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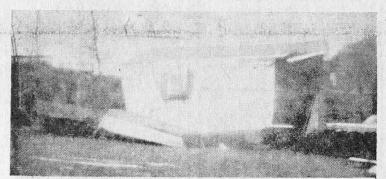
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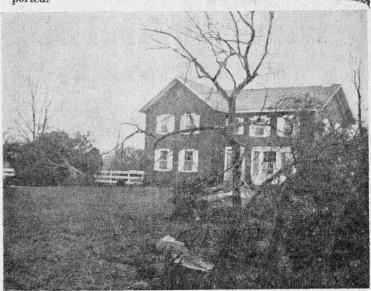
The second tornado caught the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Ross of Thorncrest Drive and tore it to pieces. This was one of seven homes completely wrecked. Help was quick to arrive. 23 Cascade firemen reported for duty, along with others who volunteered.



Pictured Saturday morning in the rain were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Munsey, trying to salvage something from their demolished house. Theirs was among the severely damaged homes in the area. Luckily no injuries were reported that required hospitalization.



Among the buildings wrecked by the second tornado that the garage of Fire Chief Sy Dykhouse, on Jeanlin Drive. All 23 firemen turned out in Cascade to assist in looking for injured and helping clear away roads and buildings. There were 7 homes badly damaged, 3 partially damaged, 4 garages demolished, along with 2 boat houses, Fire Chief Dykhouse re-



The Joe Neath farm home at the corner of Conservation and Fero was the last place the 7 p.m., tornado struck in its path across Grand Rapids, ending its trail of destruction here. Every one of the many trees were blown down, along with the garage. The barns and house were left standing. Ada firemen along with help from Cascade went to work clearing roads immediately after the tornado passed.

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Tornado damages area

hit their home.

arrived on the scene 5 minutes

fortunate. The teenagers in the

area really pitched in and made the work a lot easier.

Grover Buttrick, who, along with other firemen kept check-

ing throughout the night for any

possible signs of fire, reports that the help of everyone and

especially the teenage boys who

came in and cut up trees and

branches and supervised the

burning and general cleanup of

the area are especially to be commended. Without their help

and harder clean up job.

would have been a longer

Consumers Power and Michi-

gan Bell Telephone men were out working throughout the night and all day Saturday. They worked without complaint

to get services back to the area. Mrs. Dorothy Rooters who

has a restaurant in Cascade

served free hamburgs and cof-

fee to the workers, and the

wives of the firemen were on

duty serving piping hot coffee throughout the cold night and all day Saturday.

of 1199 East Paris found their

five plastic greenhouses ruined

and the four glass greenhouses

severely damaged when the

storm whirled by By 7 a.m. 25 or 30 people had collected to help them repair the dam-

age. These people worked all

day and managed to save the

Mrs. Dorothy Bos whose

greenhouse on Spaulding was

not damaged brought coffee and

sweet rolls to all the workers

during the day and Mrs. Matt-

son cooked and served supper

Ada Area

Grand River Drive, was hit

the hardest, with even the cem-

etery being damaged by falling

trees. Grand River Drive off of

21, was impassable Friday eve-

ning and most of Saturday.

Consumers Power and Michi-

gan Bell Telephone Company

had work crews clearing trees

from the road and trying to

get their services back into use

for the residents. By Sunday

when you could drive on the

Road each place looked like a

logging camp with new trees

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Staskus,

6620 Grand River Drive, were

still shaking Sunday. They had

just hit the basement when the

storm came over taking two

beautiful trees over 100 years

old, extensive damage to their

chimney and windows and roof.

however they are just thankful

that their family was not hurt.

The Staskus' son looked out the

Mrs. Staskus had nothing but

high praise for the excellent

work of the Consumers Power

Company workers and the Tele-

phone Companymen. She prais-

ed the excellent work of all the

neighborhood people who pitch-

ed in and helped everyone. She

commented on the area teen-

agers help in clearing the top-

pled trees and branches and

piling and burning anything that

looked as if someone had taken

a muddy burlap bag and swung

it around as fast as they could

as mud was all over their living quarters. The beautiful grove of Pine trees in the

King yard further up on Grand

River was completely leveled.

The B. J. Homkes found their

garage on a hillside near their

home, it was completely de-

molished. Roofs all along Grand

River were extensively damag-

ed. The Perdoks on M-21 had a

new building under construction

and it was completely demolish-

The Enlargement of

Our Staff

The R. C. Washburn's house

needed immediate attention.

of them very seriously

to be logged out.

for everyone who helped.

Abbring's crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennes Abbring

The fact that a series of tornadoes visited Western Michigan in general and the Ada-Cascade area in particular last in the dark just as the storm Friday night is hardly last minute news. However, the real story is the clean-up campaign which will take months to complete. Repairs which were immediately necessary have been taken care of and the slow process of picking up and starting over grinds on. Families will be relocating and reestablishing themselves over the period of the next few weeks.

