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## Forest Hills Girl Scout Day Camp

Under the direction of Mrs. Connie Clark, the Forest Hills Day Camp for Girl Scouts is reaching the close of its second week of active Scouting fun and work. Camping under huge trees nearby a spring the following Brownies were enrolled in three patrols in their Units, "Shady Side", under the Leadership of Mrs. Joyce Cook and Mrs. Marion Wheat, assisted by Mrs. Sue Jarrod and Mrs. Evonne Tanis; Sharon Chesbro, Elaine Jean Glunker, Karin Ann Laidlaw, Jamie VanOoster, Sandy Vos, Jo M. Lawham, Jane Rayborn, Deborah Wood, Cindy Adams are members of the Robin Patrol. Linda Flora, Susan Hulford, Sally Schalk, Jean Anderson, Krista Johnson and Penny Tanis are members of the Bluebird Patrol. Cherry Wheat, Carol Wolf, Cathy Cook, Cathy McPeck, S. Clark, Robin Jarrod, Lou Ann Landar, Jendia Weaver, Patricia Gave, Vicki Patter, and Joyce Spaulding are members of the Eagle Patrol.

The Brownies have cooked their own meals, taken nature hikes using bug cages which they made to observe many different insects. They have also made name tags from a small log which was sliced for them.

Mrs. Dorothy Flora is Unit Leader for the following Program Aides: Ellen Faude, Christy Millson, and Linda Steele, Assisting

## Chuck Csolkovits Joins O'Neill's Transmission Firm

Chuck Csolkovits, a qualified mechanic in the Lowell area for the past 9 years has joined the Pat O'Neill transmission firm in Cascade.

O'Neill announced this week that Csolkovits will soon complete a summer schooling program on automatic transmissions through a General Motors course.

Mr. Csolkovits, a married man, lives in Lowell with his wife and daughter.

Chuck enjoys many hobbies, but none more than being a Ham Radio Operator.

## Minstrel Show Under the Stars! LOWELL, MICHIGAN SHOWBOAT

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# JULY 23-28

## Les Paul, Mary Ford At Free Fair



Les Paul and Mary Ford, well known recording stars, have been signed for a three-day appearance at the Ionia Free Fair, Allan M. Williams, fair manager, announced. The man and wife team will add the services of their son, Gene, when they appear for the first three days of the grandstand show which opens Monday, August 6, he said. The Paul-Ford-Paul trio will join other such notables of the entertainment world as Minnie Pearl, Warren Covington and his orchestra, clown Carl Marx, and the world's only high-diving mules for the 47th annual Free Fair, Williams said.

## Swainson Says "Keep Michigan Beautiful"

Gov. John B. Swainson and State Police Commissioner Joseph Childs have urged Michigan citizens to join in an all-out anti-litter campaign this summer.

Commissioner Childs is chairman of the governor's anti-litter committee.

"Summer is the time of year when Michigan families and out-of-state visitors enjoy our outdoors to the fullest," Swainson said. "We encourage motorists to enjoy using our highways and state and roadside parks—but please leave them clean for the enjoyment of others."

Swainson said motorists should set a good example for their children and neighbors by always disposing of trash in proper receptacles and carrying litterbags in their cars.

The anti-litter committee slogan is "Keep Michigan Beautiful."

## Sell 5,570 New Cars In Kent County

A Michigan Department of State survey shows that 5,570 new cars were sold in Kent County during the first four months of this year. During the same period 132,218 new automobiles were sold by dealers throughout Michigan.

Secretary of State James M. Hare pointed out that sales of both new and used cars brought in \$23,110,009 in sales and use tax revenue during the first third of the year.

"This," Hare said, "is over six million dollars more than the \$17,065,589 collected during the same period in 1961. This 33 percent increase points to an unusually high sales year despite the disillusionment in Wall Street and the ups and downs in other sectors of our economy."

The 1962 vehicle taxes were collected on nearly a half million transactions. In the first four months of 1962, 449,477 new and used cars and trucks were sold compared to 376,920 in the same period in 1961.

Hare reported that the average sales tax per item in 1962 was \$67.68, an increase of \$7.31 above the 1961 average of \$60.37. Use taxes per vehicle rose only \$1.47, from \$16.35 in 1961 to \$17.82 in 1962.

A substantial proportion of weight taxes, sales taxes on new and used cars, and gasoline taxes collected within a county is returned by the State to the county in which the taxes are collected.

