doyle Lowell; Judy Doyle, Lowell; Pamela Klahn, Lowell: Jane Potter, Lowell; Jean Strand, Lowell, Sherry VanderWarf, Ada.

Nearly 2.5 Million **Students Leave School**

With the need for trained personnel more acute than ever in view of the advancing technolog-Not only does it pose a prob-

ments or other reasonable secure has become a dangerous social sit- injuries and deaths in the past A major problem apparently is them into a trash can. He pointed the large number of students who tions, according to the State Safeout that every year a few inno- are leaving school before they re- ty Commission office. Even the socent people have some unpleasant ceive their education. Statistics called freak accident may have explaining to do to enforcement now point to the fact that about its origin in some simple thing

uation. And laws in many states calls for extra care in vehicle permit them to leave before the maintenance and operation. Even age of 16.

struction in sciences, languages, Even in daylight, the gray skies

Cascapers Plan Christmas Square Dance Party

On Saturday, December 9, the Cascapers are holding a Christmas ment committee has big plans, including holiday decorations, exchange of small gifts and a visit from Santa

The Club formed last year with 28 couples interested in learning to square dance. To the pleasant surprise of those forming the club, membership has reached fifty couples; the limit as set by the constitution. Most of these couples plan to attend the Christmas dance At their last party, the club members approved their new con-

stitution and by-laws. This Christmas party typifies the club's objective "to encourage the membership to enjoy early and modern folk dancing and to pro-Shusta, Gand Rapids; Pamela vide an opportunity for social recreation for the club members.

Workshop, Saturday

On Saturday, December 2, from to 8 p. m. the Fellowship Hall of the Cascade Christian Church will be a busy place. This is the date of the annual Christmas Workshop, to which everyone in the community is welcome to come and bring the entire family for an afternoon and evening of working

and playing together This is not a profit making affair, but here you may learn to make such things as Creche figures, recipe holders, sugar forms for Christmas tree decorations swags for door and mantle (dem onstrations on swags at 2 and p. m.) and as usual there will be an idea table for all kinds of decorations and gifts.

There will be a light supper served by the Doerr Guild from 5 to 7 p. m. There will be things for the little tots to make also, so bring the entire family.

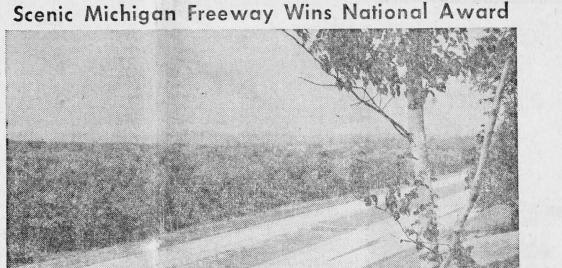
Season Conditions

The drastic increase in traffic week-end emphasizes the need for drivers to adjust their driving to seasonal and approaching condi-

officers when "their plates have 2.5 million of the 10.8 million stu- that the driver was actually not prepared for. This is a time of gloomy, foggy lege level quit school before grad- days and early darkness which

From Nov. 26 to Dec. 3 Alcoholism Information Week, an

in daylight hours the blowing rain, educational and informational cam-Although the number of drop- sleet, and snow may become so



A 21-mile section of Interstate 75 Freeway in Northern Michigan has been selected as one of America's most scenic new highways. The freeway, which extends from Indian River to Mackinaw City, was cited as an outstanding example of a highway designed to take advantage of the natural terrain and scenic beauty of the area. State Highway Commissioner John C. Mackie will receive a plaque from Parade Magazine and Better Highways Information Foundation, sponsors of the national contest to pick the nation's finest new highways.

Short Weight in Pre-Package Meats Shocking Public Gyp, Governor Warns By John B. Swainson

Governor of Michigan

Shocking disclosures by the pre-packaged meat in its display Michigan Department of Agricul- case was short weight.

ture of overcharging the house- These overcharges ranged from wife through short weights in pre-1 to 53 cents—and the consumer packaged meat should put all of us was cheated to that extent.

But this is only one form o n the alert. More effective means to protect cheating that is being uncovered. he housewives from unscrupulous People who can afford meat least lealers must be found, and I have are being defrauded when suet and called a meeting with Agricultural other bulk is added to hamburger. Director G. S. McIntyre to deter-The housewife is also subjected mine more effective action. to other deceptive practices suc A recent survey in southeastern as "butter" cookies wih no but Michigan showed that, when in- ter, "egg" noodles with no eggs spectors weighed 1,589 packages of 'creamed'' cottage cheese with meat in 44 retail stores, they lo cream.

Deceptive labeling is cheating found 54 percent of them to be short weight. In one store, all the stealing. Neither is to be tolerated for distribution, according to the

or to go unpunished. If our laws state tourist council. **Alcohol Information Week** need to be made more stringent. o that the penalty for violators **Observed in Kent County** onsidered

resources we now have to protect cilities offered by each. the consumer are utilized to the paign emphasizing that alcohol-

The Superintendent's Corner

With winter's snowy and slippery call with a coded method of an roads approaching, bus drivers nouncing any decisions.

and teachers have been advised To help in making a wise de to listen to WOOD every morning, cision as to whether or not to beginning at about 6:45, when preclose school, scouts are sent out carious road conditions develop. to observe road conditions and re-This radio station has given par-port to the Superintendent beginticular attention to this problem ning at 5 a.m. He in turn conand has indicated a willingness to tacts the State and County Road announce the closing of school or authorities for their latest inforother pertinent informaton.

The Superintendent has been giv- investigation, the decision is made. en a special unlisted number to

Mrs. Charlotte VanNorman Passes Unexpectedly at 73

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Charlotte A. Van-Norman, aged 73, of 7690 Cascade Road, S. E., who passed away unexpectedly at her home on Satur-

day afternoon, November 25. Funeral Mass was held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Rob- Boosters' Club ert's Catholic church in Ada. Interment was made in Cascade To Nominate Cemetery.

by her husband, James; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Elizabeth) Beahan of Cascade; one son, John Nebraska; two sisters, Mrs. Joseph W. DeBoer and Mrs. Peter G. Van Dam both of Grand Rapids; one granddaughter, Charlotte Beahan; and two grandsons, John H. Van Norman and Robert S.