What happened Friday night? The overall picture seems to indicate that the whirling black clouds did approximately \$250,000 worth of damage in this area. Damage varied from a broken window to the complete loss of homes. Trees, including some that had stood for over a

hundred years, were uprooted like so many weeds.

To be specific, people in this area now realize more completely what a tornado really leading to the specific of the specific or the specifi is, and appreciate in full the unbelievable force of the storm. The fact that very few per-

sonal injuries were received and no deaths resulted from the storm has been attributed to many by the excellent coverage given by the local TV and radio stations in conjunction with Civ-

Weatherman's Woes

The weathermen took their knocks too. WOOD-TV weatherman Buck Matthews lost his garage. This resulted in extensive damage to his pride and joy, a 1931 Chevrolet. Buck won't be able to drive his car in the annual Woodland Antique Car Tour this spring. His dog and dog house sailed skyward but the dog came home none the worse for wear.

Cascade Areas

Thorncrest and Jeanlin were the hardest hit area in Cascade. Mr. and Mrs. Sy Dykhouse of Jeanlin lost their garage and the fencing around their swimming pool. They hosted Mrs. Nellie Birman and her son, Franklin, who had no basement.

Mrs. Dykhouse reports that they came out of the basement after the first all-clear was given. She doesn't remember hearing the second warning to go to the basement. She feels it hit Cascade before the second warning was given.

It hit the Thorncrest area at minutes to 9

Mrs. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Wilcox had a large tree hit their breezeway, but as they had gas they were able to furnish hot coffee to many of the volunteers

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Munsey, 3059 Thorncrest, received the severest damage to their home. The roof was completely blown off. Mrs. Munsey, her 10-year-old son, Bruce, and her mother, Mrs. Buck, huddled in a closet while Mr. Munsey threw himself by the bed. All escaped injuries. Everything in the house was completely exposed to the

The Munsey's belong to the Jehovah's Witness Kingdom Hall at 1301 Burton Street, SE. After hearing the newscast, the Christian Brothers organized a work party and came out to help. By noon Saturday they had hauled the remaining contents of the house to be stored until it could be gone through for salvage. Mr. and Mrs. Munsey would like to thank everyone who pitched in and helped. They are new to the area only since fall, and everyone's cooperation was greatly appreci-

At the present time they are staying with Mr. and Mrs Jack Stein, 3235 Behler Drive, who made room for them in their home. If anyone knows of a home for rent in the Forest Hills area would they please contact the Munsey's at 949-1489. They would very much like to relocate in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Ross of Thorncrest had moved into their home in November and at the present time have taken up residency at the Arden Hills Motel. Mrs. Ross reports that no one was hurt and they hope to be back into their home in another week. They also had come out of the basement after

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Baker Book House

The Baker Book House in the Twinbrook Industrial Park, on M-21 was struck and the damage was estimated at about \$10,000 to the new building. The residents of Jeanlin and Thorncrest area would like to Damage to the contents, howthank the volunteer firemen who ever, was set at probably \$100,-000. Part of the roof was peeled arrived on the scene 5 minutes after the storm hit. They stayed all Friday night patroling the stricken area and no vandalism was reported. Neighbors who weren't hit and friends came in and helped those less over. The backed up water drenched and ruined the company's executive offices and damaged half of the book stock, all new prints of approximately 100,000 to 200,000 volumes.

Forest Hills and Cascade Road were closed for a time as a beautiful old tree was toppled into the highway.

All in all it was a harrowing experience for everyone. However all who suffered material damage seems to be of the same opinion, that they were so fortunate and material goods can be replaced but families cannot. It is heartbreaking to see your home in ruins. Many things of sentimental value can not be replaced. But thanks to the excellent Civil Defense warnings our neighbors are not suffering personal loss.

Township Board says "Thanks"

We would like to take this opportunity to express the appreciation and thanks of the Ada Township Board to all the Agencies and individuals who were so helpful during the tornado emergency last Firday

We owe a debt of gratitude to the Ada Volunteer Fire Department who worked all night lendassistance where needed and checking all areas of reported touch downs for damage and personal injuries. The Kent County Sheriff's Department for the personnel and patrol cars used for directing traffic and searching of damaged areas. The Michigan Bell Telephone Company and the Consumers Power Company for the prompt action in clearing fallen wires and restoring service. The Kent County Road Commission for the expeditious manner of clearing roads of fallen trees and immediate repairs to washed out roads and keeping them op-

to all emergency vehicles. And not to be forgotten are the good citizens and neighbors Ada who so graciously opened their homes to the families of residents whose houses were severely damaged by the storm And a special thanks to Dr. J. Foshee for the offer of his house over in Vergennes to any family who needed a place to live until their home was re-

The property damage is going to run high in the Township but we can all thank God that we had no deaths or personal injuries and that Ada was spared the blunt of the storm. Ada Township Board

Katherine Herrity gets faculty citation

Miss Katherine Herrity, a window and saw the dark cloud freshman at Lake Erie College, coming over. Had they remain-Painesville, Ohio, has received ed upstairs the blowing glass the faculty citation for scholarly would have surely injured one distinction on the basis of her academic performance throughout the Winter Term of the curnt school year.