## Shower Honors Connie Boomers

Mrs. James Rzyz, Bradford St., Ada, was hostess at a miscellaneous bridal shower last Wednesday evening, in honor of Miss Connie Boomers.

Miss Boomers, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Boomers of Ada, will become the bride of Dean Gage, this Friday, July 20.

Guests present enjoyed the fun-filled games provided by the hostess and dainty refreshments were served. Miss Boomers was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

Read SUBURBAN LIFE Ads!

## Plowing Is "Art" At Ionia Fair

The "art" of plowing will be demonstrated at the second annual State Championship Plowing Contest to be held at the Ionia Free Fair on Thursday, August 9, at 9:30 a. m.

The contest is open to all Michigan residents 15 years old or older who earn at least part of their income by farming. Prizes range from \$50.00 for first place to \$5.00 for seventh, contest chairman and farm manager at the Michigan State Reformatory in Ionia, said.

Last year's youthful champion, 13-year-old Dale Hawkins of Ionia, has entered to defend his 1961 championship in the newest feature of the week-long Free Fair to open Sunday, August 5, he said.

Pelham expects a full field of contestants and close competition in the contest. Last year's event was hampered by a late wheat crop and the necessity for farmers to remain home to harvest the crop.

"We are going to have a much earlier harvest this year which will free the farmers and their plow rigs in plenty of time to enter the State Championships," Pelham said.

Entries for the contest can be made at the Ionia Free Fair Office until August 1, he said. Minor changes have been made in the 1962 Free Fair contest scoring system. Eight categories of point awards will be made. These are:

For backfurrow, straight, good coverage, slightly ridged, 20 points; for deadfurrow, straight, good coverage, shallow, 20 points; for evenness of furrows, 10 points; for straightness of furrows, 10 points; for uniform depth and proper depth of furrows, 10 points; for pulverization, 10 points; for neatness of headlands, 10 points; and for trash coverage, 10 points.

Judges for the contest will be Dr. Milton Erdman of the Farm Crops Department, Michigan State University, Harold Lakin, U.S. Department of Agriculture Assistant State Conservationist, and Wally Peterson, President of the Michigan Association of Soil Conservation Districts. Glen A. Converse, USDA Work Unit Conservationist for Ionia County, will referee the event.

## Ex-Cascade Businessman Wesley C. Cook, Passes

Wesley C. Cook, aged 88, passed away at a Marne Convalescent home on Monday after a long illness.

Mr. Cook was formerly a Cascade resident, owning and operating Cook's Garage on Cascade Rd. and Thornapple River Dr. until his retirement in 1954.

He is survived by one niece, Mrs. Clyde Ryan (Irene Glanville) of Marne.

Services were conducted by Rev. Wayne Speese of Marne Methodist Church on Thursday at Metcalf Chapel. Interment was in Cascade Cemetery.

Was ever a woman satisfied with her lot, fate, present, future, minute.

## Bus Supervisor Lists School Rules

Lyle DeArmond, Supervisor of Transportation for the Forest Hills School system, presents herewith some rules which govern the use of school buses. These are taken from Bulletin number 431 of the State Department of Public Instruction.

A publicly owned or leased school bus may be used only to transport children to and from school except with special permission from the Board of Education.

No State aid is allowed for transportation of pupils living within one and one half miles of the school they attend. When such pupils are transported the total State aid for transportation is reduced by \$8 per pupil for those pupils transported.

It is not mandatory to transport all children within the District who live more than a mile and a half from the school they attend. In the interest of economy and/or safety, school boards may limit transportation within the district. Parents may be expected to transport pupils to school or to bus stops.

Boards of Education may not charge passengers for transportation to educational or recreational activities. They may not accept "gifts" designated for payment of transportation.

## Braves Take Over First In League

In action last week, the Cougars dropped 2 games and fell from first place to second as the Braves won 2 to take the top spot. R. D. Brooks and the Lancers won one each, while Ada Oil won 2 and dropped one.

Monday saw the Braves tie the Cougars for first place as Tim Williams gave up only 3 runs on 2 hits while striking out 13 batters for the Braves. Phil Rupp was the losing pitcher for the Cougars although he gave up only 3 hits while striking out 11 men. Braves: 9, 3, 3; and Cougars 3, 2 and 0.

The Braves moved 1/2 game ahead of the Cougars Tuesday, by downing the R. D. Brooks, Forest Hills Land Co. team on 7 runs, 6 hits, to 6 runs, 5 hits. Winning pitcher: Bill Freeman; losing pitcher: Bernie VanderBerg.