Storage of Deer **Under Regulation** Dressed and cut up deer may

The Rev. Harold Sonnema, pasage with other food supplies if tor of the Franklin Street Christian Reformed church and speak- skins and hides are not included School who helped us in our reunder Michigan laws. er on the "Facts on Communism" This is the word to successful drive.

program each Sunday on radio deer hunters from the Michigan station WFUR, will speak on the subject, "The Communist Threat Department of Agriculture's foods and standards division headed by Survival' at the Ada Christian Reformed church on Fri-J. L. Littlefield. Each year the lucky hunter creates more than lay, December 1, at 8 p. m. The public is invited to hear this his share of problems for locker message by a man who has given plant inspectors.

Strict regulations govern the much of his time to a study of communism, its principles and its storage of wild life. One of these prohibits the storage of hides and skins unless separate storage rooms with no open passages lead-**Michigan Issues New** ng into locker rooms, chill rooms,

Winter Sports Guide ooms are provided. Hides and Michigan's 1961-62 statewide ski skins must be stored elsewhere. corations. map and winter sports guide is "Deer stored in other than lockand deliberate overcharging is just off the presses and is ready er plants, such as refrigerators or freezers in grocery stores and OR 6-4857.

meat markets must be stored so This year's winter sports map there is no possible contamina--the seventh annual edition-is tion of other foods from dust, ver- SPEAK AT ADA CHURCH s more severe, this should be the largest ever produced, listing min, animals or persons," Mr. Litlocations of 84 skiing, skating and tlefield explained. My office intends to see that tobogganing centers and the fa-

Some 50,000 copies of the pubfullest, and that additional steps lication, "Fun in the Snow," will Michigan regulations. mation On the basis of all of this Basically, we are committed to holding school every day possible. out the safety and health of the hildren are uppermost in our ninds. Parents have always been ery cooperative in this matter. Their patience and special accommodations that assist in getting the children to school are much appreciated. Harold S. Chambers, Supt.

Mrs. Van Norman is survived New Officers

The Forest Hills Athletic Boosters Club will hold their next regular meeting on Wednesday eve-Van Norman of Nebraska City, ning, December 6, at 8 p. m. This is a change from their Monday night meeting which has been in effect for two years. The nominating committee, ap-

pointed at the last meeting, will present a slate of officers for election at this time. Nominations will also be open from the floor. The Boosters would extend an in-

vitation to anyone to attend these meetings. Membership will be open to both men and women from this point on.

We would like to express our be stored in commercial cold stor- thanks to all the young men and women from the Junior High cent Suburban Life subscription

Extension Club News

The Michigan Home Extension Christmas Workshop will be held at the Naval Reserve Armory on Monroe Ave. on Thursday, December 30, from noon until 9 p. m.

Cascade Extension Group The Cascade Extension group vill meet at the home of Mrs. Conrad Lenger, 2501 Thornapple River Dr., S. E., on Monday eveaging rooms, or sharp freeze ning, December 4, at 8 p. m. The program will be on Christmas de-

> Anyone interested in joining the group may call Mrs. Jarvi at

REV. HAROLD SONNEMA TO

Rev. Harold Sonnema will speak on "The Communist Threat and Deer still having the hide on Our Survival'' at the Ada Chrismust be stored in a separate room tian Reformed Church on Friday from all other provisions, under evening, December 1, at 8 p. m. Everyone is invited to atter

NUMBER 37

Troop No. 334 and outs is not rising perceptibly, the bad that headlights should be turn-lism is a treatable disease, will be Explorer Post No. 2334 will hold advent of the automation and space ed on so your vehicle can be seen observed in Grand Rapids and a joint court of honor in the Fel-jage is lifting job requirements, sooner by other drivers. Snow and Kent County from November 26 to lowship Hall of the Cascade Chris- making it more difficult for un- fog obscure conventional road signs December 3, it was announced totian church on Monday evening, trained people to earn a living. which warn of curves, hills, sensi- day by Mrs. Lorraine Burgess, Emphasis now among some edu- ble speeds, and intersections where president, Grand Rapids-Kent December 4, at 7:30 p. m.

Patronize Suburban Life Adver-

All parents are requested to atagers in school until high school have about five seconds to work tend.

HOME FOR THANKSGIVING

James Atherton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atherton, 4340 Buttrick obviously not destined for college. Rd., spent Thanksgiving vacation at home. He is a junior at Hiram tisers. College, Hiram, Ohio.



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are taken where needed. Most of our merchants are hon-

> st and want to give their cusomers the best values they can. It is the fraudulent dealer who eoncerns us.

cators is placed on keeping teen- two bleary eyed motorists may County Council on Alcoholism, Inc. I urge all citizens, who may The campaign in the city and have questions or complaints, to charge, from: Michigan Tourist graduation and in bolstering in- out who has the right of way. county is part of a nationwide obcontact the Foods and Standards Council, Lansing 26. servance being sponsored by the Division of the Michigan Depart-National Council on Alcoholism, the

and vocational training for those help to produce drowsiness. ment of Agriculture in Lansing, It is extremely important to have national voluntary health agency or regional offices in Detroit, Benclear visibility through windshields. in the field of alcoholism, the ton Harbor, Grand Rapids, Flint Wiper arms and blades and the Grand Rapids-Kent County Health and Escanaba,

defroster must work properly to Departments, and Alcoholics Anclear away rain, snow, road splash onymous.