Miss Herrity is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Herrity, 2845 Cascade Springs Dr., SE, Grand Rapids.

Student joins fraternity

The Office of Public Information of Denison University, of Granville, Ohio, has recently announced that Berkley I. Freeman, Jr., has been initiated into Delta Upsilon Fraternity.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Berkley I. Freeman, 1669 Buttrick Avenue, Ada.

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Ada church Work Day is May 6th

The Pilgrim Fellowship of the Ada Congregational Church, is planning a workday Saturday, May 6, from 10 to 4. The members will be hiring themselves to interested household to do spring cleaning, ironing, yard work, or anything that needs to be done around the house. The fee will be one dollar per hour. Anyone interested in hiring workers may call Nancy Marworkers may call Nancy Martin, at 676-1092 before Saturday, May 6, or call the church at 676-5281 from 9:30 to 4 Saturday, April 29.

Choir festival to be held Sunday

Michigan and Northern Ohio Alumni of Westminster Choir College, Princeton, New Jersey, will hold a festival of high school age choirs at East Congregational Church, Sunday, April 20 at 5 p. m.

ril 30, at 5 p. m.

Conducting the massed chorus
will be Beverly R. Howerton, organist and choirmaster at the Fountain Street Church, Ruth C.

Fountain Street Church, Ruth C. Nicely is the festival organist. Festival coordinator is Daniel G. Nicely. The Nicelys are ministers of music at East.

More than 500 choristers from Grand Rapids, Detroit, Birmingham, Flint, and Toledo will participate in the festival. All choirs are directed by graduates of the Princeton, New Jersey College. sey College.

Festivals of the Westminster Alumni Choirs are held by the Alumni Chapters throughout the country each spring. The public is invited.

Representing the Grand Rapids area will be The Youth Choir of Faith Lutheran Church, Helen Huber Stroh, Minister of Music. The Cathedral Bell Choir Pilgrim Choir of East Congre-gational Church. Daniel and Ruth Nicely, Ministers of Mu-

J. R. Hesselink services Monday

Robert Hesselink, 38, of Thornapple River Drive, passed away Friday in Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hesselink of the same address, one sister, Mrs. J. C. (Marilyn) Totten of East Lansing, several aunts

Services for Mr. Hesselink, were held Monday at Jonkhoff Funeral Home with interment at Rosedale Memorial Park.

M. S. Society meets May 1

The Western Branch Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society-Mighigan Chapter will hold their 1967 Annual Educational Meeting on Monday, May 1st. 7:30 p. m., at the Grand Rapids Public Museum— East Building.

Mrs. Jane Mitchell, O.T.R. Field Representative for the Michigan Heart Association will speak on "Aids to Daily Living" with demonstration of articles for self care to aid the multiple sclerosis patients and families

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to attend.

The Food Inspection Division of the Michigan Dept. of Agriculture announced that Harley Brink, 759 Ada Drive, Ada, was convicted in Justice Rittenger's Court on a charge of failing to bury a dead animal. He paid fine and costs of \$29.

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F. H. team drops three

In baseball action last week the varsity ballers had a tough time of it as they lost three consecutive games.

The scores of those road games were as follows: Tuesday, Wyoming Park 5, Rangers 4, Wednesday, South Christian 3, Rangers 1 and Friday, Godwin 10, Rangers 1.

In the two league games against Wyoming and So. Christian the Rangers took early leads only to see their efforts latter in the later innings. Pitching and doing a good job for those two fruitless games were him Moore and Greg Leach. Leading the hitting attack at Wyoming was second sacker Jim Koert, who had a triple and a single. At the Cutlerville School the Rangers could manage only three hits, two of these were by Randy Ashley and one by John Gromer. by John Gromer.

In the game last Friday at Godwin, the Rangers faltered to a 10-1 loss.

The lone run came on a solo homer that Scott Wingeier clout-ed to right center field. Wingeied to right center field, whigefer also did the pitching, doing a creditable job up to the 5th inning when the Wolverines only had two hits. The Ranger's overall baseball record is 0-5 and 0-3 in Ottawa Kent League competition. In five games the Ranger opponents have scored 36 runs and the green and white has scored 12 runs.

This week's games find the local boys against Kelloggsville Monday, Hudsonville at Hudsonville Wednesday and their 2nd home game of the season Friday entertaining the Rogers Hawks at 4 p. m.