In other action Tuesday, the Ada Oil Co. team came to life after 2 straight losses to trounce the Lancers 12 to 2. Terry Simon and Ron Horstman'shof doubled for the losers. Randy Ashley homered in the first inning after Oral Sheldon had singled and John Jackson walked, to lead the attack. Mike Coale and Bill Roy both had doubles.

Tommy Sysma got credit for the win while G. Estes was tabbed with the loss. Lancers: 2, 5, 2; Ada Oil Co.: 12, 6, no errors. In other action Wednesday, the Cougars in an error riddled game Wednesday. Cougars: 4, 4, 12; and Ada Oil 5, 6, and 5. Winning pitcher, Mike DeVol; Loser, Tim Moore. Extra base hits: Dennis Roe, Cougars; Randy Ashley and Mike Coale, Ada Oil, all doubles.

Thursday the Lancers lost again; this time to R. D. Brooks. John Jensen pitched for the Lancers and was tabbed with the loss while Fred Bentley got credit for the win. R. D. Brooks: 4, 3, 5; Lancers: 3, 5, 9.

Friday the Lancers and Ada Oil Co. replayed a game that was called earlier because it didn't go the required 5 innings. The Lancers won the game on forfeit because the Ada Oil team pitched an ineligible pitcher.

Standings	7	3
Braves	7	3
Cougars	6	4
R. D. Brooks	4	6
Lancers	4	6
Ada Oil Co.	4	6

### Next Weeks Games

Monday, July 23, this game will be played Friday due to the trip to the Lowell Showboat on Monday.

Tuesday at the Ada Recreation Field, Lancers vs. Braves, and at the Lions Youth Park, Ada Oil Co. vs. R. D. Brooks.

Wednesday, R. D. Brooks vs. Cougars.

Thursday, Cougars vs. Lancers.

Friday, Braves vs. Ada Oil Co.

### TICKETS ON SALE FOR TV

The Eastmont Mothers' Club are selling tickets at 5 for \$1 on a portable TV set. The drawing will be on July 31. The proceeds from the ticket sale will go to the Martin School.

### RETURN FROM WEEKS' TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fosner and sons, 7266 Denison Drive, S. E., returned home Monday from a weeks vacation trip in northern Michigan.

## Mac Gregors To Show Slides On Turkey

Mr. and Mrs. James Mac Gregor, former Cascade residents, who have returned to their home in Delton, Michigan, after spending two years in Ankara, Turkey, will be at the Fellowship Hall of the Cascade Christian Church on Tuesday evening, July 24, at 7:30 p. m. to meet their many friends in the area and show slides of their travels the past two years.

Mr. MacGregor was on an assignment with the International Cooperation Administration with the Turkish National Police as communications advisor.

Everyone is invited to attend and refreshments will be served.

## Baseball League Plans Outings

The boys and coaches of the Forest Hills Summer Baseball League will be the guests of the Lowell Showboat on Monday, July 23rd. All the boys and their coaches will meet at the Lion's Field and will travel together as teams. The group will leave at 6:45 p. m.

As this will be the first show of the new Showboat, and the exact time for the return is uncertain, however, it is expected that the group should be back at the Lion's Field about 11:30 p. m. So, Parents, please plan on picking up your boy or arrange to have a ride for him about this time.

The game between the Braves and Ada Oil Co. scheduled for Friday instead, so that all the teams can leave together.

### Detroit Trip

Some time ago this League made a request to Tiger Stadium about tickets, as to price, etc. for a Tiger game. The reply came last week in the form of an official invitation for 200 boys and 25 adults.

The League has been investigating the best means of transportation for the lowest possible rates, and at the present time it seems that the boys can take in the trip for about \$2.50 each, plus lunches and spending money.

### Also Little League

The League has issued an official invitation to any and all Little Leaguers who wish to make the trip. The cost will be the same to them. Watch the Suburban Life for later news about this.

## Boys Complete Canoe Trip Down Thornapple

Four boys, Boyd Kooistra, Dick Sremba, Vern Kuipers, and Dave Atkinson camped at Thornapple Lake near Hastings Friday night, and began a canoe trip down the Thornapple River.

They camped at Middleville on Saturday night and finished their trip to Cascade on Sunday.