Tax Notices

Township Treasurer

a. m. to 6 p. m.

and interior fogging. Know the "Alcoholism is one of America's four major health problems, along shape of signs so they will serve with mental illness, cancer and at least as a warning. Also, the rear lights on every heart disease," Mrs. Burgess said. vehicle should be functioning pro-"It is estimated that there are 5,000,000 alcoholics in the country perly to meet legal requirements and to provide utmost safety so We have approximately 4,000 to that drivers following are alerted 5,000 in the city and county. Howto your presence on the roadway. ever, there is help in our com-A fundamental rule for aftermunity for the person suffering dark driving is to limit speed to from the disease of alcoholism. a rate which will enable you to During Alcoholism Information stop within the assured clear dis- Week we hope to call this fact tance ahead. On ice or snow, you to the public's attention, thanks must go slower to take into ac- to the wonderful cooperation we count the lengthened stopping dis- are receiving from newspapers. tance. Use snow tires reinforced TV, radio and other informationwith tire chains when needed for al media." The Grand Rapids-Kent County severe conditions of snow or ice.

Council on Alcoholism maintains

an Alcoholism Information Center at 312 Ashton Building, open 1-5 p. m. Monday through Friday phone GL 1-2217. This organization

Cascade Township tion also cooperates closely with I will be at the Town Hall to colthe Grand Rapids Health Departlect property and dog taxes on ment Alcoholism Out-Patient Centhe following Fridays: December ter at 303 Ionia, N. W., Phone 8, 15, 22 and 29, 1961 and Jan-GL 6-6566, Ext. 321, and Alcoholuary 5, 12, and 19, 1962, from 9 ics Anonymous, GL 4-4992. R. Lee Patterson

PTA COUNCIL HOLDS CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON, DEC. 5 c33-34

Kent County Council P. T. A

Ada Township will be host to the Grand Rapids I will be at the Ada Township and East Grand Rapids Councils Hall in the Village of Ada to re- at their Christmas luncheon, Deceive property and dog taxes on cember 5, at 12:45 at Godwin the following Fridays: December High,

8. 15. 22. and 29. 1961; January Rev. Robert Lignell, pastor of 5, 12, and 19, 1962. Hours 10 a. m. Faith Lutheran church will delivto 5 p. m. I will also be at the er a speech appropriate to the Dewey General Store, Knapp Av- Christmas season.

enue, and Egypt Valley Rd., on Thursdays, December 14, and Jan-In 1960-61, The University of Michigan made 27 research grants uary 18, 1962, hours 2 to 4:30 p.

totalling \$113,000 for peaceful atom-Neal VandePeerle, Treas. ic research through its privately Rte. 2, Ada, Michigan supported Michigan-Memorial c33-34 Phoenix Project.

tion-primarily in the midwestduring the winter season, council

'Facts on Communism'

Speaker to Be in Ada

and

practice.

spokesmen said. Single copies or quantity supplies of "Fun in the Snow" are

available on request, without

Flowers Please

The old-fashioned custom of sending flowers to funerals, increasingly supplanted by a terse 'Please Omit Flowers'' in a death notice, is something worth preserving thinks Rev. W. Carter Merbeirer, 34, of St. Matthews Lutheran Church in Philadelphia. In this months pastoral letter to his flock, he pleaded eloquently for flowers—at his own funeral, in any case.

"Don't paste my casket with certificates for charities, and proessional chair endowments, and he hundred-and-one do-gooder agencies ghoulishly squeezing thru he door of the funeral parlor for handout.

"If you are going to be big nearted, do it on your own time and don't wait for death to open up your heart to the needy and the sick.

"I believe flowers are proper and right at the time of death, beautifully symbolic of the brief human life, grown by God and thereby so precious to Him, even at its fading.

"So, no matter what others may say, send ME flowers. And don't use my last mortal remains as a charity income tax deduction."

EGYPT GRANGE DANCE

There will be round and square dancing at the Egypt Grange on Saturday evening, December 2 from 9 to 1. Gordon Darby is the square dance caller. Refreshments a r e available

ADVISORY COMMITEE

The Citizens' Advisory Committee will meet in the Library of the Forest Hills High School on Fuesday evening, December 5, at p. m.

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hours work you'll have a bright new table, in time for the Christmas festivities.





Auction of household goods at Michigan forests produce about 7365—30th St., 1 mile southeast of Cascade, on Sat. Dec. 2, at 1 600 million dollars in forest pro-

p. m. Archie Thomas, cwner. c37 ducts each year.



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ORDER COMFORT BY THE TANKFUL	crocus. Birchwood Gardens, 730 Godfrey Street. Phone TW 7- 7737. c31tf MISCELLANEOUS FURNITURE, For Sale. Leaving State. C a 11 OR 6-2141. c24tf FALL-OUT SHELTERS—You don't	761-3623. c21 tf PIANO TUNING and repairing. Tuning \$7.50 plus mileage. Orval Jessup, TW 7-7366, Lowell c33tf TRUCKING EVERY THURSDAY to Lake Odessa stock sale. Call George Francisco, TW 7-7818.
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FOR	area, Wednesdays and Fridays. Heffron Music Instruction, CH 5- 1381. c41 tf	Lost and Found
ENDABLE	BLOCKS—8 in. concrete 18 cents; 8 in. cinder 21 cents; 2 cents per block delivered. Vosburg Block and Gravel Co. 8876 Grand Riv- er Drive, Ada, OR 6-3397 or OR- 6-3393. cltf	LOST—Male beagle, black and white with brown ears and face, in Cascade area. Reward. Call GL 8-7742; evenings GL 9-0561. c33
EAT	TRASH AND JUNK HAULED— Cascade Twp., Bob's Pick-up Service. Ph. 897-9031. c31 tf	LOST—Man's brown leather jac- ket between Goodwood & Thorn- apple River Dr. GL 8-6506, c33
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L CO. 1511	and Jean Shimmel, GL 1-0071. c31 tf AUTOMATIC WASHER & Dryer Repair. Experienced on all makes. Call Jensen's Appliance Service. GL 4-9034. c22 tf	FINE WEDDING INVITATIONS— 24-hour service, napkins and other accessories. Box of FREE Thank you notes and etiquette book with order. Lindy Press, 1127 East Fulton, Grand Rapids. GL 9-6613. c41 ff

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O-K Conference League Starts Friday; | Forest Hills to Play Kelloggsville

The Forest Hills Rangers will been hampered somewhat during The championship Forest Hills meet the Kelloggsville Rockets in recent practice sessions because Ranger football team placed three the first O-K league game of the of the installation of bleachers in players on the All-Conference footseason Friday night in the Forest the gym. However, the Rangers ball team selected by the eight Hills gym. are expected to provide good op- coaches of the league.