Schedule

The Varsity baseball team schedule for the rest of the year is as follows:

April 28, Rangers, home. May Hudsonville Christian, away. May 3, Zeeland, home. May 4, West Ottawa, away. May 8, Godwin, home. May 10, Wyom-ing at home. May 12, South Christian, home.

May 17, Caledonia, at home. May 19, Hudsonville, at home. May 24, Rogers at Kimball Stadium. May 26, Zeeland, a-

All games are at 4 p. m. except Rogers at Kimball Stadium Scott Weaver,

Student Baseball reporter

Eastmont Baptist holds special services

Rev. Harry C. Trover, will hold special services at the Eastmont Baptist Church, 5038 Cascade Road, SE, Grand Rapids on May 1 through 7. Services will be at 7:30 night-

ly, with the exception of Saturday. Services Sunday, May 7, will be at 9:45 and 7 p. m. There will be special music each evening, and the song service will be led by Al Mere-dith of the Baptist Bible Col-

Rev. Trover is a well known evangelist, and is probably known to many young people as the author of the stories heard each week on Aunt Berthas. Children's Bible Hour.

The public is invited to all the services. Additional information may be obtained from Pastor Richard Gilaspy at 949-0311.

Student trains in office of Congressman

Kalamazoo College in Kalamazoo has more than 180 sophomore students getting "On-the-job training" this term. They have spent eleven weeks working full time jobs in many fields of endeavor.

Thomas Silver, son of Mr. & Mrs. James R. Silver, jr., 7441 Sheffield, SE, is one of the students participating in this pro-Thomas has been employed for this period in the office of Congressman Gerald Ford in Washington, D. C.

White Cane Week is April 23-27

The week of April 23 to 27 has been officially proclaimed White Cane Week by Michigan's Governor George Romney.

The White Cane movement has been a project of the Lions Club for the past twenty-five years. During this time they have provided White Canes for the blind for their safety in traffic and have acquainted the general public as to their special obligations to the people who carry White Canes. In addition they have conducted a public information campaign to develop these aims.

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Sunday, April 30, 10 a. m.

school, 3 p. m. Choir rehearsal, 4:30 p. m. Young People's Society. 7 p. m. Evening Worship, conducted by Rev. Marinus Goote, of the Boston Square Christian Reformed Church of

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First Evangelical Free Church

NE, at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday, April 30, 9:30 a. m., Sunday School. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Evening worship at 7 p. m. Wednesday, May 3, Mid-week

prayer and Bible Study.

Whitneyville UB Church Sunday, April 30, Morning worship at 10 a. m. Sunday School, 11 a. m. Evening worship, 7 p. m.

Knapp Street Reformed Church

Sunday, April 30, Morning worship 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Wednesday, May 3, 7:30 p. m. Choir practice.

Ada Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, April 30, 9:30 a. m. Morning Service, Sunday school following. Evening worship 7

Monday, May 1, No catechism

St. Robert's Catholic Church

Saturday, April 29, 8:30 the grade school catechism at Ada Sunday, April 30, Morning masses at 8 a. m., 10 a. m. and

Monday, May 1, 7 p. m. High School Religion classes. Daily masses 9 a. m. Monday through Friday, Saturday 10:30

Ada Congregational Church

Sunday, April 30, Morning worship 10 a. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. The P. F.'s will meet at 4 p. m. The Sevates will have a Bowling Party, all 7th and 8th grades are invited.

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6:30 p. m. Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m. Rev. Daniel Roehl, Minister

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Ada Christian Reformed Church Morning Worship Sunday School **Evening Worship**

11:00 A. M. 7:00 P. M. Pastor-Rev. R. A. Bruxvoort

League 6 p. m.
Tuesday, May 20, The annual
meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Lutheran Social Services of Michigan, will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church in Midland. The topic will be "The Contribution of Church Women to the Role of Family Planning. Reservations should be in by April 28. Coming the Mother & Daughter Banquet, May 12. The cost is \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children under 12.

Eastmont Baptist Church

Thursday, April 27, Ladies calling 10 a. m. Men's calling

Sunday, April 30, Primary church 9:45, ages 3 through 8. Worship Service 9:45. Speaker will be Mr. Mel Stadt, of the Shepards Home, who will present the work with the mentally handicapped children. Sunday School II a. m., Young People's 5:45, Evening Worship 7 p. m. Monday, May 1 through the

7th will start the Evangelistic Services with Rev. Harry Trover. The week-day meetings will be 7:30, Sunday Services 9:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. There will be prayer groups throughout the week. Men's Prayer meeting at 7 a. m. each morning at the church. Ladies prayer meeting each afternoon at 1:30.

Friday, April 28th there will be a prayer meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kujawa, 6995 Berger Drive, SE, at 7:30 p. m.