### Close Ada Shot Center

The permanent closing of the County Health Department's Ada Immunization Center at the Ada Township Hall on the corner of Thornapple River Drive and Ada Drive which was regularly held the 4th Wednesday of every month will become effective July 1. Therefore, the next Center Scheduled for July 25 will not be held. A reorganized plan for city and county immunization programs will be announced at a later date.

## newest arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vander Laan 2674 Kraft S. E., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Darla Joan, born at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic hospital on Wednesday, July 11. The new arrival weighed 5 pounds 13 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byerly Jr., 859 Byerly Ave. are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Raymond Lewis on Monday, July 9th at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bloem, 2740 32nd St. S.E. announce the birth of a daughter on July 10th at Blodgett Memorial Hospital.

## hospital notes

Myron Oatman, 3475 Goodwood, is a patient at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital.

Walter Palm, 3521 Thornapple River Dr. S.E., is again a patient at Blodgett Memorial Hospital.

Robert Martin, 7151 Oran S.E., is under observation at Blodgett Memorial Hospital.

### LICENSE REVOKED

The drivers license of William Leverst Platz 21, 6766 Four Mile Road, Ada was revoked March 28, 1962 for driving with license revoked according to the June 29 report of the Michigan Department of State.

## Taxpayer Must Answer Question Of Money Needs of Twp., School, Co.

At the 1962 Annual Township meeting held at the Cascade Township Hall, the Township Board was directed by the voters to place a proposition before the electors of Cascade Township, at the August 7th, 1962 election.

The proposition was, to vote extra millage to complete our blacktop program on all township roads. After meeting with the Kent County Road Commission it was decided by the township board, that the most feasible and economical way to proceed was

to request 1 mill additional tax for 5 years. This is to be used only to provide additional funds to hasten the day when all the roads in Cascade will be blacktopped.

This 1 mill will produce about \$10,000 each year. The Kent County Road Commission provides \$5,000 per year as matching funds. The cost per mile for blacktop is approximately \$12,000 to \$15,000.

I realize that the county is asking for 1 mill extra voted tax and the schools will also be asking for additional millage. It poses a problem to the taxpayer. This problem can and will be answered by the tax payer himself.

All local units of government must and will abide by the majority decision. This is still a democracy.

Gerrit Baker  
Cascade Twp. Supervisor.

## Elect New Officers For Advisory Committee

The July meeting of the Citizens Advisory Committee was held at Collins School on Tues. July 10th. The following officers were elected for the new school year:

President, Fred Fay, Martin School; vice-president, Edwin Pleune, Knapp School; secretary, Mrs. Joyce Corrie, Collins School, and treasurer, Mrs. Beverly DeGood, Egypt Valley School.

Beverly De Good- Egypt Valley School.

By Don Denison.

## LETTER TO EDITOR Corrects Scout Story

Dear Editor:

I would like to call attention to an article concerning the Troop 290 Court of Honor that appeared in your July 12 edition.

The reporter stated there had not been an Eagle award in the troop since 1947. This is an error as my son became an Eagle Scout on August 19, 1954, and went on to earn the Bronze, Gold and Silver palms—all from Troop 290.

Another boy in the troop also became an Eagle around the same time.

Mrs. Harold E. Tutt  
Ada, Michigan.

## Knapp Street Reformed Church Softball Games

On Tuesday, July 10th Knapp Reformed Church softball team won 13-0 over Immanuel Reformed Church. Ron rice pitched a no hit no run game.

On July 19th they will play at Lakeside and Michigan field at 6 p. m. against 8th Reformed Church.

On July 20th they will play Standale Reformed Church at 6 p. m. at the Lakeside and Michigan field.

On Monday, July 23rd they will play Fairhaven Reformed Church at the Lakeside and Michigan field at 6 p. m.

### GUESTS HERE FROM FLORIDA

Mrs. Merle Cramton has had as her guests for the past four days, her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill, Pat and Jane of Tampa, Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cramton entertained in their honor with a turkey dinner.

Read Suburban Life Want Ads.

## Hopeful Solution to Water Conflict



For lack of adequate controls, Michigan's boating boom has churned more and more friction between water-use groups, weakened public safety, and generally left recreationists puzzled about their rights on the state's waterways in recent years. Promising to turn the tide on this uneasy situation is a new law going into effect August 1. It sets up a Boating Control Committee composed of one member each from the Secretary of State's office, the Michigan Waterways Commission, and the Conservation Department; with the Michigan Sheriffs Association serving in an advisory capacity. At the request of local governing boards, this three-man committee will hold public hearings and be authorized to establish boat speed limits, regulate the size and horsepower of boat motors, restrict use of motorboats, and adopt whatever other regulations seem necessary to protect public safety on any particular body of water. Such regulations will require final approval by local governing units. Under the new law, the state will provide, on a 2-1 matching basis, up to \$20,000 per county each year for enforcement work and equipment.