The Rockets are heavily favor- position for the Rockets. ed to win the O-K League cham-pionship this year as they have 7 with the Varsity game getting four regulars back from last years underway about 8:15. squad that won the championship. Workmen are rushing the con-Included in the group is Dan Ed- struction of bleachers and all 2.wards, 6 ft. 4 in. star of the 000 are expected to be ready for Coach Jerry Dangl's boys have Friday night's game. Rockets

Forest Hills School LIFE

Sixty Students Attend Don Melvoin Show

Merry Goebel

get a coffee pot.

"We want a coffee pot," was The Seniors are planning the anthe cry of the Senior High School nual Snow Ball Carnival. They teachers to the student council. have also started measuring for That's how it all started. caps and gowns.

that if an organization went on ny money making projects for Dykhouse. the Don Melvoin Show they would their coming prom.

ident, asked for volunteers and on School's Spanish Club. Our Span-Saturday, November 25, thirty boys ish Club will be served food and and thirty girls, all Juniors and will then listen to a speaker. Seniors, attended the show. A dance by the Spanish Club

ADA BUSINESSMEN TO MEET AT TOWN HALL The Ada Businessmen will hold

heir regular monthly meeting on Thursday, November 30, at 8 p. m. the Ada Town Hall.

vertisers.

Suburban LIFE

Published every Thursday morn- fine display of rocks and miner- tion. Mich. Ph. TWinoaks 7-9262. Entered Dian piece of gravel, labeled "Rock, the three Forest Hills selections, Dian piece of gravel, labeled "Rock, the three Forest Hills selections, Dian piece of gravel, labeled "Rock, the three Forest Hills selections, driveway." at Post Office at Lowell, Mich., from Elvis Presley's driveway." as Second Class Matter.

year elsewhere



The student council found out The Juniors are busy with ma-The Spanish club has been in-

Bill Martin, student council pres- vited to East Grand Rapids High mention.

is planned for Jan. 26. The club will also have their Spanish Christmas party. The Latin Club Initiation is being planned. The invitations are being engraved and a good time is planned by all. The club has

just elected their new officers, who Patronize SUBURBAN LIFE Ad are: Donna Edison, President Sandy Dryer, Secretary; and Barb Paine, Treasurer.

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Sy Dykhouse

Voting was close at every position as there was a wealth of good football players in the O-K At a recent school science fair league this year. Only Seniors in Oak Lawn, Illinois, 12-year-old made the honor squad and only Serving the Forest Hills Area. Mary Frances Bradley entered a three juniors made honorable men-

er boys worthy of all-conference.

but in an eight team league it was impossible to get more than three boys on the squad. Rogers, Lee,

ation.

the postoffice.

and Kentwood didn't place a man ORCHARD VIEW SCHOOL HOLDS on the honor squad. CHRISTMAS BAZAAR DEC. 7 The three players and Mr. Shy will be feted at two banquets sponsored by the Grand Rapids Press and the Kent County Chapter of the Michigan State Alumni Associ-

There are other situations that during the day. Register for free arise on a fishing trip, the details

Named All - Conference

door prize. regarding some I cannot put into print without indulging in purple When Mrs. Frank Whitmore of prose of a nature that would bar this here column from going thru

"Open Other End"-at both ends.

CASCADE PHARMACY

Merry Goebel

Dennis Graham

Thankgiving Assembly

Christian Reformed church.

the benediction.

Tiger Stars To Appear At Forest Hills

The Forest Hills Boosters' Club Doug Stiles, along with Mr. Fletch-'oring the O-K Champion Forest Future Homemakers sponsored a and Varsity Club are busy mak-er, played hosts to three other Hills Rangers will be held Friday food drive for the needy. The ing plans for the coming of the schools for speech discussion on afternoon at 1:45 in the high drive was held November 21 and Detroit Tigers basketball team to November 21. The other schools school gym before a combined 22. appear in the Forest Hills gym were Union, Hudsonville Unity gathering of the Jr. and Sr. high on Saturday, Jan. 13, 1962.

Christian, and Godwin. The Tiger team features Phil Regan, a local resident and Char-"Paw-Paw" Maxwell, a long time Tiger favorite. ended at 2:55 p.m.

Parents in the Forest Hills area are urged to keep this night open and bring the whole family to see the Tiger Stars in action.

The Tiger players will sign autographs for all who want them. Keep reading the Suburban Life for further details on the game.

Special Weekly CON-CON REVIEW Tim Baker was the only unani-

mous choice of the coaches. Den-For most delegates a committee Any adults interested in the asnis Graham was elected on the Reading, research and frequent committee sessions are monopoliz- meeting is preceded by hours of sembly are welcome to attend. first ballot, ahead of Dan Edwards The three Forest Hills players of Kelloggsville. Sy Dykhouse was ing the time of delegates to Mich- research and preparation.

making the honor squad were right elected on the second ballot. be- igan's Constitutional Convention. To assist the delegates and man The one complaint voiced most the Convention is a staff of 75 often by the 144 delegates is that employees. These include directors there are not enough hours in the of research, a public information printed material furnished each in- clerks, guards, sergeants-at-arm,

dividual, along with attending com- guides, stenographers and others. mittee meetings and general Con-The guest speaker at the Thanksvention sessions. giving Assembly on November 22, Most of the real work of the the legislature and includes \$1,080,was Rev. A. J. Verburg from Ada Convention is accomplished in com- 000 for delegates' salaries and mittee sessions.