Eastmont Reformed Church

Sunday, April 30, Morning worship 10 a. m. Sunday school, Evening worship 7 p. m. RCYF at 5:30 p. m.
Saturday, May 6, Boy's Brigade will have a car wash at

the Forest Hills Shop Rite at 9

St. Michael's Episcopal

Friday, April 28, Feast of St. Mark, communion 9:30 a. m. Sunday, April 30, Morning Prayer and Communion at 10 a. m. Church School and Nursery. Presentation of the United Thank Offering of the Women of the Church. Birthday Sunday. Grace Church Appreciation day, evening prayer and re-freshments with Dr. Carey and the Grace Church Vestry.

Monday, May 1, Feast of St. Phillip and St. James, communion at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, May 2, Adult Dis-

cussion group at DeAguirres' home at 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday, May 3, Choir practice 7 p. m.

Cascade Christian Church

Thursday, April 27, Senior Choir rehearsal meets in the choir room, 8:00.

Saturday, April 29, Church awards classes meet with the pastors from 9:45 to 11:45. The cherub choir rehearsal at 9:45, and children's choir rehearsal, 10:45. TAGS meet at the church at 1:00.

Sunday, April 30, Worship services and Sunday School sessions, 9:15 and 10:30. Youth group meetings, 5 to 7. Team ing on the Every Member Canvass, to take place in Fellow-ship Hall, 7:15.

Monday, May 1, Boy Scout meeting in Fellowship Hall, at

Tuesday, May 2, CWF executive board meets in the church parlor at 10 a. m. Denichurch parlor at 10 a, m, Denison Guild will have an all-day work meeting in Fellowship Hall, starting at 10 a. m. Ladies of other guilds and the church as a whole are invited to help in cleaning the church kitchen. Please bring a sack lunch with coffee and dessert provided. Yokefellows meet at the Dale Semon residence. 5657

the Dale Semon residence, 5657
Madison, SE, at 8:00.
Wednesday, May 3, Doerr
Guild meets with Mrs. George
Itchue, 5565, Ada, Driver, et 6:20 Itchue, 5565 Ada Drive, at 9:30

Ada Community Reformed

Thursday, April 27, 9:30 a.m. Hour of Power. The Girl's Lea-gue Spring Rally will be held at Richmond Reformed Church

at Richmond Reformed Church at 8 p. m. All girls planning to attend meet at the church at 7:15 p. m. Guild for Christian Service at 8 p. m. Sunday, April 30, 10 a. m. Worship service, 11:20 Sunday School, 7 p. m. Evening Wor-ship. Area Wide Hymn Sing at 8:45 p. m. at the church. Spe-cial time of fellowship and re-freshments wil be held between freshments wil be held between the evening worship and the

Hymn Sing.

Tuesday, May 2, Girl's League will meet at the home of Mrs. John Adrianse, Fase St. 7 p. m. Consistory, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, May 3, Family night 7 p. m. High School catechism, 7:30 junior choir, kindergarten through 2nd grade catechism. Adult Bible Study and prayer group. 8 p. m. Senior choir, 3rd through 8 grade catechism. Reservations for the Mother & Daughter Banquet, due May 1, adults \$1.60, 750 9 and under. Call OR 6-1762, or OR 6-3611.

R. L. D. S. at Alaska

Thursday, April 27, 8 p. m. The Women's General meeting will be held at the church. Saturday, April 29, from 6 to 9 p. m. the Youth Department will sponsor a Penny Carnival at the church. Games, booths for the children, bake sale and home-made ice cream. Every-



Mothers' Club plans Salad Lunch

The Ada Christian School Mothers' Club plans to have their annual Spring Salad Luncheon on Wednesday, May 3 from 11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. in the Ada Christian Reformed Church basement. A variety of delicious salads and desserts will be served along with coffee and rolls. Making plans for this annual event over a cup of coffee are Ruth Stukkie, Ann Sietsema and Edna Kosten.

one welcome Sunday, April 30, Morning worship 11 a. m. The speaker will be Elder Merrill Champion, the theme will be "Worship Anew with Rebirth." Church School 9:45 a. m. Evening worship 7 p. m. The speaker will be Elder Owen Ellis, the theme will be "Worship in Cleanliness of Charity."

Wednesday, May 3, at 7:30 p. m. Mid-week worship service. Saturday, May 6, The Alaska Reorganized L.D.S. Church at 68th Street, Alto, Michigan, will have a clothing household and bake good sale at Dintaman Hardware Store in Alto from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Area-wide fellowship

An Area Wide Hymnsing will be held at Ada Community Reformed Church Sunday evening, April 30, at 8:45, featuring Mel Verwys as Song Leader and the Crusaders Quartet from Grand Rapids. Mrs. Fred Wessels will be at the organ and Mrs. John be at the organ and Mrs. John

Letson at the piano.