Mich. Dept. of Conservation

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## Pre-Marital Exam Is Good Time For Counseling Session

"The pre-marital examination for women should go far beyond the minimal requirements of the law," according to a physician at The University of Michigan Medical Center.

In addition to the compulsory physical and blood test, the examination time should also serve as a counseling session, advises Dr. Tommy N. Evans, professor of obstetrics and gynecology.

"Despite living in an era of emphasis on education," he says, "essential knowledge for a successful marriage is not easily acquired by young people." He urges the physician and patient to use this opportunity during the pre-marital exam in eliminate fear, correct misinformation, detect disease in its early stage, and uncover any physical defects.

Most women have a natural fear of this examination, Dr. Evans says. Counseling can help eliminate it and start the woman on a pattern of periodic exams so important to her health.

"Dispelling unfounded fear about pregnancy is another important part of pre-marital counseling," the U-M physician explains. Women need reassurance that they have no physical reasons to keep them from having children. Many want advice on how to control or space their pregnancies.

Dr. Evans says that any serious physical defects uncovered in the examination should be corrected before marriage. "Most congenital obstructions and even absences of the birth canal can be corrected surgically."

Also, he adds, many cases of previous pulmonary tuberculosis, heart disease, diabetes and other serious illnesses no longer necessarily make a marriage and childbirth unwise.

Pre-marital medical aid and advice "can be an important part of the preparation for the responsibilities of marriage and parenthood," Dr. Evans concluded on a recent University radio broadcast co-sponsored by the State Medical Society.

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## Report From Europe

— BY JOEL THURTELL —

(E.D. Note: This is the most recent in a series of on-the-scene reports by Joel Thurtell, Lowell Exchange student spending the summer in Lebatz-Ahrenbok, Kreis Eutin, Germany. Joel is a senior at Lowell High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard T. Thurtell of N. Washington St.)

July 8, 1962

In my second week here in Northern Germany, I have learned much more about the political attitudes of the German people. Many seem to admire President Kennedy, although not wholly agreeing with his policies. One gentleman informed me that the U.S. is now a dictatorship.

Several people have told me that they are tired of hearing about Jackie. However, one man who was unquestionably popular here is General Lucius Clay. The Germans were sorry to see him leave.

As far as East Germany is concerned, the situation is deplorable by most West Germans. It is interesting to watch the propaganda that flies back and forth between East and West over television. East German TV aims chiefly at convincing the outside world and East Germans alike that the "German Democratic Republic" is paradise. The success of the Soviet Union is described in detail, omitting the present Russian famine, of course. The Volkspolizist is played up to be the "good guy" in plays and movies. They dwell upon this theme quite often, as if they are not very sure of it themselves.

Of course, all the West Germans need to combat this is to contrast the living and working conditions in the two zones. The difference is like that between night and day. I would compare the average West German family with the average American family. Clothing is essentially the same, and most homes are complete with the same appliances: TV, radio, refrigerator, central heating, washer, dryer, etc., etc.

### Attends German School

Last week I attended a typical German high school in Lubeck, and I can't say that I was favorably impressed. I had formerly been of the opinion that German schools are superior to ours, but I no longer believe this. I find that, unlike American schools, where four or five subjects are carried for a full year and stud-

ied an hour a day for five days in a week, the Germans carry the same thirteen subjects for eight years of high school. I must point out that these eight years begin in what we would term elementary school. There are 32 hours in their school week (30 hours in most U.S. schools) and this means that a subject must be studied only an hour or two, one day per week.

I don't believe this allows enough class time to thoroughly study a subject. This is especially true with difficult ones like math and the sciences. Too much may be forgotten in a week. This was evident in a chemistry class I sat in on. In six years of study, they were about as far as our classes get in one semester. This apparently was no fault of the instructor, as many claimed he was the best in the school.

Although I don't believe the Germans run their schools right, they sure know how to organize a party! Recently I went to an evening party in honor of one of the family relatives who was getting married. There was plenty of food, and much dancing and entertainment. The whole blast lasted from about five o'clock in the afternoon until five in the morning. It was really a lot of fun, although for a while I thought it would never break up.