The High School band played Under the guidance of President salaries, rental, lease and purthe "Battle Hymn of he Repub-Stephen S. Nisbet (R) of Fremont, chase of equipment, printing, tralic" for the Prelude. Vice-Presidents Edward Hutchin- vel. insurance, etc. Rev. Verburg said the invocation and the audience sang the son (R) of Fennville, George Rom-'Thanksgiving Prayer." Following ney (R) of Bloomfield Hills and time is on committee self-educa-Tom Downs (D) of Detroit, 13 tion and this is likely to continue the hymn. Karen Timmer gave a standing committees have been until the deadline for the intro- with Suburbar. Life Want Adv. few Thanksgiving thoughts. created-nine substantive and four duction of delegate proposals has

"No Man Is an Island" was operational. sung by the High School Chorus, The committees consist of 15 to after which a "Thanksgiving Ori-

There has been little controver-27 members with the chairman, sy in the Convention thus far and gin" was given by Brady Crinion. and first vice chairman being Re- business has been conducted in a A Triple Trio from the chorus publican and the second vice chairbi-partisan atmosphere. sang "The Lord's Prayer." The large and controversial probman, a Democrat. The party mem-Rev. Verburg's message was enbership ratio for each committee lems of the Convention lie ahead titled, "Thanksgiving Is Thankss two to one Republican. iving. The band and chorus played and

are charged with the responsibiliconvention floor. sang the ''Nations Creed'', after ty of studying the 27 articles of The duties of a delegare are difwhich everyone sang "God Bless the Constitution. These committees ficult and from a practical point America," and Rev. Verburg said are: Rights, Suffrage and Elecof view have barely commenced

tions; Legislative Organization; These duties will increasingly in-Legislative Powers; Executive volve headaches, longer hours, end-Branch; Judicial Branch; Local less debates and, inevitably, some Government; Finance and Taxacompromises.

been reached.

However, the citizens of this state may rest assured that a group of 144 able, sincere and dedicated representatives are hard at work-determined to produce the best possible basic law for all of the people of Michigan.

If you've been thinking of our days as the Aspirin or even the Atomic Age, you're behind the times. Evidence is mounting that

Speech Class Members Football Awards **Host Discussion Meet Assembly Held**

Merry Goebel Pat Doyle, Carole Pearson, Mer-

ficit now. Can we leave a bank-

rupt America to our children?

ry Goebel, Derk Vinkemulder and A football awards assembly, hon-

student body.

The discussion, held in the li- John Hoekje, a local resident, \$180 (per buffalo) from the Dept. brary, on "Federal Aid to Edu- and a highly successful coach and of Interior. cation" started at 2 p. m. and official, will be the principal speak-

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CASCADE AREA

ALL THIS

er. Edward Shy, Varsity football coach will present the boys their As you meet your Congressmen awards. Also, the championship while they are home, speak out trophy will be unveiled for the first time and will be presented and ask that reckless spending be curbed. We cannot pay our deto the school.

Jerry Dangl will present reserve team awards and Jim Mohr will present cross-country awards. The high school band under di-

costs ... rection of Miss Jan Markle will play. The assembly is being di \$A770A Year Buys rected by Ferris Post, director of student activities.

Bill Martin, student council president will act as Master of Ceremonies.

DRIVERS LICENSE SUSPENDED

The Michigan Department of State announced the following drivers licenses from this area have been suspended.

Jack E. Rogers 40, 4298 Cas-A budget has been adopted within the \$2 million appropriated by cade Road, Grand Rapids, license suspended Oct. 13 for driving under influence under financial re-

\$920,000 for building rental, staff sponsibility act. Abraham VanderBoon 17, 1780 Grand River Drive, Ada, license suspended Nov. 8 until May 8, for

Much of the emphasis at this unsafe driving record.

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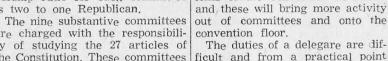
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tion; Education; and Miscellane-Orchard View School, 3 Mile Rd. ous Provisions and Schedules. N. E., will hold a Christmas Ba-zaar on Thursday, December 7, of the Convention are: Style and of the Convention are: Style and from 9 a. m. until 7:30 p. m. Drafting, Administration, Public In-Gifts for young and old. Plan on formation and Rules and Reguladoing your Christmas shopping. tions. Coffee and cookies will be served Committee Sessions are usually

scheduled at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. c37-38 and immediately after general Convention session. Committee hear-

ings are frequently held in the Silver Spring, Md., bought a loaf evening and some are planned we are living in the Age of the Acof bread recently, it was marked for week-end sessions.





limits

No Food Budget For Most Families

A recent study of food buying behavior shows that the majority of families do not use a formal food budget

These families originally arrived



homemakers. "The majority of homemakers shop first and then make up menus from available food stocks rather than plan menus and shop for those foods required," Miss Zehner says. "Most homemakers view food shopping as a very important activity. They use a shopping list, but plan to make many purchase decisions in the store. As to cost, they view their food expenditures as being fairly constant over long periods of time.' When questioned as to their general approach to food budgets, the majority indicated a combination

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of long range planning and a flex-

ible spending guide.

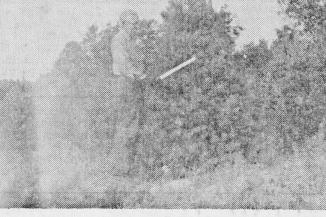


LARGE BRICK HOME 504 Lincoln Lake Ave., Lowell Tile Kitchen and Bath Oversize Garage

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SUBURBAN LIFE, NOV. 30, 1961 at the amount of money spent for food through the trial and error method on by buying what food method, or by buying what food they wanted without being extravagent, but also without fixed cost Mary Zehner, Michigan State

University specialist in consumer marketing information, received these responses in a survey of



G. I. Stotz shows how he begins early to shape a 3-year-old Scotch Pine. The bottom wharl of branches are removed to let in more air around the tree and for easier cutting at harvest time.



G. I. Stotz finishes the final shearing of a Scotch Pine ready for sale this fall.

What started out as a part time believes that the small acreage ree planting hobby for G. I. Stotz grower has the best chance to of Grand Rapids has now become realize some profit. Otherwise laa limited paying hobby from his bor costs for spraying, shearing Scotch Pine plantation in Court- and marketing limit any possible land Township. profit.