A special time of fellowship and refreshments will be held from 8:15 to 8:45 in the Fellowship Hall downstairs. You are cordially invited to enjoy the refreshments and the Sing.

On the planning committee are: Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Everling and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Depew.



wedding held March 25th

Peggy L. Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cain of Rockford, and Merle W. Visser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Jansma of Grand Rapids, were united in marriage on March 25.

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league pitching. This fee must be charged to help defray the cost of lighting the courts. The club's officers have announced plans for the installation of three new courts, concrete at the Ladies distance (30 feet) and a chain link fence on the South side of the courts. The Covered Bridge Club invites any other club, organization or church group to use the courts providing the courts are not mis-used. Week night dates are available and any interested parties should contact the club secretary, Eugene Polias, Route No. 2 Ada, Phone OX-1-8257 after 6 p. m.' There are several retirees included in the Covered Bridge Club's membership. The club would like to help form a week-

enridge, Shepherd, Sebewaing, Yale, Marlette and possibly Midland in hosting a series of Handicap tournaments. This will be a jackpot series with the Championship to be decided at Breckenridge on August 26th. Any WSHPA member or any member of one of the participating clubs will be eligible to try

> All players are expected to have their own shoes. Most of the local hardware dealers have shoes for sale. If you prefer the professional type of shoes please contact one of the club

for this big prize.

coming events

The Young People of Cascade Christian Reformed Church will hold a Car Wash and bake sale The horseshoe pitching season at the Church Parking Lot, 10 a.m. until 4 p. m. Donations will officially open Tuesday evening, May 2, when the Covered will be used for the Summer Bridge Horseshoe Club will get Workshop in Missions Program. son underway. All interested Roselyn Versluys of 3650 Michigan Street, NE, will be working parties whether they be men, at the Summer Workshop in women or juniors are invited to Missions Program in Mason sign up for the season at the first scheduled meeting. A qual-City, Iowa, this summer.

Community Chorus rehearsal, every Monday evening, 7:30 p. m. at Choir room in the Forifying round of 50 shoes will be pitched by all newcomers to establish a handicap figure for est Hills High School, Anyone who wishes to join is welcome.
The annual Spring dinner meeting of the Central Michigan their initial start at this type of University Alumni Association will be held on Thursday, April There is a small annual

27, at 7 p. m. at the Elks Country Club, 2715 W. Leonard, Grand Rapids. Guest speaker will be James K. Miller, Kent County Prosecuting Attorney. Forest Hills Music Association

will meet Monday, May 1, at 8 p. m. in the Band Room at Forest Hills Schools. Cascade School PTO Annual Spring Buffet will be held on Tuesday, May 9th, at 6:15 p. m.

in the All Purpose room at the school. Guest speaker, Robert Masten, will talk on the proposed building programs for the Forest Hills Schoola.

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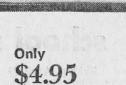


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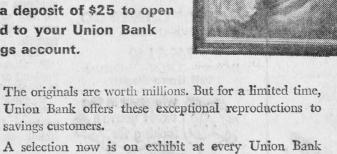


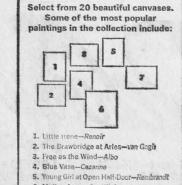
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Church cut seminar, May 12

The American Society for Church Architecture and Christian Art Associates will cosponsor a one day Seminar May 12. The afternoon Seminar Panel session will start at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Richard Douaire, a member of the Fine Arts Committee for the Archdiocese of Chicago

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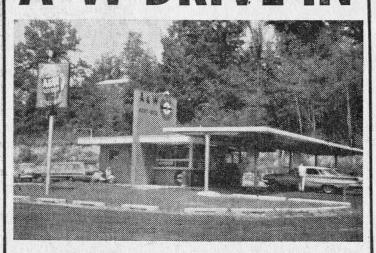
A Snack

Other panel members will be Sister M. Thomasita, head of the Fine Art Department of Cardinal Stritch College, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Richard R. Caemmerer, Jr. head of the Fine Art Department Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana and Thomas Yaeger, Architect, member of the firm Buderus, Sunshine and Yaeger, of Park Ridge, Illinois.

The title of the panel discussion will be "Art in the Service of the Church"

The evening lecture, beginning at 8:30 p.m. will be "Architecture in the Serivce of the Church", with Mr. Yaeger being the lecturer. A discussion period will follow. The American Society of Church Architecture Exhibit of 10 Jury selected, world renowned buildings will be on display for this seminar and for two weeks thereafter. Fee for both sessions of this one day Seminar \$3.00. Advance reservations

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Miss Schipper's wedding plans

Gracia Schipper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schip-per, 7546 Fase Street, Ada, and Edward Tichelaar, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tichelaar of Saranac, are planning a June wedding.

Miss Schipper is a senior at Forest Hills High School and Mr. Tichelaar graduated from Saranac High School and is attending Ferris State College.