The meals here are arranged somewhat differently than they are in the States, also. I usually get up at about eight o'clock in the morning and have some bread and milk or coffee. About an hour later comes breakfast with fried eggs and meat of some sort. We have a large meal at noon. Coffee time comes at four in the afternoon, and dinner at eight in the night. I have no fears of starving here, anyway.

Yours truly,  
Joel Thurtell.

## Average Teacher Spends Too Much Time on Control

The average teacher puts too much effort into trying to control the pupils, says Ned Flanders, University of Michigan professor of education.

"Too often the control held by the teacher creates an undesirable dependence on the teacher that detracts from a pupil's learning," Flanders says.

The U-M educator, who has spent years in educational research, believes teachers and parents "are creating a dependent-pron generation" in the classroom and home. This situation can present a great danger in the future if it leads to acceptance of national conformity and authoritarianism," he states.

"The teacher, by law, tradition and expectation of the pupil, has control over the pupil," he points out. "No child can constantly flaunt the authority of the teachers, and no teacher can avoid this power of control, and therefore the challenge to teachers is how to exercise this control, Flanders says.

"While a pupil is in school, the teacher exerts control over him about two-third of the time by means of instruction, issuing directives, or other means. But there should be a shift closer to half the time, Flanders says, so that the pupil has less dependency on reacting to a teacher and is encouraged to use more of his time for actual learning.

"A pupil uses his 'built-in radar' to observe the teacher and then react accordingly, Flanders says. "This leads to a 'built-in dependency' of the pupil on the teacher. "The problem," he says, "is how to cut down on control by a teacher, and still sharpen the pupil's interests and skills."

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## Area Church News

### Cascade Christian Church

At the annual board meeting held Tuesday evening, July 10th, the following persons were elected for 1962-63 year: Chairman of board, Robert Cribley; Vice-Chairman, Ward Geib; Clerk, Mrs. Donnelly Palmer; Financial Secretary, Mrs. Ella Buttrick; Treasurer, Mrs. Milton Heaven; Historian, Mrs. Roger Wykes; and Trustee, Charles Dennett.

Elders elected were Ralph Fosner, William VanHeyningen, Sybrant Dykhouse, Edward Murphy and Ward Geib. Deacons elected were Ferris Post, Martin Postma, Will George, Lee Scott, Charles Don McNeely, Albert Oates, Don Heaven, Guy Chandler and Lyle Dykhuizen. Deaconesses, Mrs. Fay Johnson, Mrs. James Byerly, Mrs. Charles Dennett and Mrs. Robert White.

### Congregational Meeting

There will be a congregational meeting at 8 p.m. in Fellowship Hall Thursday evening, July 19th for the purpose of viewing and discussing the proposed plans for new church sanctuary and the means of financing. Every church member is urged to be present.

### Midweek Meeting

At 8:45 p.m. on Wednesday evening, July 25th the mid-week study group will meet at the Gaylord's, 7108 Dorset.

### E. Paris Christian Ref.

The summer Bible class will meet at the church at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, July 24th.

### Ada Community Ref.

The guest minister for Sunday, July 22nd will be the Rev. Louis Branning of Wisconsin.



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### Eastmont Baptist Church

On Thursday evening, July 19th at 7:30 p.m. the Ladies Missionary group will meet at the home of Mrs. Neal DenHouten, 6725 28th St. Her co-hostess will be Mrs. Ed Shimmel. The roll call response will be "A Characteristic I Admire In A Christian Home." The speaker will be Mrs. Forris Stevens. All ladies are invited. Bring your scissors, as we will be working on bandages.

### Softball Games

On Thursday evening, July 19th at 7 p.m. the softball team will play Wolverine Tile at the Moline Field.

On Tuesday evening, July 24th they will play Wayland Christian Reformed church at 7 p.m. at the Moline field.

### Classes Have Supper

The Maranatha and Fidelis Sunday School classes will have a cooperative supper Saturday, July 21st at 5 p.m. at the Maranatha Conference grounds at Muskegon. They will also participate in an evening service at the Maranatha Bible Conference.

### Cascade Christian Ref.

The Softball team have scheduled a game on Thursday, July 19th with Burton Heights Christian Reformed Church at 9 p.m. at the Recreation Center. On Thursday evening, July 26th they will play Beverly Christian Reformed Church at 6:30 p.m. at the Recreation Center.