Gerald believes that a living A few years ago Mr. Stotz purchased 25 acres of idle run down green pine tree is still our best ter VandenBos. land with a small woodlot on it. Christmas religious symbol, and This fall he has sold 1,000 top has more Yuletide meaning than grade Scotch Christmas trees to any artificial tree can ever give. an outstate buyer. In a few days

these loose sheared or irregular **Electronic Wizardry** sheared six foot trees will be cut, aled and some of them wrapped **Combats Vandalism** in cellophane, ready for shipment Stotz, District Manager of Michi-

gan Bell's Grand Valley area, was Electronic wizardry is being usraised on a farm. Back in 1951 ed to an increasing extent to com- evening, December 5, at 7:30 p. a talk by an S. C. S. conservationbat the costly problem of vandal- m. ist from Ottawa County, aroused ism in our nation's schools. John his interest in reforestation and E. Haines, Minneapolis-Honeywell two years later land was purchas-

vice-president, says many school officials are turning to electronic For several years Gerald Stotz security systems to protect buildhas been a one man conservation ings during non-class hours. tree planting publicist. His 30 minute slide talk has been given to losses being inflicted by intruders An indication of the staggering

other interested groups. The slides to be a service clubs and to other interested groups. The slides the slides of schools and in Baltimore more tree farm. than \$80,000 is spent annually just He has studied, asked questions

to replace broken glass. and has experimented with all Haine, whose firm is a leading p. m. at the church. phases of growing and marketing. manufacturer of electronic securi-Sons Jerry and Roger are pine ty equipment, says that among The Missionary Group will hold plantation experts also. They learnmore sophisticated devices their Christmas meeting at the labor force; Mrs. Stotz helped alare electronic fences and nose and day evening, December 7. Mrs.

sound detectors. One type of elec- Neal DenHouten will be the host-Jerry now a chemistry instruc- tronic fence is Honeywell's recent-

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Area Church News

Eastmont Ref. Church

The Consistory will meet at the The Consistory will meet at the church at 8 p. m. on Monday evechurch at 7:30 p.m. on Monday ning, December 4 evening, December 4.

Women's Guild The Junior Mr and Mrs Club The Women's Guild for Chriswill meet on Tuesday evening, tian Service will have its annual December 5, at 8 p. m. at the Christmas meeting on Tuesday, church.

church and friends in the com-The Men's Society will meet at munity are invited. The Forest the church on Wednesday evening, Hills High School Choir will bring December 6, at 8 p. m. Christmas music. Those attending

The Choir will practice at 7 p. gram are Mrs. M. Rigo, Chairman m. at the church on Thursday eveassisted by Mrs. Robert Rose and Mrs. Daniel Niel.

Hostesses for the evening will be the Evening Circle, Mrs. Fred Koetsier, Chairman,

Congregational Meeting The annual congregational meetng is scheduled for Wednesday

at the church. Election of Consistory members and the approval of the budget are the main items on the agenda.

posed budget for 1962 will be pre-

The Denison Guild will meet for dessert at 1 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Jerald Waldron, 5850 Hall

Christian Education The Christian Education Com-Consistory The Consistory will meet at the mittee will meet at the church church at 8 p. m. Tuesday, De- at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday evening, ember 5

The Girls League for Service The official board will meet at the Fellowship Hall on Tuesday will meet at the church Tuesday evening, December 5, at 8 p. m. Dorcas Guild

The Dorcas Guild will meet on Wednesday morning, December 6 Eastmont Baptist Church at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. There will be a Christmas pro-James Banta, 1885 Spaulding S. E Doerr Guild

gram rehearsal at the church on Saturday, December 2, at 2 p. m. The Doerr Guild will meet at Trustees Meeting the home of Mrs. Tommy Ray, The Trustees will meet at the 5690 Cascade Rd. S. E. on Wedchurch at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday nesday morning, December 6, at

evening, December 5. 9:30 a.m. **Deacons Meeting** The Deacons will meet Wedneslay evening, December 6, at 7:30

CHURCH SERVICES **Missionary Meeting**

Ada Community

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Morning Worship9:30 A. M.

Sunday School 10:45 A. M.

Rev. Eugene L. Krieger, Pastor

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E. Paris Christian Ref.

Church Receives \$100 There will be a congregational A check for \$100 made payable meeting at the church at 8 p.m. to the church was received recenton Thursday evening, November ly. Norton Avery submitted the

name that was accepted by the **Council Meeting** Lowell Development Housing Pro-The Council meeting will be held Monday evening, December 4 at ject. The name submitted was 7:30 p. m. at the church. 'Valley-Vista.''

Calvinist Cadets The boss called in the office The Calvinist Cadets will meet at the school at 7 p. m. on Monboy "Do you believe in life after death?" the tyrant asked.

day evening, December 4. Men's Society The Men's Society will meet at

"Why, of course, sir," said the the church at 8 p. m. on Tuesboy day evening, December 5. S. S. Teachers

The Sunday School teachers will meet at the church at 8 p. m. on Wednesday evening, December

Our Savior Lutheran

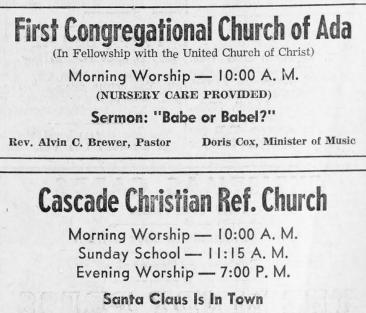
The Sunday School teachers meeting will be held on Thursday evening, November 30, at 7:30 p. m. Parts for the children's Christmas program will be given out to the various departments. All teach-

ers are urged to be present. Rehearsals for the program are scheduled for the next three Sunday afternoons, December 3, 10 and 17.

Advent Services Advent services will be held on Wednesday evenings, December 13 and 20, at 7:30 p.m.

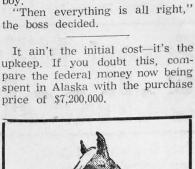
will December 2. A film entitled "Day eryone is welcome.