Academy dancers at Aquinas fete

On Thursday evening Aquinas College drama students presented Carousel Week's Drama Night in the Carriage House, Theatre in The Round. Drama students delivered various readings and improvisations. Featured was a performance by the Ballet Group from the Academy of Dance.

The original iazz ballet entitled "LeConflit" was presented by Edward Riffel and Rich Rahn with Pamela Martin representing Love. Cheryl Mason, Passion, Margi Duiven, Mary Battjes and Val Faunce, Indecision. All the dancers performed with beauty and grace, and Pamela Martin, a fourteen-year-old dance student, was out-

standing in the role of Love.

Mr. Rahn and Mr. Riffel,
the choreographers, represented Man in the dance and their out-standing talents as dancers as well as instructors showed thru brilliantly.

This summer the two local dance masters will have a busy schedule. They will have the direction of the Academy's girls line for the Lowell Showboat. For two weeks this summer they will be at the Blue Lakes Fine Arts Camp in Muskegon.
They will also participate in
the "Music Man" to be presented at John Ball Park.

The team combination of Rahn and Riffel has made numerous night club, stage and television appearances. Mr. Rahn has danced the lead in "The Music Man" for the Chicago Equity Touring Company, while Mr. Riffel has had dance experience with the Royal Ballet

and the London Festival Ballet. The two dance masters donated their talents to the Forest Hills High School for the choreography for "The King and I." They are truly a great asset to our ever growing com-

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Muriel Dilley, woman in man's world

Mrs. Muriel Dilley with one of her students at the Kent Co. Airport. Mrs. Dilley is the only woman ground school instructor in the Grand Rapids area.

Do you ever have Walter Mitty dreams of soaring around in the air as free as a bird?

For some it may be that getting through the day's routine means hurrying to paint a picture, play a game of golf, or to finish a good book. But for Muriel Dilley a perfect day happens when she has taken care of the needs of her husband, their four teenage children, various community affairs, and she can get to the Kent County Air-port as quickly as possible. And when she arrives there it is to go flying, to talk flying, or to

teach flying.

But it wasn't always thus. Until very recently, Mrs. Dilley was extremely frightened at the very thought of "flying so high with some guy in the sky" even when the pilot happened to be her husband.

But when they had only ten days for a vacation and decided to fly in order to cover 14 states, Mrs. Dilley said, "that is what proved to me the value of flying. We were actually only in the air for 24 hours out of all of that vacation time and we were able to visit distant relatives and see sights we couldn't have seen any other

"But I still wasn't too keen on the actual flying aspect even though I realized the poten-



Willow DeFouw gets wings

Miss Willow Jean DeFouw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ger-ald DeFouw, 431 Greenbrier Drive, Grand Rapids, has been awarded the silver wings of an American Airlines stewardess after completing training at American's Stewardess College,

Fort Worth, Texas. She has been assigned to flight duty out of Buffalo.

Miss DeFouw was born in Grand Rapids, where she grad-uated from Forest Hills High in 1964. She also attended Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, as a speech major. She was a runner-up for "State Champion in Bowling" in 1964. She held the title of "Sno-Ball Queen" in 1964. Prior to joining American Airlines, she was employed at Steelcase Company in Grand Rapids.
She is 5' 6%" tall with dark

brown hair and blue eyes. Miss DeFouw graduated with the sixth class of the year at American's unique Stewardess College. During her seven-week training period she studied more than 100 different courses, ranging from make-up & grooming to in-flight food service and theory of flight.

school news

Friday, April 28, there will be a Campaign Assembly and all students who are seeking offices for the student council for next year will give a campaign speech.

Thursday, April 27, the band will attend a Band Clinic at Zeeland and will spend the day in Zeeland.

Wednesday, May 3, The school will hold an assembly for all students being taken into the Honor Society.

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"Then we wanted to take a trip to the Bahamas and my husband wanted to fly there. Well, I finally consented to take a pinch-hitter course. This consisted of six hours of learning to operate the radio and to land the plane in case of emergency. After just two hours of this, I began to think how interesting it might be to actually take over the controls and perhaps so-

And this is the way she progressed to a license, step by step. It was never Mrs. Dilley's intention in the first place to go on and on until she became the first woman ground school instructor in the area.

It just happened that she gradually became a flyer and then she was encouraged by her instructor to take a series of exams which enabled her to teach ground school. At first, following the previous pattern, she only substituted for another instructor, but now she has been hired by North American to teach her own classes.

Once a week, Mrs. Dilley reigns in a modern classroom with all facilities where she thoroughly enjoys herself as she makes friends and helps others. She has so far had three women students. The total number of students in a class is usually between thirteen and fifteen. They study about three hours a night for fifteen weeks and when finished are able to take their exams.