### Church Picnic

On Saturday, July 21st, there will be an all church picnic at the Recreation Center, to which everyone is invited. There will be games beginning at 4 p.m. with a catered supper at 6 p.m. Please bring your own table service.

### Vacation Bible School

The Vacation Bible School will be held this year from August 6th through August 15th, from 9 to 12 noon. There will be Bible lessons, crafts and refreshments. All children ages 3 through 12 are invited to attend.

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Growth of the "multiple vacation" habit, encouraged by more leisure time and better highways, was cited recently by Aurey D. Strohpaal, manager of the West Tourist Association, in a prediction of a strong tourist season this summer.

"Instead of one vacation trip people are taking two or three," Strohpaal said. "Better highways which help them to go farther faster encourage more week-end trips in addition to longer vacation trips."

Development of the freeway system, a department in which Michigan runs ahead of almost all other states, is making it possible to save many hours in travel time and is encouraging tourists to come oftener and go farther, Strohpaal said.



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## Summer Vacation Fun Calls For Sense of Humor, Friendliness

Each spring, long before the snows are off the ground, thousands of mid-westerners are busy making plans for a vacation in their favorite state park campground.

Before vacation time rolls around the amount of gear has been whittled down and plans changed a number of times—depending on the condition of the car springs and the durability of the vacation budget—croquet set goes back in the closet and franks and beans replace sirloin as the predominant meal on the next two weeks' menu.

When the time comes to lock the front door for the fifth time—four last-minute trips inside having been made to turn off the water heater, check the stove burners, write a note to the milkman, and to transfer the note to the milkman from the kitchen table to the back porch—most families will have all of the equipment necessary for an enjoyable camping trip stowed away in their proper places. (Eggs under the outdoor motor, today's picnic lunch under the tent, and the boat oars under the front porch.)

From observations made through the years, it is apparent that the one piece of equipment which is most neglected is also the one which provides the maximum enjoyment on any camping trip. Before rolling out of the driveway, let's run through the items in your "mental knapsack" and check them off to make certain we haven't forgotten any of the essentials:

**SENSE OF HUMOR**—Several years ago a couple registered for four days in Fort Wilkins State park campground—mum was looking forward to a few days away from the chores of child-raising and dad, a rabid fisherman, was going to whip the local waters to a froth. Yet, two hours after they arrived their tent was down, the car re-packed, and they were headed non-stop back to Ohio—mum had accidentally packed their seven-year-old's tackle box in place of dad's.

Silly? Of course! A hearty chuckle (after the initial glare at his spouse and a few understandable mutterings) plus the local purchase of two or three lures would have salvaged the entire vacation. An extreme case, probably, but time and again camping parties have folded up from such incidents as a sudden rainstorm at mealtime, a loose tent stake, or a punctured air mattress—nothing of great consequence, actually, but if you are an old grouch it will be all you'll need to spoil everyone's vacation.

**FRIENDLINESS**—There's no such thing as a recluse in a state park—partly because of the physical aspects of the area which necessitate close-quarters camping, but mostly because the average camper is a pretty darned amiable character.

If you are new to an area and don't know the 'lay of the land', strike up a conversation with your neighbor—chances are he will be happy to get you oriented and perhaps you will be sharing vacation fun together. Friendships of many years standing have begun in campgrounds, and many of these camping friends eventually arrange to take their vacations at the same time.

**WITSABOUTYOU**—There is nothing that can dull the fun of a camping trip as quickly or permanently as misplacing or losing a good wristwatch, an expensive camera, or a favorite rod and reel.

It takes so little time to check your watch or glasses with another member of the family before using the shower—or, if beach-combing, fishing or swimming, keep

all of your valuables locked in the car for safekeeping—car keys excepted, as they cannot be classified as valuable items inside a locked car.

**INTEREST**—Too many vacationers arrive in a campground with a closed mind towards any type of recreation other than their present interests. If they are fishermen, and the trout are on strike, the whole trip is a fizzle as far as they are concerned—and one unhappy camper can quickly sour things for the entire party.

All of Michigan's state parks and their surrounding areas are rich in recreational opportunities—that's why they were made state parks. Don't sit around and stew about the uncooperative trout and bluegills, or the unseasonably cold weather that makes swimming impossible—instead, take an interest in some of the other activities available to you.