Men's Meeting The Methodist Men's meeting 4, at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. will be held at the church on



Santa Claus beat even the Thanksgiving turkey into town this year. But, as one TV commentator said: now that Thanksgiving is past, the mad Christmas rush starts in earnest. Now comes the mammoth job of mass brain washing, as we are urged to spend every cent and a little more to help Santa make it a merry Christmas. And so gradually but surely the real meaning of Christmas is lost: the commemorating the birth of Christ our Savior. The only way we can survive, is to break out of this made rush of materialism, and take time to be holy; spend time with God's Word. If you would like a little booklet to aid you in studying and understanding your devotions, we would like to send you a free booklet: Family Alter. Send your name and address to Roy Boeskool, 6631 Cascade Road, Grand Rapids 6, Mich.

PASTOR - REV. ROY BOESKOOL



8 p. m. Refreshments and enter-

tainment will be provided.





FARM SERVICE McCords

Snow Methodist Church A family night potluck supper will be held at the WSCS Hall at 6:30 p. m. on Saturday evening, of Witness" will be shown. Ev

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assisting in the service. Rev. Gaylord will be the speaker. Seminar Attendans Meet On Sunday, December 3, at p. m. the Junior and Seniors of the CYF who will be attending the United Nations Washington Youth Seminar this spring meet in Fellowship Hall. Mary Martha Guild The Mary Martha Guild will

bring the entire family.

meet Monday evening, December Wilfred King, 7368 Cascade Road, Thursday evening, December 7, at S. E.



Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Club

Consistory

Alpha Omegas

Women's Day

Sunday, December 3, is Women's

Day. The officers of the CWF and

chairmen of the Guilds will be

December 5, at 8 p. m. at the Men's Society

are reminded to bring mittens for St. Michael's Mission the mitten tree and a 50c ex-

change gift. In charge of the proning, November 30.

The Alpha Omegas will meet

at the church at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 3, for their meeting.

evening, December 6, at 8 p. m. Cascade Christian Church The annual Christmas workshop will be held Saturday, December 2, from 1 to 8 p. m. Come and

Ada Christian Reformed

The Consistory-will meet at the church at 7:30 p.m. on Monday evening, December 4.

Congregational Meeting The Annual Congregational meeting will be held Monday evening, December 4, at 8 p. m. at the church. At this meeting the officers will be elected and the pro-

ented for adoption. Rev. Verburg Receives Call

Rev. Verburg has been issued call from the Grace Christian Reformed Church in Muskegon. Ada Community Ref.

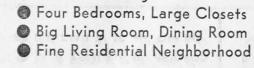
The Guild for Christian Service will meet at the church at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Max Scanlon and Mrs. Pe-

Young People to Bowl Saturday, December 2, the young people will meet at the church St. S. E., Tuesday, December 5. at 2:30 p. m. to go bowling.

December 5th,

Girls League **Board Meeting**



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Michigan claims the signal hon-1 million, a jump of 11/4 million over or of being the first state to make 1959. provision for libraries in her first constitution in 1835. That year the Detroit, then little more than a Michigan has 28 county librarvillage of 3,000. One clause marked the recognition of library serv- ies.

ice: "As soon as the circumstances of the state will permit, the

establishment of libraries, one in legislature in 1937. each township, and the money which shall be paid by persons as military duty, and the clear proceeds of all fines assessed in the

counties for any breach of the penal laws shall be exclusively apmaterials last year. braries.'

¥ ¥ ¥ There are 8,800,000 books in Michigan's 324 libraries. * * *

Total circulation of Michigan's these were all attached to pocket public libraries last year was 30 transistor radios.

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Quality in Measuring School Outlays

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while "communities that spend secretary for every 250 pupils. more give their youngsters higher- SCHOOL SIZE. To be economiquality education, which in turn cal, enrollment should be at least The Michigan State Board for pays off in higher incomes and 500 for a four-year high school, ton Dryer, 6044 Burton S. E. Her legislature shall provide for the Libraries was established by the higher tax revenues," the ultimate 350 for a three-year school, 250test is in the quality of the schools. 300 for an elementary school.

"You may be spending a lot, but | BUILDINGS. The construction Michigan's public libraries paid for the wrong things, or spending program should be characterized Tuesday, December 12, at 8 p. m. an equivalent for expemption from out \$8 million in salaries last so little that you couldn't possibly by careful, long-range planning. at the home of Mrs. Daniel Elhave the schools you need." Too many districts wait until the linger, 4861-28th St.

Recognizing that education pri- last minute before they build. Out-Michigan's public libraries spent orities vary widely, the editors door needs generally require an have no December meeting, but plied to the support of said li- \$21/4 million on books and other note that all districts do share acre and a half for up to 315 ask their group to save ribbon certain fundamental needs, and pupils in grades one, two and and knick-knacks for Carnival hats. "these have led to standards on three; about six acres for up to which most education experts and 315 pupils in grades four, five and a. m. on Tuesday, December 12, number of citizens' groups six; and around 13 acres for up at the home of Mrs. Ferris Stiles, agree." They recommend the fol- to 750 pupils in grades seven and 3163 Jeanlin Dr. S. E. Her coeight. Classrooms should be plan- hostess will be Mrs. Ed Murphy. lowing yardstick:

ATTENDANCE. Youngsters in ned for a wide variety of learning Come prepared for a workshop. the community should 30 to school activities, and plenty of room for at least 12 years. If they don't should be allowed for counseling, meet at the home of Mrs. Leonard attend regularly, or dropouts are labs and administrative use. Ele- Novak, 3528 Goodwood S. E., on

high, better see why the schools mentary schools as well as high Tuesday evening, December 19, at schools need good libraries. aren't holding them. These are the criteria, accord- mas meeting and each member SCOPE. School programs should

be diversified so that all types ing to the editors, which will help is asked to bring a 50c gift' for are helped to develop-the bright, a community decide whether it is exchange. the slow, those who are heading getting its money's worth in the

for college and those who are schools. heading for jobs. TEACHERS. Every teacher Women's Talkativeness

should have a liberal education May Be a Big Advantage as well as substantial knowledge

of the subject field or fields in It may be that women talk too which he teaches. The school sys- much-but it could be a point in Memorial Hospital Monday for a tem should be willing to pay at their favor, contends Dr. Eliza- tonsilectomy. least what other school systems beth M. Drews, associate professor pay, and as much as workers get of education at Michigan State

in other occupations that require University.