Mrs. Dilley remarked that one of the most fascinating results of teaching the classes is that almost everyone who enters is a stranger to the others, but by the time the class is finished, they are all familiar with the others' qualifications and abilities and are interested in their futures. "It has become a social meeting as well as a class of study," she said.

One farmer comes from as far away as Stanton to take the class. In the present class, two young men are taking the course so that they may become commercial pilots. Some are learning to fly just because they Whatever the original desire, they all develop a com-

Mrs. Dilley says that for her, flying has become a greatly absorbing interest and a side effect is that now her children will never be able to call her "old fashioned.

Fortunately, her husband is thrilled that she not only has overcome her fear, but has developed what might have been only Walter Mitty dreams, into full time concern.

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Forest Hills School Board Official Proceedings

The Board of Education of the Forest Hills Public Schools met in regular session the evening of March 21, 1967. Members present were Banta, Colvin, Price, Seidman, Weathers sociation. Motion carried. Moved by James Banta, secand Zoellmer. Aso in attendance were Superintendent Masonded by Sarah Seidman, that terminations as presented in list D of the supplementary

carried.

ten, Principals Dalman, Boerman, Bruckman and Roelofs, Supervisor DeArmond, Audiovisual Director Taylor and faculty member Van Aark.

Moved by James Banta, seconded by William Colvin, that Tenure contracts be offered to onded by William Covin, the approval of Board minutes of the first two faculty members on list E of the supplementary February 21, 1967 as presented by mail. Motion carried. agenda conditional upon their

Moved by William Colvin, seconded by William Zoellmer, the approval of Board minutes for the special meeting of March 14, 1967 as read at the meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by James Banta, seconded by William Zoellmer, that the planning figure for the proposed bond issue be reconsidered and that the figure be established at \$1,350,000,00. Motion carried.

Moved by James Banta, seconded by William Colvin, the authorization to issue warrants in the amount of \$130,000.54 from the General Fund, and \$1,872.00 from the Building and Site Fund in payment of bills as presented by mail. Motion carried.

The treasurer, James Banta, gave a summary financial re-

Moved by James Banta, seconded by William Colvin, that the proposed budget revision for the year 1966-1967 providing an estimated year end balance of \$103,000.00 be accepted as presented. Motion carried.

Moved by William Zoellmer, seconded by William Colvin, the authorization to purchase for transportation of Special Education students to Grand Rapids a step van 20-passenger 1967 Chevrolet school bus for \$4,341 .-75 as bid by Alberda-Shook Chevrolet, purchase of which is covered by the approved, revised budget. Motion carried. Moved by James Banta, sec-

onded by Sarah Seidman, the approval to hire 4 additional teachers for the senior high school, 2 additional teachers for the junior high school, and 7 additional teachers for the elementary schools, all who will be needed during the 1967-68 school year due to increased enrollment and overcrowded classrooms. Motion carried.

The request of the Varsity Club for a non-instructional, non-participation trip to a Detroit baseball game by school bus is denied due to the fact that the request is against the established policy and practice of the Board. Motion carried. Moved by William Colvin, seconded by Sarah Seidman, that

a committee of the Board be appointed to work with the Superintendent on the question of portable classrooms. Motion carried. President Westhers appointed members James Banta and William Colvin to serve on this committee.

Moved by James Banta, seconded by Sarah Seidman, that Tenure contracts and Probationary contracts be issued to faculty members as submitted in lists A, B, and C of the sup-

Hospital notes

52nd Street, Ada, is an operative patient at Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital.

Mrs. Charles Buttrick, 3054 Buttrick Avenue, Ada, is a patient at Butterworth Hospital.



Newest to the Crib Crowd

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buttrick 7660 Fase Street, Ada, are the proud parents of a son, Arron Jon, born at Blodgett Hospital on April 20.

plementary agenda, contracts to be issued under the provisions of the Master Agreement with the Forest Hills Education As-

agenda be approved. Motion

Moved by James Banta, sec-

btaining certification before the

beginning of the 1967-68 school

year and that a Probationary

contract be issued to the last

named faculty member in list

E at the discretion of the Su-

perintendent, contracts to be

issued under the provisions of

the Master Agreement with the

Forest Hills Education Associ-

The Superintendent gave gen-

eral reports concerning Forest

Hills participation in a local

TV program based on the for-

mat of the "College Bowl,"

vandalism at the band festival

held at the Forest Hills senior

high school, contract negotia-

tions with the Forest Hills Edu-

cation Association, obtaining of

Motion carried.

affect the school district. The Board wishes to extend its condolences to the family of

Charles Powell, former bus driver and custodian at Martin There being no further business, the meeting was adjourn-

options on school sites, over-

time for hourly employees, and the possibility of more extensive remedial reading programs within the district. The secre-

tary reported on State House

and Senate bills which would

Respectfully submitted, Mary Helen Price, Secretary of the Board of Education

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