That fellow going through those crazy calisthenics down the beach gets just as much satisfaction from finding a fine agate, as you do in catching a two-pound trout. And the family that hiked to the top of Lookout Hill for some picture-taking found some choice patches of wild strawberries along the way. They'll be going back there with some empty coffee cans in the morning. "You mean you've never taken the old trail back to Wingdinger Falls?—we were in there yesterday and saw a deer, two grouse, a porcupine, and not a single bear can."

**OPTIMISM**—Fortunately, most of the rains along the Great Lakes are of a short duration, so don't get panicky from the first down-pour and break camp with the idea of 'getting away' from the rain. It can't be done. Sit tight, and the odds are in your favor that the weather will break by tomorrow.

In the meantime, keep a close rein on your mind, and don't let it wander back to the things you could be doing if it wasn't raining. Think instead of the things you can be doing while it is raining. Catch up on your reading from the park library, visit some of the local museums or exhibits, or take a few of the side-road trips you don't find time for in good weather.

Above all, pack a double portion of common sense in your knapsack—there are darned few unpleasant situations that crop up on a camping trip which couldn't be eased—in fact, made enjoyable—by simple counter-measure.

## Here's How To Make Your Own Frozen Dinners

Want to experiment in making your own frozen dinners? According to dietitians at the University of Michigan Medical Center, it is easy, a great time saver, and remarkably economical on the family budget.

When you are cooking one of the family's favorite meals, say the U-M food specialists, add extra potatoes, vegetables and meat so you'll be sure to have several more servings than you need.

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## STIFF LIP

by Gary Stiff

That most entrancing, captivating, alluring, fascinating and attractive of all amusements—the circus—came to Grand Rapids on Monday, and it was worth every nickel this yokel shelled out.

Took quite a few of them, too! Managed to get into the side-show on a cut-rate ticket, however, and there enjoyed watching such marvels as the Mystery Woman, the Magician, the Sword-swallower, & the Fire-eater.

As promised by the Barker, no extra charge was made inside the side-show tent to watch the acts or gape at the denizens of the jungle which lolled apathetically in their cages, but, if they wished, the more gullible spectators could pay an extra dime to see the pretty Mystery Woman reveal her secret, contribute a nickel or two to the Magician in exchange for a do-it-yourself legerdemain kit, or fork over ten cents for a souvenir photo of the Sword-swallower gulping four (count 'em) yard-long knives at once.

Didn't stick around to see what "extra" the Fire-eater had up for sale. A bottle of lighter fluid, perhaps—to be taken before retiring?

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The occasion for all this hoopla was the one-day stand of the Clyde Beatty-Cole Bros. Combined Circus—billed as the world's largest—which is one of the few remaining circuses operating under a tent.

The big-top seemed a little smaller than the one I watched being raised by the roustabouts of the old Cole Bros. Show 15 years or so ago. But let's face it; 15 years worth of added inches plus super-abundant extra poundage can change anyone's viewpoint.

Anyway, the circus still puts on a good show. The elephants are still "mammoth, mastodontic pachydermic performers," the clowns still stage their "Fireman, Save My Che-ild!" skit, and there's still the grand march all around the "hippodrome" track—a "Dazzling, Exotic Reproduction Of The Royal Parade Preceding The Rajah's State Tiger Hunt; An Entrancing Glimpse of Oriental Dynastic Opulence In Marching Review."

There's even good old Clyde Beatty himself, lashing his Bengals and Kings of the Jungle with a whip, shooting off his blank-cartridge pistol in the kitties' kissers when they get too feline, and jabbing the beasts with his ice-cream parlor chair while roustabouts prod them in the rear with barbed poles.

Interestingly enough, the G.R. showing of Mr. Beatty's derring-do with the big cats was sponsored by the Kent County Humane Society.

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Circus fans must wait long and travel far these days to catch a glimpse of their favorite entertainment in action. With the advent of television and the movies, the great traveling shows of yore are rapidly disappearing.

Nowadays most circus tradition can only be found preserved in books or in museums. One such institution, The Circus World Museum, is in Baraboo, Wisconsin, just off route 12 on the way to St. Paul.

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the union, and many of the shows either originated in Baraboo or made that dairy-land town their winter headquarters. Baraboo is thus perhaps the most exotic little town in America.

Today the tourist in Baraboo can visit the flapping big-tops and sprawling elephant barns (pachyderm pads?) in which the museum's fascinating collection is on display.

There can be seen the stuffed remains of the two-headed calf which made P. T. Barnum a fortune at 10-cents a throw.

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