a college degree (national average She told a Girl Scout conference teacher pay is \$5,400, ranging from in Chicago that communication is slightly over \$3,500 in Missisippi a "distinctly human" quality. to nearly \$7,000 in California). (Surveys have indicated, she STAFF SIZE. In elementary noted, that women show more huschools, teachers shouldn't have man concern than do men, and, classes larger than 25 pupils; in she said, there are areas where 10 oz. secondary schools, the teacher women, in particular, have much load shouldn't be higher than five to offer.

periods a day involving a total Dr. Drews included psychiatric of 125 to 150 students; English services, training for emotionally teachers should be responsible for disturbed children and counseling no more than 100 students. The in a list of national needs which school system should have a full women desiring to use their talcomplement of specialists, consult- ents might consider.



Cascade Mother's JoAnn Fortuna, Club News **Stanley Haraburda** There will be no general meet-ing for the Cascade Mothers' Club

Wed Saturday

Miss JoAnn Fortuna became the bride of Stanley C. Haraburda on shoes is being introduced for bowl-The following dates are for group The Burdell Group will meet on Tuesday, December 12, at 9:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Dayco-hostess will be Mrs. Charles

The Westway group will meet Diamond Ave., Grand Rapids. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haraburda, 10421

Cascade Rd., Route 2, Lowell. Mrs. Haraburda provided the traditional wedding music on the organ and accompanied the soloist



THINGS TO COME Venison Can Be a Latest in attack warning sys-**Gourmet Food** tems is an electronic device that can be built into new radios, FM

Is there a deer hunter in your or AM, or adapted to present sets family? If so, there's a good to turn them into warning alarms. chance that you'll soon be cook-A shoe sanitizer capable of de- ing venison. It is truly one of the stroying germs without harming highly prized game meats and is Saturday morning in St. Isidore's shoes is being introduced often are by prepared, according to E. El-

rented. eanor Densmore County Extension To prevent lint and static elec-Agent, Home Economics. tricity from forming on apparel in dry cleaning plants, we now titled "Venison" put out by Michi-There's an excellent bulletin enhave a spray for use in all naturgan State University that offers serving suggestions ranging from And if starlings or other birds 'deer are your problem, there is an odroast. Different cuts are diagramorless repellent which gives a stic-

ed and the best cooking method ky footing for the birds, who is indicated for each cut. avoid it like humans avoid the The bulletin also includes in-'hot foot.''

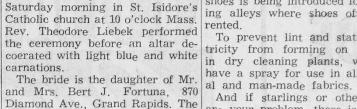
structions for bleeding and dressing out the deer and cutting and

burgers" to venison pot

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The Cascade Terrace group will The Villagers will meet at 9:30 Mr. Schaab.

hospital notes

n December.

meetings:

DeMinck

Miss Mary Banta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Banta, 1885 Spaulding, S. E., entered Blodgett

Births

Helen M. Ritter,

Exchange Vows

Three attendants wearing street-

the soloist, Miss Betty Wittenbach.

hospital.

Hobbs of Alto.

of the bridegroom.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, 624 Spaulding S. E., are being congratulated on the birth of a son, Richard on November 13, at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital. The baby weighed 7 lbs. and

Congratulations are being extendderBerg, 440 Forest Hills Road, da on November 22, at St. Mary's

feathered white carnations and pink sweetheart roses.

of the bride, was maid of honor. Her gown was of royal blue taf-

cascading arrangements of yellow chrysanthemums, preceded Miss cular veil and she carried a bou-Helen Marie Ritter down the aisle of the First Congregational church of Lowell', Saturday evening, October 28. Before an altar decorated with candelabra, and baskets of Ann Haraburda and Miss Patricia yellow and white chrysanthemums Radilnski Miss Karen Fortuna was she became the bride of Howard attendants carried identical bou-

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Ritter, 6215 nations. Bancroft Avenue, Alto. Mr. and

ed as her sister's miniature bride and Daniel Haraburda was the

Rev. E. F. Marquardt of Battle Creek, performed the double-ring ceremony. Mrs. Dorothy Snyder of Allendale, played the traditional well. wedding music and accompanied

afternoon reception held in the Guest House, Mr. and Mrs. An-

cented with Chantilly lace. Her fingertip length veil of English illusion was held by a Mary Queen of Scots crown of pearls and braid. She carried an arrangement of

Miss Margaret Prawdzik, cousin

feta, designed with scoop neckline. length gowns of blue and carrying Her headdress was fashioned of two small cabbage roses with cirquet of pink and white carnations against a background of crisp net lace bells. Attired as the maid of honor were the bridesmaids, Miss her sister's junior bridesmaid. The quets of pale blue and white car-

Miss Patricia Lynn Fortuna serv-Mrs. Leslie Hobbs of Hesperia, formerly of Alto, are the parents

miniature bridegroom. Assisting as best man was John Haraburda. Seating the guests were Kenneth Adams and Richard Hart-



basque bodice was complimented on the birth of a daughter, Bren- by a jeweled scoop neckline ac-



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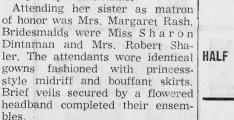
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The groom was assisted by Richard Johnson as best man, with Charles Ritter, jr., brother of the bride, and Darrel Rash, serving as honor attendants. Terry Dintaman and Ken Korhorn of Grand Rapids seated the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Norman

of Rockford and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dintaman of Alto acted as master and mistress of ceremonies at the reception which was held following the ceremony in the Masonic Temple.

Following a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and Cape Cod, the couple are residing at 5420 Morse Lake Rd., Alto.

The new Mrs. Hobbs is employed at an insurance agency in Lowell, and Mr. Hobbs operates the Eastmont Gulf Service Station.

